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## A HAPPY MAN



Is one who does right and just by his fellow man, and whose clothes fits him. We cannot make you honest, or straight if you ain't built that way. But we can sell or make you clothes that fit you to perfection, and at prices that will astonish you.

Full lines of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Trunks, Valises, etc.

The OSGOOD MERCANTILE Co.

The One Price Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers  
506 and 508 COMMERCIAL STREET, ASTORIA, OR.

## You Can't Eat a Piano

Nor wear it—nor live in it. Consequently it is not really a necessity. But do we live just to eat, sleep and wear clothes? Music

should brighten every home and the piano with its compliment of sheet music should be placed within the reach of all. We have 3000 pieces of sheet music that we are selling at 10c a sheet. You have paid from 40c to 60c for the same.

GRIFFIN & REED.

## \$2 FOR AN \$80 LOT!

BY BECOMING A MEMBER OF HILL'S LOT CLUBS YOU CAN GET A FIRST CLASS LOT IN HILL'S FIRST ADDITION TO ASTORIA. LOTS WILL BE DELIVERED WEEKLY. NOW IS THE TIME TO PROCURE A

Lot to Build a Home, for \$2

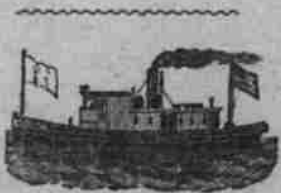
The Packers of Choice

## Columbia River Salmon

Their Brands and Locations.

NAME	LOCATION	BRAND	AGENTS	AT
Astoria Pk & Co.	Astoria	Astoria Pk Co. Kinney's John A. Devlin	M. J. Kinney	Astoria
Booth A. Pk & Co.	Astoria	Black Diamond Oval	A. Booth & Sons	Chicago
Columbia River Pkg Co.	Astoria	Cocktail	Cutting Pkg Co.	San Francisco
Elmore Samuel	Astoria	Magnolia White Star	Elmore, Sanborn & Co.	Astoria
George & Barker	Astoria	Epicure Palm Desdemona	George & Barker	Astoria
J. G. Megler & Co.	Brookfield	tag, St. George	J. G. Megler	Brookfield Wn
Fishermen's Pkg Co.	Astoria	Fishermen's Scandinavian Fishermen's	Fishermen's Pkg Co.	Astoria

## Str. R. P. ELMORE



Will leave for Tillamook Every Four Days as Near as the weather will permit.

The steamer R. P. Elmore connects with Union Pacific steamers for Portland and through tickets are issued from Portland to Tillamook Bay points by the Union Pacific Company. Ship freight by Union Pacific Steamers.

ELMORE, SANBORN & CO., Agents, Astoria.  
UNION PACIFIC R. R. CO., Agents, Portland.

## REPUBLICAN SUCCESS

So Predicts Chairman Babcock of Rep. Cong. Com.

THE REPORT WAS UNTRUE.

No Trouble With British Consul In Costa Rica--The New Greek Church.

Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Chairman Babcock, of the Republican congressional committee, today, addressed a dispatch to Vice-Chairman L. D. Apsley, of Hudson, Mass., claiming for the Republicans the election of 183 members of congress, four more than a majority of the house, and the probable election of 218 Republicans. The dispatch is: "I have late information from all the states and close congressional districts, and without a single exception these reports show large Republican gains, and from the latest advices I figure upon 183 districts that will elect Republicans beyond any question, and 35 districts in which they will have an even chance to elect. I confidently believe we will have a good working majority in the next house."

The detailed estimate by the chairman is:

State	Sure	Prob'le
Alabama	0	0
Arkansas	0	0
California	5	6
Colorado	1	2
Pennsylvania	25	26
Rhode Island	2	2
Connecticut	2	2
Delaware	1	1
Florida	0	0
Georgia	0	0
Idaho	1	1
Illinois	12	12
Indiana	7	7
Iowa	10	10
Kansas	6	6
Kentucky	1	1
Louisiana	0	0
Maine	4	4
Maryland	2	2
Massachusetts	11	11
Michigan	10	10
Minnesota	6	6
Mississippi	0	0
Missouri	4	4
Montana	1	1
Nebraska	4	4
Nevada	0	0
New Hampshire	2	2
New Jersey	5	5
New York	20	24
North Carolina	1	1
North Dakota	1	1
Ohio	15	15
Oregon	2	2
South Carolina	1	1
South Dakota	2	2
Tennessee	3	3
Texas	0	0
Vermont	2	2
Virginia	2	2
Washington	2	2
West Virginia	2	2
Wisconsin	7	7
Wyoming	1	1
Totals	183	218

Mr. Faulkner, chairman of the Democratic committee, would not make a detailed prophesy. He says the committee feels confident from its advices that the Democrats will elect a majority of its members, and does not see how the complexion of the house can be changed from Democratic to Republican. He cannot understand on what the Republicans base their assertions of control.

### THE RESULT IN WASHINGTON

A Republican Victory Is Claimed by 5,600 Majority.

Seattle, Wn., Nov. 5.—Washington will tomorrow elect two congressmen-at-large and two justices of the supreme court, and vote on an important constitutional amendment relative to the investment of state funds. Half of the state senators—17, and all the members of the house—72, are to be elected. The Republicans will win by at least 5,000. Most of the estimates go much higher. In every Republican county there is a fusion between the Democrats and Populists on the legislative ticket, and from reports received up to tonight the Post-Intelligencer claims the legislature by a small majority.

### CAMPAIGN CLOSED.

Colfax, Wn., Nov. 5.—S. C. Hyde, the Republican candidate for congress, closed his campaign here tonight. He received a most enthusiastic reception.

### THE REPORT UNFOUNDED.

Kansas City, Nov. 5.—There is absolutely no truth in the report sent from here by special correspondents that Gov. Stone had ordered the Third Regiment of N. G. E. to report for active duty at the army in anticipation of

## THE COSTA RICA TROUBLE.

It Is Denied in a Dispatch to the Charge d'Affaires at Washington.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Senior Jose

Quin Bernardo Calvo, charge d'affaires of Costa Rica, has received a dispatch from Senor Hecheco, minister of foreign affairs, saying there is no foundation for the report from British Columbia that an attack had been made on the British consulate at Punta.

### DOUBLE MURDER.

Spaulding, Ohio, Nov. 5.—The bodies of a boy, aged 7, and his sister, aged 5, children of Samuel Good, a prosperous farmer who have been missing since yesterday, were found in a brush head today. The boy's throat was cut from ear to ear. The girl was decapitated and disemboweled. The weapon used was an axe. The theory is advanced that the girl was outraged and the double murder committed to hide the crime.

### FUNG WUNG CHING BURNED.

Yokohama, Nov. 5.—The report carried to the Associated Press that Fung Wung Ching was set on fire before its evacuation by the Chinese has been confirmed by advices from the front. The Chinese evidently abandoned all hope of making a successful defense, against the advancing Japanese army, so set fire to the castle and then fled without waiting to be attacked.

### TOKIO A FREE PORT.

London, Nov. 5.—Dispatches from Tokio say the plan of the Chinese on the Japanese coast has been abandoned, and orders have been issued to remove the torpedoes from Tokio Bay. Navigation to the harbor is now declared free. A decree forbidding the sale of gunpowder in Japan has been cancelled.

### CLOSE TO TALIEN WAN.

London, Nov. 5.—The Times will publish a dispatch tomorrow from Tsin saying the Japanese lines to Port Arthur were cut yesterday by a narrow isthmus between Port Arthur and Tallien Wan, indicating that the Japanese are within a day's march of the Tallien Wan forts.

### LI HUNG'S WHEREABOUTS.

Shanghai, Nov. 5.—It is stated that Li Hung Chang, instead of taking command of the first Chinese army, as it was said he had been ordered to do, has been transferred from Tien Tsin to Peking.

### A VAST ARMY.

Shanghai, Nov. 5.—It is stated here that 70,000 Siberian troops are gathered at the Russian port of Vladivostok.

### RECEIVERSHIPS TERMINATED.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 5.—Judge Jenkins made an order today terminating the Northern Pacific branch line receiverships and authorizing the Northern Pacific receivers to lease the lines and operate them. The so-called western committee will leave St. Paul tomorrow night to go over the entire system and make leases with the various companies.

### THE FIRST INSTALLMENT.

Hawatha, Kan., Nov. 5.—The first installment of workmen of the Pullman Co. Operative Club reached here from Chicago today. Thirty-five families and 115 people were in the party. Fifteen thousand dollars has been subscribed by the citizens of Hawatha to start the enterprise, and ground for the shops will be broken at once.

### GEN. BOOTH ARRIVES.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Gen. Booth, Commander of the Salvation Army, received an enthusiastic reception on his arrival here today. He met all the clergymen of the city this afternoon and this evening addressed an immense assemblage.

### THE ARGUMENT BEGUN.

Vancouver, Wn., Nov. 5.—Testimony in the Wham court-martial closed today and the argument was begun. Court adjourned until Wednesday, when the argument will be finished.

## THE MARKETS.

San Francisco, Nov. 5.—Wheat—There is decidedly an improving tone to the situation, and dealers generally are of the opinion that the market is going to do better; \$3 3/4-35 for No. 1 shipping; \$5 1/4 for choice; milling, \$3 3/4-35 1/2.

Liverpool, Nov. 5.—Wheat, steady; holders offer sparingly; No. 2 red winter, 46 5/8; do spring, 4s 1-2-3.

Hops at London, Pacific Coast, firm; holders offer sparingly; new crop, 12 1/2 @ 12 3/4.

New York, Nov. 5.—Hops, steady; Pacific coast, 2 1/2-3; London market firm.

Portland, Nov. 5.—Wheat, valley, 72 1/2-2; Walla Walla, 63 3/4.

### REFUSED AN INJUNCTION.

Tupelo, Nov. 5.—In the Santa Fe case today, Judge Foster, in a lengthy opinion decided in favor of the defendants, refusing to grant an injunction. It is expected the stockholders will hold a meeting today to elect directors.

Judge Foster decides the cumulative system of voting does not apply to the election of directors for the Santa Fe. The prospective committee was overwhelmingly defeated on every point. The election will be held by the stock holders this afternoon and the present board of directors will be elected, with the possible exception of Speare and Severy.

### SMALL-POX IN WASHINGTON.

Washington, Nov. 5.—There was another small-pox scare in the interior department today, when it was announced that Ballard Morris, the principal examiner of the patent office, had the disease. Commissioner Seymour ordered the division in which Morris worked to be closed.

### THE STEAMER RELEASED.

Yokohama, Nov. 5.—The British steamer Gaelic, from San Francisco, which was seized by the Japanese on the ground that she was carrying contraband of war, has been allowed to sail, as it was found upon investigation that the suspicion was unfounded.

### ATTEMPTED TRAIN WRECK.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 5.—An attempt was made last night to wreck the Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston passenger train near Monongahela City. Ties were piled upon the track. The engineer saw the obstructions in time. Three men disappeared in the darkness as the train stopped. It is supposed the object was robbery.

### A PROMINENT WEDDING.

New York, Nov. 5.—Hon. E. D. White, associate justice of the United States supreme court, was married to Mrs. Virginia Montgomery Kent at Jesuit church St. Francis Xavier, this morning.

### TO LIE IN STATE.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 5.—The body of the late Ctr will be brought here next Monday where it will lie in state for seven days.

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Dr. Holmes was an inveterate wag in private life. An apt illustration of this was furnished when, in writing a reply to a note dated from the then newly invented "Manchester-by-the-Sea," he dated his answer from "Beverly-by-the-depot."

### PARDONED BY THE PRESIDENT.

Washington, Nov. 5.—The president has pardoned Herbert Guy, sentenced

### THE STORY DENIED.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 5.—Governor Flower said today regarding the story published in the New York papers that he had pardoned John Y. McKane from Sing Sing: "The publication is absolutely false. The idea of pardoning McKane never entered my mind."

### HIGHEST OF ALL IN LEAVENING POWER.—LATEST U. S. GOV'T REPORT.

**Royal Baking Powder**  
ABSOLUTELY PURE