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fixed in numbers, for the purpose of a committee to wait upon the governor...

HE HAS ONE MORE.

Broer' Sovoy, erstwhile of this city, and now editor of the Aberdeen Bulletin, relying upon his intimate knowledge of affairs political in "dear old Clatsop"...

THAT HOTEL TENDER.

Astoria has done herself no good by the rank indifference with which she has turned down that \$100,000 hotel proposition...

POLISH CLUB HOUSE.

NEW YORK, June 7.—A committee representing wealthy Polish business men of New York was appointed yesterday to select a location and arrange for the building of a popular clubhouse on the east side for the use of Polish residents...

The Very Best Remedy for Bowel Trouble.

Mr. M. F. Borroughs, an old and well-known resident of Bluffton, Ind., says: "I regard Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as the very best remedy for bowel trouble."

HOT IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Signs that the campaign of the heat against vitality has begun were observed throughout the city yesterday and one death and several prostrations were reported.

If your stomach troubles you do not conclude that there is no cure, for a great many have been permanently cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

In beauty town there dwelt a lass, Her face was fair to see, The secret of her beauty lay, In Rocky Mountain Tea.

Frank Hart, druggist.

\$25.00 REWARD.

A reward of \$25 will be paid by Beaver Lodge No. 35, I. O. O. F. for the recovery of the body of the late H. F. Bruhn who was accidentally drowned in the Columbia River...

20 MULE TEAM PURE BORAX



IN THE NURSERY FOR Baby's Bath FOR Baby's Clothes

"20-MULE-TEAM" BORAX SOAP Saves Hands, Clothes and Labor

"TEMSE" AND "THAMES."

Origin of the Saying About Setting the River on Fire.

Sometimes when a person wants to make an unpleasant remark in a pleasant sort of way about a dull boy he will say, "That boy will never set the river on fire."

In England many, many years ago, before the millers had machinery for sifting flour, each family was obliged to sift its own flour.

Now, the name of the river Thames is pronounced exactly like the word temse, and so after many years those persons who had never seen or heard of the old fashioned sieve thought that "setting the temse on fire" meant setting the river Thames on fire.

ROUSED THE AUDIENCE.

A Mining Camp Melodrama With an Unexpected Climax.

Joseph Jefferson used to say that his career came very near being nipped in the bud in a small western town. He at that time was a member of a small pioneer company which progressed by means of three "bull teams" from one mining camp to another.

Upon this particular occasion all had gone well until this scene was reached, and the audience, many of whom had never before seen any kind of theatrical performance, sat as if spellbound.

The excitement was finally allayed by the "mother" and the villain appearing hand in hand before the curtain and the manager's explanation of the situation.

Begin Again Today.

Emerson said he was an endless experimenter, with no past at his back. This is the secret of finding every day new and delightful.

Card Marks.

It is conjectured by some writers on the subject that the marks upon the cards designating the four kinds in a pack were originally symbolical and intended to signify the different classes of society.

Up Early.

"The boss asked me what made me look so tired," said Galley, the clerk, "and I told him I was up early this morning."

"Hub!" snorted the bookkeeper. "You never got up early in your life."

"I didn't say that I got up. I said I was up."

Undergoing Repair.

Lill! (at a soiree, whispering)—What has become of Aunt Lucie's habitual smile? Erna—it is at the dentist's.—Tit-Bits.

Catspaw Customers. The story of the monkey who used the cat's paw to pull the chestnuts out of the fire...

WANTED Saw Mill Men, \$2.25 per day. Yard Men, \$2.00 per day. Ten Boys, Over 16 Years Old to Work In Box Factory. TONGUE POINT LUMBER CO ASTORIA, ORE.

ASTORIA IRON WORKS JOHN FOX, Pres. and Supt F. L. BISHOP, Secretary A. L. FOX, Vice Pres. ASTORIA SAVINGS BANK, Treas. Designers and Manufacturers of THE LATEST IMPROVED Canning Machinery, Marine Engines and Boilers Complete Cannery Outfits Furnished

SCOW BAY IRON & BRASS WORKS ASTORIA, OREGON IRON AND BRASS FOUNDERS LAND AND MARINE ENGINEERS

Weinhard's LAGER BEER

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Hatch. In Use For Over Thirty Years CASTORIA

EDITORIAL SALAD.

The open-air band concert will soon be ripe enough to pick.

The most popular general with Russia's people seems to be general amnesty.

Among possible patients for nerve tonic cannot be reckoned the Douma.

It looks as if one might soon get used to dispensing with those winter flannels.

This is the season when the big fish begin to get away from the enthusiastic angler.

The popular prejudice against "embalmed beef" bids fair at last to become effective.

As to Mr. Bryan's visit to the Douma this week, it's sixteen to one that he doesn't enjoy the speeches.

The meat packers have as little use for an investigation as Senator Reed Smoot has for a quorum.

Five million parasites are to be imported to prey on the gypsy moth. What will they live on when the gypsy moths are eaten up?

If it comes from Chicago, perhaps just as well call it sausage and admit that the precise identity of the meat is an insoluble mystery.

The failure is announced of the Empress, the leading woman's club of London. We can almost hear Grover Cleveland's smile.

A London doctor says people get heart trouble from not eating enough. A prize will be offered for any two doctors who agree on what is enough.

Every part of the hog is now utilized; the packing houses used to pack all but the squeal, and now they are certainly putting up the squeal.

Democratic conventions in Missouri are endorsing Mr. Bryan as a Presidential candidate for 1908, but discreetly avoiding the issue whether he shall stand as an untainted radical or as a convert to "safe and sane" conservatism of the eastern type.

It has been decided by Lord Elgin, colonial secretary, that the wife of the governor-general of Canada is entitled to be addressed as "her excellency." Now that this important matter is settled, our English cousins will proceed to attend to business and other minor matters—in due time, you know.

The drydock Dewey has been sighted in the Indian Ocean and has reported all well. How it would behave in a typhoon is not altogether certain, but it is made to ride out any storm and probably will be able to do so. In due time it may be expected to reach its destination in the islands which made its name famous.

The senate has done excellently well in restoring the full amount of the appropriation for the rebuilding of West Point. That historic institution has, all told, cost the country only the minutest fraction of the indispensable benefits it has conferred upon the nation, and no right minded American will grudge the expenditure of all that may be needed to raise it to the highest standard of efficiency.

The Morning Astorian prints all the local and telegraph news.

WEATHER.

Western Oregon and Washington—Showers.

Eastern Oregon and Washington—Showers and thunder storms.

OVERDOING IT.

There is a fast growing sentiment in this city against the victimizing plan of the fire insurance companies to impose the 25 per cent advance on the old premium rates in existence here, and most merchants feel that it would be cheaper to burn up than pay the thieving toll.

CLATSOP'S COURT HOUSE.

Is it not about time the taxpayers of this county were getting next to the policies of the county court in relation to the new court house for this county? Or is the whole scheme, with its extravagant cost to be left utterly to the commissioners? It takes money to pay the constant stream of big bills that are being paid out of the treasury here every month.

EIGHTY-FOUR TO SIX.

With eighty-four solid republican votes to six democratic votes in the Oregon legislature there should be but little left for the "non-partizans" to gloat over at adjournment.

THE SEAWALL PROBLEM.

It is sincerely hoped the conference to be held today between the Seawall committee and Colonel Willard Young, the Portland engineer, will be productive of something tangible in the way of plans and costs. The question is a large one, and means a great deal to the city, and the committee is to be commended for the deliberateness with which it is acting.

WE WISH HIM JOY.

With a solid republican house and the senate four-fifths republican, we wish Governor Chamberlain joy of his post. His "corporal's guard" is scarcely qualified.