

THE ASTORIAN.

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BLACK SAND.

Much has been said concerning the exhaustless wealth of Clatsop county and the adjacent country, but not all that could be by any means. The black auriferous sands which is found in exhaustless quantities at the mouth of the Columbia river have been almost totally overlooked. Now that these sands are attracting the attention of scientific men, as they have never done before, it is a good time to bring them before the notice of the public.

unsuccessfully until at last the leaching, or chlorination process, has been tested and adopted by Mr. Lockhart owner of a mine in the vicinity of Coos Bay. His methods are said to be a complete success, having recently extracted from several tons of black sand, \$29 per ton at an expense of \$4 per ton.

NEWSPAPER POSTAGE.—As we understand the facts the new postal law does not and will not require full prepayment of postage on all printed matter. Transient or miscellaneous matter must be fully prepaid at the mailing office.

ASTORIA HARBOR.—It seems unaccountable, in view of the fact that from the days of '49 such gentlemen as Admiral Alden, McArthur, and others equally as reliable, have known and recommended Astoria Harbor, that Oregonians cannot lay aside old grudges, and presenting an united front go in together for the purpose of building up a trade that would at once place the State in the lead for superior commercial relations.

We have tested new potatoes from a hill on Mount Misery, raised by Mr. Minnaker that were splendid. The four weighed 2 1/2 pounds.

Beaver Lodge No. 35, I. O. O. F. Meet every Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, in the Odd Fellows' Hall, corner of Cass and Jefferson streets, Astoria. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order, N. G.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice of Final Settlement. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF G. W. Cook, deceased. By order of Hon. J. Moffitt, Judge of the Probate Court for Clatsop county, State of Oregon, the first Monday in September, 1873, that being the 1st day of said month, is appointed for hearing objections and final settlement of said estate.

Final Settlement. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL whom it may concern that the undersigned has filed, in the County Court, of Clatsop County, Oregon for her final account as Administratrix of the estate of John Brown, deceased, and the said Court has fixed September 1st 1873 for hearing objections thereto.

New Stock of Goods!

CLOTHING OF THE BEST STYLES, AND THE VERY BEST QUALITY, AT REASONABLE PRICES. EVERYTHING ELSE IN PROPORTION.

At The Old stand of G SUMMERS.

TAKE NOTICE.—This is an extensive stock of well selected goods, in great variety, which I am now opening. Old Patrons, Friends and the community in general, are invited to call and inspect both Goods and Prices.

G. SUMMERS, Chenamus street, Astoria.

CITY FINANCES.

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF MONIES REC'D AND EXPENDED BY THE Town Government of Astoria, For the year Ending June 30, 1873.

Table with columns for Receipts and Expenditures. Receipts total \$1,908 22. Expenditures total \$1,630 58. Balance \$277 64.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Winship Chowder Club, F. & F. SPECIAL MEETING OF THIS CLUB AT the rooms of Capt. W. E. Rippen this day, (SATURDAY) July 12, at 2 o'clock p. m. Business important. All members of the Club are requested to be in attendance.

Mrs. M. Rogers, PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE, Corner of Cass and Jefferson streets. ASTORIA, OREGON.

A. SMITH, LATE OF LA PORTE, INDIANA.

Having commenced business in Astoria I am prepared to do all kinds of Painting, Graining, Paper Hanging, Glazing, etc., in a workmanlike and satisfactory manner.

FOR CHARTER. The sloop HECTOR.

Having been purchased by the undersigned, will hereafter be in readiness to carry freight to any accessible point. The Hector has good accommodations for keeping freight dry and can carry 20,000 feet of lumber.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers his Homestead Farm of Six Hundred and Forty-Seven Acres, lying in the Center of CLATSOP PLAINS, very cheap.

ONLY REGULAR PACKET BETWEEN ASTORIA AND CLATSOP. Carrying the U. S. Mail!

The well known sloop MARY H.

L. W. POOLE, Master. Leaves Clatsop every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, on arrival of Stages, connecting at Astoria with the steamer Dixie Thompson.

CLATSOP HOUSE, SKIPANON LANDING, A. C. WIRT, PROPRIETOR.

Is prepared to entertain the public. Horses and Coach, with Baggage Wagon and careful drivers to convey parties to any point.

SUMMER HOUSE. CLATSOP BEACH.

MRS. CLOUTRIE WISHES TO INFORM the public that she has completed her large new two-story house, which is hard finished throughout, and is now prepared to receive visitors at this well known resort.

GRIMES HOUSE, CLATSOP BEACH.

VISITORS WILL FIND THE ABOVE named House open for the entertainment of guests during the season, as usual.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

THE WELL KNOWN SKIPANON HOUSE. Together with Horses, Carriages, and some Cattle, is

For Sale or Rent! on reasonable terms. Said House is situated at the Landing of Clatsop Plains.

COME AND SEE MY FANCY Poultry! A J. MEGLER, Chenamus street

FOR CHARTER. The fast sailing Sloop W. H. TWILIGHT.

R. M. LOWE, Master. Is now in readiness to Charter for Pleasure Parties, Freight or Passengers.

GLOBE HOTEL, Main Street - - Astoria, Oregon.

N. KOEFOED, PROPRIETOR. This House has been refitted and newly furnished in the neatest manner, and guests will find all their comforts well attended to.

For Sale Cheap for Cash! GOOD SUBSTANTIAL DWELLING HOUSE containing seven rooms.

HENRY BERENDES, BOOT MAKER! Fashionable Chenamus street, Astoria, Oregon.

Manufactures to order the best quality of Boots and Shoes Repairing of all kinds.

E. MILWAIN, 95 Front and 96 1/2 First Street, Portland, Oregon.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER in Stoves, Sheet-iron, Tin-plate, etc. Plumbing and Gas fitting cheaper than any other house in town.

AUCTIONEERS.

Oscar Kilbourn, AUCTIONEER—Office 40 First st., Portland.

A. B. RICHARDSON, S. I. N. GILMAN. A. B. Richardson, AUCTIONEER—Corner of Front and Oak sts., Portland, Oregon.

Large assortment of Groceries, Liquors, etc., at Private Sale. Liberal advances made on consignments.

Charles S. Wright, AUCTIONEER—Cor of Main and Chenamus Streets, Astoria. Goods received on consignment and sold to the highest bidder.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

DR. S. W. DODD, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, ASTORIA, OREGON.

DR. A. D. ELLIS, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON Office on Stark Street, Portland, Oregon

WM. L. McEWAN, RESIDENT ATTORNEY, ASTORIA, OREGON.

H. B. PARKER, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, ASTORIA, OREGON.

Always Ready for Business. A. VAN DUSEN, NOTARY PUBLIC, ASTORIA, OREGON.

H. H. NORTHUP, ATTORNEY AT LAW, (Register in Bankruptcy), OFFICE—In Holmes' Building, Portland.

KRUMBIEN & GILBERT, ARCHITECTS AND DRAUGHTSMEN, INVESTOR'S EXCHANGE, Cree's Building, Portland, Oregon.

The Best Counsel; the Best Draughtsmen; the Best Model Workmen, and best Patent Agent at Washington; the only reliable place to get your intentions put through in short notice.

HOTELS.

The SEASIDE HOUSE, CLATSOP BEACH.

MR. C. H. DEXTER, Formerly of the "Chiff House," San Francisco, announces to his friends and the public that he has leased the new and elegant Hotel recently erected by Ben Holladay, Esq., upon the site of the old Summer House, at Clatsop Beach.

BAY-VIEW HOUSE, (Fifteen Miles Northwest of Astoria) At Unity, Baker's Bay, W. T.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS PURCHASED the above house at this favorite resort. Having thoroughly renovated and furnished the same with new material, it will be kept in first-class style.

The table will be furnished with the best the market affords. Fresh fish, Oysters and Clams in every style. No pains will be spared to make guests comfortable.

The above house is only one and a half miles from the Ocean Beach, where anglers may enjoy rare sport. Boats, carrying passengers, will ply between Unity and Astoria, connecting with Columbia River boats.

CHEMUKETA HOTEL—SALEM, OREGON. WESLEY GRAVES, PROPRIETOR. The cheapest and best Hotel in the State. Free Coach to the House.

G. B. COOK, W. H. ANDRUS. Occidental Hotel, (Kept on the European Plan) COOK & ANDRUS, PROPRIETORS Corner First and Morrison streets, Portland.

Cosmopolitan Hotel, (Kept on the European Plan.) ZIEBER & HOLTON, PROPRIETORS Corner Stark and Front streets, Portland.

American Exchange Hotel Cor. Front and Washington streets. Portland Oregon.

QUIMBY & PERKINS, PROPRIETORS Free Coach to the House.

St. Charles Hotel. Corner Front and Morrison streets. J. B. SPRENGER, PROPRIETOR

THE BEST HOTEL IN THE STATE, and the only one made of brick in Portland. The house is superbly furnished, and supplied with all the modern conveniences.

FISK HOUSE—JACOB KEIL PROPRIETOR. First st., bet. Main and Madison, Portland. Having bought this well known house, I respectfully ask the patronage of citizens and of the traveling public. Good meals furnished, and beds always clean. Hot and cold bath. Board, \$4.00 a week. Board, with Lodging, \$5.00 to \$6.00. Meals, 25 cents. Lodging, 25 cents. Those wishing a good quiet place to board, please call.