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Peace or War

No matter whether it is peace or war, Uncle Sam must have meat, and he is not the only one.

ROSE, HIGGINS & CO.

SPAIN'S TIME HAS EXPIRED

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themselves best by American troops on both sides. The Americans who landed at Ponce are steadily pushing forward and their outposts now are 20 miles beyond the city.

PAGO HARBOR TO BE UTILIZED.

Great Naval and Commercial Policy in the Pacific Indicated.

Chicago, August 5.—A special to the Record from Washington says:

The president has decided to make practical use of American rights at Pago harbor, Samo, and the establishment of a fully equipped naval coaling station there will be undertaken next week.

With this view Civil Engineer Frank P. Chambers, now on duty at the New York navy yard, has been ordered to Washington for consultation with the authorities prior to departing next week with official instructions and full power to carry out the important project.

Pago Pago is the only harbor of any value in the Samoan group and the one considered by naval officers of scarcely less strategic importance in the Pacific ocean than Pearl harbor, Hawaii.

The preliminary work is rendered possible through two appropriations heretofore made by congress for naval stations in the Pacific, which provide a balance of \$250,000 immediately available.

thought, while the urgency at Samoa is imperative. Another \$2,000,000 remains unexpended of a sum of three times that amount which was placed at the disposal of the executive more than fifteen years ago.

The great advantage to be gained by the possession of this station are evident from a glance at the map of the Pacific ocean. It is situated exactly 4,100 miles from San Francisco and 4,022 miles from Yokohama, the distance between Yokohama and San Francisco being 4,301 miles.

AGUINALDO COMING TO TERMS.

He Proposes Certain Arrangements to Merritt, Which Are Acceptable.

New York, August 5.—A dispatch to the World from Manila Bay by way of Hong Kong says:

Aguinaldo is becoming more friendly to the Americans. He has made two propositions to General Merritt, which may solve the insurgent problem in a manner highly satisfactory to both parties.

This is considered a highly important proposition, a possible key to the whole situation on the island. The native troops would, of course, be constantly under the eyes and direct orders of our men.

The Astor battery, supported by a battalion of the Third Infantry, is now in position at the front, its guns being planted within a thousand yards of the Spanish lines.

SYRUP OF FIGS



NEVER IMITATED IN QUALITY.

THE EXCELLENCE OF SYRUP OF FIGS is due not only to the originality and simplicity of the combination, but also to the care and skill with which it is manufactured by scientific processes.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. LOS ANGELES, CAL. NEW YORK, N. Y.

MARINE NOTES.

The Manzanita arrived in yesterday from Yaguila bay.

The Columbia arrived in yesterday from San Francisco with a heavy freight and passenger list.

TO LAND OWNERS.

Notice is hereby given that a committee has been duly appointed by the Astoria Progressive Commercial Association to obtain all information possible regarding farming, dairying and stock lands in Clatsop county and the lower Columbia river.

LAND COMMITTEE.

Astoria Progressive Commercial Association.

Dyspepsia can be cured by using Aaker's Dyspepsia Tablets. One little tablet will give immediate relief or money refunded.

A stuffy room in a summer resort hotel and twelve hours' illness convinces the most ardent vacation tourist that there is no place like home.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Peckham.

There is nothing that makes a woman happier than to have her realize that "there are others" to care for her, even though one has decided negatively on that question.

Advertisement for Lea & Perrins Worcestershire Sauce, featuring the brand name and 'SAUCE' in large letters.

That the blood should perform its vital functions, it is absolutely necessary it should not only be pure but rich in life-giving elements.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—GOOD HOUSE AND BARN had four acres of land, near Clatsop city.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT, corner Grand avenue and Twenty-ninth street, Uppertown, lot 15x50 feet.

FOR SALE—2-TON SCHOONER, address Robert Street, 39 Fourth street, Portland, Ore.

LOST.

LOST—THURSDAY NIGHT, NEAR Desdemona Bend, about 20 fathoms of net, consisting of two papers of net.

FOUND.

FOUND—A SEIN, ABOUT 20 FATHOMS long, used as a trawl, with property and paying for this advertisement.

GRADERS AND EXCAVATORS.

ESTIMATES GIVEN ON ALL KINDS of grading, work done with neatness and dispatch.

RESTAURANTS.

GOOD 5 CENT MEALS AT THE Rising Sun Restaurant.

MIDWIFE.

MIDWIFE—MRS. MARY MAKE, 70 Exchange street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FINE CRAWFORD PEACHES RECEIVED daily; prices the lowest.

FOR FINE TEAS, EXCELLENT COFFEES, pure spices go to FOARD & STOKES CO.

TRY SHILLING'S BEST TEA AND baking powder.

SWEET CREAM 10c A PINT AT THE Sp.

USE MAPLE LEAF CREAMERY BUTTER. Foard & Stokes Co., agents.

WHEN YOU WANT FINE TEA, GOOD coffee and spices, try Foard & Stokes Co.

WILD BLACKBERRIES—LEAVE YOUR orders for wild blackberries with Ross, Higgins & Co.

ASTORIANS AT THE SEASIDE WILL find the Morning Astorian on sale at the Palace Restaurant, at that place.

FINE CHERRIES, RASPBERRIES AND red currants are plentiful and cheap. See Ross, Higgins & Co.

SALOONS.

THE LOUVER—UNDER THE ABLE management of August Kratz, is daily becoming a more and more popular resort.

THE FASHION SALOON, 20 ASTOR street, is where the finest brands of wines, liquors and cigars can be found.

PHOTOGRAPHS.

IF SNODGRASS DOESN'T MAKE your pictures you don't get the best.

PAXTON'S PHOTOS ARE ON PAPER of his own preparation and are guaranteed not to fade.

A REGULAR PANTOMIME OF VIEWS depicting the life and history of Astoria, and souvenirs of the city and country at the Snodgrass gallery.

PHYSICIANS.

DR. ALFRED KINNEY—OFFICE AT residence, Commercial street, near 8th. Office hours: Morning until 11; all afternoon until 5; evenings until 9 o'clock.

DR. O. B. ESTES, PHYSICIAN AND Surgeon. Special attention to diseases of women and surgery. Office over Danziger's store, Astoria, Ore., No. 22.

DR. JAY TUTTLE, PHYSICIAN AND Surgeon. Office, rooms 5 and 6, Pythian Building, 315 Commercial street. Residence home, Telephone 38. Acting assistant surgeon United States marine hospital service.

RUPTURE CURED. Many people afflicted with rupture die from no other reason than lack of a retainer that would hold in the particular location of their ailment.

MASONIC. TEMPLE LODGE NO. 7. A. F. AND A. M.—Regular communications held on the first and third Tuesday evening of each month.

AGENTS WANTED. Agents and canvassers to sell Dr. Kliek's Pocket Nose Inhaler for catarrh, asthma, and lung and throat diseases.

ATTORNEYS. H. T. CROSBY, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, 65 Commercial street.

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

PROPOSALS WANTED. OFFICE C. Q. M. VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Wash., July 21, 1898. Sealed proposals in triplicate, to be received here or at offices of quartermasters at Boise Barracks and Fort Sherman, Idaho.

Office C. Q. M. Vancouver Barracks, Wash., until 11 o'clock a. m., August 21, 1898, and then opened for furnishing forage and bedding for fiscal year commencing July 1, 1898. Information furnished here or by said quartermasters. U. S. reserves right to reject or accept any or all proposals or any part thereof.

Office C. Q. M. Vancouver Barracks, Wash., July 21, 1898. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here or at Fort Stevens, Oregon, until 11 o'clock a. m., Aug. 9, 1898, and then opened for furnishing fuel at that Post for fiscal year commencing July 1, 1898. Information furnished here or by Quartermaster Fort Stevens. U. S. reserves the right to reject or accept any proposal or part thereof.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Gribble & Smith, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of Chinook Lumber and Furniture Company is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Notice is hereby given that, on account of my leaving the state of Oregon for an extended period, I have this day appointed and constituted S. S. Gordon my attorney-in-fact to act for me and represent me in all matters of business during my absence and until said power of attorney is by me revoked.

First National Bank OF ASTORIA. At Astoria, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, July 14, 1898.

ASSETS. Loans and discounts, \$21,462 67. Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, 27,667 69.

LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in, \$20,000 00. Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid, 36,723 00.

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop, ss. I, N. S. Gordon, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Y. BORLLING, Notary Public for Oregon. Correct—Attest: J. G. HANTHORN, Director.

Special Oriental Curiosities and Toys. We must reduce stock and sell regardless of cost. Wing Lee & Co. Commercial Street near Cooper's Dry Goods Store.

Chas. Kan & Co. 367 COMMERCIAL STREET. Manufacturers of Ladies' UNDERWEAR and Wrappers, etc. The lowest prices in Astoria.

Only \$35 Set Up The Born Steel Range. Every One Guaranteed. W. J. SCULLY Sole Agent, 431 Bond Street.

The IMPERIAL Hotel THOS. GUINEAN, Proprietor. Seventh and Washington Sts. Portland, Or.

THE PALACE Astoria's Leading Restaurant. Everything Strictly First-Class. W. W. WHIPPLE, Prop.

THE OCCIDENT Astoria's Leading Hotel. Megler & Wright, Props.

J. M. THE SISTERS OF THE Convent of the Holy Names. ASTORIA, OREGON. For rates, etc., address the Superiora.

The Pat Market Chickens, Butter and Eggs Always on Hand. 574 Commercial Street.

ASTORIA MEAT COMPANY Telephone No. 32. Handles Only the Choicest Meats. 423 Commercial St., next Palace Restaurant.

Astoria Steam Laundry WHITE LABOR PERFECT WORK SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.