

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING.

WANTED—EMPLOYMENT.

AD WRITERS WANTED—There are many positions open for ad writers and advertising managers. Salaries run as high as \$16,000 a year. We can teach you advertising in your spare time and at a low cost. Ability to read and write and ambition to succeed are all you need. Write today for "Two Hundred Million Dollar Advertising Booklet," which gives full particulars. I. C. S., Box 28, Portland, Or.

WANTED—BY A MIDDLE AGED man, also a middle aged lady, work of some kind; must have same at once; man as day laborer, watchman or anything at all; lady will do any kind of work by the day. Answer to this office.

CIVIL SERVICE—We want young men who wish to enter the U. S. Civil Service. If you are over 18, an American, and can read and write, we can qualify you to pass examinations. Write at once for "Civil Service Booklet," stating age. I. C. S., Box 28, Portland, Or.

MALE HELP WANTED—MEN AND women to learn watchmaking, engraving, jeweler work, optics; easy terms; positions guaranteed; money made learning. Watchmaking-Engraving School, 1426 Fourth avenue, Seattle, Wash.

MECHANICAL DRAFTSMEN WANTED—The demand is always in excess of the supply. We qualify young men, at small expense, to take well-paid positions as mechanical draftsmen and mechanical engineers. All that is needed is ability to read and write and willingness to study. Write today for "Mechanical Drawing Circular." I. C. S., Box 28, Portland, Or.

YOUNG MEN WANTED who desire to earn better salaries and do more congenial work. If able to read and write, and ambitious to succeed, we can qualify you for a position as mechanical, electrical, steam, civil, or mining engineer, architect, etc. Write at once, stating position wanted. I. C. S., Box 28, Portland, Or.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—THE STOCK AND FIXTURES of a general store located a few miles from Astoria; very clean stock, and will invoice about \$7000. Particulars at WESTERN REALTY CO.

ONE HUNDRED-ROOM HOTEL FOR sale; doing a splendid business; good opportunity for a first-class hotel man. WESTERN REALTY CO.

FOR SALE—ONE-QUARTER OR ONE-half interest in a summer resort hotel doing a fine business; over 100 rooms and always engaged 'way ahead. WESTERN REALTY CO.

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE OF A large lodging house; rooms always full; low rent. Western Realty Co., 475 Commercial street.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.



CHAMBERLAIN AND HIS HOLIDAYS

They are legal to buy property on. If you are tired or worried looking at your certificate of deposits, have checks, drafts or clearing-house certificates, you want to exchange, bring them to 430 Commercial street, and you can have improved city property with an incoming monthly rental that will be profitable as an investment or safe as a loan. Property in any part of city desired. Respectfully announced

O. F. MORTON.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—NINE-ROOM FLAT; CORNER Ninth and Commercial. Inquire 286 Commercial. 12-15-71.

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS to rent; no children wanted. 330 17th st., P. E. Ferchen. 12-15-11.

FOR SALE.

THE CORNER LOT WEST OF PRESBYTERIAN Church on Grand avenue and Eleventh street; price, \$2000. J. H. MANSELL. 12-7-71.

HOUSE MOVERS.

FREDRICKSON BROS.—We make a specialty of house moving, carpenters, contractors, general jobbing; prompt attention to all orders. Corner Tenth and Duane.

LAUNDRIES.

THOSE PLEATED BOSOM SHIRTS The kind known by dressy men in the summer, are difficult articles to launder nicely. Unless you know just how to do it, the front pleats won't iron down smooth, and the shirt front will look messy. Our New Press Ironer irons them without rolling or stretching. Try it. Troy Laundry, Tenth and Duane. Phone Main 1991.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

CHARLES H. ABERCROMBIE Attorney-at-Law City Attorney Offices, City Hall

JOHN C. MOCUE, Attorney-At-Law. Deputy District Attorney. Page Building, Suite 4.

HOWARD M. BROWNELL, Attorney-At-Law. Office with Mr. J. A. Eakin, at No. 420 Commercial St., Astoria.

DENTISTS.

DR. VAUGHAN, DENTIST Pythian Building, Astoria, Oregon.

DR. W. C. LOGAN, DENTIST Commercial St. Shanahan Building

OSTEOPATH.

DR. RHODA C. HICKS, OSTEOPATH Office Mansel Bld. Phone Black 2944 573 Commercial St., Astoria, Ore.

MEDICAL.

Advertisement for Dr. C. Gee Wo, 'Unprecedented Successes of THE GREAT CHINESE DOCTOR' who is known throughout the United States on account of his wonderful cures. No poisons or drugs used. He guarantees to cure catarrh, asthma, lung and throat trouble, rheumatism, nervousness, stomach, liver and kidney, female complaints and all chronic diseases. SUCCESSFUL HOME TREATMENT. If you cannot call write for symptom blank and circular, inclosing 4 cents in stamps. THE C. GEE WO MEDICINE CO. 162 1/2 First St., Corner Morrison, PORTLAND, OREGON. Please mention the Astorian.

AMUSEMENTS.

PLEASANT HOUR

ENTERTAINMENT

VAUDEVILLE AT THE LOUVRE

And Vaudeville that really Amuses and Interests you. Weekly Changes of Program and Each Change an Improvement

SPECIALTIES THIS WEEK

- LITTLE MISS FRISCO Song and Dance Artist
THELMA BECKS Balladist
ALMA PIERCE Swedish Nightingale
PRINCESS OMEANA The World's Wonder—Don't Fall to See Her
VIC LINDBECK, Prop. HOTELS

MISCELLANEOUS.

FINNISH MASSEUSE, Victoria Airola cures rheumatism, chronic, bowel and liver disorders. Hot vapor baths will be given if the patient's conditions demands such treatment. I will positively cure the most obstinate case of rheumatism. V. A. AIROLA. 10-19-11. 152 Washington St.

MASSAGING.

Massaging IN ALL ITS BRANCHES; WARM baths if necessary; thorough competency is assured.

MRS. M. HEYNO, 87 W. Bond Street, Astoria.

BOAT-BUILDING.

FRANK SMITH, BOATBUILDING AND REPAIRING A SPECIALTY Taylor avenue.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

RESTAURANTS.

TOKIO RESTAURANT. 531 Bond Street. Opposite Ross, Higgins & Co.

Coffee with Pie or Cake 10 Cts. —FIRST-CLASS MEALS.— Regular Meals 15 Cts. and Up.

U. S. RESTAURANT. 434 Bond Street. Coffee with Pie or Cake 10 Cts. First Class Meals 15 Cts.

OPEN DAY AND NIGHT. ASTORIA RESTAURANT MANG HING, Prop. Phone 1681 Main. 309 Bond St.

The Finest 25c. Meal Served in Astoria. —Game in Season.— Your Patronage Solicited. Courteous Treatment to All.

HOTELS.

NORTHERN HOTEL Astoria's Newest and Best Hotel. Eleventh and Duane Streets. Rooms, Single or en Suite, Steam-Heated, Baths, Running Water in Every Room. Rates, 50c to \$1.50; Special by Week. Phone Main 3911. MRS. J. COLLINS, Manager.

HOTEL PORTLAND

Finest Hotel in the Northwest PORTLAND, ORE. European Plan Only. H. C. BOWERS, Manager.

UNDERTAKERS.

J. A. GILBAUGH & CO., Undertakers and Embalmers. Experienced Lady Assistant When Desired.



Calls Promptly Attended Day or Night. Patton Bldg. 12th and Duane Sts ASTORIA, OREGON Phone Main 2111

PLUMBERS.

JNO. A. MONTGOMERY PLUMBER Heating Contractor, Tinner —AND— Sheet Iron Worker ALL WORK GUARANTEED 425 Bond Street.

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

Eagle Concert Hall (320 Astor St.) Rooms for rent by the day, week, or month. Best rates in town. P. A. PETERSO., Prop.

REPEAL UNJUST LAW

Former Secretary of Interior De-livers Address.

PEOPLE CANNOT COMPLAIN

When Citizens Fail to Exercise Their Rights at the Primaries They Have no Cause to Complain if Politicians Think Only of Their Political Debts.

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—At the banquet of the Commercial Club tonight Hitchcock, former Secretary of the Interior, delivered an address covering the organization and work of the Department of the Interior, and discussed the problems which the government is obliged to meet and declared:

"If the laws are unjust and excessive, the answer has been and still is, Amend or repeal them. If the people fail to exercise their rights and duties at the primaries they cannot complain if the politicians, thinking only of their political debts, resort to methods and accomplish results which the patriot either regards with contempt or indignantly exposes.

"Just so long as government officials wear the collar of those to whom they are indebted for nomination and appointment, just so long will we have land frauds by perjury, and illegal fencing of the public domain to the exclusion of the pioneer home builder, and the speculative grafter ready and eager to rob the nation's wards of their rightful inheritance."

STOESSEL'S FRIEND.

General Kuropatkin Gives Evidence Favorable to Officer.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 13.—General Kuropatkin testified yesterday at the court-martial of General Stoessel and other army officers charged with needlessly surrendering Port Arthur to the Japanese, that the Japanese could have taken Port Arthur by assault in the early days of the war, as the defenses were then incomplete. On the whole, General Kuropatkin's evidence was favorable to General Stoessel.

The conduct of General Fock, who is charged with responsibility for the defeat at Nanshan and the subsequent retirement to Port Arthur, also was reviewed by the court, and the evidence of General Kuropatkin was helpful to this officer as well.

General Kuropatkin declined to answer several questions, on the ground that to do so would make known military secrets, but he said that the whole plan of the war was based upon the supposed invincibility of the Russian fleet and that the original scheme for the defense of Port Arthur could not be carried out successfully after the squadron had been crippled by the treacherous opening attack of the Japanese.

According to the indictment, General Fock's retreat from Nanshan jeopardized the fortress, but General Stoessel produced orders from General Kuropatkin and Viceroy Alexieff justifying Fock's retirement, and he obtained the admission from General Kuropatkin that the position was untenable without the assistance of the fleet. Over the fleet General Stoessel had no authority.

The name of ex-Viceroy Alexieff, who has declined to appear as a witness, was mentioned continually yesterday in an unfavorable light, and a ripple of merriment was provoked by a phrase in one of his orders, saying:

"The chief task of Fock is to retreat at the proper time."

General Kuropatkin did not conceal his animosity toward the ex-viceroy, and declared that Alexieff had forbidden him to visit the fortress before the siege.

BLOOD OF NO AVAIL.

Minister Submitted to Transfusion Operation But Patient Dies.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Mrs. Julia Labson is dead, and the heroic sacrifice of Rev. Dr. J. Lewis Clark was in vain. Dr. Clark at the risk of contracting blood poisoning, submitted to an operation for the transfusion of blood to Mrs. Labson, when the doctors said that only this could save her life. It was found necessary to amputate her leg and the doctors feared that she would bleed to death. The relative who was to have given her his blood that she might withstand the operation, failed to arrive and Dr. Clark, her pastor, who had been much with her during her stay in the hospital, volunteered for the service. It was expected that Mrs. Labson would recover from the operation and it was not until last night just before he went before the prayer meeting of his church that the news of her sudden death reached him.

Mrs. Labson was well known as an oratory singer and Dr. Clark is the clergyman who became prominent by marrying Wm. Ellis Corey, president of

the United States Steel Corporation and Mabelle Gilman, the actress, after several other ministers had refused to reform the ceremony, because of Mr. Corey's previous divorce.

MADE GOOD MONEY.

But Uncle Sam Didn't Want Any Competitors.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Herman Henz, who made silver dollars so well that only experts could distinguish his product from that of the mint, was sentenced yesterday to six years at Sing Sing prison and to pay the government \$250 in real money.

Henz's method was to melt up Mexican silver dollars and remold the bullion into counterfeitfeels of United States 50-cent pieces. The counterfeiter calmly admitted having made the coins and set up the defense that his money was as good as the government and that consequently no one had been defrauded. He was making money, he said, with which to build an airship, as he was certain that he had solved the problem of aerial navigation.

Henz came east from San Francisco and began business in a cottage on the outskirts of Suffern, N. Y. The curiosity which led a party of boys to peep through a window of the cottage recently proved his undoing.

FIFTEENTH COMES HOME.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—The army transport Sherman, Capt. Brugiere, which arrived late Thursday night, docked at the transport wharf yesterday. The transport brought home the Fifteenth Infantry which left here on the Sherman in November, 1905, and during its two years' duty in the Philippines was stationed at Camp Keittly in Mindanao. The regiment will go from here to Fort Douglas, Utah.

Good Cough medicine for Children.

The season for coughs and colds is now at hand and too much care cannot be used to protect the children. A child is much more likely to contract diphtheria or scarlet fever when he has a cold. The quicker you cure his cold the less the risk. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the sole reliance of many mothers, and few of those who have tried it are willing to use any other. Mrs. F. F. Starcher, of Ripley, W. Va.,

says: "I have never used anything other than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for my children and it has always given good satisfaction." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a child as to an adult. For sale by Frank Hart and leading druggists.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Advertisement for Sallowness Transformed to Dusky Beauty. A dark skin becomes fascinating when delicately soft, underpinned with the radiant glow which indicates a healthy, active skin. Robertine keeps the skin refined in quality, keeps pores free from clogging waste and stimulates the tiny capillaries to contribute the color which charms in blonde and brunette alike. Robertine is certain protection against tan, sunburn and freckles if applied before exposure to sun or wind. Spreads like an imperceptible sheet of gauze over skin surface, forming a shield stimulating and preserving a delicate, lustrous beauty. Ask your Druggist for it. ROBERTINE

Advertisement for DEYERS GOLDEN WEST SPICES, COFFEE, TEA, BAKING POWDER, FLAVORING EXTRACTS. Absolute Purity, Finest Flavor, Greatest Strength, Reasonable Prices. CLOSSET & DEYERS PORTLAND, OREGON.

Advertisement for Sherman Transfer Co. HENRY SHERMAN, Manager. Trucks, Carriages—Baggage Checked and Transferred—Trucks and Furniture Wagons—Pianos Moved, Boxed and Shipped. 433 Commercial Street. Main Phone 1212. H. B. PARKER, Proprietor. E. P. PARKER, Manager. PARKER HOUSE EUROPEAN PLAN. First Class in Every Respect. Free Coach to the House. Bar and Billiard Room. Good Sample Rooms on Ground Floor for Commercial Men. Astoria Oregon

Advertisement for ABSOLUTELY CURE Indigestion, Rheumatism, Diabetes, Kidney Diseases, Bladder Troubles, Liver complaints. A SURE KIDNEY AND LIVER CURE. Have you healthy kidneys? If not, you will soon be attacked with that terrible Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Gravel, Dropsy or Rheumatism, and your health and happiness ruined. We have the only treatment that is a sure cure for the dreaded Bright's Disease, Diabetes, and all other forms of Kidney and Bladder Troubles. If your kidneys are not healthy, if the bladder is inflamed and weakened, urine highly colored or cloudy, smarting in passing, pains in back, nervous, languid, depressed, weakened in body and mind, bowels constipated and digestion bad, write for a box of Herington's Tablets and be cured. RHEUMATISM is caused by an excess of uric acid in the blood. Ask any reputable physician, ask your family doctor, and he will tell you that the Uric Acid must be dissolved and drawn from the system before the disease yields. What Causes Rheumatism. Now we say that the only medicine known that will actually dissolve this Uric Acid and carry it out of the body is Herington's Tablets. Local applications such as liniments, electricity, massaging, etc., will afford temporary relief only, and is time wasted to the injury of the patient, unless constitutional treatment is carried on at the same time. Why? Because the malady is a disease of the blood, and the blood must be freed of the cause—or no cure can follow. WRITE TODAY—Fill in the coupon printed below and send it to us with 25 cents. We will immediately mail to you a liberal sized box of Herington's Tablets. If they fail to CURE you we will return your money as willingly as we took it. Our guarantee is, NO CURE, NO PAY. FILL IN THIS COUPON TODAY. Our remedy will put you on the road to health and happiness. HERINGTON MEDICINE CO., Grand Rapids, Mich. Herington Medicine Co., Grand Rapids, Michigan, I enclose 25 cents, for which please send, postage prepaid, 1 box Herington's Tablets. My Name..... My Address..... My Druggist's Name.....