

The New Pilot Schooner to be Ready on Monday.

At the last legislature a bill was passed authorizing the building of a pilot schooner for bar pilotage at the mouth of the river, and \$10,000 was appropriated to pay for the building of the schooner.

She is eighty-four feet long, twenty-one feet beam, eleven feet depth of hold, and with 47 tons of ballast in her draws nine feet forward and ten feet ten inches aft.

Ladies will be admitted to the Y. M. C. A. class, in photography, without becoming sustaining members of the association. Price for the winter course, of twenty-four lessons, two dollars.

It may not be amiss to suggest to all concerned that the appropriation for the government work at the bar is about exhausted; that splendid results have been achieved with the meager amount placed at the disposal of the government engineers and that united and continuous effort is necessary to insure continuation of the work.

There are fourteen with bar pilot licenses; the seven on the pilot schooner are all Oregon pilots, that is they hold branches, issued by the Oregon state board of pilot commissioners; on the tug boats, Johnson, McVickar, Staples, Malcolm, Johnson, Gunderson and Latham hold branches from the Washington territory board of pilot commissioners; the pilots holding Oregon branches are those aboard the Gov. Moody. The rates for pilotage are the same in both cases, eight and ten dollars a foot; that is to say whether piloted by a pilot from the tugs or from the pilot schooner, a vessel would pay eight dollars a foot for the first twelve feet and ten dollars for each additional foot, a vessel drawing, say, eighteen feet, would be charged \$144 in pilotage, there being no competition of rates.

The rates for towing vessels are according to tonnage; a vessel of 800 tons or less is charged \$150; from 800 to 1,000 tons, \$200 if loaded; \$175 if in ballast; 1,000 to 1,200 tons, \$225 loaded; \$200 in ballast; 1,200 to 1,400 tons \$275 loaded, \$225 in ballast; 1,400 to 1,600 tons \$300 loaded, \$250 in ballast.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fester Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, positively cures Piles, or hemorrhoids, if applied. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. E. Dement & Co.

Great Reduction in Millinery. On account of the closeness of the times I have concluded to reduce the price of my entire stock of millinery. Look at these prices: Boys' Felt Hats, formerly \$2, now \$1.25; Girls' Trimmed Felt Hats, formerly \$2.25, now \$1.20; Ladies' and Misses' Trimmed Velvet Hats only \$2.25. Notions and Fancy Goods at similar rates. Ladies' Wood hat made Hoods \$1.50. Children's Hoods 75 cents to \$1. Women's Gaiters reduced from 20 cents to 10 cents per pair. Victoria Zephyr 6 1/2 etc. per oz. All the latest styles in Velvet, Plush and Fancy Trimmings at the very lowest prices. Large assortment of Birds and Ornaments cheaply in the market. Corsets 75 cts. to \$1.50 of the very best makes. Come and see.

Fresh Goodwin Butter. And a full assortment of staple and fancy groceries always on hand at D. L. Beck & Son's.

Parties wishing spars or piling of any size or length can be supplied by leaving orders with J. H. D. Gray.

Subscribers to the Peoples Illustrated Atlas are notified that next Wednesday is the day appointed to collect balances due.

Fall and Winter Goods. New Suitings, Fine Underwear, and the latest styles in Scarfs and Ties just received at McIntosh's furnishing store.

Messrs. Dealy, Ferguson and Boelling of the custom house were busy yesterday issuing certificates to over 300 Chinamen who are on the Columbia, bound for Hong Kong. It will probably take all of to-day to finish the job, which is anything, but a pleasant one; one keeps the register, another fills out the certificates, a third does the examining. The official at Washington who made out the blank forms evidently knows a good deal, about Chinamen; there is a blank which must be filled stating the kind of a complexion each Chinaman has; the regularity with which that blank is filled by the insertion of the same word is equalled by the monotonous repetition of the same word in the next blank wherein must be specified the color of the Chinaman's eyes. Then come the "distinguishing marks." The government of these United States takes it for granted that every Chinaman has some "distinguishing mark," and it would never do to leave that blank without being filled up.

The whole business is a nuisance. Uncle Sam charges nothing for a document that is issued with considerable trouble to every yellow son of a sea cock that leaves the country. If \$5 or \$10 were charged, those that want them would get them anyhow and those that don't wouldn't be so persistent in demanding them. Each certificate when issued and duly certified is worth from \$30 to \$150 according to the ruling price of official virtue in San Francisco and as each Mongolian gets the precious piece of pink paper he wears a grin of delight as he stows the precious document in some nook or corner of his bib. The best way to identify these fellows would be to have a portable furnace and a branding iron and make each fellow bear his broadest part, and then stamp him. There would be no forgery or other funny business about that, and the sapient judges who play pranks with habes corpus and things down in San Francisco would be saved much legal juggle.

Chicken Arrivals. The first chickens came out of their shells in the Golden Gate incubator, in the Mechanics' pavilion, on Sunday. They will be ushered into existence at the rate of 100 per day, hereafter. As soon as the shells were broken the little strangers found their voices, and their "peep" could be distinctly heard long before they had picked their way out of their prison house. In San Francisco, at the Mechanics' fair, 5,000 chickens were hatched out and sold at the rate of ten cents each after they were two or three days old. They were dyed in fancy colors and taken home as living souvenirs of visits to the fair. News, 22.

ALBANY, Oct. 21. - A deplorable accident happened last evening in Benton county, about three miles from this city. George Snell, a lad about 11 years of age, was showing the workings of an 44-caliber British ball-dog pistol to a playmate about his own age, named Johnnie Stewart. In some manner the pistol was discharged, the ball striking young Stewart in the right temple. He is still alive, but with few chances for his recovery.

Parties desiring to obtain fine portraits of themselves or friends should examine the piece of crayon work at the City Book store; this is genuine crayon work. Orders received and satisfaction guaranteed.

Syrup of Figs. Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Co. San Francisco Cal. is Nature's Own True Laxative. This pleasant liquid fruit remedy may be had of W. E. Dement & Co. at fifty cents or one dollar per bottle. It is the most pleasant, prompt and effective remedy known to cleanse the system; to act on the Liver, Kidneys and Bowels gently yet thoroughly; to dissipate Headaches, Colds and Fevers; to cure Constipation, Indigestion and kindred ills.

Sleepless Nights made miserable by that terrible cough, Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. Sold by W. E. Dement & Co.

Warranted legal, mortgages, etc. A full line of legal blanks on hand at this office. School Books 20 per cent less than any other place at Adler's.

W. Lassiter of San Francisco has engaged in the photograph business with Crow the leading photographer.

Ready For Business. For a good cup of coffee or a plate of fine oysters go to Frank Fries's Coffee House; opposite M. C. Crosby's.

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."

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. Com's drug store, opposite Occident hotel, Astoria.

The Only Perfect Remedy For habitual constipation, dyspepsia and kindred ills, is the famous liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs. It strengthens as well as cleanses the system, it is easily taken, and perfectly harmless. For sale by W. E. Dement & Co.

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

Cheap Single Bedsteads. And Mattresses, for sale cheap, at M. Olsen's, corner of Main and Jefferson streets.

EDITOR ASTORIAN: Fair dealing and a desire to pay their obligations, on the part of Goodall, Perkins & Co., the owners, and the insurance companies who had received their premiums for insurance on the Queen of the Pacific and her cargo, at the time she was stranded at the mouth of the Columbia two years ago the 4th of last September, would certainly suggest that these parties after being twice beaten in the courts by the salvors, would settle up with shippers whose goods were thrown overboard to save the ship and remainder of the cargo. But as corporations and insurance companies (or their stockholders as a rule) have no souls, I presume they will endeavor to still further appeal the case. I understand they threatened, before the last decision by Judge Sawyer, to carry the case to the supreme court of the United States, and as the salvors are men of capital I am satisfied they will not compromise or drop their case with their present favorable showing. Such being the prospect it stands the shippers in hand to get their claims before the court and make the owners and insurers of the Queen of the Pacific give good and sufficient bonds for the losses of goods. And I should recommend that shippers living in Astoria call a meeting at the chamber of commerce rooms for the purpose of deciding upon some definite action. The claims of Astoria merchants amount to a total loss of several thousand dollars. Their goods being put on the ship last to come off first at Astoria, were left near the ports and hatches of the ship and were the first jettisoned. Shippers have sent Goodall, Perkins & Co., a statement of their losses, and there the matter rests. The shippers having goods destined to Portland were compelled to pay a general average amounting to near \$35,000. This amount was forced out of the hands of the agents of Goodall, Perkins & Co. by the salvors and paid into the U. S. district court and probably deposited with the First National Bank of Portland.

If our claims are not paid within thirty days and the case is appealed, I am in favor of Astoria shippers making an agreement to either ship by Goodall, Perkins & Co.'s line, or insure with underwriters who will not pay their obligations, and thus they will lose more than the interest on our claims. The salvors have their case in such a shape that their award is drawing 6 per cent. interest, which being clear of taxes is a good investment these hard times and I presume are not very anxious; but we have paid our insurance and freight money and lost all our goods, while the Queen is proudly sailing up and down the coast earning money for her owners over and over again. A VICTIM.

Wild Cherry and Tar. Everybody knows the virtues of Wild Cherry and Tar as a relief and cure for all affections of the Throat and Lungs, combined with these two ingredients are a few simple healing remedies in the composition of Dr. Bosanck's Cough and Lung Syrup making it just the article you should always have in the house for Coughs, Colds, Croup and Bronchitis. Price 20 cents and \$1.00. Samples free. Sold by J. W. Com.

Lessons in Music. Prof. E. L. Bettinger respectfully informs the public that he has opened a school in Odd Fellows' building, at the headquarters of the Astoria Singing society, and is now prepared to take pupils for the piano, organ, singing and harmonium.

Prof. Bettinger, in teaching his pupils, follows closely the methods adopted at the Conservatory of Paris he having been a student at that institution for four years, and is consequently able to bring his pupils to a very high standard. For terms, please apply to Prof. E. L. BETTINGER, Cor. Cass and Squemoqua Sts., Astoria, Oregon.

Shiloh's Vitallizer is what you need for Constipation, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 25 cents per bottle. Sold by W. E. Dement.

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

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

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FOR RENT. Four Rooms, Centrally Located AND SUITABLE FOR HOUSEKEEPING. APPLY AT ASTORIAN OFFICE.

Notice. IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FIRM of H. K. Lee & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Wong Ying having bought out Charlie Hoo and Wong Faw Tew. Wong Ying continues the business under the name of H. K. Lee, and pays all bills and collects all moneys due the said firm.

Notice. TAKE NOTICE ALL WHOM THIS MAY concern, that I the undersigned have and do claim the NW 1/4 of section 28, township 8 N., range 5 W., 100 acres. I request all parties not to trespass on the above mentioned land or its effects, as I have given sufficient proofs of my rights through the United States Land Office in Washington City, District of Columbia.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—The Financial Chronicle says: Work on the Canadian Pacific is practically finished. The line is completed from Montreal to Port Moody and Vancouver. It is not likely the road will be opened to business until spring. The new Pacific railroad will not be without influence upon our own Pacific roads, since, whatever its advantages, it will be just one more competitor to contend against as bearing upon American interests. The completion of the California Southern is decidedly the more important occurrence of the month. The California Southern itself is comparatively of little consequence, but it forms the western end of the Atlantic and Pacific, and here lies its significance. It completes the through route under the Atchison, St. Louis and San Francisco control, and makes that route no longer dependent on the Central Pacific or Southern Pacific combination here. The connection with the California Southern has been made for a long time, but the completion of the line between San Diego and San Francisco and thus establish its claim to a larger allowance. The object, apparently, has already been attained, for it has announced this week that a satisfactory agreement has been reached between the contending roads and no steamers are to be run. They (meaning the Atchison and Atlantic and Pacific) came in for a share, an official of the Southern Pacific is reported as saying, "and we concluded it was best to divide the business. For traffic to Texas points, the position of the Atlantic and Pacific would appear to be unimproved now, for in connection with the Texas and Pacific, a route can be formed, which, though not as good as the Southern Pacific to Galveston and New Orleans, would at least make a very fair competing line."

The Times Ottawa special says: As the Canadian Pacific Railway will be running in a few weeks from the Atlantic to the Pacific, it is understood that the restrictions placed upon the construction of lines from points in the Northwest and Manitoba to the international boundary to connect with the American railway system will be withdrawn. In anticipation of such withdrawal, Sir A. T. Galt gives necessary notice in the Official Gazette that he will apply to Parliament next session for a charter to construct a railway from the coast of British Columbia in the direction of Fort Benton, M. T. Up to the present time Parliament has refused to ratify any railway charter which would admit of a railway being constructed beyond fifty miles north of the international boundary, but now that the Canadian Pacific, whose interests the government was endeavoring to protect, is about completed, it is understood that the government will offer no opposition to Galt's scheme, the object of which is the shipment of Canadian coal to Montana and the importation of cattle from that Territory into the Dominion.

A Life Saving Present. Mr. M. E. Allison, Hutchinson, Kan.: Saved his life by a simple Trial Bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, for Consumption, which caused him to procure a large bottle, that completely cured him, when Doctors, change of climate and everything else had failed. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Coughs, and all Throat and Lung diseases, it is guaranteed to cure. Trial Bottles Free at W. E. Dement & Co.'s Drug Store. Large size \$1.00.

Special Auction. FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2 P. M. Instructed by Mr. J. A. McCrea I will sell on the premises all the well kept furniture of THE ROSCOE RESTAURANT. Consisting in part of 3 doz. D. R. Chairs; 1 doz. Restaurant Tables; 10 Rogers' Bros. silver-plated Castors; 6 doz. Silver-plated Forks, Table and Tea Spoons; A fine assortment of Restaurant Crockery and Glassware; 2 doz. Curtains; 2 doz. Carpets and pattern Window Shades; 1 doz. Walnut Hat Racks; 1 Mirror; 1 Eight-day Clock; Oil Chromes and Engravings; 2 patent Coal Oil Lamps; sideboard; Dining and Cooler with Alarm Bell. Also, No. 8 Cooking Stove, with Hot Water Apparatus attached, and Cooking Furniture; an assortment of Oyster Cooking Utensils; Cleavers, Butcher Knives, Meat Saw, etc.; Groceries, Pickles, Crackers, etc. Glass Street Lamp, and about 2 cords of Sawn Wood, and lot of Sundries.

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City Treasurer's Notice. ALL OUTSTANDING WARRANTS DUE by the city of Astoria will be paid by the Treasurer at his office on and after today. Interest ceases from this date. I. G. HUSTLER, City Treasurer. Astoria, October 15th 1885.

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