WEDNESDAY ...... MAY 10, 1876.

Special Notice.—We shall not, cannot, in future, answer letters of inquiry written to us by parties desirous of settling in Oregon, un-less such letters of inquiry contain at least the amount of stamps necessary to pay postage on the return letter. For 25 cents we will for-ward four copies of The Astorian, of separ-ate dates, to any address in the United States, postage paid.

ADVERTISE—An exchange says: Maybe you think that people don't like to read advertisements! If you do you are much mistaken. Fresh, well-put well-placed advertisements are news! They are welcomed, read—nay, studied! The newspaper that is alive with them is increasingly acceptable and so is the business house that knows how to get them up, possessed withal with the sagacity and nerve to keep them up.

Take Your Local Paper.—A man in Marion county last week saved \$150 by taking his local paper, the Mercury, and there is a man in this county, near Brownsville, who told us, a short time ago, that he had made an 80-acre tract of land by being a reader of the Demo-erat. He had been wanting for a long time to buy an 80, adjoining his-farm, but could get no track of the owner, who was a non-resident of the State, and finally saw it advertised for tax sale in the Democrat. He attended the sale and bought it for a nominal sum, and is now the owner of it.—Albany Democrat.

Warning to Delinquent Suescribers.—A Russian paper announces that a belief in the approaching end of the world has seized on the Cossacks of the Don. Many, especially aged people, are giving up wordly affairs, wearing a shroud, and ordering their coffins. On every road are men repairing to Moscow to be consecrated priests, in order that the smallest village may have its own priest and church. The Russian paper fails to state whether its delinquent subscribers have taken the scare and paid up. That to our mind would be stronger evidence of the approach of the Millennium than any thing that a super-stitious Cossack could advance.

Don't Read Advertisements.—Occasionally a business man is encountered who professes to believe that "people don't read advertisements any how!" A greater mistake is seldom made. If a typographical error creeps into an ad, it soon becomes the talk of the neighborhood, and if the people do not read ads, how do they drop on errors with such facility? The other day the advertisement of the Centennial Restaurant appeared, in which the word "eating" was set up "fating," whereupon we were duly notified of the error by seven Salinasites and one Chinaman, and lastly, the Monterey Herald felt in duty bound to notify us also,—Daily Recorder, Salinas City, California.

"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE."-: This is true in "IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE."—This is true in every department of business, and no one appreciates its truth more fully than S. H. Thompson. Some time since he received the Agency, for this county, of the Cunningham "Garden City Clipper Plow," and immediately advertised the same in our paper. Green B. Smith, b.sq., a patron of the Gazette, saw the advertisement and forthwith rushed to Thompson's and purchased four of these celebrated plows—which at once have sprung into noonlar favor. No mater how good and value brated plows—which at once have sprung into popular favor. No mater how good and valuable an article may be, a merchant or dealer may keep it upon his shelves, or in his store for months, or even years, and but few will know anything of its good qualities, unless he advertises. For years Mr. Thompson carried on business here, and spent but little for advertising. Within the past two years his business has increased nearly double, and he attribates it to indicious advertising. If you retributes it to judicious advertising. If you want to thrive in business, ADVERTISE-Cor-

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The Engine belonging to Astoria Fire Company No. 1, For further particulars inquire of the Committee on Public

By order of the Common Council, FRANK J. TAYLOR, Recorder.

ASS 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 wharfing, 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.

MONCOMLY STREET IMPROVE-MENT.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the under-signed, 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 improve-ment to be completed by Sept. 1st, 1876, as provided by Ordinance No. 121, passed the Council May 1st, 1876. The right to reject any or all oids 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 Com-mon Council of the town of Astoria for 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 south side of said street from Jackson to J. 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. twenline 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 Commission or

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

FAIN STREET IMPROVE VI MENT.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the under-signed, 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.

BENTON STREET IMPROVE-

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 cast 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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For Congress: LaFAYETTE LANE, of Douglass.

For District Attorney: F. R. STRONG; of Multnomah.

County Ticket.

Joint Representative: R. W. WILSON, of Tillamook.

> Sheriff: THOMAS DEALEY.

Clerk: D. W. LOWELL.

Assessor: W. L. WORTHINGTON.

> Treasurer: A. VAN DUSEN.

> Commissioners: JOHN LOOMIS.

JOHN HOBSON.

School Superintendent: Rev. T. A. HYLAND.

Surveyor: LEWIS HARTWICK. Coroner:

Dr. S. W. DODD. Astoria Precinct.

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R. S. W. DODD.

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J. TAYLOR.

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Room No. 5, Brown's Building. ASTORIA, -

VAN DUSEN.

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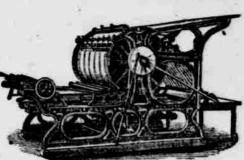
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