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Can be built just to suit your pocket-book by

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Never has there been such a stock of sterling silver jewelry as that now on display at our store.

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Manufacturers of every description of Lounges, Mattresses, etc.

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Women don't come here to buy rousette steaks, and all other kinds of meat simply because it's Christensen & Co.'s.

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Hundreds of business and professional men are now coming to our place--

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Daily, Why? Because they can at any time, day or night, call for a sandwich here and get it.

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The Astoria is an Office.

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W. F. SCHIEBE never made. Don't expect to make, either.

Business men of Astoria visiting Portland have for years been accustomed to take their mid-day lunch at the "Gem."

ROSS HIGGINS & CO. Grocers, and Butchers

Choice - Fresh - and - Salt - Meats.

White Kid Slippers!

White Kid Oxfords!

White Canvas Oxfords!

JOHN HAHN & CO.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Local weather for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m. yesterday, furnished by the United States department of agriculture weather bureau.

For Summer Wear We are Showing Naninsook, Dimity, Indian Linen, Oregandies, Pongee Silks.

ALBERT DUNBAR, Agent for the Equipole Waist.

Try Smith's ice cream.

Fresh strawberries at Smith's today.

Sweet cream at Smith's 20 cents pint.

Smith's ice cream is unequalled. Ice cream soda a specialty.

What brings people back to the Astoria Wood Yard after they have sounded the possibilities everywhere else?

No better milk was ever brought to Astoria than is furnished for five cents a quart by Reith & Wilson.

Mr. Humphrey has some choice Chinook salmon at his market near Revere Hall.

THE PALACE BARBER SHOP is now giving one of their two-bit shaves for 15 cents.

The greatest accessory to good looks is a smooth, soft skin.

What cows received first premium at the World's Fair for producing the richest milk?

Mothers raising their babies on the bottle will have fat, strong and healthy babies by using J. A. Rowan's Jersey milk.

CHAMBER SETS

At your own price at Foard & Stokes Co's.

The Palace Bath House encourages folks to bathe by having everything first class.

EYES--Two hard-working servants--Yet quickest to rebel when over-worked.

What is the use of having a "humor form divine" unless you care for it and drape it and clothe it so as to make it a source of joy to yourself and a pride to your friends?

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Crockery, Glass and Plated Ware, White Sewing Machines, Hardware, Boat and Fishermen's Supplies, Paints and Oils, Ship Chandlery, Feas, Coffers and Groceries, California Wines, Medicinal Pure Liquors.

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Fresh Candy Made Every Day.

Butter, Eggs, Cheese and all kinds of Fruit in Season.

Cigars, tobacco and Groceries.

AROUND TOWN.

G. Olsen says there is nothing new but the rain.

A box of four season perfumed soap for 25 cents at Rogers'.

Born--Last evening, May 29, to the wife of James Hudi, a daughter.

The tramp steamer Signal arrived in at 8 o'clock last evening, from Vancouver, B. C.

A contract was let yesterday for the electric light plant on board the steamer Telephone.

Jerry Dunn was yesterday fined \$10 for fighting. This is the first time in six months that Jerry has appeared before the court.

Out of respect to the dead secretary of state, the flags on the government vessels, and the custom houses were displayed at half mast yesterday.

Yesterday the Bailey Gatzert brought down a fine blooded horse for Mr. W. T. Chittler. The animal came from the celebrated stables at Yakima.

The streets are again in a very filthy condition. The fall being empty, it is not probable that the thoroughfares will receive a cleaning very soon.

Several creditors of the Oregon Pacific, who reside in Astoria, have received it pretty straight that the Bonner-Hammond sale will not be confirmed.

Today the general and carriers' windows at the postoffice will be open from 8:30 to 9:30 a. m., and from 5 to 6 p. m. One delivery will be made in the business district.

Clinton & Sons begin the work on the improvement to Bond street as soon as the piling arrives on the ground. It is expected that the piles will be delivered tomorrow.

Notice the change--To give place to the Salvation Army the W. C. T. U. will meet today and during the summer months in the study room of the Presbyterian church.

Today the Seashore road will run two trains each way from Seaside and the Young's Bay road will have those who wish to visit the beach an opportunity to make the round trip in a day.

At the adjourned meeting of the city council last night the mayor and all but two members were present. On motion of Mr. Young, the meeting was again adjourned until Monday next at 10:30 a. m.

The following were passengers for Portland on the steamer Bailey Gatzert last evening: F. Lettenwayer, C. E. Bain, N. Nutner, Miss Warner, H. Caldwell, C. Monroe, G. Jackson, F. Johnson, C. M. Cutbirth.

As soon as the steamer Telephone comes off the ways at Portland, the Gatzert will be taken of the run and have a new shaft in its wheel. The shaft has arrived from the East, and is now in the company's warehouse at Portland.

For all cleaning purposes, domestic or mechanical, removing scale from steam boilers, making soap, or deodorizing the kitchen sink, use Red Seal Lye.

An oval soldering machine was completed at the Astoria Iron Works yesterday and carried to the Cutting Edge Co's factory. This is the third machine turned out in the last month.

Recorder Gunderson yesterday placed the vault of his office a new, double, patent roller book rack, the upper part for holding records, and the lower which is about six inches wider, for flat books. It is one of the best and most complete book racks in the country.

Yesterday Pat. Lawler's market was the scene of much interest. The cause was the arrival of several fine sturgeon, one being a particularly handsome fish weighing 150 pounds, and two weighing over 400 pounds. The lot was shipped to Portland on the evening boat.

At about 10 o'clock last night the clouds broke away for a few moments just before the moon, leaving a small round opening, through which the rays of light shone upon the lighter clouds below. The effect was very beautiful and had the appearance of a huge search light in the heavens.

Contractor Leback will commence at once to raise the Tenth Street station in Uppertown. The building will be elevated about eight feet from its present position, which will make a much-needed improvement. Pete Bruch, the proprietor, is alive with the times and believes in having things in the best possible shape.

Henry Gilbrison, who was arrested Monday on the charge of stealing wine from Elmore, Sanborn & Co's warehouse, was yesterday bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$2,000. Gilbrison came here in the early part of the month on the schooner Kate and Ann, and for a while pursued fishing here.

Arrangements are being made to ship strawberries into this market in ton lots daily so that the people of Astoria may soon be able to procure that delicious fruit at bottom prices. One of Astoria's outstanding business men is at the head of the movement and will know in a few days whether the plan can be put in operation.

The following were among the passengers for Portland on the Potter last evening: H. Goldberg, C. Denning, J. O. Hanthorn, L. Marx, Mrs. G. E. Flavel, M. Rosenblatt, M. C. Crosby, Wiley Bushong, J. Wadhama, Miss Rice, L. Ruppman, C. F. Swickert, Miss McCuen, F. Abrahamson, Mrs. J. T. Young, Mrs. E. Elmore and wife, J. M. Arthur, M. Emanuel, M. Crosby, Miss Carrie Booth, Mrs. Rucker, T. Foster, Rev. Strickle, E. D. Brodie, T. Crosby.

Yesterday afternoon "Crazy Pete," the fisherman, while crossing over from Knappaen alone in his boat, met with an accident opposite Booth's cannery. A sudden squall struck the boat and in a flash she was bottom up and Pete in the water. Fishermen near by in a Columbia Cannery Co's boat, hastened to the rescue, and soon had the unfortunate man out of the water. In the meantime a crowd had gathered on the roadway leading from the car track to Booth's net rack, where their combined weight crushed in our two children, throwing eight people into the river. Considerable excitement prevailed for a time, but all were soon pulled out of the water not much the worse off for their scare. The damage to the roadway was not serious.

Yesterday Secretary VanDusen received a dispatch from Rudolph Kleybold & Co., Cincinnati, to the effect that the second payment of \$5,000 on the water works bonds is now ready, and to ship at once the necessary bonds in the same manner as the last shipment. As soon as a meeting of the water commission can be called, the bonds will be ordered shipped as per request. This will leave but \$6,000 due the commission, which is sometime in October, and as the present payment is not due until July it is reasonable to suppose the October payment will be forthcoming long before the time when due as per contract.

Yesterday Chairman Welch, of the inside right of way committee, turned over to the secretary the deed of Dolph, Upton and Welch, which completes the deeds inside the city with the exception of the lots that will necessarily have to be commenced. The labor of the committee are practically ended, and in a few days their report will be ready and submitted to the general committee of twenty-one. It will certainly be an interesting document, and will show a remarkable result of the labors of the gentlemen connected with it. The right of way is complete to the O. R. and N. dock, unless it be one suit to be filed against a small tract in Uppertown. West of the O. R. and N. dock several strips are still out, but condemnation proceedings will be instituted at once, and it is not thought the expense of securing the right of way through these tracts will amount to more than a few hundred dollars.

While Contractor Behm and several of his men were at work in the new water tunnel at Coxcomb Hill Sunday afternoon, the roof caved in at one spot about twenty feet in their rear, effectually penning the men for the time being. The men were naturally frightened, but with great presence of mind Mr. Behm said, "Boys, we will camp right here and go to work." And they did. Mr. Behm staying with them and helping to clear out the debris. The accident was caused by the recent heavy rains soaking down from above through a hole made by the engineer in testing the character of the earth. The surface of the ground sank down about four feet, leaving a circular hole nearly six feet in diameter with its sides almost perpendicular. Something like two tons of earth was deposited in the tunnel. The debris was all removed yesterday, and the breach repaired with heavy timbers. Work is progressing as usual. The tunnel is now into the hill perhaps 100 feet, and but for the accident would by this time have been 100 feet further. A little work was done yesterday on the reservoir, but the earth is so slippery for the teams and so heavy to move that little can be done. Work will be resumed today if the weather clears.

Thirty years ago today, says the Oregonian, a flagstaff was raised on board the steamer S. G. Reed. Yesterday the flagstaff, with the gilt ball at the top, was sent over to the railroad shops at Albina that the ball might serve as a pattern for a new one. The twentieth cut it open and found inside a note enclosed in a brown paper envelope, addressed "To the Finder." The note was as follows: "Portland, Or., May 23--This flagstaff was raised today by order of the Oregon Steam Navigation Company, by William Gates, who has signed his name on the margin, assisted by Daniel B. Foster, who looked on and furnished the whiskey, President, J. T. Cuckles; vice-president, S. G. Reed." The names of William Gates and Daniel B. Foster are written on the margin. The note was taken care of by Master Mechanic J. F. Graham.

All old-time citizens know S. G. Reed, who is now living in Southern California, and most of them remember Foster, who for years had a bar on the company's boats, and who died some years since. Mr. Ruckie was one of the organizers of the old Oregon Steam Navigation Company, and built the old tooth bridge at the Cascades. Gates may have been some relative of John Gates, so long chief engineer of the company.

There is a barber's war in progress on a down town street, and if it continues, it will soon have a sensational history with Bowery prices. Recently a new barber came to town and opened a shop close by one already in existence. The new shop hung out a sign that read: "Shaving 10 cents." As the other shop was a 15 cent house, it is needless to say the new arrival got the cream of the business, and by week by week the established shop tired of seeing the new comer doing all the work, so a sign that covered the whole front of the building was announcing that shaving would be done for 10 cents and hair cutting 15 cents. The new barber met the cut, and now the rival artists are resting on their arms, each waiting for the other to make a move.

C. R. F. P. UNION NOTICE.

Regular monthly meeting of the Columbia River Fishermen's Protective Union will be held at their reading room Saturday, June 1, 1905, at 7:30 p. m. sharp.

Final action on the scow Pathfinder will be taken.

Members in good standing are requested to be present and have their book or receipt.

ROFAS JENSEN, Secretary.

FREE PILLS.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of constipation and sick headache.

For malaria and liver troubles they have been proved perfectly free from any deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action but by giving tone to the stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size, 25 cents per box. Sold by Chas. Rogers, druggist, Odd Fellows Building.

KNIGHTS OF THE MAJACCABES.

Lincoln, Neb., as follows: "After trying other medicines for what seemed to be a very obstinate cough in our two children we tried Dr. King's New Discovery and at the end of two days the cough entirely left them. We will be without it hereafter, as our experience proves that it cures where all others fail." Signed, F. W. Stevens, State Com.--Why not give this great medicine a trial, as it is guaranteed and trial bottles are free at Chas. Rogers' drug store. Regular size 50 cent and \$1.00.

NOTICE

Is hereby giving forbidding Cuckwood or removing wood or stone from any of my land without first making satisfactory arrangements with James W. Welch.

NANCY WELCH.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

Awarded Gold Medal Midwinter Fair, 1904.

Most Perfect Made.

40 Years the Standard.

PERSONAL MENTION.

F. C. Reed has returned from Portland. J. C. Truax, of Chicago, is at the Occident.

J. Dessen, of Cincinnati, is at the Occident.

David West, of Cathlamet, is visiting in the city.

Mrs. M. C. Crosby returned from Portland yesterday.

E. B. London, of Portland, is stopping at the Occident.

J. L. Marks, of San Francisco, is registered at the Occident.

Mr. C. E. Bain went to Portland last night on the Astoria.

Mr. C. M. Cutbirth was a passenger on the Gatzert last night.

Mr. George H. George and wife returned from Portland yesterday.

C. F. Swigert, of the Pacific Bridge Co., returned to Portland last night.

H. G. Smith and wife returned yesterday from Portland on the Gatzert.

Mr. Samuel Elmore and wife went to Portland last night on the Potter.

J. M. Gillett and Charles Sheldon left for Frisco on the Oregon yesterday.

Miss A. E. Gilbert left for San Francisco yesterday morning on the Oregon.

Fred Lettenwayer will make a visit in Portland, having left for that city last night.

Mrs. George Flavel went to Portland on the Gatzert last night for a visit in the metropolis.

B. A. Seaborg, of Ilwaco, returned from Portland yesterday and was a guest of the Parker House.

O. L. Pederson yesterday went to the Lewis and Clarke to make a visit on his farm for a few days.

J. J. Byrnes and daughter, who have been guests of Capt. Brenell, of the Kirkhill, have returned to Portland.

Miss Carrie Booth went to Portland on the Potter last evening for a short visit to her aunt, Mrs. N. B. Pendleton.

Roland Thomas, of Liverpool, England, was in the city yesterday, a guest at the Occident. He returned to Portland last night.

C. A. Barrows, of Knappaen, came down from Portland yesterday and stopped at the Parker House on his way home, going over to Knappaen in the afternoon.

Lee Herring and wife returned yesterday from Junction City. Lee says it rained all the time he was away, so that he did not get to hunt, although there were plenty of pheasants to be had. He was much pleased with the fine country in that part of the valley and would not object to living there.

IT MAY DO AS MUCH FOR YOU.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a severe kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back, and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so-called kidney cures, but without any good results. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to cure all kidney and liver troubles, and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove its statement. Price, only 50 cents for large bottle, at Chas. Rogers' drug store.

STANDS WITHOUT A RIVAL.

Centlemen: I have been troubled with very severe headaches for years, and have taken a great many different remedies, but have never found any thing to give me as speedy and permanent relief as Krause's Headache Cures. In my opinion they stand without a rival; they have cured me in "very case." JNO. N. WILKIE, 38 Adams Ave., West, Detroit, Mich. For sale by Chas. Rogers, sole agent Astoria, Oregon.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD.

Last, two nets, as follows: On April 27, down below, 200 fathoms of net--100 fathoms last year's web, large mesh, and 100 fathoms new small mesh net. Some corals branded S. P. Co. and Friday forenoon, May 19, on Peacock Spit, deep, Barbour's 49-12 and 50-15 twine. I will pay one hundred dollars reward for the arrest and conviction of the man who cut either of the above nets. Finder or party claiming the reward please report at Scandinavian cannery.

ANDREW WEVANG.

Dalgity Iron Works, General Machinist 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.

North Pacific Brewery

JOHN KOPP, Prop

Bohemian Lager Beer

And XX PORTER.

All orders promptly attended to.

Awarded Highest Honors--World's Fair, Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Most Perfect Made.

40 Years the Standard.

COAL DISCOVERED IN ASTORIA.

A Small Vein Struck in the Water Works Tunnel.

The workmen in the water works tunnel cut through a small vein of coal on Saturday, which gives every indication of being a first-class grade of bituminous coal. Contractor Behm made a test of a small sample and declares that it is all right. The vein, which is a perpendicular one, is about four inches in thickness, and is of a bright, live appearance. The formation of the ground and the position of the vein all indicate that it is a slide from the hill above. Perhaps here lies another source of wealth to Astoria, to be added to its already large number of natural advantages. The lead is worth following.

CARDIFF CHALLENGES RYAN.

Portland, Or., May 28th, 1885. Editor Astorian:

Dear Sir: I see by the Astorian that Mr. Jimmy Ryan, of Australia, has beaten two of your local pugilists and is anxious to meet any man, barring weight, on this coast, and I notice my name mentioned in the list.

I will accommodate Mr. Ryan with the following proposition:

I will box Mr. Ryan, four, six, or ten rounds, "Queensbury" rules to govern, and will wager from one hundred to five hundred dollars (\$500.00), on the result, using smallest gloves allowed, contest to take place in Astoria or Portland, at any time that suits Mr. Ryan.

Hoping that this will stop any further controversy on this subject, I remain, Yours Truly, PATSY CARDIFF.

SKAMOKAWA ITEMS.

Editor Astorian: Mr. John Ellison made a business trip to Astoria.

Mr. Wm. M. Colwell is quite ill with the la grippe.

Mr. Leatherett, one of Murphy, Grant's commercial travellers, was in town Monday.

Mr. Ike Stevens was a passenger for Portland on the Sarah Dixon Monday morning.

Mr. P. J. Olsen went to Portland Tuesday night. He has been quite ill and is going there for medical aid.

Miss Josie D. Groves came down from Portland last week and is visiting with her sister, Mrs. H. N. Price.

State Treasurer O. A. Bowen, of Olympia, was in town last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Price.

Mr. H. Melroy, of Chehalis, arrived here last week and will assist Mr. Price, who left Tuesday morning on a land cruising trip. He expects to be gone until June 10.

The Elworth League met Friday evening, March 24, after the usual order of services were conducted by Mrs. Elmer E. Colwell (in the absence of the president). A short program was rendered consisting of music, both instrumental and vocal, and recitations. The most interesting feature of the evening was a debate resolved, That the United States senate should be abolished. Those on the affirmative side were Rev. Tomkins, Messrs. Silverman and Ross, on the negative side were Messrs. Stewart, Williams, and J. Nevill. Ten minutes was allotted to each one to speak on; all the gentlemen spoke well and made very good arguments. At the close of the debate the judges decided that the affirmative side won. The debate was entertaining as well as instructive and we hope it will not be long before we have another.

FOLLY AS IT FLIES.

A man arrested and locked up for being full can always be baited out.--Galveston News.

Men of might are often those who might have made a success in life, but they didn't.--Syracuse Post.

If we were a young man we wouldn't fall in love with a girl who loves a dog.--Athens Globe.

The most profitable business in this world is getting other people to work for you.--New York Record.

The onion and the baseball pitcher are paying strict attention to their up-shoots.--Cleveland Plain Dealer.

When a man goes out between the acts the breath of suspicion usually taken the form of a clove.--Philadelphia Record.

"Yes," said the literary man with a sigh, "style is a thing for a writer to have, but when his wife's got it, too, it takes all the profit away."--Texas Sitings.

A man appeared in Kansas announcing that he was king of kings and lord of lords. He must be one of those fellows who has solved the monetary question.--Minneapolis Journal.

Jimmy, say I got out of a bad scrape today. Tommy--Did yer? What was it? Jimmy--Somebody told me mother a fellow called "Muggsy" broke a man's window down a street. If she only knew dat wuz me!--Puck.

If a shoe looks small one can put up with a little pinching, but when a shoe, as the saying is looks big as all other shoes, and at the same time pinches like a vice there is no pleasure even in a tight shoe.--Boston Transcript.

"There's one thing to be said in favor of the pugilists that go on the stage," said Mrs. Meekton. "You never hear them quarrelling and bickering like tenors and leading men." "No," replied her husband, "nothing seems to go as we expected. The actors never seem to fight and won't act, and the fighters all want to act and won't fight."--Washington Star.

Her golden hair, her silvery voice, Ah, me, who could resist, 'Tis easy quite to make my choice, I'm a bimbleton.--Washington Star.

DID YOU EVER

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. The medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have loss of appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy, or troubled with Dizziness, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and strength are guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only 50 cents at Chas. Rogers' Drug Store, Odd Fellows