D. C. IRELAND ...

WEDNESDAY MAY 3, 1876.

-Once again, and that at no very distant time, the funeral bells must ring, and the great trio of American financial giants will be only a memory. Astor is gone! Stewart's remains have just been lowered into his modest vault in St. Marks Churchyard; Vanderbilt only survives-a hale old veteran indeed, but surely and steadily approaching his endand when he is gone, the three great fortunes of this country will have passed down to another generation.

-In a well written editorial in the Commercial Herald, on the Chinese question: "a word of warning," the following expression is the only apology offered for the presence of the Chinese on this Coast: "They are our principal railroad builders, and but for their cheap labor we would have to pay more for freights and fare." The Herald is of that stamp of journals that does not stoop to play the role of pettifogger on any occasion; and as we said before, the above being its only apology for the presence of the Chinese in our midst, in such hordes, we beg pardon but wish to ask the Herald for information. How much more would we have to pay for freights and fare if the railroads had been built by honest white men? How much less would the Railroad Companies have would the Railroad Companies have received from the general government, in the matter of land grants public. In connection with the Hotel is and gold bearing interest bonds! It is nonsense, Bro. Beals, and there is no apology whatever for the presence of the Chinese in our midst. They pauperize white people everwhere they go.

British Interferences in Samoa

The imprisonment of Steinberger on board the British war-ship Barracouta is told with so much detail that we presume the report must be true ; and SITUATED IN PACIFIC COUNTY, if so, it imposes upon our Government the duty of investigating the matter Will be sold cheap for cash, with or without and seeing that the prisoner gets justice. He has all the rights of an American citizen. Entrance into the service of a foreign civilized State usually implies an abandonment of the native allegiance, but this rule does not apply to savage, barbarous or semi-civilized States. Burlingame did not forfeit any of his privileges as an American citizen by becoming an Embassador of the Chinese Empire. So we imagine Mr. Steinberger, when he became Prime Minister of Samoa, did not lose his right to claim the full protection of The people of the town of Astoria do orthe American Government.

All the accounts received here, imply that the Captain of the Barracouta has grossly violated international law, in seizing and selling the yacht Peerless, and in imprisoning Mr. Steinberger. The yacht has been carried away and may be beyond recovery, but Steinberger lives to demand satisfaction. By going to Samoa, he placed himself under the jurisdiction of Samoan law, and as we cannot expect a very enlightened administration of justice from savages, if they had sold his vessel and imprisoned him, there might be little ground for complaint. But the matter improvement of Main street, in McClure's, takes an entirely different shape when a British war ship is used to execute an illegal order. The British Governdani Republic of the town of Astoria, do orden as follows: ment is responsible for the ignorance, folly or malace of its officials; and to one or more of those influences must and planking that portion of said Main be attributed, we imagine, these acts of the Captain of the Barracouta.

It is to be remembered, however, that we have not yet heard the other structed to conform with the grade of said side, and there may be palliations or justifications of which we have no information yet. Our Secretary of State is fully competent to manage cations for the said improvements of said such affairs, and it is not to be presumed that the British Government of the Recorder, of the town of Astoria, will undertake to defend anything that and that said improvements be made unis indefensible.

found an interesting letter on the subject of Col. Steinberger's troubles, calling for some action on the part of the American government. Colonel & should be protected.

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ORDINANCE No. 119.

Warren his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns the privilege of constructing a wharf on lot No. nine (9), in block No. 561/2, in McClures, town of Astoria,

dain as follows: SECTION 1. That D. K. Warren, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns be and are hereby granted the privilege of constructing a wharf on lot No. nine (9), in block No. fitty-six and one-half (561/2) in McClures, town of Astoria as extended by Cyrus Olney, with the privilege of extending said wharf northerly in front of said lot to (the established frontage for wharfage). Said whart to be completed within one year from the passage of this ordinance.

Passed the Council May 1st 1876. Approved May 2d, 1876.

I. W. CASE, Mayor.

FRANK J. TAYLOR. Recorder.

ORDINANCE No. 120.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the Astoria, Clatsop county, State of Oregon.

Section 1. That Main street, in Mc-Clure's, Astoria be improved from Con-comly street to Court street by grading streets, and also that the side walks on said portion of said Main street be con-

Section 2. That the said improvements of said portions of said Main street be made a coording to the plans and specifider the supervision of the Street Commis-On the fourth page to-day will be sioner of town of Astoria, and be made and completed by the first day of Septem-

ber, 1876.
Passed the Council, May 2d, 1876.
Approved May 2d, 1876.
I. W. CASE, Mayor.

FRANK J. TAYLOR, Recorder.

NEW TO-DAY.

ORDINANCE No. 121. AN ORDINANCE to provide for the im-

provement of Benton, Cass, Concomly, Chenamus and Squemoqha streets in Mc-Clure's, Astoria, Clatsop county, State of

The people of the town of Astoria, do ordain as follows: SECTION 1. That Benton street be im-

proved by the construction of a sewer on the east side of said Benton street from

Court street to the Columbia river.

Section 2. That Cass street be improved by wharfing, grading, and planking that portion of said Cass street lying between Chenamus street and Astor street. Section 3. That Concomly street be improved by grading and planking said street from Main street to the west line of

SECTION 4. That that part of Chenamus street lying between Main and Spruce streets be improved by grading that said portion of Chenamus street to conform as near as practicable to the crossings already constructed on said street and also, that a side walk be built on the south side of Chenamus street from Jackson street to Madison street.

Section 5. That Squemoqha street be improved by grading and planking said street from Cass street to Main street and by the building of a side walk on the south side of said Squemonha street, from the east line of lot No. two (2), in block

No. twenty seven (27) to Polk street. Section 6, That all of the foregoing improvements in this Ordinance ordained to be made under the supervision of the Street Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications for the said improvements of the said streets on file in the office of the Recorder, of the town of Astoria: and that all of the said improvements shall be made and completed by the first day of September, 1876. Except the side walk on south side of Squemoqha street, from the east line of lot No. two (2), in block No. twenty-seven (27), to Polk street, which must be completed by June 1st, A. D. 1876.

Passed the Council May 1, 1876. Approved May 2, 1876. I. W. CASE, Mayor.

FRANK J. TAYLOR, Recorder.

CASS STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned, under instructions from the Common Council of the town of Astoria, for the improvement of that portion of CASS Street, lying between Chenamus street and Astor street, by wharing, grading and planking, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of F. J. Taylor, Recorder, until noon of Saturday May 20th, 1876, said improvement to be completed by September 1st, 1876, as provided by ordinance No. 121, passed the Council May 1st, 1876. The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved. HENRY MILLER,

Street Commissioner. Astoria, Oregon May 2d, 1876.

ONCOMLY STREET IMPROVE-

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned, under instructions from the Common Council of the town of Astoria, for the improvement of CONCOMLY Street in said town, by grading and planking said street, from Main street to the west line of the town plat, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of Frank J. Taylor, Recorder, until noon of May 20th, 1876, said improvement to be completed by Sept. 1st, 1876, as provided by Ordinance No. 121, passed AN ORDINANCE granting D. K, the Council May 1st, 1876. The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved.
HENRY MILLER,

Street Commissioner. Astoria, Oregon, May 2d, 1876.

CHENAMUS STREET IMPROVE-MENT.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned under instructions from the Common Council of the town of Astoria tor the improvement of that part of CHE-NAMUS Street, lying between Main and Spruce streets, by grading to conform as near as practicable to the crossings as already constructed on said street and also by the building of a sidewalk on the Madison streets, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of F. J. Taylor, Recorder, until noon of Saturday May 20th, 1876, said improvement to be completed by September 1st, 1876, as provided by ordinance No. 121, passed the Council May 1st, 1876.

The right to reject any or all bids is

hereby reserved.

HENRY MILLER. Street Commissioner. Astoria, Oregon, May 2d, 1876.

SQUEMOQHA STREET IM-

Notice is hereby given that scaled proposals will be received by the undersigned under instructions from the Common Council of the town of Astoria, for the improvement of SQUEMOQHA Street by grading and planking said street from Cass street to Main street, and by the building of a sidewalk on the south side of said SQUEMOQHA street from the east line of lot No. two (2) in block No. twenty-seven (27) to Polk street, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of F. J. Taylor, Recorder, until noon of May 20th, 1876. said improvements to be completed by the 1st day of June 1876, as provided by ordinance No. 121, passed the Council May 1st, 1876.

HENRY MILLER,

Street Commissioner. Astoria, Oregon, May 2d, 1876.

NEW TO-DAY.

MAIN STREET IMPROVE-

Notice is hereby given that sealed pro-posals will be received by the undersigned, under instructions from the Common Council of the town of Astoria, for the improvement of that part of MAIN Street, lying between Concomly and Court streets, by grading and planking the same and also to have the sidewalks in said street constructed to conform to the grades, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of F. J. Taylor, Recorder, until noon of Saturday May 20th, 1876, said improvement to be completed by September 1st, 1876, as provided by ordinance No. 120, passed the Council May 1st, 1876. The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved. HENRY MILLER.

Street Commissioner. Astoria, Oregon, May 2d, 1876.

DENTON STREET IMPROVE-D MENT.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned under instructions of the Common Council of the town of Astoria, for the construction of a sewer on the east side of Benton street, from Court street to the Columbia river, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of F. J. Taylor, Recorder, until noon of Saturday May, 20, 1876, said improvement to be completed by September 1st. 1876, as provided by ordinance No. 121, passed

the Council May 1st, 1876. The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved.

HENRY MILLER. Street Commissioner. Astoria, Oregon, May 2d, 1876.

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