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ONE REASON WHY ASTORIA IS NOT A COMMON POINT.

The people of Astoria and the Columbia river valley are a patient and long suffering community.

For a generation have the residents of the lower Columbia striven against outside opposition and against adverse conditions to bring about a development and growth, by inducing capitalists to tarry with us, at least long enough to construct and equip a railway to the river's outlet.

After many futile efforts, leaving hereabouts many unpleasant recollections and disastrous evidences, we have procured railway connections with the east; but we still realize that our growth is retarded by the same outside influence which originates from a source where professions of friendship are made to us—but to us only.

Since the publication of the article in the Astorian, "Shall Astoria Be Made a Common Point," we have looked in vain for some move in railway circles, that will enable our merchants, by means of the Astoria railroad line, to exchange business with every overland railroad entering the union depot in Portland.

The traffic officials of the O. R. & N. Co. have visited Astoria during the past week. They are said to have studiously avoided our merchants from whom they have obtained business in the past, and from whom they would have received but one opinion as to the treatment being meted out to our community by the O. R. & N. Co.

The O. R. & N. Co. still continues in opposition to us. It has refused, during the past week, to send cars to Astoria for salmon shipment to eastern points, though requested to do so by some of its old patrons, by those, forsooth, who are still wont to do business over its railroad between Portland and eastern points.

It does appear somewhat strange to the Astorian that the O. R. & N. Co. will still hold to the delusion that Astoria's railroad is yet a myth, and that Astorians may perchance forget that its railroad to the Lower Columbia is open for business.

We are proud of our achievement and will always remember our friends in this present controversy—the Northern Pacific railway and the Southern Pacific system, and ever condemn the unfriendliness now being shown us by the O. R. & N. Co. in our laudable efforts to obtain our aspirations. How long will our people patiently tolerate this senseless opposition? This community is entitled to different consideration from the O. R. & N. Co., a company we have favored these many years.

The Astorian today finds greater need than it did at the time of the publication of the article referred to to admonish the citizens of Astoria that our railroad still fights for our interests and that we help ourselves by helping it.

BRITISH PRAISE FOR M'KINLEY.

The attention of the amateur war strategists who have regaled the public with a senseless and persistent clamor for haste in throwing an undisciplined and unseasoned army into Cuba is invited to an editorial in the London Standard of June 29.

In commending President McKinley for his "wisdom in postponing a serious invasion of Cuba until after the rainy season," the Standard declares that he "has shown himself, as he has done throughout the whole business, a wise and strong ruler." The paper alludes in complimentary terms to our readiness for naval conflict, and after stating that scarcely in any past conflict has any nation asserted at once against its opponent such a complete mastery of the sea, comments with sense and candor upon the necessity for getting together a strong and well organized army before land operations are attempted. Instead of indulging in unfair and unjustifiable criticism of this part of the campaign, as the American yellow journals have done, the London paper declares that "America has splendid material for a fine army, but time is required to organize it."

The Standard's editorial utterances are in line with the comment which has appeared in the London Chronicle, Times, and other leading London papers. The British press has never been noted for its fairness toward Mr. McKinley. It has assailed him vigorously and relentlessly for his championship of the American policy on the tariff question. But his conduct of the war has been so manifestly wise and statesmanlike that the fairness and candor, which usually pervade English journalism, compel editorial approbation in highest terms.

In the foolish and contemptible business of trying to create a public sentiment against the president, while he is heavily burdened with a problem requiring the highest courage and patriotism, the American yellow journals have employed an exclusive monopoly.

Boston comes to the front with a new commercial organization, known as the American-Asiatic Association, which has been promoted for the purpose of "fostering and safeguarding the trade and commercial interests of the citizens of the United States and others associated therewith in the empires of China, Japan and Corea, the Philippine Islands and elsewhere in Asia or Oceanica." Many large and influential firms have joined in this movement, which, in brief, means that America's changed relations in the far east, growing out of the war with Spain, are bound to exercise an important influence upon the trade in that section, and this country intends to claim its full share of the commercial benefits to follow the restoration of peace. The promoters of this enterprise claim that the immense populations of those far eastern countries offer an inviting field for trade conquest, and in oriental commerce they see an effective solution of the problem of overproduction of manufactured goods at home. At times the factories of the east exceed in their productive capacity all needs of the domestic market, and the goods are piled up and held in stock until a favorable turn of the market reduces the surplus and brings relief. With our new territorial acquisitions new markets will be opened up. The commercial importance of American operations in the Orient can neither be overlooked nor wisely ignored, and Boston has acted wisely in recognizing the true significance of Uncle Sam's new imperial policy.

STRANGE SPOTS ON THE SUN.

Since the beginning of this year groups of spots unusual and unexpected have been observed on the surface of the sun by astronomers in different sections. These reported at the National Observatory are in appearance and movement entirely out of the usual train, and constitute what is termed by astronomers a "secondary maximum." They may continue indefinitely throughout the year or longer, so say the scientists, but they do not, as it has been said, indicate unusual weather disturbances. But there are other indications not indeed upon the surface of the sun, but upon the human countenance, that show that the bowels and liver need thorough reform through the benign agency of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. These are yellowness of the skin and whites of the eyes, furred tongue and nausea, all indicative of constipation and biliousness, to the removal of which the Bitters is admirably adapted. The efficacy of this benignant family medicine also extends to malaria, rheumatism, kidney trouble, nervousness and sick headache.

Disappointment saws you faster than worry.

YOUR F[illegible]

Shows the state of your feelings and the state of your health as well. Impure blood makes itself apparent in a pale and sallow complexion, pimples and skin eruptions. If you are feeling weak and worn out and do not have a healthy appearance you should try Acker's Blood Elixir. It cures all blood diseases. Where cheap sarsaparillas and so-called purifiers fail, knowing this we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee.

Hot milk is the newest panacea for consumption. Bah.

Mr. John Bevins, editor of the Press, Anthon, Iowa, says: "I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in my family for fifteen years, have recommended it to hundreds of others, and have never known it to fail in a single instance. For sale by Chas. Rogers, Druggist.

An elderly lady in gray always appeals to one's artistic sense.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

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The amateur actor at the summer resorts puts on all the airs of the real article.

Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold on a positive guarantee. Cures heart-burn, raising of the food, distress after eating or any form of dyspepsia. One little tablet gives immediate relief. 25 and 50 cents. For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

The woman who screams at a caterpillar and has hysterics over a bluebottle had better not plan to join a camping party.

Pears'

Soap for toilet, nursery, bath and shaving. "Matchless for the complexion."

If money-back talks, what does it say?
It says *Schilling's Best*
tea, coffee, soda, baking powder, flavoring extracts and spices
are right for you.

For sale by
Ross, Higgins & Company

SHIPPING AND MARINE

Tide Table for June, 1898.

DATE	HIGH WATER A. M.	HIGH WATER P. M.	LOW WATER A. M.	LOW WATER P. M.
	h.m. ft.	h.m. ft.	h.m. ft.	h.m. ft.
Wed.	1 10 4.6	1 10 13.5	8 5 4.2	8 0 8.4
Thurs.	2 11 3.8	4 11 0.2	8 55 4.5	9 0 0.0
Fri.	3	....	12 11 8.7	6 36 0.7
Fri.	3	....	11 50 9.0	....
Sat.	4	....	1 21 0.9	6 56 1.0
Sun.	5 0 27 0.1	2 10 7.0	7 46 1.1	7 46 3.9
Mon.	6 1 24 0.0	2 55 7.1	8 30 1.0	8 29 4.4
Tues.	7 2 14 8.7	3 29 7.2	9 16 0.7	9 34 3.2
Wed.	8 3 0 8.1	4 24 7.4	10 02 0.1	10 31 2.0
Thurs.	9 4 0 7.5	5 8 7.5	10 50 0.5	11 31 2.8
Fri.	10 5 12 6.9	6 04 7.6	11 39 1.1	....
Sat.	11 6 22 6.4	7 56 7.6	0 31 2.3	12 28 1.6
Sun.	12 7 29 6.1	8 50 7.6	1 30 3.0	1 20 2.4
Mon.	13 8 30 6.1	9 38 7.8	2 41 3.4	2 32 2.8
Tues.	14 9 26 6.1	10 27 8.0	3 41 3.8	3 32 2.3
Wed.	15 10 35 6.1	11 15 8.2	4 39 3.8	4 28 2.4
Thurs.	16 11 47 6.4	11 01 8.2	5 25 3.5	5 21 2.8
Fri.	17	....	12 32 6.5	6 09 3.4
Fri.	17	....	11 42 8.2	....
Sat.	18	....	1 13 6.7	6 49 3.5
Sun.	19 0 18 8.1	1 50 6.8	7 29 3.4	7 22 4.0
Mon.	20 0 53 8.0	2 22 6.9	7 56 3.2	8 11 3.5
Tues.	21 1 28 7.9	2 50 7.0	8 20 3.1	8 49 2.7
Wed.	22 2 04 7.8	3 21 7.1	8 43 3.2	9 23 2.1
Thurs.	23 2 42 7.4	3 50 7.3	9 20 3.3	9 56 3.2
Fri.	24 3 20 7.0	4 21 7.5	9 50 3.5	10 42 3.8
Sat.	25 4 24 6.6	5 10 7.6	10 25 3.5	11 31 3.4
Sun.	26 5 25 6.1	5 54 7.7	11 12 3.2	....
Mon.	27 6 23 5.7	6 36 7.8	0 20 3.0	12 02 3.1
Tues.	28 7 15 5.4	7 42 8.2	1 03 1.7	12 51 3.1
Wed.	29 8 19 5.4	8 42 8.4	2 50 0.9	2 45 2.6
Thurs.	30 10 21 5.7	9 42 8.7	4 01 0.2	3 25 2.0

VESSELS BOUND TO ASTORIA.

Midas, Messenger, Br bk, 1262 tons, Nagasaki.

Alexander Black, Dunn, Br bk, 1291 tons, Antwerp.

Forthbank, Peterson, Br bk, 1339 tons, Gerghenti.

Joseph Pulitzer, Harvey, Am sch, 71 tons, New York.

Clackmannanshire, Thomson, Br sh, 1683 tons, Newcastle.

Silberhorn, Gibson, Br bk, 1774 tons, Liverpool.

Argo, Maclean, Br sh, 1499 tons, Antwerp.

Castle Rock, Jones, Br str, 1,787 tons, Hiogo.

Lombard, Raison, Br str, 1,658 tons, Hong Kong.

Gunford, MacPherson, Br sh, 2108 tons, Hamburg.

Poseidon, Bush Br sh, 1708 tons, Newcastle.

Emin Pasha, Christensen, Ger bk, 1567 tons, Antwerp.

Wallacetown, Motley, Br sh, 1626 tons, Antwerp.

John Cook, Magee, Br sh, 1733 tons, Hiogo.

Stronsa, Barry, Br sh, 1939 tons, Yokohama.

Nereus, Schulte, Ger sh, 1759 tons, Hamburg.

Wasdale, Fisher, Br. sh, 1775 tons, Antwerp.

Port Elgin, Renney, Br. sh., 1628 tons, Antwerp.

Andrada, Adams, Br. sh., 2284 tons, Antwerp.

Duchalburn, Forbes, Br. sh., 1298 tons, Newcastle.

Arthur Fluger, Denker, Ger. sh., 1036 tons, Yokohama.

Vasco De Gama, Tertrum, Ger. sh, 1473 Sydney.

Moeltan, Kelk, Br sh., 1616 tons, Yokohama.

Broderick Castle, Ferguson, Br. sh., 1745, Shanghai.

Thalassa, Hellmege, Ger. bk., 1378 tons, Hamburg.

Colbert, Loreau, Fr. bk., 1218 tons, Table Bay.

Invercauld, Jackson, Br. bk., 1362 tons, San Francisco.

Yolo, Pannicuick, Br. sh., 1407 tons, Hong Kong.

Christine, Warncke, Ger bk 1390 tons, Hiogo.

Laurelbank, Lindsay, Br. bk., 2237 tons, Shanghai.

Windsbrout, Haase, Ger. bk., 1253 tons, Yokohama.

Largo Bay, Adam, Br. bk., 1174 tons, Shanghai.

Heathfield, McKenzie, Br. bk., 1324 tons, Shanghai.

Arcenus, Mehring, Ger. bk., 1187 tons, Santa Rosalia.

William Low, Abbott, Br. sh., 1631 tons Shanghai.

Margretha, Koster, Ger. sh., 1198 tons, Shanghai.

Atlanta, McBride, Br. sh., 1291 tons, Shanghai.

Austrasia, Ewart, Br. bark., 258 tons, Shanghai.

Cambrian Queen, Lewis, Br. bark, 1215 tons, Newcastle.

Tillie E. Starbuck, Curtis, Am. sh., 1981 tons, Philadelphia.

Luxuriant hair, of uniform color, is a beautiful head-covering for either sex, and may be secured by using Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer.

The woman who takes a house in the country soon becomes used to every known and sundry unknown kind of bugs.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, June 17, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Clatsop County at Astoria, Oregon, on August 9, 1898, viz.: William Ross; H. E. 1056 for the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 34, township 6 n., r. 10 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz.: J. B. Johnson, of Jewell, Oregon; J. T. Burke, of Seaside, Oregon; T. L. Frazer, of Astoria, Oregon; B. Burke, of Seaside, Oregon.

CHARLES B. MOORES,
Register.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me, I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for twenty years. I give this certificate without solicitation, simply in appreciation of the gratitude felt for the cure effected. Respectfully, Mrs. Mary A. Beard, Claremore, Ark. For sale by Charles Rogers, druggist.

While it is looking forward to be nearly 50 the best remedy for the business of the wife?

Almost every man in America has some digestive trouble. When men meet, the greeting usually is, "Well, how are your?" That devilish beach talk. The man who has no bowel or stomach trouble is almost a curiosity. Trouble is men take no care of themselves. They act as though they had copper stomachs and bowels of brass. By and by overworked nature rebels. Then come headaches, nervousness, bad blood, liver and kidney troubles. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets furnish help for constipation and torpid liver, sick and bilious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, pimples, or dyspepsia, windy belchings, "heartburn," pain and distress after eating, and kindred derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels. Accept no substitute.

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Shoes made in the form of a boat have been seen in the streets of this summer shoe world.

Bad management keeps more people in poor circumstances than any other one cause. To be successful one must look ahead and plan ahead so that when a favorable opportunity presents itself he is ready to take advantage of it. A little forethought will also save much expense and valuable time. A prudent and careful man will keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house, the shiftless fellow will wait until necessity compels it and then ruin his best horse going for a doctor and have a big doctor bill to pay, besides, one pays out 25 cents, the other is out a hundred dollars and then wonders why his neighbor is getting richer while he is getting poorer. For sale by Charles Rogers, Druggist.

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Let a man come home with a slight sick headache and the whole house will be busy, industriously spoil their if the wife were to be seriously ill for six weeks.

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CASTORIA.
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Moki Tea positively cures sick headache, indigestion and constipation. A delightful herb drink. Removes all eruptions of the skin, producing a perfect complexion, or money refunded. 25 and 50 cents. For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

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Spokane Flyer, 4 p. m.	Walla Walla, Spokane, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth, Milwaukee, Chicago and East.	Spokane Flyer, 10:30 a. m.
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8 p. m. Except Sunday	Columbia River Steamers. To Portland and Way Landings.	5 a. m. Except Monday
	To Astoria. Sail May 8, 12, 22.	
8 p. m. Except Sunday	From Portland. Willamette River. Oregon City, Newberg, Salem, Independence & Corvallis.	4:30 p. m. Except Sunday
Tues., Thurs. and Sat.	Willamette and Yamhill Rivers. Oregon City, Dayton, Lafayette & Dundee.	2:30 p. m. Mon., Wed. and Fri.
5 a. m. Except Sunday and Sat.	Willamette River. Portland to Corvallis & Way Landings.	4:30 p. m. Except Sunday and Sat.
To Riparia 4:30 a. m. Mon., Wed. & Friday.	Snake River. Riparia to Lewiston.	To Lewiston 5:30 a. m. Sun., Wed. and Thur.

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*6:00 P. M	OVERLAND EXPRESS, for Salem, Roseburg, Ashland, Sacramento, Ogden, San Francisco, Mojave, Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and the East.	*9:30 A. M
*8:00 A. M	Roseburg passenger	*4:30 P. M
Daily except Sunday	Via Woodburn, for Mount Angel, Silverton, West Scio, Brownsville, Springfield and Nation....	Daily except Sunday
†7:30 A. M	Corvallis passenger	†5:50 A. M
†4:50 P. M	Independence pass'	†10:25 A. M

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

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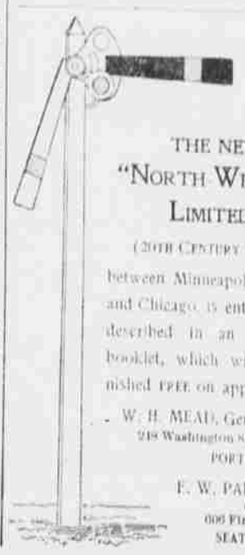

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