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SHIP CHANNELS.

S. F. Bulletin.

The Boston Journal says: "It will require about eight years to complete the new thirty-five-foot ship channel from the wharves of Boston to the open sea. There is no shifting bar which blocks this port. The bottom of the harbor is not of sand. It is of a tougher, harder, more difficult material—a tenacious clay with ledges here and there and many buried boulders. This is why the engineers' estimate of the cost of a deep channel 1500 feet wide ran up to the huge figure of \$10,000,000."

The Boston project is in line with much more costly projects to open a waterway from the Great Lakes to the Atlantic large enough to float ordinary Atlantic steamers. The present river and harbor bill carries an appropriation of \$3,000,000 for the Boston harbor project, which will carry the work along about three years. The purpose of these projects is to reduce transportation between American and foreign ports to the lowest possible cost. The cost per ton for carrying freight in a large vessel is less than in a small one, but large vessels require a deeper channel than small ones. As a city which has a forty-foot channel has a clear advantage over a city that has only a 35-foot channel, the city having the smaller channel calls upon the federal government to equalize conditions at its own expense.

IT CURES THE COUGH AND STOPS THE COUGH.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

The Countess Castellane alludes to the count as "My dear husband." Very dear, indeed.

Chapped hands, cracked lips and roughness of the skin cured quickly by Banner Salve, the most healing ointment in the world. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

Andrew Lang has been writing an "The Joys of Being a Villain." He probably means a vaudevillian.

IF BANNER SALVE

doesn't cure your piles, your money will be returned. It is the most healing medicine. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

You can always tell when a girl thinks she is "intellectual" by the way she combs her hair.

Save doctors' bills by giving Foley's Honey and Tar to infants and children in time to prevent pneumonia or croup, which are fatal to so many thousands of babies. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

No woman can expect God to watch her husband for her.

J. A. Lambert, of Rachel, N. C., writes: "I heartily endorse Foley's Kidney Cure. It does what you claim it will do, and there is nothing equal to it, and I thank you for the good it has done me." Accept no substitute. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

If it wasn't for silk petticoats, women's skirts would get a lot dirtier.

TO CURE A COUGH

stop coughing, as it irritates the lungs, and gives them no chance to heal. Foley's Honey and Tar cures without causing a strain in throwing off the phlegm like common cough expectorants. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

The best imitation one can get of a honeymoon is to eat nothing but coconut cake for three weeks.

You should know that Foley's Honey and Tar is absolutely the best for all diseases of the throat and lungs. Dealers are authorized to guarantee it to give satisfaction. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

Old bachelors understand women the best because they generally don't try to.

TRIED FIVE DOCTORS.

Mrs. Frances L. Sales, of Missouri Valley, Ia., writes: "I had severe kidney trouble for years, had tried five doctors without benefit, but three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure cured me. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist."

A man can hold a woman best by making her believe he is awfully afraid he can't.

CONSUMPTION THREATENED.

C. Unger, 215 Maple St., Champaign, Ill., writes: "I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought I had the consumption. I tried a great many remedies and was under the care of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cured me, and I have not been troubled since." CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE

FIFTEENTH STREET FROM THE SOUTH LINE OF EXCHANGE STREET TO THE NORTH LINE OF IRVING AVENUE

Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by ordinance No. 2572, of the City of Astoria, Oregon, entitled "An ordinance confirming special assessment roll No. 27 for the improvement of Fifteenth street from the south line of Exchange street to the north line of Irving avenue," approved December 27th, 1900, will be due and payable in United States gold coin at the office of the city treasurer on January 15th, 1901, and if not so paid at said time the common council will order warrants issued for the collection of the same. The assessment is as follows:

Table listing property owners and their assessed amounts for the improvement of Fifteenth Street. Owners include Adler, Blanchet, Brackner, Bracker, Chase, Cherry, City of Astoria, Dement, Dielman, Gilbert, Gratke, Grant, Hirsch, Holmes, Nolan, O'Connor, Parker, Robb, Sovey, Tuttle, Welch, and Wood.

WOOD, SARAH F. Lot 10, block 17, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shiveley. \$ 41

By order of the Common Council of the City of Astoria, Oregon. Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, Oregon. Astoria, Ore., Jan. 5, 1901.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE

THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET FROM A POINT 15 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTH LINE OF DUANE STREET TO THE SOUTH LINE OF HARRISON AVENUE

Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by ordinance No. 2574 of the City of Astoria, Oregon, entitled "An ordinance confirming special assessment roll No. 28 for the improvement of Thirty-eighth street from a point 15 feet south of the north line of Duane street to the south line of Harrison avenue," approved December 27th, 1900, will be due and payable in United States gold coin at the office of the City Treasurer on January 15th, 1901, and if not so paid at said time the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection of the same. The assessment is as follows:

Table listing property owners and their assessed amounts for the improvement of Thirty-eighth Street. Owners include Adair, Barker, Brenham, Bergman, Boshart, Building & Loan Land Co., Carlson, Crosby, Dooley, Ekoos, First Presbyterian Church, Gimre, Goddard, Harris, Haaven, Jensen, Johnson, Jordan, Larsen, Leifur, Mendell, Megler, McGregor, and Normile.

NORMILE, S. Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair. 12 50

Table listing property owners and their assessed amounts for the improvement of Thirty-eighth Street. Owners include Normile, Olsen, Osgood Mercantile Co., Rauma, Rosenquist, Schlussek, Seim, Smith, Soren, Stangland, Steffenson, Tatton, Willikson, Welcker, Wright, and Young.

The following is payable in installments, the first installment due January 15th, 1901:

Table listing property owners and their assessed amounts for the improvement of Thirty-eighth Street. Owners include Ekoos, Ross, and Wright.

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ASTORIA AND COLUMBIA RIVER RAILROAD. WHITE COLLAR LINE. H.F. Prael Transfer Co. DRYING AND EXPRESSING. J.A. FASTABEND. GENERAL CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER.