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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.

**A GOOD START.**—We are pleased to know that Mr. Wells is meeting with success in his class in penmanship in Astoria. The class now numbers fifty pupils. All who start with the class tomorrow will receive the full benefit of the course.

**PATENT SAW HANDLE.**—Mr. C. C. Saylor of this city, leaves by the Ajax to perfect arrangements for the manufacture of a very simple but perfect device for holding a cross cut saw, which he has invented. These handles will be offered for sale in Oregon and Washington Territory soon.

**ANOTHER CURIOSITY.**—We are informed that Mr. Hillman at the Occident has just received from the upper country a bat that is wingless. Whether it is a freak of nature or a hereditary misfortune we are unable to determine; altogether it is a singular looking animal and is attracting much attention.

**PALAWAN.**—The Captain of the "Palawan" claims that he can make the passage to Liverpool inside of 100 days. Watch him gentlemen, and see if he does it. We are allowing him 115 days but if he can accomplish his voyage in 100 days he can take the bribe carried by the Western Shore.

**PRECIOUS STONES.**—Our esteemed friend Mr. Schlusel, has accumulated an overplus of carbuncles, of the finest water, which he wants to be pure and genuine, and is willing to dispose of the same at an astonishingly low figure. He is to be found at the "Occident" at most any hour of the day, but ever ready to attend to seekers for valuable gems. This is really a harvest for parties contemplating investment in a choice article.

**SINGULAR STATEMENT.**—The Portland Commercial Reporter makes the following singular statement: "The Astorian, and its satellites in this city, are seldom without words of abuse for the Oregon Steam Navigation Company, and in their attacks try to make others believe that their cause is sustained by the people living east of the Cascades." We are not aware of having made any attacks upon the company referred to—will Bro. Zarnis please rise to explain.

**CLOSE CALL.**—A letter from Mr. Wm. Howe of this city, written in Evaston, Wyoming, informs us that he has been to see the old folks at home, in Ireland, and was on his way to Astoria when a crazy ecclesiastical shot him, as he slept in a car on the Union Pacific railroad, which incident has laid him up at Evaston, for an indefinite period of time; still he is in hope of being able to reach this city in time to contract for fishing-boats for the coming season, should any be wanting. Mr. Howe says: "The shooting was done at 3 o'clock on the morning of September 22d, west of Green river. I was awakened from my slumbering by the shot which seemed to be a dream: I rubbed my eyes a moment, looked through the curtains and loitered over in my bed to find myself covered with blood, and a lump of lead embedded between flesh and bone, which required a dose of chloroform and a surgeon to extract. I had never spoken to the Chinaman, but he appeared to be impressed the idea that I was a very bad man. When I realized the situation and saw the fellow standing in front of me pointing his revolver toward me, about six feet away. I stood up to go for him, but my legs would not carry me, and I fell upon him, when he dropped his revolver, and passengers held on to him until the conductor came and took him in charge. They were going to lynch him, but did not." Mr. H.'s wound was dressed, after extracting the ball at Evaston, and the train moved on, leaving him to follow when sufficiently able to do so.

**SOMETHING NEW.**—The latest improvement in dust pans, and a good one, may be seen at I. W. Case's.

**FOR TILLAMOOK.**—The steamer Gen. Conby will be ready to leave Astoria for Tillamook Bay in a very few days. See advertisement.

**FORT STEVENS BREAKWATER.**—Mr. R. A. Habersham will arrive here tomorrow for the purpose of making another survey of the above public work.

**THE DANCE OF LIFE.**—This is a work we commend to the public, particularly if you have read the Dance of Death. Charles Stevens & son has the book for sale.

**FOR THE FAIR.**—A nice nest of ducks fresh from the Baffin coast came up by the steamer yesterday to attend the annual duck which begins at Salem tomorrow, "ain or shine."

**RECOVERING.**—Mr. L. Harwick who met with serious injuries by falling from a building recently is able to be about again. Falls are quite numerous in Astoria after a rain storm.

**WILL NOT GO UP.**—Capt. Tobey will take a view of Portland tomorrow, but the vessel, Santa Clara, will not go up. She was docked yesterday at the farmer's wharf, where Capt. Tobey loaded the Pactolus on his first visit to Astoria.

**AT LAW.**—We are informed that Mr. Peter Roney has become so disheartened with the general depression and stagnation of his present business that he is studying law and expects soon to compete with our leading advocates in that business for his daily revenue of cash. At all events he has gone deeply into the practice of the profession, and has several important suits which he is pressing.

**FISH PROPAGATION.**—Under the date of October 4th, Prof. Livingston Stone sends us the following note: "The young fish are just beginning to appear in the salmon eggs that have been placed in the hatching house of the Oregon and Washington Fish Propagation Co. at their extensive hatching station near Baker's Ferry on the Clackamas river. Those who have visited the place say that it is a very interesting sight."

**FROM TILLAMOOK.**—Mr. Wm. Caldwell, who has been at work sealing cans, etc., in Dr. Aug. C. Kinney's cannery at Tillamook, returned via Foot & Walker's line, arriving here at noon on the 5th. Mr. Caldwell informs us that Dr. Kinney arrived at the fishery on the 24th, pretty well jaded from his trip in the saddle over the mountains from Yamhill county. There is now ready for shipment at the cannery four hundred cases of fish. Mr. C. left the fishery on Tuesday morning last.

**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.**—The Congregational church of this city has now no pastor. We are informed that the members, with a liberality of sentiment which may be called true catholicism, have extended invitations to the representatives of all the other evangelical denominations, to unite with them in public worship, and to fill their pulpit as occasion may offer. By reference to our church notices in another column, it will be seen, that Rev. F. Elliott, lately assigned to labor in this city as a representative of the Methodist denomination has accepted the invitation to conduct the services to-day both morning and evening. On next Sabbath the Rev. G. H. Atkinson, D.D. has been invited and will preach morning and evening.

**"WINNIE."**—Was a bright little fellow, aged four, who made many a cute remark and we propose to relate some of them; all of which are true and correct. One evening the family were sitting on the piazza, not a thousand miles from Rincon Hill, and the evening was unusually warm and clear. The stars shone forth brilliantly and we older people were talking about them when a little suddenly exclaimed, "Mamma, is all them stars 'indy moan' babies?" His father loved his morning nap dearly and his wife frequently was obliged to expostulate violently to induce him to a rise to his daily labor. One day a gentleman passing noticed Winnie engaged in his favorite amusement of sitting on the gate and struck by the beauty of the child stopped and accosted him with "Good morning, my boy." "Morning," answered Winnie. "What is your name?" "Hain't got any." "Well, what's your father's name, then?" "My father's name is John Blank, but my mamma calls him John, do set up, dear!" His mother found him sitting on the banisters one day and warned him to be careful, or he would fall and kill himself. "Yes," replied Winnie, "and then you would put me in the bury hole and everybody go to ride to see me put in."

## LIFE'S ROSES.

I.  
When the morning first uncloses,  
And before the mists are gone,  
All the hills seem bright with roses,  
Just a little farther on!  
Lo, with eager, untarned faces,  
Wait the children for the hours  
That shall bring them to the places  
Of the tenting flowers.

II.  
Hands begin to clutch at poses,  
Eyes to flash with new delight,  
And the roses, oh, the roses,  
Barring, blushing, fall in sight!  
Not a thought of rainy weather,  
Nor of thorns, to sting and grieve,  
Gather—gather—gather—gather,  
All the ease is what to leave!

III.  
Noon to afternoon advances,  
Roses red grows russet brown,  
Sad eyes turn to backward glances,  
So the sun of youth goes down,  
And as rose by rose is withered,  
Sober sighs begin to find,  
Many a false heart has been gathered,  
Many a true one left behind.

## CITY ITEMS.

...Dry goods, millinery and notions closed for thirty days at the Bee Hive.

...The Dance of Life, an answer to the Dance of Death, at the Circulating Library.

...Miss Johnson will open a private school tomorrow, October 8th, in A. D. Eyer's building, where Mrs. Luxford formerly taught. Terms 50 cents per week.

...Dr. F. P. Hicks, dentist, rooms in Dr. Welch's building, on Duwamish street, offers his services to the public of Astoria, confident of his ability to please customers.

...They all want it. They do? Well they can get a little of everything at Adler's store next door to the White House.

...They all like it. What? Adler's innocent cigar—Smokers and dealers will do well to examine Adler's stock before purchasing elsewhere. 25,000 just received by steamer for the wholesale trade.

...Peter Roney 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 Life," an answer to the Dance of Death, by Mrs. J. M. Bowers. For sale at the City Book Store.

...We have on hand 60 pair of Mission Woolen mills blankets which we offer for less than factory prices. Warranted all wool at B. H. Hamburgers.

...The largest and best styles of dress goods and waterproofs can only be found at B. H. Hamburgers. Don't fail to inspect them and depend upon it, prices extremely low. See advertisement.

...Persons requiring furnished rooms can be accommodated at Mrs. Munson's new lodging house.

...Board and lodging by the day or week at the Astoria Beer Hall, Main street, Astoria. Peter Davis, proprietor.

...Persons wishing the services of Dr. J. Welch, Dentist, will bear in mind that business will necessitate his temporary absence from the city for a time after a few days.

...Have you seen the Bismarck stove? No? Then call at once to-day, upon L. P. Richman & Co.

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

...The "Sunny Hearth" is what you want for your private office. Call on L. P. Richman & Co. and see it. Beautiful stove.

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

...White wire goods in every style, at L. P. Richman & Co's.

...Dr. B. R. Freeland has located permanently in Astoria for the practice of dentistry. Office in Shuster's building, on Cass street, next door to THE ASTORIAN office.

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

...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.

## ANOTHER VICTORY GAINED IN FAVOR OF SPECIE PAYMENTS.

After this date, coin will be used for change, and tickets dispensed with; all drinks and cigars five and ten cents, at the Chicago House, Main street, Astoria. N. WEIMAN.

Astoria, Oct. 3, 1877.

## SOMETHING NEW.

For Glassware, Crockery, Powder and Shot, Gun Wads, Percussion Caps, in fact everything that is useful as well as ornamental, go to J. W. Gearhart, who sells cheap for cash. Goods delivered free of charge.

## Ordinance No. 219.

An Ordinance in relation to street lamps.

SEC. 1. Any person or persons who shall in any manner injure or destroy any street lamp or lamp post, or place upon any such lamp or lamp post any notice or placard, either by pasting, tacking, the same thereon, or hitch any banner or anything of any such lamp post, or in any manner break any glass in any street lamp, such person or persons shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof before the Police Judge shall be fined in a sum not exceeding \$25 together with the costs of prosecution, and in addition thereto shall be adjudged to pay the cost of repairing such lamp or lamp posts.

Passed the Council, Oct. 1, 1877.  
FRANK J. TAYLOR,  
Auditor and Clerk.

## Ordinance No. 220.

An Ordinance authorizing the construction of a sewer on Jefferson street.

SEC. 1. The City of Astoria does Ordain as follows: That the committee on streets and public works and officers of the street department of this city shall immediately proceed to construct and cause to be constructed a sewer on the south side of Jefferson street in that part of the city of Astoria laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney, extending from the east side of Washington street to the east side of Cass street in said city of such dimensions as said committee in their judgment may deem proper and right for the purpose of drainage and shall connect the plank gutters running north and south with such sewer.

SEC. 2. Inasmuch as the improvement hereby ordered is of a general public utility the same shall be paid for out of the general street fund.

SEC. 3. Immediately on the completion of the work, the committee shall report their doings under this ordinance together with the amount of their expenditures for which an appropriation shall be made.

Passed the Council October 1, 1877.  
FRANK J. TAYLOR,  
Auditor and Clerk.

## Ordinance No. 221.

An Ordinance authorizing the construction of a sewer on West 9th street.

SEC. 1. The City of Astoria does Ordain as follows: That the committee on Streets and Public Works and officers of the street department of this city shall immediately proceed to construct and cause to be constructed a sewer on the east side of West 9th street, in Shively's Astoria, from the south end of lot 6 in block 17, to the south side of Cushing's Court street in said city of such dimensions as said committee in their judgment may deem proper and right for the purpose.

SEC. 2. Inasmuch as the improvement hereby ordered is of general public utility the same shall be paid for out of the general street fund.

SEC. 3. Immediately on the completion of the work the committee shall report their doings under this Ordinance, together with the amount of the expenditures for which an appropriation shall be made.

Passed the Council, Oct. 1, 1877.  
FRANK J. TAYLOR,  
Auditor and Clerk.

## Ordinance No. 222.

An Ordinance to establish the grade of Benton street.

SEC. 1. That the grade of Benton street shall be established at the heights shown in the following table:

NAME OF STREET.	17	22	30	54	135	190	212
Benton street	17	22	30	54	135	190	212

SEC. 2. The figures in the foregoing table represent the height above the base of grade.

SEC. 3. All Ordinances and parts of Ordinances and resolutions in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Passed the Council, Oct. 1, 1877.  
FRANK J. TAYLOR,  
Auditor and Clerk.

## Ordinance No. 224.

An Ordinance to provide for widening Chenamus street in that part of Astoria as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney.

SEC. 1. The common council of the city of Astoria are of the opinion that the public welfare and convenience of the inhabitants of the said city require that that part of Chenamus street in that part of said city as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney, which lies between its intersection with Cass street and its eastern extremity be widened. Therefore,

The City of Astoria does Ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That Chenamus street from its intersection with Cass street to its eastern extremity in that part of the city of Astoria laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney, be and the same is hereby widened to the width of sixty feet instead of fifty feet as at present.

SEC. 2. That the amount of ground necessary to effect such widening be and the same is hereby ordered to be taken in equal parts from the lots on each side of said street.

SEC. 3. That John Holston, C. A. McGuire and Almarin Montgomery be and they are hereby appointed a board of commissioners to ascertain whether any and what amount in value of damage will be caused thereby and what amount of benefit will thereby accrue to the owner or possessor of such ground or improvement upon the line of such street for which such owner ought to be compensated or ought to pay a compensation.

SEC. 4. All the damages and expenses of widening such street shall be borne and paid by the owner or owners of the lots and blocks abutting on said street, and the commissioners hereby appointed shall assess the same upon such owner or owners pro rata.

SEC. 5. Any owner or owners deeming himself or herself aggrieved by the decision of such board of commissioners shall have the right to appeal from such decision to the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Clatsop, notice of such appeal to be served upon the Auditor and Clerk of the city within thirty days after the filing of the award and decision by such Commissioners.

city within thirty days after the filing of the award and decision by such commissioners with such Auditor and clerk as hereinafter provided.

SEC. 6. The said board of commissioners shall proceed with the making of such assessment with all convenient dispatch and file the same as soon as completed with the Auditor and clerk.

SEC. 7. Upon receiving such assessment the Auditor and clerk shall publish the same in the Astorian, a paper published in said city, and enter the same upon the docket of city liens and if no appeal is taken therefrom within the time hereinbefore limited, he shall deliver the same with a warrant thereunto attached to the Chief of Police, who shall proceed to collect the same as delinquent street assessments are collected by law.

SEC. 8. If upon the return of such assessment any compensation is awarded to any owner or owners, he or she shall be entitled to a warrant on the proper fund for the amount of such compensation.

SEC. 9. The board of commissioners hereby appointed shall see that the law of the State of Oregon in such cases made and provided is complied with in all their doings under the provisions of this Ordinance.

Passed the Common Council October 1, 1877.  
FRANK J. TAYLOR,  
Auditor and Clerk.

## Ordinance No. 225.

An Ordinance to provide for widening Chenamus street in that part of Astoria as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney.

SEC. 1. The Common Council of the city of Astoria are of the opinion that the public welfare and convenience of the inhabitants of said city require that that part of Chenamus street in that part of said city as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney, which lies between its intersection with Cass street and its eastern extremity be widened. Therefore,

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SEC. 3. That John Holston, C. A. McGuire and Almarin Montgomery be and they are hereby appointed a Board of Commissioners to ascertain whether any and what amount in value and damage will be caused thereby, and what amount of benefit will thereby accrue to the owner or possessor of any ground or improvement upon the line of such street, for which such owner ought to be compensated, or ought to pay a compensation.

SEC. 4. All the damages and expenses of widening said street, shall be borne and paid by the owner or owners of the lots and blocks abutting on said street, and the Commissioners hereby appointed shall assess the same upon such owner or owners pro rata.

SEC. 5. Any owner or owners deeming himself or herself aggrieved by the decision of such Board of Commissioners, shall have the right of appeal from such decision to the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Clatsop; notice of such appeal to be served upon the Auditor and Clerk of the city, within 30 days after the filing of the award and decision of such Commissioners with such Auditor and Clerk as hereinafter provided.

SEC. 6. The said Board of Commissioners shall proceed with the making of such assessment with all convenient dispatch, and file the same as soon as completed with the Auditor and Clerk.

SEC. 7. Upon receiving said assessment the Auditor and Clerk shall publish the same in the Astorian, a paper published in said city, and enter the same upon the docket of the city liens, and if no appeal is taken therefrom within the time hereinbefore limited, he shall deliver the same with a warrant thereunto attached, to the Chief of Police, who shall proceed to collect the same as delinquent street assessments are collected by law.

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Passed the Council, Oct. 1, 1877.  
FRANK J. TAYLOR,  
Auditor and Clerk.

## TO OUR BUSINESS MEN.

Follow the advice given below, and you are sure to succeed in your business. Read it and see if it is not sensible: "Blow your own horn. Yes, give it a good blast, and let modesty blush if she will. This false delicacy has been the stumbling block of thousands of real good and capable men. Make a noise; it will attract son ebody. Let the world know that you are alive and intend to drive things until you get to the top of the hill and make a fortune. To the men of energy and perseverance mountains are but mole hills. 'Tis only the drones that fail. They are always looking on the black side, predicting disaster, always complaining of hard times, always waiting for something to turn up. Such men will never find good times, nor prosperity. Neither will they ever find friends or admirers among first-class business men. If you would succeed in anything, don't stand still. Go ahead, don't be afraid. Do something. If you don't blow the horn somebody else will, but not for your benefit except 'in a horn.' Then toot your horn, you great and small, Your right is not disputed, For he that tooteth not his horn The same shall not be tooted."

**THE WHEAT CROP.**—It is estimated that the entire wheat crop of the country will aggregate the present year 325,000,000 bushels. The crops and exports for a series of years have been as follows:

Year.	Crop Bush.	Expts Bush.
1876.....	256,000,000	53,000,000
1875.....	292,000,000	69,500,000
1874.....	308,000,000	76,000,000
1873.....	281,000,000	51,500,000
1872.....	250,000,000	57,200,000
1871.....	236,000,000	59,300,000
1870.....	226,000,000	51,000,000
1869.....	200,000,000	52,000,000
1868.....	224,000,000	43,700,000