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THE OREGON'S VISIT.

It is evident that our people do not want the Oregon to come to Astoria. While citizens of Portland are enshrining their teeth and indulging in loud lamentations over the refusal of the navy department to trust this costly specimen of naval architecture to ascend the Columbia river, those of Astoria are actually deprecating the courteous proposal of the department to send her into the Astoria harbor.

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built and the entire plant in full operation before next fall. It will be recalled by the people of the Pacific coast and other sections of the country that under the Wilson bill a number of our largest and most profitable manufacturing plants were compelled to remove to England and Europe, and the fact that now, even before the final adoption of the Dingley tariff, foreign manufacturers are preparing to come to this country in order to carry on their business, is one of the most striking proofs of the advantages of a protective tariff. How any patriotic and intelligent person, in the face of such compulsion and easily comprehended illustrations, can cling to the delusion of the free trade policy it is impossible to understand. A child ought to see that free trade benefits the foreigner at the expense of the people of this country, while the inevitable consequence of removing the home market for the home produce results in building up and developing our own industries to an extent that no other economic policy ever has or ever can do.

This is the day of anti-thins, and anti-thin, but what people need most nowadays is the anti-bilious medicine, Simmons Liver Regulator, the King of Liver Medicines, and Better than Pills. "I have used no other anti-bilious remedy for six years and know from experience that for ladies of a constipated habit nothing equals it."—Laura V. Craig, Glenburn, Fla.

There are on the average, nine times as many deaths from typhoid fever in the large cities of the United States as in the many German cities that have secured a purified supply of water.

Thirty years is a long time to fight so painful a trouble as piles, but Jacob Mitchell, of Unionville, Pa., struggled that long before he tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which quickly and permanently cured him. It is equally effective in eczema and all skin affections. Charles Rogers.

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According to the newspapers, an Ohio husband became the happy father of seven children not long ago. Of the seven all lived but one. It is to be hoped he had in a supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, the only cure for croup, whooping-cough, colds and coughs, and so insured his children against these diseases. For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

A Kansas City woman advises that she will sell her piano, and offers to take a good milk cow as half payment. When times are close milk goes further than music.

As the strength of a building depends upon the solidity of its foundation, so health depends upon the condition of the blood. To expel impurities and cause the vital fluid to become vigorous and life-giving, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the most powerful and effective medicine in use.

The authorities of the dominion of Canada have presented the Hawaiian government with 80,000 young salmon to be placed in the rivers of the Hawaiian islands.

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Fifty Years Ago.

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NOTICE DRAIN IN McCLURE'S.

Notice is hereby given that the common council propose to establish and construct a system of drains in that portion of the City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney, as hereinafter described and designated, said drains to consist of terra cotta drain pipe not exceeding 12 inches in diameter, said system of drains to be constructed at the expense of all property in the drainage district which shall be known and designated as McClure's Drainage District No. 2, and to be constructed according to the plans and specifications to be prepared by the City Surveyor and deposited in the office of the Auditor and Police Judge, and according to the charter of the City of Astoria and the ordinance in relation thereto.

The lands and premises upon which the special assessment shall be levied to defray the cost of constructing said system of drains, and the district embracing said Drainage District, and the lands and premises to be assessed therefor are hereby designated as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of lot 5, block 49; thence east through the center of blocks 49, 48 and 47 to the northeast corner of lot 7, block 47; thence south along the east line of lot 7, block 47; thence east along the north line of blocks 71 and 72 to the southeast corner of lot 4, block 72; thence south along the east line of block 72 to the northeast corner of lot 4, block 89; thence east along the north line of block 89 to the northeast corner of lot 2, block 89; thence south along the east line of lots 2 and 4, block 89; thence west along the south line of block 89 to the southeast corner of lot 4, block 89; thence south along the east line of block 89 to the southeast corner of lot 3, block 89; thence west along the south line of blocks 89, 88, 87 and 86 to the southeast corner of lot 5, block 100; thence south along the east line of lot 4, block 107 to the center of lot 5, block 107; thence west through the center of lots 4, 6 and 7, block 107 to the northwest corner of lot 5, block 107; thence north along the west line of lots 7 and 2, block 107 to the southwest corner of lot 7, block 109; thence west to the southwest corner of lot 8, block 109; thence north along the west line of lots 8 and 2, block 109 to the northwest corner of lot 1, block 109; thence east along the north line of block 109 to the northeast corner of lot 1, block 99; thence north along the west line of blocks 99 and 76 to the northwest corner of lot 8, block 76; thence east to the southeast corner of lot 2, block 76; thence north along the west line of lot 4, block 76; thence east to the northwest corner of lot 1, block 76; thence north along the west line of lot 8, block 49, which is the place of beginning.

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Estimates of the expense of said drain and plans and specifications of the locality to be drained will be on file in the office of the Auditor and Police Judge for public examination. That at the next regular meeting of the Common Council, after ten days from the expiration of the notice of such improvement, to-wit: on Friday, June 4, 1897, the said Common Council will consider any objections to such improvement being made; and if a remonstrance signed by owners of one-half of the property in the above described district, be filed against such improvement in the office of the Auditor and Police Judge before said fourth day of June, no such work or improvement will be made except by the concurrence of two-thirds of all the members of the common council aforesaid.

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