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—Oscar Wilde is lecturing in San Francisco.

—There are no steam pilot boats in use in English waters.

—The State of California leaves Portland at nine o'clock this morning.

—35,000 cattle are being driven from Eastern Oregon to eastern markets.

—The Baker City Reveille hears that work on the Oregon Short Line railroad has been stopped.

—'Twas a close race again yesterday between the Hayward and the Fleetwood. The former tied up first.

—The Willamette has been delayed in starting from San Francisco, and is not due till to-morrow morning.

—Six million of dollars is the sum recommended by the House committee for the improvement of the Mississippi river.

—Henry Villard is reported to have said that dividends will be paid "next fall" on the Oregon Transcontinental railroad stock.

—Devil fish with arms twenty feet long are so numerous on the baks of Newfoundland that prudent men go back ten miles into the country to get drunk.

—Dakota stands no show of being admitted this session. Her presumptive Republican majority would be too strong to suit the present Congressional minority.

—Speaking of Oregon, the New York Maritime Register gravely says that "the preparation of salmon for export has long been a favorite industry with the inhabitants of that state."

—We are in receipt of a fresh consignment of Kendall's valuable books upon the ills that horse flesh is heir to —revised edition—and will sell them at 25 cents singly, or one dozen for three dollars.

—Representative George's bill for the payment of $70,000 to the state of Oregon for Modoc war expenses, has been reported favorably to the House by the military committee to whom it was referred.

—The attention of those interested in marine matters, is directed to our shipping list. THE ASTORIAN is the only paper north of San Francisco making a specialty of that with daily corrections.

—The usual Indian outbreak is reported from the Cheyenne country. 'Tis a little early: the winter rations are usually not gobbled up for a month or so yet, but the weather is probably fine enough for the regular yearly kick.

—We are informed that there is a case of small pox at one of the canneries at upper Astoria—a Chinaman. Prompt measures are necessary in this case; the matter is outside the jurisdiction of the city, and yet involves the safety of those in this vicinity.

—The Scottish Hero, which was ordered to San Francisco last Sunday, was from Bundaberg, sailing from that port Jan. 1st. The River Nith, which left Cardiff for the Columbia river Oct. 29th, touching at Mazatlan, will, upon her arrival off the bar, be also ordered to San Francisco.

—The Chinese think of evading the provisions of the bill that Congress has just passed, by becoming naturalized English citizens at Hongkong, and then emigrating here. In that case, the spirit of the bill should be given more regard than the letter, and their immigration forbidden in any guise.

—A man and wife want to get situations to take care of a mess house for cannery. Inquire at room 10, Parker House.

Another Idea.

ASTORIA, March 27, 1881.

EDITOR ASTORIAN:

So much has been said and proposed about the improvement of the mouth of the Columbia, its dangers and uncertainties have been so widely and frequently discussed, that to-day the entrace to the Columbia, instead of being a constant in, and outlet of incalculable wealth, is only the dread of shipmasters and insurance companies. The amount that it is said to be required to improve it, is immense, the different modes proposed for this improvement almost as varied in form. Now, why is it necessary to look to the mouth of the river alone for an inlet, in these days of engineering feats? Especially when it requires so much and presents so little hope of permanent improvement. I am no civil engineer, neither am I versed in the ever-changing shoals and channels of the river, but it looks to me as if years ago a natural and second channel existed to this river, and that Cape Disappointment, in place of being a peninsula, as now, was an island originally. How deep this channel was that divided it from the mainland or what caused it being filled up, can only be a conjecture. The course of the channel can easily be traced by going on the beach between McKenzies and North-head, and looking toward Bakers bay. By cutting a canal through there I think an in, and outlet could be obtained that would prove permanent and safe. The cost of this canal, I think, would hardly be one-half of the amount required now, and could be reduced by employing convict labor from Washing territory and Oregon. I have heard several shipmasters say that on coming to this river from the north, they thought the mouth of the river lay between these heads. Would it not pay those who have an interest in this matter to look into it? At any rate would like to hear the opinion of competent men on this head. PRES.

Upper Astoria Primary.

At a Democratic meeting in the Upper Astoria schoolhouse on the 25th B. Van Dusen was elected Chairman, and S. D. Adair secretary. The following gentlemen were elected delegates to the Democratic County convention to be held in Astoria April 3, 1882: Wm. B. Adair, O.O. Carter, F. Wright, A. Young, H. Van Dusen, J. Lidwell, and S. D. Adair. It was ordered that the proceedings be published, and the meeting adjourned.

Police Court.

March 25th.

Frank Nelson, drunk; fined $2 or one day in city jail.

March 28th.

L. Brown, indecent act: deposited $5, no appearance, deposit forfeited.

—The London Shipping Gazette, in a recent leading article, cites the evidence of the Captain at an inquiry concerning the loss of the Loch Awe as powerful testimony of the value of oil in quieting the sea, and refers to the similar experience of the Montrose life-boat crew, who made two careful experiments. The Gazette says: "In the case of fishing boats attached to nets on the setting in of stormy weather, a gallon or two of oil might prove the means of saving boats, gear, and crews."

Musical Instruction.

Prof. Fred. Mayer, of Switzerland, is now in the city and intends organizing a class in instrumental music. Any one who contemplates taking a course of instruction on the piano will find this a rare opportunity. Prof. Mayer may be seen at Carl Adler's bookstore.

—For rent cheap, an Organ. Apply at this office.

—"Music hath charms." See Carl Adler's accordeons; they are as big as they make 'em.

—Chas. Stevens and Son have a stock of mouldings and moulders tools which can be bought cheap for cash to close out that branch of the business.

—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.

—If you want anything in the line of books and stationery go to Adler's; the finest and largest assortment of everything in that line.

—For handsome holiday presents, such as toilet cases, cologne sets, perfumery cases, fine soaps, etc., go to Conn's drug store, opposite Occident Hotel.

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

—Hot and cold baths, the finest in the city, at the Orient Bathing Rooms, opposite Holden's auction store.

JOE. CHARTERS, Proprietor.

—New lot of songs and sheet music at Adler's.

—Parties wishing groceries, provisions or merchandise of any description, should leave their orders with A. Van Dusen & Co. as they are prepared to deliver goods in any part of the city on the shortest notice.

—Another of those fine A. B. Chase organs at the City Book Store.

—Beautiful stationery in endless variety at Carl Adlers'.

She Has a "Cause."

EDITOR ASTORIAN:

ASTORIA, March 20th, 1882.

As many of the most enlightened and conspicuous advocates of womans rights, after careful deliberation have deemed it necessary, like all organizations that are established for the accomplishment of great ends and meritorious deeds, to have some badge whereby they may recognize each other, and whereby all that see them may easily perceive that they are of that persevering and determined band of ladies that are bound to show to men and angels, good and bad, that women's intellect, courage, and perseverance is in no case superior to the lords of creation that have for so many centuries tyrannized over and abused them, and have chosen me as the one most likely to select an emblem for the badge that would give satisfaction to the sisterhood of Astoria, and eminent and scientific ladies that are engaged in this magnificent undertaking all over the world, I have carefully considered the matter, and arrive at the conclusion that no emblem or badge that I could select would better illustrate the end the ladies have in view than a mustache. A mustache is so becoming on a gentleman's lip I think it would be splendid to see a company, yes a host of ladies with mustaches, either natural or artificial, of various hues, on their upper lips. I trust there is a good time at hand, indications are very propitious and encouraging on this coast. Ladies have Chinamen to do all their slavish work, and I hope the time is not far distant when they will be able to let all men know their superiority in courage and knowledge. Was it not Eve that had the courage to pull the fruit of knowledge and give it to Adam when he was afraid to put his finger end to it, she thereby learned the beauty of clothes, and women still retain a superior taste for dress.

Before I conclude I think it due to myself to say that I do not speak ill of men without a cause, I suffered with a husband (for nearly a year) that was of no account; but thanks to the good laws of the state I have got rid of him, and if I ever get another I hope he may be of a different stamp. Respectfully yours,

MRS. NEW FASHION.

Announcement.

The National Surgical Institute of Indianapolis, with branches at Philadelphia, Atlanta, Ga., and San Francisco, which has a national reputation, will permanently establish a branch at Portland, Oregon. Two of the skilled surgeons of this institute prepared with every needed apparatus for the successful treatment of cripples will meet all the old patients and such new ones as may desire treatment, this year, at the following places: Portland, at St. Charles Hotel, April 8th, 10th and 11th; Albany, April 12th and 13th; The Dalles, April 17th; Walla Walla, April 19th and 20th; and Seattle, April 25th and 26th, and hereafter at Portland, Oregon, on the first two weeks of May and November of each year, commencing Nov. 1882.

Beware of all traveling Doctors who may claim to represent any other institute, for this is the only Surgical Institute on this coast with facilities and experience for the treatment of deformities. J. M. HINKLE, M.D.,
GEO. B. HANDY, M. D.
Surgeons in charge, National Surgical Institute, 319 Bush St., S. F.

For Rent.

A cigar stand; the fixtures are for sale. Inquire of P. H. Fox. Main street.

Eastern Oysters.

Another fine lot of Eastern Oysters just received at Roscoes, per steamer Oregon. Occident block.

—A girl wants a situation to do housework; wages fifteen dollars a month.

—A great variety of locks, hinges and screws at Jno. Montgomery's.

—Furnished or unfurnished rooms can be had at the Union Hotel.

—New stock of ready made clothing, gent's furnishing goods, hats, caps, etc., at McIntosh's New Clothing house, Occident block.

—A large consignment of the best brand Red Cross coal oil just received at Jno. Rodger's, Central Market.

—Examine the fine selection of summer suitings, overcoats, etc., at McIntosh's New Clothing House, Occident block. See ad.

—At Mrs. Lovett's Coffee Rooms, a cup of tea, coffee, or chocolate with pie or cake, ten cents. Ham and eggs. Open at any time. Entrance through Geo. Lovett's tailor shop.

—Three scow loads of dry fir, spruce limbs, and bark, just received and for sale at Gray's dock.

—Van Dusen & Co. have just received a fine lot of hats of the latest styles and patterns.

—The "Always Handy" stovepipe shelves at John A. Montgomery's.

—Frank Fabre has oysters in every style. Stew and pan roasts a specialty

—All the latest novels at Adler's.

Notice.

I have bought out the restaurant on Main street, in Boehling's building, from James White and How Hee and rented the same to James White, and will not be responsible for any debts contracted. MAX WAGNER.

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

—Music for the piano, organ, flute, violin, guitar, cornet, accordeon, banjo, fife, concertina and other instruments, just received at Adler's music store.

—No old goods on Carl Adler's shelves; everything new and inviting.

—Shiloh's Vitalizer is what you need for Constipation, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—Sleepless Nights, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—Will you suffer with Dispepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—COLDEN'S LIEBIG'S LIQUID BEEF AND TONIC INVIGORATOR will cure indigestion and perpetuate bodily vigor. *Take no other.* Of druggists.

—Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—How my throat hurts! Then why don't you use HALE'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND AND TAR? PIKE'S TOOTHACHE DROPS cure in one minute.

—Catarrh cured, health and sweet breath secured by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal Injector free. For sale by W. E. Dement.

—For lame Back, Side or Chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. For sale by W. E. Dement.

—Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure is sold by us on guarantee. It cures consumption. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—That Hacking Cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—Those writing desks at the City book store are the best in the city. They are something nice and durable, and just what most young ladies would appreciate from the giver.

—I have just received the finest assortment of fancy goods in my line ever brought to Astoria, consisting of perfumery cases, toilet sets, toilet cases fine perfumeries, fancy soaps, combs brushes, hand glasses, and toilet articles of all kinds—splendid presents for the holidays. Call and examine goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere, at J. W. Conn's drug store, opposite Occident Hotel, Astoria, Oregon.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Proposals for Military Supplies.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT
OF THE COLUMBIA,
OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,
VANCOUVER BARRACKS, W. T.,
March 20, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS, IN TRIPLICATE, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office or at the offices of the U. S. Quartermasters at the following-named posts, until 12 o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, April 19, 1882, at which places and time they will be opened in the presence of bidders, for the furnishing and delivery of military supplies during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1882, and ending June 30, 1883, as follows: Wood, Coal, Charcoal, Oats, Barley, Bran, Hay and Straw, or Hay in lieu of Straw, or such of said supplies as may be required at

Portland, Oregon.	Fort Canby, W. T.
Boise Barracks, I. T.	Fort Walla Walla, W. T.
Fort Townsend, W. T.	Vancouver Depot, W. T.
Fort Cœur d'Alene, I. T.	Fort Colville, W. T.
Cam - Spokane W. T.	Fort Klamath, Oregon.
Fort Lapwai, W. T.	Fort Stevens, Oregon.

Proposals for either class of the stores mentioned, or for quantities less than the whole required, will be received. The Government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. A preference will be given to articles of domestic production produced on the Pacific coast, conditions of price and quality being equal.

Blank proposals and printed circulars, stating the kind and estimated quantities required at each post, and giving full particulars as to the manner of bidding, amount of bond to accompany proposal, conditions to be observed by bidders, and terms of contract and payment, will be furnished on application to this office or the Quartermasters at the various posts named.

Envelopes containing proposals should be marked:—"Proposals for ——— at ———," and addressed to the undersigned, or the respective Post Quartermasters.

G. B. DANDY,
Chief Quartermaster

Proposals for Transportation.

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March 20, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS, IN TRIPLICATE, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office, and at the office of the Chief Quartermaster, Military Division of the Pacific, Presidio of San Francisco, Cal., until 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, April 19, 1882, at which time and places they will be opened in the presence of bidders, for the transportation of military supplies on the following described routes in the Department of the Columbia, during the year commencing July 1, 1882, and ending June 30, 1883:

Wagon Transportation.

ROUTE No 1.—Sprague, W. T., to Camp Spkane and Fort Colville, W. T., and from Spokane Falls, W. T., to Camp Spokane and Fort Colville, W. T.

—ROUTE No. 2.—From southern terminus of the Oregon and California R. R. to Fort Klamath, Oregon.

ROUTE No. 3.—From Pendleton, Oregon, to Boise Barracks, I. T.

Steamer Transportation.

ROUTE No 4.—For transportation of U. S. Military Supplies between Astoria and Fort Stevens, Oregon, and Fort Canby, W. T.

ROUTE No. 5.—Between Portland Oregon, and Vancouver, W. T.

Proposals for transportation on any or all of the routes above named will be received. The Government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

Blank proposals, form of contract, and printed circulars, stating the estimated quantities of supplies to be transported, and giving full information as to the manner of bidding, conditions to be observed by bidders, and terms of contract and payment, will be furnished on application to this office or to the office of the Chief Quartermaster, Military Division of the Pacific, Presidio of San Francisco, California.

Envelopes containing proposals should be marked:—"Proposals for Transportation on Route No. ———," and addressed to the undersigned.

G. B. DANDY,
Chief Quartermaster.

City Treasurer's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT all outstanding warrants or orders due by the City of Astoria, will be paid on presentation to the undersigned at his office. Interest will cease on and after this date.

J. G. HUSTLER, Treasurer.

Astoria, March 7, 1882.

—Warrantee deeds at THE ASTORIAN office.

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Men's Youth's and Boys'

Also a first-class line of

Gent's Furnishing Goods.

HATS, CAPS, etc., etc.

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Pianos and Organs

Of all makes constantly on hand. Also a full stock of

VIOLINS, GUITARS, BANJOS, ACCORDEONS, CONCERTINAS, HARMONICAS, FLUTES.

Also a large stock of the best of

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As well as everything else belonging to a First Class Music Store.

Pianos and Organs sold on the monthly installment plan, or for rent.

Carl Adler's Book Store.

The largest stock of *Blank Books and Stationery* Of every description.

School Books, Bibles, Poetical Works, Albums and Gold Pens,

Besides a full and complete stock of everything usually kept in a well regulated Book Store. Also, news depot and agency for every paper and periodical published.

CARL ADLER'S VARIETY STORE

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, Pocket and Table Cutlery, Yankee Notions and Toys, Picture Frames and Chromos, Baby Carriages, a complete assortment. Archery, etc.

New goods by every steamer. The public are invited to examine my stock and prices.

CHENAMUS ST., - ASTORIA, OREGON.

MAGNUS C. CROSBY,

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Plumbers and Steam Fitters

Goods and Tools.

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Lime, Brick, Cement and Sand.

Wood Delivered to Order.

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WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

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M. MEYER - - - - - - - - - Proprietor.

ASTORIA, - - OREGON.

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REDUCTION OF WHOLESALE PRICES.

$7 50 PER BARREL OF 30 GALLONS.

LARGE ORDERS IN LIKE PROPORTION.

Less Quantities, - - - 30 Cents per Gallon
Bottled Beer, - - - $1 50 per Dozen

Special attention paid to orders from Public Houses and Families.

THE COLUMBIA BREWERY

LAGER BEER

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JOHN HAHN, - - PROPRIETOR.

CHENAMUS STREET, - ASTORIA, OREGON.

Orders left at the GERMANIA BEER HALL will be promptly attended to.

John A. Montgomery,

(SUCCESSOR TO JACKINS & MONTGOMERY.)

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ASTORIA, - - - OREGON.

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FURNITURE AND BEDDING

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