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To City Subscribers.

There are such frequent changes in the residence of our city patrons that we shall feel obliged to any who make such changes if they will report the same to this office. Otherwise we shall not be responsible for failures of the carrier to deliver the paper promptly and regularly to them.

SHIPPING NEWS.—We aim to keep our readers posted with respect to shipping matters, and refer to the daily corrections on the third page.

NOT COMING.—The Oregonian says: The British bark Cape Clear, reported as coming to this port to load wheat, has sailed for Butte inlet for a lumber cargo.

A THING OF THE PAST.—The Standard of Sunday morning last, says: "The Can Can is a thing of the past. We could very well have dispensed with its services."

WILD GESE.—The best flock of wild geese on their southern flight which has been observed this fall, passed over Astoria yesterday. Last year the first was observed on the 26th of August.

CONSTRUCTION PARTY.—W. F. Lowe, George W. Couser, and Robert Crane, a construction party on the Western Union Telegraph company line from Portland to Astoria, arrived here yesterday.

A CLATSOP GILL CAPTURED.—The Port Townsend Argus of the 7th, publishes the marriage in Sault Ste. Marie, on Sunday, Aug. 26th, by Rev. T. W. McCoy, of Mr. Jas. Austin, of Sault Ste. Marie, and Miss Fannie Ebermann, of this county.

ON THE SOUND.—The Modoc was not badly damaged when she went ashore on Puget Sound recently. The Whistler is over there also. The deal of Seattle furnishes business for the coasters which opposing steamship interests have driven from the Columbia river.

SHIP-MASTER'S READING ROOM.—Mr. Peter Wilhelm has permanently fitted up a ship-master's reading room in connection with the Gen. saloon in Astoria. The latest shipping papers and home-ward and outward bound shipping lists are kept on file. Call and see him.

ODD FELLOWSHIP.—During the fifty-eight years that have passed since American Odd Fellowship was established, over \$60,000,000 have been collected, of which upwards of \$22,000,000 have been expended for the relief of those entitled to it. Some 720,000 brothers have been aided.

PERSONAL.—C. W. GADBOUB, wife and two children, Wm. Marshall and J. P. Blanchard and daughter are passengers by the Chester to-day from Oregon city for San Francisco. These are all of our old tillieums, and we are glad to hear have return tickets in their pockets, which insures their return to Oregon.

"FAVORABLE MENTION."—The following is perhaps what is termed "favorable mention" of the Can Can troupe. We copy from the Portland Telegram of Sept. 5th: "Again last evening the *Bhoys*, old and young, were out in full force to view the mysteries of the Can Can. The troupe will make their last appearance in this city this evening in an entire change of programme, including the customary *sparring* match and the ever attractive Can Can."

INTERESTING LECTURES.—Rev. T. L. Elliott of the Unitarian church, Portland, who has but recently returned from the holy land and Jerusalem in answer to many requests both from his own congregation and from citizens, has begun a course of sermons or discourses upon the nations, institutions and history of Europe, the first of the series was given last Sunday evening. Subject, "Types of Travelers one meets in foreign lands." We should be well pleased if Mr. Elliott could visit Astoria occasionally and discourse upon some of the topics suggested by his oriental tour.

FOREIGN EXPORTS.

To Liverpool, per Lochinvar, Sept. 1.	Value.
Wheat—23,300 cts.	\$43,400 00
To Honolulu per Mattie Macleay, Sept. 1.	
Flour, 202 barrels.....	1,288 50
Cane Goods, 105 cases.....	951 25
Potatoes, 132 sacks.....	204 00
Hams, 2,000 lbs.....	384 00
Salmon, 287 bbls.....	3,280 00
89 cases.....	500 00
Miscellaneous mdc.....	2,315 32— 8,785 07
To Honolulu per Falkenburg, Sept. 2.	
Flour, 50 bbls.....	389 00
Salmon, 227 bbls.....	1,012 00
116 pkgs.....	824 00
35 cases.....	220 00
Lumber, spars and bolts.....	2,042 32
Oats and bran.....	145 00
Miscellaneous mdc.....	720 00— 5,812 32
To Victoria and Nanaimo per ste California, September 4th:	
Flour, 152 bbls.....	8,770 50
Wheat, 142 cts.....	1,323 74
Bran, Meal and Mds.....	220 00
Shoes, 35,719 lbs.....	440 08
Miscellaneous mdc.....	5,003 18— 16,082 50
To Queenstown, per Kincane, Sept. 11.	
Wheat—23,390 cts.....	46,363 74

THE PRICE OF WHEAT.—Wheat ought to be one dollar and fifty cents per bushel all over the Wallamet valley. San Francisco pays from \$2 to \$2.25 per cental. A cental of wheat is a bushel and two-thirds of a bushel. Wheat at Astoria is always worth as much as wheat at San Francisco.

PASSENGERS NOT PASSENGERS.—A. G. Walling, whose name was published in the passenger list from San Francisco to Portland, has gone east on business connected with the Grand Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, consequently that report like many others which bring the publishing of passenger lists by steamers into bad repute, was premature and the information incorrect.

DEATH OF MRS. A. D. WASS.—The telegraph informs us that Mrs. A. D. Wass died in San Francisco at three o'clock on Monday last. Just before Capt. Wass left San Francisco on his last trip up by the Orizaba, Mrs. W. felt so much better that she thought she would return with him on the present voyage, but alas, all such hope is blasted. Captain Wass was informed by telegraph on Monday that his wife was taken worse, but the news of her death did not reach Astoria until about an hour after his departure yesterday.

FRENCH WHEAT.—Mr. J. N. Hibbs, of Yamhill county harvested 556½ bushels of wheat from 11 acres, one day last week. This is a little over 50½ bushels to the acre. This wheat is of the French variety, brought to Oregon by Mr. Kinney on his return from Europe, last year, and it is likely that all these unusual yields which we see mentioned every now and then come from the same variety of seed. Mr. H. is desirous of hearing from other farmers regarding this grain. Other farmers, doubtless, would like the same information. We will cheerfully publish any information on the subject.

TAKE YOUR LOCAL PAPER.—Do the city papers say anything in regard to your own town? Nothing. Do they contain notices of your schools, churches, improvements and hundreds of other local matters of interest which your home paper publishes without pay? Not an item. Do they ever say a word calculated to draw attention to your county and aid in its progress and enterprise? Not a line. And there are men who take such contracted views of this matter, that unless they are getting as many square inches of reading matter in their own as they do in a city paper they think they are not getting the worth of their money.

MACHINE MAILING.—We have just added to and placed in working order in the Astorian office, a machine for mailing the papers after they are printed. This will enable the mailing clerk to get the papers all into the mails following the hour of publication, and it will also prevent any mistakes from occurring. The name of each subscriber is placed in type under the proper Post-office heading, and the machinery is so constructed that every name must be printed as it runs through the machine, and as every Post-office is announced by the tap of a bell as the type pass along it is almost next to an impossibility to make an error; but should our papers fail to reach any office promptly when due, we shall consider it a personal favor to be informed of it immediately so that we may find where the fault may be.

Mr. B. Hamburger sailed yesterday for San Francisco, whither he goes to purchase a fine stock for the fall and winter trade. However in the meantime "Dave" will be happy to wait on you and supply your wants in the dry goods or clothing line.

CLEARING OUT SALE.

The entire stock of B. Hamburger will be sold at immensely reduced rates in order to clear out balance on hand prior to the arrival of new goods selected personally by Mr. Hamburger. The goods must be sold; prices no object. Call and be convinced. Especial attention is called to the immensely reduced prices in our dress goods. B. HAMBURGER, Main street, Astoria.

CITY ITEMS.

...Fresh oysters in every style at Schmeider's.

...A large assortment of photograph frames and wall brackets at Adler's.

...Mrs. J. W. Munson is prepared to take a few borders, with or without lozings.

...First-class billiard table for sale, clean and cash. Inquire at the Occident hotel, Astoria.

...C. O. H., or constantly on hand, the best stock of school books, at the City Book Store.

...Mrs. Dr. Burr, Homeopathic physician, has removed to her new residence four doors from Liberty hall.

...Mrs. Arrington is furnishing good rooms with board at from \$6 to \$7 and upwards per week, according to location.

...When you want a fine dress suit to fit you perfectly, get it at home, of Meade, whose reputation is a guarantee for success.

...Parties wishing a nice dish of oysters will find them at the Pioneer restaurant, served by one that understands the business. Open during the day and all hours of the night.

...Peter Rumey is still in the market with all kinds of building materials in his line. Has just received 100,000 lath, 2,000 bushels of sand, and a large stock of first quality of brick at his warehouse foot of Benton street.

...The "Dance of Death," "Other People's Children," or the sequel to "Helen's Babies," "Tom Sawyer," "Latest Sketches of Mark Twain," and "Waverley and Dickens' latest editions, at Carl Adler's book store next to the White House.

...Griswold's Starch Finish and Leshner's Magic Cleaning Fluid for the instant removal of grease, paint, etc., from clothing, carpets, is also splendid for cleaning jewelry and silver-plate, without injury. Price 25 cents a bottle. Sold by J. W. Gearhart.

...Perfection Stone-Well Whisky, hand-made sour mash; Snow-hill Whisky, fire cooper sweet mash; acknowledged from its refined taste and delicacy of flavor to be beyond comparison the best in this country, sold at the Astoria Liquor Store by H. Marx & Co., Water street roadway.

...Mrs. C. M. Stowe, clairvoyant physician, business and test medium, has concluded to remain with us another week at the request of many citizens of Astoria, and will lecture Thursday evening if the hall is not engaged, of which due notice will be given, and Sunday eve as usual, and will give daily sittings at Ingalls' building.

...Merrach und von verschiedenen aufgefodert darauf hinzuwirken um den hier ansassigen Deutschen durch ein ein oder verein naeher unter sich nicht einzeln zu verbinden, erlaube ich mich hiermit eine versammlung vorzuschlagen aus dem 13. September, 1877, abends 8 Uhr, in haue des Herrn N. Weinan. Sollte es sich daher der muelhe loenen obiges zu bezwecken und gleicher ansieht mit mir zu theilen so bitte ich hienmit um zahlreiehen zuspruch und noch einmal meine Deutschen landsleuten das zu behoerzigen das ja jeder weiss das der Deutsche name einen guten klang ja weit ueber den gansen unsers vaterlandes hinaus hat und das es nicht mehr viele unsere schuldigkeit ist fur uns den namen Deutsch werth zu setzen das heisst in strengste sinne des wortes.

LOUIS GOETZ.

Photographs! The latest styles taken at Shuster's new gallery, Cass st., next to the Astorian office.

Dr. B. R. Freeland has located permanently in Astoria for the practice of dentistry. Office next door to the store of Maj. C. H. Page & Co.

San Francisco beer, Steilacoom beer, Astoria beer, bottled beer and English porter at the Chicago house, Main street, Astoria. N. Wyman, proprietor.

For clean towels, sharp razors, and an easy shave, go to Gillespie at PARKER HOUSE BATHS. Hair cutting, shampooing, and dyeing.

Little Van has reestablished himself at the old corner, refreshed by his late journey to the Atlantic states, and will as formerly attend to all orders in his line as general jobber.

The Capital, on Main near Squemoqua street, Wm. Appleby proprietor, is one of the snuggest and most quiet places in the city, where the public can get the finest quality of wines, liquors and cigars.

The sloop Magnet one of the finest passenger boats on the bay, under command of Capt. John K. Witt, one of the most experienced masters employed in these waters; is ready for special trips anytime. We recommend the Magnet to anyone in want of a pleasure trip on the bay, or to points of interest about Astoria, during the summer season.

CANARY BIRDS.—for sale at Gillespie's, Parker house baths.

DIRECT TO ASTORIA.—Mr. M. Wise informs the ladies and gentlemen of Astoria and vicinity that he has opened his store with a nice assorted stock of goods, which he proposes to sell at bed-rock prices for cash. Remember the place, opposite R. F. Caulfield's Drug Store.

Local and Domestic.

—The river steamer S. T. Church is too large for the present stage of water in the Wallamet.

—Mr. D. D. Prettyman has received a bronze centennial medal for his ninety-day wheat exhibited at Philadelphia last year. This medal rewards his enterprise in cultivating wheat in the best possible manner.

—A portion of Grass valley in Wasco county was burned over last week, extending for forty miles from north to south and about twenty miles from east to west. The loss of grass we fear will be greatly felt by the people in that locality.

—Mr. George Beishaw sent Mr. Schulze a bushel of white velvet wheat the finest ever raised in Oregon. The wheat was sowed last December and yielded forty bushels to the acre. The size and color of the berry are remarkable, and it has probably no superior.

—On the night of August 30, the bktne. Modoc went ashore at Crescent bay, remaining there nearly all night. She was finally got off, with little or no damage, other than the loss of a part of her false keel, and the opening of some of her seams causing her to leak slightly.

—George F. Simpson, superintendent of the Farmers' warehouse, Albany, last week sold 40,000 bushels of wheat to Henry Hewitt & Co.; Gaston, Ferry & Son also sold about 16,000 bushels, and C. D. Simpson about 25,000 bushels. Other lots have been sold, fully enough to bring the amount up to about 100,000 bushels, at \$1 per bushel.

—The Lackawana sailed for Sitka, after all, instead of Port Townsend. It seems that just at the last moment before sailing her order was countermanded and she was directed to proceed to the region named. This change was made, it is presumed, on account of a change of opinion in regard to the locality where she was most needed.

—We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Dr. Steele's pain eradicator that will be found in this week's issue. Several weeks ago, says the Dalles Mountaineer, we were troubled with a swelling of the right knee and by persuasion of friends we were induced to try this medicine. We are happy to say that it acted like a charm and gave almost instant relief.

—Mrs. Markley of lower Alsen, in Benton county, shot and killed a large cougar at that place recently. She was out in search of her cow, when the dog with her started a cougar which was immediately treed. Mrs. M. went back to the house, a distance of about one-fourth of a mile, and secured a rifle and revolver, then returned and shot the animal which still kept the tree by the dog.

—At La Conner they have the harvesting system reduced to a science. For instance, on Monday morning of last week says the Mail, the barley was standing uncut in the field of Mr. J. S. Conner and on Tuesday evening it was ground and sacked and for sale at the store of Mr. L. L. Andrews, and on Wednesday night it was laid down at the Seattie market, some fifty miles distance.

—The Standard says: Our friend Frank Hodgkin has resigned his position as city editor of the tail organ for one more congenial and remunerative on the Bee. He will assume control of the local columns of that journal to-morrow morning, and will make it an interesting spicy paper. Frank is an industrious fellow, and a racy, newsy, and sparkling writer. Whatever merit the Telegram possessed was owing solely to his exertions, and now that he has left it, we see nothing to recommend it to public favor.

—Hoodlumism has taken a fresh start at Olympia. Last Sunday night the boys at that place and Tinawater let themselves loose for mischief. Mr. E. Sylvester had some fruit in boxes destroyed; Rev. J. R. Thompson had a peach tree ruined; General Milroy had the front windows of his house broken in and Dr. Ostrander had a large show window in his drug store at Tinawater demolished, besides other

acts. Rev. Mr. Thompson and Gen. Milroy have offered rewards for the offenders. The municipal authorities should see that the persons who committed these acts are punished.

—On the 14th inst. Col. Gates will offer for sale at the office of the board of commissioners of the Dalles and Sandy wagon road, at The Dalles, Wasco county, Oregon, \$30,000 of State warrants of the state of Oregon, payable in gold and silver coin, to be paid out of the funds arising from the five per centum of the net proceeds of the sales of public lands in Oregon, and out of the funds arising from the sales of swamp, overflowed and tide lands of the state. Payment to be made in gold coin on delivery of the warrants. No bid will be considered for less than fifty cents on the dollar. These warrants will be of the denomination of \$500 and will draw interest at ten per cent. per annum, and are made receivable in payment for any of the tide, overflowed and swamp lands of this state.

A SUGGESTION.—A correspondent of the Oregonian wants to see the names of the streets in Portland painted on the lamps. He suggests, that in order "to save expense to taxpayers and to allow strangers who are enjoying our hospitality to share in this good work, I would suggest that you propose to all the preachers in Oregon and Washington territory, and Sandwich Islands, that on thanksgiving day a collection be taken up in all the churches for this purpose. I speak advisedly when I say all these places, for are not all interested in the improvement of this the second city on this coast?

PLENTY OF WORK.—At the Oregon Steam Navigation company's work shops over on the "Island" all hands are kept at work. In the machine and blacksmith shops they are preparing the machinery for the new light draft boat which is to be finished in "thirty days," at Celilo; also the iron work for the cars building at the Cascades and this place, besides numerous other odd jobs incident to running steam-boats and railroads. Mr. John Holland, the Oregon Steam Navigation company's chief boat builder, has arrived with a gang of ship carpenters and commenced work on the new wharf-boat intended for the upper Cascades. The outlook for plenty of work—with good wages—for carpenters, machinists, and strong muscular laborers is very good at this time, in fact never was better.—Dalles Mountaineer.

Spend Your Money at Home.

The following are the most forcible reasons why you should spend your money at home:

- 1st, It is your home; you cannot improve it much by taking it away to spend or invest.
- 2d, There is no way of improving a place so much as by encouraging good merchants, good schools and good people to settle among you, and this cannot be done unless you spend your money at home.
- 3d, Spend your money at home, for there is where you generally get it. It is your duty.
4. Spend your money at home because when it is necessary for you to get credit, it is of your town merchants you have to get it, and they must wait for the money. Therefore, when you have the cash, spend it at home.
- 5th, Spend your money at home. It will make better mechanics of your merchants; they can and will keep better assortments and sell at lower rates than if the only business they can do is what is credited out, while the money goes to other places.
- 6th, Spend your money at home. Set the example now. Buy your dry goods, groceries, meats, and everything at home, and you will see a wonderful change in a short time in the business outlook of the place; therefore, deal with your home merchants.
- 7th, Spend your money at home. What do you gain by going off? Count the cost; see what you could have done at home by letting your merchants have the cash. Strike a balance and see if you would not have been just as well off, besides helping your merchants.
- 8th, Spend your money at home. Your merchants are your neighbors, your friends; they stand by you in sickness—are your associates. Without your trade they cannot keep your business. No stores, then, to bank, no one wanting to buy property to settle on and build up