

UNDER A DISGUISE.

The paper known as the "Astoria Herald," had better come out and call itself "The Mercury"...

BLACKMAILING

It would not surprise anyone. Below we quote the article that the Astoria Herald-Mercury publishes in its effort to blackmail Cheap Charley:

The man who has opened up a cheap joint in the Mansell building is possessed of unlimited gall. Their stock is a disgrace to Astoria. It is composed of rotten, shelf-worn, out of style trash...

The public can easily see the object of the so-called Herald; it thinks it can COMPEL

Us to do business with it; but it has made a sad mistake this time. We would advise the so-called Herald to buy a bottle of "Get-on-to-Them-selves Bitters"...

CHEAP CHARLEY.

The Wrecker of High Prices.

571 Commercial Street.

Tide Table for April, 1895.

Table with columns for DATE, HIGH WATER, LOW WATER, and tide heights in feet and inches for various days in April.

Along the Water Front

The new double addition to Kinney's old cannery was shingled yesterday. The Ida Hazel made two trips down to the Can Factory and bonded warehouse yesterday.

The Highland Home went up the river yesterday morning in low of the Okelahama, with Captain Phil Johnson in charge. She reached Portland late last evening.

The O. K. yesterday afternoon took a load of lumber to Chinook River for John Olson, superintendent of the American Star Paving Co.

Saturday's trading brought the usual number of boats brought to the mosquito fleet round the water front, and business at all the provision stores was very brisk and satisfactory.

Yesterday morning the steamer Columbia went down to Tillamook Rock and the lightship with supplies. The new mate was put on board the lightship, and Captain Archie Cann taken aboard and brought up to the city.

Owing to the necessity of washing boilers and cleaning up the engine room generally the steamer Mendell was laid up at Flavel's dock all day yesterday.

The Signal left up river for Portland yesterday afternoon after discharging fifty tons of her rice at the bonded warehouse. Six out of her nine Chinese passengers ran the gauntlet of custom house inspection...

A workman was busy yesterday repairing all the loose planks on Flavel's dock. Several Chinamen stood around him in a dismal fashion and sadly watched him cover up their favorite fishing spots one by one.

The steamer Oregon arrived in yesterday morning with seventy tons of freight for this city, consisting of general merchandise, tin bark and tin plate.

CLATSOP CITY NOTES.

Mr. Stoneham, formerly foreman on the Jetty, is visiting Mr. C. W. Carnahan. Miss Maud West, who is teaching at Oney, spent last Saturday and Sunday at her home on Clatsop Plains.

The farmers in this vicinity are taking considerable interest in the result of Mr. West's experiments with bone fertilizers. Judging by the appearance of his oats as compared with oats sowed on ground not fertilized...

The steam launch Bertie did not do as well on her trial as was expected. Her owner intends to take her out of the water again and put some additional work on her engines and hull.

The Columbia Harbor reading room and office has been decorated with a handsome stream sign and every time John Welch runs up his blue "22" flag he steps in the middle and gazes on it with a look of deep satisfaction.

What cows received first premium at the World's Fair for producing the richest milk? Jersey cows, and those are the only kind that J. A. Rowan sells milk from.

STEAMER SARAH DIXON. Commencing Saturday evening, April 27th, single trip, \$1.00; round trip, \$1.50. Upper berths, 25 cents; lower berths, 50 cents.

Mothers raising their babies on the bottle have fast, strong and healthy babies by using J. A. Rowan's Jersey milk, as he makes a specialty of milk for babies and the sick.

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STEAMER BAILEY CATZERT. In place of Steamer Telephone. Leaves Astoria for Portland and way landings at 7 p. m. daily, Sunday excepted.

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ETIENNE LECHE, N.Y.