

CLIPPED AND CONDENSED.

News Items from All Over the Northwest Coast.

PITHYPERTINENT PARAGRAPHS

It has taken nine years under a prohibition law in Iowa to close the first saloon in Dubuque.

The state Republican ticket is being talked of for next June. Western Oregon never has any representation on these state tickets.

The vigilance of the government is unpleasantly exemplified at present. Just to save a few paltry dollars the whole mail system of the northwest is disorganized, and every business interest suffers.

THE ASTORIAN has one suggestion to make to the directors of the Astoria and South Coast Railway Co. In our judgment it is an important one.

\$750,000 is the amount of real estate transfers in the growing city of Astoria for the month of January, 1890.

Representative Megler has introduced a bill in the Washington legislature to protect the lobsters which the United States fish commission planted in the state of Idaho.

D-O-W-N-W-E-S-T-B-E-G-I-N-T-Y.

How 5,000 Shred Operators Caught On.

Five thousand of the shrewdest young men in the United States were made the victims of a joke yesterday, says the Seattle Press, of January 28th.

New York, January 28.

J. F. Arnold & Co., of New York, north west with Eastern, not Thompson, Morris Catlin's gang in New Town yesterday.

J. H. MOORE.

To any one but an operator that telegram would seem nothing more than a cipher dispatch from one detective to another, but the rules of the profession require that when a telegram is sent the check mark must precede it.

D-O-W-N-W-E-S-T-B-E-G-I-N-T-Y.

And quick as a flash each operator would catch the joke and send back an abbreviated telegraphic "hi hi."

What the Snow Costs the S. P. R. R. Co.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes items like 'A San Francisco paper gives a table of losses sustained by the Southern Pacific company, based upon what are thought to be reliable estimates.'

Do You Like a Good Cigar? Call at Charley Olsen's, east of C. I. Cooper's. He will suit you. A fine stock of cigars to select from.

The Oregon Land Co.

J. A. COOK, Manager.

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S. W. COR. THIRD AND OLNEY STREETS.

Buy and Sell Property on Commission.

We Deal in Real Estate and are Successful in Our Business.

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Finely Situated Back of Tongue Point and Within TWO MILES of the Centre of Astoria. Lots Will be sold for a Limited Time at

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Successors to KIRK SHELTON.

HEADQUARTERS FOR LOGGERS' SUPPLIES.

ATKINS' CELEBRATED SAWS. LANDER'S LOGGING JACKS.

GENERAL HARDWARE.

151 Front Street, PORTLAND, OR.

He Stole a Salmon.

C. Andrews was tried before Justice Curry yesterday for stealing a salmon from T. Booth, a fishdealer.

Telephone-Logging House.

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

The latest style of Gents' Boots and Shoes at P. J. GOODMAN'S.

NEW TO-DAY.

Steam Engine and Boiler for Sale.

ENGINE 8x12 INCH. BOILER 24IN; 3 inch studs, set brick, 2 steam pumps with connections; about 100 feet assorted steam pipe with couplings, main, etc.; also water tanks, holding from 15 to 500 barrels water each.

Genevieve Street Improvement Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the common council of the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, propose to order the improvement of Genevieve street, in the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney, from the north end of the wharf line of said city to the southern city limits, to the established grade of said street, by piling, capping and planing that portion between the north side of the wharf line to the south side of Astor street, to a width of thirty-four feet through the center thereof, with new and sound fir plank four inches in thickness, and by building side walks on both sides thereof, and by grading and filling that portion between the south side of Astor street and the southern limits of the city of Astoria to its established grade and to the full width of the street, and by planing the same to a width of eighteen feet through the center thereof, with new and sound fir planks four inches in thickness, and by building side walks on both sides thereof.

THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE Columbia River Fishermen's Protective Union will be held on Tuesday, February 4, 1890, at 7:30 P. M., at Liberty Hall, G. O. JOHNSON, Secretary.

J. H. MANSELL, REAL ESTATE BROKER, NOTARY PUBLIC FOR STATE OF OREGON. City Lots and Acre Property, Ranches, Timber Lands, and Water Frontage for Sale.

THE ASTORIA Real Estate and Trust Co. (INCORPORATED.) CAPITAL, \$50,000.

President, L. P. W. QUIMBY. Vice-President, G. W. WILLIAMS. Secretary, W. H. EDWARDS.

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TO ASTORIA, on the market December 18th, 1889. A clean sweep of all the lots in above addition was made by January 18th, 1890.

AN EXTENSION TO THE RAILWAY ADDITION Will be placed on the market February 3d. Get in now while the price is low.

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Loans negotiated and a general commission business transacted. Investments for non-residents a specialty.

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Prospect Park Addition! One and Two Acre Tracts. On Proposed MOTOR LINE to SEASIDE. Call at once at the Office of THE CLATSOP LAND COMPANY.

Stockton & Welch, Real Estate Brokers, AND EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. City, Suburban and Acreage Property For Sale.

F. H. SURPRENANT & CO., J. C. ROSS County Coroner. John C. Dement, DRUGGIST. Successor to W. E. Dement & Co.

Magnus C. Crosby Dealer in HAELJWARE, IRON, STEEL. Iron Pipe and Fittings, STOVES, TINWARE AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

The New Model Range CAN BE HAD IN ASTORIA, ONLY OF E. R. HAWES, Buck Patent Cooking Stove, AND OTHER FIRST CLASS STOVES.

A. V. ALLEN, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN Groceries, Provisions and Mill Feed. Crockery, Glass & Plated Ware.

THESE SEINES are made true taper and from an actual scale, and will hang true and draw when hung in to lines, and from the Gold Medal 1-2 Patent Twine.

RIGHT AND LEFT HAND LAID PATENT ROPE, 9 thread and larger, soft and free from kinking. SALMON TRAP NETS knit from the Gold Medal 1-2 Patent Twine, superior to the medium laid, stronger, more durable and Holds Tar Longer.

Established 1842. Boston, Mass. Capital, \$500,000. N. B. We have the largest Netting and Twine plant. New and costly machinery has lately been added for knitting heavy Traps for the Columbia river, and seines for the Alaska Salmon Fisheries, and the most skillful help employed.