

The Daily Astorian.
ASTORIA, OREGON:
TUESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1887
CAUGHT AGAIN.

In an effort to get out of the falsehood it tried to palm off as truth the Portland Journal of Commerce of the 27th wriggles and twists through a column and a quarter of editorial space and tries to claw off in an effort to be funny.

It won't do. Every one on the river knows you put your foot in it and the fact is too patent. It is sometimes said that "a lie well stuck to is as good as the truth." Not in this case. Had you owned up when caught at it you would deserve some mercy from the great court of final appeal—public opinion. As it is you deserve further crucifixion.

In the column and a quarter of attempted answer to THE ASTORIAN there is just one definite statement. By a curious coincidence this one definite statement in a sea of slush is a lie just as plain, gross and palpable as the preceding one in the issue of the 20th. Here is the morsel. Talking of the Merom, our mendacious contemporary says:

The sum of \$750 is the advertised charge for bar towage upon a vessel of her size.

The facts are in direct opposition to the statement. Probably so much the worse for the facts—in the estimation of the Journal of Commerce.

Following is an exact transcript of the last towage schedule issued:

For vessels of the	INWARD	OUTWARD.
undermentioned	Load'd Ball's.	
Not exceeding 800	\$150	\$150
800 to 1000	200	175
1000 to 1200	225	200
1200 to 1400	275	225
1400 to 1600	300	250
1600 to 1800	375	325
1800 to 2000	425	350

Pilotage, when performed by the pilots from the tug boats above named, will be charged until further notice at the rate of \$5 per foot each way, in and out.

Vessels coming into the river seeking and leaving without finding business, will be charged pilotage as above, and only one rate of towage for service both ways.

For giving orders to vessels off the bar, the charge will be \$100.

PORTLAND TUG BOAT COMPANY,
H. W. CORRETT,
D. P. THOMPSON,
Wm. S. SIMSON,
Executive Committee.

Geo. FLAVEL,
For Owners Astoria and Columbia.
Portland, Oregon, June 22, 1886.

The tonnage of the Merom is 1,158 tons. A glance at the above will show that she comes under the class from 1,000 to 1,200. She was loaded: hence the charge was \$225 inward and \$200 outward, or \$425; the item for towage in and out over the bar, in the bill which the master of the Merom signed, was for \$425.

Thus we nail lie No. 2. If there was anything else in the Journal of Commerce's article of the 27th to answer, it would be answered here and now. But there isn't.

The Journal of Commerce will please note that we don't maunder through column after column of space. A direct statement is made; then comes the proof as a clincher.

In the above THE ASTORIAN quotes the exact words of the Journal of Commerce. Then it says the statement is a lie. Then it proves it. And then it quits, and turns its attention to worthier subjects.

Those who have wandered among the Rockies, and gazed upon the summits of the great snowy range before the sun had climbed high enough to turn the crystal rivers into silver and light up the plains with glory, have seen in the dim light of the dawning day the white peaks suddenly gleaming as though the gates of the other world had opened and a flood of the radiance from within had been permitted to fall on the snow; so high up that the footsteps of man and the dust of the world have never been able to contaminate it. This glittering appearance is called by the Indians "Idaho," and the nearest the English language can express it is "the gem of the mountains," with which name the territory seems to have been justly endowed.

IF CAPT. BRECHER, of Port Townsend, is innocent of the charges made and pressed against him by the San Francisco Chronicle (and he is entitled to the benefit of the doubt), he ought to be able to recover about \$40,000 in a libel suit against that influential journal. He cannot afford to ignore them. There is too much precision and alleged detail about the charges to admit of silence.

The Boom Struck the Town.
Says the Pigweed Banner: "The fore end of a mighty big real estate boom seems to have struck this town. Old man Daggett sold a corner lot yesterday for forty-two dollars, five of it cash down. Dad Dillon is putting up a new henhouse and a new back gate. Sam Shockley has traded his place on the avenue for Zach Hill's team of black mules. Zed Greenough is painting his fence, and the widow Peery is putting fly screens all over her house. Cap Taylor sold a lot on B street yesterday for a hundred dollars to a company going into the chicken industry. Keep the ball a-rolling."

Brace Up.
You are feeling depressed, your appetite is poor you are bothered with headache, you are fidgety, nervous, and generally out of sorts, and want to brace up. Brace up, but not with stimulants, spring medicines, or bitters, which have for their basis very cheap, bad whiskey, and which stimulate you for an hour, and then leave you in worse condition than before. What you want is an alternative that will purify your blood, start healthy action of Liver and Kidneys, restore your vitality, and give renewed health and strength. Such a medicine you will find in Electric Bitters, and only 50 cents a bottle at W. E. Dement & Co.'s Drug Store.

Three Favorites
Have the following to say of Wisdom's Robertine, the great beautifier and preserver of the complexion:
PORTLAND, Or., June 4, 1887.
To Mr. W. M. Wisdom—Dear Sir—I have tried your Robertine. It is excellent, and I shall be pleased to recommend it to all my lady friends. Believe me, yours truly,
FRANKIE WINSTON.

PORTLAND, Dec., 1885.
To Mr. W. M. Wisdom—The "Robertine" you so kindly sent me is excellent. It is the finest preparation I have ever used, and is a decided acquisition to every lady's toilet.
Yours truly,
JEANIE WINSTON.

PORTLAND, Or., April 6, 1887.
Dear Mr. Wisdom—I have tried your "Robertine," and it gives me much pleasure to say that it is excellent for the complexion, being one of the best articles of the kind I have ever used. Believe me, yours sincerely,
Z. TABELLI.

For sale by W. E. Dement & Co. druggists, Astoria, Oregon
Ten cents for a cup of Fabre's nice coffee.

What! Do You Think
Jeff of the U. S. gives you a meal for nothing and a glass of something to drink? Not much; but he gives the best meal and more of it than any other restaurant in town. 25 cents.

Wanted.
A middle-aged woman to do plain cooking; wages, \$25 per month. A good home for a contented person. For information, apply to
FOARD & STOKES.

A Sunny Room
With the comforts of a home, library, etc. Apply at Holden House.

Notice.
To make room for our fall stock, we will for the next ten days sell our baby carriages at actual cost.
GRIFFIN & REED.

Gottschalks forasters,
Private Rooms.

JEFF'S
United States Restaurant is the best and cheapest in Astoria.

Do You Want Your Flue Cleaned
If you do T. Clifton will do the job neat and cheap. Leave orders at ASTORIAN office.

The finest and nicest steak to be had in town at Fabre's.

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

For the very best pictures go to H. S. Shuster.

For the best photographs and tints go to Crow's Gallery.

Private Rooms.
At Frank Fabre's for suppers, parties, etc. The best cooked to order.

NEW TO-DAY.

Startling Novelty!
THE TWO GREATEST
Theatrical Companies
ON EARTH!

United for this Season Only!
Madison Square Co.
—A. R. WILBER'S—
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Will appear at—
ROSS' OPERA HOUSE
Three Nights, commencing
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th,
—PRESENTING—
Monday.....**GALLEY SLAVE**
Tuesday.....**Woman Against Woman**
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At the close of each play the **LYCEUM THEATRE COMPANY** will give a complete Specialty Performance which will conclude with the **GREAT KISSELL**
THE CHAMPION ZOUAVE
Drill in the World, executing the most difficult movements imaginable with Bayonet and Rifle.

ADMISSION, BOTH SHOWS:
Reserved Seats, \$1 1/2 | Family Circle, 75 cts
Reserved Seats on sale at New York Novelty Store, Saturday, at 10 A. M.

FOR SALE,
At the Parlors of the Munson House, Astoria, Oregon.
The Simplified Taylor System
For Cutting Garments
Of every description. Instructions given in the Art and Science by
MRS. INEZ E. STOUT.
Also at the Munson House are choice furnished rooms to rent by
MRS. A. E. STOUT.

EIGHTH ANNUAL
PIC-NIC
—OF THE—
Young Men's Christian Association
TO YOUNG'S RIVER FALLS,
On Saturday, Sept. 3rd.
PROGRAMME.
Gov. Nevell leaves Main Street wharf at 8 A. M. LUNCH at the Falls at 12 noon.
DINNER IN CASEY'S MEADOW
At 4:30 P. M. Boat leaves for return trip at 5 P. M.
A Special Committee will take charge of Lunch Baskets and serving the Collations. Young Men will be provided with
Tea, Coffee and Milk will be provided.
TICKETS, \$1. - - - Children, 50 Cents
Tickets may be had at Quinn's Reef's, Or Y. M. C. A. Office.

Astoria Municipal Bonds.
NOTICE is hereby given that the City of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, has recalled and will redeem the following Municipal Bonds of said city, at the First National Bank of Astoria, Oregon, on and after September 25th, 1887.
The following are the Bonds recalled: Bonds issued by virtue of Ordinance No. 331, entitled "an ordinance authorizing the issuing of certain bonds to meet the outstanding indebtedness of the City of Astoria, and providing the time and manner of paying the same," approved June 18th, 1879, and ordinance No. 335, amendatory thereof, entitled "An ordinance to amend section 1 of an ordinance entitled 'an ordinance authorizing the issuing of certain bonds to meet the outstanding indebtedness of the City of Astoria and providing the time and manner of paying the same,' approved July 2d, 1879, being as follows: Bonds numbered from 1 to 20 inclusive for \$500.00 each, Bonds numbered from 1 to 10 inclusive for \$100.00 each, Bonds numbered from 1 to 8 inclusive for \$30.00 each, all of which Bonds are dated July 1st, 1879, and payable on or before ten years after date, and bear interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, interest payable semi-annually.
Also Bonds issued by virtue of Ordinance No. 443, entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issuing of City Bonds to meet the outstanding indebtedness of the City of Astoria, and providing for the time and manner of paying the same," approved January 28th, 1882, being bonds numbered from 1 to 200 inclusive, for \$50.00 each, dated March 1st, 1882, payable on or before ten years after date, and bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, interest payable semi-annually.
Interest on said bonds will cease September 25th, 1887.
By order of the Common Council.
Attest: T. S. JAWETT,
Auditor and Police Judge.
Astoria, August 30th, 1887.

Notice.
THIS IS TO NOTIFY ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN THAT my wife, Mina Sundstrom, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation and that I will not be responsible for any debts she may contract.
CHARLES SUNDRSTROM,
Nasel, W. T., August 30, 1887.

Notice.
ALL THE CANNERS WHO ARE WILLING to pay to the Fish Commission one cent per case on their pack, are requested to pay the amount to E. W. Case, at his bank. A number who are not on the subscription list have agreed to pay the amount. We hope that all the canners of salmon on both sides of the Columbia will come to the front.
E. P. THOMPSON,
Fish Commissioner.

Miss Warren's Select School
OF
English and Modern Languages
Astor Street, near Baptist Church.
This school will open for the coming year, **Monday, Sept. 5, 1887.**
It is desirable that those intending to become members should be present on the opening day, so that classes may be formed promptly.
Tuition payable ten days after presentation of bill. For terms apply to
EMMA C. WARREN,
Principal.

Notice.
AT A GENERAL MEETING OF THE Astoria River Fishermen's Protective Union, held at Liberty hall on Friday the 26th of August, it was unanimously agreed upon that the price of salmon for the coming fall season be established at the following, viz:
Four cents per pound, clear, for all fish received.
By order of the C. R. F. P. Union,
ALEX. SUTTON, Sec'y.
Astoria, August 26th, 1887.

The Oregon Bakery
A. A. CLEVELAND, Prop'r.
Good Bread, Cake and Pastry
Satisfaction Guaranteed Customers
Bread delivered in any part of the city.

Seaside Bakery.
Best Milk Bread and
CAKES OF ALL KINDS,
Manufacturer of Fine Candies.
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And Ice Creams.
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Candies.
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THE ASTORIA BAKERY,
JAMES COX, PROPRIETOR.
Bread, Cake, Confections.
Good Flour and Materials Used.
MY AIN IS TO SUIT CUSTOMERS.
Bread Delivered All Over the City.
Your Patronage Is Solicited.

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CIGARS AND TOBACCO,
FRUITS, NUTS,
Candies, Smokers' Articles, Etc.
New Goods Received Daily
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WE ARE NOT DOING IT
FOR LOVE
And we are sorry if others don't like it; have no time to stand on ceremony, but everybody has come to the conclusion that we mean **BUSINESS!**

Our Removal Sale
Is the talk of the town and you will be sorry if you don't lay in some bargains; after we are gone it will be too late.
Goods will be Slaughtered
—ONLY A FEW WEEKS MORE AT
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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
Fine Groceries, Provisions and Mill Feed.
Crockery, Glass & Plated Ware.
The Largest and finest assortment of
Fresh Fruits and Vegetables.
Received fresh every Steamer.

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Blank Books OF ALL Descriptions. School Books AND School Supplies.
We carry the finest line of Writing Papers and Writing Material in the City.
MUSICAL MERCHANDISE AND INSTRUMENTS.
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CENTURY ORGAN AND DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINE
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Strike It Rich!
—BUY YOUR—
Groceries & Provisions
—OF—
Foard & Stokes
Their largely increasing trade enables them to sell at the very lowest margin of profit while giving you goods that are of first class quality.
Goods Delivered All Over the City.
The Highest Price Paid for Junk.

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Suits and Trimming Velvets. A Fine Line of Infants' Dresses, Cloaks and Worsteds Shirts, Ladies' Calico Wrappers, Cotton, Wool and Muslin Underwear.
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Of Quilts and Blankets, Gents' Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Boots, Shoes, Trunks and Valises at the Lowest Cash Prices at the Empire Store.

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BOOTS and SHOES.
Genuine English Porpoise Shoes For Gents.
Ladies Flexible Sole Shoes in French, Kangaroo and Dongola Kid Boys and Youths Shoes of all Kinds, Misses and Childrens and Infant heels, and Spring heels. **WE DEAL IN BOOTS AND SHOES ONLY.**
P. J. GOODMAN.

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Hay, Oats, and Straw, Lime, Brick, Cement, Sand and Plaster
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For TOWING, FREIGHT or CHARTER.
E. B. PARKER.

THE
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Hereafter, during the Summer Season The Alaskan will leave Astoria, O. R. & N. Dock, on Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 A. M. Connecting with all Afternoon Trains out of Portland.
ON SUNDAY,
The Alaskan will leave Astoria at 4 P. M.
TROUPE & DILLINGHAM,
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Stylish Turnouts, Comfortable Carriages and Buggies
By the day or hour at very reasonable rates.
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Everything new and first class. Our aim is to please our patrons.
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A Large and Well Selected Stock of Fine
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At Extremely Low Prices.
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Ship and Cannery work, Horseshoeing, Wagons made and repaired. Good work guaranteed.

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MANY YEARS EXPERIENCE IN building boats on the Columbia river and hundreds of fine boats of my build make my guarantee for good work. Headquarters at the old Astoria Iron Works building. Will build boats at any point on the Columbia river where my services may be required.
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BOILER WORK.
Steamboat Work and Cannery Work
A SPECIALTY.
Castings of all Descriptions Made to Order at Short Notice.

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