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THE Astor House CLEAN AND AIRY ROOMS Rates, \$1 and \$1.25 a day; Meals, 25 cts. Pilcher & Taylor, Proprietors. Mr. and Mrs. James Luck, Mrs. J. E. Bailey Forest Grove, were guests of the Occident yesterday. Bids for the purchase of the lumber in the grand stand will be received at regatta headquarters. New style hats, latest blocks, at C. H. Cooper's. Miss Ethel Andrews, who has been visiting friends in Portland, returned home yesterday morning. Laird, Schober & Co. \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00 Shoes; your choice for 10 days, \$3.98. Columbia Shoe Co. New clothing of the latest and best material at C. H. Cooper's. The steamer Potter made a special trip to Chinook yesterday to bring away two or three carloads of salmon. Constable Fred Wickman yesterday returned from Ellad slough, where he had gone on a short business trip. Fancy goods and furnishing goods, reasonable prices, at C. H. Cooper's. The five-year-old daughter of Alex. Johnson, who died Wednesday afternoon, was buried at Greenwood yesterday. The town has hardly yet recovered from the regatta, and many find it difficult to get back into the ruts of business. Special sale of fine fruits today at Ross, Higgins & Co.'s. Ashland peaches, Bartlett pears, silver prunes, choice apples, etc., etc. The school board will in a few days make a trip of inspection to the John Day's river. They will go by train over the new railroad. Ladies' Tan and Oxblood Oxfords, \$3.00 cut to \$1.00, \$3.00 cut to \$1.50. Laird, Schober & Co. \$4.00 Oxfords cut to \$2.00. Columbia Shoe Co. Miss Morris, of Portland, who has been visiting Miss Gene Lewis, is now spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Max Young in East Astoria. An impromptu reception at the Kimball parlors, yesterday afternoon, afforded a number of people an opportunity of hearing some excellent music. The harvest moon will soon make its appearance, and Clatsop farmers have as much occasion to celebrate as have those of other sections of the state. Jim West, the Chicago barber and master of the tonorial art, has his shop opposite Kopp's N. P. B. When you want a good shave or hair-cut, give him a call. S. Waterford, Mrs. W. Dutcher, Portland; Captain H. Weber, steamer Manager; Captain Chas. Anderson, schooner Antelope, registered at the Parker house yesterday. 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. Room the trains will be running to Knappa, and the farmers of that vicinity can come to town in bad weather in a more comfortable manner than by walking through the mud. As I have sold my confectionery business in this city, I will go East September. These having unsettled accounts with me will kindly settle up this week and oblige. C. B. Smith. The ladies are now appearing on the streets in the new shades of green. Everything is green—shoes, clothes and hats—and if one did not know better, he might think it was St. Patrick's day all the while. Mr. C. B. Higgins was yesterday appointed deputy county treasurer by Treasurer H. C. Thompson, with the approval of the county court, who found Mr. Higgins well qualified to perform the duties of the office. Mr. S. H. Mallock, manager of the Logan mills at Beside, is spending a day or two in the city. He says that their business is growing rapidly, and that within six months he expects to have 120 men at work and two box factories in operation. Several large con-

tracts are on the carpet, and Seattle is likely to develop into a manufacturing center.

The schooner Lizzie Brown arrived down from Shoalwater bay yesterday and will fit out here for Alaska. She will probably make the trip to St. Michaels.

Having any accidents, Captain Greery reports that the Manzanita will be ready to launch the latter part of next week. Doubtless half the town will be at Smith's point to witness the first launching from Astoria's new ship yard.

Mr. Thomas Baker, who was over from Scarborough head Wednesday, said that in spite of the Washington law a number of fishermen are out fishing sturgeons. He thought they might possibly be preparing to make a test of the constitutionality of the law.

A letter was received yesterday from the Board stating that Tom Quinn, one of the most widely known fishermen on the Columbia river, had shipped at Seattle on the tug J. W. Colman for Jusseau. He intends to dig for nuggets in the Klondike country.

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

A new river service has been inaugurated between Astoria and Rainier, Oregon, including all intermediate landings. The fine steamer "Pilgrim," Captain A. E. Brasse, will make round trips daily, except Sunday, leaving Rainier at 5:30 a. m., reaching Astoria at 10:30, landing at the Fourteenth street wharf, and departing on her return at 1:30. Prompt time and the best service is guaranteed for both passengers and freight.

At the meeting of the school board yesterday, on the petition of certain taxpayers in the John Day's school district, the board consented to the removal of the John Day's school house from the lower end of the district to the middle of the district. The removal of the house is to be made at the expense of the taxpayers. Should it be found impracticable to move the old school house, a new one will be built in the new locality. This arrangement is not quite satisfactory to some of the residents in this district, who think that County Commissioner Howell Lewis had a great deal to do with the removal of the court house. The county court denies all responsibility in the matter, however, and the school board says it acted for what it considered the best interests of the largest number.

SOME OF THEM. Read the List and See if You Know Any of Them.

The following is a partial list of Astorians who have bought places or farms: Benham Van Dusen.....Piano John E. Graike.....piano Captain Gunderson.....Piano Captain Skibbe.....Piano Andrew Anderson.....Piano J. L. Carlson.....Piano A. L. Krueger.....Piano J. C. Doernke.....Organ Ole Vipe.....Organ Ole Webber.....Organ Mrs. Stone.....Organ and many others too numerous to mention, to any and all of whom we gladly refer intending purchasers. W. W. KIMBALL, CO.

A SHOCK TO THE FAMILY. The distressing news, yesterday, of the suicide in Portland of Mr. D. S. Tutthill, for years the head bookkeeper and cashier of the large wholesale house of Allen & Lewis, was conveyed to his wife at the Hotel Flavel by friends. Mrs. Tutthill was completely prostrated, and was alone at the time, her daughter having taken the early morning train to Elk creek beach. Special couriers were sent for her, as the beach is some 12 miles from the railroad station, and Dr. M. M. Walker was called to administer restoratives to Mrs. Tutthill. A special train tonight brought Miss Tutthill from the beach and the steamer Telephone was held until 5 o'clock to convey them to Portland. Dr. Walker accompanied the two ladies, who have taken their permanent very hardy.

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THE PARTY AT KNAPPTON. The dancing party given at Knapppton Wednesday evening was one of the most pleasant affairs of the season, and was attended by a large number of Portland and Astoria people. Besides dancing during the greater part of the evening, an excursion was made up the river, and the guests returned to Astoria about 1 o'clock in the morning. Among the guests were the following: The Misses Plunger, Foster, Barnes, Becker, Tuttle, Morris, Tallant, Tipshor, Wood, Elmore, Bryan, Crane, Reed, Lewis, Mr. Horace Thine and wife, Mrs. Rogers, and the Messrs. R. E. Carruthers, C. R. Higgins, Eben Rogers, Mr. Wilson, Jack Young, R. T. Burnett, Dr. A. A. Fitch, Joe Young, C. C. Barkley, Charles Heilborn.

QUARANTINE STATION. One Needed at the Mouth of the Columbia River.

Dr. R. L. Gillespie, city physician and quarantine officer of Portland, who spent Wednesday at Astoria, and who has the distinction of being the only appointee of Mayor Pennoyer who was confirmed by the republican council of Portland, stated to an Astorian representative that he considered the Astoria regatta a fixture for all time, and agreed with Fish Commissioner H. D. McGuire that the regatta should be made a state affair, participated in and supported by all Oregonians. When asked about the business of his office, and the condition of the health of Portland and the state, the doctor said:

"So far as I know, the health of Oregon at present is very good. I am visiting Astoria more particularly in the interests of the proposition to establish a quarantine station at the mouth of the Columbia river. It is a disgrace to a large state like this, with its great Columbia river, an outlet for a tremendous commerce, and with two large harbors where the ships of the world enter to the number of about 100 every season, and with the immediate prospect of a large increase in that number, that there is no quarantine station for the prevention of the spreading of contagious diseases, which may be possibly brought to this state by vessels from foreign ports. Sailing ships and steamers are constantly arriving here from China, Japan, India, Hawaii, South Africa, South America and Europe. Every year, in some of those countries, malignant diseases are prevalent, and their contagion here is probable unless proper means of prevention are used. The government has a quarantine officer in Astoria and one in Portland, but there is no quarantine station in either place, and no means of disinfecting a vessel upon which contagious disease may be found. Astoria is the place where such a station should be established. At present, if contagion is discovered on a ship, it is necessary to order her to Port Townsend, Port Orchard or San Francisco to go into quarantine. I know of no other port in the United States of equal importance with this one which has no quarantine station. In fact, many ports of much less consequence than Astoria are amply provided with quarantine facilities. The trouble is that the authorities at Washington don't know much about Astoria and its importance as a shipping port.

"I have been working for some time with Dr. Perry, the United States marine surgeon at Portland, with the department at Washington, for the establishment of a quarantine station at Astoria. I think we are in a fair way to secure the establishment of such a station, and I am sure that we would succeed if the people of the state and the press would take the matter up vigorously. There are several splendid locations in Astoria's lower harbor for a quarantine station. Sand Island and Desdemona sands are particularly well located for the purpose. They are out of the main channel and far enough away from the town on the harbor to avoid danger from infectious diseases."

There certainly could be no better place found for a United States quarantine station than Sand Island, since it is a government reservation, and there would be no expense attached to the establishment of the station other than the erection of the buildings.

OFF FOR THE NORTH. Jolly Party of Gold Hunters Sail for Alaska.

The schooner Janus will leave out this morning at 8 o'clock with a party of gentlemen from San Francisco and Oakland, who are bound for the gold fields of Alaska. The names of the gentlemen are: Capt. Geo. Redeks, Dr. W. H. Goldson, Frank A. Richardson, Charles W. Downing, J. P. Boomax, Austin Smith, Cass Gilson, T. A. McAvoy, E. G. Merwin, G. A. Scott and C. W. Merwin. Captain Wm. Jackson, of this city, will be in command of the vessel as far as Port Townsend, and R. Gauger will go as mate, and from that port the vessel will be in charge of Capt. George Redeks.

The party will sail about 25 miles north of the mouth of the Yukon and their destination will then be about 50 miles to the interior. Capt. Redeks returned from that region about a month ago, bringing with him \$250 in nuggets, which he mined in less than three weeks. The vessel will call at Sitka, where they will take on some dogs, which will be used in hauling their outfit to the mines.

The party has been very busy the past few days purchasing their outfit, which are quite extensive and first-class in every particular and are well provided for a period of two years. A portion of the party will go overland to Seattle and from there to Port Townsend, where they will meet the vessel. Dr. Goldson is a practicing physician of San Francisco, and Mr. Richardson a prominent attorney of that city. The remainder of the party are mechanics and miners. Every man in the party is by the very best of spirits and expects to reach his destination about October 15th. John Norris, of this city, expects to join the party at Port Townsend. Capt. Russell, of the Relief, will take the vessel in tow and see the boys safely over the bar.

ORDINANCES SIGNED AND VETOED. Mayor Taylor yesterday returned the following ordinances with his approval: Appropriating a sum for the planking of Thirty-third street to Contractor Clinton. Appropriating a sum to Normie for the grading of Thirty-third street. Creating the Thirty-third street fund. The following ordinances were vetoed: Two ordinances concerning the condemnation of certain property and confirming the surveyor's reports on the McElroy drainage system; resuso, inaccruals in the drawing of the ordinances. The ordinance providing "that it shall be lawful for any owner, agent, employe or driver of any wagon, truck, dray, hack, carriage, express wagon or other vehicle drawn by one or more horses or mules to stand on any of the public streets without first securely fastening and se-

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SUDDEN DEATH AT LONG BEACH. Word was received yesterday afternoon that Wednesday Mr. Peterson, a saloon keeper of Portland, died suddenly of heart disease at his Long Beach cottage. Mr. Peterson had just arrived to join his family for a vacation at the seashore, when he was overtaken by the dread disease. A special train brought the remains to Ilwaco, from whence they were shipped to Portland yesterday.

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BOND STREET IMPROVEMENT NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the Common Council proposes to improve Bond street from the west side of Ninth street to the west line of blocks 16 and 17 in the city of Astoria as laid out and recorded by John McClure. Said improvement to consist of grading said street to the established grade and planing the same to its full width and established grade with new acid sound fir plank as follows:

Said plank to be 4x12 inches between Ninth and Fifth streets, and 2x12 inches between Fifth street and the west line of blocks 16 and 17, and by building sidewalks on both sides thereof 8 feet wide, in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared and deposited by the City Surveyor in the office of the Auditor and Police Judge, and in conformity to the ordinances in relation to the improvement of streets.

Said improvement to be made at the expense of the property benefited thereby as required by the Charter of the City of Astoria. The lands and premises upon which special assessment shall be levied to defray the cost of said improvement, and the district embraced therein and the lots, blocks and premises to be assessed, shall be known as Bond Street Assessment District No. 29. Said district embracing said lots, blocks and premises to be assessed for said improvement are designated as follows: Beginning on the west line of Ninth street at the center of block 24, running thence west through the center of blocks 23, 22, 21, 20, 19, 18 and 17 to the west line of block 17; thence north along the west line of blocks 17 and 18 to the center of block 16; thence east through the center of blocks 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10 and 9 to the west line of Ninth street; thence south along the west line of Ninth street to the place of beginning, containing lots 1, 2, 3, 4, block 21; the north half of block 22; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, block 22; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, block 21; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, block 20; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, block 19; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, block 18; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, block 17; lots 5, 6, 7, 8, block 14; lots 5, 6, 7, 8, block 15; lots guaranteed

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