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THE CITY.

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—Another beautiful day yesterday.
 —The Ancon left considerable freight at Astoria.
 —We expect some fine sport about Astoria soon.
 —The market is being supplied with vegetables from California.
 —The public school of Astoria will close on the 6th of June next.
 —Hon. E. N. Cook of Salem, died in that city on Wednesday last.
 —Two passengers got left by the Ancon yesterday as she left for Portland.
 —Early planted potatoes in Clarke county are not doing so well this season.
 —Our chief of police is paying \$25 for young seal now; at least some want him to.
 —California cherries are selling in Astoria markets at forty cents per pound.
 —In the police court yesterday, Frank Devlin paid \$5 for the pleasure of being found drunk.
 —A number of Germans from Sonoma county California are about to locate in Clarke county.
 —The Dalles Mountaineer has been enlarged and now appears in the form of a nine-column folio.
 —Messrs. Barth & Meyer's new hall is being finished and furnished in style equal to anything in the state.
 —The Handel and Hayden society are preparing for a concert soon, of the time and place which due notice will be given.
 —The Great Republic Wrecking company have nearly completed their work, and have recovered nearly all that is possible.
 —Services in Presbyterian hall to-day at 11 o'clock A. M. Sabbath school at noon. A cordial invitation extended to all. No service in the evening.
 —Some of the Vancouver boys took a baby seal out of the river last Saturday, and it was so attractive all day Sunday that the Sabbath schools were short.
 —The pastor of the Congregational Church in this city, will discourse on Sunday morning on "Spiritual Dislodgements," and in the evening on "The Crime of Suicides."
 —Capt. Alexander was in command of the Ancon which arrived yesterday. Capt. Delney will remain in San Francisco and assume command of the new steamship State of California.
 —Messrs. Ryan & Long of Cheyenne, Wyoming territory, have just driven over the Blue Mountains, going towards Cheyenne, five bands of 2,000 each—making in all 10,000 head of cattle.
 —Gen. M. V. Brown, the late state printer, according to the experts, has been overpaid about \$13,000, for work done during the year 1874 to 1875. The standard fears the experts have been a little to anxious, and have stopped over.
 —Samuel M. Williams, who was arrested at The Dalles a few days ago, for murder, alleged to have been committed in Casey county, Kentucky, between two and three years ago, was turned loose on Thursday last, as nobody seemed to want him.
 —Chief Moses and other Indians were passengers on the Ancon yesterday on their way home. On their arrival at Vancouver Gov. Ferry will be present to go with them under orders from Washington, to complete the arrangements for the occupation of the new reservation. Upon the requisition of Gov. Ferry and the interior department, Gen. Howard will accompany them.
 —Wm. Hicks and Enoch Baker, two convicts, escaped from the penitentiary on the night of the 6th. They effected their escape, says the Salem Statesman, by digging through the walls of their cells, with a chisel which they brought with them from the work shop. Two sets of garments were on duty, but neither noticed their escape. Two hundred dollars reward is offered for their arrest, or one hundred dollars for either.
 —Ex-Senator Mitchell arrived at Roseburg by the stage Friday afternoon, and was enthusiastically received by the people. He turned out in large numbers and surrounded him at the Metropolitan in the evening. On being introduced by Hon. Lafayette Lane, he addressed the assemblage, and his remarks were warmly applauded. He left for Portland yesterday morning.

Mistakes Corrected.

O is used without an exclamation point and is always followed by the name of a person, or subject invoked. Oh! takes an exclamation point and stands alone.
 Sew, sow. We sew with a needle and thread. We sow grain. Both words are pronounced alike.
 Through is applied in the case of a single passage. Throughout means in every part.
 Accept of. "Please accept of this book." Say, "Please accept this book."
 Admit of. "His conduct admits of no apology." Say, "His conduct admits no apology."
 Both of. "Give me both of those books." Omit of.
 Covered over. "He covered it over." Omit over.
 Cannot by no means. Say, "Cannot by any means."
 Sunk down. Omit down.
 Says I to him. Say in all cases, "Said I to him."
 "Was you?" Always say, "Were you!"
 Let you and I. Say, "Let you and me."
 It is me. Say, "It is I."
 If I was him. Say, "If I were he."
 The two first. "The first two" is better.

A Remarkable Old Man.

The lives in Machias, Me., a man named John Hughes, who is now in his ninety-eighth year, and who is hale and hearty, working every day, Sundays excepted. Sixteen years ago his eyesight became renewed, and is now as good as when he was young. He has lately had four new natural teeth come in place of those lost many years ago. He attends every town meeting, having voted at every presidential election from Washington to Hayes. He is a pensioner of the war of 1812. He reared a family of sixteen children—eight boys and eight girls—all living to be men and women. Two of his sons reside in Aroostook county, one in Houlton and one in Mapleton. Six of his sons were in the Union army during the rebellion, all of whom were officers.

List of Officers.

The following is the list of officers of Astoria Lodge No. 40, O. G. T. for term ending July 31st as installed by L. D. E. A. Withers at the regular meeting held on the 25th inst:

F. B. Elbertson.....	W C T
A. B. Jewett.....	W R H S
L. M. Ireland.....	W L H S
C. A. Neal.....	W V T
Scott Bozarth.....	W S
Ella Blissitt.....	W F S
H. S. Shuster.....	W T
I. E. Parker.....	W C
I. E. Miller.....	W M S
S. W. Joplin.....	W D M
Emma Ohler.....	W I G
J. O. Bozarth.....	W O G

White Darling potatoes at Bergman & Berry's.

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

Mrs. Steers wishes two apprentices to learn dress making.

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

Go to the Bee Hive to see the new hats and spring goods just opened. Having just returned from San Francisco can show you millinery etc., of the latest style, and at reasonable figures. M. H. STEERS.

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

The Seattle-daily Post learns that P. S. Wood of Green river last week discovered while clearing land on his farm the remains of a large bear, and lying within ten or fifteen feet away the bones of a human being. The bear appeared to have dug out quite a hole in the ground where its bones lay. Appearances indicated that a struggle had taken place between the animal and human being; although so long had they lain there that nothing positive could be learned. No kind of arms were found. Mr. Wood says that along Green river are still some excellent farming lands parts of which can be easily cleared. Within the past eighteen months he has cleared and has now ready for cultivation seventeen acres, besides building two dwelling houses, and doing a great deal of other work. The soil in that section is deep loam, and rich as could be desired.

The Bolivian consul at New York has received advices from La Paz, Bolivia, which state that the famine prevailing in that district is appalling beyond description, people are dying in the streets and squares; corn is selling at \$100 a bushel, and wheat at \$50. There have fallen beneficial rains lately, but as the planted crop is scarce the future is very dark. He adds: "Any enterprising shippers that might speedily place a cargo of wheat for seed, from Canada, which is good, would make a fortune by offering it for sale here now. The cereal is free in Bolivia, as well as in Peru, on its importation."

AROUND THE CITY.

Ladies and childrens linen suits cheap at Hamburger's.
 All the latest styles of ladies straw hats at Hamburger's.
 New invoice of those Medallion Ranges at Magnus C. Crosby's.
 Another invoice of cheap embroidery at Hamburger's.
 P. J. Goodman, on Main street, has just received the latest and most fashionable style of gent and ladies boots, shoes, etc.
 A new lot of full bound blank, and receipt books, specially for use in canneries, at the City Book store.
 Keep your blood pure and your health must be good, the great purifier is Plunder's Oregon Blood Purifier. All Astoria druggists have it now.
 Your complexion is sallow, and skin yellow, your liver is affected. Obtain from your druggist a bottle of Plunder's Oregon Blood Purifier.
 If you want a good glass of beer go to Max Wagner's Great Eastern saloon. He has just received 20 barrels of San Francisco beer.
 Mr. D. Hamburger while in San Francisco purchased a fine stock of merchandise, in fact the largest ever carried by any firm in this city. They are going to sell off at extremely low prices.
 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.
 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.
 M. C. Crosby is prepared to do all kinds of jobbing in the plumbing and steam fitting line; also, bath tubs, and water backs for stoves and ranges furnished on shortest notice.
 Fresh fruits and vegetables at Bailey's.
 Oysters served in every style at the Walla Walla Restaurant.
 Fresh oysters in every style at Schmeers'. See advertisement.
 Fresh oysters in every style and at all hours at the Pioneer restaurant.
 Just received per Elder 2000 pounds, 8-pound sheet lead for sale at lowest rates at Magnus C. Crosby's.
 Now that building is reviving in Astoria, bear in mind the fact that Peter Runey is well supplied with all kinds of building materials which he is prepared to dispose of to all at very lowest rates.
 When you are looking for a place to amuse yourself, drop in at Max Wagner's, Great Eastern saloon, and listen to the organ and take a glass of his San Francisco beer.
 Get your baskets filled for a little money at Bailey's.

Notice to the Public.

It has been rumored in Astoria, that we purchased the greater part of the damaged goods from the ill fated steamship Great Republic. We will announce to the public that we have not even purchased an article of the goods we lost ourselves; but have duplicated our orders, and offer only new goods, at prices as usual, without charging percentage on them for our losses. Our goods are put down to bed rock, for we have but one price, and sell for cash only.
 COHEN & COOPER,
 121. store, Astoria.

The Great Republic Wrecking Company having purchased cargo and wreck of steamer Great Republic are prepared to pay salvage on goods recovered on Clatsop and weather-beach, or elsewhere. Persons are hereby cautioned against concealing or disposing of property.
 GEO. T. MYERS, Vice Pres.
 M. H. SIMON, Secretary.
 Astoria, May 7, 1879.

Information Wanted.

Any one, having seen any of the following things among the baggage, lost on the Great Republic, will do a passenger a favor by reporting at this office:

Photographs, with the initials E. M. L. Medical notes and verses in manuscript. A medical compendium, surgeon's instruments, Ophthalmoscope, Coddington lens, etc.

Personal.

Dr. H. F. Adams who has spent the past year in Paris, France, is now stopping at the Parker House, Astoria. The afflicted would do well to call on Doctor Adams while in Astoria, as his stay is necessarily short. Consultation free.

A Card.

Mrs. E. K. Rinker wishes to announce to the ladies of Astoria and vicinity, that she will remain in the city for two weeks, and in conjunction with Mrs. S. T. McKean will teach her system of Dress Cutting to any who wish to avail themselves of this opportunity.

LONGING HOUSE.—Furnished rooms to let at reasonable rates at Mrs. Munson's, Chenamus st., Astoria.

Mr. G. Hansen watchmaker and jeweller of long experience, has permanently established himself in business in Canfield's drug store, Chenamus street, Astoria. Watches and Jewelry cleaned and repaired. Gems re-set. Engraving a specialty. All work guaranteed. Give him a trial and be your own judge of his workmanship. He will soon add to his stock a well selected invoice of Watches, Jewelry, Silver and plated ware, which he will be able to sell at very low prices.

Single copies of the WEEKLY ASTORIAN neatly done up, with stamps to pre-pay postage affixed, for sale at this office. Send a copy to your friends in other parts of the world. Price, 10 cents a copy.

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. 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.
 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..... \$8.00
 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. 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.

OREGON HOUSE.
 Main street, near Hastler's Wharf, ASTORIA, OREGON.
 MRS. MARY CAMPBELL, Proprietor.
 Board and lodging by day or week.

NORTON HOUSE.
 CORNER C AND FIRST STREETS, PORTLAND, OREGON.

P. NORTON, PROPRIETOR.
 (Formerly of the Portland Hotel.)

THIS HOUSE IS A FIRE-PROOF BRICK, 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 "Innards" building, Jefferson street, opposite Wells, Fargo & Co's Express office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BOATS AND NETS.
 LOST AND FOUND should be promptly advertised in THE ASTORIAN, to secure speedy restoration of property to the rightful owners.

TO RENT.—A nice cottage, with six rooms; water in the house. Inquire of Jas. McGee, on the roadway near Devlin's cannery. 6-1m*

NOTICE is hereby given that the copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
 O. F. BELL,
 A. MEACHEN, d&wlv
 Astoria, May 7, 1879.

NET LOST.—On Friday night, April 25th, new net, of about 150 fatboms; Barbour's No. 3, 10-ply thread; hung on cotton lines; boats branded W. H. A suitable reward will be paid on returning the same or giving information where it may be found to
 W. H. HUME,
 Astoria, Oregon.
 4-30-9

To Whom it May Concern.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE, I hereby appoint F. M. Bartholow as my duly authorized agent for the transaction of my business in Oregon and Washington territory.
 R. D. HUME,
 Astoria, April 17, 1879.

Astoria Wood Yard.

Foot of Lafayette street, Astoria, Oregon.
 DUSHARM & CO., PROPRIETORS.
 All kinds of wood delivered to any part of the city, sawed or unsawed, d1m*

T. F. VOSS.

BRICK LAYER.
 Cement, Plasterer and Builder of any kind of Brick Furnaces.
 Please leave orders at Wilson & Fisher's store, Chenamus street, Astoria. 7-1m*

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 on hand.
 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.

Ward's Theatre.
Metropolitan Hall!
 Lessee and Manager - Jas. M. Ward.
 Leader of Orchestra - T. Rancey.

Sunday Evening, May 11th.
 Second appearance this year of the popular Irish comedian, and vocalist

MR. JAMES M. WARD,
 AND
CARRIE CLARKE WARD.
 The favorite soubrette.

Supported by a full dramatic company. In the evening

ROUGH DIAMOND
 AND
IRISH TUTOR.

MR. GERE.
 In his Dutch songs, dances and eccentricities.

To Conclude with a Favorite Faree
 Prices to suit the times.
 Admission 50 and 75 cts
 Seats can be secured at Canfield's drug store.

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 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.

City Express.

Two Trips Daily to Upper Town.
 MR. F. SHERMAN takes pleasure in announcing the fact that he has perfected arrangements for making two regular trips daily to Upper Astoria and back, regular street car style, for passengers and small packages.
 Will leave J. W. Gearhart's, the Parker House, and the Occident, daily at 11 A. M. and 3 P. M. Returning will leave Van Dusen's upper town store. Fare for the round trip 25 cents.



G. W. PARKER,
 DEALER IN
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.
 WHITE LEAD, PAINTS and COAL OILS,
 Brooms, Brushes and Woolen-ware,
 Tobacco, Cigars and Stationery,
Gent's Furnishing Goods, Etc.
 Near the Corner
Main and Concomly Sts., Astoria

GOING! GOING! GOING!

30 Days From This Date
WILL BE SOLD
 At Cost at the

CITY BOOK STORE

Books, Stationery, Chromos,
 And a variety of other goods too numerous to mention.

Chas. Stevens & Son.
 Who is Elected?

MAX WAGNER

—OF THE—
Great Eastern Saloon,
 CONCOMLY ST., ASTORIA.

THIS FAVORITE RESORT HAS JUST been refitted and stocked with
ALL THE BEST BRANDS
 —OF—
 Imported and Domestic Wines and Liquors, Cigars and Tobacco.

San Francisco Beer five cents a glass
 LETTER HEAD PAPER,
 PRINTED OR PLAIN, OF THE BEST quality, at
 THE ASTORIAN OFFICE.