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Ladies' Stylish Oxford Ties. The latest shoes, in Oxford and Chocolate shades. Gents' '37 Spring Styles. Large Assortment.

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YESTERDAY'S WEATHER. Maximum temperature, 61 deg. Minimum temperature, 56 deg. Precipitation, .06 inch.

TODAY'S WEATHER. Fair weather; warmer; west to north winds.

AROUND TOWN. TUESDAY. He makes no friend who never made a foe.—Tennyson.

\$1000

for those who find it.

What is the missing word in the following sentence:

Schilling's Best tea is not only pure but it is-----because it is fresh-ro-----ted.

Get a package of Schilling's Best tea at your grocers; take out the Yellow Ticket; send it with your guess to Schilling's Best Tea, San Francisco, by August 31st.

One guess allowed for every yellow ticket. If your guess reaches us before July 1st, you are entitled to two guesses for each ticket.

If only one person finds the word he gets \$1000. If several find it, the \$1000 will be divided equally among them.

Every one sending a yellow ticket will get a set of cardboard creeping babies at the end of the contest. Those sending three or more in one envelope will receive a charming 1898 calendar, no advertisement on it.

In addition to the \$1000 offered we will pay \$100 each to the two persons who send in the largest number of Schilling's Best yellow tickets before June 15th.

Cut this out. You won't see it again for two weeks.

San Francisco A Schilling & Company

Burleigh the Cash Grocer.

- \$1.00 6 Cans Corned Beef. \$1.00 50 lbs Prunes. 60 Cents Sack Good Potatoes. 25 Cents 3 Cans Pie Apricots. 20 Cents 1 Gal. Can Pie Peaches.

SHANAHAN BUILDING. Telephone 32

Potatoes, 5c per sack, at the Pacific Grocery Co.

Mr. J. O. Hanthorn returned yesterday from Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hopkins, of Portland, are visiting in the city.

C. B. Smith sells pure cream; no corn starch or gelatine used.

Best cup of coffee in town at the Model Restaurant, 468 Commercial street.

New Bicycle Leggings arrived today. Columbia Shoe Co.

Lapierre's barber shop, Eleventh St., will hereafter be open from 3 a. m. till 12 p. m.

Mrs. A. M. Wheeler was called to Clatskanie yesterday by the dangerous illness of her sister.

Oregon vegetables are now coming in, of which we carry a full line, at the Pacific Grocery Co.

P. J. Meany, the leading merchant tailor, 127 Tenth St. The highest price paid for fur skins.

The office of the firm of Stuart Bros. has been moved to 512 Commercial street, next to Howell & Ward's.

The pilot schooner Jessie was yesterday dressed out with all her flags in honor of Memorial Day.

Tillamook creamery butter is the best made in Oregon. Received fresh every week. Ask your grocer for it.

The baseball game which was to have been played Sunday at Alderbrook did not come off, owing to the threatening condition of the weather.

W. T. Beveridge, who threw his knee-cap out of place while bowling a few days ago, is able to be around, assisted by crutches.

Messrs. May, Lillis and Abrams, three jolly traveling men, displayed their bowling abilities at the alleys yesterday afternoon. Their scores were excellent.

Cream, cream, cream; fresh every morning; guaranteed to whip or money refunded. Smith's candy store.

Strawberries are at their best and cheap enough for preserving. Leave orders with us. Ross, Higgins & Co.

The most complete stock of fresh Oregon and California fruits and vegetables at Foard & Stokes Company's today.

Captain Bartholomew, of the Association eleven of the Astoria Football Club, leaves for Ilwaco today to attend the league meeting there.

All the stores and public buildings, excepting, of course, candy and cigar stores, were closed yesterday in observance of Memorial Day.

Clinton & Sons have finished the treatise work near Tongue Point, and will move their drivers to Knappa in a few days to complete other contracts.

Building at present is not brisk and but few new houses are going up. It is expected that the next few months will see quite an improvement in this line.

When going East travel on the Northern Pacific Railway. Quick time and the only line running dining cars. Train leaves Portland daily at 11 o'clock a. m.

The Ilwaco Bicycle Club has the necessary funds almost raised and will soon commence the construction of their six-foot bicycle track from Ilwaco to the beach.

Now is the time for cockroaches to begin to be troublesome. Our Electric Paste will drive them all out of your house. Charles Rogers, Odd Fellows' building.

When you want a real life-like and artistic photo, don't fail to call on Snodgrass. The work he is turning out now is ahead of anything ever made in Astoria before.

Reports from nearly all the canneries on the lower river yesterday showed that the catch was as good as on Saturday. The run is improving right along, and it is likely before many days the canneries will be running full time.

Warrenton is the scene of great activity these days. New houses are being erected in all directions, new stores are being built, the saw mill is in full operation, and a boom seems to have struck the west side in earnest.

There seems to be a craze among girls to go to the berry ranches for the summer. If they realized the vulgar associates they will have to meet in such places they would be very careful what engagements of the kind they entered into.

Extensive repairs are being made to the Astor house.

See Ross, Higgins & Co's offer to sell goods for cash.

Fresh Mount Tabor, Mount Scott and Hood River strawberries, 4 boxes for 25c, at Foard & Stokes Company's today.

Ross, Higgins & Co. have taken the agency for the famous "Corvallis" flour. Three carloads arrived here for them yesterday and they will from now on furnish dealers with the same at mill prices in lots to suit.

W. F. Scheibe, the popular cigar manufacturer, is now established in his new quarters, 474 Commercial street, where he has a full line of domestic, Key West and imported cigars and the best brands of smoking tobaccos and smokers' articles. Give him a call.

Mr. Geo. S. Taylor and wife spent Sunday and yesterday with friends in the city, and visited the new Flavel Hotel. Mr. Taylor says it is the ideal resort and the finest house in Oregon in all of its appointments, save the Hotel Portland.

J. R. Clinton spent Sunday angling and returned with a basket full of large trout. He says he knows where he can buy trout for 25 cents a dozen and that he intends never to come home again without a plentiful supply. He refuses to disclose his market.

Paul Favour, N. N. Stevens, Chicago, E. R. Woods, Portland; G. M. Mitchell, J. W. Walker, Flavel; T. H. Austin, Fort Stevens; Sol Caplinger, Clatskanie; M. L. Reynolds, A. Shuter, San Francisco; J. B. Matthews, Astoria, Wis., were registered at the Parker House yesterday.

The Rambler is the hit of the 20th century. It has many imitators, but no equal. There is no reason why you shouldn't join the throng and buy a Rambler. A wheel doesn't cost much in the end. Easy and convenient terms can be made. W. E. Warren, agent, 518 Commercial street.

The steamer Grady is about ready to commence her hazardous voyage to San Francisco. Everything on board has been made snug and seaworthy, and barring a severe storm, it is thought she will make the trip in safety. She expects to leave out today or tomorrow, it is reported.

A new river service has been inaugurated between Astoria and Rainier, Oregon, including all intermediate landings. The fine steamer "Pilgrim," Captain A. L. Brage, will make round trips daily, except Sunday, leaving Rainier at 1:30 a. m., reaching Astoria at 1:30, landing at the Fourth street wharf, and departing on her return at 1:30. Prompt time and the best service is guaranteed for both passengers and freight.

Early Sunday morning Officer Settem hauled a man on Commercial street and asked him what he had in a suspicious-looking sack instead of replacing the man started to run. The sack contained a 45-pound anchor, which was stamped "K. N." It was taken to the police station, where the owner can have it by proving his ownership.

Brigadier General D. W. Flaxler, chief of ordnance, U. S. A., Washington, D. C., arrived in Astoria yesterday and proceeded on the Bailey steamer to the steamer to Fort Stevens, where he will inspect the new fortifications being erected by the Government. While in the city he visited Kinney's cannery with Col. John Adair and Mr. R. L. Burns. The general was a classmate of Col. Adair at West Point.

Northern Pacific railroad trains leave Portland daily at 11 o'clock a. m. for Tacoma, Spokane, and the East. Close connections made at Spokane for Rosalia, Nelson, Sandow and British Columbia mining camps. For maps and information call on or address C. W. STONE, Astoria, Or.

Messrs. F. L. Parker, W. L. Robb, C. R. Higgins, Horace Thine, Will Doyle, D. Campbell and George Hayes left the city Saturday night for a trip to Elk Creek. The party went down the beach as far as Arch cape. On the return trip the tide was high and several of the wheelmen rode through the surf. The front wheels of the machines sent water all over them, while the back wheels were fountains. As each wave roared it caused quite a current. Walter Robb's wheel was caught in this undertow and rider and wheel separated. Nearly all the wheelmen were wet through, but they enjoyed the ride immensely; that is, all but Mr. Doyle, who did not know what he was undertaking.

CONGRATULATES US. Salem Statesman.

We congratulate the Astorians upon the prospects of the early completion of their railroad to Goble. But they will never be entirely happy and fully prosperous until they get a line to Salem, through the Nehalem, Tillamook, Nestucca and Grand Ronde countries.

High grade California brandies and wines for family, cooking, medicinal and table purposes. "Private Stock," "Cream Brandy," "Old Hickory," "Fido of Kentucky" and "Hermitage" whiskeys in original packages. Imported wines and liquors at reasonable prices. Carlson's Family Liquor Store, 38 Twelfth street.

Special Cash Sale

From now on we will give extraordinary inducements

TO CASH PURCHASERS

The list of articles which come under this head is too long to publish, but a trial order will show that we mean business

Ross, Higgins & Co.

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Columbia Harbor Land Co.

CORNER... BOND and ELEVENTH STS. Maps on application.

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Everybody knows that Warrenton values will soon be doubled. It is distinctly the best property on the market.

Fine large level lots, surrounded by many improvements, at very low prices. Is it not a fine investment?

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Come now while the assortment is complete. Easy Monthly Payments—Honest Prices.

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IS THE ONLY PIANO WHICH IMPROVES UNDER USAGE" is proved by the fact that the unanimous testimony of those who have bought the "HARDMAN" corroborates the statement. Its full, resonant tone is maintained through years of service, and an added brilliancy, without metallic quality, results through use.

Astoria Military Band

Parades, Parties, Balls and Picnics. First class orchestra in connection with the band.

W. F. SCHEIBE, FINE CIGARS!

MARINE NEWS.

Table with columns: DATE, HIGH WATER, LOW WATER. Rows for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday.

THE STAGE OF WATER.

Table with columns: STATION, Height of Water, Wind, Weather, Temperature. Rows for Portland, Or., The Dalles, Or., Astoria, Or., Northern Wharf, Or., Westport, Or., Lewis and Clark, Or., Warrenton, Or.

The steamer Ilwaco arrived yesterday from Tillamook.

The schooner Edward Parke sailed Sunday with a cargo of lumber for California.

The barkentine Portland arrived in ballast Sunday, 21 days from Redondo, and will load lumber at Portland.

Captain Penley, formerly of the five-masted schooner Louis, has arrived in the city to take charge of the Seminole, which is now loading lumber at Knappa.

The Snake, Clearwater and Columbia at and above Northport began to rise Saturday night. The Columbia will rise below the Cascades and on the Willamette at Portland on Tuesday. The fall at Portland will have amounted to over a foot more before the rise begins, possibly two feet.

The rivers all continue to fall. The fall was less on the Snake and Clearwater Saturday morning than Friday and continues about the same on the Columbia above Pasco. The temperature Friday was from 89 to 94 degrees over the entire Columbia basin, and was warmer Saturday. Cooler weather prevailed Sunday and yesterday.

On Sunday Will Madison, his dog, a rat and George Smith created no little excitement. A number of rodents had been caught in a trap and were turned out for the dog to dispose of. The first one let loose was properly taken care of by Mr. Dog. The next one was given its liberty, but Madison held onto the dog in his excitement until the rat got six Smith's directions, and tried to get up his pants leg, to which that gentleman objected, and forthwith began a lively dance. He dropped his new overcoat in the street and everybody thought the rat was under it and commenced at stamp upon it. The rat got away, but the coat came out of the trap somewhat the worse for wear.

FOUND—One-half net and lines, picked up at buoy No. 12. Owner can have same on proving ownership and paying all expenses and salvage. Apply at Elmore's cannery.

FOUND—Adrift, near Tongue Point, a Columbia river fishing boat, painted gray outside and yellow inside. Owner can have same by applying to John Smith, on Lower Snag island, proving property and paying charges.

FOR SALE—A J. S. Mundy Improved friction drum hoisting engine. Size of boiler, 12 1/2 feet, cylinder, 7 1/2 inches. A first-class engine, almost as good as new. Address "A," Astorian office.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. H. A. SMITH, DENTIST.

Rooms 1 and 2, Pythian Building, over C. H. Cooper's store.

DR. O. H. ESTES, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Special attention to diseases of women and surgery. Office over Dentist's store. Astoria, Telephone No. 52.

DR. JAY TUTTLE, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office, rooms 5 and 6, Pythian building, 51 1/2 Commercial St., Residence same, Telephone 96. Acting assistant surgeon U. S. Marine hospital service.

H. T. CROBBY, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. 408 Commercial street.

J. Q. A. BOWLEY, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW. Office on Bond street, Astoria, Or.

JOHN T. LIGHTER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office, upstairs, Astorian Building.

C. C. BROWER, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Gunderson Building, Astoria, Oregon.

J. N. Dolph, Chester V. Dolph, DOLPH, NIXON & DOLPH, ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

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SOCIETY MEETINGS. TEMPLE LODGE NO. 1, I. O. O. F. and A. M.—Regular communications held on the first and third Tuesday evening of each month. G. W. LOUNSBERRY, W. M. E. C. HOLDEN, Secretary.

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Ship Chandlery, Hardware, Iron & Steel, Coal, Groceries & Provisions, Flour & Mill Feed, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Loggers' Supplies, Fairbank's Scales, Doors & Windows, Agricultural Implements, Wagons & Vehicles.

Groceries, Feed, Provisions, Crockery and Glassware.

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A. L. BRAZIER, Master. Will leave Rainier daily, except Sunday, at 1:30 p. m., touching at La Du, May-gors, Stella, Oak Point, Eagle Cliff, Knappa, Clifton, Westport, Elsie Rock, and other landings, arriving at 10th street wharf, Astoria, at 10 a. m. Leave Astoria at 1:30 p. m., calling at way landings on return. Fast time and satisfactory service guaranteed.

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