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## THE CITY.

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A new lot of crockery to be seen at Bailey's.

Mr. Carl Adler will sail by steamer to-day for San Francisco.

See late specimens lightning process of photography, at H. S. Shuster's Art Gallery.

Mr. Thomas Cottle has returned to Astoria to renew the sizzle of the soda-works.

Mr. Thomas Logan is attending to the duties of superintendent of streets "up and up."

Warren & McGuire have the early rose potatoes for seed. Farmers, please remember this.

Mrs. Abernethy's health is so far improved that Miss Young will return to the city in a few days.

Mr. A. H. Sales has purchased and refitted the sloop Morning Star, built her over and renamed her Lenetta. She made her first trip to the city yesterday.

The Bee says that the Italian who attempted to commit suicide at Astoria, and was conveyed to St. Vincent's hospital for treatment, is not very dangerously injured.

The Bee informs us that the Great Republic will sail this morning at 5 o'clock and will carry away 1,000 tons of grain for Hewett & Co., and about 500 tons of general merchandise.

Any person knowing the address of any relative of the late Wm. Lamar who was killed by the Indians in Unatilla county last summer, will please address, the East Oregonian, Pendleton Oregon.

The sloop Magnet is very rapidly assuming the form and dress of a steamer. Indeed, she can no longer be classed as a sloop, and she will be a steamer in which all can share a pride with her owner Mr. J. W. Munson.

Stated communication of Saints John Chapter, No. 14, R. A. M. this p. m. at 7:30 o'clock sharp. A full attendance requested. Sojourning companions in good standing respectfully invited. By order of the H. P.

During the absence of Mr. Carl Adler people are invited to call at his store and help themselves to whatever they choose, at bed-rock prices. His present stock will be reduced to make room for a large assortment in new lines of goods.

The Oregonian is informed that the Oregon and California Railroad company are negotiating for the construction, in the east, of a large iron ferry boat for Portland, which will be constructed east and brought here in sections and put together.

The Undine boat club of Salem took their boat to Albany by the steamer A. A. McCully on Saturday last, and pulled back in three hours and twenty-nine minutes. The distance is forty-three miles. We consider that splendid. It has never been beaten in Oregon waters at least.

Mine hosts Megler and Wright entertained a party of old-time Astorians at lunch yesterday, and a feast of fresh halibut resulted. Around the table were observed Messrs. A. Van Dusen, John Hobson, Capt. A. D. Wass, Capt. J. G. Hustler, Mr. Wright, Mr. Megler, and your humble servant. It was a very enjoyable feast.

## Common Council Proceedings.

Council met at the usual hour, March 18th, Councilman Gray President, presiding.

Councilmen present—Messrs. Gray, Runey, Hahn and Shively. Absent—Messrs. McCann and McGuire.

Officers present—R. H. Cardwell, auditor an clerk; W. J. Barry, chief of police.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

**PETITIONS AND REMONSTRANCES.**

Of citizens asking for a lamp at the intersection of Olney streets, was referred.

Of citizens asking for authority to prevent the lamps lighter from riding on horseback on side walks on Main street, was laid on the table, because there is an ordinance prohibiting such conduct on the part of any one.

A remonstrance of Susan L. Shively against city using the burial ground donated in 1865, as the same has reverted to the original owner in consequence of non-compliance with the terms of the donation, was referred to city attorney Winton.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.**

Health and police committee reported upon the matter of charges preferred against police judge H. B. Parker by Ges. W. Rea, exonerating Mr. Parker, and the report was adopted.

Streets and public ways committee reported upon the claim of Major C. H. Page for materials and labor used in building a crossing at the intersection of West-sixth and Water streets, allowing the same. The report was adopted and warrant authorized.

Same committee reported on sundry communications from R. F. Wickham and others, which reports were laid on the table.

Same committee reported on the petition of C. Gilbert, in relation to removal of obstructions in West-ninth street, authorizing the removal within thirty days. The report was adopted.

Ways and means committee reported in the matter of H. B. Parker on refunding certain taxes on property destroyed by fire. The report recommended that the petition of Mr. Parker be referred back for description of property. The report was laid on the table.

Same committee, reported on petition that the names of Squemoghe, and certain other outlandishly named streets in Astoria, be changed to numbers and letters. Report favors a change, and was started on the right course to secure the result.

**CITY ASSESSOR.**

Report of the city attorney, on the matter of city assessor, his appointment and duties, was placed on file.

Councilman Runey nominated B. S. Worsley for assessor.

Councilman Shively nominated Prof. A. Maachen; but afterwards withdrew the name.

Vote was taken upon the confirmation of Mr. Worsley, which was lost, as only three members Messrs. Gray, Hahn and Runey voted aye.

On motion the matter of assessor was laid over until the next meeting of the council, Saturday evening.

**COMMUNICATIONS.**

From the auditor and clerk, relative to certain contracts about to expire, and

From the chief of police W. J. Barry, relative to delinquent tax-list, were placed on file.

From the chief engineer, C. J. Trenchard, relative to heater for steam fire engine, etc., was referred to committee on fire and water.

**ORDINANCES.**

An ordinance reducing the salary of the city attorney to \$10 00 per month was read first and second times and referred.

An ordinance making an appropriation of \$500 00 for the expenses of litigation, was read first and second times, and referred.

An ordinance increasing the salary of night policemen to \$80 per month, and increasing their duty as lamp-lighters, was read first and second times, and referred to two committees.

An ordinance authorizing the employment of Robb & Fulton in certain causes pending in relation to the roadway was read for information, and re-committed.

An ordinance prohibiting setting fires to fallen timber and rubbish was

reported on favorably, and re-committed.

An ordinance regulating and licensing bar-rooms and drinking shops, was reported on favorably, and re-committed.

An ordinance providing for licensing "places of amusement," was reported on favorably and laid over.

**RESOLUTIONS.**

A resolution was adopted authorizing the auditor and clerk to advertise for bids for boarding city prisoners for one year from April 1st, 1879.

A resolution dismissing the city attorney was laid over.

A resolution compelling J. O. Fruit, lamp-lighter, to pay \$1 33 for oil consumed in day-light, by lamps left burning on Sunday, was referred.

On motion of Mr. Hahn the auditor and clerk was instructed to advertise for proposals for furnishing oil, and all needed appliances, and lighting and extinguishing the street lamps for the term of one year from April 1st, 1879.

**WARRANTS ORDERED.**

Warrants were ordered in payment of claims against the city, as follows:

A. Van Dusen & Co	\$47 75
S. W. Dodd	2 50
Clatsop county	3 50
W. L. McEwan	1 70
J. G. Haller	17 25
J. H. D. Gray	4 50

The following bills were referred to committees:

A. Van Dusen & Co	\$46 00
Police men for stars, clubs, etc.	31 50
C. H. Bain & Co	4 35

On motion of Mr. Shively the council adjourned until Saturday evening March 22d, 1879, at 7:30 o'clock.

## Fort Clatsop Brick.

If any of the builders at Astoria, intending to use brick the coming season, will call at THE ASTORIAN office we will show them brick made in this county which we feel safe in saying recommends itself. The maker of this material has spent several hundreds of dollars in the experiment which has proved beyond any reasonable doubt that he can manufacture the article here. If the people will only aid his enterprise by properly encouraging it, Mr. Smith will do for Astoria what the brick makers have done for Portland. Clatsop is to-day one of the richest counties in the whole northwestern territory, if the natural resources are only developed. The brick which we have here on exhibition were made in a crude sort of way, but out of a kiln of 20,000 it would be difficult to find better samples in any portion of the state.

## Court Proceedings.

**JUSTICE COURT—E. B. TURLEY, J.**  
 ASTORIA, March 19.

Wm. McLaughlin, arraigned for assault and battery, was found guilty and fined \$40 00 and costs; and also damages assessed for property destroyed.

**POLICE COURT—H. B. PARKER, J.**

Sue Kim, arraigned for selling liquor without a license, was discharged for want of sufficient evidence.

Jo. Anderson, "my Jo. John," an inebriated individual, for want of equivalence to liquidate a fine of \$10, languishes in jail for the period of five days, when not employed by the police upon the streets, or at "manual" labor.

## Prices of Oysters.

Following is the price of oysters at the principal restaurants of Portland:

For Eastern, per plate	50
" Shoalwater bay, per plate	37 1/2
" Olympia, per plate	25

Persons might suppose that this difference was based upon quality, but such is a mistake. The difference is wholly owing to the inconveniences of transportation, and unless something is done to enable Shoalwater bay to lay its oysters down in the markets at less rates than at present, the trade will be ruined in a short time.

## Shipping Notes.

The Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of dispatches announcing that: The Elder sailed from San Francisco yesterday at 11 o'clock A. M. for Astoria and Portland.

The Ancon will sail on the 25th, for Astoria and Portland.

A fine lot of Whitaker hams to be found at Bailey's.

Best Salem flour is sold in this city at \$5 50 per barrel by Warren & McGuire.

## AROUND THE CITY.

Fresh fruits and vegetables at Bailey's.

J. C. Johnson may be found at the Occident in Astoria every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evening, ready to attend to messenger duty in Portland or to points along the river in a satisfactory manner.

Oysters served in every style at the Walla Walla Restaurant.

Twelve yards Chinese Grass Cloth, 36 inches wide, for one dollar at Hamburger's.

Five thousand yards Embroideries from 5 cents upwards, at Hamburger'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.

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

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

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

Buy your domestic goods at Hamburger's. You can do better than at any other house.

Parties in want of good Cedar Shingles will do well to apply to H. C. Comegys, Kalama, W. T.

A new lot of full bound blank, and receipt books, specially for use in canneries, at the City Book store.

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

Peter Runey is still in the market with all kinds of building materials in his line. Has just received 300,000 lath, 2,000 bushels of sand, and a large stock of first quality of brick at his warehouse foot of Benton street.

The cheapest ever offered is Hamburger's Embroidery.

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

You can get Pumpernickel bread at Mrs. S. Binder's bakery in Astoria, where it is baked regularly and kept on hand for sale, the same as other bread.

W. H. Dodge will go round to South Bend, Pacific county, W. T., in the steamer General Canby on the 25th inst., with a large number of the finest fruit trees and shrubs for sale.

The best "poster" is that which is sent regularly into the family circle.

Nick Squivalence has concluded that there is no millions in shipping sailors, and he has given up that business, and is attending closely to keeping a hotel. Call at the Chicago House and see for yourself.

**Fashionable Dress-Making.**

Miss M. J. KELLEY having made arrangements with Miss E. C. Benedict to do cutting and fitting in her shop, and feeling fully competent to offer herself as a first-class trimmer, would be pleased to have the ladies of Astoria give her a call, as she will hold herself responsible for all work done. Terms reasonable. Next door to THE ASTORIAN office.

Miss E. C. BENEDICT wishes to inform the Ladies, that she will still continue instructing all those who wish to learn Mrs. C. K. Kinker's system of Dress-cutting, having taken rooms with Miss M. J. Kelley.

**The Finest Stock.**

When we say the finest stock we certainly mean it; and not only the finest, but the cheapest lot of pictures in the city, chromos, etc., already framed, at the City Book Store of Charles Stevens & Son, Main street. Which must and will be sold.

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

**WANTS, LOST, FOUND, ETC.**

**AN ORGAN FOR SALE—**At Mr. Holden's auction rooms. In good order and almost new. Apply at once. d4w-3w

**LAUNDRY FOR SALE—**Inquire at the Astoria Steam Laundry. J. T. BORCHERS, Proprietor. Astoria, Oregon.

**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.

**NOTICE—**Notice is hereby given to all persons holding receipts for lots purchased in the City Cemetery to have the same filed with the Auditor and Clerk within ten days from this date, and procure their deeds. This is for the purpose of enabling them to have their deeds recorded and to save confusion of titles in the future. By order of the Common Council. R. H. CARDWELL, Auditor and Clerk. Astoria, March 8, 1879. 57-4101

**Fish Commissioners Notice.**

THE UNDERSIGNED FISH COMMISSIONER for Washington territory, hereby gives notice that he will visit all the canneries on the Washington territory side of the river, from the first to the twentieth of March, and after that will be at Brookfield for the rest of the season.

ALBERT F. STREAM, NORTH COVE, W. T., Feb. 17, 1879.

**Fish Commissioners Notice.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, having been duly appointed deputy for Clatsop county, by C. Liebenweber, Fish Commissioner, under the laws of the State of Oregon, will be in readiness from and after this date, to issue licenses, at his office up stairs, corner of Cass and Squemoghe streets, Astoria, Oregon. Persons seeking in applications for licenses will please send No. of boat and name of the fisherman or captain of the boat. H. B. FERGUSON, Deputy Fish Commissioner.

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.**

Notice is hereby given that all persons are forbidden trespassing upon, or in any way occupying any portion of the land or beach surrounding TOSQUE POINT, or upon any part of the Henry Marlin land claim in Clatsop county, State of Oregon, without permission from the undersigned; and also from setting out fires upon said claim, whereby the standing timber may in any way be injured. VAN DUSEN & BROWN, Per A. VAN DUSEN. Astoria, Oct. 5, 1877. 17

## AMUSEMENTS.

**GRAND OPENING**  
 OF  
**Hill's New Variety Theatre,**  
 Containing six  
**NEW AND ELEGANT BOXES,**  
**SITTING ROOMS, ETC.**  
 The Decorations of the New Theatre were executed by Mr. F. Holt.

**NEW AND ELABORATE SCENERY.**  
 Painted by Mr. Wm. West, Architect and Builder Mr. Kemble.

On and after this date will be given a  
**First Class Entertainment,**  
 Which for Refinement and Novelty cannot be equalled on this coast. Our Performances Commence with our  
**First Part of Male and Female MINSTRELS.**  
**GRAND OLIO,**  
 Consisting of  
 Singing, Dancing, Acrobatic Feats, Negro Sketches, Trapeze Performers, Pantomimists and Jugglers.

**HOUSE CROWDED NIGHTLY**  
 To see our Refined and Unequaled entertainment. New Acts, New Songs and complete change of Programme twice a week.

**GEO. HILL, Proprietor.**

Entrance to Boxes and Circle on Chenamus Street. Performance to commence at eight o'clock precise.

**HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.**

C. W. KNOWLES, AL. ZIEBER.  
**CLARENDON HOTEL,**  
 PORTLAND, OREGON.  
 ZIEBER & KNOWLES, Proprietors.  
 Free coach to and from the house.

**PARKER HOUSE,**  
 ASTORIA, OREGON.  
 H. B. PARKER, Proprietor.

THE HOTEL is the largest, most comfortable and best kept hotel in the city. 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 50 per day, according to room occupied.

**Private Boarding House.**  
 MRS. QUINN, PROPRIETOR.  
 Will accommodate day boarders or accommodate any with board and lodging. Prices reasonable. In Ingalls' building, Jefferson street, opposite Wells, Fargo & Co's Express office.

**CENTENNIAL HOTEL,**  
 Water street, near the O. S. N. Co's Wharf, ASTORIA, OREGON.  
 HENRY ROTHE, PROPRIETOR.

THIS IS A NEW HOTEL BUILDING, newly furnished, is conveniently situated to business, and will be conducted so as to make it a first class stopping place for the public generally, and will be open from this day.

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 repaired and refurnished, adding greatly to the comfort of its guests and is now the best hotel north of San Francisco.

**TURPIN HOUSE.**  
 D. L. TURPIN, PROPRIETOR  
 MAIN STREET.  
 Between Squemoghe and Jefferson, ASTORIA, OREGON.

Board and lodging per week.....\$6 00  
 Board per day.....1 00  
 Single Meal.....25  
 The table will be supplied at all times with the best the market affords.

**WALLA WALLA RESTAURANT,**  
 THEO. BROEMSEL, PROPRIETOR.  
 Fresh oysters, and other delicacies of the season, served in every style.  
 Opposite the Telegraph office, Squemoghe street, Astoria, Oregon.  
 MEALS AT ALL HOURS.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

**WILLIAM EDGAR,**  
 Corner Main and Chenamus Streets, ASTORIA, OREGON.  
 DEALER IN  
**CIGARS AND TOBACCO,**  
 AND THE GENUINE WOSTENHOLM and other English Cutlery.

**STATIONERY!**  
**FAIRCHILD'S GOLD PENS**  
**Genuine Meershaum Pipes, etc.**  
 A fine stock of  
**Watches and Jewelry, Muzzle and Breach Loading Shot Guns, Revolvers, Pistols, Parlor Rifles, and Ammunition.**

JUST RECEIVED BY  
**G. W. PARKER,**  
 AT THE  
**I. X. L. STORE!**  
 Corner Main and Concomly streets.  
 GROCERIES, FLOUR, FEED, WOODEN Ware, Coal Oils, Tobaccos, and Gents Frying Goods, which will be sold at lowest rates.