

Daily Astorian.

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The Astorian guarantees to its advertisers the largest circulation of any newspaper published on the Columbia river.

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Judge Gray is doubtless entitled to much credit for his conception of the "three-roads" idea and no one can rightly question his entire sincerity in advocating its adoption.

Weak Children

How sad it is to see weak children—boys and girls who are pale and thin. They cannot enjoy the sports of childhood, neither are they able to profit by school life.

Scott's Emulsion

has helped such children for over a quarter of a century. Your doctor will tell you it is both food and medicine to them.

'Housework is hard work without Gold Dust'. Cleaning Silver, Gold Dust Washing Powder. THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY.

ASTORIAN BARGAIN COLUMN

The Most for Cash. I am advertising for the Cash Grocery trade, for which I offer the fullest weights and lowest prices.

Who Does Your Laundry? We claim, and we will prove to every one, that we have the best and most up-to-date laundry on the Coast.

For a Holiday Gift. There is nothing nicer than a piece of silverware or cut glass.

Better Than Ever. The Bond Street Fish Market is better than ever prepared to supply fresh and salt fish of all kinds.

Millinery Novelties. I desire to further call the attention of the ladies to my handsome stock of trimmed millinery.

Dr. T. N. Ball. DENTIST. 573 Commercial Street. ASTORIA, ORE.

Over Schlusser's Clothing Store. THE LOUVRE.

Strangers visiting in the city will find the Louvre an attractive resort where to spend the evening.

PATENTS

Caveats, and Trade-Marks obtained and all Patent business conducted for Moderate Fees. C.A. SNOW & CO. OFF. PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C.

GOVERNMENT PROPOSALS WANTED.

Fort Stevens, Oregon, Jan. 6, 1900. Sealed proposals in duplicate will be received here until 12 m. Feb. 10, 1900.

GOVERNMENT PROPOSAL.

Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., January 19, 1900. Sealed proposals for the purchase of the revenue steamer Corwin will be received by Captain D. F. Tozier, R. C. S., until 12 o'clock M., Saturday, February 10th next.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that all of the assets of the Astoria Football and Athletic Club have been transferred to the undersigned as trustee.

the circumstances, therefore, if Judge Gray wishes to retain the confidence and respect of hundreds of his best neighbors and fellow citizens, he will cease to countenance any further attempt to force on the county such a large expenditure of money against which so much reasonable doubt exists, both as to regularity and utility.

The growth of our export trade in manufactured articles is so remarkable as to deserve further comment. The increase in our exportations of manufactured articles is steady and not intermittent, and would seem to promise within a decade a total so large as to have seemed impossible a few years ago.

The important feature of Henry Watterson's denunciation of the Taylor government in Kentucky is his omission to express any opinion as to who was elected governor at the last election.

W. J. SCULLY, Agent, 41 Bond street. If women were unable to see the fine clothes other women wear, they would probably have fewer wrinkles.

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If you would enjoy your food, be good-natured. An angry man doesn't know whether he is eating boiled cabbage or stewed umbrellas.

Dr. Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine ever known to mankind. A few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis.

SOLE PROPRIETORS S.C. WELLS & CO. LEROY, N.Y. HAMILTON, CAN.

HIS MOTHER'S BREAD

He says was always so light and well baked. Well there is a knack in making it.

Star Estate Range



W. J. SCULLY, Agent, 41 Bond street.

NERVITA PILLS

Restore Vitality Lost Vigor and Manhood. Cure Impotency, Night Emissions and wasting diseases, all effects of self-abuse, or excess and indiscretion. A nerve tonic and blood builder.



NOT A POISONOUS FACE BLEACH. But a true beautifier, being the only preparation sold under a positive guarantee of \$1,000 that it contains not a grain of friction thereof.

When a boy gets his first watch, he's never satisfied until he can prove that some of the parts are missing.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers purify the blood, clean the liver, invigorate the system. Famous little pills for constipation and liver troubles.

If a man intends to drown himself, he should remove all his clothes; they might fit his wife's second husband.

Mrs. R. Churchill, Berlin, Va., says: "Our baby was covered with running sores, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured her."

If handwriting is a true index to character, but few men need expect to inherit a golden harp and crown.

My son has been troubled for years with chronic diarrhoea. Sometime ago I persuaded him to take some of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Mr. J. Sheer, Sedalia, Mo., saved his child's life by Chamberlain's Cough Cure. Doctors had given her up to die with croup.

"One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy I ever used for coughs and colds. It is unequalled for whooping cough.

If someone would only drag the sled up the hill for us, life would be one long delightful slide.

J. B. Clark, Peoria, Ill., says: "Surgeons wanted to operate on me for piles, but I cured them with DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve."

If the foolhardy man was only foolish, it wouldn't matter so much; but he is always hardy and lives to a ripe old age.

A SURE CURE FOR CROUP.

Twenty-five Years' Constant Use Without a Failure. The first indication of croup is hoarseness, and in a child subject to that disease it may be taken as a sure sign of the approach of an attack.

All Astorians who visit Portland and desire spending a pleasant evening in company with polite people and in the enjoyment of an unexcelled musical program, should go to the Frederickburg.

TO CURE LAGRIPE IN TWO DAYS

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Groves' signature is on each box.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY TICKETS

Through palace and tourist sleepers, dining and library observation cars. ELEGANT VESTIBULE TRAINS. No. 4 "Flyer" leaves Portland at 2:45 p. m.

We Rent New Typewriters. Many new improvements added. See our latest No. 2 Smith Premier Typewriter.

WEDDING CARDS. W. G. SMITH & CO., ENGRAVERS, 22 and 23 Washington Building.

Seasonable Goods at Fisher Bros. Cotton Rope Cotton Twine Net Floats Boat Sail Drill (different qualities) Dunbarton Salmon Twine

W. F. SCHEIBE, manufacturer of the Always Reliable. "La Belle Astoria" Cigar Scheibe's Opera Star Scheibe's Cigars

The Esmond Hotel. PORTLAND, ORE., FRONT AND MORRISON STS. European plan, \$10 to \$15 per day.

HOTEL PORTLAND. PORTLAND, OR. The Only First-Class Hotel in Portland

KOPP'S BEST A Delicious and Spicatable Drink Absolutely Pure. The North Pacific Brewery, of which Mr. John Kopp is proprietor, makes beer bottled for family use or keg beer supplied at any time.

North Pacific Brewery. Columbia Electric & Repair Co. Successor to COLUMBIA IRON WORKS

Blacksmiths Foundrymen Loggers' Supplies. Boiler Makers Machinists Foundrymen Kept in Stock

Heavy Forging Under Power Hammer a Specialty. Sole Manufacturers of the Unsurpassed "Harrison Section" Propeller Wheel.

New Fresh and Seasonable Goods. Plum Pudding, Raisins, Mince Meat, Currants, Pumpkin Cranberries, Citron Squash Etc.

I Carry the Ralston Health Foods. Wheat Flakes, Grano, Whole Wheat Crackers, Breakfast Food, Select Bran, Yeast Cocoa, Koffy

A. V. ALLEN. Plum Pudding, Raisins, Mince Meat, Currants, Pumpkin Cranberries, Citron Squash Etc.

VIM VIGOR VITALITY FOR MEN. Mormon Bishop's Pills have been in use over 20 years by the leaders of the Mormon Church.