

THE OREGON SCOUT.

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THE WATERWAY CONVENTION.

The third session of the Columbia waterway convention will be held at Astoria on Wednesday, August 3rd, and is expected to be a very important and interesting meeting.

It is believed the chief purpose of the waterway convention could best be promoted by the organization of a permanent river improvement society, and the plan to this end, suggested at the last meeting at Vancouver, will be taken up as the first business of the meeting at Astoria.

It has come at last to be generally understood that the benefits of the government work are for the future, and that if the country is to have immediate relief it must come through private or public enterprise, independent of the government.

EDUCATIONAL ADVANTAGES OF FAIRS.

The gathering together of people at picnics and fairs is a great advantage in an educational point of view, and is not fully appreciated.

It is a mistaken notion to suppose that the only source for obtaining information are the school, the college, the laboratory and the lecture-room.

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and assimilate it and apply it to the practical affairs of every day life. Then, too, there is a literary and freedom in the choice of the subject matter for investigation that gives to it the charm of attractiveness.

Public exhibitions, at which mechanical and agricultural products are displayed, are to the thoughtful and observing a source of most valuable information of the most utilitarian character.

Attorney General Garland has rendered an opinion in regard to the application of the alien act passed by the last Congress prohibiting aliens from acquiring possession of real estate in this country.

It is a very common opinion among railroad men that the Union Pacific will soon obtain control of the Northern Pacific. This has been whispered hereabout as 'inside' gossip for a month, and the same report is current and credited at New York.

Judging from the reports of progress on the Oregon Pacific, and its rapidly increasing freight and passenger traffic, it is becoming a large competitor, not only for the Willamette valley trade, but is cutting quite large slices out of the carrying trade of the O. R. & N. Co. for Portland freight.

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MARRIED.

WALKER-STEWART.—At the Centennial hotel in this city, Aug. 2nd, 1887, by Rev. A. Thompson J. P. Mr. Jesse G. Walker and Miss Emma Stewart, both of Sunnerville.

DIED.

CHILD.—At the county hospital, August 2nd, 1887, W. H. Childs. The remains were interred Wednesday afternoon.

Strayed or Stolen. \$100.00 REWARD!

From Union, Oregon, two sorrel geldings, work horses, smooth-eared all round, both branded with square and compass, one on left shoulder—a large brand, blazed face, both hind feet white, 6 years old, weighs about 1250 lbs., was in good order.

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NOTICE.

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Having had the misfortune to lose my entire stock of goods, by fire, on the morning of the 30th, I must request all those indebted to me to call at once and settle their accounts, as I am in need of money, and must have it.

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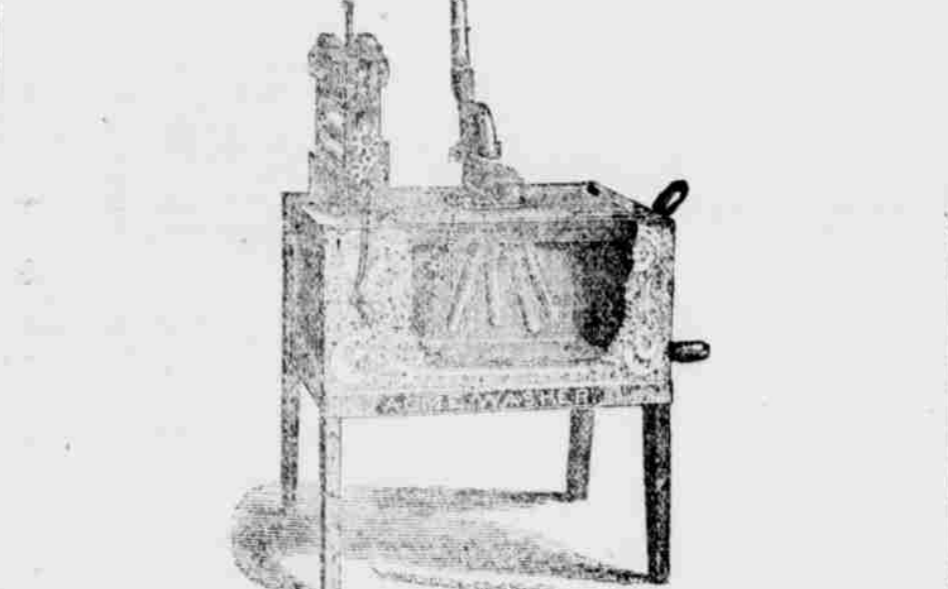
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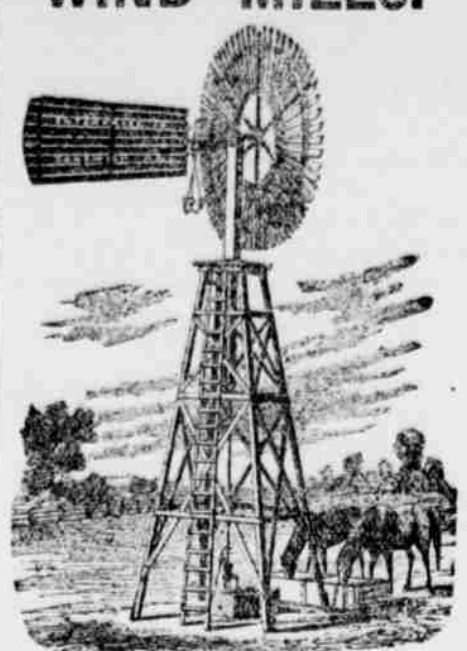
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