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### THE TIDES

SEPTEMBER, 1903.				SEPTEMBER, 1903.			
High Water.	A. M.	P. M.		Low Water.	A. M.	P. M.	
Date.	h.m.	ft.	h.m.	Date.	h.m.	ft.	h.m.
SUNDAY	20	12:12	8.2	SUNDAY	20	6:02	0.6
Monday	21	0:26	8.2	Monday	21	6:45	0.7
Tuesday	22	1:12	8.2	Tuesday	22	7:24	0.9
Wednesday	23	1:58	8.0	Wednesday	23	8:01	1.3
Thursday	24	2:43	7.6	Thursday	24	8:28	1.8
Friday	25	3:30	7.1	Friday	25	9:18	2.3
Saturday	26	4:20	6.6	Saturday	26	10:02	2.8

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ASTORIA OREGON

## Long Step In Right Direction

### Conviction of Sipola and Adams Will Have a Deterrent Effect on Youthful Wrongness.

Sheriff Linville left last night for Salem having in charge John Sipola, under sentence for 10 years in the penitentiary; Frank Adams, under sentence of three years, and Arthur Fred, under sentence of two years. E. H. Stumayer and Otto Gramma went along as deputies. Sheriff Linville feels that the conviction of Sipola and Adams is a long step in the right direction, and that it will have the effect of awakening some careless parents to the necessity of keeping their children off the streets.

The extent to which the cases have aroused sentiment is apparent from the fact that the school authorities here will not permit the girls involved to attend school. One of the children went to school on Monday, but was sent home, the principal holding that her escapades made her an undesirable associate for other children. Similar action would have been taken had the other girls made application to enter school.

The authorities are reported to have other cases of like nature under investigation, but, pending arrests, nothing will be given out. It is understood that disposition of the cases of the three girls will be made next week.

"We will not stop with the conviction of these two men," said Sheriff Linville yesterday. "Whenever the improper action of any boy or girl is brought to our attention we will make thorough investigation, and arrests will follow when they are justified. If the parents do not take care of their children, the authorities will. I mean exactly what I say, and careless fathers and mothers may govern themselves accordingly."

The county officials agree that much of the youthful vice is due primarily to the merry-go-round that is brought here every year. Justice Goodman branded the corner of Ninth and Bond streets, where the merry-go-round holds forth, as a veritable hellhole of vice, and District Attorney Allen and Sheriff Linville expressed themselves in a similar manner. The place is the rendezvous for all sorts of rough characters, who come in contact with girls of tender years. It is probable the city authorities will be requested to refuse licenses hereafter for merry-go-rounds.

#### WROTE HIS NAME 156 TIMES.

Mayor Sprentatt yesterday attached his signature to the following ordinances, which were passed by the council at its last meeting: Making additional appropriations for the year 1903, repealing the license on pool tables, accepting the improvement of Cedar street, appropriating \$1850 for the improvement of Fifty-first and Birch and appropriating \$6500 to pay for the Cedar street improvement. The ordinances carried a total of more than \$15,000. Mayor Sprentatt also had a long session of warrant-signing, and in all he wrote his name 156 times. He was not at all pleased with the ordinance repealing the pool table license, but did not veto it for the reason that it had passed the council by unanimous vote.

#### WILL MEET TONIGHT.

The educational committee appointed to superintend the collection of an educational exhibit to be sent to the St. Louis exposition in 1904 has been called to meet in Portland this Friday evening to map out a line of work. This committee was appointed by Prof. F. G. Young, of the Lewis and Clark fair commission, who is superintendent of the department of education. The committee consists of: F. G. Young, Superintendent of Public Instruction; J. H. Ackerman, County Superintendent; H. S. Lyman, Astoria; Professor J. Burnham, Portland; Superintendent J. C. Zinner, Oregon City; Superintendent J. F. Nowlin, Pendleton, and Professor H. D. Sheldon, Eugene.

#### ALLIANCE STRIKES HEAVILY.

Marshfield, Sept. 24.—(Special)—The steamer Alliance, which sailed last evening for Astoria, struck heavily in crossing out. After an examination Captain Hardwick decided to come back here, thereby insuring the safety of the passengers and crew, but a heavy fog had set in and the Alliance was compelled to lay outside all night and until noon today.

The extent of the damage to the Alliance cannot be ascertained until she is beached. The passengers will leave overlaid by stage.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Trullinger arrived in the city last night from North Yamhill to visit for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fox. Mrs. Trullinger was formerly Miss Grace Fox, of Astoria.

Rev. Henry Marcotte, of the First Presbyterian church, has been called to the pastorate of the Westminster Presbyterian church of Portland.

#### SCOGGINS IS NOW IN JAIL.

Bondsmen Yesterday Surrendered Him to Authorities.

Arthur Scoggins, the young man who is said to have thrown acid on Printer Boy, is now locked up in the county jail. Yesterday his bondsmen, J. Lindenberg, informed the authorities that he did not longer care to act as surety for Scoggins, and the man was surrendered to Sheriff Linville. At the preliminary hearing Scoggins was placed under \$250 bonds to appear before the circuit court for trial. District Attorney Allen prosecuted the case, and it was gathered from his statement that he intended pushing it in a vigorous manner. Later a report gained circulation that Scoggins meant to "jump his bonds," but the truth of this story could not, of course, be verified.

## Good Service to Be Maintained

## Be Maintained

### Pilots Will See to It That Shipping Interests Are Carefully Looked After.

Edward M. Beals, United States weather forecast official, with headquarters at Portland, arrived in this city yesterday to visit the local weather bureau. Today he will go over to North Head to spend the day. Of late Mr. Beals has been working very hard and his present trip is more of an outing than one of inspection.

Mr. Beals last evening called attention to the fact that the pilot schooner San Jose had come in from her station off the river, while two vessels had been lying off the river, all day waiting to be brought in. He expressed the belief that this incident demonstrated the inefficiency of the pilot service. Of course, he could take no official cognizance of the matter, but, as the weather bureau maintains a service for the benefit of shipping, he was interested in knowing the reason that there was no schooner outside.

Pilot Commissioner Noland was acquainted with the situation and interviewed one of the pilots. It appears that the San Jose was brought in for water and supplies, and that the Pullitzer is to take her place off the river this morning. Mr. Noland said that any failure of the pilots to render efficient service would receive the prompt attention of the board.

"It is the intention of the pilot commission to maintain a first-class service," said Commissioner Noland. "The members of the board have had a thorough understanding with the pilots, who have assured us that they will do everything in their power to handle the shipping of the river in an efficient manner. Indeed, the commission will bring about this condition of affairs even if we are compelled to find other pilots—a step that is not likely to be necessary."

An Astorian reporter looked into the matter yesterday and was convinced that there was no ground for complaint. The pilots are doing their work in a satisfactory manner and cannot be blamed for any delay to shipping.

#### MISMATED COUPLES PARTED

### Time of Judge McBride Occupied With Divorce Cases.

Divorce cases occupied Judge McBride's time in the circuit court yesterday, four different suits being brought up during the day. Two civil cases were set for trial—that of Alex Gilbert vs. C. C. Clarke, and N. D. Bain being set for September 29 and that of Chris Berg vs. G. W. Sanborn for October 1.

A decree of divorce was handed down in the case of Mary Ellen Pidgeon vs. Albert Pidgeon. The couple were married at Council Bluffs, Ia., October 20, 1883. The plaintiff charged desertion. She is awarded custody of the minor children—Chester A., aged 16; Beulah, aged 14, and Grace, aged 8—and is allowed to resume her maiden name—Mary Ellen Williams.

A decree of divorce was handed down in the case of Edward Prior against Cora Alice Prior. A decree was also granted in the case of Hannah Rostrum vs. John G. Rostrum. The couple were married September 21, 1877, at San Francisco. She charges infidelity—and failure to provide. Mrs. Rostrum gets custody of the minor children—Walter A., aged 17; Arthur W., aged 12, and Helen H., aged 10.

Some testimony was taken in the case of Benjamin F. Perin vs. Ida L. Perin. He asks for divorce on the grounds of desertion and infidelity, and asks for the custody of the only child—Hazel, aged three years. The couple were married in Astoria February 1, 1899.

The case of Lenore Newman vs. Samuel Newman will be tried at this term. The couple were married at Portland December 23, 1898. Mrs. Newman insists that her husband has compelled her to work in dance halls, and that he frequently beats her in an inhuman manner. She specifies that he assaulted her at Portland and in July of the present year on the steamer Lurline. Plaintiff is 24 years of age.

#### COMMERCIAL CLUB BALL.

The ball given by the Astoria Commercial Club last night in the spacious gymnasium was hardly as well patronized as a function of that sort should have been considering the very worthy object in view, the securing of funds for the gymnasium apparatus.

However, those who attended passed a very enjoyable evening, and to the credit of the committee in charge Capt. Keating and B. A. Elmer, it must be stated they did all in their power to make a success of the ball.

The hall had been decorated with long streams of bunting of the national colors and a large sample of Old Glory placed in each of the numerous windows, producing a pleasant and harmonious contrast to the white walls. The Columbia orchestra discoursed its customary good music for the occasion. Landon's programs containing a list of 15 dances were provided, and in short the comfort of the guests was looked after in every detail. As a consequence, the dancers were well pleased so that at least one object was attained.

#### RIVER STEAMERS IN COLLISION.

The steamer Lurline was in collision yesterday with the river steamer Spencer, the latter of The Dalles route. The Lurline was just arriving at Portland from Astoria and the Spencer was pulling out for The Dalles. The Spencer mistook the Lurline's blasts for the signal that she wished to come alongside to transfer passengers, with the result that the boats collided. Fortunately the Lurline's speed had been reduced, and the only damage resulted to the Spencer's cabin. This was trifling and both steamers resumed their runs.

#### INDICTED ON THREE COUNTS.

Anton Lund was yesterday indicted on three separate charges before Judge McBride. The first count charges him with having on July 31, stolen a ham and 40 sacks from V. N. Coffey. The second charges that, on August 15, he stole a roll of butter and two dozen eggs, while the third accuses him of the theft, on August 27, of a can of tongue, a bottle of root beer, three cucumbers and three tomatoes. Lund will be arraigned today.

#### CHILDREN'S DANCING CLASS.

The juvenile class at the dancing academy at Hawthorn's hall will begin tomorrow afternoon at 2 p. m., the session lasting until 4 o'clock. Prof. Dundie will be assisted by Miss Gertrude Stockton in the teaching of this class as well as with the class for adults, which has its second session tomorrow evening from 7:30 to 9, preceding the social.

#### OUR AGENTS.

The Daily Morning Astorian will be found on sale at Griffin's book store and Madison's Eleventh street cigar store, in Astoria; at B. B. Rich's cigar store in Portland and on all A. & C. trains.

#### NEW CITIZEN.

Johan Reinikka, a native of Finland, yesterday declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States.

#### BUCKLE'S ARNICA SALVE.

Has world-wide fame for marvelous cures. It surpasses any other salve, ointment or balm for cuts, corns, burns, boils, sores, felons, ulcers, tetters, salt rheum, fever sores, chapped hands, skin eruptions, infallible for piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at Chas. Rogers' drugstore.

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| CHOICE FOR 1 CENT           | CHOICE FOR 3 CENTS            |
| Good paper Pins, 1c.        | Kid Hair Curlers, 3c.         |
| Good paper Safety Pins, 1c. | Black Outie Pins, 3c.         |
| Good paper Hair Pins, 1c.   | Toilet Paper, roll, 3c.       |
| Card Hooks and Eyes, 1c.    | Good Carpet Binding, 3c.      |
| Paper Tacks, 1c.            | Large size Sponge, 3c.        |
| Pencil Tablets, 1c.         | Large size Tablet, 3c.        |
| Lead Pencils, 1c.           | Large size Shoe Blacking, 3c. |
| 1 Dozen Chalkpins, 1c.      | Fine Comb, 3c.                |
| 1 Dozen Buttons, 1c.        | CHOICE FOR 4 CENTS            |
|                             | 25 yds Picture Wire, 4c.      |
|                             | 10 yds Shelf Paper, 4c.       |
|                             | 1 Towel Ring, 4c.             |
|                             | 1 Tooth Brush, 4c.            |
|                             | 1 Curling Iron, 4c.           |
|                             | 1 Scrub Brush, 4c.            |
|                             | 1 Bottle Ink, 4c.             |
|                             | Best Luster Cotton, 4c.       |
|                             | Toilet Soap, 4c.              |

Fall Showing of Merchandise—Dress Goods, Suits, Clothing, Shoes.

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