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—The City of Chester goes to the Sound her next trip.

The State of California sails for San Francisco this morning.

—Large areas of grain are being sown in Eastern Oregon and Washington.

—The State of California arrived down at half past three yesterday afternoon.

—The Olympia Transcript reports that the real estate boom of Seattle is dying out.

—Port Townsend is to have a daily paper which appropriately appears on the 1st prox.

—When the up-country editor runs short of items, he tells of the mud and that covers everything.

—The Isle of Bute cleared yesterday: she has 50,407 bushels of wheat on board, worth $49,900.

—Commodore Glass late in charge of the Wachusett in Alaska waters goes below on leave of absence.

—H. J. Glenn, the great farmer of Colusa county, California, has over 8,000 head of cattle in Grant county.

—Regular convocation of Saints John R. A. Chapter No. 14, at Masonic Hall this Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M.

—The next steamer for San Francisco will leave Portland on Wednesday, April 5th, instead of Saturday, April 1st as advertised.

—Fine specimens of coal were brought in last Tuesday, from outcroppings discovered beyond Lewis and Clarke's river.

—The Californian for April, presents an attractive appearance, and, in addition to its usual literary merit, has several fine illustrations.

—Important real estate auction sale by E. C. Holden at eleven o'clock this morning, opposite the City Hall. For particulars see advertisement.

—The quarterly examination of school-teachers for Clatsop county begins at ten o'clock this morning in the schoolhouse, and continues till Saturday.

—There will be an entertainment and sociable in the Methodist church Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Ice cream and coffee, of Fabers make, will be served.

—The pupils of Miss Brown's department of the public school will hold a Longfellow memorial service to-morrow afternoon. Parents and friends are requested to attend.

—The Willamette is due this morning with passengers and 148 tons of freight for Astoria. The Columbia is expected to sail to-morrow in place of the Oregon, which will probably go on the dry dock to have her bottom scraped.

—The current number of the East Portland Vindicator has an alleged picture of Portland's coming depot. The picture before us looks like a big stable for a ranch, and the building that it proposes to represent would not do for a railway depot.

—There seems to be a mania for starting papers up country: one well conducted straightforward newspaper is worth more to a community than half a dozen whining little sheets that eke out a miserable existence by pandering to private prejudice.

—A correspondent of the Oregonian sensibly suggests that a new judicial district be created, to comprise the counties of Multnomah, Columbia and Clatsop. The present provision is totally inadequate for the amount of legal work required.

Republican Convention and Primary.

A Republican County Convention is hereby called to meet at the county Court House in the city of Astoria on Wednesday, the 12th day of April, 1882, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, to nominate candidates for the various county offices and to elect delegates to the Republican state convention and transact any other business that may properly come before the Convention. It is recommended that the various precincts hold their primary meetings on Saturday, the 8th day of April, 1882, to elect delegates to the County Convention. Each precinct will be entitled to the following number of delegates:

Astoria precinct	17
Upper Astoria, do	3
Lewis and Clark, do	2
Westport, do	3
Clifton, do	3
Knappa, do	3
John Day, do	2
Youngs River, do	2
Clatsop	4
Sea Side, do	2
Fish Hawk, do	2
Vesper, do	2
Mishawaka, do	2

By order County Convention.
Attest. A. S. BLAKKE, Secretary.
I. W. Case, Chairman.

Council Proceedings.

The city council met last Tuesday evening, Mayor Hahn in the chair; present — Councilmen Case, Dement, Taylor, Wright; absent—Carruthers and Spexarth. A remonstrance from teamsters from brass bands playing above West-Sixth street was read and referred to proper committee.

Report of committee on health and police was read and adopted; a communication from the Chief Engineer A. F. D., was read and referred. The city attorney was instructed to draw up an ordinance for the payment of bills of G. W. Hume, for $296.22. Councilman Wright spoke at some length on the matter of licensing sailor boarding-house runners. The subject was referred to committee on health and police. Report of committee on streets and public highways was read and adopted. A ordinance making appropriation was passed. Sundry claims were allowed, and others referred, and on motion the council adjourned till last evening when the unfinished business was disposed of.

A Man Trap.

Before the steamship Walla Walla left port, her chief engineer, Mr. Porter, left with Mr. Chas. McDonald a sufficient sum of money to give the body of David Berry (who mysteriously disappeared from the vessel several days ago) a decent burial, if recovered. Nothing whatever has been heard of the missing man, and it is generally conceded that he fell throgh some of the holes in the miserable excuse for a wharf he was compelled to pass over, and was drowned. —*Seattle Post-Intelligencer.*

Police Court.

March 29th.

Frank Albright, drunk; $2 or one day in the city jail.

Jno. Sehlin, drunk; $2 or one day in the city jail.

—The Western Belle came down yesterday.

—City Assessor E. C. Holden, requests us to remind city tax-payers that it is now time to hand in their returns, in order that the assessment roll may be commenced. If any one has been overlooked in the distribution of blanks they can obtain one by calling on the Assessor.

—The Portland Commercial Reporter calls attention to the alleged fact that a good channel is in the north side of the Columbia, opposite St. Helen's bar. Old river pilots tell us that "there's nothing in it; there was a channel there years ago, but it is not as good as the one in present use."

—Every paper that comes down the river to us has some pet nomination in its columns. The office of Supt. of Public Instruction seems to be quite a desirable billet: there are more professors than you could shake a stick at, that are "in the hands of their friends" for that position.

—We are in receipt of a paper from Maine claiming to be published the farthest east of any paper in the United States; THE DAILY ASTORIAN has a good many claims to superiority, but if there is any other daily paper published in the United States any farther west than ours we do not know of it. If news papers are any criterion to go by (and who does not know that they are,) this far-off corner of the Union is away ahead of the "down East" section.

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.

Of Public Importance.

McGRAW'S LANDING, Ogn., March 25th, 1882.

ED. ASTORIAN:

Seeing in your paper an editorial asking Congress to set aside the unearned land grant of the McMinnville and Astoria railroad, and open the same to emigrants and settlers, so that they can file homestead and preemption claims, I wish to call the attention of the public through THE ASTORIAN to the grievous fraud now being committed. If something is not done, and that speedily, the best timber, and that most convenient to the water will be all gone. Here is how 'tis done: By virtue of a claim the R. R. Co. have, they bargain the land to a settler and give him ten years to pay for it; he has to pay the first installment down, and then he gets a bond for a deed, setting forth that at the end of that time they will give him a deed for the land if they get a title to it from the government, and if they don't they'll pay back the money without interest. This is good: a man comes on, takes up the land, pays down the first little installment to a company that never did anything to entitle them to receive any money, and then he proceeds to cut off Uncle Sam's timber. After he pays the first year's money he needn't pay any more if he doesn't feel like it, and he only wants two or three years' time to clear off the timber, and the question to the government is: "What are you going to do about it?" Within ten miles of your city twelve million feet of lumber was cut last year, and a greater amount will be cut next year.

Now, Mr. Editor, as your paper is a true friend to Oregon and its people, and shows a desire to stand in for what is right, I wish you would insert these facts; and let the matter go before the public, as it may be the means of saving the government thousands of dollars. Yours truly,

WOODPECKER.

Westport Wide Awake.

WESTPORT, March 26, 1882.

EDITOR ASTORIAN:

At the Democratic Primary, held in Westport precinct, Tim Driscoll was called to the chair and Mr. W. Huffstedter was unanimously elected secretary, and Mr. L. B. Chase elected delegate to the County Convention to be held at Astoria April 3d. Mr. Chase represents two votes for this precinct. The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we cordially express our thanks to Oregon Senators and members of Congress for their aid and assistence in passing the Chinese bill. After which a vote of censure was taken for those few Democratic Senators who voted against the Democratic measure, and who are believed to have been enticed away from virtuous Democracy by the seductive influences of the Republican Senator from Massachusetts. TIM.

How Would It Sound?

When an Indian baby is born, the "Medicine man" looks out of the door, and the first object he sees furnishes the child's name. 'Tis thus that Sitting Bull, and other braves obtained their euphonious cognomens. If such were the rule in Astoria, most of the young ones would be called "Wood-on-the-sidewalk," "Boy-with-a-bad-cigar," or "Big-crowd-on-the-corner."

List of Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Post-office at Astoria, Oregon, March 30, 1882.

Anderson, N H-2	Hanlis, M S
Buckly, I	Hunttis, Jonas
Beeson, Jas B	Jolma, Laurits
Brack, Peter	Jacson, Oscar
Collund, G	Kelly, M
Corsi, Antonia	Morris, Miss Belle
Cochran, E F	Marceo, Carro
Devege, Christ'f	Morrin, Pierre
Ekland, C	Noble, Lou
Ebra, Lann	Pirkala, Johan
Feenan, Jas	Scammon, G N
Fredrikson, Louise	Studley, Simon
Freeborn, R D	Untmen, Peter
Gerow, Miss A	Zellippo, Matteo

Persons calling for these letters must give the date they are advertised.

W. CHANCE, P. M.

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.

—"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.

Knappa Items.

EDITOR ASTORIAN:

I am visting Knappa and send some facts relative to the place, which may not be uninteresting to your readers. Knappa lies about eighteen miles from Astoria on the Oregon side of the river, on a slough. It has a very fine landing and covered wharf, owned by A. Knapp. There some seven logging camps in this vicinity, having their commercial, social and religious center at Knappa. It has a fine agricultural region in the rear, with some thirty or forty farms and three good schools well supplied with children and teachers. Good coal has been discovered about a mile from the landing, which it is the intention of enterprising parties to develop this summer. New dwellings are going up, and I understand it is the intention of the Presbyterians who have just organized, to build a church soon. It needs this very much, as its only public building at present is a hall, which is far more accommodating than commodious, serving the triple purpose of a store-room, ball-room and church. In this hall we had service last Sunday at 2 o'clock, a large congregation being present. Before service Mr. A. Baker, a logger, was united in matrimony to Mrs. Lewis, and after service a temperance prohibition petition was circulated amongst the audience, which received over 70 names. Mr. Knapp says it is his intention to build a sawmill at the wharf this season, which is very much needed to supply lumber for building purposes at home, and which will help in many ways to build up the town. ASTORIAN.

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, Oragon. 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.

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

—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'.

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

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

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—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.

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

Rooms to Rent.

Anyone who wants a nicely furnished room in a pleasant locality can be accommodated at Mrs. Denny Curran's, near the Congregational church.

—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.

—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, combsl 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.

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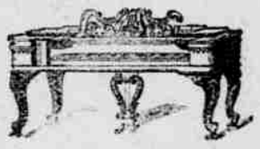

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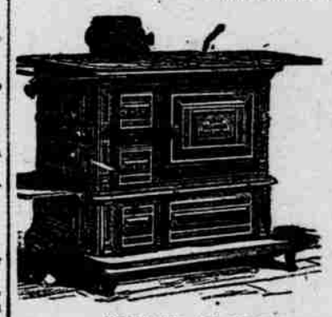

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