PLOTSAM AND JETSAM. SOME

or, but according to his own declara-

tion he followed the "briny" for some

years in his boylood and lad practical-

knowledge of the sea and all that there-

in is. He tells a nerve-rending tale

of his days on the old ship Tillie Star

buck that sailed between San Francisco

and Hawaiian Islands, and how, once on

a return voyage, two days out of the

harbor of Hilo, he was elewing up the

upper main top gallant sail, on the wind

ward end of the t'gallant vard-arm

when he lost his footing and fell a dis-

tance of 160 test tetching up in an

eight-inch space between the main mast

and the life rail just abaft it, and only

skinned the knuckle of his right fore-

finger, the jam he fell into between the

main-must and the rail alone saving

him. His back was injured in the fall,

and troubles him some yet. He says

that in his greations and swift flight

the peop-deck -ixty feet from where

he landed. The exptain of the Star-

buck, old man Curtis, was very good to

him, he says, and he didn't work him

much harder after the fall than before

George Wa- not so stout then as now

which accounts for the case with which

he slipped into that eight inch gap

The steamer Lurine left up last

vening on her schedule time with the

following Astoria people on her regis-

ter: H. G. Van Dusen, Miss E. R.

Blair, W. M. Gregory, H. Hosterman.

The steamer Kilburn will undoubted-

ase of small-pox put ashore here yes-

The British Steamship Southerland,

twenty-six days out from Yokahama.

arrived in yesterday morning and left

up for the metropolis at 1 o'clock p.m.

Captain Wallace is in command of the

Southerland, and he reports nothing

unusual on his trip across the Pacific

except a series of strong head winds

that delayed him for a week in mak-

The schooner Carrier Dove, from San

Francisco, arrived in port at noon yes-

terday and will go up the river for lum

The steamship Columbia is due in

vesterday and went over the bar with-

Notice to Mariners.

stituted for for the lens-lantern. The

structure will be rebuilt and the lens

lantern light reestablished as soon as

Notice is also given that San An-

tonio Creek buoy, No. L. a second-class

spar, reported adrift March 2, will be

The following list represents a few of

the Eastern points from which Colonist

rates shown below will apply via the

O. R. & N. to Astoria from February

Atlanta, Ga., \$46.75; Pittsburg, Pa.,

\$42; Baltimore, Md., \$49.75; Washing-

ton, D. C., \$49.75; Boston, Mass., \$49.90;

Peoria, Ill., \$31.; Buffalo, N Y., \$42.50;

Oklahoma, O T., \$30; Chicago, Ill., \$33;

St. Louis, Mo., \$30; Cincinnati, O., \$39;

Kansas City, Mo., \$25; Cleveland, O.,

Mich., \$39.75; Omaha, Neb., \$25; Mon-

treal, Que., \$48.90; Sioux City, Ia., \$25;

New York, N. Y., \$50; St. Paul, Minn.,

\$25; Philadelphia, Pa., \$49.75; Minnea-

Money can be deposited here for tickets which will be delivered to pas-

15th to April 7, 1906:

polis, Minn., \$25.

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CHEAP RATES FROM THE EAST

practicable.

out any loss of time.

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terday by Captain Merriam.

for and of the pin rail.

and C. E. O'Brien

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Young Corn Fed Turkeys

EVER OFFERED FOR SALE IN THIS CITY. QUALITY WAY UP; PRICE WAY DOWN. ORDER YOURS NOW.

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RELIABLE GROCERS.

In Probate Court An order was made proved vesterday. by Judge Trenchard vesterday, in prolate court, appointing A. W. Nelson as the neighborhood of \$2000.

Took Out Full Papers. Olof Meldans and Jacob Kota, natives of Finland Suit Filed, J. M. Haghes has filed a yesterday, completed the legal processes, and in the Circuit Court against Samuel and time, in the matter of their Ameri. New for the payment of \$340 alloged to can citizenship, and took out full nature he due took for legal services performed. ralization papers, at the bands of County Clerk Clinton

Astorian of vesterday, M. R. Pomeroy, Jurged for being delinquent, vesterilay filled the legal vops of his petition for the nomination to the office

order of Astoria Central Labor Council

\$1.50; well prepared and daintily served week or month for room and board to permanent guests. Our bus meets all trains and steamboats.

of Clatsop held a brief session yesterday the care, breathed her last, after a of rational and expedient justification the compen-ation of Dr. J. A. Fulton, as f bounded and Impering allness following a of every claim held, here, have been health officer of the county and secre many speciation performed in August practically ignored by the big corporatary of the courty board of health, was discussed, and finally disposed of he the granting of a solary of \$25 per quarter the minimum compensation named in the statute. The court their adjourned. until Wednesday the 21-t of the present

Final Honors The functal of the late B. J. Morrison took place vesterday at termoon from the sold family home at Morrison, Rev. W. Seymour, Short, rec. tor of Grace Episcopal church official ing, and interment was haid at the Pionest cemetery. A large number of prominent citizens of Astoria went out to pay their last, sail respects to the deceased citizen, and the pull bearers who served at the -epulture, were Mesors, C. J. Trenchard, S. A. Aslant R. E. Carruthers, B. Van Dusen, J. W. Welch and C. C. Carnahan, Among those who went out from this city, were G. Wingate, Frank J. Carney, County Conmissioners tarsen and Clark, and

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Checking Up. Assessor Cornelius has administrator of the estate of the late begun sherking up the improvements Thomas Eccle : The estate is valued in on property in Astoria in order to place the new improvements on the 1906 resessment roll.

Last Day, Folloy is the final day in

of sheriff of this county, with County to Clatsop real estate aled for record from a very false premise. Clerk Clinton. It was in regular form, perforday to with this Campbell and. There were some sixteen firms in this and was the subject of some pleasant with this A. Henrickson, warranty, contests in the contrary decision comment on the streets yesterday after substation 81, conveying lots 2 and 3 of the big transportation concern, and block 44. New Astoria. Emma R the expected has happened. It is an Thompson to Louis Thompson, deed of least matter to lay down, and pursue, a Notice to Union Men. A mass meet agreement, providing to the transfer of wrong deduction, in business as well as ing will be held in Logan's hall, Sunday the worth half of the north half of sec in other departments of human activi-March 11th, at 2:30 p. in. sharp, for tion 3, 1:5 N., R. 10 W. R. Houseman ties, and the P. S. F. Company knows the purpose of organizing a Union Labor to J. M. Swirsky and Louis Semesky, what it means to those whom it turned Municipal Ownership League. Every warranty, consideration \$150, conveying down so flatly. Had this concern. union man is requested to attend. By 150 feet square of find near Skipanon frankly, promptly and with the busiin Clatsop county R. Houseman to J. new breadth its size and importance M Swirks; and Louis Schooky, war: warrants, covered the loss and damage Hotel Irving - European plan. The ranks, consideration 8), conveying lots 4 of its Astoria clientelle, their trade, for only steam-heated hotel in Astoria; large and 5 in block 11. Dement's Astoria, years to come, could not, upon any orand airy rooms; prices from 50 cents to | Hore Houseman to 8 Swirksy & Co. | dinary hypothesis, have been diverted warranty consideration \$1 conveying from their steamers and offices. meals at 25 cents. Special rates per lots 15, 16, 17 and 19, in block 9, Logan's subdivision of Clatsop Grove.

A Brief Session. The County Court at 8 lo welock Mrs. Mary R. Scham regned in the loss of the St. Paul, and 42 years ago, and has mad an this city with he had at tweenscored.

> was suffering greatly and desired mediall aid at once; the steamer had just arrived down from Portland on her way o San Francisco, and the capitan set an irgiam ashore with instructions to that a physician at once, as his appear ance immented a high state of fever, and the steamer proceeded on her way Lundgram immediately sought out De-Jay Tuttle, who was not at loss for moment in diagnosing the case as one of virulent smallpox, and sent the man to City Physician Pilkington. The latter officer is on the eve of turning his and at once called in that gentleman. and the invalid was taken to the pest house and made as comfortable as circumstanc's would permit, for the seige ahead of him. It has not developed where he caught the miserable disease. but that is of little concern now that he is in proper duress and under skillful terred today. There was nothing found treatment.

> Has Moved .- J. Q. A. Bowlby has moved his law office from Bond street to rooms 1 and 2, upstairs, in the Odd full of whisky was discovered, and also Fellows' building.

WHERE ASTORIAN'S EAT.

Quick service, combined with cleanliness, and high quality, is what the majority of people desire when they eat, stopped at the hotel is not known, but and the restaurant where all these accommodations can be obtained is where have been this person. they go. The Palace Catering Company on Commercial street, just opposite the Page building, is known by every Astorian as the place to obtain what they want. Here they all go and having gone, no other restaurant will satisfy. A specialty is made by the Palace restaurant for banquets, and party service. Open at all hours.

ASTORIA

No Compensation for Her Losses on the St. Paul.

NEGOTIATIONS TURNED DOWN

As a Consequence Other Lines Are Transporting Local Merchandise-It Pays to Be Just in Small Matters.

Practically eighty per cent of the San Francisco steamer freight that reaches this port, for local delivery. comes; me in the bottoms owned and controlled by the Watsonville Transportation Company, whose fleet comprises the F. A. Kalburn, the South Bay and the Northland, three good boats and safe, and every pound of the goods so transported is covered by insurance carried by the carrying company, the Astoria merchant meeting no charge direct nor indirect, for this concession,

This is one of the straight-away is sults of the loss of the steamship St which to pay the water rates and es. Paul and the subsequent refusal of the Petition Filed. As indicated in the cape the penalty of 25 cents that is Portland San Francisco Steamship Company to reinforce the Astoria mer chants for the losses they sustained in Shifting Titles. There were five deeds that disaster, and is a logical issue

The Astoria Grocers' Association, one

of the strongest groups of business houses in this city, took the initiative In Final Rest, On Uniteday evening in seeking common redress for all conberger, wite of J. M. Schamberger, of its latters, its pleas, conched in terms last. Mrs. Schamberger leaves to mourn tion ever sine, negotiations were openare sustress Margaret, decepts and practically ignored by the big corpora Marie Sie aus born it Naperville, III. They ever since negotiations were open for the cost eight wears, winning and treated with responses, the brevity and olding here a host of a rin friends who in consequence of which were tanta deploye the unhappy issue of her illness, mount to a deliberate and inspired Funeral caynes will be held at St such such as no business man, no busi-Marc's tatholic church at 1 30 o'clock now town is amenable to under such cir on tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon, Rev. stances as these; and the withdrawal of Fatter Waters officiating and sepulture the Astoria business from the line. magne as it may be by way of reprisal, is a timely and radical expression Taken to Pest House, Acsterday of a realizing sense of the injustice put norming, one Charles Lundgram, a upon them and their business colleagues. amen writer on the steamer F. V. Kil. by a company, that by every dictate of have a might mode for her master that he local policy, and business indigurents should have done them the same simple justice it extended to the terminal mer-

> Hold Examination, On March 28th the civil service board will hold an examination for the position of mechanical and topographical dranglatsman for the engineering department.

Rebate Ceases March 15. The sheriff states that those who have not paid their taxes should leave their lists in the office so that matters may be atoffice over to his successor, Dr. Mohn tended to before March 15, at which time the 3 per cent rebate will cease.

> Identity Unknown. The skeleton of the man found Thursday afternoon by two boys in Uppertown, was removed vesterday morning by Coroner Pohl to the undertaking parlors and will be inon the body which might serve as a means of identification, and it is probable that the man's name will never be known. Lying near the body a flask a long dirk. About a year ago an unknown man stopped at the Central hotel, and disappeared shortly after. leaving his grip at the place. Whether the skeleton is that of the man who it is possible that the deceased might

MASONIC.

Temple Lodge, No. 7, A. F. & A. M. meets on the evenings of the first and third Tuesdays in each month; south-I sengers at any point in the east without west corner of Ninth and Commercial) extra charge. For further information streets. By order of the W. M.

E. C. HOLDEN, secretary. & N. Company.

To look casually at Cashier George Blessing, of the O. R. & N. service here one would never be impressed with the iden that he was ever a deep-water sail-Rate to Astoria.

IT IS A MATTER OF TIME ONLY

Export Business of Columbia Basin Should Be Done At Natural Outlet, With Less Cost to Producer-Valuable Hints.

A reader of the Astorian calls attention to the published statement that ship charters are less from Tacoma and Seattle than from Portland on the Willamette, and less from San Francisco than from Tacoma; and also to the further statement that Mr. Wheelwright. to the deck, he shook off one of his of the Port of Portland Commission rubber sea boots and it landed aft on suggests that the O. R. & N. Company on the river between the sea and Port land, so as to offset the difference in charter rates between Portland and Tacome, and then add- that A-toria, and the mouth of the Columbia seem to have been overlooked in the agreement. entirely; and proceeding, on this premise, save:

"Would it not solve the problem and be better for the O. R. & N. Company to deliver its carloads of grain by rail direct to the mouth of the Columbia and save the necessity for this enforced absorbtion of the differential?"

Miss B. Wedekin, E. Miller, Captain "Then would Astoria have a commonand Mrs. J. W. Babbidge, M. H. Pettitt point rate on grain, from the interior. and be on a level with Tacoma and Seattle. The mouth of the Columbia would also have the same advantages, ly be held up at Coos Bay, and Eureka as to length of sailing routes, as San on the score of her health bill, as Dr. Francisco, and then would the Colum-Pilkington, of this city, has wired the bia Basin and its commerce be kept at health officers of those ports as to the wholl; within the State of Oregon.

> "If the O. R. & N. Company had done this years ago, the Alaska business never would have been diverted as it has been, nor Portland merchants been my life." Cures the worst Coughs and obliged to build flour mills outside Oregon to do the business of Oregon."

All of which is entirely logical and and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. pertinent and is respectfully referred to the powers with whom it lies to invoke the remedy suggested.

PERSONAL MENTION. ************

J. Auerbach, of San Francisco, is in The steamer Dispater came down from the city on business. Portland yesterday morning and went

F. A. Fisher has arrived home from to sex without delay, bound for San his recent trip to Seattle.

> A Gouldstine, of Portland arrived in Astoria yesterday on the 11:35 train. G. C. Fulton was a passenger for the metropolis on the evening train yester-

The steamer F. A. Kilburn for the Dr. August Kinney was a homing pas Bay City, came down from Portland press yesterday.

J T. Matthes of Portland came down on the noon express yesterday to transact business here.

Oakland barbor, California. (List of L. L. Dudiey, the local sponsor for lights and fog signals. Pacific Coast, 1904, page 16, No. 37, and list of lights.

returned from Portland yesterlay. buoys and daymarks, Pacific Coast, 1906 Portland via the O. R. & N. lines to Notice is hereby given that Oakland burbor south jetty light, entranes to

Mrs. M. J. Pomeroy, the mother of Oakland harbor, San Francisco, Califor-Agent Pomeroy of the Kamm line of nia, has been damaged by a collision and steamers arrived down from Rainler, that a post lantern, suspended from the yesterday and is the guest of her son two remaining piles, and showing a fixfor a few days. ed red light, has been temporarily sub-

H. L. Hamblett went to Portland on the night express yesterday, but it is expected he will be back in a few days to attend the closing up of the business details of the Warrenton mill property and its recent sale.

The very best board to be obtained in the city is at "The Occident Hotel." Rates very reasonable.

New Popular Song Books-Svenson's tell him so. That is all.

in the office of the county recorder here yesterday. They cover the building and maintenance of the proposed electric In the Matter of Common Point railway line between this city and Seaside in special terms, and contain all the analagous provisions for extension and amplification of the business usual in such documents, and name a capital stock of \$300,000 divided into 3000 shares of the value of \$100 each; and they name as directors, and are signed by, the following people: Sanderson Reed, C. M. Cartwright, B. F. Allen, J. Frank Watson, E. J. Daly and W. L. Dudley. The list comprises a thoroughly substantial group of business men in the state and in Washington. Mr. Reed is a prominent and successful lawyer of Portland; C. M. Cartwright is well known in this section as a man of means and measures, and perhaps best known here as the owner of the Holliday property on the line of the proposed road between here and Seaside; B. F. Allen is a well known banker of Prineville, Oregon; Mr. Wat-on is president of the Merchants' National Bank at Portland. Mr. Duly is a heavy operator in real estate in the city of Seattle, shall absorb the expenses of the ship and Mr. Dudley, is at present of the Alki Transportation Company, of Seattle, and is becoming well and favorably known in this city the longer he stays here. Taken as a whole the list indieates financial stability and business acumen and promises much for the new venture. Mr. Dudley is going over the line today and will see Surveyor Parker and ascertain how nearly established the grades of the road now are, when he will send for Chief Engineer Hanford, of Seattle to confirm the same and then the dirt will begin to fly and the assurance is given that when construction opens up there will be no cessation in the work until the wheels are turning between the terminals.

Substantial Group. The full articles of incorporation of the Astoria & Coast

Interurban Railway Company were filed

Doctors Are Puzzled.

The remarkable recovery of Kenneth McIver, of Vanceboro, Me., is the subject of much interest to the medical fraternity and a wide circle of friends. the natural outlet of that basin and He says of his case: "Owing to severe wholly within the State of Oregon," gestion of the Lungs, three doctors gave me up to die, when, as a last resort, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery and I am happy to say, it saved Bronchitis, Tonsilitis, Weak Lungs, Hoarceness and LaGrippe. Guaranteed at Chas, Rogers' drug store. 50c

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LEST YOU FORGET.

Is it not about time you were getting the "A. & C. I." is in the city having that buggy fixed up? It may need new rubber tires or perhaps some other re-Miss H. Julge left for Chicago on the pairs. If so, take it to Andrew Asp & Lurline last night; she will go out from Company. They also do all kinds of blacksmithing and repair work.

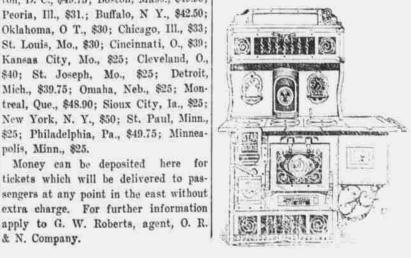
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