

OUR ANNUAL SALE IS NOW ON EVERYTHING REDUCED ..C. H. COOPER..

STEAMER GUY WRECKED. Believed That the Captain and Crew Were Drowned. TACOMA, Jan. 4.—The steamer Guy, according to Skagway advices brought down by the Victorian, was wrecked a mile and a half below Skagway on the afternoon of Saturday, December 21. The tug Guy was on her way from Skagway to Hays when the disaster occurred. The news was given out at Skagway.

Fisher's Opera House L. E. SELIG, Lessee and Manager. ONE NIGHT Saturday, January 5, 1901

The management has the pleasure to announce the special return engagement of COL. W. A. THOMPSON'S

Boston Lyric Opera Co In the Greatest of All Comic Operas "THE IDOL'S EYE"

Magnificent Scenery, Elaborate Electrical Effects, Superb Chorus. PRICES—Reserved seats, 75 cents; gallery, 50 cents. Advance sale of seats opens at Griffin & Reed's, Friday morning.

the proceedings of the chamber of commerce published in the Seattle Post-Intelligencer of January 1, 1901, which is wise and well for them to emulate. Every individual in Astoria should read the account of these proceedings, and especially the editorial in the same issue of the "P. I." headed "Seattle Spirit Aroused." Every word in this editorial applies aptly to the situation under the present conditions at Astoria.

Seattle citizens for the good of their city have undertaken to raise one hundred thousand dollars in cash, and in a very short session of the chamber of commerce thirty-two thousand of this amount was pledged, as is shown by the list of subscribers given. Astoria's chamber of commerce has a duty to perform, which is more vital to their future interests than the obligations undertaken by the Seattle chamber of commerce, and it does not require a single dollar in cash subscription, for the only obligation necessary is for the entire community to band themselves together as one man, acting with one purpose, with a full determination that they will never yield until their rights are recognized. From a moneyed standpoint how much easier is this duty for the Astorians to perform than the task so recently undertaken by the Seattle people? Astorians should not act in any spirit

of malice or illwill, nor be prompted by any such sentiments, but simply take a firm, immovable, cool and determined stand that in transportation line which is trampling their rights under foot should from this time on be refused any of Astoria's traffic or support until they shall have conceded what justly, honestly and fairly, and from every business standpoint belongs to the community. If such a policy as this works a hardship on the O. R. & N. Co., they have but to do their duty by the Astoria people, who will then as cordially and as loyally support them in every way. In this move, prompted only by the first law of life, and that is self-preservation, Astoria is conducting herself in an honorable way, and if this policy of action, the result will eventually redound to the best interests of not only Astoria, but that of the transportation line involved.

Stop for a moment, and consider what the business men of Seattle would do under similar circumstances. One glance at the pictures of the members of the chamber of commerce committee would convince any reasonable person that these men are upright, fair and honorable, and ready to do their duty at any and all times, but they would never consent to submit to have the rights of Seattle trampled under foot, and they have with them that entire city to a man. In Astoria are men equally as able, loyal and ready to protect their rights as can be found in Seattle or anywhere else. Now is your time and opportunity to show to the world that no transportation line or organization of any kind will be permitted to impose on your rights or take from you what honestly, justly and fairly you are entitled to.

Is it any wonder that Seattle has succeeded and overcome every obstacle while for years the Northern Pacific and Tacoma fought and discriminated against her, but she has ridden victoriously over all these drawbacks, and stands today the most enterprising city of the Pacific coast, none more alert or ready to protect her rights or interests anywhere else in the world. Follow this example, make a "Seattle move" and carry it out in a "Seattle way," which means to win. A. B.

That a certificate of the completion of the improvement of Tenth street from the south line of Exchange street to the north line of Franklin avenue, and from the south line of Franklin avenue to the north line of Grand avenue, in McClure's Astoria by N. Clinton and Son, contractors, under the provisions

of ordinance No. 2559, of the City of Astoria, has been duly filed with the auditor and police judge of the City of Astoria, by the committee on streets and public ways, city surveyor and superintendent of streets, and that at the next regular meeting of said council the improvement of said street will be formally accepted unless objections be filed against the same. Dated this 4th day of January, 1901. H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT The Common Council of the City of Astoria has declared its determination and intention to improve all that portion of Astor street, in the City of Astoria, by the committing on streets and public ways, city surveyor and superintendent of streets, and that at the next regular meeting of said council the improvement of said street will be formally accepted unless objections be filed against the same. Dated this 4th day of January, 1901. H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT The Common Council of the City of Astoria has declared its determination and intention to improve all that portion of Astor street, in the City of Astoria, by the committing on streets and public ways, city surveyor and superintendent of streets, and that at the next regular meeting of said council the improvement of said street will be formally accepted unless objections be filed against the same. Dated this 4th day of January, 1901. H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

of malice or illwill, nor be prompted by any such sentiments, but simply take a firm, immovable, cool and determined stand that in transportation line which is trampling their rights under foot should from this time on be refused any of Astoria's traffic or support until they shall have conceded what justly, honestly and fairly, and from every business standpoint belongs to the community. If such a policy as this works a hardship on the O. R. & N. Co., they have but to do their duty by the Astoria people, who will then as cordially and as loyally support them in every way. In this move, prompted only by the first law of life, and that is self-preservation, Astoria is conducting herself in an honorable way, and if this policy of action, the result will eventually redound to the best interests of not only Astoria, but that of the transportation line involved.

Stop for a moment, and consider what the business men of Seattle would do under similar circumstances. One glance at the pictures of the members of the chamber of commerce committee would convince any reasonable person that these men are upright, fair and honorable, and ready to do their duty at any and all times, but they would never consent to submit to have the rights of Seattle trampled under foot, and they have with them that entire city to a man. In Astoria are men equally as able, loyal and ready to protect their rights as can be found in Seattle or anywhere else. Now is your time and opportunity to show to the world that no transportation line or organization of any kind will be permitted to impose on your rights or take from you what honestly, justly and fairly you are entitled to.

Is it any wonder that Seattle has succeeded and overcome every obstacle while for years the Northern Pacific and Tacoma fought and discriminated against her, but she has ridden victoriously over all these drawbacks, and stands today the most enterprising city of the Pacific coast, none more alert or ready to protect her rights or interests anywhere else in the world. Follow this example, make a "Seattle move" and carry it out in a "Seattle way," which means to win. A. B.

That a certificate of the completion of the improvement of Tenth street from the south line of Exchange street to the north line of Franklin avenue, and from the south line of Franklin avenue to the north line of Grand avenue, in McClure's Astoria by N. Clinton and Son, contractors, under the provisions

of ordinance No. 2559, of the City of Astoria, has been duly filed with the auditor and police judge of the City of Astoria, by the committee on streets and public ways, city surveyor and superintendent of streets, and that at the next regular meeting of said council the improvement of said street will be formally accepted unless objections be filed against the same. Dated this 4th day of January, 1901. H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT The Common Council of the City of Astoria has declared its determination and intention to improve all that portion of Astor street, in the City of Astoria, by the committing on streets and public ways, city surveyor and superintendent of streets, and that at the next regular meeting of said council the improvement of said street will be formally accepted unless objections be filed against the same. Dated this 4th day of January, 1901. H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT The Common Council of the City of Astoria has declared its determination and intention to improve all that portion of Astor street, in the City of Astoria, by the committing on streets and public ways, city surveyor and superintendent of streets, and that at the next regular meeting of said council the improvement of said street will be formally accepted unless objections be filed against the same. Dated this 4th day of January, 1901. H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT The Common Council of the City of Astoria has declared its determination and intention to improve all that portion of Astor street, in the City of Astoria, by the committing on streets and public ways, city surveyor and superintendent of streets, and that at the next regular meeting of said council the improvement of said street will be formally accepted unless objections be filed against the same. Dated this 4th day of January, 1901. H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT The Common Council of the City of Astoria has declared its determination and intention to improve all that portion of Astor street, in the City of Astoria, by the committing on streets and public ways, city surveyor and superintendent of streets, and that at the next regular meeting of said council the improvement of said street will be formally accepted unless objections be filed against the same. Dated this 4th day of January, 1901. H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

Skin-Tortured Babies And Worn-out Worried Mothers Find Comfort in Cuticura.

INSTANT RELIEF AND REFRESHING SLEEP FOR SKIN-TORTURED BABIES and rest for tired mothers, in a warm bath with CUTICURA SOAP and a single anointing with CUTICURA Ointment, the great skin cure and purst of emollients. This is the purest, sweetest, most speedy, permanent, and economical treatment for torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, scaly, crusted, and blotchy humors of the skin, scalp, and hair of infants and children.



Millions Use Cuticura SOAP

assisted by CUTICURA Ointment the great skin cure for prostrating, purifying, and beautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp of crusts, scales, and dandruff, and the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening, and healing red, rough, and sore hands, for baby lchings, rashes, and chafings, in the form of baths for annoying irritations and inflammations, or too free or offensive perspiration, and for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. Millions of Women use CUTICURA SOAP in the form of washes with gentle antiseptic purposes which readily suggest themselves. CUTICURA SOAP combines in ONE SOAP AT ONE PRICE, viz., TWENTY-FIVE CENTS, the best skin and complexion soap, and the best toilet and baby soap in the world. Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor, \$1.25

Consisting of CUTICURA SOAP (25c.), to cleanse the skin of crusts and scales and soften the thickened cuticle; CUTICURA OINTMENT (25c.), to instantly allay itching, inflammation, and irritation, and soothe and heal; and CUTICURA RESOLVENT (50c.), to root and cleanse the blood. A THREE-LITRE COSTING ONLY \$1.25, is also sufficient to cure the most torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, and scaly skin, scalp, and blood humors, with loss of hair, from infancy to age, when all else fails.

er red or yellow, of 4 inches in thickness by 12 inches wide and 10 feet long, which said plank are to be laid upon stringers, two of which on each side of said street car track throughout the length of said improvement shall be new stringers and the remainder of the stringers shall consist of the soundest of the old stringers now on said portion of said street, and the street crossings at the intersection of said Astor street with Fifth, Fourth, Third and Second streets shall be plank and improved to their entire width.

All lumber to be used in said improvement except the old stringers heretofore mentioned shall be good sound red or yellow fir lumber, and said improvement in matters of detail except as herein otherwise provided shall be made according to the requirements of the provisions of ordinance No. 1961 of the City of Astoria, entitled "An ordinance in relation to the improvement of streets" and strictly in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor to be prepared by the city surveyor.

That the costs and expenses of said improvement, except the street crossings, shall be defrayed by special assessment upon the lots, lands and premises benefited by said improvement, which said lots, lands and premises are hereby included within a

er red or yellow, of 4 inches in thickness by 12 inches wide and 10 feet long, which said plank are to be laid upon stringers, two of which on each side of said street car track throughout the length of said improvement shall be new stringers and the remainder of the stringers shall consist of the soundest of the old stringers now on said portion of said street, and the street crossings at the intersection of said Astor street with Fifth, Fourth, Third and Second streets shall be plank and improved to their entire width.

All lumber to be used in said improvement except the old stringers heretofore mentioned shall be good sound red or yellow fir lumber, and said improvement in matters of detail except as herein otherwise provided shall be made according to the requirements of the provisions of ordinance No. 1961 of the City of Astoria, entitled "An ordinance in relation to the improvement of streets" and strictly in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor to be prepared by the city surveyor.

NERVE FOOD

If you have neuralgia, Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil will feed the nerve that is crying for food—it is hungry—and set your whole body going again, in a way to satisfy nerve and brain with your usual food. That is cure. If you are nervous and irritable, you may only need more fat to cushion your nerves—you are probably thin—and Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil will give you the fat, to begin with. Cure, so far as it goes. Full cure is getting the fat you need from usual food, and Scott's emulsion will help you to that.

J. A. FASTABEND

GENERAL CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. That a certificate of the completion of the improvement of Tenth street from the south line of Exchange street to the north line of Franklin avenue, and from the south line of Franklin avenue to the north line of Grand avenue, in McClure's Astoria by N. Clinton and Son, contractors, under the provisions

special assessment district, which said district is as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northeast corner of block number five (5) and running thence westerly along the north line of blocks No. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 to the northwest corner of block No. one (1), thence south along the west line of blocks 1 and 13 to the southwest corner of lot one (1) in block number sixteen (16), thence easterly through the center of blocks 16, 18, 14, 11 and 12 to the southeast corner of lot four (4) in block number twelve (12), thence north in a straight line to the place of beginning, and containing all of blocks 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 and the north half of blocks 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, all in the Town of Astoria, Clatsop county, State of Oregon, as laid out and recorded by John McClure. This notice is published for eight days in the Morning Astorian in pursuance to a resolution of the Common Council of the City of Astoria, directing the same, the first publication thereof being in the issue of Saturday, the 23rd day of December, 1900. H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES, listing various financial items and their values.

OUR ELEVENTH GREAT ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

Commences Wednesday Morning, January 2, 1901, at 8 o'clock and will continue for thirty days

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE. GOODS AT YOUR PRICE. TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THESE BARGAINS. Buy Now and You Will Make Money. Our Loss is Your Gain

LADIES' GOODS. LADIES' HEAVY PLAID BACK rainy day skirts, deep stitching round bottom, regular price \$5.00 SALE PRICE \$3.25. LADIES' AND MISSES' PLAID Skirts, lined throughout with good quality lining, regular price \$2.25 SALE PRICE \$1.49. LADIES' BLACK FIGURED DRESS SKIRTS, well made and lined, worth \$2.25 SALE PRICE \$1.19. LADIES' HEAVY BLACK CHEVIOT DRESS SKIRTS, Tailor made, best lining, regular price \$4.99 SALE PRICE \$2.25. WE HAVE ABOUT TWENTY-FIVE CHILDREN'S LONG CLOAKS LEFT. Some very fine ones. Ages run from about six years to fourteen years. You can have them in two lots. LOT NO. 1 FOR \$1.49 LOT NO. 2 FOR \$2.25. EVERY WOOL SHIRT WAIST IN the house. Some were \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$4.99. They all go at \$1.50.

WE ARE GOING TO SELL ALL OF OUR LEFT-OVER LADIES' COATS at prices that will astonish the most shrewd buyer. Prices will start from \$1.50 for the lowest and \$5.99 for the best ones. 20 DOZEN LADIES' COTTON SHIRT WAISTS TO BE CLOSED OUT AT 25 CENTS. FIVE DOZ. LADIES' SLEEVELESS COTTON RIBBED VESTS, colored, worth \$2.00 SALE PRICE \$1.19. 25-CENT LADIES' OR MISSES' JERSEY RIBBED PANTS, knee length SALE PRICE \$1.19. LADIES' HEAVY COTTON RIBBED VEST AND PANTS, worth \$2.50 SALE PRICE \$1.19. REDUCTIONS IN ALL OUR UNDERWEAR. CHILDREN'S HEAVY WOOL DRESS Well made and nicely trimmed worth \$2.50 SALE PRICE \$1.19.

25-CENT LADIES' EIDERDOWN DRESSING SACKS. SALE PRICE \$1.19. ODD CORSETS IN ODD SIZES AT ODD PRICES. To close out at 19c. SEE THE LINE OF LADIES' WRAPPERS we are offering at this sale for 25 cents. A CHOICE LINE OF LADIES' FLANNEL WRAPPERS, made with flounce, for 75 cents. 25-CENT LADIES' STOCKING IN stripes and fancy colors, 2 pairs, 25c. A 50-CENT LINE OF CHILDREN'S IMPORTED STOCKINGS, for sale price, per pair, 25c. WE WILL SELL THE BEST AND STRONGEST DOUBLE KNEE AND FAST BLACK STOCKING IN THE CITY, 2 PAIRS FOR 25 CENTS.

For 10 cents you can buy the latest songs and Sheet music from us. 20 dozen Kid Gloves, slightly soiled, sold for \$1.25; sale price, to close them out quick, we have marked them to 25c. Remnants of dress goods, remnants of gingham, percales, flannels etc., at your own price. Children's Caps for 15c. 35c Ladies' White Muslin Undershirts, sale price 19c. \$1.25 Ladies' fine cambric drawers, trimmed with fine lace, sale price 50c. \$2.00 Ladies' fine cambric long chemise, wide flounce, ruffles, trimmed with fine lace, sale price 85c. Full-size white bed spreads worth 65c, sale price 45c. Umbrellas at Reduced Prices.

Big Reduction in Silk Ribbons. See the wide silk, linen and cotton laces we are selling at 8c per yard. Beaded jet trimming braids, silk grimps per yard 10c. All our dress goods marked away down in prices. MEN'S GOODS. Men's Heavy Fleece Undershirts and Drawers, each 45c. Men's Heavy All Wool Undershirts or Drawers, each 75c. \$1.25 Men's all-wool undershirts or drawers in stripes and plain colors, sale price \$1.00. Men's heavy cotton overshirts made of the best material and well sewed, each 50c. Men's and Boys' all wool caps, sale price 25c.

Boys' extra heavy cotton undershirts or drawers, each 50c. Men's suspenders, each 15c. Men's Leather Gloves, 25c. Boys' suits, double breasted, made of heavy Scotch tweed, worth \$3.25, sale price \$1.95. Boys' Knee Pants, 15c. Boys' wallets, each 15c. Boys' all-wool sweaters \$1.00. Boys' long pants made of heavy cottonade, per pair 60c. Special in men's suits, only a few left, well worth \$3.50, sale price \$3.00. Men's strong working pants, sale price, per pair \$1.25. Don't fail to give us a call. We save you money. We offer the best bargains at our ANNUAL SALE.

SHANAHAN'S, 576-578-580 COMMERCIAL STREET