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THE CITY.

The Daily Astorian will be sent by mail at 75 cents a month, free of postage. Readers who contemplate absence from the city can have THE ASTORIAN follow them.

The Dovenby went to sea yesterday. The Geo. Marley is still in Bakers bay.

British Columbia has a voting population of 4,726; or 267 more than a year ago.

The bark Ryevale, 169 days from Liverpool, arrived yesterday. She is laden with tin, which will be discharged at Astoria.

Pilot Hewett promptly paid the amount awarded by the pilot commissioners for the damages sustained by the Durham and Baltimore.

The Alden Besse will sail from Hongkong about March 1st with a cargo of general merchandise for a Chinese firm in Portland and 327 Chinamen.

Prof. Plummer, well known in Astoria, and, in fact, all over the country, is at present entertaining Denver people with his laughable performances.

If you want to attend Holden's auction sale of furniture and bedding to-day, remember the sale commences at eleven o'clock this morning and not two in the afternoon as heretofore.

The light-house tender Shubrick, returning from Tillamook rock, reports having passed, when some distance at sea, several miles of narrow gauge railroad, minus locomotive and cars.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Ilwaco Wharf company was held at Ilwaco yesterday and officers elected for the ensuing year.

Major Throckmorton and company were transferred from fort Stevens to fort Canby yesterday by the steamer Gen. Canby.

After several days of monotonous showers, the wind yesterday shifted from southwest to northeast, and the indications are we shall have another clear, cold spell.

Sheriff Twombly leaves town this morning for the Nehalem valley, for the purpose of collecting county taxes due, and also to act as one of the assessors of damages for the proposed wagon road from the valley to Wandery's.

The sheriff requests us to state that the time for payment of taxes, without incurring additional cost, is getting very short, and that his deputy will be daily in attendance at the sheriff's office during his absence.

The light-house tender Shubrick returned from Tillamook rock at an early hour yesterday morning bringing Col. Wheeler and all the men who had been at work there putting the finishing touches to all the machinery necessary to place every thing in effective working order on the rock.

The total value of British Columbia fisheries for the year just closed was \$713,335 50. To produce this result there were employed four steamers, 3 to 50 tons; 10 schooners, 15 to 75 tons; 315 fishing boats; 1813 fishermen, sailors, etc., etc.

Russell, brother-in-law of Thomas, recently executed, who swore that he had seen the murdered man (Brumfield) in Kansas city after his supposed murder here, and committed for perjury, has been tried and sentenced to five year's penal servitude.

L. O. O. F. ASTORIA, February 11th, 1881. Members of Beaver Lodge No. 35, I. O. O. F.—You are hereby requested to attend lodge at our next regular meeting, February 17th, 1881.

Attest: T. S. JEWETT, R. S.

A Pleasant Gathering.

On Thursday evening last, Miss Springer, of Portland, who has been on an extended visit to friends in this city, was the recipient of a very pleasant party, at the residence of Mr. E. R. Hayes, on Chenamus street.

Charade Party.

A joyous scene of youth and beauty, with a sprinkling of a few whose more mature years was just sufficient to moderate the transports of the younger ones, was presented in the parlors of the Flavel residence on Thursday evening in response to invitations extended by the Captain's daughter, Miss Nellie, who received and entertained her guests as became one so popular as she among her friends in this city.

These comprised the characters of the play until the third act when a speaker (Mrs. Dunaway) was introduced in the person of Miss Nellie Plummer who did herself and the theme full justice.

The second part was a minor charade "Sheet Music," which was followed by another as pleasant and thrilling as the first, entitled "Crocket," with the following cast:

Harry Lear.....Mr. Fred Newell John Smith.....Mr. C. A. Hale Pat Marley.....Mr. B. Van Dusen Lena Le Veil.....Miss Eliza Boelling Bridget.....Miss Nellie Plummer

The Emily Stephens Salvage Question.

Messrs. Muckie, Nicolai and Ewry, joint owners of the Emily Stephens, were all in this city on Thursday evening, and we regret to learn that between them and the salvors of the schooner no satisfactory agreement was consummated and that therefore the amount of salvage will of necessity have to be awarded by the United States Admiralty court.

The schooner Courser, from Astoria, arrived at San Francisco on the 10th inst.

The barkentine Melancthon sailed from San Francisco for this port on Thursday last.

The damage sustained by the Harvest Queen in making the transit of Tamwater falls will not exceed \$1000. Had she been hauled overland, as she would have been but for the freshet in the Columbia, the expense would have been between \$5000 and \$7000.

Furniture Auction Sale To-Day.

At eleven o'clock this forenoon, E. C. Holden will offer for sale at Public Auction at his salesroom, a lot of second-hand furniture and bedding, consisting of bedsteads, double and single, wood chairs, bureaus, wash stands, toilet tables, mattresses, double and single, pillows, blankets, comforters and bedspreads. Also, 25 yards of best Brussels carpet, new, crockery, lamps, and a variety of other articles.

N. B.—Sale to commence at eleven o'clock precisely. E. C. HOLDEN, Auctioneer

COURT OF INQUIRY.

Board of Pilot Commissioners.

Captains J. A. Brown, J. G. Huster and J. H. D. Gray, pilot commissioners, were engaged till a late hour on Thursday evening last on the investigation of a charge of carelessness, preferred against Pilot Hewett by Capt. Seymour of the British ship Durham. After a careful inquiry into the circumstances of the case and taking all the evidence produced on both sides the board adjudged as follows: "After hearing the testimony and duly considering the matter, we find the facts in this case to be—that on the first day of January, 1881, the British bark Baltimore was lying at anchor in Astoria harbor about four or five hundred feet from the city front with room for a ship to pass on either side. The British ship Durham, in charge of Pilot Hewett, and in tow of the tug Columbia, came into the harbor, and in passing collided with the Baltimore. That at the time the Durham was passing the Baltimore the latter took a sheer to starboard, caused by the current, and that Pilot Hewett lacked in judgment in passing too near the Baltimore, thus causing the collision. We therefore find that Pilot Hewett is liable for the damage sustained by the said vessels as follows: To the ship Durham in the sum of sixty dollars, and to the bark Baltimore in the sum of eighty dollars, and for the expenses of the board."

Roads and Road Supervisors.

The following named gentlemen were appointed road supervisors by the honorable County-court, which closed its session on Thursday:

- District No. 1.—Including the city of Astoria, J. G. Nurnburg. District No. 2.—From the Klaskanine down to the Waleakie river, W. H. Gray. District No. 3.—B. R. Tocker, of Young's river. District No. 4.—Clatsop plains, south, E. M. Grimes. District No. 5.—Central Clatsop plains, P. M. Condit. District No. 6.—Clatsop plains, north, C. A. McGuire. District No. 7, 8 and 9.—To be appointed. District No. 10.—Fish Hawk, W. H. Lewis. District No. 11.—To be appointed. District No. 12.—Lewis and Clarke, D. J. Ingalls. District No. 13.—To be appointed. District No. 14.—Knapps, A. K. Barrows.

Concerning the desired road from Coffinberry's slough to Mrs. Witt's, the report of the assessors of damages was received and the road authorized, provided the petitioners pay the assessed damages which amount to \$75 00.

Report of viewers of the road from Nehalem to Wandery's was handed in. \$1,200 damages was claimed and assessors appointed to assess damages.

Correction.

In a paragraph in the editorial column on "Rain Storms and Floods" in our issue of yesterday the omission of the little words "or a" altered the sense of the sentence considerably. The closing remark should have read: "But it is to the toilers, the tillers of the soil, our sympathies should be extended. Their individual losses may not be more than a few hundred or a thousand dollars, but it will mean the all of many an honest and industrious citizen."

The Columbia and Willamet rivers are fast receding.

A petition has been presented to the dominion parliament, to prevent vessels from Puget sound of less than thirty tons capacity entering Victoria and other towns along the coast.

No Portland mail reached Wallawalla for twenty days. The first train arrived Wednesday night, bringing passengers and Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express. Complaints are made everywhere about the slovenly mail service. Stages go regularly but bring no overland mail.

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—Fresh smelt at Warren & Eatons.

AROUND THE CITY.

A full assortment of counter and grocers scales can be found at M. C. Crosby's, at bottom prices.

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

For a first-class oyster stew, fry, pan-roast or fancy roast, go to Roscoe's, on Main street, opposite N. Loeb's. Families supplied by the hundred or the sack, opened or in the shell.

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.

Tin Plate, Pig Tin, Etc.

Geo. W. Hume keeps constantly on hand, and to arrive a full line of fishermen and cannery supplies, at prices which defy competition. Parties wishing groceries and those intending to run mess-houses should inspect goods and obtain large discount from regular price.

From a Prominent Physician.

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th, 1880. Reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin eighteen months, I sent you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse, and both horses are to-day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars. Yours truly, H. A. Bertollet, M. D. Read advertisement.

Syphon Study Lamp.

Hon. I. W. Case, of Astoria, in placing the new Syphon study lamp on the market, would call the attention of the trade to some of its merits. Its illuminating qualities are not equalled by any study lamp in use. It gives a steady, brilliant light; is free from unpleasant odors and does not drip either when burning or not burning; easily lighted and trimmed, and is without exception, the most convenient lamp to fill ever made. Directions accompanying each lamp. Call upon Mr. Case and buy one. He sells them at remarkable low rates.

A cough, cold or sore throat should be stopped. Neglect frequently results in an incurable lung disease or consumption. Brown's Bronchial Troches do not disorder the stomach like cough syrups and balsams, but act directly on the inflamed parts, allaying irritation, give relief in asthma, bronchitis, coughs, catarrh, and the throat troubles which singers and public speakers are subject to. For thirty years Brown's bronchial troches have been recommended by physicians, and always give perfect satisfaction. Having been tested by wide and constant use for nearly an entire generation, they have attained well-merited rank among the few staple remedies of the age. Sold at 25 cents a box everywhere.

AMUSEMENTS.

HILL'S VARIETIES. Geo. Hill, proprietor, Fred Gere, manager.—The entertainment will conclude with "Dr. Fowler" or "Mesmerism," and the "New wedding party" by Nickerson and Staley. The evening's amusements to commence with the ever popular first part, Nickerson and Staley as the funny men, Gere interloper. Miss Morrison in new balades, Morice in vocal gems, Mr. Richard Bruce with his drum solo, Staley with his champion jig, Gere with his German eccentricities, and a very pathetic balad by a very pathetic individual, whose name pathetically is Nickerson. Nine people on the first part, and an exhibition equal to any on the coast. Mr. Hill invites criticism. Come and see for yourself. New orchestral selections and new music on the grand stand under the leadership of Mr. George Lambert at 6:30 P. M. The entertainment will begin at 7:30 P. M. Entrance on Benton street. Private boxes on Chenamus.

For the Genuine J. H. Cutter old Bourbon, and the best of wines, liquors, and San Francisco beer call at the Gem opposite the bell tower, and see Campbell.

Call early and make your selections of valentines at the City Book Store.

Fresh leaf lard at Warren and Eaton's.

If you want a good big oyster stew in style, call around to Tom Smiths, next door to P. H. Fox, Main street Astoria, Oregon. Open at all hours.

Since the Chinese started to brew "cheap San Francisco beer" there is little or no demand for that article any more. Call for the Columbia brewery beer, if you want something good.

Max Wagner's San Francisco National brewery beer can't be beat.

P. Wilhelm, Boss saloon, opposite the Clarendon hotel, Portland, Oregon.

Persons desiring to subscribe for the daily Oregonian will find it to their advantage to call at the City Book store, as we furnish it for less money than other agents.

For a variety of valentines, comical and sentimental, call at Stevens & Sons.

Attention every one! Have you heard of Kendall's Spavin Cure? See advertisement.

John Rogers has just received at the Central market a large invoice of coal oil, assorted brand, and for sale at reduced rates. He also keeps a general assortment of groceries, liquors, tobacco, cigars, fruits and vegetables of best quality, which he offers at small profit for cash.

For the best Beer in Astoria, call for the Columbia Brewery Beer, acknowledged to be superior to all others.

I X L STORE!! NEW WINTER GOODS!! AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. Clothing for Men, Youths and Boys, Overcoats and Ulsters, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Furnishing Goods, and Fancy Goods.

Ladies and Misses Underwear, Hosiery, Dress Goods, Cassimeres Waterproofs, Flannels, Canton Flannels, Linen Damask, Napkins, Doilies, Crashes, Towels, Felt Skirts, Trunks, Valises, Notions, and an Elegant Stock of Zephyrs and Fancy Yarn, In fact the largest and best stock in town and at the lowest prices. Call on me before purchasing if you wish to save money. C. H. COOPER, I X L Store, Main Street, near Parker House, Astoria.

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CENTRAL MARKET. General assortment of table stock constantly on hand, such as Canned Fruits and Jelly, Bacon, Hams, Shoulders, Lard, EGGS, BUTTER, CHEESE, Fresh Fruits and Vegetables, FISH, POULTRY AND GAME in the season. CIGARS AND TOBACCO. Best of WINES AND LIQUORS. All cheap for CASH. Goods sold on commission. Opposite I. W. Case's store. J. RODGERS.

D. K. WARREN, T. W. EATON. Astoria Market! OPPOSITE OCCIDENT HOTEL. ASTORIA, OREGON. WARREN & EATON, Proprietors. (Successors to Warren & McGuire) Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Fresh and Cured Meats A full line of FAMILY GROCERIES, FLOUR, FRESH HAY, CANNED FRUIT, VEGETABLES, ETC. Butter, Eggs, Cheese, etc. constantly on hand. Shins supplied at the lowest rates.

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