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Portland has several very sly thieves.

Hail-stones fell in torrents at Astoria yesterday.

Mrs. Caroline Richings Bernard is teaching music in Baltimore.

The survey of the Allegiance pronounces her all right. "We told you so."

The Europa cleared yesterday for Europe. She has on board 1923 tons of wheat.

The barometer at Astoria yesterday indicated a favorable change in the weather.

The Portland press are wasting a good deal of gas on Joaquin and Minnie-Myrtle-Miller-Logan.

Theodore Broemser, of the Walla Walla restaurant, lost three pigs yesterday. The finder will please report to him.

Winter is more than half gone—it has not touched this portion of the country with a very great degree of severity.

Sheriff John T. Apperson of Clackamas has refunded \$1110 to the state. So much for having had a smelling committee.

Capt. Gilman brought the Sabrina to port in tow of the Ocklahoma yesterday from Portland. The balance of her cargo was placed on board last night.

Capt. C. S. Simpson, familiarly known as Capt. Clem, who for several years sailed the Arago and Occident to Coos bay, and the Whistler, and other vessels, is master of the Rebecca now.

The Oregonian is informed that the Yanhill Narrow Gauge railroad will be extended during the coming summer from Dayton to Portland, if sufficient local aid can be secured to grade and tie the road.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Allen, of fort Stevens, Prof. L. J. Powell of Salem, Mr. L. A. Loomis of Oysterville, and Judge Dean Blanchard of Rainer, were among the guests registered at the Occident last evening.

Mr. M. D. Kant, of this city, has recently wrought some very handsome brackets, bill-holders, wall-pockets, of wood from original designs. We have never seen any work of the kind that will compare with his.

Another new candidate for public favor comes to us from Marshfield. The Coast Mail, published every Saturday morning by G. Webster and J. Hackes. The paper makes a very creditable appearance, and shows more than ordinary ability.

Lieut. Craig of the signal service, has been instructed to erect a military telegraph line from Dayton, W. T., to fort Lapwai; from thence, the line will be extended to Mt. Idaho and the military posts from Couer d'Alene to fort Colville.

Rev. J. T. Wolfe will preach in the Congregational church of this city, Sunday, Jan. 26th, at 11 A. M., on the "Water of Life," and at 7 P. M., on "The Effects of a Spiritual Faith on the Human Life." The public is cordially invited.

"Advertising costs money." So does store-rent, so do all good and useful things. The object of advertising is not to cause a man to expend money, but to make it.

Odd Fellows Land and Building Association.

We are pleased to see that the fraternity of Odd Fellows in Astoria have taken steps to secure ground and erect a hall. The books for subscription to the stock of the association are now open at the office of Hon. I. W. Case, and we understand that the prospects are favorable to a speedy taking of stock sufficient to insure the success of the movement. At a recent meeting of stockholders, to perfect the organization, directors were elected as follows: Capt. G. Reed, Hon. I. W. Case, Judge J. Q. A. Bowly, Capt. J. H. D. Gray, C. H. Bain, A. J. Megler, C. S. Wright. These names ought to be considered sufficient guarantee of wise and judicious management in the association. They are all careful, competent, and successful men of business. We know from past experience, and it is the experience of others, that money invested in enterprises of this character are always safe and reliable investments. It may not pay largely at first; indeed, it may be some time before bona fide dividends are received, but we need only to point to Portland, to Oregon city, and elsewhere, to show that in such cases the money has proven to be not only saved by the investment, but has in a brief period of time paid much more liberal interest than when invested in almost any other way. We hope to see every man who has an interest in the order, every brother who has \$25 or more to spare from their earnings, putting their surplus balances into this stock.

Whose Business is it?

The Paul Pry style of news gossips are all agog now concerning the Walla Walla railroad. One says:

It is rumored on the street that Dr. Baker and Messrs. Ainsworth, Ladd & Co. have been unable to conclude the transfer of the Walla Walla and Columbia river railroad. Which party fails to come to the scratch has not transpired. If the sale is not completed we do not think our people will feel very sorry. No matter how much they may and do feel like condemning the way Dr. Baker has managed and charged for the use of his road, they cannot help feeling very grateful to him for building it, and giving them the advantages of ample and speedy communication with navigation. They also feel that if the proposed sale is not concluded that the result will be a war between capitalists for the control of the transportation of this rapidly growing country. Among the possibilities are the construction of a rival road from this place to the river and the placing of an opposition line of steamers on the Columbia. In fact one or both of these events must soon follow the failure to sell. Neither Dr. Baker nor the proposed purchasers, who are the heavy men of the Oregon Steam Navigation company, can afford to longer continue the relations hitherto existing. The Oregon Steam Navigation company must strive to control the approaches of the Columbia, and Dr. Baker and associates must have boats on the river, or they must unite. They cannot afford to be at cross purposes. As long as they occupy their present positions they are virtually maintaining an armed neutrality; each watches the other; each plans to get the best of the situation; both unfriendly and either liable at any moment to declare war upon each other. So far as the producers and shippers are concerned they would all prefer to see the proposed bargain fall through.

Another, which made it its business to sift the matter says:

We cannot find, upon inquiry at head quarters, any truth in the report that any hitch has occurred in the sale of the Walla Walla and Columbia river railroad from Dr. Baker to the Oregon Steam Navigation company.

From the terrible scourge of diphtheria, which is counting its victims by thousands all over the north, and which is robbing many a household of its dearest treasures, even in healthy Oregon, Coos county has been entirely exempt, says the News. We have never heard of a case in the county, during a residence of seven years. There are probably no healthier counties on the earth than the coast counties of Oregon. We can vouch for the statement so far as it refers to Clatsop county.

Rev. Mr. Parker, being indisposed, is absent from the city for a few days. Services will be held on Sunday next, morning and evening, at Grace church, and in the afternoon at the chapel of Holy Innocents. The Bishop of the diocese will officiate.

AROUND THE CITY.

Astoria Lodge No. 40, I. O. of G. T., will give an entertainment and social at their hall on Friday evening, January 31st inst. Full particulars will appear soon.

Mr. G. Neimeyer, the prince of merchant tailors in Oregon, arrived at Astoria yesterday, and will remain for a few days to take orders for suits of clothing. As Mr. Neimeyer's work recommends itself, it is not necessary for us to speak with respect to the quality. He may be seen at the Occident.

Fresh oysters in every style at Schmeers'. See advertisement.

Your complexion is sallow, and skin yellow, your liver is affected. Obtain from your druggist a bottle of Pfunder's Oregon Blood Purifier.

The City Book Store stock is elegantly stocked with a superb lot of goods purchased by Capt. B. F. Stevens while in San Francisco. Call and see these goods.

Keep your blood pure and your health must be good, the great purifier is Pfunder's Oregon Blood Purifier. All Astoria druggists have it now.

Mr. A. H. Sale authorizes us to offer a reward of \$10.00 for evidence which will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who took his boat "Josephine" from the old mill landing on Youngs bay and left it on the tide land above Richardson's place. The act was committed on or about January 11th, or 12th, 1879.

P. J. Goodman, on Main street, has just received the latest and most fashionable style of gent and ladies boots, shoes, etc.

Call and see stereoscopic view of Cascade canal, and photographic copy of 1878 chart of the Columbia river bar, at H. S. Shuster's art gallery. Photography is truly a science.

Peter Runey 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.

Wood of all kinds, and a splendid lot of pitch wood, at Gray's wharf, for sale in lots to suit purchasers.

Fresh fruits and vegetables at Bailey's.

Get your baskets filled for a little money at Bailey's.

Mr. J. Stewart, stone and marble cutter of Astoria will guarantee satisfaction to all ordering work of him, and will do a better job for less money than any outside workman. His work in the cemetery here should be sufficient recommendation. Before you let your contracts for work of this kind it would be well to call upon Mr. Stewart.

New invoice of those Medallion Ranges at Magnus C. Crosby's.

Call at Mrs. Derby's when you wish any article in the millinery line. Trimmed hats selling at cost.

Fresh oysters in every style and at all hours at the Pioneer restaurant.

Shipmasters wishing to secure seamen can have their wants supplied by calling at the Chicago house, Main street.

Foreign Exports.

Since the last report of clearances from the Astoria custom house was made for publication in THE ASTORIAN, the following vessels have cleared for European ports with cargoes and values as specified. Shipments from Portland are noted as they occur:

Table with columns: Destination, Commodity, Quantity, Value. Includes entries for Queenstown, Liverpool, and other ports.

Dress Cutting and Fitting.

Miss E. C. Benedict begs respectfully to inform the ladies of Astoria and vicinity that she may be found at the residence of Mrs. T. S. Jewett, corner of Astor and Cass streets, opposite the Congregational church, prepared to teach Mrs. E. K. Renker's system of dress-cutting and fitting, which is considered by judges to be the best system known, as by it the skirt as well as the waist is made perfectly fitting.

Lodging House—Persons requiring furnished or unfurnished rooms can be accommodated at reasonable rates at Mrs. Munson's Chenamus st., Astoria.

If you are suddenly asked, "who among merchants have made the largest fortunes in the shortest time in legitimate business?" will not your reply naturally be, "judicious advertisers?"

If a person orders his paper discontinued, he must first pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until it is made, and collect the whole amount, whether the paper is taken from the office or not.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HOUSE TO LET.—A nice residence, new, containing six rooms, will be ready for a tenant any time on short notice. For particulars inquire at THIS OFFICE.

FROM A SUFFERER. Do not fall, if bad health you're afraid of, or knowing exactly what you're bread is made of. Now allow me to tell you, for experience I've had 'em sure. Notings worse for the stomach than when you're yeast powder's not pure. Oh, then be careful in future, you know what's at stake. Let me advise you (for I know now) what brand to take. Let your grocer give you no other kind for this is guaranteed. You use Donnelly's Yeast Powder and of good health pure and light bread you're sure.

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! Which will be sold at lowest rates, wholesale and retail. Special attention given to supplying ships.

D. K. WARRICK. C. A. MCGUIRE

Astoria Market!

Corner of Chenamus and Cass streets. ASTORIA, OREGON. WARREN & MCGUIRE, Proprietors. 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. Ships supplied at the lowest rates.

IT IS A POSITIVE TRUTH

That housekeepers can do better by dealing with J. K. WIRT, on Main street, as he keeps the best of

FRUITS, CANDIES, NUTS. LIQUORS AND CIGARS, SMOKED SALMON, BOLOGNE SAUSAGE, JERKED ELK MEAT, And also from Clatsop every other day FRESH BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE, CLAMS, DUCKS, CHICKENS, And everything that is needed in the cooking line at the lowest living prices. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. J. K. WIRT.

W. E. DEMENT,

DRUGGIST.

ASTORIA OREGON. Carries a full Assortment of

Drugs, Patent Medicines, PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS.

Prescriptions filled with care Day or Night.

Manufacturer of Fishermen's Relief. A sure preventative of Chapped Hands, and cure for Fish Wounds.

JUST RECEIVED.

BOILED CIDER; PLUM PUDDING, IN CANS; CODFISH BALLS, IN CANS; PORK AND BEANS, IN CANS; EASTERN CRANBERRIES; ZANTE CURRANTS; FRESH CITRUS; ORANGES AND LIMES, the finest ever brought in the market; CRYSTAL DRIPS, GALLON CANS; NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES. PICKLED HERRING IN KEGS, JUMBLES, ETC., ETC. MUSCATED RAISINS, 2-lb PACKAGES, VERY FINE; PIGS FEET, 1-lb AND 2-lb TINS; CHICKENS AND TURKEYS, IN TINS; EASTERN AND OREGON HAMS, best quality. Also, a fine assortment of BREAKFAST BACON AND OTHER MEATS, AT J. W. GEARHART'S.

CITY BOOK STORE,

MAIN ST., ASTORIA.

CHAS. STEVENS & SON

Invite the attention of purchasers to their stock, just laid in

The Finest Selection! The Cheapest Prices!

The Greatest Worth!

RECEPTION POCKETS; LADIES' DIARIES AND PURSES COMBINED; COMB AND BRUSH POCKETS; CUTLERY, JEWELRY, CHARMS, ETC., ETC.; LADIES' FANCY BOARD, ETC.; GOLD PENS AND PENCILS; PAINT PENCILS, GUTTA PERCHA GOODS; EXCELSIOR DIARIES, BLANK BOOKS, STATIONERY, ETC.

All goods sold at lowest cash prices. CHAS. STEVENS & SON.

City Book Store to Main street, two doors from the Pioneer Restaurant, opposite the bakery of Mrs. C. Binder.

CHARLES HEILBORN,

MANUFACTURER OF

And Dealer in

FURNITURE and BEDDING.

ALSO IMPORTER OF

CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, WALL PAPER, SHADES, ETC.

All kinds of repairing promptly attended to, and furniture made to order.

A full line of picture mouldings and frames, brackets, window cornices, etc. Full stock and lowest prices, corner of Squemoche and Main street, Astoria.

AUCTION SALES.

E. C. HOLDEN,

Notary Public for the State of Oregon.

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Regular sales day, SATURDAYS at 2 P. M.

N. B. Parties having real estate, furniture or any other goods to dispose of either at auction or private sale should notify me as soon as convenient before the day of sale. No storage charged on goods sold at Auction. E. C. HOLDEN, Auctioneer.

AMUSEMENTS.

WORSLEY'S

Dancing Academy.

Page's building next door to E. S. Larsen.

GENTS CLASS—On Monday and Thursday evenings, at 7:30.

LADIES CLASS—On Monday and Thursday afternoons, at 2:30.

BOYS CLASS—On Tuesday and Friday evenings, at 7:30.

MISSSES CLASS—Wednesday and Saturday at 4 P. M.

Wednesday evening for the entire school. None admitted except scholars. Saturday evening SOIREE.

TERMS—Ladies and gents class per Month..... \$5 00 Boys and Misses class per Month..... 2 50

HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.

A. J. MEGLER. C. S. WRIGHT.

OCCIDENT HOTEL.

MEGLER & WRIGHT, Proprietors.

Astoria, Oregon.

THE PROPRIETORS ARE HAPPY TO announce that the above hotel has been repainted and refurbished, adding greatly to the comfort of its guests and is now the best hotel north of San Francisco.

MRS. S. N. ARRIGONI

Has re-opened the Pioneer Restaurant on Main street, Astoria.

FOR THE RECEPTION OF BOARDERS, by the week, day or single meals.

Fresh oysters in every style at all hours.

PALACE LODGING HOUSE.

(Alisky & Hegele's new building) Corner of Morrison and Third streets. PORTLAND, OREGON.

Furnished rooms in suits, or single, by the day, week or month.

Miss H. MENEFFEE, Lessee.

WALLA WALLA

RESTAURANT,

THEO. BROEMSER, PROPRIETOR.

Fresh oysters, and other delicacies of the season, served in every style.

Opposite the Telegraph office, Squemoche street, Astoria, Oregon.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS.

ASTORIA CANDY FACTORY

OYSTER SALOON.

HAVING ENLARGED MY STORE I have now on hand the largest and best assortment of plain and French candies in town, also, all kinds of CAKES, CRACKERS AND BISCUITS. All of which I offer for sale at the lowest cash price, wholesale and retail at

SCHMEER'S CONFECTIONERY.

Opposite the bell tower. Retail candy from 25 to 75 cents per pound.

Fresh Eastern and Shadwater buy-oysters-served in every style.

TURPIN HOUSE.

D. L. TURPIN - PROPRIETOR, MAIN STREET.

Between Squemoche and Jefferson, ASTORIA, OREGON.

Board and lodging per week.....\$5 50 Board per day..... 1 00 Single Meal..... 25

The table will be supplied at all times with the best the market affords.

PARKER HOUSE,

ASTORIA, OREGON.

H. T. PARKER, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is the largest, most comfortable and best kept hotel in the city. It is supplied with the best of spring water, hot and cold baths, barber shop, and a first-class saloon with best of liquors and cigars, and fine billiard table. Free coach to and from the house; charges reasonable, \$1.00 to \$2.00 per day, according to room occupied. Astoria, July 15, 1878.

WOOD WORKING MACHINERY. IRON WORKING TOOLS. STEAM ENGINES. BERRY & PLACE. SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. (CIRCULARS SENT FREE TO ALL.)

Three Schooners for Sale.

TWO schooners, with center boards, 15 tons each, and one without center board, five tons, all fully equipped and in good order, will be sold cheap for cash. Apply to WATSON BROS., Astoria, Oregon.

SPILES.

The undersigned is prepared to furnish a large number of Spiles and Spots at the place on short notice, at reasonable rates. Full stock and lowest prices, corner of Squemoche and Main street, Astoria. Apply to C. G. CAMPBELL, Clatsop City.