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CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson. Always Bought. CASTORIA

MANHOOD RESTORED. Guaranteed to cure all nervous diseases, such as Weak Memory, Loss of Power, Headache, etc.

No woman was ever hurt by a present from a man of gloves two sizes too small. The wooden bicycle used by Blondin in his famous ride across the Niagara falls on a rope is still in existence, and was sold in Paris not long ago for half a crown.

There is a widespread and false impression that a man, in order to be a physician, must be more or less heartless. People mistake heartlessness for nerve.

Of all the specialists in the world, there probably are not two that have as wide an experience in the treatment of women's diseases as Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y.

Besides the Hawaiian cable, Astoria should also have a naval station and a government dry dock. The Columbia basin is the geographical center of the Pacific coast of North America.

It is estimated that the cost of steam power, owing to the use of multiple cylinder engines, higher steam pressures, steam jacketing, etc., has decreased nearly 40 per cent since 1870.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE. EXCHANGE STREET IMPROVEMENT FROM NINTH STREET TO TENTH STREET. Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by Ordinance No. 244 of the city of Astoria, Oregon, entitled "An Ordinance Confirming the Assessment on the Exchange Street Improvement in the City of Astoria, Oregon," approved December 15th, 1898, will be due and payable in full on or before January 1st, 1899.

ELEVENTH STREET SEWER ASSESSMENT NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by ordinance No. 245 of the city of Astoria, Oregon, approved December 15th, 1898, confirming the assessment made for the construction of a sewer on Eleventh street, from a point ten feet south of the north line of Irving street, to the north line of Exchange street, in that part of the said city of Astoria as laid out and recorded by John McClure, will be due and payable in full on or before January 1st, 1899.

Table listing property owners and their assessed amounts for the Exchange Street and Eleventh Street improvements. Includes names like Baker, W. D., estate of; First Presbyterian Church of Astoria; Parker, Irene U.; Parker, Charles L.; Strong, E. and Caroline, heirs of Lucretia Strong; Young, Benjamin; etc.

THE SURE LA GRIPPE CURE. There is no use suffering from this dreadful malady, if you will only get the right remedy. You are having pain all through your body, your liver is out of order, have no appetite, no life or ambition, have a bad cold, in fact are completely used up. Electric Bitters is the only remedy that will give you prompt and sure relief. They act directly on your liver, stomach and kidneys, tone up the whole system and make you feel like a new being.

GREAT TICKETS TO ALL PORTS EAST. Through place and tourist sleepers, dining and library observation cars. SELEGANT VENTURE TRAINS. No. 4 Limited leaves Portland at 10:15 a. m. No. 3 Limited arrives Portland at 10:15 a. m.

NORTHERN PACIFIC. The Only Dining Car Route From Portland to the East. Through place and tourist sleepers, dining and library observation cars. SELEGANT VENTURE TRAINS. No. 4 Limited leaves Portland at 10:15 a. m. No. 3 Limited arrives Portland at 10:15 a. m.

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WHEN GOING EAST. Use a first class line in traveling between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago, and the principal towns in Central Wisconsin. Pullman Palace Sleeping and Chair Cars in service.

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ASTORIA AND COLUMBIA RIVER RAILROAD. Leave Astoria (Daily) Arrive Portland (Daily) 10:15 a. m. Leave Portland (Daily) Arrive Astoria (Daily) 10:15 a. m.

WHITE COLLAR LINE. Columbia River and Puget Sound Navigation Company. Telephone leaves Astoria daily, except Sunday, at 10 a. m. Leaves Portland daily except Sunday at 10 a. m.

O. R. & N. DEPART TIME SCHEDULES ARRIVE. From Portland To Portland and Way Landings. From Astoria To Portland and Way Landings.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC EAST VIA SOUTH. OVERLAND EXPRESS for Salem, Roseburg, West Bend, Sacramento, Ogden, San Francisco, Modesto, El Paso, New Orleans and the West.

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