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BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENT.

The pulpit of the Congregational church of this city will be occupied this morning and evening, as usual, by the pastor, J. N. Wolfe. Morning subject: "The multitude of the redeemed." Evening subject: "Conscience."

Services at Presbyterian hall will be conducted by laymen of the congregation, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. E. N. Condit, at the spring meeting of Presbytery, Sabbath school at noon. All are cordially invited. No services in the evening.

Rev. B. C. White will preach in the Baptist church this morning and evening. Subject in the morning: "All things work together for good to the Christian." Subject in the evening: "The redemption of the soul is precious." Christian baptism will be administered at 2 P. M. At the close of the sermon in the evening, the baptized will receive the hand of fellowship, and the Lords supper will be administered.

Steamer day.

Try those easter eggs at Schmeers.

The Alpha has sailed for Tillamook.

More new music has arrived at Barth & Myers hall.

Mr. Kelly will have his pond-net in operation next week.

Mr. Van Dusen returned from Portland last evening.

The Ancon arrived in San Francisco fifty hours from the bar.

A great many people never saw a pile-driver until in Astoria.

We understand that work has begun for the season at Westport.

More cows for Astoria milk ranch arrived by the Hayward last night.

The sale of Mrs. Arrigoni's furniture will be a large sale, on the 10th.

Mr. Moffitt, late of Baltimore, has taken a position in Mr. Carl Adler's employ.

Temple Lodge No. 7, A. F. and M. are doing some excellent work of late.

See advertisement of the Astoria Fishery, offering desirable property for sale.

The Emily Stephens got away in good shape yesterday on her first fishing cruise.

Commodore Conner, with the magnificent steamship Oregon, will go to sea to-day.

Max Wagner is getting ready to put an organ into the Great Eastern, on Concomly street.

The mines of Snake river, about Salmon Falls, have created enthusiastic feelings in Utah.

Ice cream candy a la Paris, and a large assortment of French candies open at Adlers to-day.

The A. O. U. W. will meet at their own hall, and be "quite at home" next Friday evening.

Mr. Wm. S. Sibson, of Portland, who has been in the city on business, returned to his home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Megler were in the city Friday evening. They returned to Brookfield by the Edith yesterday.

Mr. Brewster has been duly installed as hospital steward at Fort Stevens. Mrs. Brewster, (the late Mrs. Moore), has returned to Stevens from Fort Vancouver.

To Rev. E. N. C.

[Written for THE ASTORIAN.] Oh, beloved and Christian pastor!— Friend and brother unto all— Worthy follower of the Master— Must you heed this distant call? Much we grieve that thou hast only Been our shepherd such brief space, And we fear there is no other Who, so well, can fill thy place.

We have prayed that we might longer Hear thy words and see thy face; Yet to God, who sent thee hither, We have meekly left the case. The One who gave thee to us If Wills that thou shouldst go away, Then we dare no longer murmur Or entreat of thee to stay.

Oh, how seriously we ponder O'er the lessons we have heard! And we wish we could repeat them As thou gav'st them, word for word. Glad the angels keep the record Of the good which thou hast done. Who—ah! who shall carry onward Here—the work, so well begun?

May the seed thy hand has scattered Lovingly o'er land and main, After many days be given Back to thee in golden grain: And when earth shall close the story Of thy life-work's glorious ways, May the good which thou hast done us To thy starry crown add rays!

The Harbor of Refuge.

"Shipowner," in yesterday's Oregonian, falsifies the facts. In a few days we will show it. We would do so to-day but for want of time. The Board of Engineers never recommended Port Orford but they gave the preference to Trinidad, and tacitly recommended the Columbia river. Shipowner garbled the reports.

The Silsby steam fire engine in this city is greatly admired by all who see it. Mr. Douglass is deserving of special thanks for keeping it so nice.

Rev. E. N. Condit, of the Presbyterian church, at Astoria, has been called to other duties at Albany, and will soon leave us,—very much to the regret of warm hearted friends.

Dr. Aug. C. Kinney has stretched a wire over the house tops of the city connecting his residence and office, and at each end has a telephone in operation. It is a great convenience.

Mr. Hanks, late of Seattle, has taken a position in the Sheriff's office and proceeded to business. He is quite familiar with that line of work, bringing with him, as he does, many years' experience in the routine.

The Seattle papers have a great deal to say of rich mines on the headwaters of the Skagit. Route is by way of Skagit city, thence 100 in canoes, thence 50 miles on foot. We do not place over zealous confidence in the reports.

The United States steamer Shubrick, Capt Kortz, arrived yesterday from San Francisco in the service of the 13th Light-house district. She brought up a new automatic buoy to take the place of the one on the bar, which will be taken up and cleaned.

Our very modest and unassuming friend Lewis D. Williams, of Ilwaco, is entitled to our hearty congratulations. Both himself, and his excellent wife, have many friends who wish them a long and prosperous voyage down the river of life, with just sufficient squalls to make it pleasant.

Badollet & Co.'s whistle blew at 12 o'clock yesterday for the first time this season. They put up a few cases to try the retorts, and are highly pleased with the result. Mr. Badollet, who has been in bad health all winter, was present, and appeared to enjoy the new system of work equally as well as the capable superintendent.

Capt. Reese Williams of the Bay View house, Ilwaco, will be a passenger to-day by the Oregon, starting on a journey of about 10,000 miles to Wales, for the purpose of bringing his wife and children to this country. We certainly wish him a safe and speedy round voyage, with health and happiness. He expects to get back by the fourth of July.

The steam launch Magnet has all of her equipments now, and is flying around the bay and harbor at a lively rate. Munson says he understands now why it is that people, speaking of a steamer, invariably say she. The John L. Stephens, she; the Oregon, she, etc. He found the secret out in Portland. Government fastens so many appurtenances on the vessel that the fixens cost more than the hull—hence the "she" part.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Pope Leo speaks English. Spurgeon has preached 1452 sermons.

Capoul is the son of a French hotel-keeper.

Gladstone is a good pianist and a powerful singer.

Senator Logan is a member of the Methodist church.

Nilsson is to get \$18,000 for twenty nights in Spain.

Bismarck expects to make England a visit this summer.

Bijou Heron, the child actress, is an inmate of a European convent.

Lady Paget, the wife of the British ambassador at Rome, is a skillful artist.

General Butler is to have a "New Life," issued by a publishing house in Boston.

Miss Emma C. Thursty has been singing before the German Emperor and his court.

Weston, the failing walker, promises—or threatens—to return to America this spring.

The new Cardinal, Newman, will be nearly 79 years of age when his red hat arrives.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton has been lecturing on "Hereditary Parentage" in Chicago.

Rubinstein is in Dresden under treatment by an oculist, threatened with total blindness.

The Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise have grown rapidly in the affections of the Canadian people.

Hon. Joseph Quincy is the oldest living ex-president of the Massachusetts senate. He had the office in 1842.

E. C. Stedman may write a life of Bayard Taylor and he may not. He is, however, thinking about it favorably.

The Princess of Wales and the Duke of Argyll are under promise to visit Canada during the vice-regal residence.

John Russell Young and his brother will set up a republican newspaper after General Grant's return to this country.

Mme. Christine Nilsson is said to be suffering a severe bereavement through the sudden death of her adopted mother, Mrs. Richardson.

M. Dufaure, the French statesman, has a withered sprig in a frame, beneath which are the words: "Plucked from Washington's grave."

Princess Lucien Murat, who died two weeks ago in Paris, was for many years a resident of Borden-town, N. J., where her husband was a modest farmer.

Father Giovanni, the monk who has charmed all Rome with his remarkable tenor, will be heard there no more. He is going to Tuscany to live near his mother.

Baby carriages from \$7.00 upwards at Adler's.

The tide land dykes on Clatsop are nearly finished. Messrs. Warren & McGuire have thus not only done a good work for themselves, but a very big thing for this county.

Ladies can now ride their velocipedes in Astoria, if so desired. Adler has them rigged with side saddles.

Every member should endeavor to be present at the meeting of the Astoria Chamber of Commerce tomorrow evening. Very important business is expected to come before the meeting.

C. H. Bain & Co. will, from this date, discount ten per cent, for cash, on former prices on sales of mouldings, sash and doors.

A fisherman was badly cut in a row on Main street last night, he was stabbed three times, and is liable to die. A woman is mixed up in the affair. It is said she drew a revolver in the melee.

For good tobaccos, fine cigars, notions, candies, etc., go to Foster's variety store, on the roadway, opposite the O. S. N. Co.'s wharf.

It looks good to see a wagon and team on the streets of Astoria from the country. Such scenes have never, until the last few months, been witnessed. Now, Andrew Jackson Donaldson drives to the city occasionally with the air of a capitalist from Bergman & Berry's headquarters, near Tongue point.

AROUND THE CITY.

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

The cheapest ever offered is Hamburger's Embroidery.

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

Fresh fruits and vegetables at Bailey's.

Oysters served in every style at the Walla Walla Restaurant.

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

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

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

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

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 sufficiently recommended. Before you let your contracts for work of this kind it would be well to call upon Mr. Stewart.

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

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

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

The proprietor of the Chicago house, whom everybody knows as a popular caterer, has fixed his hotel up in splendid style. It is all newly painted and furnished, and is one of the most attractive places on Main street. Call around; every luxury of the season at the Chicago house.

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

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. Rinker's system of Dress-cutting, having taken rooms with Miss M. J. Kelley.

The Best Family

Sewing machine is the New American, sold in Astoria by Chas. Stevens & Son at the City Book store. It is a light running self-threading machine, in fact it is the only sewing machine which has a self-threading shuttle and self-setting needle. It never breaks the thread; never skips stitches; is the lightest running, and is in every respect the best family sewing machine. Chas. Stevens & Son, agents, Astoria, Oregon.

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

A magnificent stock of jewelry at Adler's.

Baby carriages of the best styles, and at low prices, at Loeb's.

Books and stationery of every variety, the best, at Adler's.

Best Salem flour is sold in this city at \$5.50 per barrel by Warren & McGuire.

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

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

Boat sponges, wholesale and retail at Dements drug store, Astoria. Five thousand just received.

The Bee-hive is a busy place. Mrs. Steers has just laid in a very large stock, consisting of millinery goods, a large assortment of ready-made suits for ladies and children, and an excellent line of underclothing, for the ladies and children. Call at the Bee-hive Store and inspect this new stock. The low price of everything will astonish you.

Mrs. H. A. DERBY.

Received by last steamer a superb stock of MILLINERY GOODS, Embracing every novelty in the line.

KID GLOVES, RUCHINGS,

And other goods too numerous to mention.

Dr. Warner's Health Corset

Can only be purchased in Astoria at Mrs. Derby's, Main street, between Squemoque and Jefferson.

THE ASTORIA BREWERY DEPOT.

RUDOLPH BARTH & MICHAEL MEYER, PROPRIETORS. Corner of Olney and Water streets, ASTORIA, OREGON.

Best quality of LAGER BEER 5 cts. per glass. Choice Wines, Liquors, and Cigars always on hand.

The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited. Orders for Lager or Bottled Beer in any quantity promptly filled. The best lunch the season will afford furnished day and night FREE.

AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND OPENING

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 Performance Commences 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 Unequalled 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.

PARKER HOUSE,

ASTORIA, OREGON. H. B. 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 \$2.50 per day, according to room occupied.

NORTON HOUSE.

CORNER C AND FIRST STREETS, PORTLAND, OREGON.

P. NORTON, - - - - - Proprietor. (Formerly of the Portland Hotel.)

THIS HOUSE IS A FIRE-PROOF BEICK. Just finished and newly furnished, with the best of spring beds. TERMS—Per week—From \$5 to \$6 for board and lodging. Per day—\$1.00. Single meals 25 cents. Lodging 25 to 50 cents. Free coach to and from the House.

Private Boarding House.

MRS. QUINN - - PROPRIETOR.

Will accommodate day boarders or accommodate any with board and lodging. Prices reasonable. In locals' building, Jefferson street, opposite Wells, Fargo & Co's Express office.

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 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 Squemoque and Jefferson, ASTORIA, OREGON.

Board and lodging per week.....\$4.00 Board per day.....1.00 Single Meal......25 The table will be supplied at all times with the best market affords.

WALLA WALLA

RESTAURANT. THO. BROEMSER, - - PROPRIETOR.

Fresh oysters, and other delicacies of the season, served in every style. Opposite the Telegraph office, Squemoque street, Astoria, Oregon. MEALS AT ALL HOURS.

J. STEWART.

Stone and Marble Cutter, ASTORIA, OREGON.

All kinds of building work, and monumental work attended to promptly and to order. Satisfaction guaranteed.

MAGNUS C. CROSBY.

DEALER IN Stoves, Tinware, and House Furnishing Goods.

Hardware, Brass Goods, Lead and Iron Pipe, Pipe Fittings,

Engineers Supplies, Sheet Lead, Iron, Copper, Brass, and Zinc.

C. J. SMITH,

(IN THE ASTORIAN BUILDING)

HAS JUST RECEIVED A LOT OF NEW goods, consisting of

MEN'S AND BOYS

CALF AND KIP BOOTS

Buckle and Congress Gaiters,

Women, Misses and Children's

BUTTON BOOTS.

Which will be sold at the very lowest prices.

GEO. LOVETT,

TAILOR

CLEANING AND REPAIRING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

Benton street, opposite Post-office, Astoria.