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Around the City.

Don't forget the lecture to-night.

Tacoma has a German newspaper.

Cardwell, of Jacksonville, weighs 295 pounds.

Wheeler & Robb have sold the *News* route to O. B. Thomas.

The head office of the O. R. & Co. has been moved to Boston.

The *Sea King* crossed out yesterday, The *Carrie Winslow* sails to-day.

Thin cakes of ice floated in the river yesterday and the attendant gelidity was manifest.

The *Kate and Anna*, Capt. Lutjens commanding, arrived in yesterday afternoon from Yaquina.

The *Banca* cleared for Queenstown yesterday afternoon with 57,545 bushels of wheat worth $62,149.

The funeral of Mrs. Halberson will take place from her late residence at one o'clock this afternoon.

At 10:30 to-morrow morning E. C. Holden will have his regular Saturday auction sale of furniture, etc.

The general health of the city is not very good. This cold, dry weather is provocative of pulmonary trouble.

Among the *Carrie Winslow's* cargo are 278 cases of canned halibut, shipped to South America by A. W. Berry, of this city.

Patrick Keefe has been indicted by the U. S. grand jury for murder, in shooting and killing Wm. Morton, in Alaska, last December.

What is the difference between Seth Green and Jay Gould? Give it up? One stocks the waters and the other waters the stocks.

THE WEEKLY ASTORIAN, in stamped wrappers, ready for mailing, published this morning; full of news and home happenings; price ten cents.

The *Carrie Winslow* cleared for Montevideo yesterday. Her cargo was grown and loaded in Clatsop county, and is composed of fish and lumber.

John J. Murphy, of Salem, has been appointed U. S. Postoffice Inspector, in the place of Ben Simpson, of East Portland, who has held the office for several years.

The term "Webfoot" is generally applied in a metaphorical sense, but it is a fact that there are two lusty boy babies in this city between whose toes is an elastic tissue much resembling the webs on the feet of a—gull.

It is the intention of the enterprising Cushing Post No. 14, G. A. R., to organize a "Ladies Relief Corps," which, wherever established, has been found to be an invaluable adjunct to the social well-being of the post.

There is already some political stir in the state. Of this section one thing can be predicated with absolute surety—viz. that this county will look for greater numerical representation on the tickets to be voted in June than on former ones.

The meeting of those interested in the Clatsop road will be in the court house at two o'clock this afternoon. It is a matter of great importance to those who have the interests of the place at heart and by a little effort that contemplated thoroughfare may be made an established success.

Miss Helen Spaulding lectures at Liberty hall this evening on "The Higher Education of Woman." The hall will be comfortably warmed. The lecture is well spoken of by those who have heard it, the purpose is a most worthy one, and the fair lecturer will doubtless have a large audience.

With a view to smoothing the way as much as possible, Col. Spadden, our genial county clerk, signifies his willingness to issue marriage certificates free to all young ladies who apply for them. This being leap year, and St. Valentine's Day being so near, the Col.'s offer should certainly prove additional inducement to help on the good work.

Yesterday was about as near perfect as days ever get on this mundane sphere. The air was remarkably clear and just cold enough to make brisk walking a pleasure. So clear was the atmosphere that tree trunks and limbs, on Scarborough head, nine miles away were plainly discernible. The sun shone bright and warm, and the streets were filled with people. Thus far but little rain has fallen in February.

Judge Briscoe, of Ilwaco, who was in the office yesterday renewing his subscription to THE ASTORIAN, in speaking of the late disastrous fire by which he lost his house and many articles of value, said he was glad "it was no worse." That there were several hundred cartridges which exploded during the fire, and had one of these injured any member of the family it would have indeed occasioned cause for mourning; which is, after all, the most philosophic view to take of the matter.

WAYWARD YOUTH.—A girl came into the *Vindicator* office a few days ago and asked us to tell her the whereabouts of her beau who went to Astoria two years ago and had not been heard from since. He is probably in the refrigerator at Salem, as an East Portlander will not stay in Astoria for over six months at a stretch unless he dies and is buried there. —*East Portland Vindicator.*

Sorry to hear such a bad account of the East Portland youth, but some fish will fry that way.

Steamer Days for February.

From San Fran.		From Astoria.	
Columbia	9	State	11
Oregon	14	Columbia	16
State	19	Oregon	21
Columbia	4	State	26
Oregon	29	Columbia, Mar.	2
State, Mar.	5	Oregon	7

Always Hopeful.

"Hello, Blinks," exclaimed the editor, as a seedy-looking individual shambled into the office.

"What's on foot, now?"

"Why, you see, sir," replied Blinks, "I am about to start another paper, and" —

"Another one?" queried the editor; "what has become of the *Tornado*?"

"Busted."

"And the *Tomahawk* and the *Cyclone*, and half a dozen others?"

"Gone up, gone up," sadly replied the projector of the ephemeral publications.

"So you are going to start a new one, are you? Humph! Well, I'll see what I can do for you. What is this paper to be?"

"I thought, as the other ones didn't pay," murmured Blinks, "I thought I'd start a subscription paper this time."

Rich, Rare and Racy

Are the Valentines at Carl Adler's. The finest in the city.

The delicious Crescent Creamery Butter for sale at Wyatt & Thompson's.

"Jeff's" is the liveliest place in town.

AT HOME AND ABROAD.

Portland's tax list foots up $152,563.

"What shall we do with our boys?" troubles Portland.

Lebanon roughs rotten egg ministers holding revival meetings.

The senate committee has reported favorably on the Chinese bill.

Heavy snows in the Sierra Nevadas blockade Central Pacific trains.

A post mortem in Boston showed that Wendell Phillips died of heart disease.

California farmers say it has rained enough and ask for a chance to sow spring wheat.

At the Coos Bay coal mines miners are paid one dollar a ton for mining coal and they say it is not enough.

Parnell disagrees with Queen Vic. concerning her statements in relation to Ireland, and demands the right of free speech.

At Seattle last Wednesday Sullivan met another "champion," Jas. Lang, and knocked him out twice when Lang gave up. Time seven seconds.

Vice President Oakes says that the Northern Pacific Railroad Company's branch roads cost $15,000 per mile, instead of $40,000 as charged.

Woman suffrage is receiving a boom in Marion county. The improbable rumor is circulated that James G. Blaine will stump Oregon for the cause next May.

The most exaggerated reports come from the Coeur d'Alene mines. Fifty dollar nuggets are lying around everywhere. The suffering will begin next month.

The U. S. navy gets $14,329,196 for the current year. The fact that there is no United States navy will in no way interfere with the expenditure of the above amount.

From the roof of the new Central school house says the Tacoma *Ledger*, can be counted eighty-six buildings in course of construction, and lumber delivered on the ground for a number of buildings about to be erected.

The *Talk* has heard that there is a surveying party in the mountains in the eastern part of Marion County, surveying a line for a proposed railroad through to the valley, from some point on the Utah Short Line. They sent to Portland a few days ago for guides to show them through the various passes.

The report of a sale of property at Port Orford to Gould was premature. Negotiations have been going on with eastern capitalists for the sale to them of a large water frontage and other property, but it is not yet consummated. The object is to connect Port Orford, which has a good summer harbor, by rail with the Oregon and California railroad.

The railroad newspapers in California say that California and Oregon railroad, now being extended northward from Redding, will not be completed to the state line if the land grant of the road be declared forfeited by congress. The Central Pacific people, since agreeing to meet the Oregon road at the state line, have made little progress in construction, but appear to be preparing for a rapid work next season.

A proposal has been made to the senate committee to amend all forfeiture bills, by providing that all lands alleged to be forfeited shall be sold by the companies at $1 25 per acre, and that the companies shall have five years to dispose of all of said lands. At the end of five years all land not sold to actual settlers is to revert to the government. This compromise is offered on behalf of railroad corporations affected.

An agent of Sisson & Crocker has been in Portland after Chinese to work on the railroad north of Redding. It is asserted that the C. P. managers want to put 10,000 men at work on the road in the spring. The Shasta *Courier* says twenty miles of the O. & C. railroad above Redding has been accepted by the government commissioners. The stage and teaming will probably not be changed from Redding to Sacramento Bridge until the track reaches that point, which will be about July, or as soon as the big tunnel No. 4 is completed.

A number of the leading anti-monopolists of the Willamette valley have been session in Salem this week. Hon. M. Wilkins, of Linn county is chairman. Judges R. P. Boise and B. F. Bonnam of Marion, Joseph Gaston of Multnomah county, and D. M. Dunbar of Washington county, are a committee to draft a platform. Speeches were made by Judges Boise and Bonham, Dunbar, Smith, Myers, Davidson, Robertson, Clark, E. O. Norton, Cooper and others. Letters were read from Enoch Hoult of Linn, Roscoe Knox of Lane, August C. Kinney of Clatsop, and others endorsing the movement. A state executive committee is to be appointed, and an address to the people of Oregon issued.

Available assets of the Oregon and Transcontinental Company are likely to be diminished about $2,000,000 by the recent discovery of a clause in our state statutes in reference to mortgages. It is the existence of this clause that has interfered with the placing of the $15,000,000 general mortgage ponds of the O. R. and N. Co., with Baring Bros., and the same clause causes a defect in the second mortgage bonds of the O. and C. R. Co., which were also issued since the passage of the law. The O. and T. contracted some time ago to build the O. and C. Railway, taking and placing on the market the bonds of the latter company in payment. There are now about $2,000,000 of these bonds in the treasury of the O. and T., and as they were issed under the defective general mortgage law, they are not negotiable.

Blacksmith Wanted.

A blacksmith capable of doing general work is wanted at Skipanon. Apply to E. M. Grimes, or C. A. Maguire, Skipanon.

Boats for Sale.

Joe Leathers has two fine boats for sale at the boat shop, one block west of Hansen Bros.' mill.

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.

WHAT! do you think that **JEFF OF THE CHOP HOUSE** gives you a meal for nothing and a glass of something to drink? "Not much!" but he gives a better meal and more of it than any place in town for 25 cents. He buys by the wholesale and pays cash. "That settles it."

Use Dimmitt's Cough Balsam.

W. W. Batterton, Columbia, Mo., says: "I cannot say too much for Dimmitt's Cough Balsam, for it always cures my children of croup and myself and family of coughs and colds." At W. E. Dement & Co.'s.

Fine Dress Goods.

A splendid line of ladies dress goods is being displayed at the Empire store.

Extra Quality of Coal Oil

By the gallon, five gallon can or case, to be found at the Crockery store of Jordan & Bozorth.

For Sale.

A one-half interest in a good, paying business, in this city. For particulars inquire at this office.

—Roscoe Dixon's new eating house is now open. Everything has been fitted up in first-class style, and his well known reputation as a caterer assures all who like good things to eat, that at his place they can be accommodated.

Sick Headache, Pain in the Back and Limbs, Biliousness, Blotches, Boils and Pimples entirely cured by Wm. Pfunder's Oregon Blood Purifier.

OPINIONS, ORTHODOX AND OTHERWISE.

The depreciation of the price of lumber on this coast is a slam at the local prosperity of the Northwest that far surpasses in its effects the decline in railroad stocks.—*Hesperian.*

It will be tolerably difficult to understand how John Muir can earn $15,000 a year, as president or manager of the Oregon Improvement Company. A good clerks, as capable, would be glad to do the work for $2,000 a year.—*Standard.*

In the case of the projected line to Astoria, we are of opinion that the grant is justly liable to forfeiture on the ground of absolute nonfulfilment of the terms of contract, and the manifest absence of any wish on the part of the corporation to meet its obligations in the premises. But, in the case of the Cascade division of the Northern Pacific road the case is very different.—*Seattle Herald.*

He who destroys the American farm life, will destroy the fountains of republican institutions. The tendency of city life is to monopoly, oligarchy, and monarchy. But for these hundred years our farms have given enough of their honest sturdy sons, and strong, beautiful daughters to the cities to keep up a respectable show of physical energy, business activity and political integrity.—*W. W. Statesman.*

Nothing, except, perhaps, the love of a sweet young woman, will fire the blood and intoxicate the reason and enthusiasm of a man, like a hundred dollar gold nugget. He will forget that a quail on toast is better than eleven in the bush; he will sacrifice his business, his quiet social life and all its pleasures, sneer at cold and thirst and hunger, defy all kinds of danger, in a word there isn't much a man won't do to get where hundred dollar nuggets of gold may be picked up as he strolls about.—*Standard.*

"For 50 years I have heard of nothing but decay, and I have seen nothing progress," said Macaulay. The remark is applicable to this country. Ever since the war there has been a cry that the country was being ruined by the Republicans, and yet the figures show largely increased wealth, a public debt greatly reduced and peace within our borders. There is a slight lull in business, but when compared with the stagnation of trade in England, France and Germany, it is nothing.—*Coast Mail.*

The Boston *Traveller* defines "an independent newspaper" as "one that sells the use of its columns to any party for money," and a "party organ" as "one that vigorously and consistently upholds the principles of one party." Well, that kind of definition is cheap and easy, and just as unanswerable as it would be to define "an honest man" as "one who will not lie for less than ten dollars," and "a rascal" as "one who doesn't often get a good price for lying." It is a kind of definition worthy of those who hold that "every man has his price" and that every woman is likewise—but whoever declares such a belief merely affixes a brand to his own forehead, whereby all who can understand human nature may know his character at once.—*East Portland Vindicator.*

Morrison's tariff bill will satisfy nobody who cares about the tariff question. Free traders will reject it because it utterly ignores scientific principles of fiscal reform; protectionists will repudiate it because it will appear to them as a blow aimed at their interests, and independent criticism will fall upon it, both because it is manifestly only a paltry expedient for the presidential year, and because it is a confession on the part of its authors of inability or want of courage to deal with the subject in detail. It is not probable that the bill will become a law, since it can hardly pass the senate, even if it passes the house; but the presidential contest will be made upon it all the same. The Democratic party cannot defend so shallow a measure, and will go to the wall.—*Oregonian.*

There is a right way and a wrong way to get rid of an obnoxious law. One is manly and honorable, the other sneaking and cowardly. The Democratic party, by its organs and through its recent act in the displacement of Pendleton by Payne, in Ohio, is avowedly hostile to the civil service law. This being the fact, the right way—the manly and honorable course for that party to pursue—is plainly to recant its previously loudly avowed convictions, "take the bull by the horns" and repeal that hateful bar to enjoyment of the spoils which it hopes to secure by victory next November. But the Democratic party is cowardly in instinct, and in practice a trimmer. It fears to grapple with any prominent question lest by so doing it jeopardize success. It has no convictions; or, if it has pronounced opinions, courage is lacking to exemplify them by acts.—*Seattle Post-Intelligencer.*

WHY MAN IS LIKE A FISH.

A man is like a fish indeed,
He drinks like one and loves the weed;
His joys a bait when he is caught
In scaly weights. His lines are taut
In schools officious where they say,
Both fear the rod, but hook-ey play.
Fishes and men both go in seine;
'Tis swimmin' makes them that is plain.
Fishes spawn ova coats; men too;
And when in pools they both shake cue.
Both run for offish at the poles—
Then up Salt River go in shoals.
Fish go to sea: men see to go
To "bars" for Vichy water, oh!
Both like to lie on warm spring beds
And wave soft billows for their heads,
And neither one will make a "rise"
Until they're forced to by the "flies."
Both men and fish have fishy tales;
Both lie in wait when in the scales.
From frying-pans right in the fire
The fishes jump and never tire;
So likewise does a fishous man
Who thinks this world a frying-pan.

At the Empire Store

You will find the finest laces and embroideries, of richest quality.

Corsets and Underwear.

All the latest makes and styles of corsets and ladies underwear at Prael Bros.' Empire store.

Hosiery, Hosiery, Hosiery!

The latest novelties in ladies and childrens hosiery at Prael Bros'.

Notice.

—Dinner at "JEFF'S" CHOP HOUSE every day from 4:30 to 8 o'clock. The best 25-cent meal in town; soup, fish, seven kinds of meats, vegetables, pie, pudding, etc. A glass of S. F. Beer, French Claret, tea or coffee included. All who have tried him say Jeff is the "BOSS."

—Are you made miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure. For sale by W. E. Demeat.

Brace up the whole system with Kidney of the Blood. See Advertisement.

—For Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—The Rev. Geo. H. Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." Sold by W. E. Dement

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

—A Nasal Injector free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy Price 50 cents. Sold by W. E. Dement

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

PARKER HOUSE.

J Woodham, Port — J J Mahoney, Canby
J Armstrong, do — J A Whealdon, Nasel
C Michaels, do — S M Coy, John Days
G Anderson, do — C Lutjens, Yaquina
S W Crane, do — E Williams, Newport

OCCIDENT.

Mrs Crandall, Canby — W E Burnside, Port
Miss Baker, do — H Foubenheimer, do
G A Dorris, Eugene — G Noland, Prineville
J S Milton, L & C — G D Metcalf, S F

Boat Building.

JOS P. LEATHERS
Formerly over Arndt & Ferchen's Machine Shop

IS BUILDING FIRST-CLASS BOATS IN the shop formerly occupied by M. Johnson on Second street, one block west of Hansen Bros' Mill. **Model, Material and Finish First-class.**

CHAS. A. MAY,

New Store, New Stock

Toys, Fancy Goods,

Tobacco and Cigars.

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A FINE ASSORTMENT.

Squemoqua street, next door to the Empire Store. n17-6m

J. H. D. GRAY

Wholesale and retail dealer in

GROCERIES, FLOUR, AND FEED

Hay, Oats, Straw, Wood, Etc

LIME, SAND, AND CEMENT.

General storage and Wharfage on reasonable terms. Foot of Benton street, Astoria, Oregon.

TAILORING.

Cleaning Repairing.

NEAT, CHEAP AND QUICK, BY

GEORGE LOVETT.

Main Street, opposite N. Loeb's.

GEO. GANSZ,

DEALER IN

Fresh and Cured Meats.

SAUSAGE A SPECIALTY.

Next Door to John Rogers' Central Market.

Wood Yard.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE THE ASTORIA Wood Yard, Gray's Dock, foot of Benton street, will sell wood at the following prices and deliver wherever the streets are planked, between Trullinger's Mill and O'Brien's Hotel, base to Astor street:

Green Alder, 2-cut	$4 50	per cord	long	$3 75
Dry do	do	4 75	do	do	4 00
Gr'n Hemlo'k	do	4 50	do	do	3 75
Dry do	do	4 75	do	do	4 00
Green Beach	do	4 75	do	do	4 00
Green Fir	do	4 75	do	do	4 00
Dry Fir	do	5 00	do	do	4 25
Extra staple and S. limbs	do	6 00	do	do	5 25
Vine Maple and S. limbs	do	5 75	do	do	5 00

Wood of All Kinds

By the Scow load at REDUCED RATES.

J H D. GRAY

Astoria, February 1st, 1884.

FOR SALE.

IN LOTS TO SUIT, FROM 5 ACRES TO 40 acre tract in S. W. corner of Chas. Stevens' D. C. Title perfect. For particulars inquire at office of N. G. Raymond, City Hall; or on the premises of O. D. Young.

Astoria, Nov. 3d, 1883

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been appointed the assignee of I. J. Arvold, and all persons having claims against said I. J. Arvold are notified to present the same duly verified to me at my office in Astoria, Oregon, within three months from this date, January 5th, 1884.

C. H. PAGE.
d-6w Assignee of I. J. Arvold.

Notice.

THIS IS TO INFORM ALL WHOM IT may concern that the business formerly known as Sun Shing Co., in the city of Astoria, Oregon, on Chenamus street, opposite the post office, and owned by Hon. Fang, Wong Chu, and Hong Yin, has been bought by Hong Fang who will assume all the liabilities of Lee Sun Sing Co., and will collect all debts due the same. Hong Fong will keep Chinese groceries, teas, trades, etc.

Astoria Jan. 24th, 1884.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET.

AT MRS. GEO. HILLER'S, NEXT DOOR to Wes on Hotel.

Notice.

HAVING CLOSED OUT MY BUSINESS in Astoria all parties indebted to me are requested to make immediate settlement of the same at the office of D. L. Beck & Sons in this city. All parties having claims against me will present the same at the above office.

GEO. W. HUME.

Jan. 28, 1884.

D. L. BECK & SONS.

(Successors to Geo. W. Hume)

DEALERS IN GROCERIES AND CANNERY supplies, corner Skamoqua and Olney streets Astoria.

On retiring from the above business, I take great pleasure in recommending my successors to my friends, and bespeak for Messrs. D. L. Beck & Sons, a liberal share of their patronage.

G. W. HUME.

Notice.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MEMbers of the P. L. & B. association of Astoria, will be held in Liberty Hall this evening of the 8th day of February, 1884, at 7 o'clock P. M.

W. H. L. McKEWAN,
d6d Secty.

Executors' Notice.

THE COUNTY COURT OF CLATSOP County, Oregon, having appointed the undersigned executors of the last will and testament of Truman P. Powers, deceased, all persons having claims against said state are requested to present the same with the proper vouchers, at the office of C. Leinenweber, Upper Astoria, within six months from this date.

C. LEINENWEBER,
WM. WADHAMS.

Astoria, December 14, 1883.

Notice of Dissolution.

I HAVE THIS DAY SOLD OUT MY HALF interest in the Astoria Sail Loft to C. A. Johnson, who, in connection with Mr. A. M. Johnson will carry on the business at the old stand.

J. HESS.

Mr. A. M. Johnson will collect all bills and settle all accounts of the late firm of J. Hess & Co.

J. HESS,
per A. M. J.

Astoria, Jan. 14th, 1884.

HAY FOR SALE.

THIRTY TONS OF THE BEST CALIfornia Oat Hay for sale. Inquire of E. A. QUINN, at O'Brien's Hotel.

To Lease.

I OFFER FOR RENT MY FINE BUSIness property in Upper Astoria. This is a rare opportunity for a business man.

N. JOHANSEN.

For Sale.

FIVE HUNDRED CORDS DRY HEMlock Wood, which I will deliver at the houses of customers for $4 a cord.

Draying of all kinds done at reasonable rates.

R. R. MARION.

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Comic Valentines!

Sentimental Valentines!

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OF EVERY

SIZE, SHAPE, QUALITY,

STYLE OR PRICE,

AT

Carl Adler's Crystal Palace.

THE LATEST STYLES

IN

WALL PAPER

AT

B. L. FRANKLIN'S,

NEXT DOOR TO ASTORIAN OFFICE.

A very large Stock from which to select. Window curtains made to order.

☞ My patent Trimmer to cut Wall Paper will be found convenient to my patrons.

FOR TILLAMOOK.

The new Steamer

A. B. FIELD.

N. P. JOHANSEN, - - - Master

Will leave for TILLAMOOK, on

When Freight is offered,

(Weather permitting.)

FOR SAILING DATES AND PARTICULARS apply to J. G. HUSTLER, Main street Wharf, Astoria; ALLEN & LEWIS, Portland; J. L. STORY Tillamook.

Notice to the Public.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I will not be responsible for any debts contracted in my name without a written order from me.

N. JOHANSEN.

Astoria, January 24th, 1884

Notice.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT I WISH all parties knowing themselves to be indebted to me to make immediate settlement thereof.

N. JOHANSEN.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

By the Night, Day, Week or Month

WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD,

With use of Parlor, Library and all the comforts of a home. Terms reasonable.

Apply to MRS. E. C. HOLDEN, Cor. Main and Jefferson Sts.

BOAT BUILDING,

R. M. LEATHERS

Has reopened his boat shop, over Arndt & Ferchen's, foot of LaFayette street, and is prepared to turn out

FIRST-CLASS BOATS.

ALL WORK GUARANTEED.

Copper Paint.

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HALF GALLON TINS.

At WILSON & FISHER'S,

☞ A Liberal Discount to the Trade. ☜

Oregon Paint and Varnish Works,

Manufacturers of

Paints, Varnish and Lacquer.

Any shade mixed and ground to order.

C. F. PEARSON & Co.,
P.O. Box 148. Portland, Or.

TAX NOTICE.

RESIDENTS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9 are hereby notified that the taxes for the year 1883 in said district are now due and payable at the office of Badollet & Co., Upper Astoria.

J. E. HIGGINS,
Acting School Clerk.

Astoria, February 6, 1884.

ANNUAL SALE!

Dry Goods and Clothing.

FOR THE

NEXT 30 DAYS

I will offer my STOCK of CLOTHING at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES in order to reduce previous to stock-taking February 1st.

OVERCOATS,
OVERCOATS,
OVERCOATS,

AT COST

For the Next 30 Days.

GENTS

FINE DRESS SUITS.
BUSINESS SUITS.
WORKING SUITS.

GENTS

Furnishing Goods,
Hats and Caps

REDUCED.

IXL C. H. COOPER, IXL

The Leading Dry Goods and Cothing House of Astoria.

☞ For special Dry Goods Advertisement see *Daily Independent.* ☜

FIRST QUALITY LUMBER.

THE

WESTPORT

MILL COMPANY

IS IN THE FIELD AND PROPOSES TO remain.

We will take orders for lumber from 100 to 500 M., at the mill or delivered.

We also manufacture lath and shingles of A1 quality.

Flooring a Specialty

Address all orders

WESTPORT MILL CO.
S. C. BENNER, Supt.

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BRACELETS,

Scarf Pins, Chains, Watches,

SILVERWARE,

Of every description.

The finest stock of Jewelry in Astoria.

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Magnus C. Crosby

Dealer in

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AND

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS

SHEET LEAD STRIP LEAD

SHEET IRON,

Tin AND Copper.

Stop That Horse!

From Slipping.

USE THE PATENT SHOE.

George McLane

HAS JUST RECEIVED A PATENT Horse Shoe from the Patent Office, for the purpose of preventing all classes of horses from slipping on plank or stone roads.

Horses shod with this shoe WILL NOT SLIP. A trial will convince anyone.

I keep the Fire-class Shoers in my shop. Try the NEW SHOE

☞ Corns and Contracted Hoof cure a specialty.

No satisfaction no pay.

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