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If you will look into the situation you will see that  
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### WARRENTON

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A Beautiful Addition on the  
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**Astoria  
Land &  
Investment  
Co.  
462...  
Bond Street...  
Astoria, Or.**

## New Astoria...

Is 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.

**The New Astoria Company** ..514..  
COMMERCIAL ST.

**We Carry a  
Fine Line of**

**Ladies'  
Gents'  
Children's Shoes**

Complete Stock of Summer  
Footwear, Bathing Shoes, Etc.

**John Hahn & Co.**  
479 Commercial St.

### 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, 69 degrees.  
Minimum temperature, 57 degrees.  
Precipitation, .61 inch.

Total precipitation from September 1st, 1895, to date, 77.11 inches.  
Excess of precipitation from September 1st, 1895, to date, 6.92 inches.

### TODAY'S WEATHER.

Forecast—For Washington and Oregon, fair weather, continued cool.

### AROUND TOWN.

Faith is a rock which shields us from despair.  
A wing which lifts above earth's pain and care.

A light, a lamp, which guides us all the way.  
Through death's dark portals to eternal day!

—List A. Fletcher.

Dr. W. L. Howard, Homoeopathist, 586 Commercial street.

The love of real lace is an instinct with refined women.

Sealskin coats possess no attractive qualities this weather.

Fresh strawberries every morning at lowest market prices. C. B. Smith.

Mr. L. H. Pedersen will leave for Portland today on a business trip.

Rev. J. J. Walter and wife returned yesterday morning from Portland.

Stop that tickling in the throat with Rogers' Bronchial Tablets, only 10 cts.

The finest separator cream in the city at bedrock prices at C. B. Smith's.

Mr. H. C. Thompson returned yesterday from a two weeks' visit to Seaside.

Just received, a choice stock of fine teas, coffees and spices, at Peard & Stokes Co.

The regular weekly meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in Rescue Parlors this Thursday at 2 p. m. Full

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216 and 217 Chamber of Commerce  
Portland, Oregon

let, representing an eastern photographic establishment, who have been here for some time, leave on this morning's boat for Portland.

The lawn social will be continued at the residence of Mrs. C. J. Trenchard tomorrow afternoon, from 2 to 3 o'clock for the benefit of the children. All children will be welcomed.

The poundmaster, a woman and a cow in Uppertown, had an altercation yesterday afternoon. It was reported that the woman got the best of the argument, and led the cow away triumphantly.

County Clerk Dunbar yesterday issued a marriage license to J. T. Lee and Christie Fisher. Miss Fisher is a niece of the Fisher brothers of this city, being a daughter of Mr. Henry Fisher, of Bear Creek.

Contractors on the main line of the railroad are now at work on the high places in the vicinity of Ranier. As soon as the high water in the river subsides they will be able to put men at work all along the line.

B. H. Pitts, St. Louis; F. Teal, Albany; Geo. N. Wright, Seattle; James Brown, Portland; W. Garrett, Cleveland, Ohio; E. W. Thorne and wife M. Sallers and sister, Omaha, registered at the Parker yesterday.

Mr. T. G. Nicklin, representing the American Typefounders' Company, paid Astoria a visit yesterday. Mr. Nicklin is agent for the Thorne typesetting machine, which he thinks is the greatest invention of the age.

Mr. M. Muir Picken, representing the G. H. Hammond Company, packers of meat, Omaha, Neb., is in the city and is preparing to open a branch office here for his company. Evidently the Omaha people believe in Astoria.

Mr. W. Q. Gosselin and wife have removed from the corner of Ninth and Duane to their new residence on the second floor of the Flavel block corner of Tenth and Bond streets, where they will be at home to their friends in the future.

During the past ten days people residing along the beach south of Elk Creek have noticed several small vessels passing down the coast. They were keeping in near the coast and resembled very much Columbia river fishing boats.

Mr. W. J. Ingalls, who was in from the Lewis and Clarke yesterday afternoon, reports that the road committee is making good progress on the new road. Farming matters are in good shape in that district, and they expect a profitable season.

The University of Oregon at Eugene is rapidly becoming the foremost institution of higher learning in the Northwest. Tuition is free, and the literary and scientific courses are equal to the best. Free information may be obtained by addressing University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon.

The Lawn Social to be given at the residence of Mrs. C. J. Trenchard this evening, July 23, promises to be the event of the season. Coffee, sandwiches, cake and ice cream will be served. The Astoria Band will furnish music for the evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The bids for the work to be done on the approaches of the new Lewis and Clarke road ferry at the west side of the bay, while they have been received by the county court, have not yet been opened, and will not be opened until some definite action is taken by the city council as to the east side approaches.

The regatta committee yesterday received liberal subscriptions from J. D. Meyer, Esberg & Gunst Company, and Rothschild Brothers, Portland. This makes a number of large subscriptions received from the metropolis, and the regatta and firemen's tournament will surely receive the support of the Portland people.

S. Schmidt, E. Hall, A. Chalmers, H. Stevens, D. C. O'Reilly, G. W. Ellis, L. Russell and family, Portland; B. J. Smith, A. S. Collins, and A. P. Elliott, San Francisco; R. D. Alston, Livingston, Mont.; C. H. Wheeler, Nehalem; T. K. Nieling, Whatcom, Wn.; W. H. Benham, Chicago, were guests at the Occident yesterday.

Early yesterday morning Jas. Stokes, Chief Loughery and Thomas Trullinger, went shooting at Smith's Point. A good bag of pigeons was secured. This is the first time in many years that pigeons have been found so close to the city. Chief Loughery also secured quite a number a few days ago, but the flock has been frightened away by Chinese hunters.

In the county court yesterday afternoon Mrs. Helen Svensen was adjudged insane and committed to the asylum. The unfortunate lady has had several attacks of the disease, and was last night accompanied to Salem by her nurse, Mrs. Weilan, and Sheriff Hare. Mr. Thos. Ryrie, who has been her guardian, sent his resignation to the court yesterday, but the matter has not yet been acted upon.

The manifests for the steel rails now on board the ships Fulwood and Chelmsford, have been received at the custom house. While the vessels are a few days overdue, figuring on the basis of average time from England, no particular uneasiness is felt as to their safety because there are many instances on record where ships have been more than 200 days in transit from England to this port around the Horn.

Mr. D. R. Hanson, of San Francisco, the sawmill machinery man, found a brother "Hon-Hoo" in the person of Mr. O'Reilly, of the O. R. and N. Co., who happened to be in the city on a visit. The two Hon-Hoos thought it was time to start a branch in Astoria. It takes nine applicants to open the ceremonies in any town or community. It is thought that shortly a "cat-o-nine tails" will have a home in this city.

Mr. D. C. O'Reilly, assistant general freight agent of the O. R. and N. Co., spent yesterday in Astoria. He says that under the reorganization of that company no changes will be made in the operating or traffic departments. Business on the line at present is quiet, but they are holding their own. Transcontinental rates, Mr. O'Reilly says, are not now, and have not been for some time past, in satisfactory condition. It is hoped that an understanding can be reached between the different lines in the near future.

Manager Clarke at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon cut the Postal Telegraph line and attached the wires to the Portland telephone system. Conversation was had with Manager Thatcher, of the Portland Telephone Company, and Superintendent Huesner, of the telegraph company, in their Portland offices.

The line worked in first class shape, and was the first instance of long distance telephone service for Astoria. Should necessarily demand telephone service with Portland, it can be established at any time.

About 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon a chimney caught on fire at the residence of Mr. Nick Clinton. The department promptly responded to the call but the fire was out before they arrived on the ground. No damage was done. No. 3's team, after reaching the head of Ninth street, stopped and refused to go any further. They evidently became tired of travelling up hill, but it is a dangerous practice on the part of the horses to strike at such a time. A house might burn down while waiting for them to make up their minds to go further.

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.

**OBITUARY.**

The sad intelligence was received yesterday of the death of Mr. W. R. Smith, well known in Astoria and Clatsop county.

The deceased was a brother of John H. and A. M. Smith, lawyers in this city, and was born in Yamhill county thirty-eight years ago. Mr. Smith was raised in Linn county, and spent a few years in Eastern Oregon in the stock business. He came to Astoria nine years ago, and has ever since lived at Fort Stevens, where he has been engaged in the real estate and selling business. Mr. Smith has been ailing for a number of years and several times has been subject to attacks similar to the one which carried him off. Death was not expected by his friends and relatives, as the trouble did not seem to be any different or

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Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.**

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BAKING  
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Most Perfect Made.  
40 Years the Standard.

If you want a sure relief for pains in the back, side, chest, or limbs, use an

**Allcock's Porous Plaster**  
BEAR IN MIND—Not one of the host of counterfeits and imitations is as good as the genuine.

more dangerous than previous attacks. Up to 5 o'clock yesterday morning it was fully expected that he would recover, but a sudden change took place which caused his death. The difficulty was occasioned by exposure on the seining grounds some days ago.

The funeral will take place today at 11:45 o'clock from Mr. Smith's late residence over Copeland & Thoren's shoe store. The deceased was a member of the Baptist church, and Rev. Mr. Trumbull will officiate at the services. The interment will be made at the old Presbyterian cemetery.

**NEW PROPOSITION.**

Big Insurance Company Makes a Good Offer.

Deposit \$90 per annum for twenty years; then draw \$200 per year for balance of life, and principal will be paid at death. "Special Income" Policy, issued exclusively by The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York. Founded 1843, purely mutual, assets \$221,213,721.33.

This investment can be purchased by ten annual payments, or by single premium if preferred. Send exact date of birth to Wm. S. Pond, State Manager, 404-5 Oregonian Building, Portland, Oregon.

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

**Program..**

For the  
Benefit of  
**Herman  
Wise's  
Customers**

At  
**Cathlamette**  
On  
**Sunday, July 26**

All of Herman Wise's customers who are entitled to tickets for Sunday's picnic are requested to procure them, so that there will be no kick coming afterwards.

10:30 a. m.—Baseball, Cathlamet vs. Astoria "Press Nine."  
12:30 to 1:30 p. m.—Dinner Recess

**AFTERNOON.**

Events. Prizes.  
Men's footrace, 150 yards.....Fine hat  
Ladies' footrace, 75 yards.....Club bag  
Boys' footrace, 12 to 15 years.....

Boys' footrace, 7 to 11 years, 50 yards.....Boys' hat  
Girls' footrace, under 15 years, 50 yards.....Silk handkerchief  
Men's bicycle race, four times around track.....Pair of pants  
Ladies' bicycle race, three times around track.....Umbrella  
Boys' bicycle race, under 14, two times around track.....Two neckties  
Girls' bicycle race, under 14, two times around track.....

.....Silk handkerchief  
Wind up: Dance in Athens grove, near baseball grounds.

All who desire to participate in these events must leave their names at our store not later than Saturday, July 25. None but original holders of tickets will be allowed to enter.

**HERMAN WISE**  
The Reliable  
1-Price Clothier  
Commercial St.  
Astoria, Or.

Opposite  
Palace  
Restaurant

The best chemical compound for washing powder is "Soap Flax," as it will not "yellow the clothes," nor burn the hands. It's the finest thing in the world for the bath. One trial will convince you.

To be happy do not envy the belongings of your wealthier neighbors, but cultivate content with your own.

**Children Cry for  
Pitcher's Castoria.**

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

Parties desiring the best of job printing at the lowest prices should call at the Astoria job office before going elsewhere.

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

**In Medieval Days**

When people wanted anything they knelt down and prayed for it. However, that was some time ago. Along about 1400 a fellow named Gutenberg, who had "come de thinking over" was monkeying around a carpenter shop in Lentz. He whitened some little blocks and actually made an alphabet. Then he rigged a sort of well, a machine that would look something like our letter press of today. He arranged his blocks in order, put some ink on them, also a piece of paper, and then screwed his press down. That was called printing. Old Gutenberg made a howling success of the racket, and his head became so swollen that he really snubbed the king one day. The king overlooked it, however, for he had an idea what kind of fellows printers would be. Well, finally they got the printing system down pat, and, as the centuries rolled by, began printing newspapers—first person, invariably singular number, any gender and hard case.

**In This  
Enlightened Day**

There are many newspapers—as a matter of fact. But it is an utter impossibility to get a newspaper to admit it. The advertising patronage of a newspaper depends largely—yes, wholly—upon its circulation. A newspaper is a great deal like the human body; if its circulation is good, it prospers; otherwise, it starves. Some papers publish

**Want Columns**

That is, a column, or a number of columns, devoted to small advertisements. If a fellow wants anything—trouble, a wife, a house—don't make any difference what it is—he can get it by means of a small ad. Included in the "want" column are "For Sale," "For Rent," "Lost," "Found," "Stolen," and "Miscellaneous." Now, just see what chumps some people are! Why, a man has been known to hunt over a city—this city—for days looking for a house in which to live. Had he come to The Astorian office and asked for a want ad, he could have gotten his house without the least bit of trouble and for about 25 cents.

**It Is Needless**

To tell of The Astorian's circulation. The paper has been established for a quarter of a century. Why, old Concordia read the first rumor of the building of a railroad to his graves from it. Circulation is The Astorian's long suit. Consequently, when a fellow comes into The Astorian office, looks pleasant, throws down 25 cents on the counter and says he wants a house, he gets it.

**Why, Just Think!**

The Astorian goes into every house in Astoria and a great majority of those in the surrounding sections of Oregon and Washington. Hence, if you insert an ad in The Astorian, it is equivalent to engaging a man to go around to all those houses and telling the inmates that you want something or have something for sale. Why, talk about a snap!

**A Bit of Advice**

When you want anything—no matter what it is—when you have anything for sale; when you lose, find or steal anything, come around and tell your trouble to The Astorian. Bring 25 cents with you, and, above all things, look pleasant. Tell the clerk that you want a want ad. In the want column, give him your 25 cents and go away happy. As Herman Wise would say, a want ad, will restore the blind, the bald and the bowlegged to manhood.

**3 Lines for 25 Cents.**  
Try It.

**WANTED.**

WANTED—Girl to do housework for small family residing at the beach. Work light. Call at 462 Bond street, opposite Occident before noon today.

WANTED—Immediately, a girl for general housework. Must be a first-class cook. Apply at No. 290 Eighth street.

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 25c for 11 sample. Big Rapids Mineral Water Co., Big Rapids, Mich.

**FOR SALE.**

FOR SALE—Two ch-w cases, cheap, 141 Commercial street.

FOR SALE—Three furnished rooms, centrally located, for sale or rent. Apply at the Astorian office.

FOR SALE—A desirable cottage and lot, Clatsop Grove, Seaside. Apply to H. F. L. Logan, of Astoria office.

FOR SALE—Five room house, with large lot, well located in suburbs of Astoria. Address Box 750, city.

**JAPANESE GOODS—Fireworks—Just out—just received—just what you want, at Wing Lee's, 34 Commercial street.**

**FOR RENT.**

FOR RENT—Newly furnished rooms; hot and cold baths; call at this office.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms with or without board. Apply 181 7th street.

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

**LOST.**

LOST OR STOLEN—A check for \$45.30, drawn on First National Bank, of Portland, endorsed by O. L. Hansen. Finder please notify "F." care Astorian office, and claim reward.

**FOUND.**

FOUND—Bunch of keys on Bond street. Owner can have same by applying at Astorian office and paying for this notice.

**ASTORIA & COLUMBIA RIVER  
RAILROAD**

**Official Time Schedule.**  
In effect July 17, 1936.

No. 6—First Class Astoria only Saturdays only Daily No. 3—Mixed train Daily No. 2—Mixed train Daily No. 1—Mixed train Daily	AM	PM	AM	PM
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