

The Daily Astorian. ASTORIA, OREGON: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1890. City and County Official Paper. A DIRECT ISSUE.

ELSEWHERE is published the full text of an agreement now in circulation for signatures, assigning in trust stock in the Astoria and South Coast Railway company.

The provisions are short, plain and satisfactory. The noticeable feature is the evident intent to deal directly with the principal in the matter, without any intermediary.

There is no stock holder of the road but what could gladly subscribe to any and all of the seven provisions, and as the transfer proposed is in trust no objection could be raised on that score.

The point of the proposition is evidently this: Shall or shall not the stockholders deal directly with C. P. Huntington himself.

The signing or withholding of signatures is a yes or no vote on this question.

Those who believe that Mr. Reid is a necessary and unavoidable factor in this matter will hesitate about signing the agreement.

Those who believe that time is wasted by endless negotiations entailing vexation and annoyance, and that principals should deal direct with principals, will affix their signatures without hesitation.

THE COMING COIN.

ARE we ever to have pennies in the northwest? The model holds a position which is hard to assault. An interesting experiment has been made in Seattle which has proved a failure. The Evening Press, one of the brightest papers of Seattle, was put on the market at two cents per copy. This was a difficult thing to do, but it was temporarily accomplished. 50,000 pennies were secured from the mints. They were given to the newsboys with instructions to make change of a nickel and tell the buyers to keep the pennies for future use. At first the novelty of this small money sustained it in circulation, but soon this feeling wore off and people disliked the extra trouble. The majority of those purchasing the paper would give a nickel and not accept change. The pennies went out of circulation and now the Press has announced that one copy will cost five cents.

This does not mean that cents will never be used in this section. They must come eventually. It would create a panic in the great money centers of the east if pennies were withdrawn from circulation. In those cities where manufacturing is carried on to a large extent, it would be like robbing the eastern day laborer of his life blood to deprive him of this method of making close change. That the movement for their general adoption is rapidly advancing west is shown by the fact that the mints cannot meet the demand for pennies coming from cities west of the Mississippi. In ten years they will be used on the Pacific coast.

A NECESSARY SEQUENCE.

A PERSON who is well informed on the flouring mill business remarked last night that, as soon as the railroad is built tapping the wheat fields of the Willamette, Astoria should have some large flour manufactories. One of the great points in this trade is to be able to load from the mill right on to the vessels that will carry the flour to its destination, such as Liverpool. This saves all of the extra transfers which increase the cost and often causes a loss in the amount of flour. Flour mills are being erected on San Francisco harbor so that the bags filled side out of the manufactory on to the vessels that will carry the flour to its destination, such as Liverpool. This saves all of the extra transfers which increase the cost and often causes a loss in the amount of flour. Flour mills are being erected on San Francisco harbor so that the bags filled side out of the manufactory on to the vessels that will carry the flour to its destination, such as Liverpool. This saves all of the extra transfers which increase the cost and often causes a loss in the amount of flour.

NEW TO-DAY.

THE death of the hundred-millionaire, John Jacob Astor, in New York yesterday, recalls to the writer's mind the fact that several years ago a distinguished Astoria clergyman on a visit to New York, called upon the millionaire, told him of the city by the sea founded by his grandfather of precisely the same name as himself, and suggested that John Jacob the Second, found or endow an institution of learning in the city that will perpetuate the name and fame of the Astors when their scattered millions will have been forgotten. The millionaire looked boldly contemptuous at the reverend gentleman when he had concluded his kindly plea, and told him he would give him an order on his cashier for one hundred dollars. The Astorian disclaimed any desire to peculiarly embarrass the munificent patron by the acceptance of so princely a sum, and bowed himself out. The millionaire lies dead in his marble palace this morning and his millions lie idly in the massive vaults as cold as the clay that so lately clung to them.

Once upon a time, God sent two angels to the earth in human guise, the one to rule a kingdom and the other to sweep the streets of the city. At night the angels often met to talk of their day's work. It never occurred to the ruler to boast of his influence, nor to the street sweeper to complain

of his dirty work, but he spoke of the kindness of the people as he swept the streets before the ruler rode forth. Many of the people had noticed the cheerfulness of the street sweeper, and they often tossed him a copper, and sometimes silver. When the two angels went back to heaven 'the Lord' made no difference between them, but gave to each the same reward, because each had executed faithfully his appointed task. It matters less what we do than how we do it, for All service ranks the same with God.

Hereby drudgery is glorified, and those to whose lot it falls, should work as hopefully and cheerfully as others who "win the world's applause."

A PROJECT which concerns the United States closely is the Russian plan of bridging Behring straits, and thus connecting America with Asia by means of a railroad. The narrowest part of the gulf which separates Siberia from Alaska does not exceed sixty miles, and there are a number of islands in a straight line, which would serve as points of division, and reduce each portion of the bridge to a length considerably less than that of the proposed English channel bridge. The Behring strait project has aroused enthusiasm throughout Russia, and is being eagerly discussed in the great cities of the empire. Of course, there is something very attractive in a scheme which, if carried out, will bring us nearer to the day when it may be possible to make the circuit of the globe on foot. But on the other hand, in view of the generally accepted prophecy that the supremacy of the world in years to come is to be divided between Russia and America, it might be better for the general peace if the sea remains unbridged.

It is estimated that there are 20,000 unemployed men in San Francisco. This suggests a condition of affairs which is hard to understand. Labor demands a high price in this country and especially in the west. In San Francisco men are paid twenty-five per cent more than in New York city. If labor is so plentiful these wages should go down and give employment to more men. Farmers, too, all over the country are complaining because they are obliged to pay so much for help. If men will prefer to live in the great cities in a beggarly manner rather than work in the country with regular pay and food, the world at large cannot have much sympathy for them. Business may be dull but it is seldom that an able bodied man cannot earn sufficient to live well, if he will stand ready to take the chances offered those who deserve.

ABOUT a month ago the Princess of Wales had a seal skin jacket made for her lapdog in Paris, and the important fact was cable over half the civilized world. It was not of any profound degree of importance, but the result is amusing. One of the most prominent furriers in New York made twelve jackets for dogs immediately on seeing the news in the paper, and they were all sold within two weeks.

THE bosom of America is open to receive not only the opulent and respectable stranger, but the oppressed and persecuted of all nations and religions, whom we shall welcome to a participation in all our rights and privileges, if by decency and propriety of conduct they appear to merit the enjoyment.

A FEW CURES.

Made by Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. Mrs. Belden, an aged and feeble lady at 632 Mason St., San Francisco, after going down steadily for months was completely restored and is now well and healthy.

J. H. Brown, book-keeper, Petaluma, cured entirely of his indigestion and constipation.

Miss Clara Melvin, 128 Kearney street, S. F., cured of an aggravated case of indigestion and constipation.

J. R. Fournatt, Chief Wharfinger, foot of Clay street, S. F., cured of pain in the back, liver trouble and sick headaches.

Mrs. J. Langbein, 1242 Market street, S. F., had been under physicians' care for two years for liver complaint. With the third bottle she regained her old accustomed health.

Fred A. Blocker, Baiterin Hotel, S. F., suffered for years with dyspepsia. Felt better the first week and is now cured.

Gustav Solomon of 223 Valencuela street, S. F., cured of sick headaches and liver trouble.

Edward Wash, 77 Everett street, S. F., cured of pains in the back and chronic hemorrhoids.

Remember the Austin house at the Seaside is open the year 'round.

NEW TO-DAY.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership THE PARTNERSHIP NOW EXISTING under the name of Robb & Parker, between W. L. Robb and F. L. Parker, both of this city, are equal partners, will be dissolved on the 28th day of this February 1890, by F. L. Parker withdrawing from said firm. F. L. PARKER.

The business will be continued under the old firm name by W. L. Robb, who alone will be authorized to settle the affairs of said firm. Astoria, Or., February 21st, 1890.

Proposals for Fresh Beef and Mutton HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE Columbia; office of Chief Commissary, Vancouver Barracks, Wash., February 21, 1890.

Sealed proposals in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office and at the offices of the Acting Commissaries of Subsistence at the following named posts for the fresh beef and mutton named at those posts only, until 12 o'clock noon on Monday, March 24, 1890, at which time and place they will be opened. In the presence of bidders, for furnishing and delivering fresh beef and mutton for the year commencing July 1, 1890.

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The Finest Inside Property on the Market To-Day!

Only Three Fourths of a Mile South of the U. P. R. R. Dock.

This splendid Business and Residence Property lies on the south side of the hill, sloping downward from the cemetery, and has a deep water frontage on Young's Bay. It will be traversed by a cable or motor line within six months. Clear, level lots in this magnificent tract are now for sale on easy terms, at prices which will rapidly advance.

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RAILWAY ADDITION! 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 Has been placed on the market. * * * Get in now while the price is low. General Office, Rooms 16 and 17, N. E. Cor. First and Alder PORTLAND, OR. FRANK SPITTLE, Agent Astoria, Oregon.

Warren & Wright, Real Estate Dealers, Mansell's Building, Water Street. ASTORIA, OREGON. City Property, Seaside Property, Tide Lands, Timber Lands, Farms, Etc., Bought and Sold. ASTOR ADDITION. Astoria's most delightful suburb. Lots \$20 to \$35 cash or installment. Loans negotiated and a general commission business transacted. Investments for non-residents a specialty. CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED.

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The Oregon Bakery A. A. CLEVELAND, Prop'r. Good Bread, Cake and Pastry None but the Best Materials Used. Satisfaction Guaranteed Customers. Bread delivered in any part of the city. Lots in Case's Astoria Are Now on Sale AT THE OFFICE OF THE Astoria Real Estate Co. PRICES FROM \$150 TO \$250 EACH. TERMS: One-Half Cash; the Balance in Six and Twelve Months.

D. H. WELCH. JAS. W. WELCH. D. H. WELCH & CO., Real Estate, Insurance, General Brokers. We have lots from \$20 up. Inside property always listed for sale. Correspondence solicited. Investments made for non-residents. The prices we give on property are guaranteed, and no further consultation necessary with owners. Lots within the city limits can be bought from \$250 to \$300 for the next eight days. Office on Water St., Near Union Pacific Wharf and Depot. P. O. BOX 460.

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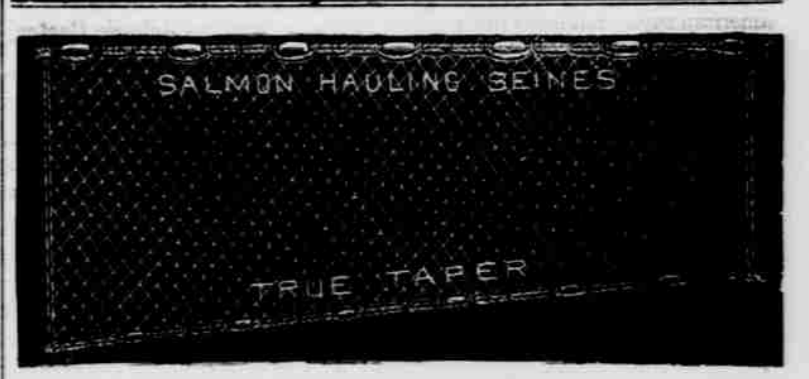
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BLOCK 20 Hustler & Aiken's Addition Has been subdivided and will be put on the market TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23rd, 1890, by VAN DUSEN & CO. THIS DESIRABLE BLOCK is entirely clear. Is situated on the proposed Cable Road route between Genevieve and Main streets, and within one street of Taylor's proposed Motor route.

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