

The Store *The* Ladies  
FOR Women **BEEHIVE** Outfitters  
MILLINERY

**SCHOOL SHOES!**  
that can be depended on

"Blue Ribbon Buster Brown." "The Spartan"  
"District 76"

Take your pick of any of these shoes and you have shoes that will stand the wear and tear of school life.

**COAST, BAR AND RIVER  
NEWS OF THE HOUR**

CRAFT ARRIVING AND DEPARTING IN AND FROM ASTORIA  
—AND THEIR MASTERS, MEN AND MESSAGES

The steamer Tiverton, lumber laden for the Bay City, went to sea yesterday morning bright and early.

The Evie came in from the Tillamook coast yesterday and went to her berth at the O. R. & N. piers.

The oil tank steamer Col. E. L. Drake, came down the river and left out for the California coast early yesterday morning.

The Italian warship Puglia is due down from the metropolis this morning en route to the Bay City, and will go directly to sea.

The Lurline came down before 5 o'clock last evening, and went back at 7, Portland-ward, with plenty of business above and below stairs.

The news from Portland as to the condition of Captain John Anderson, of the steamer Hassalo, is still good. He is mending rapidly and will be on duty in ten days more or less.

The schooner Mabel Gale will finish loading at the Columbia mills at Knappton today, and will leave out at once for Molendo, with a big lumber cargo.

The schooner Schome went to sea yesterday morning, bound for Port Gamble, via Eagle Harbor, and will head out for home, San Francisco, when she is cargoes from those points.

The British steamship Magdala entered port yesterday morning, 28 days from Auckland, New Zealand, after a pleasant and rapid voyage. She is in part cargo and bound for Portland, where she will load grain out for Europe.

**TEA**

You think one tea as good as another?  
Why don't you buy at the lowest price you see in the window?

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best; we pay him.

**The Best Judge  
Before Trial**



of good and stylish Millinery is the average woman of today. Her critical eye is ever ready to pass judgment upon the passing Hat at any season of the year. And all ladies are now invited here to inspect the new Fall styles in Millinery and give their verdict about the new fashions as displayed in our latest creation. There are various styles and shapes, made up and trimmed most artistically, and we confidently believe that our present creation of Hats has YOUR ideal among them.

**JALOFF'S**  
"The Style Store."  
Suits, Cloaks and Millinery

The fine steamship Nebraskan, well known in this port, is due here again today or tomorrow, but probably this afternoon, from Honolulu, via San Francisco and Puget Sound, and will go on to Portland for a lot of merchandise, and stop here on her way down for a stiff shipment of salmon.

The steamer Eureka, from Portland to Eureka, via this city, came down the river yesterday morning and docked at the Callender dock. On the way down she broke one of her pumps and was laid up here for several hours repairing it; getting to sea during the afternoon.

The French bark General Foy came into port yesterday morning, 68 days from Hobart, after a passage unmarked by any extraordinary circumstances. Her second mate is an invalid, due to heart trouble, and will go to the hospital here for immediate treatment, rejoining his ship at Portland after he is better.

The steamship Roanoke with lots of passengers on board, and her hold well stocked with general freights, came in from the California coast yesterday morning and docked at the Callender. She brought from Eureka the remains of the late George Ross, which were taken at once to the Knappa home. The Roanoke went on to Portland after discharging part of her cargo at this port.

The fine, new fisheries patrol boat "Astoria" is just about completed at Portland, and is due in these waters on her trial trip in the course of a few days. Deputy Fish Warden Brown left up on the patrol boat Rose City early yesterday morning, and will bring the new craft down on her initial voyage. The patrol launch Oregon is to be made more comfortable by a full set of housing which will be of great advantage in the winter cruising she must do.

**REPORTS ENCOURAGING.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The representatives of several unions in this city affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, says that they have received copies of a report based on dispatches sent by officers of unions throughout the country as to the general state of trade. The reports were in most cases encouraging. In some cases wages had been slightly increased and in a large number of cities, especially in the west, it was reported that there were indications of an increasing demand for workers.

**For Sale.**

Twelve shares Northern Oyster companies stock, one hundred and thirty dollars (130) per share. Apply Imperial Restaurant. 8-9-1f

Boys wanted to carry papers. Apply Circulation Department, Astorian Office. 9-17-1f

Restaurants, Hotels, Ships, Boats, Mills, Logging Camps, Etc.

We will give you low prices and special rates on all kinds of meats. Every pound guaranteed to be fresh, pure, and in perfect condition. Frank L. Smith Meat Co., Twelfth street between Commercial and Bond. 14-1f

**Farmers.**

The Frank L. Smith Meat Company, Twelfth street, between Bond and Commercial, buys hides; pelts, dressed veal, dressed pork and poultry. 9-14-1f

**SEA-WALL RECORDS AS  
THEY STAND NOW**

**RELATIVE MERITS OF THE  
VOTE AND PROTEST IN  
THIS BEHALF.**

It may be said, by way of warning, that the cold repudiation of the recorded protest of 105 citizens of Astoria, against the present seawall bill, as the same has been set up and referred to the common council by the common council charter committee, and adopted, for reference to the people of Astoria, will not be forgotten nor allowed to drift into the limbo of overlooked things, by any manner of means. For, as the sum of \$12,384 (the sum of the taxable property for last year, of the five councilmen who voted the thing into official and legal status) is to the sum of \$365,469 (the sum of the taxable property of the 105 protestants, for the same period) so is the ratio of opposition to the measure in this city. This is the condition of affairs in this relation now, and it will not change in favor of the bill between this and the first Tuesday in December next.

It is only fair to the general public that these ratios should be known, in order that the relative bearings of the groups at interest may be honestly and manifest in the resume that will surely be made, before the issue is laid; and to this end the Morning Astorian today offers the contrast, as follows:

As to the council, it will, in all probability, be claimed that the members thereof, stand for all the taxable wealth of the city and should not be segregated, but for once, as a means of balance the weights of responsibility in the premise, this presentation is made, with the further statement that the three members of the council who voted against the bill, may be said to have represented the composite wealth of the city as well as their colleagues, and spoke for it in the same way. The five gentlemen who carried it, and their taxable showings, are as follows, George Kaboth, \$7443; Jens H. Hansen, \$602; C. A. Leinenweber, \$505; W. C. Logan, \$3660; H. L. Henderson, \$174; total, \$12,384.

The protestants, who, apparently, had no standing in the matter, other than to have their bill of exceptions filed without comment or active consideration, and their respective taxable wealth for 1907, are as follows:

W. E. Dement, \$6641; J. P. Badollet, \$750; Theo. Bracker, \$6293; A. G. Spexarth, \$6009; A. McPharlan, \$632; W. J. Sculley, \$746; John Bryce, \$360; R. Basel, \$2600; W. Frederickson, \$340; J. E. Ferguson, \$3771; A. Montgomery, \$1468; I. Bergman, \$6739; E. P. Parker, \$907; Frank J. Taylor, \$4374; Otto Duffner, \$1785; Frank Patton, \$2419; M. D. Staples, \$1155; Aug. Danielson, \$2597; F. L. Warren, \$2690; V. Boelling, \$2217; G. O. Moen, \$1140; Geo. L. Colwell, \$3529; S. Elmore, \$9942; G. W. Lounsbury, \$3006; Louis Kirchof, \$228; Col. River Packers Association by S. Elmore, vice-president, \$63,119; H. Humbel, \$4335; S. S. Smith, \$427; M. A. Stevens, \$120; Chas. H. Rhor, \$720; R. Carruthers, \$7835; Sherman Transfer Co., \$1730; A. S. Reed, \$5,070; E. C. Jeffers, \$1414; A. V. Allen, \$9464; Max Young, \$745; D. J. Ingalls, \$1335; Astoria Iron Works, per John Fox, \$11,586; J. Q. A. Bowlby, \$7230; J. H. Mansell, \$90,000; J. A. Fastabend, \$80; G. C. Flavel, \$4034; T. S. Trullinger, \$914; T. O. Trullinger, \$375; B. Van Dusen, \$2602; C. Wright, \$1180; E. Z. Ferguson, \$9815; H. G. Van Dusen, \$1705; A. R. Cyrus, \$1266; J. F. Hamilton, \$14,206; Geo. Wood, \$20; John Hahn, \$3228; John Mattson, \$1555; D. M. Stuart, \$164; R. W. Hall, \$1316; E. Malagamba, \$310; J. N. Griffin, \$5157; Mrs. M. A. Hume, \$140; Alex. Tagg, \$378; Moses Townen, \$325; Alfred Niemi, \$195; C. S. Brown, \$13,872; Richard Riippa, \$220; J. Jackson, \$400; John Stevens, \$3745; Sam Bugi, J. W. Takkunen, \$455; A. C. Fisher, \$6310; Jack Riinnikka, Daniel Hannula, \$505; J. S. Erickson, \$575; Chas. Pernu, \$387; John Jerola; Israel Nelson; Henry Laht, \$50; Frans Kankonen; Alex. Palo, \$665; Matti Karpula; H. A. Hanson, \$40; Jacob Hanson, \$395; Charles Wilson, \$195; Jay Kajalo; Johan Erickson, \$252; Henry Pisi; Matt Fursick; Matt Putarila; Andrew Maki; Oscar Uotila, \$25; John Teppalo; John Hina; David Hansen, \$120; Abe Hikka; Kalli Yunnakiven; Chas. Leaf; Abram Erickson, \$260; John Gustafson, \$584; Kalle Ylonen.

**Let's Get Down to Business!**

**What's the Use of Talking in Riddles?  
Figures and Results are What Count.**

If we say we can sell you the best clothing made in the United States for less money than you can buy any similar class goods, and then cannot prove that we can, our assertions fall flat and the public would never again have faith in any argu-



ment we might make—But WE DO say it, WE CAN prove it, and WILL, if you will but give us the opportunity.

We are sole agents for the celebrated.

**Hart Schaffner & Mark**

clothing. Yesterday we received a large shipment of their classiest

**SUITS and  
TOP-COATS**

"Come in" "Get our prices"  
"You'll buy"

Top-Coats \$18 to \$25  
Suits - \$20 to \$30



HATS

FURNISHINGS

Home of H. S. M. Guaranteed Clothing.

It is said, in this relation, that steps will be taken at an early day to call a mass meeting of the citizens and property owners of Astoria to consider the whole matter in open conference, untrammelled by any organic influences whatever in the community; and it is likely such a demonstration will, of necessity, bring the whole matter within the controlling and effective touch of these most deeply concerned in the project.

**SO "DIG," BRETHREN, OR  
GET ARRESTED**

**ROUSING CAMPAIGN TO BE IN-  
STITUTED FOR COLLECTION  
OF POLL TAXES 'TIS SAID**

It is likely that an advertisement will be inserted in the Astoria newspapers calling attention to the fact that the annual poll tax is now due and payable, and that there is an alarmingly large list of delinquents. Out of upwards of 4000 men who are liable to the payment, hardly 10 per cent have paid up, and it is said to be not unlikely that arrests will be made to teach the recalcitrants a lesson.

Dudley Blount, the official poll tax collector, has worked early and late and has "struck" nearly everybody, but in many instances he has met with a stony stare and the marble heart instead of that generous and open-hearted expression of "looseness" which often characterizes these same men in other financial dealings. The law says the tax must be paid. It provides for arrest and punishment in case of delinquency.

At all events new life and vigor are to be put into the campaign of collecting the poll taxes, and hence if the citizen, if between the ages of 20 and 50 years, sees a small but weighty man approaching him with a kindly but determined expression on his face, he might as well "dig." It's only \$3, and the county needs the money. But if the "same reluctance

**...A WORD TO THE WISE...**

**Smoked Sturgeon**

Just in, but it will go out fast. You had better place your order at once. 25c the lb.

**ACME GROCERY Co.**

HIGH GRADE GROCERIES

521 COMMERCIAL STREET

PHONE 681

about paying continues, it is said to be probable that some day about 20 warrants will be issued. Prominent people preferred, because of the better example their arrest would make.

**NEW TO-DAY**

The O. K. Chop House is now open at Twelfth street, north of Commercial. Short orders and oysters at all hours. 9-15-6t

For Rubber Stamps and Typewriter Supplies see Lenora Benoit, Public Stenographer, 447 Commercial street.

**The Palace Restaurant.**

Any phase of hunger can be daintily gratified at any hour of the day or night at the Palace Restaurant. The kitchen and dining room service are of the positive best. Private dining rooms for ladies. One call inspires regular custom. Try it. Commercial street, opposite Page building.

**New Grocery Store.**

Try our own mixture of coffee—the J. P. B. Fresh fruit and vegetables. Badollet & Co., grocers. Phone Mair 1281.

**UPHOLSTERING**

Mattresses and furniture made like new. Bob Davis, 59 Ninth street.

**Millinery Opening.**

You are invited to the opening display of fall and winter millinery at the La Mode, 682 Commercial street, Saturday, September 19th. 9-16-4t

**COAL DELIVERED AT \$7.50**

It may be well for the thrifty citizen to remember that the Kelley Transfer Co. is now delivering an excellent domestic coal to any home in the city, within rational distance, at \$7.50 per ton. File orders early at the office, 565 Duane street.

**The Clean Man.**

The man who delights in personal cleanliness, and enjoys his shave, shampoo, haircut, and bath, in Astoria, always goes to the Occident barber shop for these things—and gets them at their best.

**All Things Modern.**

"The Modern," the beautiful tonorial establishment of Arthur E. Petersen, at 572 Commercial street in this city, is unquestionably the real resort for the most perfect treatment in this behalf, and the most critical finds nothing to criticize there, howsoever often he visits the place.

**The Commercial.**

One of the coziest and most popular resorts in the city is the Commercial. A new billiard room, a pleasant sitting room and handsome fixtures all go to make an agreeable meeting place for gentlemen, there to discuss the topics of the day, play a game of billiards and enjoy the fine refreshments served there. The best of goods are only handled, and this fact being so well known, a large business is done at the Commercial, on Commercial street, near Eleventh.