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THE CITY.

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Steamer day-to-day. Do not forget the auction sale at E. C. Holden's to-day. See advertisement. The Upper Astoria oil works are paying \$1.75 per 1000 for salmon heads.

At E. C. Holden's auction sale, to-day, a lot of fine native cranberries will be offered for sale.

Proposals for the erection of Trenchard & U'phar's new building close to-day. See advertisement.

Uncle David Newsome, as he is familiarly known, is one of the pioneers of Oregon. He has written volumes upon Oregon.

Bismarck is putting up a new tank for the Occident shaving saloon baths. A splendid one, that will hold 400 gallons of hot water.

Several of the best rooms at the Occident are undergoing repairs and re-furnishing, preparatory for the demands of summer travel.

Mrs. Wingate, of Coos bay, who is now on a visit to this part of Oregon, with her husband, is a daughter of Mr. Ward on Clatsop plains.

Services at Presbyterian hall on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sabbath school at noon. All are cordially invited. No services in the evening.

The public schools are getting along towards the close of the spring term, and the pupils will make good report of progress during the past winter.

We should not be very greatly surprised to meet Rev. and Mrs. T. A. Hyland by the new steamship State of California, due at this port to-day.

Hon. B. P. Cardwell, Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue for the state of Oregon has been on a business visit to Astoria for several days. He returns to Portland to-day.

The injuries received by Mr. J. W. Gearhart, from a sprain of his left leg at the fire Monday morning, was very painful indeed. He is not able to be about, except on crutches.

Some splendid samples of iron ore are on exhibition at Cardiff's drug store. It comes from a mine close to the vicinity of Astoria, and we are told that there is plenty of it that can be got at immediately.

Several fine dogs, and some cats ones were poisoned at upper-town a few days ago. This incident caused a sensation in that portion of the city, and it would not have been healthy for that fellow to have let himself be known.

If you would a fishing go, find a brook where the water runs fastest; throw in your hook, pull out the fish and put him in your basket. If you would a riding go, get your gals consent; hitch up Dobin, or any other critter, and let the animal vent.

Hon. J. W. Watt, and Hon. David Newsome, arrived in the city last evening, for three days sojourn in Astoria, for work in the temperance cause. This is the first visit of Mr. Newsome to Astoria. Mr. Watt has been here before. We hope that people generally will turn out to hear these lectures. The first lecture was given last evening. The second will be given this evening, at the Congregational church.

About noon on the 23d, the body of a man, supposed to be that of George Smith, lost off the steamer above St. Helens some time ago, was recovered on the territory shore, between Brookfield and Pillar Rock. Word was sent to Astoria immediately by the steamer Edith, by J. G. Megler, and the body will be forwarded to friends at Vancouver, after full identification.

We regret being compelled to state that the Sunday observance movement in Astoria is a partial failure. What is it the Book of Books says about serving God and Mammon? It is apparent that both cannot be served at present in Astoria. The long dull spell of the fast winter is some excuse for our business men who wish to improve the present opportunity, and make a little hay while the sun shines.

Shuster has taken a splendid photo. of the ruins of the fire of last Monday morning. Chief Engineer Trenchard will send one to the builders of the Silby engine, which so materially aided Capt. Flavel's steam pump to stay the progress of the flames. Considering that the fire was prevented from catching the Hume & Duncan cannery, Capt. Flavel's warehouse, only eighteen feet distant, we must conclude that the engine and pump paid well for themselves last Monday morning.

DECORATION DAY.

Proposed Excursion on Mr. Jacob Kamm's New Steamer Lurline.

Letter From Mr. W. H. Gray of Klaskanine Farm.

OLNEY, May 22.—I understand from a note received from Mr. Kamm, dated May 18th, that a request has been made to him to take a party from Astoria to Vancouver on the 30th of May, to attend decoration ceremonies at that place. He informs me that he can arrange to leave Astoria at 1 P. M. on the 29th, reaching Portland at 8 P. M. The Lurline is chartered to take a party from Oregon city to Vancouver on the 30th and back, in which case he can take all from Portland to Vancouver, and leave with the Astoria party after the ceremony, say 3 P. M., reaching Astoria at 10 P. M. The Lurline and Vancouver accommodating all that belongs to the two parties in the shortest time possible, and as comfortable as numbers and basket excursion of that distance will permit. Yours in haste, W. H. GRAY.

The Dalles Fire.

Messrs. Cohen & Cooper's Dalles store fell among the doomed places of business in that city at the terrible conflagration which broke out on Wednesday evening. They had a stock of about \$20,000, and carried an insurance for \$6,000. Considerable of their stock was saved, however. Mr. Cooper of the Astoria house, will have full particulars probably to-day.

A Centennial.

Next Thursday will be the first centennial of Beaver Lodge, No. 35, I. O. O. F., at Astoria. That is to say, on that evening the membership will number one hundred. We consider that this is a matter for the lodge to be proud of. One hundred good men banded together for the love of humanity, working in unison for the relief of the sick and the distressed, the widow and the orphan. The event should be celebrated.

California Dollar Store.

To-day a branch of the California Dollar Store will be opened in Parker's new building, on Chenamus street, opposite G. W. Gearhart's. The manager has arranged the room in a very attractive manner, and the walls are decorated with many a gem of art, far too numerous to mention. The stock consists of jewelry, plated ware, paintings, chronos, etc., etc., and any article in the store can be purchased for one dollar. The buyer first pays 25 cents for a photo of some noted person or place; then, you may have the privilege of selecting from a box, an envelope which will contain a slip calling for some one article in the house, which article can be bought for one dollar if desired. "Take a walk" around and see for yourselves. Sign of the California Dollar store.

Tillamook News.

From Mr. J. H. Larsen, owner of the schooner Honora, who went out a passenger on the late passage of that vessel from this port, on the 16th, we learn, in private letters to Mr. E. S. Larsen, that the schooner passed No. 4 buoy at 12:30 on that day, and arrived in the bay of Tillamook at 6 P. M., crossing two bars and running forty-eight miles in 5 1/2 hours. The schooner went up to Hoquart on the 19th. Mr. Larsen's famous dog Prince stood the trip first rate. Messrs. Adair are restocking their Lewis and Clarke ranch with cattle from Tillamook county, and Warren & McGuire have secured a fine band of fat cattle there, which will be driven over to their Clatsop headquarters next week. Mr. Larsen has secured 10,000 lbs of first quality of wool for shipment, and expects to secure 5,000 to 10,000 lbs more. He is well pleased with the country.

The Portland steamer made thirty-one landings on Thursday, and reached her dock here at four o'clock P. M. This would seem to indicate that business was dull on the lower river route. When there is but little freight to handle the boats make good time.

We have conversed with several persons respecting the propriety of getting up a celebration on the 4th of July. Considering the past dull times, and the fact that the 4th comes in the midst of the busy season, cannery people generally are not favorable to knocking off a day for holiday purposes; but they are willing to do something handsome for a regatta at the close of the season, and thus institute a festival at which all can appear annually free from that sense of feeling usual to men who sacrifice business for pleasure.

A movement is on foot which we hope and trust may prove successful, to purchase a steam fire engine for company No. 1. We have not been opposed to the introduction of steam fire engines in the city, but have held that what would be better for the city would be street mains, hydrants, hose companies, etc., receiving water from reservoirs on the adjacent hills supplied by pumps like the one used by Capt. Flavel, from the river. We still think that system would be the best; but as the engines in use have well paid for the investment, we shall favor the purchase of another one, for the old and reliable pioneer company.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Royal Marionettes will arrive by the new steamship State of California to-day, and will appear at Metropolitan hall this afternoon and evening. Prices of admission will be low, and everybody should attend. See advertisements, circulars, and posters for particulars.

Notice to Marketers.

Having entered into an agreement to transact no business on Sundays, our friends will please take notice that our markets will not hereafter be open on that day of the week. We hope to be able to accommodate our customers on Saturday evenings, by keeping open a little later than usual.

WARREN & MCGUIRE, BRIDGMAN & BERRY.

Mr. Allen informs us that they have caught several salmon in the sea at Fort Stevens this year, any one of which would weigh over seventy pounds.

Following is a list of the Grand lodge officers I. O. O. F., for the ensuing year: John Kenworthy, master; I. W. Case, warden; Phil Metchen, a w. w.; J. M. Bacon, e. w. g.; I. R. Moores, u. w. g.; W. S. Newbury, u. w. g. to the Grand lodge of the United States.

The Junction Republican of the 21st says: "The weather, oh such weather. There has been so much written and said about foulweather of late by the press and people of the Wallamet valley, it is no wonder we have had a four weeks rain, and if the board of engineers don't give us Oregonians a harbor of refuge at some point convenient to this valley we will be worse off than the Egyptians in the Red sea; completely swooped up."

Dr. Mintie's Nephretium—A Compound Extract of Ginkgo.

Dr. Mintie's Nephretium works wonders. In all cases of Dropsy, Bright's Disease, Kidney, Bladder and Urinary Complaints, or Retention of Urine, these troubles are entirely cured by the Nephretium. Female Weakness, Gravel, Diabetes, pain in the back, side and loin are cured, when all other medicines have failed.

See what the druggists of Portland and San Francisco say about Dr. Mintie's Nephretium and English Dandelion Pills.

"We have sold a large amount of Dr. Mintie's medicines: the English Dandelion Pills; also the Nephretium, and in all cases they are highly spoken of and give entire satisfaction."

John A. Childs, druggist, Second street, Portland.

C. H. Woodward & Co., druggists, corner First and Alder streets, Portland.

Abrams & Carroll, wholesale druggists, 3 and 5 Front street, San Francisco, say:

"We regard Nephretium as the best kidney and bladder remedy before the public."

For all derangements of the liver, use Dr. Mintie's English Dandelion Pills. For Biliousness and Dyspepsia, use Dr. Mintie's Dandelion Pills. For Fever and Ague, use Dr. Mintie's English Dandelion Pills.

Every family should keep the English Dandelion Pills on hand.

Dr. Mintie's remedies will not "wear out the kidneys of Astoria and vicinity, but if taken according to directions, give immediate relief and perfect a cure in all troubles for which they are recommended. For sale by R. F. Canfield, druggist, Astoria, Oregon.

There have been many cases of senile weakness, nervous debility and paralysis made by the wonderful English Remedy, Sir Astley Cooper's Vital Restorative, than by all other remedies combined. Why will you suffer? Send to A. E. Mintie, M. D., No. 11 Kearny street, San Francisco. Price, \$3 per bottle; four times the quantity, \$10. Try a bottle.

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.

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

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

Pamphlets about Oregon in the English and German language, free at THE ASTORIAN OFFICE.

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

Send your subscription for the ASTORIAN another year. Help us, that we may continue to help you.

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

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.

The current number of the Library Magazine contains: The defense of Lucknow, a poem by Alfred Tennyson; The dilettantes of Socialism, by John Stuart Mill; biographies of the season, from London Society; The Choice of Books, by Frederic Harrison; Homes and Hannits of the Post Taso, by Frances Eleanor Trollope; Plain Words about the Afghan question, by Aeneas Forbes; Fresh Assyrian Finds, by B. H. Cooper, B. A.; the study of Entomology, by W. S. Dalles, F. L. S.; Art Education in England, by S. Counts Lindsay; Toilers in Field and Factory, from London Times; Wagner as a Dramatist, from Fraser's Magazine; the Royal Wedding, by H. C. Merivale. Ten cents a number, or \$1.00 a year. American book Exchange, publishers, 55 Beekman street, New York. Sold only by them direct to purchasers.

AROUND THE CITY.

Any person wishing to buy sewing machines should by all means examine the White and Singer before making their purchases. Van Dusen & Co. are agents for them.

Fresh fruits and vegetables at Bailey's.

Oysters served in every style at the Walla Walla Restaurant.

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

Just received per Elder 2,000 pounds, 8-pound sheet lead, for sale at lowest rates at Magnus C. Crosby's.

Rooms to let, by the day, week, or month, at Mrs. W. H. Twilight's.

Fishermen can get a square meal at any time, at Pike's restaurant. Unity, for fish. References: Fishermen who have eaten there.

Mr. G. Hansen watchmaker and jeweler 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 variety of Watches, Jewelry, Silver and plated ware, which he will be able to sell at very low prices.

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

For extra choice fresh butter, go to Van Dusen & Co's.

Buy your groceries at A. Van Dusen & Co's. The cheapest house in the city.

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 fine San Francisco beer.

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

To let a suit of unfurnished rooms at the Turpin House, apply immediately.

Dr. H. L. Adams has returned to Astoria and is stopping at the Parker house for four days only.

Beer drinkers, if you want a good glass of San Francisco beer go to Max Wagner's at the Great Eastern saloon. It sparkles like champagne.

White Darling potatoes at Bergman & Berry's.

Now is the time for cleaning up our houses, and ornamenting them. For this purpose you can find nothing that will add to the appearance of your parlors so much as a pair of those beautiful chromos at the City Book store, sold for nearly one-half the usual cost of such pictures. Call and see for yourselves.

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.

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 contractors 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 heaters for stoves, and ranges furnished on shortest notice.

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

MISCELLANEOUS.

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

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.

NET FOUND.—On or about the night of the 18th, about 120 fathoms net, lead marked J & M. Owner is requested to call, and prove property and pay charges, at the agency of WM. HUME, Astoria, Oregon.

NOTICE.—All persons knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned are requested to call and settle the same as soon as possible, as under the circumstances funds are necessary. We may be found at the office of Capt. Geo. Flavel for the present. TRENCHARD & U'PHUR, Astoria, May 19, 1879.

FOUND.—On the night of the 18th inst. about 20 fathoms gill net web, 38 mesh, one buoy attached, branded S & Co. Owner may have the same by proving property and paying charges. A. BOOTH & CO. Upper Astoria, May 19.

NOTICE.—Found on the evening of the 15th inst. in Bakers bay, about thirty fathoms gill net web and line, apparently new, thirty-nine mesh; no lead line or buoy; no brand or cork. Owner can have the same by proving property and paying charges. A. BOOTH & CO. Upper Astoria, May 17, 1879.

LOST.—On the night of the 19th inst. about 80 fathoms of net on the lines, Barbour's No. 3, 10 ply, cotton lines; leads and corks marked P R P Co. The finder will be suitably rewarded by the Pillar Rock Packing company. JOHN KIERNAN, Pillar Rock, May 20, 1879.

NET LOST.—On the night of May 20th, lost close to Sand Island, about 60 fathoms web, Barbour's 12 ply thread, fished with part of last season, marked K 13 on the corks and K on the leads. The finder will be rewarded by returning the same to ASTORIA FISHERY, Astoria, Oregon, May 21st. 19-1w

AMUSEMENTS.

Ward's Theatre.

Metropolitan Hall!

Lessee and Manager - Jas. M. Ward. Leader of Orchestra, - T. Piercey

Matinee Saturday, at 2 P. M.

SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 24th. SUNDAY EVENING, MAY 25th. MONDAY EVENING, MAY 26th.

THE ROYAL MARIONETTES!

The only legitimate Marionettes now performing, with all their Gorgeous Scenery, Mechanical Effects, New Figures and Paraphernalia.

The Great Family Entertainment.

Fun for the Old and Young. Three distinct entertainments in one, comprising the renowned

CHRISTIE MINSTRELS

And Full Band of Chorists. THE ITALIAN FANTOCCINI!

The most wonderful mechanism ever witnessed and the HUMPTY DUMPTY PANTOMIME!

Really forming in all a Minstrel Show, a Theatrical Entertainment and a Circus. Front Seats - - - - - \$1.00 Back Seats - - - - - 50 cts Seats reserved at Canfield's drug store.

Read our Indorsements. Wm. McCabe and H. Middleton - Managers Edward H. Ellis - Agent

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,

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 Song's 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 precisely.

NEW BAKERY.

Main street, opposite the Parker House. C. CARLOW, PROPRIETOR. Of the above named New Bakery.

Respectfully invites a share of the public patronage, confident of his ability to please his patrons.

Mrs. H. A. DERBY.

Has just returned from San Francisco with the finest selected stock of

MILLINERY GOODS,

Ever offered in Astoria. Embracing every novelty in the line.

Dr. Warner's Health Corset

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

WM. UHLENHART.

Occident Hotel Hair Dressing Saloon. ASTORIA - OREGON.

Hot, Cold, Shower, Steam and Sulphur BATHS.

Special attention given to ladies' and children's hair cutting. Private Entrance for Ladies.

GEO. LOVETT, TAILOR.

CLEANING and REPAIRING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. Benton street, opposite Post-office, Astoria

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the City of Astoria, Oregon, as returned by the City Assessor, for the year 1879, is now on file in the office of the Auditor and Clerk of said city where it will remain open for inspection until the 1st day of June, 1879. All applications for corrections or revisions of the same must be filed with said Auditor and Clerk prior to said 1st day of June, 1879.

R. H. CARDWELL, Auditor and Clerk. Astoria, May 15, 1879.

SHIPPING TAGS.

THE BEST QUALITY, WILL BE SOLD by the hundred, or by the box, printed or plain, to suit customers, at THE ASTORIAN OFFICE.