Daily Astorian.

JOHN T. LIGHTER, Editor.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

Telephone No. 66.

DAILY.

Sent by mail, per year.....$7.00
Sent by mail, per month..... .60
Served by carrier, per week..... .15

WEEKLY.

Sent by mail per year, $2.00 in advance.
Postage free to subscribers.

All communications intended for publication should be directed to the editor. Business communications of all kinds and remittances must be addressed to The Astorian.

The Astorian guarantees to its subscribers the largest circulation of any newspaper published on the Columbia river.

Advertising rates can be had on application to the business manager.

The Weekly Astorian, the second oldest weekly in the state of Oregon, has next to the Portland Oregonian, the largest weekly circulation in the state.

Jno. T. Handley Co. are our Portland agents, and copies of the Astorian can be had every morning at their stand on First street.

THE UNITED STATES "IS."

The modern practice of the state department at Washington, says the New York Recorder, has been to give the United States a verb in the singular instead of the plural number, as "the United States is," not "the United States are."

The practice before the civil war was to use the plural form, and Mr. Seward was, I think, the first secretary of state to reverse it. Webster and his predecessors always wrote "are." Mr. Fish, Mr. Evarts, Mr. Blaine and other Republican premiers followed the Seward style. Mr. Olney, in his recent proclamation, concerning Cuban neutrality, returns to the old form. Referring to Spain, he wrote: "A power with which the United States are and desire to remain on terms of peace and amity."

When Mr. Seward made the innovation the idea was, of course, to give additional emphasis to the fact that the United States, as a political entity, is a nation and should have a singular verb. Then, for the first time, nation began to be written with a capital "N." The politicians of the states' rights school made vigorous protest and so did the critics, but the author of the "higher law" doctrine cared nothing about either side. He held the pen that wrote the official dispatches and proclamations, and as there was no way in which his critics could edit them, the Seward grammatical construction had to stay.

Mr. Olney has naturally provoked criticism by the change he has made. The political part of it is severely condemnatory, but, as a rule, the grammarians agree with him. A Western journal, in taking his side of the controversy, says: "One cannot say the Southern States is prosperous," or "the Pacific states possesses great mineral wealth," and no more can one say without violating the rules of grammar, "the United States is."

The main point of the contention is missed in that criticism. In the case of the New England, Southern or Pacific states the plural form is the correct one, because of themselves they do not possess the attributes of national entity. One division of them claimed it at one time, but the pretension had to be abandoned. However, the United States "is" all right, Olney or no Olney.

About 200 consularships have been made civil service places by a recent order of the president. All those whose occupants get fixed salaries of from $1,000 to $2,500 are included. The consuls-general are left out, as are the inferior consuls who are permitted to engage in trade. Hereafter vacancies will be filled either by transfer or promotion, by the appointment of some person who has previously served satisfactorily, or by some person selected by the president who is able to pass a proper examination. This order initiates a reform, the necessity of which has been recognized for a long time. Secretary Seward saw the importance of a trained consular service, and at his suggestion a law was passed thirty years ago providing for the appointment of young men as consular clerks, the intention being to promote them gradually if they displayed abilities. But this plan came to nothing, and the consular offices, which are so important for the commercial interests of the country, and should be filled by competent men, have been left to the tender mercies of the congressional spoil hucksters. Probably President Cleveland has had this reform measure in mind ever since the commencement of his present term, when Josiah Quincy, then assistant secretary of state, divided the consular spoils among those entitled to them in a way which provoked disgusted comment. An attempt was made in the last congress to pass a law taking the consular service out of politics and substituting the merit system, but it failed. The senators, who have looked on these consularships as part of their perquisites, will be disgusted by the order, but the next president, whoever he may be, will be thankful to his predecessor for having lessened the number of offices he has to fill, and having freed him, to some extent, from the importunities of place-beggars.

It is expected that within thirty days two vessels loaded with machinery for mills and mining will sail from New York for Venezuela. These vessels are to be sent by the syndicate to whom the Venezuelan government has granted valuable concessions within the Venezuelan territory to which Great Britain is laying claim. It is understood that the Venezuelan government is going to maintain her right to this territory at any cost, and that the United States government is going to insist upon the observance of the Monroe doctrine, no matter how aggressive England may be in the matter. The parties having the concession are influencial, both politically and financially, and are likely to be in a position to demand the protection of their rights. But, independently of this fact, it is understood to be the intention of the administration to champion in a conspicuous way the Monroe doctrine, and that the Venezuelan boundary dispute, where Great Britain is trying to acquire valuable territory by the convenient expedient of advancing the boundary line of British Guiana, has been selected as a test case. No one can tell what the attitude of England will be in the matter, or what the policy of this country may lead to.

The safe return of the three members of the Peary expedition, who spent the winter in Greenland, recalls the fact that last year no less than five expeditions set off into the arctic regions for purposes of discovery. They included Dr. Nansen's three years' drift across the Polar Sea, Stein's journey to Ellesmere's Land, Walter Wellman's so-called "dash to the pole," Peary's Greenland project, and the Jackson-Harmsworth expedition. Not one of these expeditions has accomplished anything of note in adding to the world's knowledge of that ice-locked region. One expedition, the Stein, was abandoned for want of money. Theree of them proved comparative failures. As to the fifth one, Dr. Nansen's, no report has come. It is not unlikely that another expedition will have to be fitted out for discovering Nansen. This seems to be the outcome of arctic expeditions. Expeditions go, and then other expeditions have to be made to bring what is left of them back again. And yet it is unlikely that this foolish business ever will be abandoned. The passion for arctic exploration never dies, no matter how many of the explorers die. Repeated failure seems to have no effect in discouraging the attempted invasion of the frozen north.

A series of athletic nights will be given at the exposition at Portland. Two of these, October 8 and 29, will consist of athletic contests under the rules om the Amateur Athletic Union; one night, October 15, will be devoted to bicycles, and the fourth, October 22, will be under the management of the Turn Verein. The latter will be also German day, and will be participated in by the Arion society and the Sons of Herman.

Coxey began by asserting that he would be elected governor of Ohio. He now says he will carry two counties. After election he will shout that, anyway, 37 votes prove that the cause is gaining strength.

Spain is eager to declare war against the United States, according to a dispatch from that country. But another dispatch guarantees our safety for some time. It says that Spain will subdue Cuba first.

When jockeys are paid $15,000 a year, what inducement is there for a man to burn the midnight oil so that he may become the president of a college.

More revenue isn't the only thing that is needed down at Washington. More patriotism and more brains would be profoundly welcome, too,

As to the deficit we repeat that what this government needs is a tariff that won't knock the bottom out of the national treasury.

Though Torquemada is still dead, it is a very common thing nowadays to be broke on the wheel.

The rumored row between Senators Hill and Murphy is probably a row for offices only.

In another month or two the White House bee will begin to buzz for business.

LED BY THE BLIND.

New York Tribune.

The Pharisees who worship at the feet of Cleveland have had a great deal to say about bosses. It never seems to occur to them that Mr. Cleveland himself is one of the most domineering, dictatorial and irresponsible bosses this country has ever produced. Their anxiety of mind and holy indignation are all regarding the Republican bosses. And the same is true of other Democrats, having other party idols. There are leaders whose strength lies in their thorough and sure understanding of the popular will. Sometimes they have also rare faculties of manipulation and organization, and sometimes they have not, but the true leaders are rarely resisted in matters of public policy, whether they have much or little power of the machine kind, because the practical men of their party have learned that their instincts are sure, and that defeat invariably follows departure from the policy they judge to be demanded by the people. Such men are called leaders, but are in a better sense followers and executives of the public will. That Hill, for example, that is managing the Democratic convention at Syracuse, is not a leader of this sort his dismal experience sufficiently proves. It is his distinction that he has known so little of public feeling and opinion that he has contrived to be the worst beaten Democrat in the history of the state. Even Mynard, his agent in the theft of a legislature, had only about 100,000 majority against him.

Yet it is presumably because the Democrats think Hill understands public opinion that they obey his leadership even after his phenomenal defat. This is quite characteristic. Your genuine Bourbon, who never learns anything, cannot be shaken from his rock-ribbed firmness by such a trifle as an adverse majority of 156,000 in a Democratic state. Besides the average Democratic managers in counties fancy that they do know something of public opinion, having carefully gathered it in the saloons, or from working lieutenants, who have explored the saloons in order to advise them accurately. It strikes the average Democratic delegate that this time, if never before, Hill has hit the nail on the head, and marked out the one path that is safe.

It is the sure sign of decay and coming destruction when a party loses its touch with the plain people who seek no office, who attend to their industries constantly and to the adjacent saloons rarely, and who fear God and not any political boss. The bulk of the voters in both the great parties is composed of such men, for while the proportion is larger in one party than in the other, it is large enough in either to take control if it only knew how to handle the ropes. The local bosses know how to run the primaries, and have the art of calling up from near by quarters enough voters to do their bidding, and then reckon upon the submissive support of the great mass of silent workers. But when they start in the wrong direction, and too flagrantly address themselves to alliance with vices and crimes, as Hill did, they get buried under an avalanche, because many silent voters of their own party either do not vote, or vote against them. When Hill set out to run the state of New York by fraud and crime, in lofty contempt for the opinion of the honest and decent men, he was warned that he was leading his party to destruction. But he is leading ot again and the same way.

THE RIGHT TO SHIP ARMS TO CUBA.

Chicago Tribune.

A contemporary pertinently asks by what right our government stops the shipment of arms and ammunition to Cuban patriots. Under all laws of commercial intercourse any American merchant has the right to ship any goods he pleases to any Spanish resident of Cuba and this government has no right to forbid his doing so. If there had been a proclamation of war in Cuba arms and ammunition would be contraband, but there has been no such proclamation, hence there is no contraband, nor are we obliged to maintain neutrality. The World says:

"Until Spain recognizes the existence of war in Cuba and estalishes an effective blockade of Cuban ports it is difficult to see what possible right she has to complain of any shipments that may be made from this country to anybody on the island. It is still more difficult to see by what right our government assumes to seize goods on the ground that they are about to be shipped to a country in which no recognized war exists. Perhaps the lawyers in the state department will explain this point to a people who strongly sympathize with the Cuban patriots."

The World's position seems sound and its observations are tantamount to censure of the administration for arresting upon suspicion American vessels with arms and ammunition as if they were engaged in an unlawful enterprise. Spain has never notified this government that a state of war exists in Cuba; she has never declared the Cubans insurgent; on the other hand she has always belittled the operations of the insurgents, treating them as rioters who would be speedily put down. Officially, therefore, this government has no knowledge that there is war in Cuba. Hence Spain has no right to expect it to patrol American waters and interfere with American commerce. Americans, so long as they are not notified there is a war, have the same right to take arms and ammunition to any part of the island and dispose of them that they have to take them to Havana. Spain must notify us before our vessels can be captured and before our own government presumes to interfere with our own commerce.

Spain rushed in precipitously and with indecent haste when our civil war broke out and within forty days after Bull Run recognized the belligerent rights of the Confederates. We have waited several months and are still waiting, for some inscrutable reason, before recognizing the insurgents, though they have a provisional government, a seaport, an army, a long record of battles and captured towns, and are now pressing on even to the vicinity of Havana itself. Our secretary of state, therefore, instead of overhauling American vessels upon suspicion of doing what they had a right to do, better wait until he receives some notification from Spain that there is war in Cuba, and therefore that arms and ammunition are contraband.

A TRUNK LINE AGREEMENT

The railroads of the country are the real developers . When they prosper the country prospers. It is expected of them that they will charge the minimum rate for freight, but it is not expected or desired that they shall cut rates in ruinous competition and turn up with deficits instead of fair dividends. It is to bring about equitable results that the trunk line presidents have got together and have left to a committee the formulation of an agreement that, if adopted, would seem to mean something substantial for both the roads and for their patrons.

The agreement is to supersede the present Trung Line Association, but as it must be submitted and passed by the directors of all the lines involved, it cannot go into effect immediately. The object is to maintain a commission which shall have jurisdiction over the making of rates, thus removing such power from the hands of subordinate railroad officials and making it impossible for secret rate cutting. Joint agencies are to be established and the control of competing business centralized. The demoralization which comes from a disregard of rates is to be avoided.

Healthy competition is always to be encouraged, but wasteful competition that means bankruptcy, if indulged in for any length of time, is quite another thing. The railroads have a right to live and earn fair dividends. When they pass their dividends they demoralize their stockholders. When they demand more than fair rates they demoralize business. There is a great difference between an honest agreement to serve the people and a trust which demands extortion. There is a great opportunity for the roads under their new agreement to serve the people and themselves at the same time.

On the large estate of Mrs. E. Brown, adjoining Gervais, says the Statesman, real diversified farming exists. The management of the immense farm falls upon Sam H. Brown, a young man who has only recently passed his minority. Here they keep ten to twelve men constantly employed, and many horses, and every farm product is raised and sold at a profit. During the past summer he has manufactured many hundreds of pounds of cheese. Just now they are baling straw and shipping it to the paper mills. It does not pay much but it keeps the many hands employed and saves the burning of the straw. They will bale up several hundred tons of hay for market. They have also large fields of potatoes. In the garden there are loads of Hubbard squashes, pumpkins, beets, carrots and cabbages, all of which will be utilized for market or the farm. Nothing goes to waste, but is turned into money by either selling or feeding. In the orchard plums and prunes are numerous and having no dryer they are dried on shares by a neighbor. This is diversified farming in the strict sense of the word, and is a good example set by a young man for older heads to follow. Sam H. Brown is the youngest son of the late Samuel Brown who was long and favorably known as a French Prairie pioneer and owner of the townsite of Gervais.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITERS.

Who infest the market and are the means of robbing sick people of their money, and what is of still greater consequence, of not unfrequently aggravating the complaints under which they labor. It is an act of duty we owe to society to warn the people against these dangerous frauds. A little care on the part of the purchaser will protect them from imposition by bearing in mind these facts: Never buy where it is offered in bulk, (in kegs or jugs) as the genuine Hostetter's Stomach Bitters are sold only in bottles having the handsome steel plate lable displaying the combat between St. George and the Dragon, and having at the bottom a minuature note of hand for one cent, bearing a facsimile of the signature of the president of the company. Over the cork is a metallic cap, on which is impressed the name of the article, together with a medallion head in the center. Any person selling the counterfeit Hostetter's Stomach Bitters we shall not hesitate to bring to justice, as we never fail to convict.

A. G. Bartley, of Magic, Pa., writes: I feel it is a duty of mine to inform you and the public that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me of a very bad case of eczema. It also cured my boy of a running sore on his leg. Chas. Rogers.

When Baby was sick we gave her Castoria.
When she was a child she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children she gave them Castoria.

WHAT YOUR GRANDMA MAY SAY.

O, grandma, is it really true
That men did once delight
To look on girls as goddesses
Who dwelt upon a height?
O, did they really shave for them
And think it was but right?

O, had they then no grievances
They organized to air?
Did they ne-er vow her tyranny
Was more than they could bear,
When woman wore a petticoat,
And never cut her hair?

O, were men happy subjects once,
Of an unconscious queen,
Ere yet the sea of Progress came
'Twixt them to intervene—
That heavy sea in which, today,
We watch her throne careen?

Was she a thing of beauty, once,
Ere yet she did affright
A wond'ring world by blazing out
In bloomerettes bedight;
Ere freedom in her books was made
Synonymous with Fight?

O, grandma, I was born too late!
A lump comes in my throat
To think that a divinity
On whom all men might dote,
Died an unnatural death the day
That woman got a vote.
—Boston Globe.

NOTHING STANDS AS HIGH

as a remedy for every womanly ailment, as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It os an invigorating restorative tonic, a soothing and strengthening nervine, and a complete cure for all the derangements, painful disorders and chronic weaknesses peculiar to the sex.

For young girls entering womanhood; for women at the critical "change of life"; for women approaching confinement; nursing mothers; and every woman who is "run down," tired, or overworked—it is a special, safe, and certain help. Send for free pamphlet or remit 10 cts (stamps) for a book of 168 pages on "Woman and Her Diseases" and how to cure them with home treatment. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure constipation, piles, billiousness, indigestion, or dyspepsia and headaches.

The Polk County Observer says: "The Southern Pacific company is loading several cargoes of old narrow gauge steel rails this week to be shipped to Reno, Nevada, to be used there on a narrow guage road. Speed the parting junk, for we don't allow anybody these days to say that Dallas is on a narrow gauge railroad.

We undertake to say that there isn't a genuine catfish in Oregon waters. The big-headed fish caught in the Columbia slough and elsewhere are bull-heads, and while resembling a catfish somewhat, are altogether different in their habits; and decidedly inferior in quality. Then, too, they seldom grow to weigh more than a pound or so, while catfish have been taken that would weigh 60 pounds or more, and very frequently 10 to 30.—Newberg Independent.

Catfish do not grow to large size in clear, cold water. They prefer the muddy, sluggish streams like the Mississippi or its tributaries, or even the stagnant sloughs of the same region. The catfish in Willamette slough and Deer Island slough resemble very closely those of the Mississippi, excepting for size.—Headlight.

FREE PILLS.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box 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 invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorating the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold by Chas. Rogers, Druggist.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

KARL'S CLOVER ROOT, the great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures Constipation. 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. For Sale by J. W. Conn.

It's just as easy to try One Minute Cough Cure as anything else. It's easier to cure a severe cough or cold with it. Let your next purchase for a cough be One Minute Cough Cure. Better medicine; better results; better try it. Chas. Rogers.

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GRADING, CROSSING OF IRVING AVENUE AND 18th ST.

Notice is hereby given that A. Alexander, contractor for grading crossing of Irving avenue and 18th street, in Shively's Astoria, has on this 28th day of September, 1895, filed in the office of the Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, the Certificate of the City Surveyor and Superintendent of Streets, approved by the Committee on Streets and Public Ways.

After the expiration of the time hereinafter specified, if no objections to the acceptance of such work be filed and the Common Council shall deem such work properly completed, according to the contract and plans and specifications therefor, the same may be accepted.

Objections to the acceptance of said work or any portion thereof, may be filed in the office of the Auditor and Police Judge on or before Wednesday, October 2, 1895.

K. OSBURN,
Auditor and Police Judge.
Astoria, Or., September 23, 1895.

A. V. ALLEN,

DEALER IN

Groceries, Flour, Feed, Provisions, Fruits Vegetables, Crockery, Glass and Plated Ware. Loggers' Supplies.

Cor. Cass and Squemoque Streets. Astoria, Ore

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, Havanna, N. Dak. Two boxes to Lillie Wilcox, Brookland, N. Dak. I have always been a great sufferer from headache and your Capsules are the only thing that relieves me." Yours very truly,

FLORA SEAY,
Havana, N. Dak.

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

A GOOD WORD.

Mr. J. J. Keil, Sharpsburg, Pa.

Dear Sir:—I am glad to say a good word for Krause's Headache Capsules. After suffering for over three years with acute neuralgia and its consequent insomnia (which seemed to baffle the efforts of some of our best physicians) you suggested this remedy which gave me almost instant relief. Words fail to express the praise I should like to bestow on Krause's Headache Capsules.

Gratefully Yours,
MRS. E. R. HOLMES,
Montrose, Pa.

Only One!

Not more than five men or women in a thousand are free from some form of Kidney, Liver or Bladder trouble, which is certain to run into serious disease unless checked.

Stop and Think!

that there is but one known remedy for these troubles. Ask any druggist, physician or friend what it is, and he will tell you, Warner's Safe Cure. This great remedy stands ABSOLUTELY "at the top," and is so acknowledged by the most advanced thinkers of the world. This suggestion is all you require!

PROVEN A BOON.

Gentlemen:—I have always recommended Krause's Headache Capsules wherever I have had a chance. They have proven a veritable boon in my family against any and all kinds of headache. Yours truly,

J. E. WALTER,
Leavenworth, Kansas.

For sale by Chas. Rogers, Astoria, Oregon, sole agent.

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.

SHILOH'S CURE, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25 cents. Children love it. Sold by J. W. Conn.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Acts at once, never fails. One Minute Cough Cure. A remedy for asthma, and that feverish condition which accompanies a severe cold. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. Chas. Rogers.

EIGHTEENTH STREET IMPROVEMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Astoria, Oregon, have determined to improve 18th street, from the south line of Exchange street to the north line of Grand avenue, all in the City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively.

That such improvement shall consist in removing all planking, timbers, and piles, on said street where it is necessary so to do before making the new improvement and by driving piles, and laying caps and stringers thereon so as to improve the street to the width of 30 feet on the west side thereof, inclusive of side-walks, through the northermost 300 feet thereof, setting posts on mud-sills, and laying caps and stringers thereon, so as to improve the street to the full width inclusive of sidewalks, through the 120 feet next south of said 300 feet and grading and filling the remaining 240 feet to the established grade thereof, through the full width thereof, and constructing sidewalks on both sides 10 feet in width with a space of two feet next to curb for planting trees, placing gutters along the curbs of the sidewalks upon said 240 feet, and planking said 240 feet with three-inch plank and by planking the balance of said street with new and sound fir plank four inches in thickness; placing rails where necessary.

All of said improvements to be upon the established grade of said street and to conform with plans and specifications therefor.

That the district of lands and premises upon which the special assessment shall be levied to defray the cost and expense of such improvement is as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the northwest corner of Lot 3, in Block 112, and running thence southerly on a straight line to the southwest corner of Lot 10, in Block 14, and thence east on a straight line to the southeast corner of Lot 9, in Block 13, and thence northerly through the center of Blocks 13 and 111 to the northeast corner of Lot 4, Block 111, thence westerly on a straight line to the place of beginning, containing all of Lots 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 12, of Blocks 112 and 14, all of Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, of Blocks 13, and 111, all lands and premises in said district and not in any street shall be subject 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 examination and may be inspected at the office of such officer.

At the next regular meeting of the common council after the final publication of this notice, towit: On Wednesday, October 16, 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.

By order of the Common Council.
Attest: K. OSBURN,
Auditor and Police Judge.
Astoria, Sept. 27th, 1895.

North Pacific Brewery

JOHN KOPP, Prop

Bohemian Lager Beer

And XX PORTER.

Leave orders with J. L. Carlson at the Sunnyside Saloon or Louis Boentge at the Cosmopolitan Saloon. All orders will be promptly attended to.

"A TALENTED EDITOR."

Gentlemen:—I had occasion to use several boxes of Krause's Headache Capsules while traveling to Chicago to attend the National Democratic Convention. They acted like a charm in preventing headaches and dizziness. Have had very little headache since my return, which is remarkable.

Yours respectfully
JOHN U. SHAFFER,
Ed. Renevo (Pa.) Record.

For sale by Chas. Rogers, Astoria, Or., sole agent.

Trade Mark. BIG G. CURES in 1 to 5 days. Guaranteed not to stricture. Prevents contagion. THE EVANS CHEMICAL CO. CINCINNATI, O. U. S. A.

Big G is a non-poisonous remedy for Gonorrhoea, Gleet, Spermatorrhoea, Whites, unnatural discharges, or any inflammation, irritation or ulceration of mucous membranes. Non-astringent. Sold by Druggists, or sent in plain wrapper, by express, prepaid, for $1.00, or 3 bottles, $2.75. Circular sent on request

TWELFTH STREET SEWER ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by Ordinance No. 1984 of the City of Astoria, confirming the sewer assessment on sewer assessment roll No. 4, for the construction of a sewer in 12th street, in the part of the City of Astoria, laid out and recorded by John McClure, and extended by Cyrus Olney, from the north line of Grand ave. to a point 50 feet north of the north line of Bond street, is now due and payable in United States gold or silver coin, at the office of the city treasurer, and if not paid within 5 days from the final publication of this notice, towit: On or before Monday, September 30, 1895, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection of the same:

Victoria I. Wilson, Lot3, Block 68..	35.76
Lawrence Wilson, (west half) Lot 2, Block 68.....	7.88
Elonora F. Allen (east half) Lot 2, Block 68.....	7.88
Elonora F. Allen, Lot 7, Block 68....	15.76
Victoria I. Wilson, Lot 8, Block 68....	35.76
Sarah E. Warren, Lot 1, Block 67....	35.76
Sarah E. Warren, Lot 2, Block 67....	15.76
Sarah E. Warren, Lot 7, Block 67....	15.76
Sarah E. Warren, Lot 8, Block 67....	35.76
Eliza Lee Payton, Lot 1, Block 66..	35.76
Alanson Hinman, (west half) Lot 2, Block 66.....	7.88
A. C. and F. A. Fisher (west half) Lot 7, Block 66.....	7.88
A. C. and F. A. Fisher, Lot 8, Block 66.....	35.76
Henry Disse, Lot 1, Block 62.....	35.76
J. N. Griffin and A. S. Reed, Lot 2, Block 62.....	15.76
Chas. S. Wright (half) and George, C., Mary C, Katie and Nellie Flavel (half) lot 7, Block 62.....	15.76
Chas. S. Wright (half) and George, C., Mary C, Katie and Nellie Flavel (half) lot 8, block 62.....	35.76
Astoria Exchange Co., Lot 1, Block 57.....	35.76
Astoria Exchange Co., Lot 2, Block 57.....	15.76
C. W. Fulton (one-half) and J. C. Dement (one half) Lot 7, Block 57..	15.76
C. W. Fulton (one-half) and J. C. Dement (one-half) Lot 8, Block 57...	35.76
Astoria Exchange Co., Lot 1, (tract B) Block 57.....	35.76
Astoria Exchange Co., Lot 2 (tract B) Block 57.....	15.76
A. C. Fisher, Lot 8, Block 55½.....	43.76
D. K. Warren, Lot 9, Block 56½.....	23.76
J. K. Weatherford, Lot 10, Block 56½	3.76
G. C., Mary C., Katie, and Nellie Flavel, (east half) Lot 11, Block 56½..	—
Mrs. Virginia Watson (etsa falh) Lot 4, Block 58.....	—
D. K. Warren, Lot 5, Block 58.....	3.76
Wilhelmina Nurnberg, Lot 6, Block 58	26.76
A. C. and F. A. Fisher, Lot 7, Block 58.....	43.76
Robert Carruthers, Lot 8, Block 58..	43.76
John Hobson, Lot 9, Block 58.....	23.76
J. K. Weatherford, Lot 10, Block 58..	3.76
M. J. Kinney (east half) Lot 11, Block 58.....	—
Pythian Land and Building Association (east half) Lot 4, Block 61....	—
J. K. Weatherford, Lot 5, Block 61..	3.76
W. E. and M. S. Warren, Lot 6, Block 61.....	23.76
W. E. and M. S. Warren, Lot 7, Block 61	43.76
W. E. Marren and M. S., Lot 8, Block 61.....	43.76
Robert Carruthers, Lot 9, Block 61..	23.76
J. K. Weatherford, Lot 10, Block 61..	3.76
M. J. Kinney, Lot 11, Block 61.....	—
J. F. Davis, J. L. Stipp, D. E. Perley (east half) Lot 4, Block 64.....	—
Theodore Nicolai, Lot 5, Block 64....	3.76
A. J. Megler, Lot 6, Block 64.....	23.76
A. J. Megler, Lot 7, Block 64.....	43.76
Elizabeth (widow), Robert W., Archibald, Sarah A., Eliz. W., and Duncan McLean, Lot 8, Block 64..	43.76
Robert Carruthers and D. McTavish, Lot 9, Block 64.....	23.76
Joseph Suprenant, Lot 10, Block 64..	3.76
Lucy Thomson, Lot 11, Block 64.....	—
Trustees of First Baptist Church of Astoria, (east half) Lot 4, Block 65	—
Mary C. Flavel, Lot 5, Block 65.....	3.76
Jacob Kamm, Lot 6, Block 65.....	23.76
Sophia Kirchoff, Lot 7, Block 65.....	43.76
Sophia Kirchoff, Lot 9, Block 65.....	23.76
Sophia Smith, Lot 10, Block 65.....	3.76
Wm. B. Headington, (east half) Lot 11, Block 65.....	—
C. W. Fulton, (east half) Lot 4, Block 70.....	—
C. W. Fulton, Lot 5, Block 70.....	3.76
Henry Fisher, Lot 6, Block 70.....	23.76
Henry Fisher, Lot 7, Block 70.....	43.76
Clara Fisher ,Lot 8, Block 70.....	43.76
Clara Fisher, Lot 9, Block 70.....	23.76
C. W. Fulton, (east half) Lot 11, Block 70.....	—
C. W. Fulton, Lot 10, Block 70.....	3.76

By order of the Common Council.
Attest: K. OSBURN,
Auditor and Police Judge.
Astoria, Sept. 7th, 1895.

Canadian Pacific RAILWAY.

AMERICA'S Greatest Trans-Continental Railway System.

FROM OCEAN TO OCEAN

—IN—

Palace Dining Room and Sleeping Cars.
Luxurious Dining Cars.
Elegant Day Coaches.

—ALSO—

Observation Cars, allowing Unbroken Views of the Wonderful Mountain Country.

$5.00 and $10.00

Saved on all tickets East. Tourist cars the best on wheels. Equipments of the very finest throughout.

—ALSO—

Canadian Pacific
ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE
—TO—
China and Japan.

China steamers leave Vancouver, B. C.:

Empress of India	- -	Aug. 5th.
Empress of Japan	- -	Aug. 26th.
Empress of China	- -	Sept. 16th.
Empress of India	- -	Oct. 14th.
Empress of Japan	- -	Nov. 11th.
Empress of China	- -	Dec. 9th.

Australian steamer leave Vancouver, B. C., 16th of every month.

For ticket rates and information call on or address
JAS. FINLAYSON, Agent, Astoria, Or.
W. F. Carson, Traveling Pass. Agt., Tacoma, Wash.
Geo. McL. Brown, Dist. Pass. Agt., Vancouver, B. C.

It is a truth in medicine that the smallest dose that performs a cure is the best. Dewitt's Little Early Risers are the smallest pills, will perform a cure, and are the best. Chas. Rogers.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

H. A. SMITH
DENTIST.
Rooms 1 and 2, Pythian building, over C. H. Cooper's store.

German Physician, Eclectic.
DR. BARTEL,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Office over Albert Dunbar's store, cor. 9th and Commercial. Prices: Calls, $1; confinements, $10.00. Operations at office free; medicines furnished.

W. C. LOGAN, D. D. S.,
DENTAL PARLORS.
Mansell Block, 573 Third street.

DR. EILIV JANSON,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Office over Olsen's drug store. Hours, 10 to 12 a. m.; 2 to 5 and 7 to 8 p. m. Sundays, 10 to 11.

LIBERTY P. MULLINIX, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Office, 554½ Third st., Astoria, Ore. Special attention given to all chronic diseases.

DR. O. B. ESTES,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Special attention to diseases of women and surgery.
Office over Danziger's store. Astoria Telephone No. 52

JAY TUTTLE, M. D.
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, AND ACCOUCHEUR.
Office, Rooms 5 and 6, Pythian Building. Hours, 10 to 12 and 2 to 5. Residence, 639, Cedar street

DOCTOR ALFRED KINNEY,
OFFICE AT HIS RESIDENCE.
May be found in his office until 10 o'clock mornings, from 12 noon until 2 p. m., and from 5 until 7:30 evenings.

H. T. CROSBY,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
468 Commercial Street.

W. M. LaForce. S. B. Smith.
LaFORCE & SMITH,
ATTORNEYS-AT-YAW,
385 Commercial street.

J. Q. A. BOWLBY,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.
Office on Second Street, Astoria Or

J. N. Dolph. Richard Nixon
Chester V. Dolph.
DOLPH, NIXON & DOLPH,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.
Portland, Oregon, 24, 25, 26, and 27, Hamilton Building. All legal and collection business promptly attended to. Claims against the government a specialty.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

TEMPLE LODGE NO. 7, A. F. and A. M.—Regular communications held on the first and third Tuesday evening of each month.
W. G. HOWELL, W. M.
E. C. HOLDEN, Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS

ART OF SINGING.
MRS. H. T. CROSBY,
(Pupil of Anton Barili and other masters) will give lessons in
MUSIC AND VOICE CULTURE.
In the school of the great masters of the Italian method of training the voice. Apply at 468 Commercial street.

REAL ESTATE, NOTARY PUBLIC.
W. C. CASSELL,
173 Tenth street.

WHEN IN PORTLAND—Go to Handley & Haas, 150 First street and get the Daily Astorian. Visitors need not miss their morning paper while there.

BEVERAGES

WINES AND BRANDIES.—Alex Sinfandel wine instead of coffee or tea. Fifty cents per gallon. Don't forget peach and apricot brandy. Also French Cognac and wine at Alex Gilbert's.

THOMAS MOKKO,
The Blacksmith whose shop is opposite Cutting's cannery, is now prepared to do such odd jobs as making new cannery coolers, repairing old ones, making new fishin boat irons, and repairing old ones, and all other blacksmithing that requires first-class workmanship.

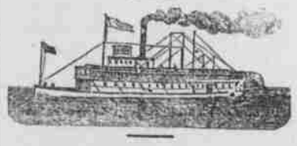
DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name and style Oregon Transportation Company, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All outstanding bills or accounts being payable to Capt. Paul Schrader, and he assuming the payment of all debts due by said firm.

Astoria, Or., May 13, 1895.
PETER H. CRIM.
PAUL SCHRADER.

STEAMERS Telephone & Bailey Gatzert.

Columbia River and Puget Sound Navigation Co.



Two Daily Boats to Portland

"Telephone" leaves Astoria at 7 p. m. daily (except Sunday).

Leaves Portland daily at 7 a. m., except Sunday.

"Bailey Gatzert" leaves Astoria Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday morning at 6:45 a. m.; Sunday evening at 7 p. m.

Leaves Portland daily at 8 p. m., except Sunday. On Saturday night at 11 p. m.

C. W. STONE,
Agent, Astoria.
Telephone No. 11.
U. B. Scott, President.
E. A. Seeley, Gen'l Agt., Portland.

S. H. WILLETT, PLUMBING,

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

179 Twelfth street, Astoria, Or

FREEMAN & HOLMES.

Blacksmiths.

Special attention paid to steamboat repairing, first-class horseshoeing, etc

LOGGING CAMP WORK A SPECIALTY

197 Olney street, between Third and and Fourth, Astoria, Or