

OREGON'S CHANCE.

From the Oregon Statesman. Every indication now points to improved times in Oregon. Crop prospects were never better and the promise of good prices is very flattering.

Our commerce at present is too small to command any considerable attention; hence we are food for monopolies. With increased population comes increased business and this invites competition.

ENCOURAGE STRANGERS.—The following excerpt from the Statesman is worthy of reproduction. The words apply to Astoria, as well as Walla Walla.

The inhabitants of northwest and western Oregon, including twelve counties of the State, and embracing the great valley of the Willamette and its "forks," enjoy seven months of spring, summer and autumn weather that are almost equal to southern or eastern Oregon.

People who advertise only once in three months forget that most folks can't remember anything longer than about seven days.

MISCELLANEOUS

Temple Lodge, No. 7, A. F. A. M. Regular Communications first and third Saturdays in each month, at 7:30 o'clock, p. m., at the Hall in Astoria.

Beaver Lodge No. 35, I. O. O. F. Meet every Friday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Odd Fellow's Hall, cor. of Cass and Chenamus streets, Astoria.

Astoria Lodge No. 40, I. O. G. T. Regular Meeting every Tuesday Evening at 7:30 o'clock, at Good Templar's Hall, Chenamus Street, Astoria.

Common Council. Regular meetings first and third Monday evenings of each month, at 7:30 o'clock.

Astoria Engine Co. No. 1. Regular monthly meeting will be held at the hall of the Company, on the second Tuesday of each month, at 7 o'clock p. m.

Cemetery Notice. The undersigned Sexton of the Astoria Cemetery, in view of the fact that the cemetery grounds are now permanently located, wishes all persons owning lots in the grounds to report the number and block to him.

BUSINESS CARDS.

O. F. BELL, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Notary Public and Commissioner of Deeds for California and Washington Territory.

F. D. WINTON, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Office in Warren & McGuire's Building, ASTORIA, OREGON.

M. DALLAS JENNINGS, Physician, Surgeon and Obstetrician, OFFICE ON CASS STREET, ASTORIA.

DR. I. M. SEVERN, Graduate University of Pennsylvania. Office, Rooms No. 1 and 2 LARSEN'S BUILDING, CASS STREET Astoria, Oregon.

DR. F. CRANG, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, ASTORIA, OREGON. Office—Room No. 7 Brown's building corner of Main and Chenamus streets.

GERMANIA BEER HALL AND BOTTLE BEER DEPOT, CHENAMUS STREET, ASTORIA. The public are invited to call and leave their orders. Splendid Lager 5 cents a glass. Free Lunch every night.

CHARLES HEILBORN, MANUFACTURER OF FURNITURE and BEDDING, ALSO IMPORTER OF CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, WALL PAPER, SHADES, ETC.

WEST SHORE MILLS, Foot of CONCOMLY Street ROADWAY, Astoria, Oregon

J. C. TRULLINGER, Proprietor. Is now prepared to fill all orders, large and small, for every kind of BUILDING LUMBER

H. SPELLMIER, BOOT and SHOE MAKER, ASTORIA, OREGON. Has just received a splendid stock of LEATHER and TRIMINGS.

The best in Oregon, and will now fill any order at the lowest prices, for the best and finest of Boots and Shoes.

The White House

IS THE BEST AND CHEAPEST STORE IN THIS CITY TO FIND A LARGE AND ELEGANT ASSORTMENT OF

Dress Goods, Dry Goods, Staple & Fancy Goods, Notions

ALSO AN IMMENSE AND WELL SELECTED STOCK OF MEN'S AND BOYS

CLOTHING, FURNISHING GOODS,

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, ETC.

Don't fail to call on us before making your purchases, as you will find it money in your pocket.

Respectfully Yours,

SCHLUSSEL & KANT,

Cor. Chenamus and Main streets,

Astoria, Oregon.

A. VAN DUSEN & CO.

WALL PAPER,

CHINA MATTING,

—AND—

HOUSE LINING,

In quantities to suit, for sale cheap at

A. VAN DUSEN & Co.'s

WHITE LEAD,

BOILED OIL, TURPENTINE,

—AND—

NAILS AND SPIKES,

All for sale cheap at

A. VAN DUSEN & Co.'s.

JUST RECEIVED.

RUBBER PAINT

The best in the World. Outside and inside white, and a great variety of shades in quart, one gallon and five gallon tins at

A. VAN DUSEN & Co.'s, Cass street, Astoria.

Great Reduction in Prices!

SEWING MACHINES DOWN!

New family Singer old price.....\$65 00 Reduced to..... 50 00 New family Singer, with drop leaf, drawers and cover, old price..... 75 00 Reduced to..... 60 00

Other styles reduced in proportion. In addition to the above reduction a discount of 10 per cent. will be made on CASH SALES.

Machines sold on the installment plan on liberal terms.

A. Van Dusen & Co., Agents, ASTORIA, OREGON.

MISCELLANEOUS.

I. W. CASE, Wholesale and Retail

—DEALER IN—

Assorted Merchandise of Every Description.

BOOTS, SHOES,

—AND—

SLIPPERS.

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT, COMPRISING OVER

SIXTY CASES, OF THE BEST QUALITY AT LOWEST POSSIBLE RATES.

I. W. CASE.

Everyone is bragging that they Sell Goods very Cheap.

So I determined to give up the Retail Business entirely, and am offering my goods AT COST!

No. 1 Diagonal Suits at..... \$16 00 No. 2..... 13 50 Light Plaid Suits, No. 1..... 13 50 2..... 9 00

Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Boots and Shoes, Jewelry; all description of goods at cost price. I also give, as inducements to the public and to merchants, 30 days' credit on satisfactory notes.

SAN FRANCISCO AUCTION STORE, J. BLOOM, Astoria, Oregon.

T. S. JEWETT. B. S. KIMBALL.

Draying & Trucking.

The undersigned having purchased the interest of the

Astoria Truck & Dray Co., including Teams, Vehicles, etc., respectfully announce that we are prepared to FILL ALL ORDERS WITH PROMPTNESS, IN A CAREFUL MANNER

Orders may be left at the Occident Hotel. JEWETT & KIMBALL

Washington Market, Main Street, Astoria Oregon,

BERGMAN & BERRY. RESPECTFULLY CALL THE ATTENTION of the public to the fact that the above Market will always be supplied with a FULL VARIETY BEST QUALITY FRESH AND CURED MEATS!

W.M. EDGAR, Corner Main and Chenamus Streets, ASTORIA, OREGON.

DEALER IN THE CHOICEST BRANDS OF Tobacco and Cigars, and the Genuine Wostenholm, and other English Cutlery.

Genuine Meerschaum Pipes a Speciality. Fairchild's Gold Pens, and all sorts of Stationery, Notions, Etc.

Groceries, Tropical and Domestic Fruits; also, Grockery, Glassware, Silverware, Table and Pocket Cutlery.

A Full Line of Willow-Ware always on hand; a Full Stock of Cigars, Tobacco, Wines and Liqueurs.

Goods Delivered to any part of the city Free of Charge.

J. STRAUSS, SOUTH SIDE OF CHENAMUS STREET, ASTORIA OREGON.

GEORGE MACLEAN, BLACKSMITH, Water Street Roadway, Near Hume's Cannery, Astoria, Oregon.

Horseshoeing and all kinds of Blacksmithing done to order. Satisfactory work guaranteed.

Ship & Engine Work a Specialty. D. K. WARREN, Proprietor.

Astoria Market! Corner of Chenamus and Cass streets, ASTORIA, OREGON.

WARREN & MCGUIRE, Proprietors. (Successors to Hobson & Warren.) Wholesale and Retail Dealers in all kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats!

A full line of Family Groceries, CANNED FRUIT, VEGETABLES, ETC. Butter, Eggs, Cheese, etc. constantly on hand. Slips supplied at the lowest rates.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

W.M. H. HATCH, M. D. Physician Surgeon and Accoucheur, Graduate of the Royal College of Physicians, England. Member of the University of California. Office—Squemoqua Street, near Cass, ASTORIA, OREGON.

MRS. DR. BURL, Homeopathic Physician and Electrician. Late of San Francisco, and Graduate of the Homeopathic School.

Treats all chronic diseases and the diseases of women and children. Midwifery a specialty. Office at her residence, four doors below Liberty Hall.

MRS. WOODHAM, Late of the City of Paris. Dress and Cloak Making, and Cutting and Fitting, in the Latest Styles.

Cass street, opposite the Congregational church. LOUIS HAGEN, Squemoqua street, next door to the Episcopal church. Cabinet Maker and Undertaker.

Will take orders for all kinds of NEW FURNITURE, and repairing promptly and neatly done, at low prices. HUGH STOOP, CARPENTER AND JOINER, AND GENERAL JOBBEE. ASTORIA, OREGON.

Houses built to order, and satisfaction guaranteed. B. B. Franklin, UNDERTAKER AND CABINET MAKER. Squemoqua street, next door to Astorian building, Astoria, Oregon.

All work done in a skillful manner, on short notice and at reasonable prices. HENRY SINDLINGER, —DEALER IN— STOVES AND TINWARE, JOBBING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

SHOP—On Squemoqua street, between Main and Cass streets, Astoria, Oregon. NEW TAILOR SHOP. GEORGE LOVETT, TAILOR.

Benton street, (opposite the Custom House). Gents suits made to order in latest styles and warranted to fit. Clothes cleaned and repaired. A. BOISON, WATCH MAKER AND JEWELER.

Main street, Parker's Building, Astoria. HAS JUST RECEIVED A FINE ASSORTMENT of Jewelry of the latest styles, also a fine assortment of gold and Silver Watches, which will be sold at lowest prices, and warranted from two to ten years.

Particular attention paid to repairing. JOHN BURKE, (Successor to Varwig & Burke). Plumber, Gas and Steam Fitter AND DEALER IN IRON AND BRASS GOODS.

Also Agent for W. C. Wilcox STEAM PUMPS. Flavel's Warehouse, Astoria. L. K. G. SMITH, Cor. of Main and Chenamus street, ASTORIA, OREGON.

Dealer in the choicest brands of CIGARS AND TOBACCO, And all kinds of smokers articles. Has just received a new supply of GENUINE MEERSCHAUM PIPES.

Direct from Vienna, Wostenholm's and other brands of cutlery always on hand. 7-10-11-12 OREGON BAKERY, Holladay's Wharf, Main Street, Astoria, Ogn. BREAD, CAKES, PIES, PASTRY, CRACKERS, ETC.

WILL BE SERVED TO PATRONS of the Oregon Bakery of which C. Binder deceased, was proprietor, the same as usual, by Mrs. CHARLES BINDER. First Class Baker employed, and perfect satisfaction guaranteed. All orders, large or small, promptly filled on short notice. Patronage of the public is respectfully solicited. MRS. CHAS. BINDER.

BATHS, BATHS, Hot, Cold, Shower, Steam and SULPHUR BATHS Occident Hotel Shaving Saloon. NIEDERAUER & UBLENBART, PROPRIETORS.

Special attention paid to LADIES' and CHILDREN'S HAIR CUTTING. Private Entrance for Ladies. BUILDING MATERIALS.

JUST ARRIVED: 40,000 BRICK; 100 WINDOWS; —AND— 200 DOORS; WHICH WILL BE SOLD AS LOW AS ANY HOUSE IN OREGON. BAIN & FERGUSON, Astoria, Oregon.

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