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When you go to Warrenton Don't fail to visit KELLY & PALMBERG'S SAMPLE ROOMS

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If you think an \$5.00 Clock is worth \$2.50 come and get one. IMPORTED DRESS SUITINGS, heretofore sold at \$10.50, \$12.50 and \$15.00, will now go at \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$5.50.

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An Elegant Line of the famous Edwin Clapp Fine Shoes FOR MEN. A complete assortment of Ladies' Shoes of the very best makes.

18- Fall and Winter -97 DRESS GOODS. See what we are showing in the new styles. Our new samples are coming in every day.

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NOBBY Green Shoes COLUMBIA SHOE CO.

TODAY'S WEATHER. Fair weather, fresh northerly winds.

AROUND TOWN. Best meals 10c, at Casino restaurant.

Cucumbers, very cheap, at Ross, Higgins & Co.'s.

Postmaster Wise is expected home from Portland this morning.

Groceries at the lowest prices at the Pacific Grocery Co.

Lemons at great reduction at Ross, Higgins & Co.'s.

At 1/2 price—Misses' and Children's Tan Shoes. Columbia Shoe Co.

Miss Clara E. Buchanan is visiting her mother at Knappa, Wash.

An elegant line of Little Gents' Shoes just arrived. Columbia Shoe Co.

Ask for sample of Chase & Sanborn's famous teas, at Ross, Higgins & Co.'s.

For roofing and skylights go to the Astoria Roofing and Cornice Co., 34 Ninth street.

C. C. Dalton of Ilwaco, and W. Maurice Kelly of Portland, were arrivals in the city yesterday.

When you are looking for fresh fruits and vegetables call on the Pacific Grocery Co.

Mrs. J. W. Conn and Miss Conn have returned from a month's outing at Seaside.

THE Astor House CLEAN AND RHY ROOMS

Rates, \$1 and \$1.25 a day; Meals, 25 cts.

Pilcher & Taylor, Proprietors

(Sept. 1st) at 7 p. m. in the choir room. Let every boy be present promptly. Week day evening service Friday (Sept. 1) at 7 o'clock.

New clothing of the latest and best material at C. H. Cooper's.

Ashtand peaches cheap and good; also a large supply of other fine fruits at Ross, Higgins & Co.

There will be a free concert and dance every night at the Logan pavilion at Seaside until further notice.

Miss Julia Kopp, who has been staying at Seaside for several weeks, returned home yesterday.

Laird, Schober & Co. \$3.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00 Shoes; your choice for 10 days, \$3.95. Columbia Shoe Co.

Fancy goods and furnishing goods, reasonable prices, at C. H. Cooper's.

Special sale of fine fruits today at Ross, Higgins & Co.'s. Ashtand peaches, Bartlett pears, silver prunes, choice apples, etc., etc.

Miss Brookhouse and Mrs. Bishop returned Sunday evening to their home at The Dalles, after a brief visit with Mrs. C. W. Holt.

Ladies' Tan and Ox-bow Oxfords, \$3.00 cut to \$1.00, \$3.00 cut to \$1.50, Laird, Schober & Co. \$4.00 Oxfords cut to \$2.00. Columbia Shoe Co.

Jim West, the Chicago barber and master of the tonorial art, has his shop opposite Kopp's N. P. B. When you want a good shave or hair-cut, give him a call.

Hon. J. R. Clinton and Miss Louisiana Renner were married in Portland Saturday. Both of the contracting parties have been popular residents of Astoria.

When you want a real life-like and artistic photo, don't fail to call on Snodgrass. The work he is turning out now is ahead of anything ever made in Astoria before.

Died at Knappa, aged 75, Mary Sture, mother of Jacob and August Sture, Sunday at 10:30 a. m. The funeral will take place in the Presbyterian church Tuesday August 31, at 10 a. m.

As I have sold my confectionery business in this city, I will go East September 1. Those having unsettled accounts with me will kindly settle up this week and oblige. C. B. Smith.

Will close business at 99 Commercial street, Astoria, in a few days. Anyone wishing to purchase counters, shelving, pool cases and other goods, can have them at an immense bargain. Persons owing me and can, will please call and settle, and all who have not the means need not worry. Friedman, 99 Commercial street.

A new river service has been inaugurated between Astoria and Rainier, Oregon, including all intermediate landings. The fine steamer "Piletine," Captain A. L. Brazee, will make round trips daily, except Sunday, leaving Rainier at 5:30 a. m., reaching Astoria at 1:30, landing at the Fourteenth street wharf, and departing on her return at 1:30. Prompt time and the best service is guaranteed for both passengers and freight.

Mr. G. N. Partridge and Mr. Joseph Johnson leave this morning on the state of California for San Francisco. Their ultimate destination is Trinity county where the recent rich gold discoveries have been made. If they don't strike something it will not be because they failed to provide sufficient outfit, for yesterday afternoon as the two gentlemen strolled along Commercial street on their way to the O. R. & N. dock each with a heavy and well-prepared pack, they were the envy of more than one who was hungry for a chance to start off on a chase for gold. Several other Astorians

who at first intended to go to the Alameda this fall, have about made up their minds to seek the warmer climes of Southern Oregon and California.

Yesterday morning, Auctioneer Worsley sold a portion of the real estate held by the Case assignee. The prices brought by some of the property caused a cold shiver to course up and down the spine of every real estate man and property owner present. Mr. Alex Gilbert, Samuel Elmore and William Barker were among the principal buyers. One timber claim in 7-8 sold for \$105 and a choice lot in Warrenton brought \$10 less than the number claim. Mr. Worsley will resume his business on Wall street this afternoon.

Sunday evening when near Carnahan station, the train that left Astoria at 7:30, ran into a cow. The force was so great that the animal was thrown fully 20 feet from the track, and landing her in a pond of water, where she was heard kicking about. The night was so dark that the train men could not locate the unfortunate animal, but word was left in an adjacent farm house, to look up the poor brute and put it out of existence, if the engine had not already done so. Passengers on the train scarcely felt the shock.

Large numbers of people came up from Seaside both on Sunday and last evening. They were mostly from the interior, though several Astoria families returned home. The continued cold weather at the beaches, both north and south, has been the means of thinning out the crowds. The near approach of the fall term of school has caused many families to forsake the beach. September at the Oregon beaches is usually the prettiest month in the year, and many people will probably remain until the real rainy season begins. That may be in a week but may not come until far along towards Christmas.

The schooner Janus is not yet away from the waters of the Columbia, although she was cleared for Port Townsend a week ago. After two attempts one of which proved so successful that the bar was crossed, she returned to her anchorage in Astoria. For some reason, or several perhaps, the owners have been unable to secure a navigator with enough nerve to take the little vessel around to the Sound, although a reasonably good price has been offered. Plenty of pilots were on hand at an early hour this morning, looking for a job taking the Janus around to the Sound and it is likely one will be engaged soon.

Rev. W. C. Curtis of The Dalles returned up the river last evening on the steamer Telephone after a two weeks visit in Astoria, and adjacent beach resorts. He made a trip to Cannon Beach with Mr. J. N. Griffin and returned a most enthusiastic admirer of that place. Mr. Curtis is considerably of an artist and is able to appreciate a place like the beach south of Elk creek, for it is a cross-grained moral island, who once visits this place and comes away displeased. Mr. Curtis promises himself the pleasure of again visiting Clatsop's beautiful beach, next year, and also intends to interest some of The Dalles people.

County Surveyor P. E. Heckman, who has been on the upper Necanicum for the past week running a line for a new road to Elk creek, tells a story that will be read with interest by hunters who have a fondness for big game. One day last week while he and his party were on the summit of the ridge dividing Elk creek and the Necanicum, their attention was attracted by the rustling of a bush on the opposite side of the clear space on which they had halted. Looking up quickly, Mr. Heckman says that he beheld three large elk, but no sooner had he seen them than they disappeared. It was a pretty sight, and the members of the surveying party were lamenting the fact that none of them had a gun, when out from the brush nearby popped a big black she-bear, followed by her cub. Mrs. Bruin was about as much frightened at the company she found herself in as were the surveyors, for she, followed by the cub, made haste for the further side of the clearing. Mr. Heckman says that the whole upper Necanicum is threaded with trails where elk, in large and small bands have been recently. Now that "Indian Louie" has taken to the woods with his rifle, it can be expected that elk will be scarce about the Necanicum in the near future.

PRIVATE WORDS FOR WOMEN. The eminent and successful electric physician, Dr. Darrin, has discovered and perfected a system of treatment that has caused a revolution in the treatment of female diseases. Wherever this treatment is tested and known it has done away with all dosing, with nauseous drugs and surgical operations when-by so many precious lives have been lost.

As a discovery, it ranks with Harvey's discovery of the circulation of the blood. It has proven in more than a thousand cases of the worst kind to be a positive cure for the following female diseases: Ovarian tumors, polypus, ulceration, and dropsy of the womb, inflammation, congestion and falling of the womb, leucorrhoea, painful and suppressed menstruation, flooding, frequent urination, bearing down pain, backache, headache, hacking cough, melancholy, absence of ambition or desire to live, or, in fact, any complaint having its origin in a disordered state of the generative and accompanying organs, whether from contagious diseases, hereditary accident, night lying, miscarriage, or other causes.

Their method of treatment is harmless, pleasant and mild. It is applied directly to the womb without the use of instruments; can be applied by the patients themselves, thus securing correct local treatment at home, and its application is easy and simple. Its curative action on the inflamed, congested and ulcerated parts is immediate.

Dr. Darrin refrains from making public the names of hundreds of ladies who have been restored to health, with due reference to the delicacy of their afflictions. Dr. Darrin can be consulted free at the Occident hotel, Astoria, until Sept. 15th.

Warrenton Is the Best...

Columbia Harbor Land Co. CORNER... BOND and ELEVENTH STS. Maps on application. THE CENTER OF DEVELOPMENT ON THE WEST SIDE. Everybody knows that Warrenton values will soon doubled. It is distinctly the best property on the market. Fine large level lots, surrounded by many improvements, at very low prices. Is it not a fine investment?

A MYSTERIOUS DELAY

The Steamer Ilwaco Fails to Make Her Return Trip Yesterday.

The steamers Purfir and Telephone were held at their respective docks until after 1 o'clock this morning awaiting the arrival of the steamer Ilwaco, but were at last compelled to depart without her. And no tidings were received from her up to the hour of going to press.

It appears that the Ilwaco left her dock in Ilwaco at the usual hour, heading across the bay for Astoria. The weather was very thick and hazy, and on her failure to reach Astoria at her usual hour, telegraphic orders were received from the company's office at Ilwaco for the Captain to go to her relief, the supposition being that she was caught by the low tide in coming out of the bay. It was understood by the Portland steamer that the delayed steamer would transfer her passengers to the lighter draft Canby, and they would be brought over in time to get up the river last night.

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Boys, Girls and Young Ladies. GREAT AMERICAN IMPORTING TEA COMPANY'S Pure Food Stores...

Every watch is a perfect timepiece. Never guaranteed case. Real gems. Don't miss this opportunity to secure one of these pretty watches free. Call and ask about it at the Great American Importing Tea Company's Pure Food Stores, 571 Commercial street, Astoria, Oregon. Call and see the handsome watches. Teas, Coffees, Spices, Baking Powder, Extracts—Highest quality, Lowest Prices.

ONLY FIVE MORE DAYS.

Make Up Your Mind and Come and See Us. You have only five days more to get a Kimmel piano or organ at manufacturers prices. If you mean business make up your mind and come to see us. We will give you the biggest bargain you have ever had or ever will have offered you again in a first class piano or organ.

Remember this is our last manufacturers sale in Astoria, and it closes Saturday, September 4th.

W. W. KIMBALL CO. By L. V. MOORE, representative.

Oriental Novelties Japanese Goods

WING LEE, 543 Commercial Street Next to Madison's Cigar Stand

NOTICE OF MEETING OF STOCK-HOLDERS OF UNION FISHERMAN'S CO-OPERATIVE PACKING CO.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Union Fisherman's Co-operative Packing Company held at the office of said company in Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, at half past seven o'clock p. m. on Saturday, the eleventh day of September, 1897, for the purpose of considering the advisability of increasing the capital stock of said corporation in the amount of \$25,000.00 or any part thereof that may seem expedient to said stockholders and of taking such action in regard to increasing said capital stock as to said stockholders may appear advisable.

W. F. SCHEIBE, Manufacturer and Dealer in FINE CIGARS!

FUNERAL NOTICE. The funeral of Archie Renouf, son of F. H. and Dora Renouf, of Port Stevens, will be held from St. Thomas' by the sea church, Skipanon, on Tuesday Aug. 31, at 2 o'clock p. m. Rev. W. Seymour Short will conduct the services. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clatsop, on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1897, upon a judgment and decree rendered therein on the third day of July, 1897, in favor of C. E. Hayes and C. G. Palmberg, plaintiffs, and against the Flavel Hotel Company, and in favor of defendants, Hand Manufacturing Co., J. P. Raemussen, A. S. Gillispie, Oregon Pine Lumber Company, G. B. Rate, and O. P. Marston, and against said Flavel Hotel Company for the sum total of \$5,314.95, with interest thereon from third day of July, 1897, at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, together with the costs and disbursements, taxed at \$29.25, and the costs of and upon this writ commanding and requiring me to make sale of the following described real property, to-wit:

All of block No. 10, in the town of Flavel, as laid out and recorded by the Flavel Land & Development Company, together with the Flavel Hotel, situated thereon, and together with the tenement hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining, all in the County of Clatsop, State of Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that I will, on Monday, the 26th day of September, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in front of and at the court house door, in the City of Astoria, in said county and state, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the above described real property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, interest, costs and all accruing costs.

JAMES W. HADLE, Sheriff of Clatsop Co., Or. Dated Astoria, Or., August 29, 1897.

CHIEF OF POLICE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, to me directed, dated the 12th day of July, A. D. 1897, and against:

R. R. MARION. Commanding me to levy upon lot No. 5 in block No. 15, McClure's Astoria and collect the assessment due thereon amounting to the sum of \$42.90 for the construction of a sewer on Second street.

I have this day levied upon the said described property and on the 18th day of September, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock p. m. of said day and in front of the court house door in the City of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, will proceed to sell said property to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessment and costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for United States gold and silver coin.

Chief of Police. E. HALLOCK. Dated at Astoria, Oregon, August 12, 1897.

Astoria Iron Works

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STEAMER PILGRIM—STEAMER PILGRIM—A. L. BRAZEE, Master.

Will leave Rainier daily, except Sunday, at 5:30 a. m., touching at La Du, May-gers, Stella, Oak Point, Eagle Cliff, Knappa, Clifton, Westport and other landings, arriving at Fourteenth street wharf, Astoria, at 10 a. m. Leave Astoria at 1:30 p. m., calling at way landings on return. Fast time and satisfactory service guaranteed.

THE ASTORIAN WANT COLUMNS

FOR RENT. Ten-room house in Uppertown, on street car line; \$12 per month. Inquire at this office.

FOR RENT—Furnished, a large front room, with bay window; centrally located; 414 Exchange street, near Ninth.

One of the most desirable rooms in the city for rent, with board, for a single gentleman; also table board for one or two gentlemen at 622 Exchange street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, en suite or single, by the day or month. Hotel Tighe, under entire new management. Great reduction in rates. Mrs. G. V. Porter, manager, Cor. Eleventh and Franklin.

RAILROAD HANDS wanted for immediate work on track. Apply at room 4, Flavel block. A. & C. R. R.

FOR SALE. A six-room cottage, lot 10x100, with water, etc., within four blocks of Commercial street, in the center of the city. A rare chance. Price, \$1,400. Address C. Astorian office.

FOR SALE—Cheap, an 1894, 1 1/2 Columbia bicycle, in perfect condition. Apply at the Astorian office.

LOST. LOST—Bunch of keys, 1st with red ribbon. Leave at Astorian office.

WANTED. WANTED—Young girl living with parents, to take care of children and do light housework. Apply at 421 Duane street.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. C. C. BROWER, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Gunderson Building. Astoria, Oregon.

DR. O. B. ESTER, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Special attention to diseases of woman and surgery. Office over Danziger's store. Astoria. Telephone No. 42.

DR. H. L. HENDERSON, Office, Klancy Building, Astoria. Office hours, 7 to 9 a. m.; 11 to 1 and 5 to 7 p. m.

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DR. JAY TUTTLE, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office, rooms 5 and 6, Pythian building 521 1/2 Commercial St. Residence same. Telephone 96.

Acting assistant surgeon U. S. Marine hospital service.

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

JOHN T. LIGHTER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office, upstairs, Astorian Building.

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

J. Q. A. BOWLEY, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW. Office on Bond street, Astoria, Or.

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SOCIETY MEETINGS. TEMPLE LODGE NO. 7, A. F. and M. S.—Regular communications held on the first and third Tuesday evening of each month.

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Reading or Distance Glasses. \$4.00 Eye Glasses for \$2.50, or \$3.00 Eye Glasses for \$1.75. Warranted Gold Plated Frames.

Make your friend a beautiful and useful present. We guarantee a perfect fit by mail providing when you order the glasses you answer the following questions: How old? Ever used glasses? How long? Male or female?

GEO. MAYERLE, Expert Optician, 28 Third street, San Francisco. Opticians and Photographic Supplies.

CHARLES KAN & CO. 367 Commercial Street. We will open up with a large stock of Oriental Fancy Goods, Decorated Chinaware, Fancy Silk Goods, Etc. Also manufacture a full line of Ladies' and Gents' Underwear at reasonable prices.

Store will be open about September 1. CHARLES KAN & CO.

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Ship Chandler. Hardware, Iron & Steel, Coal, Groceries & Provision, Flour & Mill Feed, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Loggers Supplies, Fairbank's Scales, Doors & Windows, Agricultural Implements, Wagons & Vehicles.

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