## THE MORNING ASTORIAN, ASTORIA, OREGON.



on the America Maru will not Mr. Hess has been i necessarily be affected. The vessel flies some time, and this influenced him the flag of the Rising Sun, and Japan largely in disposing of his business. He will recognize Going's British master's will probably leave for Arizona in a license, which he still holds. few days.

## Free! Free! Free!

**One Magnificent Nickel Plated** Malleable

# STEEL RANGE

Valued at \$100.00 will be given Away by the Foard @ Stokes Company on

# Saturday, Dec. 23

In order to introduce to our patrons the quality of stoves and ranges we are handling and at the same time boom business in our Dry Goods and Crockery Departments, we are going to give, commencing, Monday, October 23rd, one coupon with every dollar in cash you spend in either of the two departments mentioned and on Saturday, December 23rd we will have a drawing contest at the store and the person holding the lucky number will be presented with one Nickel Plated Malleable Steel Prize Range absolutely free.

This Range is one of the prize ranges that was on display at the Lewis and Clark exposition and is the finest specimen that thus far brains and workmanship have been able to produce,

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Remember every dollar you buy here makes your choice for drawing the lucky number that much better. Some one will hold the lucky number-will it be you? No employee of the store will be allowed to participate in the drawing.



ours respectfully, W. OSBORNE."

The foregoing letter dated on October 17th, and just received by Sheriff Thomas Linnville of this county and city, is self-explanatory.

It tells the tale of the man who was missed from this city early in 1903, af ter securing a room at the Oriel house, and depositing his personal luggage therein, and who was never seen after his first departure from that room. It was ascertained, at the time, that he was an ex-employe of the Seaside Spruce Lumber Company, having quit its service on the morning of March 4, 1903, the day and date upon which he became a tenant of the Oriel, and his fate has been a matter of conjecture until the receipt and publication of the letter.

It is no wonder he pleads with Governor Chamberlain against executive clemency toward the brute by whose machinations he was compelled to endure so much and so long; and there be many, knowing Paddy Lynch and his ilk, will heartily endorse the Governor's refusal to interfere in favor of the scoundrel who is responsible for this and a hundred other outrages of the same sort. Mr. Osborne is now dwelling in the East and will no doubt, hail with unfeigned joy the intelligence that Lynch will serve out the full measure of his penalty.

### Notice to Mariners.

Columbia river, Oregon. (List of lights and fog signals, Pacific coast, 1904, page 28, No. 93, and lists of lights, buoys and daymarks, Pacific coast, 1905, page 49,)

Notice has been received that on October 20, Umatilla reef light-vessel was 1 2-3 yards long ..... 2.40 temporarily placed off the entrance to 1 2-3 yards long ..... 2.35 the Columbia river, Oregon, to mark the station of Columbia river light-yessel No. 50, which recently went adrift. Umatilla reef light-vessel is painted red, without name or number; and shows the same characteristics as to lights and fog signal as Columbia river lightvessel.

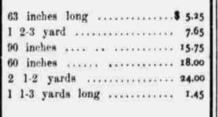
### Same Old Lie.

Statements of bar pilots to the effect hat the lowest depth of water at the Columbia river bar is 21 feet, and that disastrous results would follow taking a ship to sea drawing more than 24 feet of water, have been shown to be false in reports of the United States Engineers, who have just completed soundings and surveys, and who find the water over the bar to be 24 feet deep at lowest



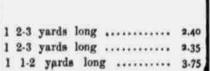
A great assortment of Ladies' furs. The most extensive line as well as the lowest priced ever shown in Astoria. We quote a few prices to give an idea of range of prices.

Fox Furs









Ladies', misses and children's coats in the new, latest styles.

Now is your opportunity to get an exclusive style in a rain coat.



The dredging steamer W. S. Ladd has ceturned to this port from Portland, and is at work on the last station she worked on, near Buoy No. 2 in the neighborhood of Tongue Point.

The steamer Telephone is at the East Oak street dock, in Portland, where her owners are installing oil burners. The work will take quite a long time and river men say that it looks as if the Telephone will be tied up for another year,

Tired out, worn out woman cannot sleep, cat or work; seems as if she would fiy to pieces. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes strong nerves and rich red blood. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Sold by Frank Hart, druggist,

## To All Persons in Astoria Who Wish to Accept.

PUBLIC OFFER

Are you thin? Do you require more flesh to be really well and strong? To every such person in Astoria, we make the following offer. Commence at once a course of treatment with Vinol, our cod liver oil preparation, without oil, and if after you have taken what we consider enough to restore your normal weight and it has not succeeded, we will pay for all the Vinol you have taken.

A prominent New York physician recently said, "I am convinced that the best way to gain good, solid, firm flesh is to take Vinol, for in it you get all the curative, flesh-making and strengthcreating properties contained in that grand old remedy, cod liver oil, without the nauseating oil itself. It is delicious, and the weakest stomach can retain it. Thin people are usually weak and ailing, and Vinol is what they need."

Vinol acts first upon the stomach, creates an appetite for good, wholesome food, strengthens and tones up the digestive organs. Rich, red blood is sent coursing through every vein, firm flesh is created wherever it is needed, and dunaciated figures, hollow cheeks and sunken eyes are soon a thing of the past.

Every thin person in Astoria should try Vinol on our guarantee." Charles Rogers, druggist.

### HOTEL ARRIVALS. The Occident.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1905.

E. W. Dingman, Portland. Walter C. S. Smith, Jr., San Francisco C. S. Hampton, Chicago. C. M. Hollingsworth, San Prancisco, Robert Morris, Centralia, Mrs. Morris, Centralia, Helma, Turner, Osceola, Mo. D. Errett, Salem, Henry Friedlander, Portland. William Grimes and wife, Portland, R. S. Smith, Warrenton. T. J. Stevens, South Bend, L. A. Foster Cathlamet. A. M. Young, Portland. W. C. Stuart, Portland, W. T. Stephens, Seaside. Chas, H. Wilcox, New York.

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