

Daily Astorian.
ASTORIA, OREGON:
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THE FICTITIOUS
PAPER PROSPERITY.

thy of note, says the San Bulletin, that nearly every in this county which be- creer by catering to depraved tastes either failed ignominiously or was compelled to drop its sensations, scandal-mongering and blackguard and take the higher ground of decency. There is not an instance where a newspaper has had more than temporary success by adopting the other policy. To-day there is not a newspaper in the country which has any ability to influence public opinion that is not established on the solid ground of decent journalism. That ment which patronizes a newspaper use it is devoted to the business under to depraved tastes, never and never can establish a public on solid business ground. Its temporary success is maintained by a of galvanism. In the long run it is not the majority. It is not a prosperous element. When it be- comes necessary to quarantine a news- paper or stop it at the door because the chances are that it might contain something that the members of the family ought not to read, and when those at whose doors it is left make apologies or explanations to their neighbors, in order to stand well in their estimation, it cannot be said that such a newspaper has any per- manent hold of the better part of the community. As for the part who like sensations, and scandals, the hold is temporary, and never can be permanent, because this element never represents the id prosperity of the community.

There is of course, always a large number in every community who have morbid or vicious tastes. These are better pleased for the time being with a newspaper that will pander to such tastes. There have been scores of instances where this seeming pros- perity had no basis of permanency. It turned out that the pretended cir- culation and never been sufficient to pay expenses, and that it required a con- tinual pouring in of money to keep the concern from sinking. It was not a property that could be given away. For shrewd business men are not searching for holes in which to sink their capital. All the malignant false- hoods, all the black-mailing terrorism, all the snarl and blasphemy has not brought the concern to the point of permanent suc- cess, or anything near it. The cor- rupt journal takes on the character of the unprosperous, changing and vi- cious element. It must make degrad- ing political combinations and must be on the money-making side of pol- itics. It has other illegitimate sources of income, or it cannot live.

le, therefore, it is true that is always a minority in every community that will prefer a newspaper to an honest one, a minority is continually subject to degradation. It cannot give what it does not possess. As long as there is this vicious element in the commu- nity there will be a vicious school of journalism to pande to it. But it is an error to sup- pose that it constitutes a valuable con- stituent. It is always a minority and a losing one. That accounts for the discrepancy between the assumed prosperity and the actual prosperity of that class of newspapers which are kept afloat by resources brought in from without. One or two alterna- tives may be set down as certain. Either the concern will sink out of sight, or it will be saved only by a radical change of methods and prin- ciples. That view is supported by the experience of the past. A newspaper can no more be established on the patronage of the vicious or corrupt portion of the community than a state- ly edifice can be established on a quak- ing marsh.

BRAINS IN BUSINESS.

ONE great secret of success in busi- ness—the secret, in fact, of success on a large scale—is to conceive of it as a matter of principles, not merely as a series of transactions. There are great merchants as there are great statesmen, and there are small mer- chants as there are small politicians, and the difference between the great and the small men is very much the same in both professions. The small politician works by the day and sees only the one small opportunity before him, the small merchant does the same thing—he is looking for the next dol- lar. The statesman, on the other hand, is master of the situation because he understands the general principles which control events; this knowledge enables him to deal with large ques- tions and to shape the future. The great merchant does the same thing,

his business is not a mere money-get- ting affair, not a mere matter of bar- ter, but a science and an art, he studies the general laws of trade, watches the general conditions of the country, investigates present needs, foresees future wants, and adapts his business to the broad conditions of his time and place. He puts as much brains into his work as does the statesman, and he ends by being, not a money getter, but a large minded and capable man. An eminently suc- cessful business man, of the statesmanlike quality, said the other day that the more he under- stood of life, the more clearly he saw that it was all done on business prin- ciples. By which he meant, not only that the universe stands for the dol- lar, but the universe is governed by unvarying laws, that promptness, ex- actness, thoroughness, and honesty are wrought into its very fiber. On these business principles all life is conducted—if not by men, at least by that Power which is behind man. It ought to be the ambition, of every young man to treat his business from the point of view of the statesman, and not from that of the politician.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Specials to The Astorian.

PORTLAND, May 31.—Material for the construction of a new fog whistle at Warrior Rock near St. Helens is in position on the ground, and work will be commenced at once. The amount appropriated for this work is \$15,000, and according to the plans it will be a very serviceable arrangement. Owing to the fact that the river at this place makes a very sharp turn, and also a number of sunken rocks cluster there, it is a somewhat dangerous experi- ment to run a steamboat in that local- ity during a fog.

The new fog whistle will obviate all danger.

The trial began to-day of the case of Benjamin Jeneway versus Jas. M. Holston, for false imprisonment. The plaintiff asked for \$5,000 damages.

This morning Judge Stearns, of the circuit court, decided to hear an ap- peal in the matter of the guardian- ship of Linda and Ben Campbell Hol- laday, on June 12th.

To-day Judge Catlin removed Joseph Holladay from the executorship of the estate of the late Ben Holladay, mainly on the ground that he neglected to carry out the requirements of the office.

FIRE ON SHIPBOARD.

LONDON, May 31.—The Cunard steamship *Serris*, from New York for Liverpool, has arrived at Liverpool on fire. The flames were first noticed after the steamship had left Queens- town, where some fifty passengers re- sided. The fire was discovered in the forehold, in the cargo, which in that part of the hold consisted mostly of bales of cotton. The fire was kept under control until the steamship reached Liverpool. The passengers were then hurried off and the fire ex- tinguished after much difficulty, with- out loss of life. The cargo was great- ly damaged by fire, and a great quan- tity of water was poured in. The fire must have smoldered since the *Serris* left New York.

A WOMAN'S WAY.

A Startling Business Proposition.

When Mr. Fowler, of 227 Ellis street, stopped in at a leading city druggist's to ask what effect Joy's Vegetable Sarsapa- rilla, would have in dyspepsia and sick headaches, she was assured it would re- lieve both. She was so incredulous that the druggist gave her a bottle, not to be paid for unless it cured. The following is the convincing conclusion:

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 8, 1888.

DEAR SIR: Notwithstanding my mis-givings, Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla did all that you promised. I had tried so many prescriptions that I had come to believe nothing would relieve my dyspep- sia and sick headaches, but I have not had a return of either since. You have my permission to make this public, for a remedy that will cure dyspepsia and prevent sick headaches should be generally known. Respectfully,

Mrs. M. Fowler.
227 Ellis street.

Stop Right Here and Consider.

There are 25 lots for sale in Grimes' Grove. The R. R. Co. to receive every cent paid therefor. Those who pur- chase take all that can be desired: 1st. The lot covered with shade trees and moss, 2nd. Full beach privileges, bath- ing, clamming, etc. 3rd. The right of way across the Necanicum, and to this end, to even bridge. C. R. Thomson and Geo. Noland will make this magnificent offer only till June 12th. Buy at home. Build up your own enterprises. In this offer the land is worth the price asked and the privileges, hereditaments, etc., as much more. Forty dollars will buy of the boys a lot in "Long Branch," or \$100 in Mulkey's Ocean Grove and Ne- canicum Grove, a grassy, sunny plain, over whose tranquil expanse will soon thunder the A. & S. R. L. locomotives, driving many cars laden with much commerce to and from "where rolls the Oregon," or \$250 in the cool, soft and shady depths of the far-famed Grimes' Grove.

Telephone Lodging House.

Best Beds in town. Rooms per night 50 and 25 cts. per week \$1.50. New and clean. Private entrance.

—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.

Good Stoves, cheap as the cheapest.
JOHN A. MONTGOMERY.

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\$50,000
IN
Gold Coin!!

Is a pretty large sum of money, but that is what a lot sold for in Seattle the other day.

It don't cost that sum to purchase a lot in

Railroad Addition TO Ocean Park,

But the chances are just as good to reap a big investment, and is far more safe than to buy Seattle lots.

The warm weather is making real estate over on North Beach extremely lively and transfers are being made at a lively rate. Now is the time to get in before the cheap and choice are sold. If you will stop around to Robb and Parker's office they will show you the best located summer resort on the Northwest coast, a place that has a railroad running right alongside of it; located within one half mile of Shoulwater bay, where the railroad company own 60 acres and on which they are making extension improve- ments and where a lively, commercial city for the Shoulwater bay country will be built; and within a quarter of a mile of the grand old ocean. A depot will be built at Ocean Park, with- in five minutes walk of the railroad addition. These lots will be sold from \$10 to \$50 up to the first of June.

Go at once and see the plot.

Robb & Parker,
Live Real Estate Agents,
ASTORIA, OREGON.

For Sale.

A FINE LOT OF FISHING BOAT masts, booms and spits for sale at Lewis Martin's carpenter shop opposite Arndt & Ferehen's machine shop. Price \$4.50 per set.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RE- ceived until June 3rd, for the following material and labor for the Astoria and South Coast Railway pile trestle between the channel and west shore of Young's Bay, 1430 (more or less) piles, from 30 to 50 feet long.

500,000 ft. B. M. trestle timber.
Labor in driving the piles.
Labor in completing the trestle.
Bids may be for the whole or any portion of the material.
Specifications can be obtained at the office of the undersigned.
The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

HENRY B. THIELSEN,
Chief Eng'r and Sup'r.
Astoria, Or.

THE BONDS OF W. L. ROBB, AS SECRE- tary of the Board of Port Commissioners having been approved and filed with the secretary of state, he is now authorized to act and transact any and all business per- taining to his office.

A. MONTGOMERY,
President of the Board.

PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY

There is no occasion for the most fastid- ious of our citizens to send to Portland or San Francisco for

Custom Made Clothes

As they can get Better Fits, Better Work- manship, and for less Money.
By Leaving their Orders with MEANY.
New Goods by Every Steamer.
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A NEW ESTABLISHMENT,
Style and Fit Guaranteed.

Our aim is to Please our Patrons.

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Northwest corner Fourth and Cass streets.

Mrs. T. S. Jewett & Mrs. Birdsey

DIED.

In Astoria, Oregon, May 30th, 1889, Mrs. Sallie T. Dickinson, beloved wife of J. P. Dickinson, aged 65 years.
(Oregonian please copy.)

A Sound Legal Opinion.

E. Bainbridge Munday Esq., County Atty., Clay Co., Texas says: "Have used Electric Bitters with most happy re- sults. My brother also was very low with Malaria Fever and Jaundice, but was cured by timely use of this medi- cine. Am satisfied Electric Bitters saved his life."

Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave, Ky., adds a like testimony, saying: He positively believes he would have died had it not been for Electric Bitters.

This great remedy will ward off, as well as cure all Malaria, Dysentery, and for all Kidney, Liver and Stomach Dis- orders stands unequalled. Price 50 cents and \$1, at Jno C. Dement's.

NEW TO-DAY.

CUSTOM HOUSE, ASTORIA, OREGON, May 31st, 1889. Sealed proposals will be received until 12 o'clock, noon, June 15, 1889, for furnishing fuel, light, water, ice, miscellaneous supplies, washing towels, hauling ashes and sprinkling streets re- quired by this building during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1890. Particulars on application. JOHN HOBSON, Custodian.

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Croquet Sets, Fishing Tackle, Lawn Tennis, Base Ball Goods, Hammocks and Indian Clubs.

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1 Patent Rip Saw Machine.
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Above machines are for Foot or Hand Power, and will be sold cheap, for cash. Enquire of JOHN A. MONTGOMERY.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received at the office of the Auditor and Police Judge until Monday, June 3rd 1889, at 1 o'clock, P. M., for the improvement of Chenamus street. Bids must be accompanied by a bond to the effect that should a 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.

The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the committee on Streets and Public Ways.
T. S. JEWETT,
Auditor and Police Judge.

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New Goods Received Daily,
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