

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1884

BEVA LOCKWOOD expects to poll a large vote in Vermont. It will be remembered that state is a great place for maple sugar and taffy.

THE Nile expedition and the Irish situation are causing the British cabinet a good deal of anxiety. The expense of the Nile expedition is said to be about \$150,000 per day.

POSTMASTER GENERAL HOWE thought the reduction from three-cent postage to two would reduce the revenue \$7,000,000. Mr. Hazen, the third assistant postmaster general, reckoned the deficit at about \$2,000,000, and came within a quarter of a million dollars.

THE export of dressed meats from New York is a prominent feature of commerce, and week before last 9,294 quarters of beef were shipped, and also 1,081 carcasses of mutton, all of which are preserved by the refrigerators with which steamers are so commonly provided.

THE St. James' Gazette says England is approaching a crisis in India, in comparison with which the Sepoy rebellion of 1857 will be commonplace. The Gazette promises to show in as bad a light as the crimes of Warren Hastings, the oppression of the natives by taxing farmers.

THE largest piece of glass ever made in the United States, it is said, is sent by an Indiana manufacturer to the southern exposition at New Orleans. It is fifteen feet long and eleven and half wide, and the Boston Post says it has probably more protection to the square foot than any other manufactured article that will be shown there.

GENERAL CHINESE GORDON is an extremely able man. He not only fights the rebels; but he also collects the taxes. What a treasurer of a campaign committee he would make! He could have captured Ohio single-handed, and bring Indiana to terms with one fell swoop. When Gordon gets through with the Soudan he will find a place ready for him in America. He is a born boss.

It has occurred to many of the writers who are struggling with the great questions of the day to suggest that, in view of England's sending her papers to the United States, our government might solve the Indian question by shipping the troublesome and expensive red men to London and Liverpool, beginning with General Crook's captured Chiracuanas. "Free trade in papers implies reciprocity," is one way of putting it.

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ONE of the most interesting features of the World's Industrial Exposition at New Orleans will be the department devoted to an exposition of the work and progress of the colored race. The identification of the colored race with the material progress and the development of the great natural resources of the south, and the influence of so large a portion of her population upon her prosperity, renders this demonstration of her educational and industrial progress and advancement eminently appropriate. This unique exhibition, for its novelty, will possess a peculiar interest, especially to European and northern visitors. There are many quaint and ingenious specimens of handwork for which the colored race are noted. Some of them are very expert mechanics. Their shuck horse-collars, baskets, and split-bottom chairs, rolls of perique tobacco, gourd banjos, etc., will constitute the native curios of the cotton country.

CAPT. BEDFORD PIM, now in America, has been addressing the association of United States pilots on matters pertaining to their calling, and referring to the dangers of the sea, he says: "In England we possess in round numbers a little under 20,000 vessels, manned by 200,000 men exclusive of officers. We have casualties amounting annually to nearly 3,000 ships, and at least an equal number of men are drowned every year. Why is this? Our ships—and here I allude especially to steamers—are mere gas pipes. Does any man in this room look with anything but contempt upon a vessel ten times her beam in length? Any sailor knows that to touch one of these long, narrow vessels amidships is certain destruction within a few minutes. The tonnage laws common in both our countries are mainly the cause of this, and in company with many able nautical men in England I have denounced these as 'legal frauds.'"

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ALL WORK
Warranted, and Estimates Given.
FULL STOCK
Iron and Lead Pipe, Bath Tubs,
Water Closets, and Gas
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Chimney Pipe, Cheaper than Brick.
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Best BREAD in the City.
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Finest Ornamental Work to Order.
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SUCCESSORS TO
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For the
Finest of Wines and Liquors
Go to THE GEM SALOON.
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RUBBER STORE
Rubber Hunting Boots, Coats, Hats,
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Rubber, Leather and Cotton Belting,
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AUG. DANIELSON, - Proprietor.
Rebuilt and Refitted Throughout
The Best of
WINES, LIQUORS, AND CIGARS.
For a Good Cigar, call for one of
"Danielson's Best."
Corner West 9th and Water Streets, Astoria,
9-30

Notice to Contractors.
SEALED proposals will be received at the office of the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Astoria, until Monday, October 28, 1884, at one o'clock P. M., for the improvement of the crossings of Jefferson and Hamilton streets and the crossing of Jefferson and Olney streets, by replanking the same to their full width with new plank and raising the crossing of Jefferson and Hamilton streets one and one-half feet and raising the crossing of Jefferson and Olney streets one foot, in the manner provided by ordinance No. 553. Bids must be accompanied with a guarantee signed by two responsible taxpayers, to the effect that if the contract be awarded such bidder that he will within forty-eight hours after notice of such award enter into contract therefor with good and sufficient surety for the faithful performance of the work. The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

By order of the Common Council,
THOS. DEALY,
C. G. SMITH,
Committee on Streets and Public Ways.
Attest: T. S. JEWETT,
Auditor and Clerk,
Astoria, October 16, 1884.

House To Let.
FIVE ROOMS; NEW; GOOD LOCAL
ly. Inquire at E. C. HOLDEN'S.

HAS RETURNED.
J. P. LEATHERS HAS RETURNED
ly, and is ready to turn out some fine fishing boats for the river. Shop on the beach between Kinney's and Elmore's canneries.

Rooms to Rent.
SEVEN ROOMS SUITABLE FOR HOUSE-
keeping; in the business center; Apply
at this office.

Furnished Rooms to Let,
WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD.
Enquire of MRS. E. C. HOLDEN.

For Sale.
A GOOD GENTLE HORSE.
Inquire of ALEX. CAMPBELL.

Picked Up.
A Y BARNEY'S POINT, A SKIFF, OWN-
ed by H. OLSEN,
Master Union.

To Rent.
GOOD DWELLING HOUSE.
Apply at ASTORIAN OFFICE.

VISITORS TO PORTLAND
Should not forget to call at Towne's San Francisco Gallery, where may be seen photographs of all the leading men and women of Oregon and Washington Territory. Skillful operators always in attendance, and the most minute attention paid to pictures of children. Don't forget the location, 8, W. corner First and Morrison streets, up stairs. No trouble to show specimens to visitors. Street Railroads pass the door every ten minutes, and this is the nearest gallery to the five principal hotels.

Carpets! Carpets! Carpets!

We beg to call the attention of the public to our latest importation, direct from Eastern manufacturers, of the largest invoice of CARPETS ever offered for sale in this city, comprising all grades, from the

FINEST BODY BRUSSELS
In the Newest Tints and Shades.

To the lowest priced article in this line. We are determined to dispose of our stock of Carpets within the next four weeks, and to that end offer special inducements, including the possibility of **Being Undersold by any of our Competitors.**

—IN THE—
Furniture and House Furnishing Line
We can show you the very BEST GOODS at BOTTOM FIGURES, and shall be pleased to receive a call for inspection whether you purchase or not.
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New Establishment!
NEW PRICES!!

FURNITURE, FURNISHING GOODS,
Carpets, Matting, Pictures, Mirrors,
PICTURE FRAMES MOULDINGS, ETC., ETC.
At Greatly Reduced Prices,
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Howe Planing Mill.
LARGEST AND FINEST
SASH AND DOOR FACTORY
In Western Oregon.
A Full Stock on Hand and
Made Up to Order.
BOATSBUILT
AND SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.
Sashes, Doors, Windows,
Mouldings, Etc.,
Of Best Material.
Bids Furnished Contractors, Carpenters
and Builders.
All bills due and payable at the end of the
month, unless otherwise agreed upon.
Wm. HOWE, Proprietor.

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

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Send for Price List, naming your County
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HEAVY AND SHELF
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AND
MILL FEED
AGENTS FOR
Salem Flouring Mills,
Portland Roller Mills,
Capital Flour and
FAIRBANKS' SCALES.
ASTORIA, OREGON.

Settlement Notice.
ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE
late firm of A. Van Dusen & Co. are re-
quested to call and settle such indebtedness
immediately. By reason of the decease of
one of the members of the firm it is neces-
sary to settle up the firm business at once.
H. J. VAN DUSEN,
Executors and Trustees.
Astoria, October 2, 1884.

Tax Notice.
THE ASSESSMENT ROLL OF SCHOOL
District No. 18, Clatsop County, Oregon,
is now equalized and the Hon. Board of
School Directors for said district have issued
warrants for the undersigned to collect the
school tax now due said district. Taxpayers
will save cost by paying the same to the
School Clerk or his deputy who will be found
at all times at the City of Astoria, Clatsop Co.,
one house south of Wall street.
C. W. SHIVELY,
School Clerk District No. 18,
Astoria, Oregon, August 30th, 1884.

BOATS AND TENTS
A. M. JOHNSON,
Astoria Sail Loft.
C. J. JOHNSON,
G. J. JOHNSON.
Better than puff is the steady breeze.
The proof of a pudding is made with
case.
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.
RANG WINDOW SHUTTERS. Send in your orders.

\$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.
B. VAN DUSEN, Agent.

THE BEST
IS THE
CHEAPEST!
Royal Brand Flour
Manufactured by the
OREGON MILLING COMPANY
Is of Superior Quality, and is Endorsed
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THE HOUSEKEEPER'S FAVORITE
Of Superior Baking Quality.
Guaranteed to Give Satisfaction.
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New Departure!
At the well-known Restaurant of
ROSCOE DIXON'S.
On and after this date Oysters in every
style will be served at 25 Cents.
Fancy Oysters and Fried Oysters 25 Cents
R. DIXON, - Proprietor.

Stockholders' Meeting.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
annual meeting of the stockholders of the
West Coast Packing Co. will be held at
the company's office, on Thursday, October
23rd, 1884, to elect officers for the ensuing
year, and for the transaction of such other
business as may come before the meeting.
By order of the president,
S. E. MORTON,
Secretary.

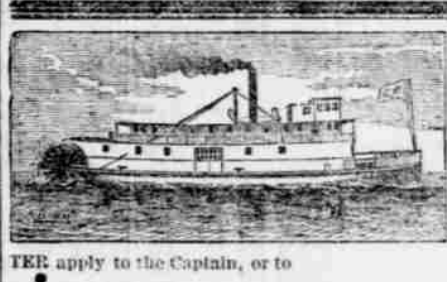
Notice.
ALL PERSONS HAVING BILLS
against Wherry & Co., contracted by me
will please present them at once. In future
all debts due should be paid to Wm. W.
Wherry who alone is authorized to receive
for the same and carry on the business of
Wherry & Co.
WM. D. SMITH,
Astoria, October 1st, 1884.

THE
SKATING RINK!
IS NOW OPEN.
Well fitted up throughout.
Open on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS, and
SATURDAYS, and SATURDAY
AFTERNOONS.
No Disreputable Characters admitted.
G. W. and A. E. ROSS,
Managers.

For The Finest Groceries,
For The Freshest Vegetables,
For The Most Complete Assortment,
For Absolute Satisfaction.
In Filling and Delivering All Orders,
Call at

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Family Grocery and Provision Store,

Corner Benton and Chenamus Streets,
Opposite Custom House
Square.



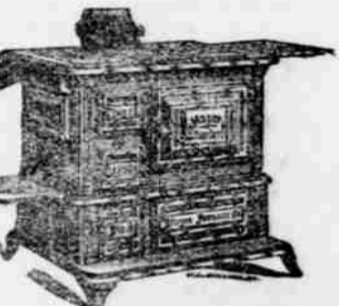
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CLARA PARKER
Eben P. Parker, Master.
FOR TOWING, FREIGHT or CHAR-
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Anxiously awaiting a fearless onslaught on the part of our patrons, under the able leadership of the invincible General Cash, to whom we shall gracefully and unconditionally surrender.
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A General Assortment of
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Agents for
Magee Stoves and Ranges
The Best in the market.
Plumbing goods of all kinds on hand. Job
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PLUMBING, GAS FITTING, AND CANNERY WORK
Attended to Promptly on Reasonable Terms.
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CALL AND EXAMINE IT, YOU
WILL BE PLEASSED.
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And other first-class Stoves,
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PRICES AS CHEAP AS QUALITY WILL AFFORD.
ALL KINDS OF FURNITURE REPAIRED AND VARNISHED.

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Ship Chandlery.
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NEW SLIP
Just Finished in Rear of Store.

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Boats of Every Description Built.
Shop over Arndt & Ferchen's.
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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.
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VAN DUSEN & CO.,
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Binacle Oil, Cotton Canvas,
Hemp Sail Twine,
Cotton Sail Twine,
Lard Oil,
Wrought Iron Spikes,
Galvanized Cut Nails,
Agricultural Implements,
Sewing Machines,
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