

TODAY'S WEATHER.

Rain. AROUND TOWN. SUNDAY. Praise not thy work, but let thy work praise thee; If what thou dost is good, its good all men will see. —Saadi.

TRY SCHILLING'S BEST TEA AND BAKING POWDER.

Cheapest milk in the city, at the Parlor. Mr. G. Wingate returned from Salem yesterday.

The probate court will convene on Monday next. The city park rock-pile is rapidly growing larger.

At the A. F. C. alleys yesterday C. H. Cooper scored 64.

Mr. J. O. Hanthorn will arrive this morning from Seattle.

Twelve-pound Klondike blankets, Shanahan Brothers.

Extra heavy all-wool men's underwear, Shanahan Brothers.

A. H. and H. H. Klint were over from Gray's River yesterday.

Bicycle and repair shop at 185 Ninth street. Charge reasonable.

Umbrellas covered and repaired by a practical workman, at 185 Ninth street.

Mrs. W. H. Bellows of Portland, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Edwards.

Home industry is still the paramount subject of discussion at the Progressive Association.

The range light question is still an unsettled matter so far as Astoria harbor is concerned.

Tomorrow night the Clams will meet the Halibuts and the Shads the Trout at the A. F. C. alleys.

Mr. G. Wingate returned yesterday from attendance on the board of equalization at Salem.

F. J. Meany, the leading merchant tailor, 117 Tenth street. The highest price paid for fur skins.

Hon. David M. Dunne, recently appointed collector of internal revenue at Portland, is in the city.

Captain Pease is here waiting to pilot the Moxel up the river and Captain Empkins is waiting for the Oregon.

New crop dried fruits, new crop raisins, figs and assorted nuts—all extra fine quality, at Ross, Higgins & Co.

W. J. Heckard creamery butter received Wednesdays and Saturdays at the Parlor. Also sweet cream every day.

The tug Fearless will not leave for San Francisco until after the arrival of the Relief, which is expected up in a day or two.

With the promise of two China steamers and two Alaska steamers in today's business on the water front is likely to be very lively.

So far as known there have been no returns from the efforts to secure in Astoria the location of the headquarters of the inspector's office of the Thirteenth light-house district.

Rev. J. B. Early, a friend of Pastor Bollinger, from Salem, is in the city and will preach in the Congregational church this morning.

Work has already commenced in the matter of entertaining the republicans in April, the McKinley Club having taken the initiative.

The members of the W. C. T. U. wish to thank Messrs. Sedie, Cuthbert, Dunka, Smith, and all others who assisted them in making the Klondike social a success.

Mrs. A. M. Wheeler will leave on the next steamer for San Francisco to visit friends from the east who are in that city for their health.

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

The naval reserve question and the matter of a naval station at the mouth of the Columbia will doubtless be considered at the meeting of the Progressive Association tomorrow night.

It would be a surprise to some Astorians if a coaler station for the Champ line of steamers should be established here in the near future, but such surprises are always welcome.

The celebration of China's new year closed last night in a blaze of glory and a din of noise heard for blocks. About 500 worth of firecrackers and bombs were discharged at one time, the fusillade continuing for almost half an hour.

The dance given by Mr. Domingos, Friday night, at the Globe hall, Upper town, was well attended and every one enjoyed the evening. Supper was served at 12 o'clock and dancing continued till a late hour.

The Astorian has been requested to announce that there will be a public meeting at the court house at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening, February 12, for the purpose of making arrangements for entertaining the delegates to the republican

state convention to be held in Astoria, April 14. All good republicans are expected to be present and assist in the work to be taken up by the various republican clubs.

C. F. Sitter, J. B. Kellogg and Hon. David Dunne, collector of internal revenue, who arrived down from Portland yesterday morning, went on through to the beach for a fishing trip. Evidently they like Oregon.

If you have hides, wool, furs, rags, bone, or any kind of junk for sale, ship it to R. M. Gaston, 106 Fourteenth street, Astoria, Oregon, or write him and he will call at your place and get it. He pays cash.

Largest and most complete assortment of air-light heaters in the city. All the kinds advertised in this paper may be seen and compared at our store, then your selection will be satisfactory to you. Foard & Stokes Co.

A southeast storm prevailed off the coast all day yesterday, the report from the Cape in the morning giving the velocity of the wind at 14 miles an hour, and that in the evening at 20 miles. The bar was obscured in the evening and no craft was sighted outside.

Prizes will be given at the Sons of Hermann hall, February 22, for the most artistic ladies' costume, for the most artistic gentlemen's costume and for the best sustained ladies' and the best sustained gentlemen's character.

HARPER whiskey on your sideboard proves your taste is correct. It proves also that you are doing your duty to your guest and to yourself—keeping the finest whiskey obtainable. Sold by Foard & Stokes Co., Astoria, Oregon.

The officers of the Oriental line of steamers have given up all hope of any immediate action relative to the establishment of a quarantine station at the mouth of the Columbia. It is possible, however, that the efforts made by Astoria and Portland will bear fruit some time.

A. M. Lindholm, Ramsey Gallacher, Gus Rhoads, Young's River; Mrs. Harmon, Svenson; Mrs. Wincent, North Shore; H. G. Probstel, William Anderson, Deep River; Machado Brothers, W. H. Smith, J. W. Ruth, Lewis and Clarke, were visitors in the city yesterday.

J. B. Mullay, P. W. Isherwood, David M. Dunne, Charles Sitter, J. B. Kellogg, H. E. Kinsahl, David J. Jordan, Fredrick, U. S. Randolph, St. Louis; Geo. Moran, (Chicago); E. Barnett, Athleta, Or.; D. M. McMillan, W. E. Osborne, San Francisco; are guests at the Occident.

The action of the county court in deciding on the location of the bridge across Young's Bay is day by day receiving more hearty endorsement. The people realize that they must have first-class connection with the surrounding territory if it is expected that the city can ever reach its fullest growth.

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, Oregon.

Shares of the Alaska Transportation and Development company of Chicago are the most desirable investment before the public. Safer than savings banks and bank stock. Paying large dividends. Shares one dollar. For information address W. L. Dudley, general agent, Halter building, Seattle, Wash.

James Ramsey, an employe of Borthwick's mill at Goble, met with a painful accident while assisting to load a saw with lumber for Astoria. While in the act of raising a heavy timber it slipped and fell, striking his leg above the ankle and fracturing the bone. He was brought to this city on the scow and taken to St. Mary's hospital.

The Astoria Progressive Commercial Association will hold its regular weekly meeting tomorrow evening, on which evening of each week it will meet in the future. Plans will be discussed at the meeting to entertain the visitors during the republican congressional and state convention.

The small schooner recently brought here from Seattle by Captain Olson, who had charge of the Potrimpos last summer, and now lying in Snow Bay, will be fitted out here and make a cruise in the near future along the coast of Alaska, where the captain will do some prospecting.

A petition to the government is likely to be circulated to have a new weather man appointed for this station if the present incumbent does not stop the bad weather now prevailing. Even the ducks complained yesterday, and many of them gave up the ghost and passed to the happy hunting ground—the dinner table.

The British ship Potlatch has had much trouble since entering the port, and soiled to her other unfortunate experience she yesterday drifted on the sands at the same place where the Norma and Kinross-shire grounded a short time ago. She will probably be floated today at a cost of about \$50.

The bobo who was fined \$5 in the police court for vagrancy a few days ago, sentence being suspended to prove the truthfulness of his story of being subject to hemorrhage of the lungs, was examined by a physician yesterday, who advised him of being liberated, to keep his feet dry. Having a cash balance on hand he took French leave of the city on the boat for Portland.

It is suggested, by a man of experience in such matters, that the way to get Mr. Astor here at the opening of the railroad is to get up a petition and have every

man, woman and child in town sign it, thus making it a joint personal invitation from the whole community. The Progressive Association is good at securing petitions and no doubt could get the signatures to this one of 50 per cent of the people of Astoria.

Captain Johnson, of the schooner W. F. Jewett, who returned the other day from San Francisco, was one of the quickest round trips on record, having taken about 12 days from Knappton. He will now sail with his good vessel, with a cargo of lumber from Knappton to San Francisco, from there he will proceed to Unalakleet, returning to San Francisco he will then return to the Mitchell, Alaska. Yesterday a very scarce in San Francisco and there is good money for shipowners in the Alaska trade.

TO SAIL FOR ALASKA. Rider to Sail Today With the Usual Crowd of Fortune Hunters.

The Elder will arrive down from Portland this morning on her trip north to the gold fields. Astoria, as on previous trips, again sends her quota of passengers who will cast her lot this spring for the auriferous mass of humanity that is pressing over the pass to the gold fields. There are many disappointed ones forced to remain because unable to raise the money to take them there. The sacrifice of property and personal interests seem to form no obstacle to the raising of sufficient money, but it remains a fact that to be forgotten that they are just as apt to meet with reverses and disappointments in the new land of promise as any where else, and should be prepared to take their medicine.

OF the fourteen passengers that leave here on the Elder, Tuya is the destination of six, Skagway three, Juneau five. Following is the list of Agent Wilson's books up to late yesterday evening: Mrs. Charles Quellaume, Miss Ruby Ellis, Mrs. May Melville, Mont Hawthorn, Geo. Johnson, F. H. Jacob, Loran, E. E. Snow, Walter Shaw, E. M. Lunnie, James Petty, Harry Junta, R. Sloop, J. W. Hibbs.

As on her former trips the Elder's freight capacity is taxed to the limit and also her passenger accommodations. Among her passenger list from Portland are the following: Mrs. M. J. Johnson, government relief expedition; Captain Ruben, Captain Clarke, Lieutenant Kemp, Lieutenant Clark, Edward H. Orfery, Patrick Lynch, Charles Clarkson, William Yarnet, John C. Abel, Stanley M. Turner, Harry Swartz.

THE MODERN WAY. Commends itself to the well-informed, to do pleasantly and effectively what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches and fevers without unpleasant after effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. Made by California Fig Syrup Co.

CASTORIA. The healthiest and most effective. Perky little crepe bonnets make one realize that a depth of wood does not necessarily mean dreary appearance.

CATARH OF THE STOMACH. A Pleasant Simple, but Safe Effective Cure for It.

Catarh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloated sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs, and difficult breathing; headache, flabby appetite, nervousness and a general played out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue, and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach.

To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the necessary thing to do, and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harrison the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of diastase, Asperin, a little cur, golden seal and fruit acids.

These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dypsepia Tablets, and not being a patent medicine, can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. N. J. Bohrer, of 219 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom, passing into the throat, reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of the stomach without cure, but today I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dypsepia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling."

"I have found flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use."

Stuart's Dypsepia Tablets is the safest preparation as well as the simplest and most convenient remedy for any form of indigestion, catarrh of the stomach, biliousness, sour stomach, heartburn and flatulent after meals.

Send for little book, mailed free, on stomach trouble, by addressing Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. The tablets can be found at all drug stores.

THE PUBLIC LIBRARY. The annual meeting of the Astoria Public Library Association was held yesterday at which the following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. Upsire. Vice-President—Miss Badollet. Secretary—Mrs. Herman Prael. Treasurer—Mrs. J. V. Marlow.

The report of the committee on the "Optical Fair" showed a net profit to the library of \$112.25.

A unanimous vote of thanks was tendered the ladies, gentlemen, and children of Astoria who had taken part in this entertainment which resulted in so much pleasure to the audience and so much financial profit to the library.

Also, by unanimous vote, a letter was authorized to be written to Messrs. Barnes and Rockwell, expressing the great appreciation and thanks of the association for their generous efforts in drilling the performers so successfully and in making such a successful entertainment with so large a profit to the library.

The annual report of the president and secretary of the library association was read and the secretary was ordered to compile from them a report for the city press.



ONE ENJOYS

Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50 cent bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

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RESCUE CLUB MEETING.

The Rescue Club held its meeting last night and the attendance was very good considering the bad weather. The program was as follows:

Reading—Clayde Bayles. Vocal solo—Frankie Estes. Address—Mr. Draper.

Mr. Draper, treasurer, handed in his resignation, which was accepted, and Miss Bird was elected to fill the vacancy. There were four signers to the pledge.

The program committee for next week are Miss Bird, Miss Linton and Dr. Kinney.

QUARTERLY LICENSE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that all dog licenses for the year ending December 31, 1908, under the provisions of ordinance No. 1894, and all team, billiard, pool, bowling alley, theaters, pawnbroker, hotel, runner, peddler, laundry and other quarterly licenses ending March 31, 1909, under the provisions of ordinance No. 1136, are now due and payable to the chief of police, at his office, and if not paid within ten days from the final publication of this notice, to wit: Within ten days from Friday, January 14, 1909, a penalty of 25 per cent will be added to such licenses.

H. E. NEHAON, Auditor and Police Judge, Astoria, Oregon, January 4, 1909.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

Regular quarterly examination for certificates to teach in Clatsop county, Oregon, will be held at High School building, Astoria, beginning at 1 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, February 3, 1909. Applicants will be present promptly and remain until close.

Examination for state diploma or state life diploma will be held at same place Saturday, February 12th, at 9 a. m.

H. S. LYMAN, Superintendent of Schools.

A GREAT BOOK FREE.

When Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., published the first edition of the great work, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, he announced that regular 500 copies had been sold at the regular price, \$1.50 per copy, the profit on which would repay him for the great amount of labor and money expended in producing it. He would distribute the next half million free. As this number of copies has already been sold, he is now giving away, absolutely free, 500,000 copies of this most complete, interesting and valuable common sense medical work ever published—the recipient only being required to mail to him, at above address, twenty-one (21) one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, and the book will be sent postpaid. It is a veritable medical library, complete in one volume. Contains 1008 pages, profusely illustrated. The free edition is precisely the same as that sold at \$1.50 except only that the books are in strong manilla paper covers instead of cloth. Send now before all are given away.

We never realize how absolutely ignorant we are until a small child begins to ask "why?"

WHEAT.

On June 25 wheat sold at 59c. It has since sold at 1.03c. Difference, 39c, or \$1.25 on 10,000 bushels. \$100 would have made this money by our system of joint investment accounts since June 25. Why not try this system and increase your income? Amounts of \$50 and upwards received.

Our information is of such a character and from such source as to make it entirely reliable. Write for particulars, J. G. Knowlton & Co., grain brokers, 302 California street, San Francisco.

How often one puts a ring on the finger in order to assist memory and then wonders what on earth it was done for. This species of forgettery is specially prevalent when a wedding ring is the one in question.

A Mile of Gold, or Strange Adventures on the Yukon, proves once more how true it is that "truth is stranger than fiction." It tells in simple, modest language of the torments, dangers and privations courageously endured by its author, William M. Stanley of Seattle, one of the discoverers and happy possessors of the new El Dorado. For the first time the public is given a knowledge of the inside life of the gold hunter, and this is as thrilling reading matter as any romance ever published. Well illustrated with views taken on the spot. (Latrod & Lee, Chicago, Extra board cover, 50 cents; paper cover, 25 cents.)

BUSINESS IN "STRIKING" TITLES.

The value of a striking title to a story is understood by its periodical in America as well as the Ladies' Home Journal, writes a New York correspondent. It has made its title famous by their untimeliness, the Side-Talks With Strife, Heart to Heart Talks and Unknown Wives of Well-Known Men have been ridiculed and parodied from one end of the country to the other. But it has been all right for the Philadelphia periodical. Just now the title of The Inner Experiences of a Cabinet Member's Wife is attracting attention. Julia Magruder's new love story is given the title of A Heaven-Kissing Hill—taken from Shakespeare, really, but who but the Journal would have thought of it? Marion Crawford's new story is called The Dead Smile—a title good enough to sell any story. The Man Under Thirty-five made the reputation of Lillian Bell in this magazine. My Literary Pastimes, under which Mr. Howells wrote in the Journal, served at once to attract attention. Julian Hawthorne sends a strong story to the magazine, but with a poor title. It is immediately rechristened. There are no Waives in Ireland. Yet such title adopted by the clever magazine in the story and is really the best caption for it. A Minister of the World started that story on its success. My Beecher as I knew Him was an unimpeachable title for Mrs. Beecher's memoirs of her husband. The Gentleman Who is Doing It is the caption for a forthcoming story by Clara Morris. Talk about cleverness in titles, what magazine is this? A pastmaster in the art as is the Ladies' Home Journal? And a newspaper man knows how difficult this art of title making is. But nothing is so valuable in attracting the eye of the public.

If we had a chance to live over one year of our lives, which year would we choose?

NOTICE. All persons indebted to the Clatsop Co-operative Company are requested to call at the store and settle the same, and save costs.

R. L. SABIN, Assignee.

TO FISHERMEN AND CANNERYMEN. The general repair shop at the corner of 19th and Duane is now prepared to make contracts for the coming fish season.

C. H. ORKWITZ, Manager.

CAUTION. All persons are hereby notified that the Acorn, Chestnut and Shumaker brands of salmon labels are copyrighted, and are now the sole property of the undersigned.

Any person or persons using the above brands or labels without my consent will be subject to legal prosecution for the same.

SAM J. GORMAN, Portland, Oregon.

ASSIGNMENT NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has this day been appointed assignee of Rebecca Strauss, an insolvent debtor. Creditors of the said debtor are hereby notified to present their claims under oath to the undersigned within three months from the date of his place of business at No. 375 Commercial street, Astoria, Oregon.

Dated this 11th day of December, 1907. N. SCHLUSSER, Assignee of Rebecca Strauss, an insolvent debtor.

NOTICE FINAL ACCOUNT.

Notice is hereby given that C. S. Wright and T. A. Hyland, executors of the estate of Elizabeth Jane Russell, have filed their final account in said estate, in the county court of Clatsop county, Oregon, and the judge thereof has set February 12, 1909, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. for the hearing of objections, if any there be, to the allowance of the same and the closing of the administration of said estate.

C. S. WRIGHT, T. A. HYLAND, Executors.

Astoria, Oregon, January 19, 1909.

It is impracticable to issue an almanac worthy of the name in any year before the first of January, because there are certain important and necessary statistics which cannot be officially obtained before that date. A certain so-called syndicate almanac, a few years ago, made a desperate attempt to be on the market ahead of all competitors in order to enjoy the advantages of being first on sale, and to accomplish that result it copied about a hundred pages from the Tribune Almanac of the year before, and humbugged the public by printing and distributing as brand new statistics. No one could allege any such conduct against the Tribune Almanac itself, which is standard authority and is just what it purports to be. The Tribune Almanac for 1909 is one of the best numbers ever issued by that conservative and reliable publisher. It contains 350 pages, about 20 more than usual, and is an admirable book of reference and compendium of the facts, statistics and matters to which the American citizen needs to refer a hundred times in every year. For data of a public nature one can scarcely refer to the Tribune Almanac in vain, no matter who the topic. People do not always know where to look for a Constitution of the United States. It can be found in the Tribune Almanac for 1909. The new constitution for the state of New York, which cut such an important figure in last year's important campaign in New York City, is there also. The names and salaries of government officials and the leading officers of the states is given; and a thousand other things of equal interest. Send 25 cents to this paper or the Tribune and get a Tribune Almanac for 1909.



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SOCIETY MEETINGS.

TEMPLE LODGE NO. 7, A. F. and A. M.—Regular communications held on the first and third Tuesday evening at each mo. G. W. LOUNGBERRY, W. M. E. C. HOLDEN, Secretary.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

DR. BELLE J. MACDONALD, DISEASER OF WOMEN AND OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM. Office and residence, 125 Thirteenth street, Portland, Oregon. Office hours from 2 to 4 p. m., and by appointment.

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