

**The Daily Astorian.**  
 ASTORIA, OREGON:  
 WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1881.  
 D. C. IRELAND, Editor.

**Condition of the President.**  
 Unless something unfavorable occurs, of which there is at present no indication, the president will gradually improve and his complete recovery will be merely a question of time. His recovery, Maj. Swayn says, will necessarily be slow and tedious, but in my opinion he is now on the sunny side of life again. Doctors do not look for any permanent improvement for several days.

**Walla-Walla Railway Center.**  
 Cor. Rev. D. J. Pierce.  
 Walla-walla is trembling for the effect of the railroads upon her business, and many are the guesses about her future. Some think all the wholesaling will go to Portland, which is now reveling in high hopes, while others look upon the three roads which are now pushing out from Walla-walla as a guarantee of future thrift, gathering the trade of an immense upper country into the lap of the garner queen. Meanwhile the Oregon Railway and Navigation company is building depot, roundhouse, and machine shops and pushing its broad-gauge road on to Dayton. We can step into a beautiful railway coach, as fine as any upon the Union Pacific, at 5 p. m. and 5 a. m. next day we step off the coach on the steamer, making Portland in twenty-three hours (three hundred miles). The northern branch will reach one hundred miles beyond us, the present season, and the working of business will be revolutionized.

As an indication of the dry condition of things around Los Angeles, a painter asserts that while painting the inside of a wagon box green, down there the other day, a hungry cow climbed in over the tail-board, thinking it was grass.

The Klamath Commercial company has incorporated for the purpose of doing a general trading business in milling, cutting, transporting, etc., in California and Oregon. The directors are R. D. Hume, O. Alexander, B. F. Stone, J. Deming and W. F. Beck. The capital stock is \$300,000.

It is now said that the long-talked-of consolidation of the Central Pacific and Union Pacific roads is about to be consummated, and that when accomplished there will be a change in the personnel of the representatives at the east end. That this is needed badly will be vouched for by all Pacific coast shippers.

Rev. D. J. Pierce has returned home from his tour of Idaho, Oregon, Montana and eastern Washington, and concludes that if 1,800 miles of staging in three months don't cure a man of continuous travel, he may be considered incorrigible. It is like the traditional hash of the average boarding house—very good for thirty or forty days, but not the thing for a regular diet. His trip over the Kelton stage line cured him, and he is strongly in favor of the railroad.

Coming this way from Kelton by stage, the changing scenes from Idaho, on descending the Blue mountains into the valley of the Columbia, forms the subject of many an interesting letter. At this season of the year the monotonous sagebrush of Idaho gives way to the beautiful heavy timber of the Blue mountains, then follow the green wheat fields of the Columbia river valley, and the burdened peach, plum and apple trees, bowing under their ripening burdens of luscious fruit.

Referring to the recognition which Delegate Cannon of Utah at last succeeded in obtaining, the Stubberville Herald says: "Why not? The United States government hasn't got sand enough in its craw to crush out the scandalous practice of polygamy, and its no more than right that its congress should have as a member a man who is a polygamist, and who with his constituents daily defies the civil and moral law. If the Mormons are permitted to violate the laws and pay their taxes then they should be represented. Further comment is unnecessary, but the stain still exists."

**THE NEWS.**  
 BY MAIL AND TELEGRAPH.  
 No election at Astoria yet.  
 Weather continues very hot all over the east.

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Whenever you want to buy an article, purchase it from a store-keeper in town. You know them, they are identified with you in the interest of keeping up the city, which is an organization for mutual protection, and if you are cheated you know where to apply for redress. When you buy of an itinerant pedlar, whom you may never see again, if you are cheated you must pocket your own losses.

The time has long since passed, when mechanical trades provided our sons with a living. Labor-saving machinery, patent tools and steam have robbed the trade of the future it offered to our boys in the days of the indentured apprentice system. The idlers and do-nothings of our metropolitan cities are employed largely in tradesmen and professional men, and merchandising is a failure, if the number of bankrupt mercantile houses is any index to the pressure of the times can be taken as a criterion. What the country needs is producers, and the waste fields of unutilized land offers an opportunity to place the rising generation in the way of making homes for themselves and better times for posterity.

A contemporary says: A newspaper and a newspaper editor that people don't talk about and sometimes abuse are rather poor concerns. The men and business that an editor sometimes feels it a duty to defend at a risk of making enemies of another class, are often the very first to show ingratitude. The editor who expects to receive much charity or gratitude will soon find out his mistake; but he should go ahead and say and do what he conscientiously thinks right without regard to frowns or smiles.

The free lands of the west are being taken up and settled this year to a degree most gratifying, in the face of the over-crowded mechanical departments of metropolitan life. Several millions more acres of homesteads have been entered for settlement at the various land offices this year than in the past year, and still the western movement continues in force. And this is the only solution of the labor troubles. Let the unemployed come and become producers instead of consumers.

We see how life gets coined at our mind, so that the world somehow wears the stamp of the die cut into our hearts. We know how a piece of good fortune brightens the air; how some impending evil puts the edge of a spiritual eclipse upon the sun; how suddenly ill fortune in business will seem to make the very springs of beauty bankrupt; how the sickness of a dear friend turns mature pallid; how the death of one we love will convert all the trees to cypresses, and the music of the universe becomes a requiem; but how can you expect your city to prosper if you do not improve the local press? How can you succeed as a merchant, or a mechanic, and not advertise?

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

Mr. Davidson is displaying samples of some of the cabinet photographs which his branch gallery has already taken in Astoria. It is even better than the samples shown when he first opened here. Each original has received a dozen just like them and so will every customer who favors him with an order. Mr. D. advertised in the first place that he would deal only in good work at reasonable prices, and dozens of Astoria people can testify that he has kept his word, and hundreds more will be able to say the same thing if present appearances signify anything.

**BORN.**  
 To the wife of H. Gray, a girl, July 12th.

**NEW TO-DAY.**  
 Consignees Notice.  
 The undersigned consignees of the British Empire "Clippers" will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of said vessel.  
 JAMES LAIDLAW & CO.  
 Astoria, July 9, 1881. 1w-d&w

**Co-Partnership Notice.**  
 A CO-PARTNERSHIP HAS THIS DAY been formed by Robert M. Treuehard and J. G. Barron, under the firm name of Treuehard & Barron, for the purpose of carrying on the milk business in Astoria.  
 R. M. TREUEHARD,  
 J. G. BARRON.  
 Astoria, Oregon, July 11, 1881.

**CITY TAXES.**  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE City Assessment roll for 1881, is now in my hands for collection and all of said taxes are now due. All persons that are indebted for the same may save five per cent. by paying said taxes before August 1, 1881.  
 V. E. DEMENT,  
 City Treasurer.

**Lot and Improvements for Sale.**  
 LOT OF EIGHT IN BLOCK SEVENTY-ONE five in Olney's Astoria, together with a Good House and Woodshed.  
 FOR—  
 NINE HUNDRED DOLLARS.  
 For particulars inquire of  
 M. SERRA or W. H. TWILIGHT,  
 Astoria, July 11, 1881.

**Dissolution Notice.**  
 THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned and doing business under the firm name of Fairford & Treuehard, in Astoria, Oregon, this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. J. G. Barron collecting and paying all outstanding debts.  
 JAMES G. FAIRFORD, Jr.,  
 ROBERT M. TREUEHARD,  
 July 1st, 1881. 6i-d&w

**To Whom it May Concern.**  
 THE PILLAR ROCK PACKING Company will not be responsible for any bills contracted after this date unless ordered by the subscriber.  
 JOHN KIERNAN,  
 Pillar Rock, July 9, 1881.

**Girl Wanted.**  
 G. IRELAND OR MIDDLE AGED WOMAN. Inquire at THIS OFFICE.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**  
**PERUVIAN BITTERS.**  
 CHINCHONA RUBRA, AND CALIFORNIA GRAPE BRANDY.

**THE GREATEST MEDICAL DISCOVERY OF THE AGE.**  
 See our local columns for particulars, and as 500

**VALUE HEALTH. READ!**  
**Chas. Stevens & Son**  
 CITY BOOK STORE.  
 BROWN'S BUILDING  
 opposite the BELL TOWER.

**Largest and Best Assortment**  
 of novelties in the stationary line usually found in a first-class book store, consisting of—  
 FINE STATIONERY, BOOKS, GOLD PEN GOODS, ALBUMS, CHROMOS, FRAMES, STEREOSCOPES, DIARIES. All of which will be sold at prices which defy competition.

**W. E. DEMENT.**  
 ASTORIA, OREGON.  
**DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.**  
 Toilet and Fancy Articles,  
 PATENT MEDICINES, ETC.

**WELCH HILL WATER WORKS**  
 Furnish pure SPRING WATER to patrons.  
 Custom Solicited.  
 Pipes and general water fixtures constantly on hand. Plumbing at reasonable rates.  
 Office on West Eighth street near O. & N. Co's wharf.  
 JAS. W. WELCH, Agent,  
 Astoria, Oregon.

**METROPOLITAN**  
 Shaving and Hair Dressing Saloon.  
 On the Broadway next to J. Foster's saloon.  
 The best of satisfaction guaranteed.  
 Hair Cutting, 25 cents  
 Shaving, 25 " "  
 Shampooing, 25 " "  
 Dyeing from, 25 to 75 " "  
 A liberal share of the trade solicited.  
 W. R. DAY, Proprietor.

**SAINT MARY'S HOSPITAL,**  
 ASTORIA, OREGON.  
 THIS INSTITUTION, UNDER CARE OF THE Sisters of Charity, is now ready for the reception of patients.  
 Private rooms for the accommodation of any desiring them.  
 Patients admitted at all hours, day or night. No physician has exclusive right, every patient is free to and has the privilege of employing any physician they prefer.

**United States Marine**  
 Seamen who pay Hospital Dues, are entitled to Free care and attendance at this Hospital during sickness. Permits must be obtained for furlough during absence at the Coast House.

**THE NEW STEAMER CLARA PARKER.**  
 EBEN P. PARKER, MASTER.  
 Is now ready for business.  
 For freight or charter apply to the Captain on board, or to  
 H. B. PARKER.

**TIN PLATE. BLOCK TIN**  
 For sale ex Warehouse at Astoria or Portland by  
 BALFOUR, GUTHRIE & Co.,  
 56-57  
 Portland, Oregon.

**FOUND.**—On the morning of July 8th, near the Great Republic, about 75 or 80 fathoms Barbers 15-ly 40 mesh; leads marked C. W. O. Owner can have the same by proving property and paying charges.  
 Apply to  
 W. J. BROWN,  
 West Coast Fish Co.

**FOUND.**—On Fort Stevens Rd, Wednesday morning, July 8th, between 175 to 200 fathoms of new and old web mixed, and coils of various marks. The owner can have the same by calling at Geo. W. Hume's racks in Astoria, proving property and paying charges.  
 July 7, 1881.—7. 6i

**NET FOUND.**—On the night of July 3d, near Sand Island, about 20 fathoms, buoy marked M. J. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice. Apply at  
 ASTORIA FISHERY.

**NET LOST.**—On the night of July 3d, near Sand Island, about 20 fathoms 45 mesh net, new, Barbers 20-ly twine, buoy marked K 26 and cork diamond K and leads K one side and T on the other. Finder will be rewarded by returning the same to the  
 ASTORIA FISHERY.

**SPILES.**  
 The undersigned is prepared to furnish a large number of Spiles and Spars at his place on short notice, at reasonable rates.  
 Apply to  
 C. G. GABLES,  
 Columbia City

**Wanted.**  
 15,000 POUNDS BAGS OF all kinds clean and dry, at the Umbrella shop, Main street, by  
 J. JOPLIN.

**Have You a Horse? If so, YOU MUST NOT FAIL TO GET KENDALL'S TREATISE ON THE HORSE.** It is worth ten times its cost to every one having a horse or a team. Its cost is but 25 cents and will be sent postpaid on receipt of price, and the money will be refunded to any who do not think it worth its price.  
 Address: THE ASTORIAN OFFICE.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**  
**IMPORTANT**

**ANNOUNCEMENT**  
 OF THE  
**WHITE HOUSE**

To make room for an immense stock of goods that are arriving by every steamer. I will sell for the

**NEXT THIRTY DAYS**  
 Greatly Reduced Prices!  
 My entire stock, comprising the latest styles

**Dress Goods, Fancy Goods, Cloaks, Dolmans, Ladies and Childrens Shoes and Slippers**

**A COMPLETE LINE OF MENS AND YOUTHS CLOTHING**  
**FURNISHING GOODS, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, ETC. ETC. ETC.**

Before purchasing your goods elsewhere call in and examine my goods and prices, as it will pay you well for your trouble.  
**S. SCHLUSSEL,**  
 WHITE HOUSE STORE,  
 Corner Main and Chenamus streets,  
 ASTORIA, OREGON.

**STEVENS & SON**  
 Have just received a large stock of  
**Picture Frame Mouldings.**  
 For sale by the foot or made into frames to order. They are now prepared to frame all the Pictures in Astoria  
**AT VERY LOW RATES.**  
 Also just received a large line of  
**Vocal and Instrumental Sheet Music.**  
 Musical Instruments of all kinds always on hand. Opposite the Bell Tower, Astoria.

**Leinenweber & Co.,**  
 ASTORIA, OREGON,  
**TANNERS AND CURRIERS,**  
 Manufacturers and Importers of  
**ALL KINDS OF LEATHER AND FINDINGS**  
 Wholesale Dealers in  
**OIL AND TALLOW.**  
 MANUFACTURERS OF  
**BOOTS and SHOES**

Highest cash price paid for Hides and Tallow.  
**Washington Market,**  
 Main Street, - - Astoria Oregon  
**BERGMAN & BERRY**  
 RESPECTFULLY CALL THE ATTENTION of the public to the fact that the above Market will always be supplied with a FULL VARIETY BEST QUALITY  
**FRESH AND CURED MEATS!**  
 Which will be sold at lowest rates, wholesale and retail. Special attention given to supplying ships.

**S. GLASER & CO.,**  
 (Successors to F. Sherman & Co.)  
 MAIN STREET, - ASTORIA, OREGON  
 Is prepared to supply  
**Fresh Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, Corned Meats, Poultry, Game, Etc.**  
 Also constantly on hand  
**Fresh Butter, Eggs, Vegetables.**  
 SHIPS SUPPLIED AT LOWEST RATES.

**TRENCHARD & UPSHUR**  
 DEALERS IN  
**SHIP CHANDLERY**  
**PROVISIONS.**

**IRON, STEEL, COAL,**  
 Builders & General  
**HARDWARE,**  
**NAILS,**  
**PAINTS, OILS, ETC.**  
 AGENCY OF THE  
 Imperial Mills Flour and Feed.

**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.

**Ohenamus Street, Near Olney,**  
 ASTORIA, OREGON

**THE CALIFORNIA STORE,**  
 (The Cheapest One Price Store in Astoria)  
 Corner Opposite the Post Office.

A CARD TO THE PATRONS OF THE CALIFORNIA STORE.  
 We intend now as at our start, TO REGULATE THE PRICES OF DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING IN ASTORIA. This we claim to have done, and shall continue to do so.  
 A WORD TO OUR OPPONENTS.  
 We Originate, Never Imitate. Blow your Trumpets inside Out, We Lead, Others Follow. And Fire off your Guns.  
 \$13,756

We have reduced prices in our stock to the amount of Thirteen Thousand, Seven Hundred and Fifty-Six Dollars, thus giving intended purchasers a chance to save Money. Remember a Dollar saved is a Dollar Earned.

**LADIES GENTS**  
**OUR DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT** consists of Black and Colored Cashmeres, Mohairs, Silk and Wool Plaid, Empress Cloths, Brocades, Camels Hair Suitings, and a beautiful variety of Dress wear too numerous for classification. All at Cost Price.  
**SHAWLS, LACES, UNDERWEAR,** Flannels, Hosiery, Linens, Millinery Goods, Parasols, Fancy Goods, All at Cost Price.  
**CLOAK AND SUIT DEPARTMENT** consists of the very latest styles of Dolmans, Sacques, Wraps, Havelocks, and Linen Suits of every description, at Cost Price.  
**LADIES' HOSIERY AND CHILDRENS SHOES** in French Kid, Pebble Goat, C. Kid, Suedes, Newport Ties, Infant Shoes, in fact everything pertaining to a first-class Shoe Department. Ladies' Glove Box, very pretty and beautiful to wear, a Specialty.  
**MENS, YOUTHS, AND BOYS CLOTHING DEPARTMENT** consists of a full line of French and English Diagonals, Scotch Tweeds and Cheviots, Black Doeskins and Broadcloths, Plain and Fancy Cashmeres, in light and dark colors, all at Cost Price.  
**HATS AND CAPS,** in all styles and colors, at Cost Price.  
**BOOTS AND SHOES** of Eastern, California, and Oregon Manufactures, at less than cost of manufacture.  
**GENTS FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENT** consists of the very latest styles of White and Colored Dress Shirts, Collars, Neckties, Scarfs, Stocks, Cuff Buttons, Suspenders, Hose, Undershirts, Drawers, Overshirts, Overalls and Jumpers, at Cost Price.  
 SILK HANDKERCHIEFS A SPECIALTY.  
 Trunks, Valises, Satchels, and all kinds of Portmanteaus.

**A NEW FEATURE, OUR COUNTRY ORDER DEPARTMENT.**  
**FIRST IN THE FIELD!**  
 In consequence of the great increase of orders from the Country, we wish to inform parties desiring to purchase goods at cost price and who are unable to attend in person, that we have placed an efficient clerk in this department, who will forward samples and receive the same value as if personally superintending their own purchases.  
 Our One Price System, Goods Marked in Plain Figures, Justice to Everyone.  
 Together with the Immense Stock to select from, is a sufficient guarantee that the wants of all can be supplied and even the most fastidious pleased.

**DIRECT ALL COMMUNICATIONS, LOCK BOX 248.**  
**THE CALIFORNIA STORE,**  
 (The Cheapest One Price Store in Astoria.)  
 Corner Opposite the Post Office.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**  
**G. W. HUME**  
 Wholesale and Retail Dealer  
 -IN-  
**GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, LUMBER,**  
 ETC., ETC., ETC.

**TIN PLATE**  
 BLOCK TIN, FIG LEAD.  
 SEAMING COPPERS, SOLDERING COPPERS  
**SALMON TWINE,**  
 COTTON TWINE,  
 NET LINES,  
 MANILLA ROPE, SAIL CLOTH,  
**ANCHORS,**  
 FLOATS, MAULS, HANDLES,  
**OARS, OARS,**  
**MURIATIC ACID,**  
 LACQUER, VARNISH,  
 TURPENTINE, BENZINE,  
**COAL OIL**  
 GUM BOOTS, RICE, ETC., ETC.,  
 IN QUANTITIES TO SUIT.  
 ASTORIA, - - OREGON.

**SEA VIEW HOUSE.**  
 J. L. STOUT, PROPRIETOR  
 North Pacific Beach, W. T.  
 Will be Open for Visitors July 4, 1881.  
 It is one mile nearer Hwaco than last season.

**B. B. FRANKLIN, UNDERTAKER,**  
 Corner Cass and Squemoque streets,  
 ASTORIA, - - OREGON

**WALL PAPER**  
 AND  
**WINDOW SHADES**  
 AND  
 UNDERTAKERS GOODS.  
 C. E. JACKSON, J. A. MONTGOMERY,  
**PIONEER**  
 STOVE AND TIN STORE  
 Sole Agents for the  
 Magee Standard Ranges, Etc.  
 ASTORIA, - OREGON.

**TAILORING.**  
**CLEANING and REPAIRING**  
 NEAT, CHEAP and QUICK, BY  
 GEORGE LOVETT,  
 Colmanus St., next Nicholas' Barber Shop.

**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.

**Barbour's IRISH FLAX THREADS**  
 Salmon Net Twine,  
 Cotton Seine Twine,  
 Cork and Lead Lines,  
 Cotton Netting, all sizes,  
 Seines made to order,  
 Flax and Cotton Twine,  
 Fishing Tackle, etc.  
**BARBOUR BROTHERS,**  
 511 Market Street, San Francisco  
**HENRY DOYLE & Co.,** Managers.

**MRS. H. A. DERBY,**  
 MASONIC HALL, - ASTORIA, OREGON.  
 Will open her new stock  
**On Thursday, May 5th, 1881.**  
 Consisting of  
 A FINE ASSORTMENT OF  
**The Josephine Seamless Kid Gloves**  
 Warranted to be the best in the market.  
 Also, a large assortment of  
**Infants Wear and Ladies Dressing Saques.**  
 A large variety of  
**NEW MILLINERY GOODS**  
 Purchased by herself  
**Hats, Bonnets, Velvets,**  
**Satins, Ribbons, Ruchings,**  
**Collars, Etc., Etc.,**  
 MAIN STREET, - ASTORIA, OREGON.

**ASTORIA IRON WORKS.**  
 BENTON STREET, NEAR PARKER HOUSE,  
 ASTORIA, - OREGON.  
**GENERAL MACHINISTS AND BOILER MAKERS.**  
 Boiler Work, Steamboat Work, and Cannery Work a specialty.  
 A. D. WASS, President.  
 J. G. HUNTLEY, Secretary.  
 I. W. CASE, Treasurer.  
 JOHN FOX, Superintendent.

**First Street Bridge Saloon.**  
 HENRY ROTHE,  
 DEALER IN FINE WINES, LIQUORS, BEER, COGNAC, and best brands of  
**KENTUCKY WHISKY,**  
 106 South First street, PORTLAND, OREGON.  
 228 Best San Francisco Pool Table on the premises.  
 P. T. BARCLAY, T. H. HATCH,  
**HATCH & BARCLAY,**  
 COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
 No. 20 California St., San Francisco, Cal.  
 LETTER HEAD PAPER,  
 PRINTED OR PLAIN, OF THE BEST quality at  
 THE ASTORIAN OFFICE.