

DIG CITIES EDUCATE.

One Must Think Quickly, and Keep His Wits.

Fierce Competition Urges Men and Women to their Utmost.

Nerves and Brain First. Give Way Under the Terrific Strain.

Men die in the big cities like trees, beginning at the top.

It is apoplexy, heart failure, nervous prostration, shock, congestion of the brain, and stroke that characterizes the mortality lists in the great centers of population.

A 1947 teaches one to think quickly, to be always on the alert and quick to avoid danger, as well as to see the lucky chance. It is impossible to go slowly even if one has no pressing need for funds. The rush is contagious. One finds himself drawn along by the rapidly moving crowds and is soon hurrying with the rest. It is undoubtedly true that two-thirds of the men and women one sees tearing through the streets are in no such actual haste. They are merely victims of this fearful habit of hurry.

But whether the fearful rush is essential or not, the result is the same. Nerves and brains are exhausted, men and women grow prematurely aged, times of depression follow the high-strung condition. The entire nervous system must be rapidly and fully nourished to prevent utter prostration and collapse. It is estimated by physicians that Faline's celery compound annually saves thousands upon thousands of men and women living in cities from breaking down under their work. It builds up the substance of the nerves and brain faster than it is torn down by even such prodigious waste. It cures permanently all weakness of the stomach, liver and kidneys, and takes away any tendency of these vital organs to relax.

President Cleveland will re-appoint Chief-in-Chief George W. Melville chief of the bureau of steam engineering upon the expiration of his present term, on August 9. Mr. Melville is now enjoying his second term as chief of the bureau.

A PIKE OF HER MIND.

A lady correspondent has this to say: "I want to give a piece of my mind to a certain class who object to advertising, when it costs them anything—this won't cost them a cent. I suffered a living death for nearly two years with headaches, backache, pain standing or walking, was being literally dragged out of existence, my misery increased by drugging. At last in despair I committed the sin of trying an advertised medicine, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and it restored me to the blessedness of sound health. I honor the physician, who when he knows he can cure, has the moral courage to advertise the fact."

The medicine mentioned cures all the delicate diseases peculiar to females, as "Female Weakness," periodical pains, irregularities, nervous prostration, spasms, chorea or St. Vitus's Dance, sleeplessness, threatened insanity. To permanently cure constipation, biliousness, indigestion, or dyspepsia, use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

Congressman W. L. Wilson, of West Virginia, has accepted the invitation of Chancellor Fulton to deliver the annual address at the commencement of the University of Mississippi, June 4.

LIKE A SIEVE.

The chief function of the kidneys is to separate from the blood, in its passage through them, of certain impurities and watery particles which make their final exit through the bladder. The retention of these, in consequence of inactivity of the kidneys, is productive of Bright's Disease, dropsy, diabetes, albuminuria, and other maladies which attend the retention of urine. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a highly sanctioned diuretic and blood depurative, impels the kidneys when inactive to renew their filtering function, and strains from the vital current impurities which infect it and threaten their own existence as organs of the body. Catarrh of the bladder, gravel and retention of the urine, are also maladies arrested or averted by this benign promoter and restorative of organic action. Malaria, rheumatism, constipation, biliousness, and dyspepsia also yield to the Bitters, which is also speedily beneficial to the weak and nervous.

Life: "So you let Mr. Clincker kiss you last night?" "Yes. How did you know?" "He asked me today if I would forgive him."

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says, "Biller's Vitallizer 'SAVED MY LIFE.' I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For Dyspepsia, Liver or Kidney trouble it excels. Price 75 cts. For Sale by J. W. Conn.

Buffalo Courier: Blinks (meditative) "What a greedy world this is; the great majority of people are always after money. Hardup (sadly)—Yes; and a long way after it, too."

Take a dose of DeWitt's Little Early Risers just for the good they will do you. These little pills are good for indigestion. Good for headache, good for liver complaint, good for constipation. They are good. Chas. Rogers.

Pastor is to have a bust erected in his honor in the normal school of Paris, and the Rue d'Ulm is to be called the "Rue Pasteur." The bust will cost \$300.

You ought to know this: DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will heal a burn and stop the pain instantly. It will cure bleeding chapped hands, ugly wounds, sores, and is a well-known cure for "Itch." Chas. Rogers.

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Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. World's Fair Highest Medal and Dilemma.

CURE THAT TAKE THE BEST

COUGH WITH SHILOH'S CURE. It is sold on a guarantee by all druggists. It cures Croup, Whooping Cough, and is the best Cough and Croup Cure. For Sale by J. W. Conn.

LOOK OUT FOR COLD WEATHER.

But ride inside the Electric Lighted and Steam Heated Vestibule Apartment Car trains of the Chicago, Milwaukee, and St. Paul Railway, and you will be as warm, comfortable, and cheerful as in your own library or boudoir. To travel between Chicago, St. Paul or Minneapolis, or between Chicago and Omaha, in these luxuriously appointed trains, is a supreme satisfaction; and as the somewhat ancient advertisement used to read, "for further particulars see small bills." Small bills (and large ones, too) will be accepted for passage and sleeping car tickets. All coupon ticket agents on the coast sell tickets via the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway, or address C. J. Eddy, General Agent, Portland, Or.

Four members of the lower house of the present congress have been promoted to the senate—Lodge, of Massachusetts, Gear, of Iowa, Burrows, of Michigan, and Wilson, of Washington. The number promoted to private life is much larger.

THE DISCOVERY SAVED HIS LIFE.

Mr. G. Callosette, Druggist, Beaverville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles around, but of no avail, and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle, and began to use it, and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a trial bottle free at Chas. Rogers' Drug Store, Odd Fellows' building.

The fiscal court of Fayette county, Kentucky, has appointed a committee to ascertain the cost of two bloodhounds, to be procured and kept for the purpose of tracking criminals. There is talk of similar action in other parts of the state.

CURE FOR HEADACHE.

As a remedy for all kinds of headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure, and the most dreaded sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle and give the Bitters a fair trial. In cases of headache, constipation, Headache, Painful Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy, or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strength are guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only fifty cents, at Chas. Rogers' drug store, Odd Fellows' building.

Under the Minnesota law as interpreted by the courts, husbands are held responsible for libels committed by gossiping wives. The inalienable right of life, liberty, and the pursuit of gossip is sadly abridged in the penalties.

State of Ohio, County of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank L. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that the said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY, Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, 1885. A. W. GLASBON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by druggists, 75 cents.

Clay eaters are not confined to our Southern States. Humboldt found them in Utah America. The practice of clay eating is common throughout the torrid zone, and is not unknown in Sweden, Norway, Finland, and New Zealand.

A THOUGHTFUL PERSON.

Consults his best interests by having a box of Krause's Headache Capsule at hand; taken as directed will prevent or stop any kind of a headache, no matter what the cause—in fact if you skull were cracked it would prevent pain. The frequency of the attacks will diminish, and by taking the capsules at the approach of a headache, you will never have another. Twenty five cents per box.

For sale by Chas. Rogers, Astoria, Oregon. Sole Agent.

The chaplain of the New York senate recently uttered a prayerful appeal "that all crooked things be made straight." The success of the appeal depends upon the boss to whom it was directed.

"We might tell you more about One Minute Cough Cure, but you probably know that it cures a cough. Everyone does who has used it. It is a perfect remedy for coughs, colds, hoarseness. It is an especial favorite for children, being pleasant to take, and quick in curing. Chas. Rogers.

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DUANE STREET IMPROVEMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Astoria, Oregon, have determined to improve Duane street from the east side of 14th street to the west side of 11th street, (except the crossing of 11th street), in the city of Astoria as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney, by removing all defective piles, caps and stringers, and putting in new and sound fir piles, posts and sills wherever necessary, and new caps and stringers, and planing the same with new and sound fir plank four inches in thickness, and by building sidewalks on both sides thereof; all the improvements to be made in accordance with plans and specifications, and in relation thereto.

The lands and premises upon which the special assessment shall be levied to defray the cost and expense of such improvements are described as follows: Block numbered 64, hence easterly along center lines of Blocks 44 and 64, to the eastern boundaries of Block numbered 64, thence northerly along center lines of Blocks 44 and 61, to the northeast corner of Lot 8, Block numbered 61, thence westerly along center lines of Blocks 61 and 60, to the west boundary of Block numbered 60, thence southerly along western boundaries of Blocks 60 and 44, to point of beginning; containing Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, in Block 44; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, in Block 61, and Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, in Block 60, and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, in Block 60, and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, in Block 60, and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, in Block 60.

Estimates of the expense of such improvements and plans and diagrams of such work are on file in the office of 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 Wednesday, March 6th, 1895, at the hour of 7:30 p. m. at the City Hall, the said Council will consider any objections to such improvement being made, and if a remonstrance against such improvement, signed by persons owning more than one-half of the property in such district described, and in which the special assessment is to be levied, shall be filed with the Auditor and Police Judge before the said time of meeting of the Common Council, no such improvement or work shall be ordered except by the concurrence of all the Councilmen elect, and if such remonstrance shall be signed by the persons owning three-fourths of all the property in such district and filed with the Auditor and Police Judge before the 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, January 31, 1895.

THIRTY-FIFTH STREET IMPROVEMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Astoria, Oregon, have determined to improve thirty-fifth street from the north side of Franklin avenue to the south side of Duane street (exclusive of crossings) in the city of Astoria as laid out and recorded by John Adair, by grading to its full width and established grade, putting in new fir piles, caps and stringers, and by planing with new and sound fir plank and by building sidewalks on both sides thereof.

All of the improvements to be made in accordance with the 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 such improvement and the district embracing said lands and premises, be and the same are designated as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the Northwest corner of Lot Number 3, of Block Number 3, running thence east to the middle of the north line of Block Number 19, thence south through the middle of said Block 19, to the southeast corner of Lot 7, of said Block 19, thence west to the southwest corner of Lot 6, in Block 18, thence north through the middle of said Block 18, to place of beginning. Containing Lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, of Block 19, and Lots 7, 8 and 9 of Block 19, all in Adair's Addition.

Estimates of the expense of such improvements and plans and diagrams of such work are on file in the office of the Auditor and Police Judge for public examination, 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.

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On Wednesday, March 6th, 1895, at the hour of 7:30 p. m. at the City Hall, the said Council will consider any objections to such improvement being made, and if a remonstrance against such improvement, signed by persons owning more than one-half of the property in such district herein described, and in which the special assessment is to be levied shall be filed with the Auditor and Police Judge before the said time of meeting of the Common Council, no such improvement or work shall be ordered except by the concurrence of all the Councilmen elect, and if such remonstrance shall be signed by the persons owning three-fourths of all the property in such district and filed with the Auditor and Police Judge before the 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, February 9, 1895.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

Senator-elect Baker, of Kansas, is the sixth senator elected from that state since the war who was not in the army.

VIGOR OF MEN

Easily, Quickly, Permanently Restored. Weakness, Nervousness, Debility, and all the train of evils from early errors or excesses, are cured by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. It is a perfect remedy for all the ailments of men, and is a perfect restorative of the system. It is a perfect restorative of the system. It is a perfect restorative of the system.

For sale by Chas. Rogers, Astoria, Oregon. Sole Agent.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. World's Fair Highest Medal and Dilemma.

GRAND... MASQUERADE.

.....BALL, Given by the SONS OF HERMAN,

Fisher's Hall, Feb. 22, 1895.

For the best sustained character, there will be three prizes for Gentlemen and three for Ladies. Prizes can be seen at Foad & Stokes Co.

Tickets—Gentlemen Maskers, \$1.00. Lady Maskers free. Spectators, 50 cents.

Japanese Bazaar

SING LUNG, Prop. Says a customer of some of those new goods that we have just received for full trade, and that we're selling so remarkably cheap. They are the best bargains we ever got in Astoria. They are capturing in quality and style and will make a record as purveyors.

417 Bond Street, next door to Moulter's Fruit Store.

Kopp's Beer Hall.

Choice Wines, Liquors and Cigars. KENTUCKY WHISKEY Only handed over the bar. The largest glass of N. P. Beer. Half-and-half, 35c. Free Lunch.

Chas. Wirkkala, Proprietor. Cor. Concomly and Lafayette Sts.

St. George's Rheumatic Bitters

Specially Manufactured to aid those afflicted with RHEUMATISM. It gives tone to the stomach and purifies the blood better than any other bitter known.

For sale by all leading druggists, or Address "G. R." P. O. Box 69, Astoria, Or.

PETER BRACH, General Agent 417 Commercial Street, Astoria, Oregon. Telephone No. 24.

J. A. FASTABEND, GENERAL CONTRACTOR,

PILE DRIVER, HOUSE, BRIDGE AND WHARF BUILDER. Address, box 180, Postoffice. ASTORIA, OR.

Dalgity Iron Works,

General Tinsmith and Boiler Works. All kinds of Cannery, Ship, Steamboat and Engine Work of any Description. Castings of all kinds made to order. Foot of Lafayette St., Astoria, Or.

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As Franklin says, good dress opens doors. You should not lose sight of the fact that a perfect fitting suit is the main feature. Wamamaker & Brown are noted for fit, workmanship and superiority of quality. Their representative shows in Astoria every two months. Office of Deikum building, Portland, Or. Reserve orders till you have seen the spring line of samples.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS CONTRACTOR.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, Oregon, until 10 o'clock, a. m., on the 22nd day of February, 1895, at which time they will be opened. The object of the contract is to construct a bridge over the north line of Block Number 19, from the north side of Franklin avenue to a point on the north line of Duane street, as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney. Bids must state the price per linear foot for terra cotta piers, the price per man-hour, including material, for the abutments, and the price per linear foot for digging and filling trenches, also total amount for entire work, reference being had to the contract for the parties thereto. Bids must be strictly in accordance with printed blanks, which will be furnished on application at the office of the Auditor and Police Judge. The contract will contain a provision to the effect that in case of failure to complete said work within the time specified, the contractor shall forfeit the sum of \$5 per day for each and every day required to complete the said contract in excess of the time specified. Each bid must also be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of \$200.00, or by a guarantee, signed by two responsible tax-payers of the city of Astoria, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such bidder, he will, upon its being so awarded, enter into contract therefor with good and sufficient sureties for its faithful performance. The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved. By order of the committee on streets and public ways. (Attest) K. OSBURN, Auditor and Police Judge. Astoria, Oregon, Feb. 12th, 1895.

EXTENDED SYMPATHY.

"Do unto others as you would have others do unto you," is sympathetically shown in the following lines, the presumption being that sympathy is born, or akin to pain or sorrow:

"Gentlemen—Please send Krause's Headache Capsules as follows: Two boxes to Flora Seay, Havana, N. Dak. Two boxes to Lillie White, Brookland, N. Dak. I have always been a great sufferer from headache and your Capsules are the only thing that relieve me." Yours very truly,

FLORA SEAY, Havana, N. Dak. For sale by Chas. Rogers, Astoria, Or. Sole Agent.

The Arcade.

Commercial Street. WE KEEP NO BOOKS. NO BAD DEBTS STRICTLY CASH.

You don't want a carpet sweeper that barks the furniture or brushes the life out of the carpet, or kicks up dust in the air, or leaves a trail of dirt behind about for you to trip over. You may come across that sort under one name or another. Pass on, and remember Elson's Grand Rapid Sweeper. It comes as near to "broom work" as a machine can. No noise, no drag on you to run it, almost sucks the dust up, and dumps with a touch; the brush just skims, or dips in as you press lightly or heavily on the handle. You'll say it monopolizes the Sweeper virtues. And the price is only \$2.50.

The Celebrated Buttermilk Soap

This Reflector Lamp, with chimney wick and burner, 35c. Large Bottle Household Ammonia 15c. Wash Boards 17c. to 30c. Comforts 1.15. Bedding per yard 12c. Lace from 1c a yard to 14c. Overalls 50c. Quilts 18c. Silk Garter Web per yard 10c. Breakfast Shawls 35c. Bedspreads per roll 2c. Pearl Buttons from 7c to 15c a dozen. Smoked Pearl Buttons 10c to 25c a dozen. Towels 5c. Table Oil Cloth 19c and 29c a yard. Boys' Pants 18c, 20c, 25c. Ladies Underwear all prices. Corset Waist 19c. Men's Underwear all prices. DeLong's Hook and Eyes per card 12c. Safety Pins per dozen 2c. 1 Foot Knives 5c. Shoe Brushes 10c. Nursing Bottles 9c. Vaseline, large bottle 50c. Boys' Suspenders 10c. Men's Suspenders all prices. Umbrellas \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00. Ladies' Hose 9c. Playing Cards 8c, 10c, 27c, 34c. Men's Hose 5c to 32c. No 4 Lamp Chimney 6c. Coffee Mills 10c, hold a pound, 67c. Real Top Looking Glass, 25c.

Glass Syrup Pitchers 21c. Padlocks 7c, 12c, 15c. Chopping Bowls 13c, 27c, 30c. Clothes Pins 25 for 5c. Glass Tumblers 20c a set. No 4 Lamp Chimney 6c. No 8 "Never Break" Skillets 34c. Tin Pot Covers 3c, 4c, 5c. Jake Lifters 5c. Scalloped Sheet Paper 30 sheets 5c. 10 Feet of Clothes Line 4c. Bottle of Sewing Machine Oil 4c. Nickel Alarm Clocks 9c. "Freezer Kettles 10c, 12c, 14c. 25c. No 6 Novelets 6c. Decorated Chamber Pails 33c. Telephone Lamps with burner and chimney 32c. Travelling Alcohol Lamp 15c. eat Saws 33c. Coat Hooks 6 for 5c. Fire Shovel 8c, 10c, 17c. Tea Spoons per set 5c. Iron of 1/2 Braquet per pair 4, 9, 22c. Knives and Forks per set from 42c to \$1.05. Meat Broilers 7c. Dover Egg Beaters 10c. Wire Hair Brushes 15c., 23c. Armlets 5c. Files, 12c. Dog Chains 15c. Butt Hinges from 2c. to 8c. Brass Boxes, 35c., 55c., 75c. Corn Poppers, 7c., 14c. Strap Hinges, 3c., 5c., 7c., 9c. Red Ink 4c. a bottle.

Knife Baskets 43c. 2 Quart Coffee Pot 10c. " " " 12c. " " " 15c. 2 Quart Copper Bottom Coffee Pot 15c. " " " 19c. Tea Trays 9c., 11c., 15c. 14 Quart Tin Pail 10c. Dish Pans 18c. Dish Pans 18c. Pint Cups, 2 for 5c. Large Glass Pitchers 19c., 28c. Lanterns 45c. Picture Hooks 1c. Window Shades with spring rollers 25c.

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Commercial Street.

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If so, drop a line to A. C. Sheldon, general agent of the "Hurlington Route," 259 Washington st., Portland. He will mail you free of charge, maps, time tables, and advise you as to the through rates to any point, reserve sleeping car accommodations for you, and furnish you with through tickets via either the Northern, Union, Southern, Canadian Pacific, and Great Northern railroads at the very lowest rates obtainable.

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These tiny Capsules are superior to Balsam of Copaliba, Cubebis and Injections. They cure in 48 hours the same diseases without any inconvenience. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

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THE OASIS OF THE COLORADO DESERT. A New Health Resort. BELOW THE LEVEL OF THE SEA.

Absolutely Dry and Pure Tropical Climate. Pronounced by Physicians the most Favorable in America for Sufferers from Lung Diseases and Rheumatism. Many Remarkable Cures.

The objections urged against Indio in the past by the large numbers who otherwise would have been glad to take advantage of its beneficial climate, has been a lack of suitable accommodations. The Southern Pacific Company, takes pleasure in announcing that several

Commodious and Comfortable Cottages have just been erected at Indio stations, that will be rented to applicants at reasonable rates. They are furnished with modern conveniences, supplied with pure artesian water, and so situated as to give occupants all the advantages to be derived from a more or less protracted residence in this delightful climate.

(From the San Francisco Argonaut.) "In the heart of the great desert of the Colorado—which the Southern Pacific road traverses—there is an oasis called Indio, which, in our opinion, is the sanitarium of the earth. We believe, from personal investigation, that certain invalids, there is no spot on this planet so favorable."

G. E. Stewart, M. D., writes: "The purity of the air, and the eternal sunshine, fill one with wonder and delight. Nature has accomplished so much that there remains for man to do. As to its possibilities as a health resort,—here is the most perfect sunshine, with a temperature always pleasant, a perfectly dry soil, or rain is an unknown factor; pure oxygen, dense atmosphere and pure water. What more can be desired? In the place, above all others, for lung troubles, and a paradise for the invalid. Considering the number of sufferers who have been cured, I have no hesitancy in recommending this 'real oasis' as the haven of the afflicted."

INDIO is 612 miles from SAN FRANCISCO and 130 miles from LOS ANGELES.

are from Los Angeles \$3.50. For further information inquire of Southern Pacific Company agent, or address E. P. ROGERS, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt. S. P. Co. J. B. KIRKLAND, Dist. Pass. Agt. G. E. Stewart, M. D., Portland, Or. Cer. First and Alder Sts., Portland, Or.

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Pullman and Tourist Sleepers. Free Reclining Chair Cars.

Astoria to San Francisco.

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Queen, Wednesday, February 18th. Columbia, Monday, February 19th. Queen, Saturday, February 23d. Columbia, Thursday, February 28th.

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