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The Paris exposition of 1900 will have a two-fold educational val-- for American exhibitors. They will not only learn in a practical way just what competition they must prepare to meet in the foreign markets, but also what shortcomings, if any, must be remedied before the American goods will find a welcome abroad. The foreigner is rather conservative in matters of trade detail He is averse to innovations. Having bought flour by the sack, he cannot be induced to buy it by the barrel. It was discovered a few years ago that American butter was practically excluded from the German markets because it was not put up in one-pound packages, according to the German custom, but was shipped across the Atlantic in bulk. The Paris exposition will not only afford a fine opportunity for the display of American goods, but it will also prove a valuable object lesson for our manufacturers. The Yankee exhibitor will not be slow to note the changes in his goods which are necessary before they can be successfully introduced abroad. American consular agents state with practical unanimity that while American goods as a rule are superior to those they meet in competition abroad, our manufacturers are too careless or too indifferent in the matter of placing their products on the market in the most attractive form. It is not enough to study the foreign market; the idiosyncrasies and personal peculiarities of the foreign purchaser must be learned. The American exhibitor at the Paris exposition will go across the Atlantic not only to show, but also to see.

VICTORIES FOR AMERICAN PRODUCERS.

Chicago Times-Herald:

The record of exports for the first nine months of the year furnishes striking proof of our growing ascendency in the markets of the world. Along with our conquest of new territory, as an incident in the liberation of an oppressed people, has come a commercial conquest that promises to make our products supreme in markets that have been controlled for centuries by European nations

While we were winning the victories at Santiago and Manila the products of American farms and factories were invading Europe, Asia and Africa and winning the victories that have always crowned American skill and workmanship wherever foreign embargoes have not erected barriers against them. According to the bureau of statistics the exports for September indicate that the year 1898 will show the largest export record in the history of the government. For the nine months ending September 30 the exports were $869,127,868 against $746,238,242 for the corresponding period in 1897, and the imports fell from $588,754,968 in 1897 to $475,172,777 in 1898. The exports for September were $90,495,638, while the average September export for the last sixteen years has been $68,000,000.

The most significant feature of the export record was the heavy sale of breadstuffs, which were 30 per cent greater than in 1896 and double those of 1895. To measure the full meaning of this great increase in foreign sales it is necessary to note the remarkable decline in exports. We are selling more goods to Europe and Asia than ever before, and are buying less from them. The imports for the first nine months of 1898 are more than $100,000,000 below the average for the corresponding periods during the last decade.

It must be borne in mind that the bulk of this trade was carried in foreign bottoms. In spite of the fact that our manufacturers and exporters were compelled to ship their goods in British bottoms to countries where we enter into direct competition with British producers, our sales show a steady increase and have now reached such a figure that Europeans are alarmed at the prospect of our becoming the great trading nation of the globe.

When we have adjusted the territorial problems of the war and congress has taken measures for the development of an American merchant marine we may confidently look forward to the day when American commerce will be dominant in Asia, Mexico and the South American republics.

As an evidence of the enterprising policy of the transcontinental railroads centering in Portland and of how these railroads have managed to "build up" Portland by that policy, we print below a list of the regular lines of passenger steamers plying from the ports of the Pacific coast:

San Francisco direct to	Puget Sound direct to	Portland direct to
Panama	Siberia	San Francisco
Mexico	Hong Kong	
Australia	Victoria	
Honolulu	Honolulu	
Hong Kong	Australia	
Siberia	San Francisco	
St. Michael	Skaguay	
Skaguay	St. Michael	
Victoria		
Seattle		
Oregon		

Except the line of three steamers operating between Portland and San Francisco, Oregon hasn't a single line of passenger steamers running to any port outside the state on all the broad Pacific ocean. Doesn't this show that something is wrong with the great seaboard state of Oregon?

Distance.	Miles.
Pendleton to Portland	221
Pendleton to Tacoma	308
Pendleton to Seattle	339
Pendleton to Astoria	321
Less to Astoria than to Seattle	8
Walla Walla to Portland	245
Walla Walla to Tacoma	321
Walla Walla to Seattle	351
Walla Walla to Astoria	345
Less to Astoria than to Seattle	6

The largest room in the world is in the Imperial palace at St. Petersburg. It is 160 feet long by 150 feet wide.

Experience is the best teacher. Use Acker's English Remedy in any case of coughs, colds or croup. Should it fail to give immediate relief money refunded. 25 cts. and 50 cts. For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

There are something like 40,000 public schools in Japan. The buildings are comfortable, and education is compulsory.

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

No human head was impressed on coins until after the death of Alexander the Great. All images before that were of deities.

Sick headache absolutely and permanently cured by using Moki Tea. A pleasant herb drink. Cures constipation and indigestion, makes you eat, sleep, work and happy. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. 25 and 50 cents. For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

The wives of Siamese noblemen cut their hair so that it sticks straight up from their heads. The average length of it is about 1½ inches.

Our little boy was afflicted with rheumatism in his knee; and at times unable to put his foot on the floor. We tried in vain, everything that we could hear of that we thought would help him. We almost gave up in despair when we advised us to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. We did so and the first bottle gave him so much relief that we got a second one, and, to our surprise, it cured him sound and well.—J. T. Bays, Pastor Christian Church, Neodesha, Kan. For sale by Charles Rogers, druggist.

Soap has been in use for 3000 years, and is twice mentioned in the Bible. A few years ago a soap boiler's shop was discovered at Pompeii, having been buried beneath the terrible rain of ashes that fell upon that city 79 A. D. The soap found in that shop had not lost all its efficacy, although it had been buried 1,800 years

YOUR FACE

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.

The present royal crown of Great Britain was made especially for the coronation of Queen Victoria. To manufacture it a number of old crowns belonging to the preceding sovereigns were broken up, and the gems extracted for use in the queen's crown.

That the blood should perform its vital functions, it is absolutely necessary it should not only be pure but rich in life-giving elements. These results are best effected by the use of that well-known standard blood purifier, Ayers' Sarsaparilla

Footlight—How did your friend play the part of Julius Caesar?

Sue Brette—Great! I really thought the audience would assassinate him before Mark Anthony had a chance.—Yonkers Statesman.

THREE DOCTORS IN CONSULTATION.

From Benjamin Franklin.

"When you are sick, what you like best is to be chosen for a medicine in the first place; what experience tells you is best, to be chosen in the second place; what reason (i.e., Theory) says is best to be chosen in the last place. But if you can get Dr. Inclination, Dr. Experience and Dr. Reason to hold a consultation together, they will give you the best advice that can be taken."

When you have a bad cold Dr. Inclination would recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy because it is pleasant and safe to take. Dr. Experience would recommend it because it never fails to effect a speedy and permanent cure. Dr. Reason would recommend it because it is prepared on scientific principles, and acts on nature's plan in relieving the lungs, opening the secretions and restoring the system to a natural and healthy condition. For sale by Charles Rogers, druggist.

The cost of a heating plant for the vatican capable of warming its thousands of rooms has been figured on by competitive bidders, the lowest figure being $180,000. The pope declines to incur the expense, though great difficulty is experienced in keeping his apartments warm enough for comfort in his old age.

Old fashions in dress may be revived, but no old fashioned medicine can replace Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by Charles Rogers, druggist.

Billkins—Who was it wrote "Actions speak louder than words?"

Harper—I don't know, but I'll bet the thought occurred to him while he was trying to sneak upstairs at 5 o'clock in the morning."—Chicago Daily News.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Before he got through with the president Aguinaldo's agent probably realized the disadvantages of not hailing from Ohio.

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

The Spanish politicians are taking almost as much interest in the Monroe doctrine as if they had invented it.—Washington Star.

HOW TO PREVENT CROUP.

We have two children who are suoject to attacks of croup. Whenever an attack is coming on my wife gives them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it always prevents the attack. It is a household necessity in this county, and no matter what else we run out of, it would not do to be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. More of it is sold here than all other cough medicines combined.—J. M. Nickle, of Nickle Bros., merchants, Nickleville.

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.

Freddie—Mamma, don't you wish it would rain diamonds?

Mrs. Rich—No, dear, if it should people with money couldn't afford to wear them.—Jewelers' Weekly.

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Death Sometimes Spares.

A pathetic story of fact is told by an ex-Confederate soldier of one dark night on the skirmish line during the war. When on the instant that his musket was aimed to kill a Union picket the latter, suddenly inspired with a sense of his own defenceless condition, began to sing those beautiful words: "Cover my defenceless head with the shadow of thy wing." The Confederate withheld his hand. He could not fire. The picket's life was saved.

Death sometimes spares the one who seems marked to be his victim. Let no one despair, even in the darkest hour. Many a man who seemed picked out for death by consumption has found respite and safety through the use of that wonderful "Golden Medical Discovery," which Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., invented thirty years ago, and which has brought new life and hope to almost countless thousands of men and women.

Every day brings a multitude of letters to Dr. Pierce, telling gratefully what his medicines and his advice have done to restore health and happiness to homes where hitherto sickness and misery had reigned supreme.

A gentleman living in Stillwater, Washington County, Minnesota, Mr. C. J. McNaney, writes: "In the spring of 1884, I was taken ill with consumption, and after trying everything I could hear of and doctoring all summer my physician said I had consumption, and that my left lung was nearly gone, and that I could live but a short time. About twelve bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery brought me out all right, and I cured myself of two more attacks of the same trouble. I am satisfied that the 'Golden Medical Discovery' will cure consumption if taken in time. I consider it the best medicine in the world for the diseases for which it is recommended."

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

GRAND AVENUE IMPROVEMENT FROM 29TH STREET TO 33RD STREET.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by Ordinance No. 2408, of the city of Astoria, Oregon, entitled "An Ordinance Confirming the Assessment on the Special Assessment Roll for the Street Improvement in the City of Astoria, Oregon, Known as 'The Improvement of Grand Avenue, From Twenty-Ninth Street to Thirty-third Street,'" will be due and payable in U. S. gold coin, at the office of the city treasurer on November 15th, 1898, and if not so paid at said time, the common council will order warrants issued for the collection of the same. The assessment is as follows:

Astoria Street Railway Co.	Lot 9, Block 2, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	$ 80.00
Astoria Street Railway Co.	Lot 10, Block 2, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Astoria Street Railway Co.	Lot 11, Block 2, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Anderson, William	south 40 feet Lot 11, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27.50
Anderson, Victor, heirs of heirs are Ida Elenor Anderson, Axel Anderson, Albert Victor Anderson, Justina Anderson, widow	Lot 8, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Adair, Ellen	und ¼ of north 66 feet Lot 3, Block 40, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	9.00
Adiar, Mary R.	und ¼ of north 66 feet Lot 3, Block 40, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	9.00
Brenham, Robert J.	und ¼ of N 66 feet Lot 3, Block 40, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	9.00
Barker, Laura P. Adair,	und ¼ of N 66 feet Lot 3, Block 40, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	9.00
Burton, E. R.	Lot 4, Block 37, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Bentilla, Frank	Lot 3, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Cornelius, T. S.	N. ½ Lot 5, Block 29, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	36.00
Charleston, Nellie G.	und ½ Lot 7, Block 29, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	43.20
Donelson, D. A.	und ½ Lot 7, Block 29, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	43.20
George, Winifred C.	Lot 7, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Holmes, Gust.	und. ½ Lot 9, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	25.00
Holmes, Gust.	und. ½ Lot 10, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	5.00
Hyland, Thomas A.	Lot 7, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27.50
Hyland, Thomas A.	Lot 8, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27.50
Hyland, Thomas A.	Lot 9, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27.50
Hyland, Thomas A.	Lot 10, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27.50
Hyland, Thomas A.	Lot 11, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27.50
Hyland, Thomas A.	Lot 12, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27.50
Hyland, Thomas A.	Lot 13, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27.50
Hyland, Thomas A.	Lot 14, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	30.00
Hyland, Thomas A.	Lot 21, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	30.00
Hyland, Thomas A.	Lot 22, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	30.00
Hendrickson, August	north ½ Lot 2, Block 37, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	30.00
Hakvist, Andrew	north ½ Lot 7, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	45.00
Jackson, John	Lot 1, Block 37, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	24.00
Jordan, Mary A.	und ¼ of N. 66 feet Lot 3, Block 40, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	80.00
Loukkanen, Herman	Lot 1, Block 26, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	9.00
Loukkanen, Herman	Lot 2, Block 26, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	30.00
Lindberg, Sophia	south ½ Lot 2, Block 27, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	30.00
Larson, Lizzie	Lot 6, Block 37, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	32.00
Larson, August	und ½ Lot 9, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Larson, August	und ½ Lot 10, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	25.00
Laurilla, Olivia	Lot 8, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	5.00
Mattson, John	Lot 3, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Mattson, John	Lot 4, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27.50
Mannula, Elizabeth	Lot 5, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27.50
Mannula, Elizabeth	Lot 6, Block 36, as subdivided by T. A. Hyland, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27.50
Moore, Jacob	Lot 5, Block 37, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Mannula, Emanuel	Lot 7, Block 2, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Mannula, Eric	Lot 8, Block 2, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Morris, Right Rev. B. Wistar,	S. 84 ft Lot 3, Block 40, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded John Adair	48.00
Morris, Right Rev. B. Wistar	Lot 2, Block 40, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	86.40
Morris, Right Rev. B. Wistar	Lot 4, Block 40, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	120.00
Nufer, Peter	south ½ Lot 5, Block 29, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	55.00
Ostron, Joseph	north 110 feet Lot 11, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	40.00
Shively, C. W.	A triangular piece of land bounded on the north by the south line of Grand avenue, on the west by the east line of Thirty-first street, and on the east by the boundary line between that part of the city of Astoria, Ore., as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively, and that part of the said city known as the Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	41.20
Welcker, Katy Adair	und ¼ of N. 66 feet Lot 3, Block 40, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	9.00
Wickman, Frederick	und ½ Lot 3, Block 37, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	40.00
Wickman, Mary	und. ½ Lot 3, Block 37, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	40.00

The following are payable in installments, the first installment due November 15th, 1898:

Barry, Andrew	Lot 10, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Sullivan, M	Lot 12, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00
Sutl, John	south ½ Lot 7, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	56.00
Sherman, Sarah C.	Lot 6, Block 29, Port of Upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair	100.00
Webber, N. H.	a Lot 12, Block 2, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00

By order of the common council of the City of Astoria, Oregon.

Attest: H. E. NELSON,
Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, Oregon.

Astoria, Oregon, October 28th, 1898.

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General Lee paused in front of a Richmond (Va.) bank the other day to converse with a friend, and thereby almost precipitated a serious run on the institution. A crowd of gaping bystanders gathered around the general, and then a timid depositor, fancying that a run had begun, frantically rushed into the bank and demanded his money.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

TWENTY-NINTH STREET IMPROVEMENT FROM FRANKLIN AVENUE TO GRAND AVENUE.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by ordinance No. 2407, of the city of Astoria, Oregon, entitled, "An Ordinance confirming the assessment on the special assessment roll for the street improvement in the city of Astoria, Oregon, known as "The Improvement of Twenty-ninth Street, from Franklin to Grand Avenue," approved October 20th, 1898, will be due and payable in United States gold coin at the office of the city treasurer on November 15th, 1898, and if not so paid at said time, the common council will order warrants issued for the collection of the same. The assessment is as follows:

Allen A. V.	Lot 11, Block 4, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	$ 36 37
Bentilla, Frank	Lot 9, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27 28
De Force, J. H.	N 100 feet Lot 1, Block 4, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	78.82
Erickson, Gustava	east ½ Lot 4, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	13.64
Hakvist, Andrew	north ½ Lot 7, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	59.11
Jeffrey, Mary R.	north ½ Lot 2, Block 4, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	18.19
Laurilla, Olivia	Lot 8, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	$ 36 37
Marton, J. H. B.	und. 1-10 Lot 6, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	11.82
Marion, Margueretta	und. 1-10 Lot 6, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	11.82
Marion, Paul	und. 1-10 Lot 6, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	11.82
Marion, Mary C.	und. 1-10 Lot 6, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	11.82
Marion, Thomas F.	und. 1-10 Lot 6, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	11.82
Olsen, Maren Anna	Lot 3, Block 4, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27 28
Olsen, Maren Anna	Lot 10, Block 4, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	27 28
Poyskey, John	west ½ Lot 4, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	13.64
Parker, W. W.	east ½ Lot 5, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	18.18
Stephenson, John	west ½ Lot 5, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	18.19
Stephenson, John	und. ½ Lot 6, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	59.11
Thompson, Erick	south 50 feet Lot 1, Block 4, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	39.40
Toumala, John	Lot 12, Block 4, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	118.22
Williamson, Jane	south ½ Lot 2, Block 4, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	18.18

The following is payable in installments, the first installment due November 15th, 1898:

Sutl, John	south ½ Lot 7, Block 3, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	59.11

By order of the common council of the City of Astoria, Oregon.

Attest: H. E. NELSON,
Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, Oregon.

Astoria, Oregon, October 28th, 1898.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

THIRTY-FIRST STREET IMPROVEMENT FROM FRANKLIN AVENUE TO GRAND AVENUE.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by ordinance No. 2409, of the city of Astoria, Oregon, entitled "An ordinance confirming the assessment on the special assessment roll for the street improvement in the city of Astoria, Oregon, known as "The improvement of Thirty-first street, from Franklin avenue to Grand avenue," approved October 20th, 1898, will be due and payable in United States gold coin, at the office of the city treasurer, on November 15th, 1898, and if not so paid at said time, the common council will order warrants issued for the collection of the same. The assessment is as follows:

Anderson, Victor, heirs of heirs are Ida E. Anderson, Albert Victor Anderson, Axel William Anderson, Justina Anderson, widow	Lot 8, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	28.00
Adair, Mary R.	und. ½ Lot 5, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	3.50
Adair, Mary R.	und. ½ Lot 6, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	11.37
Astoria Street Railway Company	Lot 2, Block 2, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	28.00
Astoria Street Railway Company	Lot 3, Block 2, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	21.00
Astoria Street Railway Company	Lot 10, Block 2, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	21.00
Astoria Street Railway Company	Lot 11, Block 2, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	28.00
Brenham, Robert J.	und. ½ Lot 5, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	3.50
Brenham, Robert J.	und. ½ Lot 6, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	11.37
Barker, Laura Adair	und. ⅜ Lot 5, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	10.50
Barker, Laura Adair	und. ⅜ Lot 6, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	34.13
George, Winifred C.	Lot 7, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	91.00
Holmes, Gust.	und. ½ Lot 4, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	10.50
Holmes, Gust.	und. ½ Lot 9, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	7.53
Jordan, Mary A.	und. ½ Lot 5, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	3.50
Jordan, Mary A.	und. ½ Lot 6, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	11.37
Larsen, August	und. ½ Lot 4, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	10.50
Larsen, August	und. ½ Lot 9, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	7.53
Larsen, P. W.	Lot 6, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	91.00
Mendell, Ellen Adair	und. ⅙ Lot 5, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	3.50
Mendell, Ellen Adair	und. ⅙ Lot 6, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	11.38
Welcker, Katy Adair	und. ⅙ Lot 5, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	3.50
Welcker, Katy Adair	und. ⅙ Lot 6, Block 1, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	11.38

The following are payable in ten installments, the first installment due November 15th, 1898:

Webber, N. H.	Lot 12, Block 2, Town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively	80.00

By order of the common council of the City of Astoria, Oregon.

Attest: H. E. NELSON,
Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, Oregon.

Astoria, Oregon, October 28th, 1898.

A letter by Bryant has been found in which the writer says that he got first $2 apiece for his poems and later 16 cents a line.

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