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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. DAILY or WEEKLY editions to any post-office without additional expense. Address may be changed as often as desired. Leave orders at the counting room.

—Our list of tonnage is increasing apace.

—The Signet arrived down yesterday from Portland.

—Capt Davis, of Ilwaco, is in the city making purchases for his store.

—The Mary Blundell sailed from Rio into this port in ninety-two days.

—Jos. Day of the Portland detective force arrived down yesterday evening.

—Mrs. Winch and Mrs. Atwood, of Portland, are at the Occident for a few days.

—The ship Ringleader, from this port, arrived at Queenstown on Wednesday.

—Mr. Holden will do the selling tonight, "assisted by Frank Keelar not a license."

—Mr. John Badollet enjoyed a buggy ride to upper Astoria yesterday, in company with Mr. John Hobson.

—The Knights of Pythias will soon have a lot, and will then immediately commence the construction of a hall upon it.

—Mr. W. W. Ward of Ilwaco has the dead shot for ague chills. He also has a positive remedy for inflamatory rheumatism.

—The advertisement of Mr. Keelar in THE ASTORIAN to-day is an indication of the stock which he has to sell—a big one.

—The cargo of the Clan Grant comes to Rodgers Meyer & Co., and is being discharged at Capt. Hiram Browns Main street dock.

—We shall begin to think after a while that the Ledger man actually believes that Tacoma has sea-port pretensions, as preposterous as is the idea.

—Mr. J. B. Stevenson, of fort Clatsop, called yesterday. He says all are busy "making hay while the sun shines" over that way, burning coal, getting out wood, bark, etc.

—Temple lodge, No. 7, A. F. and A. M. meet this evening. As work will be done in the F. C. ∴ ᵊ, all brothers in good standing, and all sojourners, are specially invited to be present.

—Mr. Alex. Campbell has just received from Arizona a pair of beautiful red bats which are a curiosity worth seeing. Alex. takes pleasure in showing these wonderful animals to any who may call.

—Keelars auction puts us in mind of those good old days of yore when Sally Brown and I slid down old Grimes' cellar door. The goods are a little different from those represented in the cut, but all are attractive.

—In the Swedish Lutheran church at Upper Astoria divine services will be held on Sunday, May 8th, at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Also preaching on Saturday evening at 7:30. All the Scandinavians are cordially invited. J. Vender, pastor.

—Thus far this season, as many cases of fish have been put up on the Sacramento river as were put up in all of 1880. The reason assigned for the extraordinary run there this year is: that propagation pays. Here the slack run is an evidence of the fact that non-propagation does not pay.

—Officer Rileys' dog chased Auditor Cardwell home night before last, and if Dick had n't closed the gate just as he did behind him there is no telling what the consequences might have been. To appreciate the escape one should see the gate which Cardwell so suddenly closed. A parallel bar on top of the fence.

—Mr. C. S. Dow of fort Clatsop called yesterday. We remember well Mr. Dow's first call when he came out an emigrant from Quebec about two years ago. He 's not the least bit sorry that he came to Oregon; and would not return to Brome county to-day if guaranteed a whole township of land free from debt. That 's the way we like to hear the new comers talk. They know how it is there—and here as well.

Jupiter.

Through all past wonderful winter, with its anachronisms of water in April and snows in January, the steadfast heavens have kept their daily blue and gold untarnished. Yesterday, to-day and forever, the planets hold on their way, and the stars rise and set as they have risen and set since the world began. Buffeted about as the people of the world have been by fitful storms and tempests, in perils oft by water, with temper worn threadbare by weary weather, and heart made sick by the hope of spring deferred, one turns with a sense of relief from earth to sky. Happy is the astronomer who can escape through his telescope into the measureless fields of upper air. Very much of his valuable time during the past half year has been bestowed upon Jupiter. Something has been the matter with Jupiter. Not even the astronomer knows what, but the signs of agitation are unmistakable. His atmosphere, Jupiters; seems to have been in a state of unwonted activity; a huge red spot, evidently running on schedule time, has swung round him every ten hours, while smaller spots, of varying sizes and colors, have appeared at irregular intervals. Just now Jupiter is so far from us, and is so obscured by the rays of the sun that it is impossible to make successful observations; but the almost daily changes in the weather tell of his numerous changes.

—On the 5th Capt. John D. Merriman, of Astoria, was confirmed by the senate as collector for the district of Oregon.

—The Clan Grant arrived yesterday in tow of one of Capt. Flavels tugs, with an opposition pilot on board the vessel, Mr. Field.

—Messrs. Geo. H. Hudson and John S. Laidlaw of Fisherton, and Mr. Geo. T. Myers of Rainier, were at the Occident last evening.

—Dr. J. M. Dixon, of fort Vancouver, is in the city. He comes for the purpose of breathing the pure air of the coast, and general expansion.

—Among the arrivals at the Occident yesterday from the forts, were Maj. Throckmorton, Lieut. Sol E. Sparrow, and J. E. Gandy and wife.

—The Harrisburg Nucleus informs us that Mr. Ben Holladay, the original proprietor of the Oregon and California railroad, is expected in Oregon this month.

—The vacancy in the family of Mr. E. C. Holden, and in the Presbyterian church choir, by the marriage and removal of Miss Esther Holden, is well supplied by the presence of Miss Lizzie R. Norris.

—Four Pullman sleepers for the Oregon Railway and Navigation company, now in San Francisco, will be forwarded by sailing vessels. It is expected that Walla-walla sleeping cars will be running by June 1st. Mr. W. F. Shields has been appointed manager for Oregon and Washington.

—The lumbering business of Puget-sound is so rapidly increasing that the number of tug boats engaged in the business of towing lumber laden ships, booms of logs, and coal vessels, is not large enough and another tug is to be built at Seattle. The machinery will be made by the Seattle iron works. The tug will have a condensing engine of 125 horse power. Both the boat and machinery will be put up as rapidly as possible.

—At the meeting of the bondholders of the Oregon and California railroad in Frankfort, on the 5th, President Villard's plan for reorganization of the road was adopted, 580 to 19. Messrs. Villard, Bretherton and R. D. Peebles were appointed trustees of the road. Villard, Endicott, R. B. Pullman, Horace White, W. H. Starbuck, Bretherton and T. F. Oakes were appointed directors, with power to nominate four others at the next general meeting to be held in October.

—The following bill, if it could become a law in every sea-board state would give new life to our merchant marine. It has been submitted to the tax commissioners of New York for consideration: 1. All vessels registered at any port in this state, and owned by an American citizen or association, or by any corporation incorporated under the laws of the state of New York, engaged in ocean commerce between any port in the United States and any foreign port, are exempted from all taxation in New York state for state or local purposes. 2 This act takes effect immediately.

—The mail between Lewiston and Walla-walla is called a daily mail and it ought to go through in one day, instead of occupying the better part of two days. The Teller thinks that the postal agent could have all mail matter from below Walla-walla destined for north Idaho, distributed on board the cars and placed in sacks so that they can be immediately transferred to the stage at Walla-walla on the arrival of the cars and the stage push through to Lewiston that day, then the mail carrying would approximate to what is wanted. In 1861-2 the stages made their regular and through trips between Lewiston and Walla-walla in one day, and why should they not now?

Real Estate Transactions.

W. D. Hare to J. W. Hume, lot 4 block 114, Shiveleys, Astoria; recorded April 4th. Consideration.....$2,500 00

John Palmer to F. Krosel, land on Youngs river; April 9th. Consideration..... 1 00

M. J. Kinney to Bergman & Berry, lot 8 block 10, McClures, Astoria; April 11th. Consideration..... 1,200 00

Trustees of estate of M. J. Kinney to Bergman & Berry, same; April 11th. Consideration.... 1 00

E. B. Gager to Moses Rogers, lot 6 block 118, Shiveleys, Astoria; April 15th. Consideration.... 400 00

J. M. Shiveley and wife to Elizabeth O'connor, north 100 feet of lot 6 block 16, Shiveleys Astoria; April 30th. Consideration..... 1,200 00

Warren & McGuire to J. Melin et al., two acres adjoining McClures, Astoria, on the west, and known as the slaughter house property; April 30th. Consideration..... 2,500 00

W. D. Hare to J. Melin et al., tide land in front of above described property; April 30th. Consideration..... 1,000 00

A. G. Sture et al. to S. E. Miller, land in section 18, township 8 north, range 7 west; April 30th. Consideration..... 1,000 00

J. W. Robb to D. K. Warren, land lying north of lot 2 block 3, McClures, Astoria; April 30th. Consideration..... 50 00

Geo. B. McEwan to J. R. Fostelie land in Clatsop; April 30th. Considerrtion..... 500 00

A. B. McMillan to W. B. Painter, land on Klaskanine; April 30th. Consideration..... 100 00

J. W. Welch to A. J. Welch, lots 1 and 2, block 89, Shiveleys, Astoria; April 30th. Consideration..... 400 00

Piano to Rent.

A good piano is offered for rent at a fair rate, by Capt. A. V. Berry. Apply at the Washington Market.

Just Received at Carl Adlers.

A new invoice of those Celebrated Cabinet Grand Pianos. Also, a new invoice of Esty Organs. He will sell pianos and organs at manufacturers prices for cash, or on the installment plan.

Furnished Rooms.

Mrs. D. Curran has a few good rooms to let at reasonable prices on Cass street, near the Congregational Church.

Oars, Oars.

Oars, eleven feet; caustic soda, golden lacquer, asphaltum varnish, furniture varnish, tan baak, etc., in quantities to suit at GEO. W. HUMES.

Central Hotel.

The Central hotel, near the steamship dock is now open for the reception of guests, where the well known caterer, Mr. Anton Beloh will always be found ready to wait on his patrons. He has had the above named house thoroughly refitted by Messrs. Pike and Stockton, our well known artists. Call and see him, as he has the finest brands of liquors and cigars to be had in the city.

Choice Rooms to Let.

An extra fine suite of rooms, lately occupied by Capt. and Mrs. A. W. Berry, to let at Mrs. Munson's, furnished or unfurnished, with or without board. Also single rooms furnished for lodgers.

Ice Cream Saloon.

Frank Faber's ice cream saloon, on the roadway near Humes mill, is now fitted nicely with private rooms for ladies. It is also the depot for choice confectionery, taffy, etc. Roman punch served to order.

To Teachers and Pupils of Public Schools.

The new school books published by A. S. Barnes & Co., and adopted by the superintendents of Oregon to be introduced the present season, are just received direct from the publishers, and are now for sale and exchange at introductory prices set by the state superintendents. Respectfully yours, Carl Adler, dealer in books and stationery.

—Everybody buys taffy at the Astoria candy factory.

—A fine lot of French candies just received at Adler's.

—Fire-brick and fire-clay in lots to suit at M. C. Crosby's.

—Use Nicholas' Balm of Gilead oil, for sore or chapped hands.

—Ice cream at Roscoes oyster and refreshment saloon on Main street.

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

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

—Prices for cannery and fishermen's supplies have been slaughtered at M. C. Crosby's,

—Chocolate caramels, cocoanut caramels, fresh, at the Astoria candy factory, opposite the bell tower.

—The boat stoves made by M. C. Crosby, with fire-brick bottoms, are superior to all others in this market.

—Mr. John Rogers, of the Central Market, has made arrangements to keep all the finest fresh fish, etc., in their season.

—A full line of opera caramels at the Astoria candy factory, next door to Stevens & Sons book store, opposite the bell tower.

—Just received at Carl Adlers, a full assortment of Sewing Machine Needles of all makes and sizes; to be sold at reduced rates.

—P. J. Goodman, on Chenamus street, has just received the latest and most fashionable style of gents and ladies boots, shoes, et

—The Bock beer made by the Columbia brewery in Astoria is the best in the market. It was thoroughly tried and proved such last year.

—The rooms which we have to let in THE ASTORIAN building are the finest in the city for office purposes, and the rate is very reasonable.

—Buy THE WEEKLY ASTORIAN in post-paid wrapper for ten cents, and send it to some friend in the east. It is better than a letter.

Flashes from the Wires.

BY MAIL AND TELEGRAPH

Victor Hugo will be the next great man about whom to write extensive funeral notices. He is quite ill.

The Whitaker trial gives experts a fine chance to experiment in the detective business upon handwritings.

Democratic journals are merry over the break in the senatorial dead-lock. The Herald and World each run up big flags.

Ansel Briggs, the first governor of Iowa, and for several years past a resident of Omaha, died at the residence of his son in Omaha, aged 75, on Thursday.

News from the Transvaal is disquieting. A large meeting of the Boers was held a few days ago, whereat extreme views relative to terms of ultimate settlement.

The ratification of the Chinese treaties was finally accomplished on the 5th, after a short debate and with much greater approach to unanimity than had been expected.

During April 8,500 emigrants from foreign lands passed through Chicago, to settle in the states and territories of the northwest. This is an increase of forty per cent. over the figures of April, last year.

There is no disguising the fact that the worlds fair is as good as dead, and the commission is considering the most suitable means of closing it up. All subscriptions do not exceed $1,000,000. Money received will be returned.

Mr. Villard pronounces the Shurtz story, in connection with the Northern Pacific railroad, void of any truth whatever. He has never been invited to become president of the Northern Pacific railroad when the latter should come under control of the Villard combination.

Carlyle's niece sends to the press a copy of Carlyle's instructions dated 1866, solemnly prohibiting the publication of his reminiscences, without the strictest editing. She adds that she never understood that he had revoked these instructions by oral declaration, as Fraude alleges.

Horse Education.

In something written we have an indistinct recollection of having made reference to a general disposition among boys in their teens, as well as boys of maturer years, to enlighten and bless the world with their profound knowledge of the horse and his history. Our books and newspapers are full of this kind of literature, and it varies in style from the production of the child at school, commencing with: The horse has four legs and a tail; up to the eloquent tribute of the scholar when he quotes from Job: That his neck is clothed with thunder and the glory of his nostrils is terrible. He smelleth the battle afar off, the thunder of the captains and the shouting. Between these two extremes of the child at his first school composition, and the professional literature, we have every grade of pretention, and each professing to have mastered the whole subject. As we approach the close of this nineteenth century, we begin to look for something better in this department of knowledge from those who assume to instruct." And it is to be found in Kendalls Treatise on the horse, sent by mail to any person for twenty-five cents, postage paid. Apply to THE ASTORIAN office, or address D. C. Ireland, Astoria, Oregon.

—See Max Wagners advertisement of Bock beer, just received by steamer Columbia.

—Go to M. C. Crosby's and get your lunch buckets, water kegs, bailers, buoys and boat stoves.

—Molasses chewing peppermints and chewing candies of all flavors, at the Astoria candy factory, opposite the bell tower.

—Gray's wood yard is now fitted up on the wharf foot of Benton street, and prepared to deliver wood to any part of the city sawed to any length, and full measure.

—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.

—Carl Adler will sell his entire stock of wall-pockets, brackets and picture frames at a great sacrifice as he has determined to close out and quit that line of trade.

—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.

—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.

—All bitters are whiskey in a disguised form. It is far better and more honorable for a man to "brace up" to a bar and call for whiskey than to sneak in the back door of his house with a bottle of bitters under his coat. It's whiskey in a bottle "all the same." No whiskey in Pfunder's Oregon Blood Purifier.

····Get your legal blanks at THE ASTORIAN office. A full line of over two hundred styles.

Buy the Weekly.

THE WEEKLY ASTORIAN for this week is full of just such information and news of the country as your friends in the east want to see. It has very few advertisements, and is chock to the muzzle of information that no family can successfully squeeze along without. Two dollars will buy the whole wad for a year, $1 50 for six months, or ten cents per copy.

The New School Books.

Messrs. Chas. Stevens & Son have a full supply of text books lately adopted by the state, and which must be introduced in the public schools by or before October 1st, 1881.

The following books are offered at introductory prices or exchange:

Montieths Elementary Geography.
Montieths Comprehensive Geography.
Sills Grammar.
Brooks Primary, Elementary, Written and Higher Arithmetics.

The following will be sold at introductory rates, but not on exchange:

Watsons Childs Speller.
Watsons Youths Speller.
Montieths Easy Lessons in Popular Science.
Lutes Book Keeping.
Westlakes Common School Literature.

CITY BOOK STORE,
Astoria, Oregon.

AMUSEMENTS

HILL'S VARIETIES.

Geo. Hill, propietor and manager, Fred Gere, stage manager, A. Ostrander, leader of orchestra, Geo. Lambert, leader of brass band. An entirely new first part by our male and female minstrels, with Nickerson and Cook as the comedians, Gere interlocutor. Finale to first part, "All the World's a Stage." To be followed by an olio of gems composed of songs and dances, jig and clog dances, Dutch, Irish and Negro eccentricities, etc., etc. Then Nickerson and Cook in their laughable sketch entitled "The Hay Merchant." Also a new act by the full company, called "That Beastly Beast of Beasley's." Mr. Hill is making active preparations for more amusements with which to please those of the public who are fond of popular amusements. New orchestral selections by our efficient orchestra, and new music by our excellent brass band on the grand stand at precisely 7 P. M. Curtain rises at exactly 8 P. M. Entrance on Benton street; entrance to private boxes, on Chenamus street.

—By a recent postal decision men can actually make money by getting their bills and statements of accounts printed. Statements of accounts and bills of sale when made out on paper having printed headings, can be sent by mail for one cent, if the envelope is left unsealed; whereas, if it is made out on unprinted paper, it will cost three cents. Thus by patronizing THE ASTORIAN two cents can be saved on every bill or statement that s sent out through the mail.

····Blanks. Promissory notes, bonds for deed, quit claim deeds, mortgages and warranty deeds, at this office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOUND.—A skiff about 16 feet long, painted light blue with strips of tin on outside, was picked up near black buoy off Fort Stevens, May 3d. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. J. W. & V. COOK.
May 4th, 1881.

FOUND.—Near the Republic wreck a piece of new net, new lead line, new cork line, web 11-ply. Think it is Anglo-American Packing Co.'s. Owner can prove property and pay charges by calling upon,
J. FEENAN,
Astoria Packing Company.
May 5d, 1881.

LOST—May 4th 165 fathoms of 50 mesh net, Barbours No. 12, 11 ply and No. 3, 10 ply, old cork and lead line, no marks, at the Great Republic. Finder will please notify S. D. ADAIR, and receive reward. 5-1w*

LOST.—Between Scarborough Hill and Sand Island on the night of the 28th, 100 fathoms of new net, Barbour's No. 12. Corks branded R. J.; the finder will be suitably rewarded by calling on
ROB. JOHNSON.
d&w-1w Fishermens Packing Company.

FOUND.—About 200 fathom of lead line picked up below the old oil works. No marks. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges by applying to
WILLIAM BEASLEY,
1w* Next house south of Capt. Babbidge.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the copartnership heretofore existing between John Davis and Chas. G. Ross, in the business of logging, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Chas. G. Ross continues the business, and will pay all indebtedness of the late firm.
JOHN DAVIS,
CHAS. G. ROSS.
Knappa, Oregon, May 4, 1881. d-tf

Pioneer Meeting.

AN ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE Pioneer and Historical Society of Oregon will be held in Astoria at the rooms of the society, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the 11th day of May, 1881, to complete the business of the annual meeting. All interested are cordially invited.
S. T. McKEAN, Secretary.
Astoria, Oregon, April 29, 1881.

City Auditors Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the City Assessment Roll of the city of Astoria, Oregon, as returned by the City Assessor for the year 1881, is now on file in the office of the Auditor and Clerk of said city where it will remain open for inspection until the 15th day of May, 1881. All applications for corrections or revisions of the same must be filed with said Auditor and Clerk prior to said 15th day of May, 1881.
R. H. CARDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.
Astoria, May 2, 1881. 1d.d&w

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