

AROUND TOWN.

J. J. Brumback, of Ilwaco, is in the city.

Is there an A. P. A. society in town? Some say there is and some say there isn't.

It is to be hoped that the Democratic meeting today will be devoid of red fire.

Strange, but the streets of Astoria have been free from dust for a month or two.

Rev. Mr. Mackay, of Ilwaco, with his wife, returned yesterday from a visit to Kelso.

If there is any city in the state that is developing a greater variety of politics than Astoria, where is it?

The candidate who believes only half he hears generally gets along pretty well, if he selects the right half.

Svensk hogmessa i kv. ev. luth. kyrkan ut Upper Astoria i morgon kl. 10:30 f. m. och aftongudstjenst kl. 7:30 e. m.

Mr. McMillan, of Fisher Brothers' store, is all smiles today. A sweet girl baby called at his home yesterday, and she called to stay.

An \$30 lot for \$2.

If you want some extra fine photos taken, Moore's is the place to get them.

Lovers of a good cigar can always find mild, fresh Belmonts at Chas. Olsen's.

There will be services in the German language at the Congregational church on Sunday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. J. G. Schmidt, pastor.

John Kopp isn't as much of an acrobat and contortionist this week as usual. He is laid up with the inflammatory rheumatism.

It is claimed that the postal authorities in Washington have prohibited the mailing of letters on the cars, but that won't interest Astorians until next June.

Fresh fish and poultry at Welcome's Market, next to Ford & Stokes.

Meany is the leading tailor and pays the highest cash price for fur skins.

For \$2, a lot is delivered every week to the buyer in Hill's First addition.

Clyde Fulton has had an aquarium built, and will turn his attention from mastiffs to goldfish. His next fish is natural history is just as liable to be buffaloes as bumblebees.

Go and see the pulpit Reflectors next Sunday, at 11 a. m., and the glorious and beautiful old men and women, at 7:30 p. m., in the First Presbyterian church, between Jefferson and Astor, on Main street. Seats free. Thanks offering.

Hill's First addition is located in the centre of the city. Lots are now selling in it for \$2.

Thousands of mothers give their children, Steadman's Soothing Powder during the teething period.

Services at the Congregational church as usual. "The Miraculous Draft of Fishes," will be the subject in the morning, and in the evening "The Demonic of Gerasenes." The Sunday school meets at 12:15 p. m. and the Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

Mr. Frank Kopp reports that he has a list of over 180 rooms secured for the accommodation of the state delegates and their guests to the Democratic convention. He expects no less than 300 present, and hopes that if there are any private families who have any rooms they wish to rent to delegates they will report to him at the Central hotel.

There is no risk taken by joining Hill's lot clubs. Everybody gets the full value of their money.

Japanese novelties and fancy dry goods, can be had at half price, at the store of Wing Lee, next to Olsen's cigar store.

It is doubtful if there is today in the whole United States another point where there is the slightest hope or prospect of a new railroad this year, and the fact that Astoria is on the verge of what well-informed people say will be one of the greatest railroad booms in the country's history is creditable alike to the wonderful advantages of her location and the energy and perseverance of the gentlemen who have charge of the scheme.

Sabbath, at the First Methodist Episcopal church, at 11 a. m.: Sermon by Rev. J. W. Bushong, D. D. Subject: "The Three Matchless Wonders." At 6:30 a gathering of young people and new church members. At 7:30 p. m., sermon by Dr. Bushong, Subject: "The Secular Press, Party Politics and the Protestant Pulpit, and What They Have to Do With Each Other, from a Preacher's Standpoint." Editors, politicians and candidates for nomination most cordially invited and get what is said first, and not second-hand. The muffle will be of a high order. All invited and made welcome.

A six-horse power upright engine and boiler, almost new, for sale cheap. For particulars apply at this office.

Mr. Harry Martine, representing the Wiley B. Allen Co., of Portland, will be in town the next few days. Parties desiring their pianos put in first-class order, should leave orders with Griffin & Reed.

THE UNSOCIABLE.

We envy neither the man nor the woman who cannot speak to a fellow-creature out of their own circle or to anybody without the formality of an introduction. There is no computing the amount of profit as well as pleasure such persons lose by hedging themselves in with this stupid fence of fastidiousness. We have always found more of this feeling among persons who were more touchy on their social position than among those self-respect-

ing persons who thought nothing about it. A great deal of intelligence is floating around the world without being labeled, and these men and women who have the good sense to recognize this fact and act upon it, not only are educating themselves, but conferring that pleasure which we are all bound by the common ties of humanity to exchange with one another. It seems to us that it is only the snob and pretender who takes a different view of this question. —Philadelphia Times.

SAID TO BE IN BAD HEALTH.

A New Yorker Writes "Parson" Davies That Jim Has "Night Sweats."

The stories about Corbett's being a sick man are being revived, just as they were before he fought Mitchell. The New York Advertiser declares that the American champion contracted malaria in Florida and is in a bad way, and now "Parson" Davies is authority for the statement that Corbett has "night sweats." After the performance at the Academy last Thursday night Davies said he had just received a letter from a New York friend who declared that he knew positively that Corbett was a sick man and troubled with "night sweats."

"That makes very clear the reason why Corbett wants to postpone the fight," explained the Parson.

At the same time that it says Corbett is a sick man, the New York Advertiser observes that "Jackson is rapidly aging on Davies' hands, and that is why the latter is so anxious to have the fight take place on time."

THE BEEF OUTLOOK.

Mr. May, head of the wholesale trade at Portland, says that beef is very low, and that that city is consuming only one-half as much now as at this time last year. San Francisco, notwithstanding the fair, is consuming one-third less. The first-class hotels and restaurants in the latter city buy their best loin meat for nine cents a pound, but the butchers make the general public pay 20 cents—and the public won't pay it when they can get turkeys and fish for 8 to 10 cents. I think the outlook is good for the near future, however.

In Southern California, grass that should be a foot high is but a couple of inches out of the ground. This will tend to bring up the price of Oregon cattle.

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.

Don't go to Portland to buy your tickets for the "Old Country" and the East when you can get them for the same price at the Union Pacific office in this city, and thereby save your local fare to Portland.

TO HONOR GRANT'S MEMORY.

At a recent meeting of the Hamilton Republican club, of New York, it was determined to hold a dinner on April 27, in commemoration of the birthday of Gen. Grant. The club will make this dinner an occasion to show patriotism and loyalty to Republican principles. Among those expected to speak are Gen. Horace Porter, Gen. J. S. Wise, Cornelius N. Bliss, Dr. D. B. St. John Roca, Roswell G. Horr, the Rev. Dr. W. C. Bitting, Senator Saxton, Speaker Malby, Congressman Lemuel E. Quigg and Assemblyman Almsworth.

For a delicious plate of pure ice cream, go to C. B. Smith, the Ice Cream Dealer, Ice Cream Soda a specialty. Private parlors for ladies. 483 Third street.

Olsen has 29 brands of clear Havana cigars and he will give you a better cigar for 10 cents than you can get for 15 cents at any other place. 627 Third street.

A PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

The Arbor Day exercises at Court street school were somewhat marred by an accident which befell a little girl named Helen Succanion. A bench upon which a number of scholars were standing broke and threw them to the floor and some one in the crowd stepped on the little one's fingers, mashing them badly.

THE UNTERFIED.

The Democratic county convention meets today at Fisher's hall, but the indications are that there will be no ticket nominated. They will elect six delegates to the state convention and appoint the different committees.

THE SMALL BOY.

The small boy of Astoria is a Simon pure American from the crown of his head to the sole of his feet, and he has come home from the midwinter fair with the determination of enjoying his vacation by organizing the largest circus on earth, with the midway as his pattern.

TO BE ARGUED ON MONDAY.

The John Day River quarry, which was to furnish stone for building the new municipal buildings and several churches in Portland, and which came to grief a couple of years ago, has at last furnished something for the law-

yers to fight over. It will be remembered that the plant was sold at sheriff's sale, and bought in by Fisher Bros., of this city. Then Honeyman & Co., of Portland, came in and claimed a lien on the machinery. After a couple of hearings in the circuit court, the case finally went to the supreme court on appeal by Honeyman, and will be argued on Monday next. Judge Bowley will appear for Fisher Bros., and Frank Spittle will present the case for the Portland firm.

A BAMBOO CRAZE.

One of Astoria's economical and would-be members of the water commission, was on his mettle last night. Using his good right arm for a handle he pumped a large amount of atmosphere in and out of his form while he told some of his acquaintances what his what about the railroad, and things in town generally. Those who listened to the would-be commissioner did not know (with one or two exceptions) what was working on him. It was fair to suppose that he had absorbed some of the music from Utzinger's band practice, but as that had worked off early in the evening, the uninitiated were at a loss to account for the gentleman's renewed youth and vigor.

The fact was, he had made a timely discovery that smashes up into little bits the hard nut known in history as "Astoria's Water Works Question."

This discovery consists of a big bamboo forest located down in Old Mexico. He reports that bamboo in this great forest grow to be two or three feet in diameter! They are hollow and very tough. A hundred trees could fall on one and not be broken. He urges that about 100 miles of bamboo of varying diameter be purchased by the city of Astoria, to be used for water mains to the new reservoir.

This bamboo, so he enthusiastically states, can be bought at "steep cents a lineal yard, and the freight on the entire 100 miles is not expected to exceed unsteep cents a hundred weight.

This makes these bamboo water mains cost nearly 100 per cent less than the old-fashioned and costly pipes now in use.

It is the fact that this would-be commissioner had the secret of this great and timely discovery looked up in his breast that has made him so gay lately.

Brethren, let us resolve to watch this enthusiast. He is liable to cut a caper at any hour now.

What's better eating than halibut? You can get them on the schooner Surprise, three pounds for 25 cents. The schooner is at the Telephone dock.

Service at St. Thomas-by-the-Sea, Shipanon, Tuesday evening (April 10) at half-past seven, the Rev. Wm. S. Short, of Astoria, officiating. Those having mite boxes will please bring or send them at that time.

PERSONAL.

R. James and wife, of Portland, are in the city.

M. Lough, of Chicago, leaves for San Francisco this morning.

George Carr, of Carr & Son, Bond street, London, is in the city.

J. C. Hanthorn and family have returned to Astoria for the summer.

Mrs. Crosby has been appointed director and leader of the M. E. church choir.

HE WANTS LIGHT.

H. Ekstrom has fixed his prices for jewelry to suit the times, and the latest novelties can be secured at the cost of material used in the manufacture.

THANKS.

The Ladies' Guild of Grace (Episcopal) church desire to extend their thanks to the many who donated help and provisions, and also to those who by their presence assisted in making their supper a financial success.

SMOKE! SMOKE! SMOKE! SMOKE!

If you want any thing good to smoke, Key West, imported, or domestic, you must go to Chas. Olsen.

PROPOSALS.

Sealed bids will be received at this office for remodeling the Astorian building. Plans and specifications can be found on premises.

THE ASTORIAN.

RAFFLE.

Any one having chances in Frank Dopporich's boat and net will please call at Ford & Stokes' for their money, which will be paid upon proper identification of the person claiming it.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Progressive Land and Building Association will be held at the house of Job Ross, in Astoria, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 17th day of April, 1894, at 7 o'clock p. m.

P. L. PARKER, Secretary. Dated this 8th day of April, 1894.

A SURE CURE FOR PILES.

Itching Piles are known by moisture like perspiration, causing intense itching when warm. This form, as well as Blind, Bleeding or Protruding, yield at once to Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy, which acts directly on the parts affected, absorbs tumors, allays itching and effects a permanent cure. 50c. Drugist or mail. Circulars free. Dr. Bosanko, 329 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by J. W. Conn.

NEW TO-DAY

The Celebrated "MOTHER'S FRIEND" Shirt Waist for Boys, in White and Colored.

Prices 50 Cents. to \$1.00.

Sizes, age 4 to 12.

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FIRST CLASS BOARD—With or without rooms, at reasonable rates. Apply at E. C. Holden's, corner Main and Jefferson.

WANTED.

WANTED—A boatman to carry fish from Ilwaco. To furnish sloop. Stated salary would be paid for entire season. Apply at this office.

AGENTS—Makes \$5.00 a day. Great kitchen utensil ever invented. It takes 35cts. 2 to 6 sold in every house. Sample, postage paid, five cents. Forshie & McManis, Cincinnati, O.

WE WISH to employ a few good men to make \$50 to \$100 a week selling our Home Electric Motor. Runs sewing machines, printing presses, pumps, etc. Everybody buys them. Steady employment. Easy situation and good wages. Address W. P. Harrison & Co., Clerk No. 14, Columbus, Ohio.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE CHEAP—An 18-foot, double-ended, Whitehall boat, suitable for a rancher. Apply at Main street dock, opposite Parker House.

CHANCE FOR ALL—Men of small means can buy real estate in Hill's first addition.

LOTS FOR \$2.—Call at the Astoria Real Estate Exchange and get a lot in Hill's First Addition for \$2.

JAPANESE CURIOSITIES—Wing Lee has just received a full line of Japanese curiosities and fancy goods. Will sell at cost. 629 Third street.

BEVERAGES.

FINE WINES AND LIQUORS—Call at August Danielson's Sample Rooms.

ONLY THE PUREST Wines and liquors are sold at Alex Campbell's Gem.

A DELICIOUS DRINK.—There is no place in Astoria where John Kopp's famous beer is kept in such good condition as at Utzinger's popular resort.

WINES AND BRANDIES—Use Zinfandel wine instead of coffee or tea. Fifty cents per gallon. Don't forget peach and apricot brandy. Also French Cognac and wine at Alex Gilbert's.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HOTEL.—Remember McGuire's Hotel at Seaside is open the year around.

CALL ON P. BAKER, 473 Third St., and have your clothes dyed and cleaned.

SEWING MACHINES—And general repairing, lock-fitting, etc. C. A. May, 132 Main street.

GEO. McLEAN, corner Olney and Astor streets, does a general business in blacksmithing and repairing.

WHEN IN PORTLAND—Call on Handley & Haas, 150 First street, and get the Daily Astorian. Visitors need not miss their morning paper while there.

YOUR FRIENDS IN EUROPE—If you have friends in Europe whose passage you wish to prepay to Astoria, call at the Northern Pacific office, at the Telephone dock, and make known your wants. Reduced fare via all the leading steamship lines.

ARE YOU GOING EAST? Patronize the Northern Pacific railroad if you are going East. Low rates of fare, through tickets, baggage checked to destination. All purchasers of second-class tickets can stop over at Portland. Rates of fare same as from Portland.

The Fire's Out!

The hired girl's out; the cake and biscuit is out. Company has come. "Nothing is out in the house." What's to be done? Why, send the eldest boy out the back gate, down to Cleveland's Bakery on Main street, and get what you need for just such emergencies.

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FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account in the estate of Henry Powell, deceased, and the court has set Monday, the 17th day of May, 1894, at the hour of 11 o'clock A. M. for the hearing of objections thereto, if there be any. Astoria, March 29, 1894.

MARION POWELL, Executrix.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

PILOT COMMISSIONERS—The regular meetings of this board will be held on the first Monday of each month at 10 a. m., at the office of Robb & Parker. W. L. Robb, Sec.

NOTICE—The regular meetings of the Astoria Building and Loan Association are held at 8 p. m. on the first Wednesday of each month. Office on Genevieve street, south of Cheamus. W. L. ROBB, Secretary.

OCEAN ENCAMPMENT No. 13, I. O. O. F.—Regular meetings of Ocean Encampment No. 13, in the Odd Fellows' Building, at 7 p. m., on the second and fourth Mondays of each month. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. By order C. P.

COMMON COUNCIL—Regular meetings first and third Tuesday evenings of each month at 8 o'clock in city hall. Persons desiring to have matters acted upon by the council at any regular meeting must present the same to the auditor and clerk on or before the Friday evening prior to the Tuesday on which the council holds its regular meeting. K. OSBURN, Auditor and Police Judge.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.



H. A. SMITH, DENTIST. Rooms 1 and 2, Pythian Building, over C. H. Cooper's store.

W. C. LOGAN, D. D. S., DENTAL PARLORS. Mansell Block, 673 Third street.

J. E. LAFORCE, D. D. S., HAS DENTAL PARLORS. — in the — Flavel building, opposite Occident.

FULTON BROS., ATTORNEYS AT LAW. Rooms 3, 4, 5, and 6, Odd Fellows' Building, Astoria, Oregon.

W. M. LAFORCE, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Rooms 5, 6 and 7, Flavel's Brick Building.

SILAS B. SMITH, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office in Flavel's brick building.

FRANK J. TAYLOR, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Astoria, Oregon.

J. Q. A. BOWLEY, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW. Office on Second Street, Astoria, Or.

DR. O. B. ESTES, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Special attention to diseases of women and surgery. Office over Danziger's store, Astoria.

JAY TUTTLE, M. D., PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, AND ACCOUCHEUR. Office, Rooms 3, 4, over Astoria National Bank, between 12 and 13 to 5 Residence, 639, Cedar street.

DOCTOR ALFRED KINNEY, OFFICE AT HIS RESIDENCE. May be found in his office until 10 o'clock mornings, from 12 noon until 2 p. m., and from 5 until 7:30 evenings.

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F. WICKMAN, CONTRACTOR. House moving and street planing. Screws and blocks for rent. Call on or address 2037 Pine street.

A. GIBBONS, ADJUSTER OF ACCOUNTS AND PROFESSIONAL BOOKKEEPER. Office, with General Messenger Co., 615 Squemoque street.

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I. R. & N. CO.'s Steamer Ilwaco.

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