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A Beautiful Addition on the West Side.

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Astoria Land & Investment Co. 462... Bond Street... Astoria, Or.

New Astoria...

located at the terminus of the Astoria and Columbia River Railroad, at the mouth of the Columbia River. It fronts on the deep water of the Columbia River Harbor, and being perfectly protected from wind and seas, affords the very best docks for ships on this bay; therefore, it is the exact spot for the seaport of the great Northwest. These facts were recognized by the Astoria & Columbia River Railroad Co. when

New Astoria Was Selected as the Starting Point for their Railroad and the Location for the Terminals.

New Astoria is platted upon a plane high enough for perfect drainage, and well protected by a high ridge behind it. Its streets and avenues are wide, and, in fact, it is laid out on modern plans. Extensive street improvements are now under way.

An office has been opened by the proprietors one door east of the Crosby hardware store. Call, be shown the merits of this property, and invest.

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Children's and Youth's Steel-Shod Shoes, all Sizes and Styles

We also carry a fine line of ladies' and men's shoes, from the best to the lowest reliable grade. All goods warranted just as represented. JOHN HAHN & CO., 478 Commercial Street.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Local weather for the 24 hours ending at 5 p. m. yesterday, furnished by the United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau. Maximum temperature, 79 degrees. Minimum temperature, 56 degrees. Precipitation, none. Total precipitation from September 1st, 1895, to date, 77.19 inches. Excess of precipitation from September 1st, 1895, to date, 6.44 inches.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

Portland, July 3.—For Washington and Oregon, fair weather; warmer east of the Cascades, except stationary at Walla Walla.

FIRE ALARM BOXES.

Box 5—Trullinger's Mill. Box 4—Bond and Seventh street. Box 7—Ninth and Duane. Box 3—Commercial and Fifteenth. Box 8—Clatsop Mill. Box 11—Car Stables. Box 14—McGregor's Mill.

AROUND TOWN.

Heaven that made me honest made me more than ever king did when he made a lord.—Rowe. Dr. O. B. Estes is confined to his room by sickness. Dr. W. J. Howard, Homeopathist, 585 Commercial street. Fresh strawberries every morning at lowest market price. C. B. Smith. Foard & Stokes Co.'s store will remain closed after 10 a. m. today. Until further notice, steamer Lurline will leave Astoria at 6 a. m. daily. Ice cream for sale in bulk, and ice cream parlors at the Astoria Creamery. Call on Snodgras for fine photos. Our motto, Good work and low prices. The finest separator cream in the city at bedrock prices at C. B. Smith's. Just received, a choice stock of fine teas, coffees and spices, at Foard & Stokes Co. The Misses Guselle and Laura Gray

went to Portland yesterday to spend the Fourth.

Mayor Taylor yesterday signed the ordinance vacating certain streets for railroad purposes.

Cream from the celebrated Mikado cream separator, fresh every day, at Foard & Stokes Co.

The football club will win at the Hi-waco contest today unless Duncan Stuart proves a hoodoo.

Observer Grover last evening, for once in a decade, promised pleasant weather for the Fourth.

The gentleman of the house is now wheeling the lawn mowers about the front yard for exercise.

Messrs. Frank Patton and Albert Dunbar left last evening on a Fourth of July fishing trip to Green mountain.

Go to the Spa for your candies and ice cream. The only first-class place in town. Crushed fruits always on hand.

Don't fail to call at Bratt's Red Front Gallery, 583 Commercial street. Hard times prices for thirty days. Call for particulars.

Ice cream by the bushel at C. B. Smith's. Ice cream soda a specialty. Private parlors for ladies. 483 Commercial street.

The streets were full of people last night who were out shopping and making preparations for celebrating the glorious Fourth.

The decorations of the Astoria National Bank in honor of the day are very attractive and help out the looks of Commercial street.

James Leahy, Olney, John Bunke, Young's River; Mr. Baumgarten, Flavell, and Mrs. Mortenson, of Chinook, were in the city yesterday.

Auditor Kuetner says that they are pushing things on the west side of the bay, and that they expect to complete the Flavel switch by this evening.

The ferns and floral decorations at Utzinger's are very handsome. Some rare specimens have been secured by this gentleman, who is a lover of flowers.

In the police court yesterday Chris Andus forfeited \$5 bail on a charge of assaulting Fred Kroen. The settlement of the matter was an amicable one.

Matt Olsen, of Deep River; Wm. Lodge, and Wm. Lyons, of Young's river, and J. M. Sales, Walluski, were in buying Fourth of July goods yesterday.

Fourth of July Photos. At Bratt's Gallery, 583 Commercial street. Big

reduction in prices for thirty days only, commencing today. First class work only. Call and see.

Quite a crowd of Astorians are going to Gray's River this morning for a 4th of July picnic. Councilman Bergman and family, with a number of friends, will be of the party.

Yee On, on Bond street, told the small boys yesterday that he had the best kind of China crackers and bombs. Yee is evidently looking out for the pennies of the patriotic youngsters.

If you want a Tooth Brush, Nail Brush, Cloth Brush, Hair Brush, Hat Brush, Shoe Brush, Nursing Bottle Brush, or Nursing Bottle Tube Brush, go to Rogers, 483 Commercial street.

Button, button, who has the button? Griffin & Reed's stock of campaign buttons, sent out from the East, includes many novelties which the boys on both sides are wearing on their coats.

A small boy, passing in front of a horse on the O. R. and N. dock yesterday afternoon, nearly had his ears snapped off. The horse was bent on play, but the boy did not take it that way.

Contractors Bayles & Palmberg yesterday evening finished putting the shingles on the roof of the Hotel Flavel. They say they will be ready for the opening banquet before very many days.

The up-river boat last night had a large cargo of freight, consisting of canned salmon, tin plate, tin cans, etc., and a large passenger list. Many people are going to spend their Fourth in Portland.

The steamer Electric yesterday carried a large lot of supplies to the railroad camps above Tongue Point, and the O. K. took a lot of iron bolts, etc., for the wharf at Flavel, and towed down another pile driver for the work.

There are many Astorians owning handsome flower gardens who do not believe in enjoying all the good things of nature by themselves, as is evidenced by the beautiful bouquets sent daily to their less fortunate neighbors and the sick.

Mrs. T. A. McBride and daughter arrived yesterday morning on the steamer from Portland, and went over to Seaside, where they will spend the season. Judge McBride's son, who is already at the coast, met the ladies at the railroad station.

One of the first business houses on Commercial street to unfurl the Stars and Stripes yesterday was Alex. Campbell. The big flag on the top of the building, and the smaller one in the window, attracting people of all nationalities, protected much attention.

For the next ten days we will have a special sale of velvet, silk, and cloth wraps at wholesale prices, the handsomest and best fitting shirt waists, and a large line of duck suits, and wrappers at yard down prices. I. Cohen, Low Price Store, 491 Bond street, corner Eleventh.

It may be interesting to know that the Fourth of July is celebrated in Zurich, Switzerland with as much enthusiasm as in America. Regattas are held on the lake, and the large American population there as well as the Swiss people, take a day off in honor of liberty.

The Outing Club will hold a picnic today at Scarborough Head. Miss Pearl Holden has sufficiently recovered to accompany the club. A jolly time is anticipated by the thirty-five or forty members. The steamer Gravel will convey the party across the bay early this morning.

Word was received last evening that the work of unloading the steel rails from the sunken barge at Warrenton had been completed. Arrangements have been made to beach and repair the barge at once so that she can be

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towed up the river and put in the dry dock for a thorough overhauling.

Jay Tuttle, Jr., has gone to Hillsboro to visit Captain Merriman. Misses Nettie and Nancy Tuttle are still at Coos Bay, while Mrs. Tuttle, with Mrs. Wm. Hume and daughter, Aura, are at Grimes' Seaside. The doctor thinks that he has been deserted, and his people considerably scattered.

Mrs. F. P. Kendall and family, Mrs. Perry Trullinger and family, went to Gearhart yesterday for the purpose of putting the Trivold cottage in order for the reception of their guests today. Among those who will spend the 4th and 5th with them are Senator John H. Smith and family, C. R. Thomson and family, F. R. Stokes and family, G. W. Lounsbury and family and others.

The congregation of the Methodist Episcopal church will gladly welcome the return, next Sunday, July 5, of their choir, which has been taking a month's vacation. Three of the members will not be present, however, until a week later. Additions have been made to the soprano and alto parts, which the director, Mrs. H. T. Crosby, feels confident will add much to the efficiency of the choir. In response to a general request the choir will repeat on Sunday evening, July 12th, the service of sacred song given by them on May 12th last.

It was rumored last evening that Mr. Walt Inguia, of the Lewis and Clarke, had stated that he was in favor of a bridge across Young's river at once. He thinks that the people of that territory will have too much business on hand to bother with a ferry until they can do better. When the new road is finished into the city, Mr. Inguia promises to head a three mile procession from the Lewis and Clarke and Clatsop Plains into the city to show Astoria how many country neighbors they have in that district.

A boy, a firecracker and a barrel created a sensation on Astor street yesterday morning. A number of empty barrels were standing in front of Erickson, and several youngsters found it great fun to light a firecracker and shove it into the barrel through the bung-hole. The reports produced were most gratifying. One barrel was tacked, however, which brought about results most unexpected. It seems that there was a little alcohol in the bottom of it, and when the firecracker exploded the head of the barrel was blown out with a report like that of a cannon, and pieces struck one boy on the wrist and head. He was taken to Dr. Fulton's office, where the damages were repaired, and he declared to the doctor, that the fun was simply great. "The barrel went up fifty feet in the air and made a noise like a cannon."

Several newspaper men who happened to be in Auditor Nelson's office yesterday afternoon, were not a little amused at the proposition made by Captain Jacobsen, one of the contractors on the city water front railroad work. The captain rushed into the office and said that he couldn't go any further with his work until he had secured the signed copy of the ordinance from the mayor vacating certain streets along the O. R. and N. dock, and that he would take a special train and go to Seaside with the copy for the mayor's endorsement. The captain was quite relieved when he found the mayor was in the city on business, and that the necessary papers had been signed. When Auditor Nelson was interviewed in regard to the matter he was non-committal on the subject, but those who were present vouch for the statement and were agreed that Jacobsen & Wakefield are hustlers.

BICYCLE ACADEMY. Sherman & Thing have opened a riding school next door to Pacific Express office. Competent instructors constantly in attendance. Cleveland and Crescent bicycles for sale and rent.

For 15 cents you can secure an excellent well-served meal at the Bon Ton Restaurant, No. 671 Commercial street. They are also fully prepared to serve all kinds of fish, game and delicacies of the season, as well as oysters in every imaginable style at the lowest living prices. Come once and you will continue to come.

Salton Sea Salt for baths at the Estes-Conn Drug Store. 10c and 25c per package.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

There's more clothing destroyed by poor soap than by actual war. "Hos Caker" soap contains no free alkali and will not injure the finest lace. Try it and notice the difference in quality. Ross, Higgins & Co.

DECISION OF THE A. F. C. BOYS

The Regatta Is to Be Held in the Month of August

Next

NEW COMMITTEE TO BE NAMED

President Kendall Authorized to Appoint Another and Enlarged Committee to Carry Out the Details of the Project.

An enthusiastic meeting was held last evening in the rooms of the A. F. C. by the board of directors of the club and a large number of enterprising citizens. The meeting was called to consider the regatta question, and there was but one line of argument presented during the evening. Each and every one present was determined that there should be a regatta. After some discussion as to ways and means, the board officially determined to hold the regatta some time during the month of August. By unanimous vote President Kendall was authorized to appoint an enlarged committee to carry the project through.

The special committee which has been working several days on subscriptions, reports a large number of additional pledges, and they are now satisfied that sufficient funds will be forthcoming to make the affair a grand success. When the news was received last night from Portland that President Curtis had closed the contract for the balance of the road to Goble, many expressed themselves as willing to double their subscriptions, and intimated that they would celebrate today with a light heart. Each and every one felt that with the best part of the fishing season still to come, and with the increased amount of money put in circulation by the railroad company, they could well afford to subscribe liberally for the regatta and entertain the battle ship Oregon in fitting manner. With Tacoma on the north holding its first annual rose carnival, and the cities of California giving carnivals and carnivals, it would seem very strange if Oregon could not hold a little regatta on the great Columbia river the year that her big battle ship is put in commission, and the year that her railroad is put in a fair way of completion. The business men of Astoria, with their usual energy and patriotism, are determined that Oregon shall not be behind the rest of the country in making history for 1896.

CHURCH SERVICES TOMORROW.

Congregational Church—Communion and reception of members in the morning. The evening service will be commemorative of the Declaration of Independence. The Junior Endeavor Society will give a pleasing and unique representation, entitled, "The Declaration of the Thirteen Sisters." The pastor will deliver a short address on "Religion and Patriotism." All are cordially invited.

At the Norwegian and Danish M. E. church, Upper Astoria, the pastor will preach tomorrow at 11 a. m. on "The Parable of the Net," and at 8 p. m. he will preach on "God's Presence Conducting to Heavenly Rest."

M. E. Church—Morning subject, "Esau's Hinder." Evening, "The Ledger of Life, or Loss and Gain." The choir after a month's vacation will be in their places both morning and evening, and will render some fine music. The committee on Sunday school picnic will make their report at the Sunday school session. Let all the teachers and scholars be present.

Services at the Baptist Church—Subject in the morning, "Echoes of the Willamette Association." In the evening, "Summer Vacations." Sunday school and prayer meeting at the usual time and place. You are cordially invited to attend.

Swedish Church—Service will be held in the Swedish Lutheran church Sunday, July 5th, at 10:45 a. m. at Upper Astoria, by J. A. Edlund, minister of the church.

TELL IT OUT.

Don't sit down and wait for trade. Taint the way. Get a hustle, make her show. Push your business—make her go. Don't sit down and wait for trade. Taint the way. Taint the way.

If you've got something to sell. Tell it about. Let your neighbors see you're "fly." Get up "bargains," don't say die. If you've anything to sell. Tell it out. Tell it out.

Folks don't know you if you don't Advertise.

Keep things movin' every day. Talk about it, that's the way. Folks won't know you if you don't Advertise. Advertise. Advertise.

BANK TAXES IN 'FRISCO.

San Francisco, July 2.—The bankers of San Francisco and Assessor Siebe are at war. The assessor has served notice upon the bankers that their assessments will be raised \$20,000,000 over the valuation of last year. Siebe alleges that he is compelled to increase the tax under the new law, but the banks will not submit without a fight.

REDUCED RATES.

The steamer Lurline will sell tickets on July 2, 3, 4, good to return July 6, at one fare for the round trip to all points on the river between Astoria and Portland.

FOURTH OF JULY.

The O. R. and N. Co. will sell tickets on July 2, 3, 4, good to return July 6, at one fare for the round trip to all points on the river between Astoria and Portland.

ROYAL Baking Powder.

Highest of all in leavening strength.—U. S. Government Report. Use Webfoot Corn Cure. No cure no pay. For sale at Estes-Conn Drug Store.

Meany is the leading tanner, and pays the highest cash price for fur skins.

WANTED.

WANTED—Good lady collector; dainty work, good commission. Address Mrs. V. L. Fought, 429 Davis street, Portland, Or.

WANTED—Situation by experienced woman as chamber maid, waitress or to do light housework. Address Box 582, city.

WANTED—At once; active agents for each county. Exclusive control and no risk. Will clear 12 to 25 hundred dollars a year. Enclose stamp for full particulars or 2c for 11 sample. Big Rapids Mineral Water Co., Big Rapids, Mich.

WANTED—To Rent—A house of six or seven rooms, centrally located. Address J. Astoria office.

FOR SALE.

JAPANESE GOODS—Fireworks—just out just received—just what you want, at Wing Lee's, 548 Commercial street.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—For the summer—a centrally located six-room furnished house—reasonable terms. Families with small children need not apply. Inquire at this office.

FOR RENT—A furnished room, 118 2nd street.

FOR RENT—Three or four rooms, with board, at Mrs. E. C. Holden's, corner Duane and Ninth streets. Price reasonable.

REWARD.

TEN DOLLAR REWARD will be paid for any information which will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who stole the plush card receiver from the Palms Cafe. W. W. WHITTLE, Proprietor.

FOUND.

FOUND—A gentleman's gold ring, marked with Odd Fellow's emblem. Owner can recover same by applying at Astoria office. H. F. L. LOGAN, Prop'r, Seaside, Oregon.

SEASIDE SAWMILL.

A complete stock of lumber on hand in the rough or dressed. Flooring, rafters, ceiling, and all kinds of finish; mouldings and shingles; also brackets work done to order. Terms reasonable and prices at bedrock. All orders promptly attended to. Office and yard at mill. H. F. L. LOGAN, Prop'r, Seaside, Oregon.

Beneath a steamer's berth there's just room enough for one of our \$15 telescope satchels and not near enough for the ordinary trunk. Hence, a satchel is a necessity if you're going on a sea voyage.

THE ARCADE.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that E. R. Hawes has made a general assignment of all his property for the benefit of all his creditors; and that the undersigned, C. J. Trenchard, has been appointed assignee of said estate; and all creditors of said estate are hereby notified to present their claims against said estate, under oath, to me, within three months hereafter, at the store of said E. R. Hawes, at No. 505 Bond street, of said city.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Parker & Hanson, is this day mutually dissolved. Gelo F. Parker will continue the business and all accounts of the firm must be settled with him.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that I have been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Adam Bate, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate are requested to present them to me at the law office of Frank J. Taylor, at Astoria, Oregon, within six months from this date. All persons owing the estate must pay their indebtedness to me, at the same place.

NOTICE OF VOTE ON SWINE RUNNING AT LARGE.

Office of the County Clerk of Clatsop County. In accordance with Section No. 2413 of "Bill's Annotated Law of Oregon," notice is hereby given that at a general election held June 1st, 1894, 1547 votes were cast against swine running at large; that in sixty days from the date of this notice it will be unlawful for swine to run at large, within Clatsop county, State of Oregon, under penalty of Five Dollars for the first offense, and Ten Dollars for each subsequent offense; to be recovered from the owner of the swine by civil action in the name of the State of Oregon, before a justice of the peace of the precinct in which such owner or keeper, or either of them, may reside; and such penalty shall be for the benefit of, and when collected paid into, the common school fund of the county in which said action is brought, within sixty days after such animal is proven to be at large.

REWARD.

Clatsop County, State of Oregon. Whereas, on the 27th day of May, 1894, Esther Loire, Jack Lambert, Adolph Gougnon and Sam Melandert were waylaid and murdered near Cathlamet Head (two miles below Clifton), in Clatsop county, Oregon.

Now, therefore, Clatsop county hereby offers the following reward of ONE THOUSAND (\$1000) DOLLARS for information that will lead to the arrest or conviction of the person or persons who murdered said parties.

Said reward will be paid as follows: Five hundred (\$500) dollars will be paid for information that will cause the arrest and conviction of any one of the gang of murderers, and Five hundred (\$500) will be paid for information that will cause the arrest and conviction of the balance of the persons committing said crime.

Astoria, Oregon, June 10, 1896.

J. H. D. GRAY, County Judge, Clatsop County, Or.

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