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TO READERS.—The "Daily Astorian" contains twice as much reading matter as any other paper published in Astoria. It is the only paper that presents its readers with a daily telegraphic report.

In its answer to the item republished from the Astorian of last Saturday, the Oregonian states that "reduction of freight rates over the O. R. & N. from the interior to Portland is a matter which has had and will still have the attention of the management."

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The Astorian has several times suggested the importance to Astoria of getting in a claim for a share of the government transport business. While a few days General Miles will be at Portland with officers investigating the facilities afforded at that point for handling the transport service.

and many thousands and even millions of dollars will be disbursed in this month in the purchase and forwarding of supplies for an indefinite period of time. It is impossible to see why Astoria should not have some of this business. This part is much better suited to handle it than Portland or any port on Puget sound.

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THE PHILIPPINE ARMY.

The army is now up to its full strength of 100,000 men authorized by the last congress. Of this 65,000 are regulars and 35,000 volunteers enlisted for two years.

This is the army the administration depends upon to subdue the Philippines, and should it prove unable to meet the situation it will not be practicable to send reinforcements from troops stationed at garisons at home or in Cuba or Porto Rico, which have all been depleted to the limit.

These regiments are the Forty-first, Forty-seventh and Forty-third. The military authorities will wait for the arrival of all these reinforcements before beginning the campaign, which, it is said now, will open early in November with a general movement against the enemy.

Nor does it seem probable there will be any change in the program of keeping General Ochs in command of the troops, such as he has exercised since General Merritt's departure. The conduct of the actual fighting however, will devolve upon Generals Lawton, MacArthur and Behan. Upon them will depend the success of the campaign.

BRYAN'S CRITICISM OF McKinLEY.

In his speech at Minneapolis President McKinley said: "That congress will provide for them (the Philippines) a government which will bring them business, which will promote their material interests, as well as advance their people in the path of civilization and intelligence, I confidently believe."

Commenting thereon, Mr. Bryan declares that this might be the language of a man, emperor or despot, since that of their degree we give to humanitarian pretenses and even acknowledge a divine obligation to look after the welfare of their people. But, he continues, the declaration of independence asserts that people need not depend upon the benevolence of a foreign king, emperor or despot, and it might have added congress or president for the blessings of good government.

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Mr. Bryan was not looking the facts squarely in the face. He is too abstract and theoretical. If he were not so would never have made that reference to King, emperor and despot. Does he believe that there is no difference between their pretenses and those of a liberty-loving people?

SENATOR DEWEY ON EXPANSION.

(From his speech to the III Westchester Assembly District Republican Convention.) We have brethren who are weak on the Philippine question. They meet in "anti-imperialistic" meetings, they write letters to "anti-imperialistic" meetings and "anti-expansion" newspapers, and their souls are gripped at what is going on. They are called unpatriotic, but they are not. They mean all right and they think they are doing the best for their country, but they belong to that class which we all know as boys—we fellows who were born in the country know them better than any body else.

REVAMPED.

San Francisco Wave. Smith, a hotel man, and Jones, a manufacturer's agent, were talking one day about their business interests. "I say," said Jones, "however do you use

GRANDMA HAD CONSUMPTION

And I am afraid I have inherited it. I do not feel well; I have a cough; my lungs are sore; am losing flesh. What shall I do?

Your doctor says take care of yourself and take plain cod-liver oil, but you can't take it. Only the strong, healthy person can take it, and they can't take it long. It is so rich it upsets the stomach. But you can take

SCOTT'S EMULSION

It is very palatable and easily digested. If you will take plenty of fresh air, and exercise, and SCOTT'S EMULSION steadily, there is very little doubt about your recovery. There are hypophosphites in it; they give strength and tone up the nervous system while the cod-liver oil feeds and nourishes.

Mr. E. A. Earnest, of Hasler Mills, Ga., writes under date of August 21st, 1895: "I am a merchant, sixty years old, and have had kidney trouble. I took three bottles of Warner's Safe Cure, and it worked like a charm from the first dose. I take great pleasure in recommending it. Mrs. C. Isenbower, of this place, who was cured by it ten years ago, is still hale and hearty, and always praising Safe Cure to her friends and neighbors. I think it is the finest preparation in the world for kidney and bladder troubles."

such an enormous quantity of pearls and peaches? "Well," replied Smith, "we eat what we can and what we can't eat we sell." "Indeed," said the other, "we do about the same in our business." "How's that?" "We sell an order when we can sell it, and when we can't sell it we renege it."

DEWEY AS A SWORDSMAN.

Dewey is perhaps the best small swordsman among the senior officers of the navy. Indeed, the best in the service, excepting possibly Lieutenant Commander Lucien Young, whose skill with the cut-throat, or three-cornered fencing sword, is a matter of note all through the service.

A PERFECT WOMAN.

A woman of perfect figure should weigh 120 pounds and be 5 feet 10 inches tall. She should measure 3 feet 10 inches from the tip of one middle finger to the tip of the other when the arms are extended. The length of the hand should be 10 inches and the width of the palm should be the length of the foot.

YELLOW FEVER IN THE ARMY.

If half the number of men that yellow fever kills that frightens you, but the unexpected suddenness of its attack, and the rapidity with which it kills. A man is well and hearty at 11 p. m.; at 12 p. m. he is dead; at 1 p. m. he is buried. In such the same manner men are killed by yellow fever in the army.

A POEM ON MANKIND.

Like what is man, but like a sprouting weed. That grows and ripens but to rust its seed. Among the thistles and the tares of life And then to see it strangled in the strife. Or like the clouds that wander with the breeze And pass unnoticed from a life of ease? Or like a mushroom, sprung to life, To starve or strangle in the tangled grass?

THEY CUT AND FIT.

Two Fashionable Furriers Who Are Earning Well-Merited Approval. Good work, correct style and perfect fit speak louder for the furrier than any advertisement that can be written.

TO BUSINESS MEN.

A New Idea to Be Introduced by the Morning Astorian. The Morning Astorian will soon introduce a new and interesting feature in newspaper advertising, known as the Bargain Columns, which is meeting with great popularity with advertisers all over the country.

The Bargain Columns will be made a special feature of the Astorian, daily and semi-weekly, for three months at least. The advertisements will be uniform in size, frequently changed for patrons, and written for them in an attractive style. The many other features of the Bargain Columns will be fully explained by our representative, and every contract made by him will be carried out by the Morning Astorian.

Woman's Welfare.

Within her own control, greater French medical advantage of the country, for a female Druggist, Dr. Williams, etc., a positive blessing to married ladies. Call or write for mailed information. Ladies' Health Bureau, 4 Astor House, Astoria, Ore.

LOGGERS' ATTENTION.

Headquarters for Cumber Logging Blows and Loggers' Quills. THE RED FRONT, 225 Harrison street, Portland.

FOR SALE.

Improved ranch, comprising of 120 acres, on Young's river. Apply to John L. Hays, Wash. Co.

DISOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between A. J. Megler and C. S. Wright, under the firm name of Megler & Wright, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All the liabilities of the firm have been assumed by Mr. Megler and all bills due the firm must be paid to him.

NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

Do you want a good meal when you visit Portland? Go to the Portland restaurant, 225 Washington street.

FINE OPENING.

The North Pacific Dental College, whose advertisement appears in another column, opened its doors October 1, with 75 students on its roster. The college is well equipped with every facility to graduate students in all the latest knowledge of dentistry.

As Attraction for the Ladies.

At the exposition in Portland there is an object of especial interest to the ladies in the way of an ideal waist and skirt supporter. By those qualified to judge, it meets every requirement of such an article. It is non-rusting, will support the heaviest skirts, is completely hidden, is very strong, is quick of action, does away with old hooks and eyes.

THE LOUVRE.

Strangers visiting in the city will find the Louvre an attractive resort wherein to spend the evening. The Astoria Ladies' Orchestra is still on the bills and presents nightly a musical program of exceptional merit. Handsome pool and billiard rooms are a feature in connection with the house. Palatable lunches will be served at all hours.

THE PARLOR CANDY STORE.

A Tatis, Proprietor. Special attention given to family orders. PURE ICE CREAM. In Large or small quantities. Special attention given to family orders.

BUSINESS POINTERS.

The O. R. F. Fresh-cracked crabs at the National Cafe. Sweet cream in any amount at the Parlor. Burbank potatoes, 11 a sack, at Pat's Market.

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Telephone No. 32. Handles Only the Choicest Meats. 423 Commercial St., next Palace Restaurant.

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FINE FRESCO WORK.

An Excellent Example of Fresco Workmanship to be Seen at the Exposition. Twenty shows which exceed the expectation at Portland have expressed very general admiration of the frescoes and scenery paintings, all of which have been done by Ernest Miller, the Wall Paper Dealer, No. 127 First street, Portland. Parties who contemplate having Fine Tinting and Frescoing done should address this firm.

RADICAL LITERATURE.

We know of only one book store in Portland where so complete a line of novels can be obtained, on all the radical subjects of the day under discussion as can be seen at Jones' Book Store, 225 Alder street.

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE SUITS.

Ladies who go to Portland and desire something especially fine in the way of tailor-made suits will do well to remember that they can be well fitted at I. M. Boyer's 177 Fourth street, in the Y. M. C. A. building.

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POVEY & BIRCHALL

TAILORS. Fine work at Popular Prices. 327 Washington Street. Next Imperial Hotel. PORTLAND, ORE.

HYLAND

The Photographer. N. W. Corner Seventh and Washington. PORTLAND, OREGON.

NORTH PACIFIC

Dental College. 15th and Couch Sts., Portland. Member of National Association of Dental Faculties. Formerly Tacoma College of Dental Surgery.

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Leave PORTLAND. Arrive ASTORIA. 7:00 a. m. For Portland & in 1:10 a. m. 4:15 p. m. For Astoria and Inter. 9:40 p. m. mediate points.

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