

The Daily Astorian.

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REGARDING the coming Republican state nominations THE ASTORIAN believes that the matter of selection can be safely left to the delegation who will compose the state convention.

A NEW JERSEY inventor proposes to use the dynamo in warfare to make artificial lightning. He claims to be able to produce a flash of lightning which he can direct against a body of men a mile away.

THE real estate transactions in this county for the first two months of 1890 foot up over \$860,000 as recorded, and is safe to say that sales to the amount of \$150,000 additional have been made, the deeds for which have not yet been placed on record.

THE annual production of eggs in this country equals in money value the country's annual production of iron. The eggs are eaten as fast as produced, while the iron stays by the owners and is subject to taxation as it accumulates from year to year.

ALUMINUM (99 per cent. pure) is now quoted at \$14 a pound. It is not very long since it was \$11. Just what it costs to make has not yet been disclosed, but there is reason to believe that if the price should run down to \$1 there would still be a manufacturer's profit.

A new system of telegraph has a sending instrument with ten keys, each of which makes one of the straight or curved lines used in Roman letters. It is claimed to have sent a seventy-six word message in twenty-five seconds and printed them in plain Roman characters.

ABOUT 2,500 words are all that are used in ordinary talking and conversation, although there are some 29,000 words in the English language. Different authors vary in the number of the words they use, but the difference is but slight. Shakespeare found 4,000 words sufficient for all his works.

THE Russian government, it is said, will begin next spring to build its 4,500 mile railroad across Siberia. It is a big undertaking, and the estimated cost is \$220,000,000. This is an age when the cost of any project, however enormous it may be, provided it gives promise of a reasonable profit, is no longer considered an obstacle.

IT must cost the proprietors of the Anacortes town site a big lot of money for advertising. The Oregonian has paid special for them in every day, and the Tacoma and Seattle papers are full of so much as to much a line. This is a case of manufactured boom, but the proprietors have a snick and could make worse use of it.

Gov. FERRY has vetoed the Powers medical bill which passed the Washington legislature. By doing this he has won the congratulations and good will of all the prominent papers of that state. The press, always ready to oppose or divulge anything that is false or a sham, were unanimous in condemning this bill. It was passed by a legislature which seldom stops to think what it is doing, so the only hope was in the action of a wise and trusted governor. He did not disappoint this confidence.

"Don't snub the reporter," says the Boston Herald. The reporter is not apt to be snubbed. Very few can afford to snub him. It is claimed says the Tacoma News, that a union general, who had a great career before him, lost all chance of fame by unwittingly insulting a newspaper man, whereupon the rest agreed never to mention that gentleman's name in their reports, and the unfortunate man dropped out of sight. The Herald pleads for the reporter. The man who does the snubbing is the person who should be sympathized with.

CALIFORNIA with all her claims of a beautiful climate and unmeasured resources cannot keep the tide of immigration from flowing into Oregon and Washington. California has one condition of affairs which hurts her chances for immigration. So large a per cent of the agricultural land is held by wealthy property owners that it is almost impossible for a farmer of ordinary means to get possession of a ranch in his own name. There is a state of affairs there somewhat similar to what is true in England. The population can never increase rapidly when tenants and not owners prevail throughout the commonwealth. Here is where Washington and Oregon are strong and they should never lose this advantage.

EVERY grand jury regularly reports favorably on the proposition to build a new jail and court house. It does seem as though the county ought to have something to show for all the taxes annually paid. Whether a new court house is built or not, some arrangement must be made for the new office of recorder, including a vault. The present office of the county clerk is too small for the volume of business which bids fair to increase, rather than diminish. There is no place at present for the county treasurer; the sheriff has room enough; so have both the county and circuit courts. As for the jail that is in direct contravention with the constitution of the state which prohibits cruel and unusual punishment.

Dyspepsia, indigestion, sick headache and that tired feeling are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which tones the stomach, promotes healthy digestion, creates an appetite, cures sick headache and builds up the whole system. Sold by all druggists. 100 Doses One Dollar.

A FEW CURES Made by Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. Mrs. Belden, an aged and feeble lady at 512 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, 126 Kenney street, S. F., cured of a aggravated case of indigestion and constipation. J. H. Fournier, Chief Wharfing, foot of Clay street, S. F., cured of pains in the back, liver trouble and sick headaches. Mrs. J. Lamphere, 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, Baldwin Hotel, S. F., suffered for years with dyspepsia. Felt better the first week and is now cured. Gustav Solomon of 223 Valencia street, S. F., cured of sick headaches and liver trouble. Edward Nestler, 79 Everett street, S. F., cured of pains in the back and chronic biliousness. And over 1000 others.

THE PORTLAND (Formerly St. Louis Exchange.)

Wm. Farrington, Proprietor. A First-Class Saloon. WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS! Of Prime Quality. Water Street, Astoria, Or.

F. E. WILLSON, Civil Engineer and Surveyor. DRAUGHTING AND MAPPING. P. O. Box 862. Office with J. H. Mansell, next W. U. Telephone Office. Third Street, Astoria, Or.

Ross' Opera House. TO-NIGHT, A Heroic Play MAGUIRE, RIAL & MORRIS' Unrivalled Company in the Latest New York Success. THE GREAT METROPOLIS!

Heroic Life Savers! Thrilling Shipwreck Scene! Seats on sale at the New York Novelty Store

School Meeting Notice. THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LEGAL voters of School District No. 1 will be held at the school house in Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, on Monday, March 24, 1890, at 7 P. M., for the purpose of electing one director to serve for three years, and one clerk to serve for one year; also to levy taxes to support a school in said district, and for interest on bonds, and for the redemption of bonds, and for incidental expenses of said district. By order of the Board of Directors, C. W. FULTON, Chairman. J. G. HUSTLER, Clerk. Astoria, Feb. 20, 1890.

C. R. F. P. Union Notice. THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING of the Columbia River Fishermen's Protective Union will be held at Liberty Hall, Tuesday, March 26th, 1890, at 7:30 o'clock, P. M. At the meeting the nomination and election of the secretary will take place. A full attendance is desired. By order of the President, FRANK MCGREGOR. ALEX HOLMAN, Secretary pro tem.

GILLET'S Tonsorial Emporium THE Finest Fitted Shop in the City NONE BUT FIRST-CLASS ARTISTS EMPLOYED. Third Street, Opp. Rucker's Restaurant.

A NEW ENTERPRISE. City Express Transfer Company. H. D. Thing and C. E. Miller, Proprietors. Headquarters at Main Street wharf. TELEPHONE NO. 43. A General Express and Delivery Business transacted. Your patronage is solicited.

H. EKSTROM, Practical Watchmaker, ASTORIA, OR. A fine line of Gold and Silver Watches, Solid Gold and Plated Jewelry, Clocks, etc., at reasonable prices. Repairing Promptly Done. Opposite Cross's Gallery.

John C. Dement, DRUGGIST. Successor to W. E. Dement & Co. Carries Complete Stocks of Drugs and Druggists' Sundries. Prescriptions Carefully Compounded. Agent for Mexican Salve and Norwegian Pile Cure

DIAMOND PALACE GUSTAV HANSEN, Prop'r. A Large and Well Selected Stock of Fine Diamonds & Jewelry At Extremely Low Prices. All Goods Bought at This Establishment Warranted Genuine. Watch and Clock Repairing A SPECIALTY. Corner Cass and Squemoqua Streets.

CASE'S ASTORIA! KNOWN AS THE OLD MILL PROPERTY.

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.

For Particulars Inquire of WARREN & WRIGHT

BUY YOUR LOTS IN Sunny Mead Addition! TO ASTORIA.

This Fine Property has been put on the market by MRS. OWENS ADAIR, M. D., and is situated near the Astoria & Coast Railroad. For Sale by

McGowan Bros. & Tuttle, PRICES, \$50 AND \$60. THIRD STREET, EAST OF OLNEY.

W. L. Uhlenhart & Co., Real Estate and Money Brokers, OFFICE ON THIRD ST., Opp. Odd Fellow's Building P. O. BOX 841.

\$75,000 Worth of Real Estate For Sale I have opened my office with a splendid selection of Business, Residence, Seaside, Farming and Timber Land. SOME VERY CHOICE ACREAGE PROPERTY, On John Day's River, suitable for planting. CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED.

Abercrombie & Stevens, REAL ESTATE AGENTS. We Offer To-Day Choice Acreage!

HOUSES AND LOTS AT SEASIDE. Two Lots in HUSTLER'S & AIKEN'S. Three Lots on West Ninth Street, ASTORIA. Office in the Telephone Building, Opp. Thompson & Ross.

SILVERMAN & THORNBURG, DEALERS IN General Merchandise A SPECIALTY MADE OF COUNTRY PRODUCE. We pay the highest cash price for country produce, and guarantee square dealing. We will receive orders for potatoes, butter and eggs at lowest market rates. Orders from any quarter will receive prompt attention.

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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. Investments made for Outside Parties. Established, 1883. Correspondence Solicited. Next W. U. Telephone Office. Third St. Astoria, Oregon. P. O. BOX 863.

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.

The above Company Placed the 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 it 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 installments. Loans negotiated and a general commission business transacted. Investments for non-residents a specialty. CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED.

The Mikado Candy Factory Fresh Candies of All Kinds Manufactured Daily. Also Handle None but the Finest and Imported Key West CIGARS. Please Call and Give me a Trial. THIRD STREET, Next W. U. Telephone Office N. J. BERGMAN.

A. V. ALLEN, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN 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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Griffin & Reed. H. W. Strickler, M. D. DEALER IN Pure Drugs, Toilet Articles, Etc. Prescription Clerk speaks Four different Languages. General practice of Medicine attended to by the Doctor. Second Street, near Postoffice.

The Oregon Bakery A. A. CLEVELAND, Prop'r. Good Bread, Cake and Pastry None but the Best Materials Used. Satisfaction Guaranteed Customers Broad 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 & CO., Real Estate, Insurance, General Brokers NOTARY PUBLIC FOR OREGON. We have Property in the original townsite from \$225 upwards. Good Business and Residence Property always on our list. Investments made for non-residents. Correspondence solicited. Call and see us. Office on Water St. Near Union Pacific Wharf and Depot. ASTORIA, OREGON.

Your Money's Worth is WHAT YOU GET AT Parker & Hanson SUCCESSORS TO C. L. PARKER, DEALERS IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE Groceries and Provisions. Everything in a First-class Store and at Extremely Low Figures. Goods Delivered all over Town. The Highest Price Paid for Junk. FOARD & STOKES New Goods Arriving Every Steamer THIS WEEK. Waterproof Goods! The Old Stand - Astoria Oregon.

Stockton & Welch, Real Estate Brokers, AND EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. City, Suburban and Acreage Property For Sale. MAIN ST., ASTORIA, OR., P. O. Box 511. No earnest brokers employed here.

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

The Oregon Land Co. J. A. COOK, Manager. HAS AN ASTORIA OFFICE S. W. COR. THIRD AND OLNEY STREETS. Buy and Sell Property on Commission. We Deal in Real Estate and are Successful in Our Business.

THE PEAVEY PATENT CANT DOG. HABICHORST & CONANT, Successors to KIRK SHELDON. HEADQUARTERS FOR LOGGERS' SUPPLIES. Agency for ATKINS' CELEBRATED SAWS. LANDER'S LOGGING JACKS. GENERAL HARDWARE. 151 Front Street, PORTLAND, OR.

The New Model Range CAN BE HAD IN ASTORIA, ONLY OF E. R. HAWES, Agent. Call and Examine It; You Will be Pleased. E. R. Hawes is also Agent for the Buck Patent Cooking Stove, AND OTHER FIRST CLASS STOVES. Furnace Work, Steam Fittings, Etc., a Specialty. A Full Stock on Hand.



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