(1)

The Daily Morning Astorian.

VOL. XXI, NO. 41. ASTORIA, OREGON, SATURDAY, MAY 24, 1884 PRICE, FIVE CENTS.

SUGGESTIONS TO INDEPENDENT VOTERS.

In an article on "The Use and Abuse of Parties" in the June *Century*, Washington Gladden in conclusion says of parties: "What, then, is the duty of intelligent and patriotic men respecting them? To this question various answers are given:

"1. Keep out of political life. It is hopelessly corrupt. You can do nothing to purify it. Let it alone.

"This is the argument of despair, lightly urged by many frivolous and faithless souls, but not to be entertained by any patriot.

"2. Vote always, but belong to no party. Join the unorganized mob of Independents; take your place on what Mr. Charles Francis Adams, Jr., calls 'the center of the tilting-board,' and put your votes in every election where they will do the most good—voting always for the best men, or, at any rate, against the worst rascals.

"This is a comfortable way of doing political duty; the practical difficulty is in determining which rascal is the worst. Both are sometimes so bad that it is hard to choose.

"3. Maintain a loose relation to one party or the other, but take no part in the primary meetings and bolt when they offer you bad candidates or bad measures. The theory is that in this semi-attached condition you will influence somewhat the nominations; that the party managers will be thinking of you when they make up the ticket.

"This, too, is apt to leave the voter simply a choice of two evils. The gentlemen left by you in charge of the primary meetings are not sure to think of you, and if they do, they console themselves with the reflection that the other fellows will probaby nominate a worse man than theirs.

"4. Join one party or the other. Go into the caucuses, if you can get in. Take your pluck and your independence along with you. Tell the gentlemen in charge that you are interested in the success of the party, and that you want to keep it in a shape in which it will deserve to succeed. Give them distinctly to understand that while you ask nothing for yourself, you intend to take a hand in shaping the party policy and in making the nominations; and that you will be guided in all this by a supreme regard for national interests rather than personal interests. If, in spite of your protests, they make bad nominations, bolt the nominations, and return to the charge next time, taking with you as many as you can of your well-intentioned neighbors. If you preserve your temper, and use reason, and keep standing up for men and things that are honest and of good report, peradventure they will listen to you at length, and you may succeed in lifting up the standards and in purifying party management.

"This last method appears to me by far the wisest one."

The Presidential Contest.

Although the newspapers are all earnestly discussing the chances of the several gentlemen who are competing for the Republican presidential nomination, and the popular interest in the subject is rapidly growing in excitement, we are not able to see what difference to the country it will make which of them gets the gift. Who can tell what important principle or policy Mr. Blaine stands for or that Mr. Edmunds or Mr. Arthur or Mr. Logan does not? What does any of them stand for? Nothing, so far as we can see, save the "perpetuity of the Republican party," which means its retention of offices. They are all in favor of keeping the Democrats out; each is a champion of protection; all are friendly to the "business interests;" no corporation need fear that any of them, if made president, would do ought to curtail its privileges. In all essentials Blaine, Edmunds, Arthur and Logan are four political peas in a pod. If any one of them should be nominated and elected, the government, so far as his conduct might affect it, would go on quietly in the channels in which it has flowed for years past. There would be no disturbance, no reform.

Not much is being said of the aspirants for the Democratic nomination. The reasons for this comparative lack of popular interest are: first, that the convention is to be held a month later than the Republican gathering; second, that Mr Tilden, the Democratic God Almighty, declines to vouchsafe to his worshipers a revelation as to his intention to run, or the contrary; and third, that a conviction is abroad that Democrats have scarcely a fighting chance for the presidency this year. This conviction arises from the fact that the Democratic party has been exceedingly industrious within the past year or two in furnishing good reasons for keeping it out of power. It is not because the Republican party is admirable that the people should keep it at the head of the government, but because the Democratic party is imbecile and despicable.

Although the average voter is not a remarkably intelligent person, a plain idea or two of a general sort finds lodgment in his head and influences him when election day arrives. He perceives clearly enough, despite the thunders of party organs, the fiery eloquence of the stumpers and exhilirating thumping and braying of brass bands, that there is really nothing at stake in the conflict but the offices. The Republican party has them, and naturally wants to keep them; the Democratic party has them not, and naturally wants to get them. The average voter—or at least a majority of him—cannot see what is to be gained by turning the Republican out and putting the Democrat in.

—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.

—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. Dement.

—Brace up the whole system with King of the Blood. See Advertisement.

"A Sea Sarpint."

Tacoma again comes to the front, says the *News*. This time with a real, genuine, pure, bona fide sea serpent. A party of well known Tacomaites, consisting of W. J. Thompson and wife, Miss Thompson, Wallie Fife and C. H. Allen were enjoying a clam bake on Brown's point yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock, when Mr. Allen, happening to glance away from the clams for a moment, saw a frightful looking monster in the water a short distance to the north of the point. He immediately called the attention of the party to it, all of whom immediately declared it to be a sea serpent of the most approved description. In a few seconds it was abreast of the point, about 200 yards from shore, and traveling at the rate of twenty miles an hour towards the terminal city. The monster was of a brownish color, between 25 and 30 feet long (it should have been 100 feet at least), about two feet in diameter, and with a head the size of a water bucket. The mouth was large enough to take in any man who would slip through a water bucket if the bottom of the bucket was knocked out. It traveled with an undulatory motion, lifting its head at times far above the water. It was never entirely out of sight while the party were looking at it. After its disappearance an animated discussion arose as to the style of tail it wore. It is still undecided whether it was forked or not, but the writer, from a careful perusal of all the facts before him, leads to the opinion that it was. There can be no doubt of the truth of the foregoing, as the reputation of the parties for veracity is above reproach.

A miners' meeting was recently held in Eagle City to determine to whom twenty acres of mining ground located on Dream Gulch belonged. Mr. Myer, who addressed the meeting in behalf of those whom he claims were unjustly ousted, stated in effect that the claim had fallen into the hands of fighting men, and the intention seemed to be to wrest the title from his party by force. Mr. Holman, who held title to five acres from the Myers party, stated that although that party was the first locator, their location was irregular and imperfect, and that the adverse claimants had acquired a better title by fully complying with the district laws. He intimated that he regarded his title as simply a fighting ownership, and Myers had passed it to him in order to have his own interest protected, and stated that he would now relinquish all claims to the ground. Mr. Myers denied the statement in a very excited manner, giving the lie to Holman, when that gentlemen, revolver in hand, started toward him. Fortunately the room was so crowded that Holman was unable to reach Myers, or to fire without endangering the lives of others. The incident created a panic, and the crowd was broken up without the formality of an adjournment, the crowd swinging out of the building, carrying with it both disputants at a safe distance from each other, and keeping them apart even after they reached the street. It is very evident that there is a very great future in store for the camp.

W. E. DEMENT & CO.
DRUGGISTS.
ASTORIA, - - - OREGON
Carry in Stock,
DRUGS, CHEMICALS, TOILET and FANCY ARTICLES.
Prescriptions carefully Compounded

JACKSON'S
ASTORIA
Bakery & Confectionery
Coffee and Ice Cream Parlors.
CHENAMUS STREET.
SUPERIOR
Bread and Cakes
OF ALL KINDS.
Weddings and Parties supplied with strictly FIRST-CLASS WORK.
French and American
CANDIES
Manufactured, Wholesale and Retail.
BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT,
ON THE ROADWAY.

Fishermen's Headquarters.
THE GENUINE
Cape Ann Oiled Clothing,
OVERALLS
COATS, HATS.
SHIRTS, GUM BOOTS, ETC.
And a Complete Outfit, of Best Quality, and at the LOWEST PRICE of any Establishment in the city.
P. A. STOKES & CO.
Have opened a New Stock of A 1 Goods in the store next door to Foard & Stokes, and Guarantee Satisfaction TO ALL CUSTOMERS,

Astoria Cooperage.
BARRELS AND HALF-BARRELS
All Kinds of Cooperage Done.
Leave orders with JOHN ROGERS, Superintendent, at Central Market.

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.

St. Jacobs Oil
THE GREAT GERMAN REMEDY
FOR PAIN.
Relieves and cures
RHEUMATISM, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, BACKACHE, HEADACHE, TOOTHACHE, SORE THROAT, QUINSY, SWELLINGS, SPRAINS, Soreness, Cuts, Bruises, FROSTBITES, BURNS, SCALDS, And all other bodily aches and pains.
FIFTY CENTS A BOTTLE.
Sold by all Druggists and Dealers. Directions in 11 languages.
The Charles A. Vogeler Co. (Successors to A. Vogeler & Co.) Baltimore, Md., U. S. A.

King of the Blood
Is not a "*cure all*," it is a blood-purifier and tonic. Impurity of the blood poisons the system, deranges the circulation, and thus induces many disorders, known by different names to distinguish them according to effects, but being really branches or phases of that great generic disorder, **Impurity of Blood.** Such are *Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Constipation, Nervous Disorders, Headache, Backache, General Weakness, Heart Disease, Dropsy, Kidney Disease, Piles, Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Skin Disorders, Pimples, Ulcers, Swellings, &c., &c.* **King of the Blood** prevents and cures these by attacking the *cause*, Impurity of the blood. Chemists and physicians agree in calling it "the most genuine and efficient preparation for the purpose." Sold by Druggists, $1 per bottle. See testimonials, directions, &c., in pamphlet, "Treatise on Diseases of the Blood," wrapped around each bottle.
D. RANSOM, SON & Co., Props Buffalo, N. Y.

TUTT'S PILLS
TORPID BOWELS, DISORDERED LIVER, and MALARIA.
From these sources arise three-fourths of the diseases of the human race. These symptoms indicate their existence: **Loss of Appetite, Bowels costive, Sick Headache, fullness after eating, aversion to exertion of body or mind. Eructation of food, Irritability of temper, Low spirits, A feeling of having neglected some duty, Dizziness, Fluttering at the Heart, Dots before the eyes, highly colored Urine, CONSTIPATION,** and demand the use of a remedy that acts directly on the Liver. As a Liver medicine TUTT'S PILLS have no equal. Their action on the Kidneys and Skin is also prompt; removing all impurities through these three "scavengers of the system," producing appetite, sound digestion, regular stools, a clear skin and a vigorous body. TUTT'S PILLS cause no nausea or griping nor interfere with daily work and are a perfect
ANTIDOTE TO MALARIA.
Sold everywhere 25c. Office 44 Murray St. N.Y.

TUTT'S HAIR DYE.
GRAY HAIR OR WHISKERS changed instantly to a GLOSSY BLACK by a single application of this DYE. Sold by Druggists, or sent by express on receipt of $1. Office, 44 Murray Street, New York.
TUTT'S MANUAL OF USEFUL RECEIPTS FREE.

THE LATEST STYLES IN WALL PAPER AT B. B. 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.

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 Concomly street, one block west of Hansen Bros' Mill. **Model, Material and Finish First-class.**

PLUMBING!
You will do well to call on RUDDOCK At Wheeler & Robb's, for Tapping and Putting In of Water Pipes.
IT WILL PAY YOU

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

Jordan & Bozorth
The Only Exclusive
CROCKERY STORE
IN ASTORIA.
N. B. Have Sole Right to the Patent Lamp Filler,

Hardware and Ship Chandlery
A. VAN DUSEN & CO.
DEALERS IN
Hardware and Ship Chandlery,
Pure Oil, Bright Varnish,
Binacle Oil, Cotton Canvas,
Hemp Sail Twine,
Cotton Sail Twine,
Lard Oil,
Wrought Iron Spikes,
Galvanized Cut Nails,
Agricultural Implements,
Sewing Machines,
Paints and Oils, Groceries, etc.

First Class Blacksmithing
AT LOW RATES AT
Gilbert Christiansen's
HORSESHOEING
Done on Scientific Principles by an A1 Horseshoer who Guarantees GOOD WORK.
General Blacksmithing Done
And SATISFACTION ASSURED, at His Shop, in rear of Aug. Danielson's Saloon.

BOAT SAILS
AT
Lowest Prices,
NOT GIVEN AWAY, but made at lowest LIVING PRICES. All work done at my Sail Loft GUARANTEED to give perfect satisfaction.
SAIL LOFT
On Chenamus street, next door to Astoria Bakery.
J. HESS.

WILSON & FISHER,
SHIP CHANDLERS.
DEALERS IN
Iron, Steel, Coal, Anchors, Chains.
TAR, PITCH, OAKUM,
NAILS AND SPIKES,
Shelf Hardware, Paints and Oils
STEAM PACKING,
PROVISIONS.
FLOUR AND MILL FEED.
Agents for Salem Flouring Mills, and Capital Flour.
FAIRBANKS STANDARD SCALES.
All sizes, at Portland Prices, in Stock.
Corner Chenamus and Hamilton Street
ASTORIA, OREGON.

CLATSOP MILL COMPANY
Manufacturers and Dealers in
Lumber, Salmon Trays,
BOXES, ETC.
OFFICE AND MILL, CORNER SALMON AND CEDAR STREETS.
ASTORIA. - - - Oregon

$67,000,000 Capital!
Liverpool and London and Globe.
North British and Mercantile
Of London and Edinburgh.
Old Connecticut of Hartford,
AND
COMMERCIAL OF CALIFORNIA
Fire Insurance Companies,
Representing a Capital of $67,000,000.
A. VAN DUSEN, Agent.

H. B. PARKER
DEALER IN
Hay, Oats, and Straw,
LIME
Brick, Cement, and Sand.
Wood Delivered to Order.
Draying, Teaming, and Express Business
DEALER IN
WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.
FIRST-CLASS.

SOMETHING YOU WANT.
A NEAT MAP OF ASTORIA.
Warranted Correct; Lithographed and Mounted; showing all Streets, Numbered and Accurately Marked. Price but $5.
Also, a MAP OF THE BAR, from Government Survey, and endorsed as officially correct. Price $5.
Both Maps for $8.
But a limited supply, so call early, at the office of BOZORTH & JOHNS.

Notice
IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL CITY ASsessment blanks must be returned to the office of the city assessor before the 2nd inst., or no indebtedness will be allowed.
GEO. P. WHEELER, City Assessor.
D. H. WELCH, Deputy.

HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.

PARKER HOUSE,
H. B. PARKER, Prop.,
ASTORIA, - - - OREGON.
Al. CROSBY, - - Day Clerk.
Phil. BOWERS, - - Night Clerk.
First Class in all Respects.
FREE COACH TO THE HOUSE.

Campi Restaurant.
NEW AND WELL EQUIPPED THROUGHOUT.
L. Serra has rebuilt his establishment and is prepared to accommodate the traveling public.
A good meal furnished at any hour of the day or night.
The finest Liquors and Cigars at the bar.
Two doors west of Ike Foster's.
n28-6m LUIGI SERRA.

Figures Never Lie!
—AND—
JEFF
OF THE CHOP HOUSE
Can prove by his books that he is doing the biggest business of any
RESTAURANT
In the city, and he will guarantee to give the best meal for cash.

MARKETS.

WASHINGTON MARKET,
Main Street, - Astoria, Oregon.
BERGMAN & BERRY, PROPRIETORS.
RESPECTFULLY CALL THE ATTENtion of the public to the fact that the above Market will always be supplied with a FULL VARIETY AND BEST QUALITY
—OF—
FRESH AND CURED MEATS!!
Which will be sold at lowest rates, wholesale and retail.
Special attention given to supplying ships.

WYATT & THOMPSON.
DEALERS IN
FRESH AND CURED MEATS,
CHOICE GROCERIES,
PROVISIONS,
Crockery and Glassware.
Mill Feed, Etc.

Pacific Market.
N. DAVICH & CO. - - Proprietors.
Leave Your Orders for
Fish, Game, Eggs, Butter,
VEGETABLES, ETC.
We furnish Provisions, Fresh and in Good Condition, Dressed Chickens Vegetables, and Market Produce of all kinds in season. A Fine Stock of Family Wines, Liquors, Cigars and Tobaccos.

STAR MARKET.
WHERRY & COMPANY,
Fresh and Cured Meats,
Vegetables,
FRUITS, BUTTER, and EGGS.
OPPOSITE OCCIDENT HOTEL,
CHENAMUS Street, Astoria, Or

C. H. BAIN & CO.
DEALERS IN
Doors, Windows, Blinds, Transoms
Turning, Bracket Work.

Shop Work.
A specialty, and all work guaranteed.
Oak, Ash, Bay, and Walnut lumber; Oregon and Port Orford Cedar.
All kinds of boat material on hand.
C. H. BAIN & CO.

T. G. RAWLINGS,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Tropical, Domestic, Green and Dried
FRUITS.
NUTS, CANDIES, DRIED MEATS, ETC.
Fine Cigars and Tobacco.
Next door to I. J. Arvold's, Squemoqua St.

ASTORIA
Brewery Beer Saloon.
The Best Beer 5 cts a Glass.
Hot Lunch every Day from 10 to 12 A. M
The best of Liquors and Cigars on hand. A deservedly popular place of social resort.
GEO. HILLER.

STONE & DAVIDSON
DEALERS IN
BAR COPPER,
OARS,
Groceries,
Provisions,
MILL FEED, Etc.
Hume's Building, Astoria, Or.

S. ARNDT & FERCHEN,
ASTORIA, - OREGON.
The Pioneer Machine Shop
BLACKSMITH SHOP AND Boiler Shop

All kinds of
ENGINE, CANNERY,
—AND—
STEAMBOAT WORK
Promptly attended to.
A specialty made of repairing
CANNERY DIES,
FOOT OF LAFAYETTE STREET.

ASTORIA IRON WORKS.
BENTON STREET, NEAR PARKER HOUSE
ASTORIA, - OREGON.
GENERAL MACHINISTS AND BOILER MAKERS.
LAND and MARINE ENGINES
Boiler Work, Steamboat Work and Cannery Work a specialty.
CASTINGS,
Of all Descriptions made to Order at Short Notice.
A. D. WASS, President.
J. G. HUSTLER, Secretary.
I. W. CASE, Treasurer.
JOHN FOX, Superintendent.

BOATS AND TENTS
A. M. JOHNSON. C. J. JOHNSON.
Astoria Sail Loft.
Better than puff is the steady breeze.
The proof of a pudding is made with ease.
Workmanship tells in the long run—
Everyone knows when work is well done.
'Tis easy to see, unless one be dizzy,
Why A. M. JOHNSON is always busy.
FANCY WINDOW SHADES, Send in Your Orders.
FLAGS, ETC., ETC.

10,000 BOTTLES SOLD
Great Northwestern Remedy.
TAKE IT
W. PFUNDER'S.
OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER.
CURES
KIDNEY & LIVER DISEASES, DYSPEPSIA, PIMPLES, BLOTCHES AND SKIN DISEASES, HEADACHE, COSTIVENESS.
Those who work early and late need a wholesome, reliable Medicine like **Pfunder's Oregon Blood Purifier.** As a remedy and preventative of diseases it cannot be beat. It checks **Rheumatism** and **Malaria**, relieves **Constipation, Dyspepsia** and **Biliousness** and puts fresh energy into the system by making **New Rich Blood.** All Druggists and Dealers keep it. $1.00 bottles 6 for $5.00.

Carnahan & Co.
SUCCESSORS TO
I. W. CASE,
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
GENERAL MERCHANDISE
Corner Chenamus and Cass streets.
ASTORIA - - - OREGON

Magnus C. Crosby
Dealer in
HARDWARE, IRON, STEEL,
Iron Pipe and Fittings,
STOVES, TINWARE
AND
HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS
SHEET LEAD STRIP LEAD
SHEET IRON,
Tin AND Copper.

BUSINESS CARDS.

C. F. McCORMAC,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law
Room 12, Odd Fellows Building,
ASTORIA. - - - - Oregon.

GEO. A. DORRIS, GEO. NOLAND
NOLAND & DORRIS,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.
Office in Kinney's Block, opposite City Hall, Astoria, Oregon.

C. E. THOMSON,
Attorney and Counselor at Law.
Room No. 6, over White House,
ASTORIA, OREGON.

C. W. FULTON. O. C. FULTON.
FULTON BROTHERS,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.
Rooms 5 and 6, Odd Fellows Building.

J. Q. A. BOWLBY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Chenamus treet, - - ASTORIA, OREGON

JOSEPH A. GILL,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
Office with J. Q. A. Bowlby,
ASTORIA, - - - - - - Oregon.

C. J. CURTIS,
ATT'Y AT LAW.
Notary Public, Commissioner of Deeds for California, New York and Washington Territory
Rooms 3 and 4, Odd Fellows Building, Astoria, Oregon
N. B.—Claims at Washington, D. C., and collections a specialty.

E. C. HOLDEN,
NOTARY PUBLIC,
AUCTIONEER, COMMISSION AND INSURANCE AGENT.

C. W. LEICK.
ARCHITECT AND DRAUGHTSMAN.
Scholars received for Course of Draughting
Office over White House Store.

GELO F. PARKER.
SURVEYOR OF
Clatsop County, and City of Astoria
Office:—Chenamus street, Y. M. C. A. hall Room No. 8.

C. BENSON MARTIN, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon.
ASTORIA, - - OREGON.
OFFICE Room 12 Odd Fellows Building.
RESIDENCE—Hume's building, up stairs.

JAY TUTTLE, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
OFFICE—Rooms 1, 2, and 3 Pythian Building.
RESIDENCE—On Cedar Street, back of St. Mary's Hospital.

F. P. HICKS. A. E. SHAW.
HICKS & SHAW,
DENTISTS.
Rooms in Allen's Building, up stairs, corner Cass and Squemoqua streets, Astoria, Oregon.

Bozorth & Johns,
Real Estate and Insurance Agents, and Brokers.
ASTORIA, - - - - - Oregon.
Buy and sell all kinds of Real Estate and represent the following Fire Insurance Companies:

Scottish Union and National,	assets	$33,000,000
Phœnix of Hartford	"	4,500,000
Home of New York,	"	7,000,000
Hamburg and Bremen,	"	2,000,000
Western,	"	300,000
Phœnix of Brooklyn,	"	4,000,000
Oakland Home,	"	300,000

Policies written by us in the Phœnix and Home and Scottish Union and National at equitable rates.

BANKING AND INSURANCE!
I. W. CASE,
Broker, Banker, and Insurance Agent,
ASTORIA, - OREGON.
OFFICE HOURS:
From 9 o'clock A. M. until 3 o'clock P. M.

B. S. Worsley,
AUCTIONEER
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANT
Office and Ware Rooms on Squemoqua Street, next door to corner of Olney.
Advancements made on Consignments.
No Charges for Storage of Goods.

GEORGE LOVETT,
Tailoring, Cleaning, Repairing,
NEAT, CHEAP AND QUICK.
Main St., opposite N. Loeb's, Astoria, Or.

G. A. STINSON & CO.,
BLACKSMITHING,
At Capt. Rogers old stand, corner of Cass and Court Streets.
Ship and Cannery work, Horseshoeing. Wagons made and repaired. Good work warranted.

NOTICE.
Boat Sails to be Given Away
Three Private Fishermen
Can get NEW MAINSAILS for next to nothing by calling on A. M. JOHNSON.