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THE ASTORIAN PUBLISHING CO.,

FOLISH RESOLUTIONS.

That the president in being true to the principles of government has been false to the principles of organized labor is apparently the decision reached by the executive committee of the Western Federation of Miners.

The Western Federation of Miners has not of late been in the highest repute. A large body of coal miners broke away from it lately, and its methods have not proved attractive.

WITHOUT HUMAN FEELING.

The utter lack of human feelings in some criminals is one of the most inexplicable things in the annals of evil. Within a comparatively few months the Little Italy quarter in New York has had almost one hundred fires, most of them the result of an incendiary's work.

A dynamiter, who deals death to scores of innocent people, may be understood to some extent as may the assassin of a king. Both strive to mark their unreasoning and demented hatred of a government, or of an existing order of things, by the most forcible means of attracting attention.

A WISE DECISION.

The decision of the supreme court that the postmaster general has the power to exclude publications from admission to the mails as second class matter comes as welcome news. Too long have advertising devices and books published as serials masqueraded as newspapers or reviews, and taken advantage of the rates afforded them as second class matter.

Tacoma has had her own daring street-car holdup at last. All she can do is to say that the robbers came from Seattle, and this she does with vigor.

TWO NECESSITIES.

It is not to be expected that the short-sighted failure of the Colombian people to ratify the treaty with the United States will prevent the canal from being built. Even should Colombia prove obdurate, the Nicaraguan route remains and by many it is preferred to that of Panama.

an object as the open Columbia to Oregon. Both will become accomplished facts, and at no distant date.

CHAMPION CIRCULATION LIAR.

The champion circulation liar has been discovered. His lair is in Japan, where he is acting as editor-in-chief of the Thundering Dawn, a Buddhist organ just started in Tokio. Here is his "greeting to the public."

Any liar who can beat that can get a small job with a big salary in New York.—Detroit Times.

THE ASTORIAN HAS RECEIVED A COPY OF L'INDEPENDANT, A NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN FRENCH AT FALL RIVER, MASS.

It is the first number printed on a Duplex press, and its eight pages are full of news and have an excellent appearance typographically. The objects of L'Independant, as set forth in the leading editorial, are to act as the organ of French-Americans, to defend the principles dear to the hearts of the French-Canadians, to promote naturalization, and to defend the institutions that are the bulwarks of the Catholic faith and the French tongue in this country.

Trade unions in New York have, in consequence of the Parks exposures, started a widespread movement for the removal of all the walking delegates now holding office in that city. Men of proved character will be installed in the places of those thrown out of office, and although the innocent men will suffer with the guilty no exceptions will be made to the rule of ousting all the present incumbents of the offices.

The collector for a San Francisco house was run into by a buggy and his bag of money was burst open, with the result that \$50 in cash went rolling over Market street. Yet so honest are the people of California that he got it all back, with the aid of a small army of police, except \$20.

WASHINGTON SLOT MACHINE MEN ARE PREPARING TO FIGHT THE LAW.

Washington slot machine men are preparing to fight the law. And the people that most want them to win are the men that wasted the most money in the machines when they were permitted to run, or human nature is not what it used to was.

A Samoan editor is angry because one of his subscribers who owed him money sent him instead a boxload of bananas, oranges, guavas and alligator pears, asking him to sell them and forward the balance to him.

The response of Astoria to the appeal from Heppner was prompt and generous, and the people of the desolated city should now be safe from the fear of suffering from the lack of necessities.

Astoria's regatta will become the principal aquatic event of the Pacific in a few years if the rate of progress is maintained. With the energetic management there is every reason to believe that it will even be surpassed.

A Baltimore man whose tongue has been cut out finds that he is still able to speak. It would seem now that the only way to make sure of stopping Bryan would be to cut his head off.

The prospect of some good racing between the three horse teams of the city is pleasing to the friends of good clean sport.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

The home of E. Riderbush, corner of Twelfth and Exchange streets, has been placed under quarantine by order of the city board of health. One of the members of the family is suffering from a mild attack of measles.

"PRISCILLA" CHARMING OPERA.

"Priscilla" the charming opera which is to be presented to the music and fun-loving public, at Fisher's opera house on Friday and Saturday evenings, is a musical rendition of Longfellow's beautiful poem, "The Courtship of Miles Standish." Priscilla,

the modest and demure little puritan maiden who spends most of her time at the spinning wheel has somehow or other won the love of that bluff old soldier and Indian fighter Miles Standish. Now Miles Standish was a most fearless man when it came to fighting Indians, but when it came to storming the citadel of a fair maiden's heart he was an absolute coward.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF ASTORIA NATIONAL BANK

at Astoria, in the state of Oregon, at the close of business June 9, 1903.

Table with columns for Assets (Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, U. S. Bonds, etc.) and Liabilities (Capital stock, Surplus fund, etc.).

SPECIAL ROUND TRIP RATES

Between June 4th and August 26th, the Illinois Central will sell round trip tickets from Oregon and Washington points to Chicago, Cairo, Memphis, and New Orleans at greatly reduced rates.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Carpenters' union of Astoria, held Saturday evening, May 23, 1903, a resolution was unanimously adopted, providing that on and after September 1, 1903, the wages shall be \$3 per day, and eight hours shall constitute a day's work.

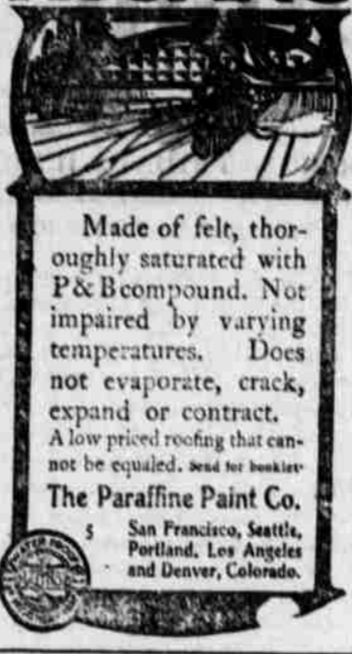
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WORST OF ALL EXPERIENCES.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Brown, a lady of Brownsville, Va., she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed."

BLOCKADED.

Every Household in Astoria Should Know How to Resist It. The back aches because the kidneys are blocked. Help the kidneys with their work. The back will ache no more.

BIDS FOR WOOD.

Bids will be received by School District No. 1, at the office of the school clerk, until June 20, 1903, for 150 cords or more of bark slabs or hemlock, four foot wood, to be delivered to the different school buildings of the district.

STARTLING EVIDENCE.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, coughs, and colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bentonsville, Va., serves as an example.

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LOW RATES TO SAN FRANCISCO.

On account of the National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic to be held at San Francisco August 17 to 22, the O. R. & N. Co. have named the low rate of \$20.00 for the round trip by steamship in both directions, or \$25.00 for steamship in one direction and rail return or vice versa.

ASTORIA AND COLUMBIA RIVER RAILROAD.

Table with columns for LEAVE, PORTLAND, and ARRIVE. Lists train schedules for various routes.

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