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THE ASTORIAN PUBLISHING CO.,

SAN FRANCISCO DEFENDED.

Up to this time we were not aware that Boston was in the habit of exalting her moral horn at the expense of San Francisco. The unpleasant revelation comes to us in the form of a defense of this city by a California lady sojourning in Boston, says the Call. Her temper has been touched by the continual Bostonian criticism of San Francisco as the wickedest of cities, a sort of Sodom with a Gomorrah lean-to while Boston is boasted as the "storm center of morality and virtue." This gallant lady declares that the young men of San Francisco are models of temperance, knights of the blue ribbon and white, as compared with the jennetees dorce of Boston. The young chaps of the Hub are accused of a chronic dark brown taste permanently swelled heads and throbbing temples. They go forth in the morning on the primrose path of the cocktail and come back at night via the shandygaff route, with their liquid contents swishing around under their belts like beer in a half-empty keg. We are glad and sorry to hear this. Glad that it can be said that our young men stick closely to the fine waters of our own state, finding them useful to quench thirst as well as for navigation, irrigation and bathing, and sorry that the sons of the Puritans and other people in Boston are prone to trot the pace that kills and arrive at the wire as full as Bacchus and as noisy as a runaway automobile.

But our California lady does not stop with a comparison of thirsts and the ways of quenching them, but goes into a more serious question of morals, and brings our young men out flying but whether with flying colors depends on the point of view. She says that she knows several young California gentlemen who were students at Harvard and were compelled to run out of town and leave their books behind them by the attentions of Boston women! This is serious. We do not send our youth to Harvard simply to prove them Joseph and resistant to the moral phylloxera in the guise of Lady Potiphar. We send them there to stock up on lore and to get a full orb of training in the wisdom of the world. President Elliot will please take notice that we must abandon his old college entirely until he is willing to patrol it and protect our young men who are now chased out of town by the bold brigade of Boston. Perhaps it is better, after all, to keep Rousseau at home in his happy, temperate and virtuous valley of California and not expose him to injury in the bungstarter battles of Boston or compel him to flee the more dangerous, if less dry, allurements of these Boston women whose boldness has shocked the lady defender of our morals and manners.

The Liverpool Journal of Commerce speaking of a family one of whose members is well known here, says: "Of such are the brothers Craven, and consequently their progress is not by any means surprising. Captain W. E. Craven, R. N. R., now commands the fine steamer Indravel, belonging to Messrs. T. B. Boyden, of this port; Captain R. P. Craven commands another of the same firm, and they are now joined by their youngest brother, Captain J. N. Craven, of the steamer

Hornby Castle, whose career will, we trust, be as successful as it is promising.

The citizen who hails a late car in Portland must have some anxious moments before it stops, for the motor-men and conductors have been furnished with revolvers and have been instructed to shoot quick.

In some towns nervous people have a habit of walking in the middle of the street to avoid being stealthily approached by hold-up men. In Portland such a course would lead to sudden death in some of the sloughs or pitfalls that enliven the principal thoroughfares.

OUR GRASS-EATING CARP.
 An eastern man has a proposition for conferring a benefit on the fisheries of the Columbia river by putting in a \$40,000 fertilizing plant to operate on carp and shad exclusively. These species are about the most plentiful and useless fish that navigate the big waterway, not only proving detrimental to the salmon fisheries, but we have been informed that during high waters the carp ruin pasture prospects by eating the grass off of the river valleys. The gentleman who will find a commercial use for them should have a bounty both from the fisheries and agricultural departments.—Tacoma West Coast Grocer.

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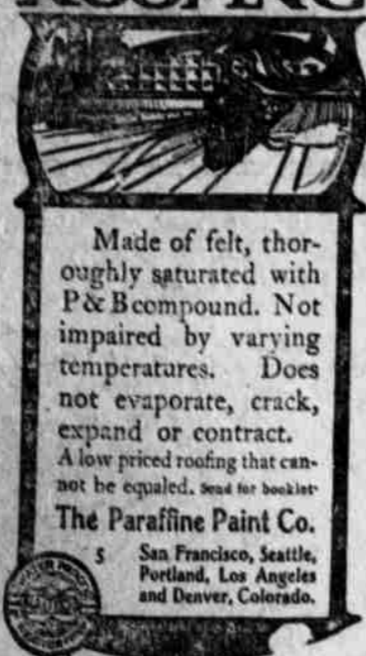
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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....	\$264,347 05
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	2,540 71
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	12,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc.....	120,758 27
Other real estate owned.....	6,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents).....	6,159 05
Due from State Banks and Bankers.....	46,569 14
Due from approved reserve agents.....	162,759 30
Checks and other cash items.....	88 25
Notes of other National Banks.....	850 00
Nickels and cents.....	48 70
Legal money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie.....	\$125,800 00
Legal-tender notes.....	270 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent circulation).....	625 00
Total.....	\$752,476 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund.....	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	17,306 73
National Bank notes outstanding.....	12,500 00
Individual deposits subject to check, \$502,911 81	
Demand certificates of deposit.....	129,758 16
Total.....	\$752,476 80

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop, ss: I, S. 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.

S. S. GORDON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of June, 1903.

C. R. THOMPSON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
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Atlantic	Salt Lake, Denver, Express Ft. Worth, Omaha, Kansas City, Chicago and East.	10:30 a.m.
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5:50 p.m.	Hammond and Astoria	10:45 a.m.
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