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TODAY'S WEATHER.

Occasional rain, fresh southerly winds.

AROUND TOWN.

WEDNESDAY.
Summer's a step behind us. Autumn's a thought before. Each fleet day we meet on the way, Is an angel at the door.

Cucumbers, very cheap, at Ross, Higgins & Co's.

Fine cabbage for kraut at Ross, Higgins & Co's.

Lemons at great reduction at Ross, Higgins & Co's.

Groceries at the lowest prices at the Pacific Grocery Co.

Mr. F. H. Vandegarr was over from North Shore yesterday.

Ice cream and other refreshments at the lawn party on Friday evening.

Ask for sample of Chase & Sanborn's famous teas, at Ross, Higgins & Co's.

About 8 o'clock this morning there was a successful slide at Smith's Point.

County matters will be considered by the county court in regular session today.

It is reported that the opera "Little Duke" will shortly be produced in Astoria.

For roofing and skylights go to the Astoria Roofing and Corning Co., 34 Ninth street.

Last evening the Rev. J. J. Walter left for the Methodist conference at Corvallis.

When you are looking for fresh fruits and vegetables call on the Pacific Grocery Co.

Ashland peaches, Bartlett pears, silver prunes, choice apples, etc., at Ross, Higgins & Co's.

Miss Alice Munnell, resident optician, office in Shanahan building. Hours, 9 to 12 and 1 to 4.

Louis P. McCarty, editor and publisher of the Statist and Economist, was in the city yesterday.

P. J. Meany, the leading merchant tailor, 137 Tenth St. The highest price paid for fur skins.

Work will commence today on the bulkhead for Judge Page's property on Eleventh street, near Grand avenue.

Mr. Grocer: there are thousands of people who want good tea (many don't drink tea now, because it has been either costly or bad) and here is Schilling's Best—good tea at a fair price.

Don't you want to sell lots of such tea, and money-back if your customers don't like it?

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Contractor Lebeck will rush the work through before bad weather sets in.

Ashland peaches cheap and good; also a large supply of other fine fruits at Ross, Higgins & Co.

At Cathlamet, yesterday morning, the fall session of the superior court opened with a fair-sized docket.

Dr. Bartel has moved his office and residence to the Goodman building over P. J. Goodman's shoe store, next to Olsen's drug store.

At the bowling alleys, yesterday afternoon, Miss Susie Elmore made the high score of 30. Mr. M. M. Pickens scored 68.

Colonel E. C. Hughes, who is visiting in Idaho, will spend about three weeks on a hunting and fishing trip with his brother.

Four carloads of salmon were shipped up river by the Telephone last night and about an equal number by the O. R. & N. line.

Special sale of fine fruits today at Ross, Higgins & Co's. Ashland peaches, Bartlett pears, silver prunes, choice apples, etc., etc.

A number of up-river seiners will commence fishing on the 10th. So far as reported Hanthorn, Pillar Rock and Cooke will do fall packing.

Friends of Mr. E. R. Hawes will be very glad to learn that that gentleman is rapidly regaining health after a tedious sickness of two years.

Mr. C. F. Overbaugh, traveling freight agent of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company, is in the city looking after the interests of his line.

Among the Astorians who left for the gold fields on the last steamer was N. C. Jensen, proprietor of the repair shop on Ninth street, above Commercial.

Ladies of Grace church guild are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. H. G. Smith 561 Franklin avenue, on Thursday afternoon, the 9th inst., at 2 p. m.

Mrs. C. L. Parker and daughter, Seaside; Sydney Dell, F. J. Snow James Macneil, Portland; F. J. Scherndahl, Svenson, were 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.

It is expected today that Chief Halllock will commence posting notices on the property contiguous to the Commercial street extension for the collection of assessed benefits.

Bond street improvements will probably be soon commenced. Everybody is looking for them, and it is hoped that the contractors can get to work before bad weather commences.

Contractor Lebeck has finished the work of raising Captain Salter's house in Scow bay. Captain Salter is making many improvements on his place, and will soon have a home to be proud of.

The Methodist church has booked the Fleke singers, or the original Nashville Students, for September 25th. The company, which is one of the best organizations of colored artists in the world, is under the management of H. R. Theatre, of Chicago. A charming enter-

tainment is promised for Astorians, and crowds always go to hear these sweet singers.

One hundred souvenir silver spoons free at Foard & Stokes' Co.

Annual Sale.—The Ladies' Guild of Grace church are preparing for their annual sale December 2, 1897. Further notice will be given of place, etc.

A swell party is to be given at Knapp-ton Friday evening, which will be attended by Astoria's four hundred. A special boat will convey the visitors from Astoria, returning "after the fall."

In the police court yesterday, Peter McCarthy, Thomas O. Harvey and John Dillon were fined \$5 each for being intoxicated. All of the fines were remitted because the men had already served two holidays in jail.

Jack Cappell, the clever little boxer, and Fred Maynard, will spar twenty rounds at the Louvre on Saturday night. Sports of the city will be greatly interested, as both the boys are favorites with Astorians.

Sunday evening, at the regular services of the M. E. church, Treasurer Turner reported the receipt and expenditure of \$8.24 during the past two years. Considering the comparatively small membership, the showing by this church is a most creditable one.

L. S. Doble, Mrs. L. S. Doble, Helen M. Doble, H. C. Platt and wife, E. S. Miller, Chas. Reed, E. Reed, A. F. Elliott, Portland; R. A. Hawkins, Hiawac; Edw. G. Sprawl, Tacoma; E. Goodwin, Seattle; M. Gunkel, Chicago, were guests at the Occident yesterday.

Superintendent Lester announces that commencing today there will be a change in the time card between Astoria and Seaside. Winter is approaching and the new schedule will provide for only two trains per day. Slight change has been made in the Flavel train.

A quarter of a mile bicycle race will take place at 7 o'clock this evening between "Jim" Johnson and Clyde Reeth. The course will be at the new depot, and the race will decide the championship of Astoria. Much interest is being manifested in the event, and no doubt a large crowd will be present.

At the funeral yesterday afternoon of James Layzell, a large number of citizens were in attendance. Services were held in the Red Men's hall. Mr. Layzell was a prominent member of that order, and the services were most impressive. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

It was reported last evening that Mr. Claude Hanthorn was resting as comfortably as could be expected under the circumstances. He will be confined to the house for a considerable length of time, but is receiving the best of care under the direction of Dr. J. A. Fulton. His father and mother and immediate relatives act as nurses.

Agent Lounsberry has invented a new perfume for the benefit of visitors at his office. Guano is all right for spreading on a farmer's field, but when ship-owners leave it for an indefinite time at a public depot, it can't be sold to possess all the requisites of modern civilization. Neither the agents in charge nor the occasional visitors appreciate the compliment.

In the county court yesterday the following parties were made United States citizens: Charles McDonald, Extra Dawson, Charles Holm, natives of Great Britain; Ole Salonen, Tidsevald P. M. Dahl, John O. Fitch, Norway; K. F. Johnson, Selma M. Hildne, Sweden; Theodore Holz, Germany; Frank O. Mikila, of Russia, declared his intention of becoming a citizen.

Articles were filed yesterday with Recorder Williams incorporating Astoria & Alaska Transportation & Trading Company. R. J. Owens, James Finlayson, Joseph L. Kippo and Andrew E. Pintall are the incorporators. Astoria will be the head office and the company's principal business will be the construction, purchasing and operation of steamers between the Columbia and Yukon rivers. The capital stock is \$25,000.

Martin Fording and Chris Everson, who went hunting a short time ago in the Nehalem and vowed they would not come home empty handed, have just shipped to Astoria a deer bagged by Mr. Foard Tuesday morning. On the way out, Joe Lynch's team, which was packing for the hunters, slid over the river bank at Grand Rapids, smashing everything to smithereens. Fortunately, however, the accident did not seriously cripple the hunters, who continued their expedition to a successful end.

A good story was told of a well grown black bear cub which swam the river from Knapp-ton yesterday, crawled up under the O. R. & N. dock, disappeared up the street headed for the woods on the hill. Every boy in town is out with his shotgun. A number who stood on the dock at the time the animal landed vouch for the story, but some of them are not quite sure whether it was a black bear or a black pig. It is well known that bears and deer are expert swimmers, and sometimes make as much as twenty miles in a day.

Foard & Stokes yesterday received a letter from Henry Stokes, who accompanied the steamer Mayflower to Alaska. Everyone predicted that the Mayflower, which towed a large barge-load of supplies for Alaska, would not reach her destination in safety, but the letter says that both the steamer and barge are at Juneau none the worse for their long voyage. More than one charter has already been offered the Mayflower. On the way the little steamer encountered a heavy gale, and for seven hours had a hard fight with the elements; but she refused to let go of the low, hanging in to the barge like a bulldog with a grip

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Leave Astoria for Seaside via Flavel at 9:30 a. m. and 5 p. m.
Leave Flavel for Astoria at 8:25 a. m., 10:45 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 3:55 p. m. and 5:30 p. m.
Leave Seaside for Astoria via Flavel at 7:30 a. m. and 2 p. m.

GOOD ROADS AND BICYCLE CLUB.

Thursday evening next at 7:30, at the A meeting of this club will be held on usual place. Business of great importance and members will be present.

G. C. FULON, Pres.

W. A. SHERMAN, Sec.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Eugene D. Hamblett and I. M. Jeffers, in the conduct of the "Spa" confectionery, is hereby mutually dissolved this 7th day of September, 1897. All the debts against and all of the accounts owing to said firm are payable and collectible by Eugene D. Hamblett.

Signed ENGEL E. HAMBLETT, I. M. JEFFERS

Dated Astoria, Or., Sept. 7, 1897.

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Owing to over-crowding and had ventilation the air of the schoolroom is often close and impure, and teachers and pupils frequently suffer from lung and throat troubles. To all such we would say, try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For coughs, colds, weak lungs and bronchial troubles no other remedy can compare with it. Says A. C. Freed, superintendent of schools, Prairie Depot, O.: "Having some knowledge of the efficacy of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, I have no hesitation in recommending it to all who suffer from coughs, lung troubles, etc." For sale by Eates-Conn Drug Co.

Small pieces of fine embroidered insertion and edgings sewed together in whatever shape they happen to be, after the order of the crazy quilt, and then finished on the edge with a ruffle of embroidery or lace, make a very desirable bureau cover. Pieces of lace may be utilized this way. In a house where there are many children to make clothing for, if the tiny bits that otherwise would be thrown away are saved it will be surprising how quickly one accumulates odds and ends to make a handsome cover at a trifling expense.

Needlework promises to be unusually fruitful this autumn.

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WANTED.

WANTED—Young girl living with parents, to take care of children and do light housework. Apply at 434 Duane street.

MEN WANTED.

Railroad hands wanted for immediate work on track. Apply at room 4, Flavel block. A. & C. R. R. R.

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LOST—Bunch of keys, tied with red ribbon. Leave at Astorian office.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Ten-room house in Uppertown, on street car line; \$12 per month. Inquire at this office.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, single or double, by the day or month. Hotel Tighe, under entire new management. Great reduction in rates. Mrs. G. V. Porter, manager. Cor. Eleventh and Franklin.

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FOR SALE—A six-room cottage, lot 50x100, with water, etc., within four blocks of Commercial street, in the center of the city. A rare chance. Price, \$1,400. Address C. Astorian office.

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