

Suits to-measure, \$35-- The only way to fit a man is to first find out just what kind of a man you have to fit--that's just what we do take your measure exact--and cut the suit for you--and it must fit, or we'll keep on.

CHAS. McDONALD, The Tailor, 123 Commercial Street.

Few Men Would Ask for a Finer Dinner than those we serve. We're trying in every way to make them the most enjoyable in town. All the "good things" of the season--cooked by our excellent cooks--in the most delicious style. Perfect service.

The Palace Restaurant Sterling Silver!

Never has there been such a stock of sterling silver jewelry as that now on display at our store. Half the town does not realize the imminence of this assortment.

EXSTROM, the Jeweler.

ASTORIA MATTRESS FACTORY, 378 Commercial Street.

Manufacturers of every description of Lounges, Mattresses, etc.

REPAIRING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES

When the tide sets one way there is always a cause for it. Women don't come here to buy roasts, steaks, and all other kinds of meat simply because it's Christensen & Co's.

WASHINGTON MEAT MARKET, CHRISTENSEN & CO., Prop'rs.

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

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

We expected to be mobbed for these sandwiches and our fresh 5 cent beer when the railroad comes.

Grosbauer & Brach.

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.

A Poor Cigar --- W. F. SCHIEBE never made. Don't expect to make either. But make this--a-t-t-f-a-c-t--

ROSS HIGGINS & CO. Grocers, and Butchers

Astoria and Upper Astoria. We have for years been accustomed to take their mid-day lunch at the "Gem."

White Kid Slippers! White Kid Oxfords! White Canvas Oxfords!

In buying these goods from us for graduation exercises one can be suited here just as well as though they had sent to San Francisco and had the goods made for them.

JOHN HAHN & CO.

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.

Japanese Bazaar SING LUNG, Prop.

Ladies' and Children's hats and duck suits. Ladies' and Gentlemen's underwear made to order.

ENGRAVER! Seals Steel Dies, Wood & Metal. Society Calling Cards and Announcements Engraved and Printed.

W. G. SMITH, 205 Morrison St., Portland, Or.

White Peque Kid Gloves! 4 buttons and heavy stitching on back a the newest thing in gloves for summer.

ALBERT DUNBAR.

Try the P. N. Corsets and you will wear no other.

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!

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Try Smith's Ice cream.

Fresh candies every morning at Smith's.

Sweet cream at Smith's 20 cents pint.

POSTAGE STAMP DEPOT--H. Jeldness, No. 613 Commercial street.

THE SPA--Colman's old stand, is the place for fresh candies and ice cream.

THE SAME PLACE--113 12th street is the place to buy fresh fish every day.

GRAND OPENING--Of all kinds of foreign novelty goods, at 566 Commercial street.

T. E. Schultz, fresco and scenic artist, with B. F. Allen, 305 Commercial Street.

Buy your insect powder at the Estes-Crain Drug Store. Only 35 cents per pound.

Our milk is guaranteed strictly pure and fresh from the cow daily. Reith & Wilson.

Pure Perlman Insect Powder at the Estes-Crain Drug Store. From 15 cents to 40 cents per can.

GRAEF & PLANK--No. 628 Commercial street, will repair your clothes for little money. Try them.

WORLD'S FAIR SALOON--Keeps the finest line of liquors and cigars in the city. Call and sample them.

If your watch don't run, call at 674 Commercial street, across from Shanahan Bros., and have it repaired.

DON'T FORGET--That at Nos. 214 and 216 Tenth street is the place to have your horse shod and repair work done.

Smith's Ice cream is unequalled. Ice cream soda a specialty. Private parlors for ladies. Commercial street.

PLEASE STOP, As you pass by Mal Strall's second-hand store, on Commercial street, and learn prices on his stock.

WAH SING & CO.--Merchant tailors, 636 Commercial street, cheaper than you can buy ready made. New stock complete.

A SURE THING--That you can get fruit and candy for less money than anywhere else at M. Moulter's, on Bond street.

PIANOS AND ORGANS--The Wiley B. Allen Co., "Branch," 710 Commercial St., Leading Makers. Low Prices. Easy Terms.

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.

No better milk was ever brought to Astoria than is furnished for five cents a quart by Reith & Wilson, and delivered in a clean and tightly closed glass bottle at your door every morning.

At the Eastern Clock Co., 107 12th street, the prices seem rather high, but when you come to think of it, after inspecting the quality of goods and the terms they offer, you'll find it's the cheapest place to buy.

Arrived--Mrs. Zwemer, trance medium. Can be consulted on all affairs of life. Call at Mrs. M. A. Hall's residence, 313 Exchange street, old Ross residence. Circles every Tuesday and Friday night at 8 o'clock.

What brings people back to the Astoria Wood Yard after they have sounded the possibilities everywhere else? May be it's one thing, and may be it's another. But the fact remains--back they come. And of course the Astoria Wood Yard is proud of it.

Business men of Astoria visiting Portland have for years been accustomed to take their mid-day lunch at the "Gem." The "Gem" is now located at 73 Third street, next door to the Almsworth Bank. Jos. E. Penny.

PACIFIC COMMISSION COMPANY.

Brokers and Commission Merchants.

Consignments Solicited of Poultry, Eggs, Butter, Fruit, Flour, Feed, Grain, etc.

Returns Made Quick.

Goods Sold at Wholesale.

No. 122 Twelfth St. Astoria, Or.

S. H. WILLET, PLUMBING.

Gas and Steam Fitting, Hot Air, Steam and Water Heating.

179 Twelfth street, Astoria, Or.

A. V. ALLEN, DEALER IN Groceries, Flour, Feed, Provisions, Fruits, Vegetables, Crockery, Glass and Plated Ware. Loggers' Supplies.

FREEMAN & HOLMES, Blacksmiths. Special attention paid to steamboat repairing, first-class horseshoeing, etc.

AROUND TOWN.

Fresh candies every hour at the Bonbonniere.

Get your milk of Reith & Wilson.

The Snow Bay Foundry is now running in full blast.

Bottle of Gambirius beer and sandwich, 15 cents, at Jos. Terry's.

H. B. Ferguson is suffering from an affliction of boils on the neck and face.

The Astorian will hereafter be found on sale at McGolden's Hotel at Seaside.

Louis and John Borchers, of Fort Stevens, were in town yesterday to hear the railroad news.

Stop that tickling in the throat with Rogers' Bronchial Tablets.

J. B. Copeland yesterday opened his new shoe store and expects to receive more stock today.

Beat ice cream and ice cream soda in the city at the Bonbonniere.

Plans are being drawn up for a new and elegant front for the real estate office of Robb & Parker.

Buy a piano or organ of the Wiley B. Allen Co., while the "boom" is on.

All of his friends were glad to see Dr. Baker about again yesterday. He is recovering rapidly from his recent accident.

Elegant pianos--low 100 prices. The Wiley B. Allen Co., 710 Commercial St.

The steamer Telephone made an exceptionally fast run from Portland to this city yesterday. She was at her dock at 1 o'clock.

Call on the Wiley B. Allen Co. and see the Broadway in white mahogany. It is a beauty.

James W. Welch was up with the times yesterday and from the top of the flag-staff in his yard was flying two large American flags.

PAT LAWLER & CO.--Fine line of canned goods and fresh fish, 674 Commercial street.

The streets of the city had on a holiday air yesterday afternoon. Many business houses were beautifully decorated and everybody was out.

If you want a delightful shave or a fashionable hair cut, go to the Palace Barber Shop, J. B. Hutchins, prop'r.

Captain U. B. Scott, smiling and happy, was among the telephone crew yesterday who were "whoooping it up" for Astoria, Hammond and the railroad.

For fresh milk, delivered promptly every morning, either from tin cans or in sealed glass jars, call for the Eagle Dairy, Reith & Wilson.

The corridors of the Occident were crowded all yesterday afternoon and the only subject discussed was the glowing prospect of Astoria's railroad.

Good feed and good care and good cows make good milk. Reith & Wilson's Eagle Dairy is one of the best in the country.

After returning from the excursion to Ilwaco yesterday (Wilamette Tribe said that Astoria was too good a place to leave and remained over another day).

Perfect cleanliness and modern conveniences are the adjuncts of all well-regulated bath rooms. You will find them at the Palace. J. B. Hutchins, prop'r.

Conductor Walker, of the Seaside road, was in town yesterday. He says that since the new coaches were put on the road is doing double the business it did this same last year.

The largest and finest assortment of pianos and organs ever seen in Astoria now on exhibition at the Wiley B. Allen Co., 710 Commercial street. Ask for terms.

Thomas Hastings, an Astoria boy, who is employed on the steamship Oregon, which arrived from San Francisco yesterday, was around town during the afternoon showing tags with friends.

The Finnish Brotherhood have made arrangements to give their annual picnic on August 10th, at Seaside. As soon as the program of prizes is arranged, it will be published.

Twenty flags were flying in the breeze in front of the Hotel Parker yesterday. They were erected across the street, from the hotel to the big Hunter flag-staff. They presented a pretty sight.

Hunger is a very disagreeable sensation. There is a place in this town where you can satisfy the demands with the cleanest and best 25 cent meal you ever ate. That place is Joe Terry's.

An alarm of fire was turned in at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the cause being the discovery of a small blaze at the Clatsop Mill. Before the department arrived, it was extinguished and no loss resulted.

The Estes-Crain Drug Co. has issued a very convenient card, giving the time table of the Seaside railroad, the departure of boats connecting with the same, and also the tide table for July, August and September. All people contemplating visiting the seaside resorts should call at their store and get a card.

The phonograph man and billiard sellers are making their appearance in large numbers. A ballroom man arrived on the Telephone yesterday and ten minutes after landing was in business on one of the street corners.

The first man to write his name upon a hotel register as being connected with the railroad, was the following name at the Occident yesterday: E. R. Hamilton, A. and C. R. Ry.

Married--In this city, Wednesday evening, July 25, 1895, at Grace Episcopal Church, by the Rev. William Seymour Short, Mr. Thomas Foster, brother of Chief Engineer Foster, and Miss Emma Bell, daughter of Captain George Bell.

A large bundle of fireworks was accidentally set off in front of Danielson's saloon last evening, causing the roadway to catch fire. First Assistant Stewart and several others with the aid of several buckets of water, soon put it out.

Consable Fred Oberg returned yesterday from across the river, where he had gone to serve papers upon Mrs. A. Friberg, against whom her husband has

brought suit for a dissolution of the bonds of matrimony. Mr. Friberg is at present a resident of Eureka, Cal.

The Erickson saloon on Astor street is the place to go when in need of wines, liquors or cigars. Experienced and obliging men are employed and the establishment is the best arranged and neatest in town. "Kopp's best" constantly on hand. Call around.

Officer Oberg states that the boat which was reported as having been scotched at Knappaion yesterday was returned to Mr. Roseburg. It had become unfastened from the wharf and drifting down the river was picked up by a party who did not know to whom it belonged until reading the published notice.

We beg to announce that we secured two of the best known artists on crayon work and we will enlarge your photo on small weekly or monthly payments, or for cash if you please. As to the workmanship we guarantee to be of the finest kind. Our patrons are aware of the fact that we do not handle Cheap John goods, as we do not believe in Cheap Tom workmanship. Thanking you for your liberal patronage we are,

Very Respectfully Yours, EASTERN CLOCK CO.

The most liberal credit house 107 12th street, Astoria, Or.

A large package of fireworks was taken to the band stand on Eleventh street last evening, for the purpose of adding to the evening's demonstration. A mischievous boy set fire to the package and the fireworks went off at once, rolled down the west back and set fire to the steps leading up the hill. The chemical engine was quickly on the scene and the blaze extinguished.

The Pacific Commission Co. received by steamer from California 500 packages assorted produce, consisting of cling and free stone peaches, black, blue, red and green plums, grapes, nectarines, tomatoes, apples, sweet and hot peppers, pears, prunes, apricots, lemons, lemons, sweet cherries, musk melons, cantelopes, water melons, cherries, honey, etc., etc. Call and see us, 122 12th street.

A peasant lawn party took place last evening at the home of Mrs. Captain Kindred. The grounds were neatly decorated with Chinese lanterns and a pleasant evening of music, games and refreshments was passed by those present. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Capt. Kindred, Mr. and Mrs. T. Smith, the Misses Fisher, Goodman, Rodgers, Fletcher, Roberts, Burns, Grandje and Messrs. Carney, Turner, Campbell and Clancy.

The lightning played all over the engine and along the tops and sides of the cars, little tongues of flame issuing to leap from one thousand different places. The passengers were badly frightened, but no one was hurt, with the exception of Miss Jewel Palmer, of this city. Her hair was evidently caught in contact with some of the iron work of the car, and she was severely shocked. The shock frightened her, but did not permanently injure her, although her arm and left side were temporarily paralyzed.

BARB ARAGO'S CREW.

San Francisco, July 25.--The crew where in the constitutionality of the federal shipping laws is involved is now being heard in the United States district court here.

The suit in question is that by which four alleged mistresses of the bark Arago, Philip Olsen, John Dudley, Morris Hansen, and Robert Robinson, seek their liberty on the ground that they are being held by the United States marshal under and old English law which they claim is contrary to the spirit of American liberty.

The charge against them is mutiny. They shipped from this port originally for the Columbia river, thence to Valparaiso and return. They deserted their ship at Astoria, and refused to go further. Then they were arrested by the United States marshal there and held in the jail until the ship was ready to leave port, when they were returned to her. As they still refused to work the ship put in here and they were re-arrested.

BULLS CAN COME.

Washington, July 25.--The treasury department has declined to entertain a protest by the vice-president of the humane society against the entry into the United States of bulls and torreadors from Mexico for bull fighting exhibitions at the Atlanta Exposition. The secretary is asked that the bulls be excluded on the ground that they are immoral instruments and the torreadors that their admission would violate the contract labor law.

Assistant Secretary Hamline in reply cites section 10 of the act of 1881, prohibiting the importation of "any obscene book, pamphlet, drawing, painting, instrument, or any other articles of immoral nature." The letter then proceeds: "It is prohibited by the laws of Georgia, it is expected that the authorities of the state will prevent it, but the subject does not appear to come within the jurisdiction of the department."

THE CAPTAIN'S ACCOUNT.

Breakwater, July 25.--The schooner Carrie A. Lane, which arrived here last night and reported having been fired on by a Spanish warship, is still anchored off the breakwater. Captain F. W. Quick, commander of the schooner, seems to be disposed to treat the matter lightly. He said:

"The Lane cleared from Cienfuegos, which is on the south side of Cuba, on July 11. At 3 o'clock on the morning of the 18th a steamer flying the Spanish flag anchored near and fired a shot across her bows. The Lane was then a mile and a half from shore and of course with Spanish waters. We did not stop at the first shot, therefore the Spanish fired a second shot, which passed about twenty feet in front of our bow and struck the water beyond. We then lost no time in heaving to. They then searched the vessel and finding no contraband goods allowed us to go."

GOVERNMENT IMPROVEMENTS.

Washington, July 25.--Bids have been opened at the navy department for certain improvements to the Puget Sound naval station, and for the construction of office buildings and officers' quarters. The lowest bid was the Seidner Construction Company, of Seattle, at \$2,281, for deepening the approaches to the channel the lowest bidders were the New York Dredge

A STEAMER ACCIDENT

Monticello's Boiler Bursts and She Is Towed to Frisco.

San Francisco, July 25.--The steamer Monticello, built to carry passengers and freight across Puget Sound, on the trip down the coast to this port, the boiler burst off Point Arena and for nearly forty-eight hours she floated in closer and closer to shore until the steamer San Benito took her in tow and brought her safely into harbor. The owners of the Monticello had announced that she was intended to run to Vallejo in opposition to the steamer Suno, and the Southern Pacific. Strangely enough it was a Southern Pacific steamer that came to her rescue and now has a claim for salvage against her. It was about 1 o'clock Tuesday morning when the explosion took place. There were weak plates in the boiler and two of them bulged out and ripped a seam under pressure of 120 pounds of steam. The San Benito lay by all last night, and today towed the disabled vessel into port.

HIT A TRAIN.

Lightning Transforms Engine and Coaches into a Train of Fire.

Middletown, Ohio, July 25.--During the electrical storm, which was so severe in and about this city last evening, a west-bound train on the Middletown & Cincinnati railroad had a peculiar experience at Monroe, just east of here. The train and the storm seemed to collide about the time the station was reached, and for a space of several minutes the engine and cars seemed to have been transformed into balls of fire.

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A RECORD BROKEN.

Detroit, July 25.--In the trotting race today for the \$8000 purse, Kiamath won; William Penn second; Night-hawk third. The best time by Kiamath was 2:38 1/2. William Penn won the third heat 2:07 1/2, and broke the world's record for trotting geldings.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool, July 25.--Wheat--Spot, firm; demand moderate; No. 2 red winter, 5s 5d; No. red spring, 5s 8d; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 5s 8d; No. 1 California, 5s 7d. Hops--At London, Pacific Coast, 5d. New York, July 25.--Hops--quiet.

LOOKING SERIOUS.

Washington, July 25.--The war department has been informed that a company of cavalry from Fort Robinson left there at 8 o'clock this morning for Newmarket, Idaho, which is near the scene of the threatened outbreak.

RECEIVING ORDER ISSUED.

London, July 25.--The receiving order in the bankruptcy case was issued against Oscar Wilde's property today by the Marquis of Queensbury, claiming 657 cents in the debtor's unsuccessful action for libel.

TO THE CITIZENS OF ASTORIA AND VICINITY.

Having great faith in the future of Astoria, and believing that with her superior geographical location over Puget Sound cities, her two thousand miles of navigable streams flowing through the wheat fields of Eastern Oregon, Washington, and Idaho; her vast lumber, coal, fishing, and other industries; her superior shipping advantages over all other cities north of San Francisco; and believing that with the completion of the railroad now being constructed, that here will spring up one of the largest cities north of San Francisco, we have opened a real estate and investment office at No. 49 and 67 Commercial street, and solicit a share of your patronage. Having had twelve years' experience in the real estate business, and being in direct communication with a large number of investors we believe our facilities for handling real estate as good as any firm on the Pacific coast. We shall, at all times,

do our best in securing manufacturing industries and promoting the up-building of your city. All business entrusted to our care will receive prompt and careful attention. Very Respectfully Yours, R. L. BOYLE & CO.

NORDICA'S GREAT SUCCESS.

The American Singer Creates a Great Sensation in Babyrouth as "Elsa."

The magnificent presentation of "Lohengrin" at Babyrouth last Friday was doubly marked, because it was the first time "Lohengrin" was ever brought out in these Wagnerian festivals, and, second, because of the appearance of Lillian Nordica, the soprano, in the role of Elsa, the first time an American singer has ever been invited to participate. Nordica's success was marked.

The cable dispatches said: "Her performance was the first artistic contribution that America has made for the success of these festivals, and her work today gave the Americans present every reason to be proud of her. No native singer ever achieved a more pronounced triumph than did Miss Nordica, the first foreign singer to appear in so important a part as Elsa."

It is interesting to know that Nordica's preliminary rehearsal was to the accompaniment of a Chicago mad piano. In a recent letter to a friend she wrote as follows: "I do all my studying on my Kimball piano and the longer I use it the better it like it."--Chicago Tribune, June 26.

CHOLERA REPORTS.

San Francisco, July 25.--Cholera is raging in Japan, and nearly every province in the little empire reports a heavy death rate from the disease. Officers and passengers of the City of Peking fell victims to cholera in the streets of Peking. The steamer called from this disease. Until the steamer sailed from Yokohama 113 deaths had been reported. The disease was brought to Japan by the forces returning from the war in China and Korea, and whenever a regiment was sent home and disbanded cases of cholera began to develop, and the disease spread with such rapidity that the physicians were unable to keep it in check.

CHARGE OF VENUE DENIED.

San Francisco, July 25.--In denying the motion for a change of venue in the Durant murder case, Judge Murphy announced that the so-called play based upon the Emanuel church murders could not be produced during the trial or while the action was pending in the superior court.

The empanelling of jurors then commenced. Fifty of the jurors offered were accepted by the court. From the other hundred jurors who had been summoned an attempt was then made to secure twelve tallmen.

A number of young women struggled with other curiosity seekers to obtain admission to the trial.

ORDER WILL BE MAINTAINED.

Washington, July 25.--Apprehension of serious trouble on the Isthmus of Panama, owing to the strike of railway employees, was considerably relieved by the receipt of a telegram today from the United States Consul General Vifquain, of Panama, stating that the governors of the Province of Panama had assured the consul general of his ability to maintain order there. It is therefore probable that a warship will not be dispatched to the Isthmus unless affairs assume a more threatening aspect than they have at present.

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