

BAR, BAY AND RIVER

Roanoke Will Not Get Away Until This Morning.

COLUMBIA IN FROM FRISCO

News from the Galena and the Alice McDonald—Petitions for Captain Forest's Release on Bail—Shamrock Leaves Today.

Ed. Llewelyn took his gun and dog yesterday morning and hied him to the coast after stray ducks, "and sich," and during his outing he found himself up against the British bark Galena on the Clatsop Beach. He went on board to pay his respects to Captain Howell, whom he found rapidly convalescing from a spell of illness and quite comfortable, and happy as possible in the gratifying way in which his ship withstood the fury of the late storms, which Captain Howell pronounced to be the very worst he ever saw on the Pacific side of the world. The captain says that the reports that his vessel was leaking, are absolutely false. She is as dry as a bone, and steady as a rock, broadside on to the ocean with her bows pointed up the coast, and he and his crew are making the best of everything and succeeding admirably.

The host of friends of Captain Forest, incarcerated here for the killing of George Fisher on the schooner Annie Larson last month, are busy from one end of the Pacific coast to the other, trying to devise means for his release from the wretched situation the unhappy affair has gotten him in. A huge petition, signed by all the waterfront men, big and little, at Portland and another just like it at San Francisco and one on the Sound are in course of preparation, praying for his release on bail; and there is no one here but will be glad to see the old gentleman obtain the concession. He is bearing up well under confinement and is hopeful of being released so that he may make a flying trip to his Oakland home before his trial is called during the last days of February.

Despite the recent fearful storms and winds, the schooner Alice McDonald was reported yesterday as lying easily on the Clatsop Spit sands, and holding her own against all adverse conditions. The Callender tug Jordan, Captain Charley Jordan, took a barge down yesterday loaded with 1,500 feet of wire cable, and some other accessories for hauling her off, and these will be duly applied on the earliest and highest tides, with kedges and it is very likely she will be afloat and hunting her cargo in a few days. Apropos of this, it is of record that the moon tide on the 14th of the present month will be an even 10-footer and if she has to wait for one like that, she wont have to wait for another.

The handsome tender Columbine, Captain Charles Richardson, is coaling at the Sanborn docks, and will leave out for Tillamook Rock, with supplies and mail, and a measure of each for lightship No. 50 off the Columbia bar, sometime today if the weather and the bar permit. She made a trip to the Desdemona Sands light yesterday and Assistant Engineer Robert Warrack made a detailed examination of the station and found everything in perfect order from the water's edge to the crown of the big lamp. Mr. Warrack will make the trip to the Rock on the Columbine and look into conditions at that fine station also.

The steamship Columbia came in over the bar yesterday afternoon from San Francisco, with a good list of people and some freight, and after an hour's berthing at the O. R. & N. pier went on to the metropolis. As soon as she left the docks, the steamship Aztec, which has been lying in the city channel for 24 hours, awaiting the arrival and departure of the Columbia, so she could have loading room at the big pier, swung alongside and began taking on the hundreds of tons of miscellaneous cargo awaiting dispatch here. She will leave up for Portland this morning.

The steamer Aurella came in from San Francisco yesterday morning at 10 o'clock and will take on a load of lumber at Vancouver, picking up the part of her former deck-load she was



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compelled to abandon at this port on her last trip, when she had so much trouble by her cargo shifting. Captain Bowditch says the vessel was not strained nearly so badly as was at first supposed, except that some of her housing was badly wrenched, all of which was repaired while she was on the dry-dock at the Bay City.

The steamship Roanoke came down from the metropolis early yesterday morning with 86 people in her saloons and lots of freight on board, bound for the ports of Eureka, San Francisco and Los Angeles. She left down after noon, but found the bar too turbulent for her and returned to her berth at the Callender. She will leave out on this morning's early flood if possible.

The four-masted schooner Prosper came in from San Pedro yesterday afternoon and went to an anchor off the Flavel pier. She is billed out of the southern port on December 2nd, and this is not an overly fast trip up for this time of the year.

The barkentine Amazon cleared from this port yesterday for Manila with an immense load of lumber from the Old Oregon Mills, at Warrenton, and will sail outward on the first easy bar that presents itself.

The steamer Shamrock is due in South Bend on Sunday next and will probably leave out today, if the weather and the bar are amenable. She will be missed in these waters, and all hands wish her good luck.

Captain A. Reed, of the Wlapa Transportation Company, came over from South Bend yesterday, to close up the deal whereby the Shamrock goes to those waters and will stand by until that vessel is underway.

The French ship Hoche, Captain Le Martie, is due down today from the metropolis, grain laden for Europe.

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COUNTY AFFAIRS UNDER TREATMENT

COMMISSIONERS' COURT TRANSACTS BIG CRIST OF BUSINESS—ORDERS, ALLOWANCES, APPOINTMENTS, BONDS, ETC., ETC.

The county court of Clatsop reconvened yesterday morning with all officers in attendance, save Commissioner Masten, who was absent on urgent private matters. Among the things dispatched yesterday were the following:

The court made an order instructing Roadmaster Frye to make arrangements to start, and run, the county saw mill as soon as weather and other conditions shall permit, and that he cut not to exceed 300,000 feet of lumber, timber for which has been secured. And it was further ordered by the court that the scrap lumber accruing from the operations of the mill, be sold by the roadmaster at \$8.50 per thousand feet, no delivery to be made except at the mill, and not then until the purchase was paid for.

In the matter of the county road crusher, it was ordered that the road master proceed to operate the same, for the manufacture of rock for road No. 77, and other adjacent roads, as soon as the weather permits.

Janitor Andrew Bue having proven an acceptable and capable janitor at the county court house during the year just past, he was re-appointed yesterday for the year 1907, at a salary of \$30 per month.

The bond of W. R. Dean, for the maintenance of the floating wharf at the Lewis & Clark bridge No. 2, in the sum of \$200, was approved by the court.

Tenders at the county draw bridges were appointed by the court at the respective salaries named, to-wit: Young's Bay Bridge, Andrew Strain, \$30 per month.

Lewis & Clark, No. 2, N. Jones, \$25 per month.

Lewis & Clark No. 1, L. Anderson, \$15 per month.

Walluski, A. McLean, \$15 per month.

Warrenton, R. J. Abbott, \$5 per month.

It was ordered by the court that M. R. Pomeroy file with the court in due course, a bond in the sum of \$50,000, as tax collector of the county; and that he file the same before the roll is turned over to him; and that the district attorney prepare the bond in the premises.

The city having called the attention of the court to the bad condition of Commercial street in front of the court house block, the county judge was authorized to have the same put in immediate repair.

An allowance of \$8 per month was made in favor of Mrs. Charles Westerland, and the same is to be disbursed through the Suomalian Co-operative Company.

The afternoon session was devoted by the court to the selection of the list of two hundred jurors required by law and that task will be completed this morning.

Adjournment was taken until the hour of 9:30 this morning.

CARRIE NATION

certainly smashed a hole in the bar-rooms of Kansas, but Ballard's Horehound Syrup has smashed all records as a cure for coughs, Bronchitis, Influenza and all Pulmonary diseases. T. C. H., Horton, Kansas, writes: "I have never found a medicine that would cure a cough so quickly as Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it for years." Hart's drug store.

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IN THE CITY CHURCHES.

Presbyterian.

Morning worship 11 o'clock, "Christ's Declaration of His Mission." Sunday school 12:15; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30; evening worship, 7:30, "Launching Out." Week of prayer will be observed during the week. Services each evening at 7:30, except Saturday. Communion next Sabbath, the 13th. Wm. S. Gilbert, pastor.

Congregational.

Services will be held on Sunday morning and evening. The pastor will preach at both services and requests the attendance of all Congregationalists. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Topic, "Constrained Service." Evening service at 7:30, topic, "Another Chance." Sunday school at 12:20. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30. A cordial invitation is extended to all residents, visitors and strangers in the city to attend all the services of this church. G. E. Moorehouse, Ph. D., pastor.

First Lutheran.

First Lutheran Church, Gustaf E. Rydquist, pastor. Services as usual tomorrow. In the morning, Sunday school at 9:30 and service in Swedish at 10:45. In the afternoon Sunday school and service in English at the German Lutheran church on Grand

avenue, 2 and 3 o'clock respectively. In the evening, service in English at 7:30. All will be made welcome to these services.

First M. E.

The pulpit themes for Sunday are: Morning, "Shining for Jesus." Evening, "Ghosts." The other services will be as usual. The revival services will continue through the week. The song and prayer service commences at 7:30 o'clock, followed by a revival sermon. The meetings are helpful to all who are attending. We will be glad to see the house crowded every evening. We extend an invitation to the public. C. C. Rarick, pastor.

First Spiritual.

The First Spiritual Church of Astoria will hold their usual Sunday evening services at 7:30 in the A. O. U. W. hall. The public is invited to be present.

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