

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON: WEDNESDAY, JULY 18, 1883

The State sailed yesterday afternoon.

The Eveke sails to-day for the far north.

F. W. Stechhan was in the city on a flying visit yesterday.

East Portland has petitioned its council for a steam fire engine.

Boroth & Johns advertise fishing boats and cannery site for sale.

The Salem Statesman has been sold to W. H. Byars, state printer.

Chas. H. Williamson & Co., have real estate and spiles for sale. See adv.

The next term of the circuit court for this county begins August 7th.

It is thought that Eastern Washington's wheat surplus will be 200,000 tons this year.

James Patterson, a Salem miller, suicided last Monday night. Bad whisky did it.

The Gen. Miles left for Gray's Harbor yesterday. She goes to Tillamook on the 28th inst.

F. N. Getchell and J. F. Barrows, are in the city. They return to Parkersburg this week.

A. Noltner, proprietor of the Portland Standard, was a passenger on yesterday's outgoing steamer.

The Kate E. Troop, now due at this port, is reported chartered to load salmon for Liverpool at 55 shillings.

The California Grocer and Canner has entered upon its fifth year. It is a good trade journal and seems free from bias in its statements.

The Ocean Grove property recently placed in the hands of Boroth & Johns, of this city, was yesterday disposed of at advantageous figures.

On Monday evening next, Sol Smith Russell will appear at Occidental Hall as "Tom Dilloway" in "Edgewood Folks," supported by a talented company. Reserved seats at the New York Novelty Store.

The attention of many has been attracted to the white spots on the new Odd Fellows' building. Dr. Jos. Leidy, president of the Academy of Natural Sciences, says: "The efflorescence is simply Epsom salts, or sulphate of magnesia."

The C. Southard Holbert is finishing her cargo of salmon for New York at Kinney's yard. She will be loaded by Friday. The Alice was putting on 2,000 cases from the Ocean Canning company, yesterday; to-day goes on 2,500 from the Astoria Packing Co., 3,000 from the Anglo-American, 1,000 from Point Adams, and 2,000 from the L. X. L.

There is a report regarding the placing of another vessel on berth to load salmon for New York. Such will probably be done, if sufficient freight can be guaranteed. The rate would doubtless be low, and it would certainly be a good idea for those who have more fish on their hands than they can dispose of, to put it into marketable shape and sent it east.

Tiger Engine Company No. 2, of Salem, have passed resolutions requesting the board of directors of the Firemen's Association of Oregon to reopen proceedings by which decision was rendered in contest between them and Linn Engine Company No. 2, of Albany, relative to trial of steam fire engines at the recent tournament, and to grant them a hearing relative thereto.

We are in receipt of a communication from a resident of Barneys Point, in which said resident wants it distinctly understood that the goods recently captured at that point were brought there by Astorians, taken away by Astorians, claimed by Astorians, doubtless owned by Astorians, and that Barney's Point and its dwellers should be freed from all implication therein.

Postmasters are directed by the department to advise the public that in sending newspapers, books, pamphlets and other articles by mail to foreign countries, or to distant points within the United States, the address should always be placed on the articles inclosed as well as on their wrappers. Should the wrappers become detached, as they frequently do, through the friction and movement incident to mail transportation by sea or land, it will still be possible to deliver the article if this precaution is taken. Persons to whom such packages are regularly sent from Europe, and other places abroad, should advise their correspondents to adopt the above suggestions.

Rheumatism. Positively cured by wearing the Duplex Galvanic Belt. Dr. Mitchell, Astor House.

Rupture. Cured in from 60 to 90 days. Pacific Electric Pad Truss. The greatest invention of the 19th century. Dr. Mitchell, agent, at the Astor House, Astoria.

New Buildings.

It is the intention of the Clatsop Mill Co., to begin this season the erection of a two story building, fifty feet wide, and one hundred and twenty-five feet long. The building will be of brick, with a stone foundation, with accommodation for six stores, two facing on Cushing Court, two on West 9th and two on Water street.

Public School Teachers. At a meeting of public school directors, district No. 1, held last Monday the following teachers were elected for the ensuing school year: Mrs. Florence Martin, principal, \$100; Miss Carrie Fields, assistant, \$75; Miss Kate Connolly, \$70; Miss Dora Badollette, \$65; Mrs. Ella Habersham, \$60.

The Cathedral at Cologne is completed. It was begun in 1248. There is hope yet for the Skipanon road.

Holden's auction sale at 10:30 a. m. to-day. Before the sale of clothing commences, a small lot of second hand furniture, including two lounges and nearly new carpet, will be disposed of.

After September 1st, eastern mail for Oregon, Washington Territory, British Columbia and Alaska will come by the Northern Pacific to Portland, instead of via Sacramento, Redding and thence overland, an arrangement which makes a great reduction of time.

The case of Messrs. Wiseman & Constance, and Robt. Wilgren, charged with violation of ordinance 172, came up in the police court yesterday. In each case the jury summoned brought in a verdict of guilty, and the judge imposed a fine of fifty dollars and costs.

No. 2's engine was out last evening testing some new hose. Three simultaneous streams were thrown, and the test appeared to be a very satisfactory one. The hose is very strong, and from its peculiar construction, being made of braided cotton with rubber lining, lies flat on the reel.

On the Sacramento river the salmon run is just sufficient to admit of packers keeping their doors open, though all claim to be losing money. Sacramento salmon, river packed, are in strong hands, having been purchased by two firms, and are being held for full figures, although small lots are changing hands. There is quite a movement in these goods, but we doubt if it represents actual sales at the figures mentioned. We are rather of the opinion that they are being shipped to the various distributing centers for a future market. Prices show no change from previous quotations.—California Grocer and Canner.

For some time past the woods near the White House have been set on fire rather mysteriously about every week and large quantities of cordwood burned besides tons upon tons of charcoal belonging to the Oswego Iron Co. Efforts were made in vain for a long time to find out how the fires originated, but until this week in vain, when it was discovered that Chinamen had been quietly burning the wood as fast as they cut it so as to prolong their job through the winter, well knowing that the company would be obliged to have wood and were paying a good price for the cutting of it.—East Portland Vindicator.

The Fishermen's Friend. Crowds of fishermen are leaving us every steamer, some sad over their poor luck, some elated with well filled pockets of hard-earned dollars, most of them well dressed and provided for; they call on their friend, M. D. Kant, the Dress Merchant Tailor and Clothier, and get an outfit from head to foot. They all know very well what they are doing; they get the best of goods at the lowest prices, and have the finest assortment of clothing, furnishing goods, boots and shoes, hats and caps, trunks and valises, to select from. He is getting in new goods on every steamer and sells them at bed-rock prices.

Look out for the auction sale at Sheriff O'Neil's.

Chronic Diseases. Male and female, cured in a few weeks by wearing the Duplex Belt. Call and see Dr. Mitchell at the Astor House. Consultation and advice free.

West Shore West Shore. The West Shore for June; splendid illustrations of Astoria; just the number to send away. One thousand copies at Car's Advertiser's.

Woodcutters Wanted. I wish to contract with parties to cut from 200 to 500 cords of wood. Apply to JAS. BELL, Upper Astoria.

For a Neat Fitting Boot Or Shoe, go to P. J. Goodmans, on Chenamus street, next door to I. W. Case. All goods of the best make and guaranteed quality. A full stock; new goods constantly arriving. Custom work.

If you want extra nice Jellies and Marmalades go to A. M. JOHNSON & Co.'s.

Take notice of Sheriff O'Neil's new advertisement.

Over \$4,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry on the revolving stand in the window of Hansen's jewelry store. Come around and see them flash in the sunlight.

Next Monday the commencement of the great auction sale at Sheriff O'Neil's bankrupt store.

The digestive organs weakened and worn out by using cathartic medicines, restored by using Brown's Iron Bitters.

All the patent medicines advertised in this paper, together with the choicest perfumery, and toilet articles, etc. can be bought at the lowest prices, at J. W. Con's drug store, opposite Occidental hotel, Astoria.

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

THE SALMON SEASON OF 1883

An Unsatisfactory year for the Canneries.

But thirteen days of the present fishing season remain, and there is not the remotest probability that in the minds of any one of the thirty-eight canners exists any desire to fish beyond the limit prescribed. Indeed, it is a question what the inducement is to can now, except it be the sudden influx and correspondingly low price. Many of the canneries contemplate closing, and it would seem as though nothing but the force of habit kept them running this week. It is probable that the close of the present week will see the end of the season as far as canning is concerned.

The present season has been most singular in every respect. Starting with an unprecedented amount of gear, with a most unfavorable market, an inability to effect satisfactory sales, and a general belief in a short catch, the canneries have throughout been in a most unsatisfactory position. The price of fish was set at the start at a figure considerably in advance of the price paid last season. This had the effect of bringing up sufficient fishermen from the Sacramento to catch during May and June all that came into the river; during these months an attempt was made more than once to lower the prices, those who had their all in the business being unable to see how the high price of the raw material and the low price of the marketable article left any margin for profit. From seventy-five cents to one dollar was paid for fish, and all that has been packed up to recently, cost, on an average, ninety cents a fish.

Up to June 15th it was believed by many that the pack would not exceed 400,000 cases; probably it would be just as well, taking everything into consideration, had events made good the prophecy. But the increased number of canneries and the extraordinary diligence manifested in catching the fish ran the figures up rapidly, so that on the 1st of this month, there was 340,500 cases reckoned as being put up; the pack for the season of '82, to same date being reckoned at 292,012. From the way the salmon have been coming in since the 1st inst., more especially during the last week, it is evident that the pack will be fully up to last season's figures; should the canneries all run to their full capacity to the 1st of August, this seasons pack will exceed that of '82.

It is not their intention. The general idea seems to be to fill all the cans on hand, or at least to use up all the tin plate in stock. Several of the canners have refused fish this week, except to a certain limit. Others, who are short of cans, take a specified number, and when they are disposed of spend the remainder of the day in making cans.

The extraordinary run of this month has not been equalled in size and numbers since 1879. It has been no uncommon thing for fishermen to bring in a hundred to the boat, and of course, the price at once fell. Since Monday, fish have been selling at figures far below what would have been looked upon as a fair price twenty days ago. Thirty cents, and from that to fifty, has been the figure, and on yesterday's steamer went large crowd of fishermen who refused to catch at those prices.

The state of affairs is very unsatisfactory. A man who has invested a large amount of capital, and who has been filling his cans with ninety cent fish all the season, can not feel very complacent over matters when they come swarming in now in such numbers as to exceed the capacity of the canneries to dispose of them, and at the same time the question in his mind whether it is best to keep on even on thirty cent fish, or to knock off altogether, and quit for the season. We do not wholly agree in the opinion that the knowledge that there is an unusual pack on the Columbia river this season is going to keep the price of fish down. The market for salmon both in this country and in England, depends, of course, primarily, on the price at which it leaves the house of the retailer, but it depends in a greater degree, upon the demand. In this particular, fortunately for our staple, the demand is a growing one. A good many exaggerated reports have been made concerning the large stocks now on hand in England. These stocks are not as large as represented, and it will be the 1st of November before this season's pack reaches England. The large percentage which, this season, goes on consignment, renders this an important item in its final disposition. Of course to those who have made sales, the matter is final.

The present result of the season that is now closing will have great influence on future business. It demonstrates the fact that the salmon are not "giving out," for no bigger or better salmon have ever been caught in the Columbia than are now heading up stream to spawn. It will tend to legitimate the business and make it partake more of the nature of usual lines of trade than has heretofore been characteristic. The time has gone by when a man could make a fortune in one season on the Columbia river, but the time will never be when by the same care and diligence applied to ordinary branches of trade, a man cannot make money. That the business is now overdone is evident.



Positive and Peremptory AUCTION SALE!

Dry Goods, Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Millinery, Etc., By E. C. HOLDEN, AUCTIONEER,

Sheriff O'Neil's Bankrupt Store, Commencing Monday Afternoon From 2 to 4 o'clock, and in the evening from 7 to 9 o'clock, Continuing till Further Notice. STORE TO LET. SHOW CASES, ETC., FOR SALE.

Steamer Days. Following is a resume of sailing dates for ocean steamers for July, steamers leaving Astoria and San Francisco every three days:

FROM ASTORIA TO SAN FRANCISCO: Columbia, Friday 20 Oregon, Friday 27 Queen, Monday 23 State, Monday 27 Oregon, Thursday 20 Columbia, Thursday 27 State, Sunday 23 Queen, Sunday 27

A Card. EDITOR ASTORIAN: It has been stated in the newspapers and repeated on the streets, that two of the parties who were, as we believe justly, flogged by the citizens' committee, were Italians, and being of that nationality, we decidedly object to having our countrymen accused of a crime for which they are in no-wise responsible. We have taken pains to ascertain the names and nativity of the castigated individuals, and we have found, and wish the public to know, that they were not Italians. It has become a common practice, to attribute to our countrymen almost every crime committed on the Columbia river; this has undoubtedly been thoughtlessly done, without considering the influence of it. Now we, by which is meant the Italians of this community, are as much in favor of maintaining the law as the best and most law-abiding citizens, among which we claim to rank, and when any contrivance of ours is guilty of any crime let him be punished for it, and you will find us ever ready to assist in maintaining the law and preserving order, but before any crime is charged against us, be sure that we are responsible for it.

I Know Whereof I Speak. For I have used it extensively. I regard Parker's Ginger Tonic a most excellent remedy for kidney, lung and stomach disorders. It invigorates without intoxicating. J. Francis, Religio Philos. Journal, Chicago.

A Sufferer from Rheumatism. I limped about for years with a cane, and could not bend down with out excruciating pain. Parker's Ginger Tonic effected an astonishing cure and keeps me well. It is infallible. M. Gifford, Binghamton, N. Y.

Important Notice to Fishermen and Others. "JEFF" the CHOP HOUSE, will give you the BEST 25-cent meal in town ready-made by the week, \$5. in advance. Meals at any hour, day or night.

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

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.

A dressing to beautify gray hair every family needs. Parker's Hair Balsam never fails to satisfy.

Have Wistar's balsam of wild cherry always at hand. It cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, whooping cough, croup, influenza, consumption, and all throat and lung complaints. 50 cents and \$1 a bottle.

Will you suffer with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vinidizer is guaranteed to cure you. 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.

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

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SOLID GOLD JEWELRY, BRACELETS, Scarf Pins, Chains, Watches, SILVERWARE, Of every description. The finest stock of Jewelry in Astoria. 257 All goods warranted as represented. GUSTAV HANSEN, JEWELER.

To Lease. FOR A TERM OF YEARS, 2 LOTS ON the N. E. corner of block 42, Main and Jefferson streets, McClure Astoria. Apply to M. ROGERS.

Notice. I HAVE THIS DAY SOLD A HALF INTEREST in the business of salubaking to Mr. J. Hess, of this city. Mr. Hess has been with me in the capacity of foreman for a number of years and is fully competent in all the branches of salubaking. Hereafter the business will be carried on in the firm name of the Astoria Salt-loft, J. Hess & Co., proprietors.

Take Notice. THE UNDERSIGNED, HEREBY NOTIFY the public of Astoria, if there is any claim against the undersigned, the claimant please come forward before the 1st of August, and present said claim as I am going to take a trip to Washington, D. C. G. GILBERT.

Lost. A PASS-BOOK WITH THE HIBERNIA A. Savings and Loan Society of San Francisco, in the name of Frank O. Nelson, No. 85,557. Finder will please return to Bank. 14-21

Notice. ALL PERSONS KNOWING THEMSELVES indebted to the Astoria Salt-loft will please call and settle before the 10th of this month, as I have sold a half interest in the business to J. Hess, of this city, and I want to get my accounts straightened up. Yours respectfully, A. M. JOHNSON, Saltmaker.

C. H. COOPER, GENERAL MERCHANDISE. THE IXL The Leading Dry Goods and Clothing House of Astoria. LACE CURTAINS, I have just received a large consignment of Lace Curtains, and Curtain Materials, in the newest designs, and would invite an inspection from intending purchasers, confident that for rarity and Low Prices NO SUCH VALUE HAS EVER BEEN OFFERED IN ASTORIA. Silks and Dress Goods, We are showing on our Centre Counters a collection of the most elaborate and richest Goods ever shown in this City, AT REMARKABLE LOW PRICES. All Silk Rhadamens, Drap D'Almas, All Silk Foulards, Wool Surrahs, All Silk Ottomans, Satin Soleils, Etc., Etc. CLOAKS, We are now showing the Largest and most Elegant Line of Ladies' Cloaks and Wraps ever brought to this City. Black Dolmans, Trimmed with Lace, Fringes, and Gimp. Black Silk Dolmans, Lined and Trimmed with Guipure Lace and Gimp. Fine Brocaded Satin Dolmans, Handsomely Trimmed with Chenille Fringe. Walking Jackets, Mantles, Ulsters and Dusters. Shetland Shawls, Evening Shawls, Wool Shawls, All Sizes and Colors.

CLOTHING AND GENTS FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENT. We are showing, without doubt, the largest, and most complete stock of Mens', Youths', and Boys' Clothing ever brought to Astoria AT EXTREMELY LOW PRICES. Largest Stock, Finest Goods, and Lowest Prices in Astoria. C. H. COOPER, KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS BUILDING, ASTORIA.

OCCIDENT STORE. Having received the most complete line of Gents Furnishing Goods ever opened in Astoria, I shall offer to buyers the choicest Neck wear, Underwear, Dress Shirts, Fancy Shirts, White Vests, Linen Dusters, Alpaca, Coats, etc., etc. At the Very Lowest Prices! The Largest Assortment of Straw Hats, All the leading styles in Soft, Stiff and Flexible Hats. Full stock of Clothing, including fine Prince Albert Coats in Black and Blue. The Tailoring department comprises the largest stock of imported Cloths, Cassimeres, Worsted, Tweeds, etc. D. A. MCINTOSH, The Leading TAILOR, CLOTHIER, HATTER and GENTS FURNISHER.

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