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CITY ELECTION.

Wednesday, December 12, 1894.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Councilman, First Ward—G. WINGATE.
For Councilman, Second Ward—JAS. W. WELCH.
For Councilman, Third Ward—CHRIST. GRAMMS.

(From Monday's Extra.) THE MESSAGE.

Through a courtesy of the Western Union Telegraph Company—extended gratuitously to all the daily newspapers in the country—the Astorian is enabled to present to its readers an admirable synopsis of President Cleveland's message, read but a few hours since to the national congress assembled more than three thousand miles away.

To those who were expecting a sensation, the message is a disappointment; and though a very fair sample of the style and diction usual to the president, it is remarkable only for what it omits to say.

No reference is made to the still existing financial and industrial depression, nor to the fearful and unexampled labor conflicts or troubles of the past few months. No explanation is attempted of the late stupendous political revolution, and no apology made for the many alleged mistakes of the administration, so generally and mercilessly criticized by the press and people of all parties.

The people of the Pacific Coast will especially regret that the Nicaraguan canal situation and prospect has not been deemed worthy of any consideration or suggestion whatever, and it is plain that the president either takes no interest in that important subject, or is opposed to any action of congress at this time in its direction.

Taken altogether, the only thing unusual or extraordinary in the whole message, is its brief explanation and unqualified endorsement of the strange and intricate scheme of banking and currency devised by the secretary of the treasury, coupled with a positive declaration that the plan of selling bonds to replenish the government's diminishing gold supply will be resorted to as often as he, the president, shall deem proper or necessary.

Utter want of confidence in the Democratic party does not necessarily involve absolute trust in any other. Presumably many of the voters who swung from the Democratic party to the Republican party knew that the entire power of the government could not by those votes be transferred to another party at the last election. That the party wanted to deprive the Democratic party of further power for mischief, and to prevent it from going further in the course it had pursued, is as clear as anything can be, but it would not be strictly logical to infer that the same voters are prepared to turn over unrestricted power to the Republican party. It is wiser to assume that the conduct of the Republican party itself during the next two years will have great weight in deciding what the verdict shall be in 1896. If it faithfully

and wisely uses what power it has to serve the people, in congress, in the state, and in city governments, it will have a right to expect a measure of confidence greater and not less than was manifested by the votes of last month.

By the report of the water commission made last week it appears that several citizens are very slow in executing deeds for the dedication of a street through which it is proposed to lay the water pipe. It is of great importance that this matter be finished immediately. The names of those dedicating the street, and those who have shown an utter indifference toward the matter will appear in a few days. The property owners should see that the publication of the latter list is not made necessary.

It is modestly suggested that the extra edition of the Astorian published on yesterday will serve as a creditable advertisement of the city's prospective future, and a sufficient supply can be found on the counting counter to accommodate all who may wish to send them to friends or Eastern connections.

Cleveland's idea as expressed in his message that the easy and direct way to maintain the country's credit is to keep on increasing its interest-bearing debt, may be consonant with some of his other notions of the science of government, but the people will not be apt to take that view of it.

The committee appointed in the Young's Bay bridge matter is a decidedly strong and representative body, and the certainty that we are to get a railroad, renders the success of the enterprise now more than ever a public necessity.

The very atmosphere is pregnant with a feeling of more prosperous times, and when work on the railroad and water-works is properly started, it will take a wide-awake citizen to keep up with the procession.

Surely there are many better ways of preventing the abuse of the postal service by bogus newspapers than that of increasing the postage rate on second class matter, as recommended by the president.

It is the duty of the city Republican committee to see that Mr. Wingate's interests as candidate for councilman in the First Ward do not suffer during his absence on public business at Salem.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE THIRD WARD.

My political opponents have circulated rumors to the effect that if elected I shall oppose the contemplated improvement of the alleyway through blocks 2, 3, and 4, Adair's Astoria. I hereby stamp such reports as false and pledge all honorable support to said improvement, believing same to be for the welfare of the city.

CHRIST GRAMMS.

NOTICE.

I hereby announce myself as independent candidate for councilman for the Second Ward.

G. ZIEGLER.

SHILOH'S CURE is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption. It is the best cough cure. Only one cent a dose. 25 cents, 50 cts. and \$1.00. For Sale by J. W. Conn.

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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.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of December, 1894, a general election will be held in the city of Astoria, Oregon, for city officers, namely: One councilman from each ward. There is hereby set off and established for the purposes of the said general election, to be held on the 12th day of December, 1894, the following election precincts, to-wit:

WARD NUMBERED ONE. Precinct numbered One be and the same shall embrace all of the city of Astoria west of 7th street in said city as laid out by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney and as recorded and laid out by Hustler & Alken.

WARD NUMBERED TWO. Precinct numbered Two shall be the City of Astoria bounded on the west by 7th street in McClure's, and Hustler & Alken's Astoria, and on the east by the eastern boundary of Ward Numbered One.

WARD NUMBERED THREE. The boundary of Precinct Numbered Three shall be and the same shall be identical with the boundaries of Ward Numbered Two.

WARD NUMBERED FOUR. The boundaries of Precinct Numbered Four be and the same shall be identical with the boundaries of Ward Numbered Three.

FIRST WARD. Polling place numbered one in precinct numbered one shall be at engine house numbered one on Astor Street.

SECOND WARD. Polling place numbered three, in precinct numbered three, shall be at what is known as Welch's Block, on Commercial street.

THIRD WARD. Polling place numbered four in precinct numbered four shall be at what is known as Smith's Cannery, in Adair's Astoria.

FIRST WARD. Polling place numbered One—Judges: C. W. Holt, L. Leback, and P. A. Trullinger. Clerks—H. B. Ferguson, Thos. Boelling.

SECOND WARD. Polling place numbered Two—Judges: B. F. Allen, H. D. Thing, and A. M. Smith. Clerks—H. M. Thatcher, L. E. Selig.

THIRD WARD. Polling place numbered Three—Judges: Geo. F. Welch, C. R. Thomson, L. Larsen. Clerks—G. Zeigler, C. J. Trenchard.

FOURTH WARD. Polling place numbered Four—Judges: W. H. Wood, W. B. Painter, Fred Wright. Clerks—W. B. Adair, O. E. Morton.

The following named judges are hereby appointed and designated chairmen in the respective polling places: Polling place numbered One—P. A. Trullinger. Polling place numbered Two—B. F. Allen. Polling place numbered Three—C. R. Thomson. Polling place numbered Four—Fred Wright.

By order of the Common Council. (Attest) K. OSBURN, Auditor and Police Judge, Astoria, Oregon, November 29th, 1894.

BOND STREET IMPROVEMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Astoria, Oregon, have determined to improve Bond Street from the west line of 43d street to the west line of 45th street, all in the City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair, by grading to the full width of said street so much of said portion thereof, as is of greater height or elevation than the established grade thereof, and by planking such part of said street that is to be graded with new sound fir plank three inches in thickness to the width of 20 feet through the center of said street and by laying sidewalk 10 feet in width on the north side thereof, and by piling, capping and planing the north half of so much of said portion of said street as is of a height or elevation less or lower than the established grade thereof, and by laying sidewalk 10 feet wide on the north side, railings where necessary, all to be done in accordance with plans and specifications and ordinances in relation thereto.

The lands and premises upon which the special assessment shall be levied to defray the cost and expense of said improvement, and the district embracing the said lands and premises to be and the same are designated as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of Block 6, in the part of said city as laid out and recorded by John Adair, and running thence east on the south line of said block to the southwest corner of Block 7, thence south on the west line of said Block 7, and the west line of Block 8, to the southwest corner of said Block 8, and thence easterly on the south line of Block 8 and 98 to the southeast corner of Block 98, and thence northerly on the east line of Blocks 98, 99, 104, 106, and 110, and thence westerly on a straight line from the northeast corner of Block 110, to the northwest corner of Block 116, and thence southerly on the west lines of Blocks 116, 114, 112, and 6, to the place of beginning, and all lots and blocks and/or premises contained within said district, and not included in streets or alleys are determined to be specially benefited by such improvement and liable to such assessment.

Estimates of the expense of such improvements and plans and diagrams of such work or improvement and of the locality to be improved have been deposited by the City Surveyor with the Auditor and Police Judge for public examination, and may be inspected at the office of such officer.

At the next regular meeting of the Common Council after ten days from the final publication of this notice, to-wit: On Tuesday, January 1st, 1895, at the hour of 7:30 p. m. at the City Hall, the Common Council will consider any objections to such improvement being made, and if a remonstrance against such improvement is presented by persons owning more than one-half of the property in such district herein described and on which the special assessment is to be levied, shall be filed with the Auditor and Police Judge before said time of meeting of the Common Council, no such improvement or work shall be ordered in any event.

By order of the Common Council. (Attest) K. OSBURN, Auditor and Police Judge, Astoria, Oregon, November 23, 1894.

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Our customers, or anyone who has ever worn our shoes, and the reply will be,

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FIFTEENTH STREET GRADE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Astoria, Oregon, propose to establish the grade of Fifteenth street, in the town (now city) of Astoria, Oregon, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively, from the north line of Commercial street, to a point 140 feet north of the said north line of Commercial street, at elevations above the base of grades for the streets as established by Ordinance No. 71, entitled "An Ordinance establishing a base of grades for the streets of the City of Astoria," as follows, to-wit: At the north line of said Commercial street, 19 feet.

At a point 140 feet north of the north line of Commercial street, 19 feet. The grade to be of even elevation throughout the width of the street at any one point and upon a straight line between the points above designated. And unless a remonstrance signed by the owners of three-fourths of the property fronting on said portion of said street be filed with the Auditor and Police Judge within ten days from the final publication of this notice, to-wit, on Tuesday, December 12th, 1894, the Common Council will establish said grade.

By order of the Common Council. (Attest) K. OSBURN, Auditor and Police Judge, Astoria, Oregon, November 15, 1894.

"EAGLE CANNING CO." POSTPONEMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the above company held this 31st day of October, 1894, the assessment levied on the 24th day of September, 1894, was postponed and made delinquent on the 20th day of November, 1894, and the sale day Monday, the 17th day of December, 1894.

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