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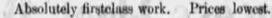
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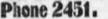


bles. They rent at £20 a year. Own an ordinary man can understand it I'll

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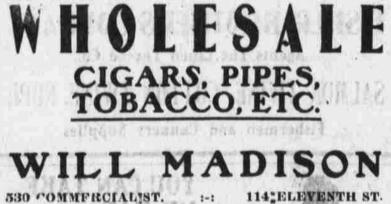
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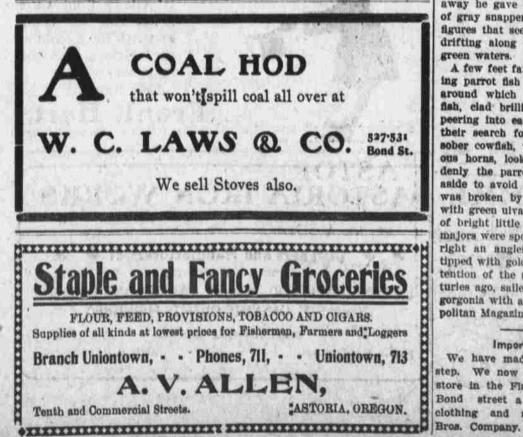




Corner Elghteenth and Franklin







Lawler's mare 'tis more for love than pay you a hundred dollars for it." profit. Year in and year out he puts by a bit, for the "childer, God bless 'em!" his smart little wife, there are unluckler men than he.

"If 'twere not for the fightin'," says Mrs. O'Hea, "a better man than Barney never pulled a shirt over his head." Barney, it seems, believes that animosities should be cultivated. Being a good man with his hands and blithe and gay in battle, he colors the week's day. It was followed by the man himend with riot .- Vance Thompson in Outing.

SEA GAZING IN BERMUDA. Wonderful Life of Crystal Depths as

Revealed to the Observer.

It was a liftle parrot fish that started out so briskly on this summer morning. Whether he was eager to keep an appointment or had been unexpectedly summoned to a distant part of his world one will never know, but one may be certain that the matter was of ture horseshoe in his pocket will always the greatest consequence so far as the be lucky. little fish was concerned. Keeping his bright eyes fixed straight ahead, he the night before her wedding will be passed a corner of the reef where the thrice blessed. coral was incrusted with mollusks and ful squirrel fish, deeply engrossed in It is a sure omen of evil. sentimental affairs, turned to look after him wonderingly through their enor- ered unlucky. If you can't be married mous eyes. Below in a deep pool a on dry land, remain unwed. school of spotted trunkfish played heedlessly, while under a projecting plate ding gown by a bride is considered a of staghorn coral a huge grouper waited expectantly, but as the parrot fish, warned of his danger, turned quickly away he gave his attention to a pair of gray snappers-great, quiet, ghostly figures that seemed like two shadows drifting along far down through the

green waters. A few feet farther on and the hurrying parrot fish passed a tall sea fan, around which three dainty butterfly fish, clad brilliantly in yellow, were peering into each nook and corner in their search for small prey, while a sober cowfish, with his two conspicuous horns, looked on sedately. Suddenly the parrot fish turned sharply aside to avoid a spot where the reef was broken by jutting rocks covered with green ulva. Around this a school of bright little zebra striped sergeant majors were sporting, while just to the right an anglefish, whose blue body tipped with gold first attracted the attention of the mariners so many centuries ago, sailed from under a purple gorgonia with a disdainful air .- Metropolitan Magazine.

Important Notice.

We have made another programsive step. We now carry at our branch store in the Flavel brick building on Bond street a complete line of oil clothing and rubber boots. Fisher

"Will I? Sure, I will," exclaimed the overjoyed agent, thinking he had inare growing and will have need of edu. deed struck an easy job. And he decation. In his smart little home, with parted, adjuring the editor not to for HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR ALL get A week passed by. The agent called

ing his car as he does, Barney pays no not only take the policy, but I'll pub. WANTED-FIRST CLASS COOK

up on the telephone to say that he was working on the thing. There was less exultation in his volce.

Two weeks more elapsed. The editor had forgotten the whole thing, when the agent's card came in one self.

"Well," said the editor, "got my as ticle?"

"N-no," said the agent sheepishly. "The fact is, I guess, I can't do it the way you want it, after all. Let's call it off.'

It is hardly too much to say that this is typical.-World's Work.

WEDDING SUPERSTITIONS.

The bridegroom who carries a minia-

The bride who dreams of fairies on

Never give a telegram to a -bride or Marriages on board ship are consid- Dusen & Co.

The finding of a spider on the wedsure token of happiness to come.

If during the marriage ceremony the wedding ring should fall down, the bride's fate will not be an enviable

If a bride should by chance see a coffin as she starts off on her wedding tour, she should order the driver of the carriage to turn back and start over again.

No macouragement For Him. "So she refused you? Well, didn't she give you any encouragement at all?

"No, not a bit. She told me that before she'd consider the matter again I'd have to get a job and prove that I had it in me to support a family."--Chicago Record-Herald.

Greene-My wife and I quarreled Browne-What about? Greene-She thought the reason we had never done so before was due to her generous nature, and I thought it was mine.

The Deutist's Pan.

I'm a great coward when it comes to enduring pain, and yet I'm afraid of both laughing gas and chloroform." "You might be happy with ether."

JUNK DEALERS. kinds of old junk. Bought and sold 173 Tenth St.

FOR RENT-ROOMS.

and housekeeper for private mess;

good wages. Apply at Astorian office, NOTICE FOR BIDS-ASTORIA, FEB-

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR HOUSE Keeping. Inquire at 159 Ninth St.

FOR SALE-MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE-AT GASTON'S FEED Stable, 105 14th St., one Landi arness machine; one Smith-Premier typewriter; one 10 h. p. moter and starter box; 500 good sacks,

INCUBATOR FOR SALE-400 EGGS capacity; also three 100 capacity HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE OR brooders; first-class condition. Address A. Astorian Office.

HORSE, BUGGY AND HARNESS for sale. Address M. Astorian.

FOR RENT-HOUSES. sea urchins and where a pair of beauti- bridegroom on the way to the church. FOR RENT-A FURNISHED HOUSE any goods, wares, merchandise or

> OLD PAPERS FOR SALE AT THIS her contracting. Office; 25c per hundred.

the 14th of this month. Right reserved to reject any or all bids. NOTICE FOR BIDS-ASTORIA, OR. Feb. 10th, 1905 .- Bids will be reeived until 12 o'clock m. on Feb. 20th or the construction of a two-story frame building; plans and specificatioss for which can be seen at my office No. 523 Commercial street. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

BIDS WANTED.

ruary 1, 1905 .- Bids will be received

for the grading and excavating for the

new St. Mary's Hospital. Plan and

specification may be seen at the office

of the architect at St. Mary's Hos-

pital. All bids to be in on or before

T. L. BALL.

FOR SALE-REAL ESTATE.

rent near Young's Bay bridge. Inquire of A. E. Beard, 269 Grand avenue,

MISCELLANEOUS.

Noticel

All persons are hereby notified to not trust my wife Nancy C. Libke, for centrally located. Inquire of Van money for me, or on my account, as I will not from this date, February 4, A D. 1905, be responsible for any debt of

E. F. LIBKE.

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Teachers' Examinations. Notice is hereby given that the coun-

ty superintendent of Clatsop county will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at the court house as follows:

For state papers-

Commencing Wednesday, February 8, at 9 o'clock a. m. and continuing last night for the first time in years. until Saturday, February 11, at o'clock p. m.

> Wednesday-Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school law.

"Mr. Dento, I want a tooth pulled, ory of teaching, grammar, bookkeeping, physics, civil government. Friday - Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography.

Saturday-Botany, plane geometry, ty.

general history, English literature.

Commencing Wednesday, February 8, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Friday, February 10, at 4 o'elock p. m.:

First, Second and Third Grade Certificates.

Wednesday-Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.

Thursday-Written arithmetic, thery of teaching grammar, physiology. Friday-Geography, mental arithmetics, school law, civil government.

Primary Certificates. Wednesday-Penmanship, orthogaphy, arithmetic, reading. Thursday-Art of questioning, theory of teaching physiology.

EMMA C. WARREN, Sschool Superintendent, Clatsop Coun-

The First Quarrel.

Thursday-Written arithmetic, the-

