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THE ASTORIA WATER SYSTEM

Report of the Chamber of Commerce on the Completed Plant.

FULL DESCRIPTION GIVEN

Itemized Statement of the Cost of the Works - Water Commission and Engineers Complimented Upon the Success of the Undertaking - Flow of Water Larger Than Estimated.

Through the courtesy of Secretary Holden, of the Astoria Chamber of Commerce, the Astorian is enabled to present to its readers with the following report on the new water works system, from the advance sheets prepared for the annual report of the Chamber of Commerce.

The city of Astoria has during the year 1895 undertaken the construction of and has at the present time practically completed a system of water works in which the citizens feel a high degree of justifiable pride.

The works are of much more than passing interest, both by reason of their exceptional completeness, which an intelligent use of the natural advantages has made possible, and by reason of the unusual magnitude of the results achieved by a very moderate outlay.

The elevation above the water of the diverting point on Bear creek is five hundred and eighty-two feet. The pressure of one hundred and sixty feet, and has a gradient fall of two feet in a thousand feet. The steel pipe used is of the heavy pressure, which reach a maximum of two hundred and ninety feet, and has a fall of 1.5 inches per hundred feet. The main line conduit terminates a mile east of the new reservoir at the head of the 14-inch pipe, at an elevation of one hundred and sixty feet. Practically all of the peninsula below this elevation is designed to be eventually supplied by gravity, which is the most desirable method of water supply.

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