

# Tri-Weekly Astorian

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## THE CALIFORNIA ELECTION.

The press of Oregon and California have made considerable comment on the result of the California election. The *Oregonian* says:

"The newspapers of California are studying the meaning and moral of the recent election. The Bulletin, Call and Union see in it the determination of the people to overthrow the railway power in politics. The Chronicle's opinion we gave yesterday. And now the Oakland News, which was throughout a staunch supporter of the straight Republican ticket (for Alameda county) in announcing the defeat of its candidate for State Senator, and considering that it is at liberty to speak its whole mind, says that 'the fact stood out conspicuously that a Convention had not nominated the man its delegates were sent there to vote for;' that the candidate was not a reliable Republican, but achieved his nomination by disgraceful political jugglery. Yet these things, the News thinks, did not justify the masses of the party in scratching his name. It talks a little regretfully, however, and its reflections are of some interest, as they indicate a certain change in old, and established beliefs, that has just come over numerous staunch party journals in California."

The *Portland Evening News* says: "The California election is full of significance. It indicates the extent of the popular uprising against monopolies in California, and the determination of the people to repudiate the Republican party since its surrender to them. Not a man on the regular Republican ticket was elected. The successful candidates all belonged to the different anti-monopoly tickets. There was elected upon the straight Democratic ticket: Roach, State Senator; Robert Howe, Assemblyman; Ryan, District Attorney; Hubert, Treasurer; Cockrill, Chief of Police; Frank, Recorder; Denman, Superintendent of Schools; and Sloss, one of the three Fire Commissioners. All others elected belong to the Independent ticket. The result is important, since the contest was waged on the part of the anti-monopolists with a divided force, against the Central Pacific Railroad, and with a decisive result."

## LOOK ON THE BRIGHT SIDE.

It is sad to see persons who might enjoy much of happiness in the world, hunting their surroundings for some dark, forbidding and unpleasant thing to be groaned over instead of living in the sunlight, and gathering pleasant things in the garden of observation and experience. Though times may be dull, that is no reason why we should give way to despondency. It is true that many of the people on this coast have not had their anticipations realized, but after all we are superlatively better off as a people than those in the older states, so on the whole we should be cheerful rather than otherwise. On all occasions look on the bright side of things. It is the right side. The times may be hard, but it will make them no easier by wearing a gloomy, sad countenance. It is the sunshine and not the cloud, that makes the flower. Full one-half of our ills are only in imagination. There is always that before or around us which should cheer and fill the heart with warmth.

The sky is blue ten inches where it is black one. You have troubles, it may be. So have others. None are free from them. Perhaps it is well that none should be. They give sinew and tone to life, fortitude and courage to the man. There would be a dull sea, and the sailor would never get skill were there was nothing to disturb the face of the ocean.

It is the duty of every one to extract all the enjoyment and happiness he can without and within him; and above all, he should look on the bright side of things. What though things do look a little dark? The lane will turn, and night end in broad day. In the long run, and very often in the short, the great balance rights itself. What is ill becomes well; what is wrong, right. Men were not made to hang down their heads or their lips, and those who do so only show that they are departing from the path of common sense and right.

## "God Save the Queen."

Astoria Sept. 10th 1873.

EDITOR ASTORIAN:

I see in the last issue of your paper that you, in speaking of Mr. Guildler's performance as a pianist, introduce him as playing in exquisite style, "God save the Queen." It occurred to me that it would be in good taste to give you a short history of that truly national air. The great German composer, Joseph Hayden, in his younger days, gave the air, and the words, "God save the King," to the German people, and its great popularity, and adoption as the German National hymn established the character and reputation of Hayden as a musical composer.

England soon learned to appreciate its merits, and arranged the words as we read them now, "God save the Queen," and it became the National air of England.

About the time of our American Revolution, the words, "My country 'tis of thee," etc., were written by an American, and set to the same air, under the name "America."

The English accused us of stealing their national hymn, but we retorted, "you stole it from your German cousins."

The rendition by Mr. Guildler was truly wonderful; the acme of perfection. The arrangement is his own, not yet given to the world. Madame Anna Bishop has been, and is, her age considered, a star of the first magnitude. But some were disappointed, mainly because their anticipations were beyond all reason. 'Tis the same in all departments of life.

You go to church and hear plain Rev. — preach a sermon, and you are highly gratified. But go to the same church, hear the same sermon from the lips of the same person, as Rev. — D. D. and your impressions are very different. Home, sweet home, was well rendered, and reminds one forcibly of the author of those beautiful words and his dreary ending of life's struggle. He was an American, and wrote the lines in foreign lands, where his last days were spent in hunger and wretchedness—a beggar in a London garret. The thoughts, and expression seem to have come from the soul of Mr. Payne, as a longing after something he knew to be beyond his reach.

## STILL ANOTHER.

We find in a recent number of the *San Francisco Bulletin*, notice of a new company which has just been organized for the purpose of catching and preserving Columbia River Salmon. It is gratifying thus to see capital coming into our country and especially into our County, where this company intend to locate. The notice referred to says a certificate of incorporation of the Columbia River Salmon Company has been filed in the County Clerk's office. The purposes of the corporation are carrying on fishing business on the Columbia River, Oregon, and to construct works necessary for packing and curing salmon for sale. The directors are Adolph Milliard, of San Rafael; Albert W. Mann, Frederick Clay, John Seroufe, and Adolph Weske. The capital stock is \$50,000, divided into 5,000 shares.

—A correspondent of the *Scientific American* says: "The best remedy for bleeding at the nose, as given by Dr. Gleason in one of his lectures, is a vigorous motion of the jaws, as if in the act of mastication. In the case of a child, a wad of paper should be placed in its mouth and the child instructed to chew it hard. Of course an adult does not need the paper. It is the motion of the jaws that stops the flow of blood. This remedy is so very simple that many will feel inclined to laugh at it, but it has never been known to fail in a single instance, even in very severe cases."

—William Wilson, of Newport, the husband of Ida Lewis, authorizes the denial of the story of her separation from him.

—A man who sat down on an open paper of carpet nails said they reminded him of an income tax.

## Lumps of Information.

Here are a few lumps of information known to some but by a great many yet to be learned:

How to lay off a square piece of ground: Measure off 208½ feet on each side, and you will have an acre within an inch.

Contents of distances—An acre contains 4,840 square yards.

Measure of distances—A mile is 5,280 feet, or 1,760 yards in length.

A fathom is six feet.

A league is three miles.

A day's journey is 33½ miles.

A cubit is eighteen inches.

A hand (horse measure) is four inches.

A palm is three inches.

A span is 10½ inches.

A space is three feet.

A barrel of flour weighs 160 pounds.

A barrel of pork is 200 pounds.

A barrel of rice is 200 pounds.

A barrel of powder is 25 pounds.

—The Northern Pacific is constructing an extensive round-house at Bismarck.

Beaver Lodge No. 35, I. O. O. F.

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## Sheriff Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION issued upon a decree of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clatsop, made on the 13th day of August, 1873, in which Alanson Hinman is Plaintiff, and James Welch and Nancy Welch are defendants, commanding and directing me to sell lots one, two, three, four and five, in block one hundred and twelve, of Shively's Astoria, in the County of Clatsop, in the State of Oregon, or so many of them as may be sufficient to pay and satisfy the several sums of money in said decree specified, to-wit: the sum of three hundred and eighty-one and fifty one-hundredths dollars and interest thereon at one per cent. per month, in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendant James Welch; also, the further sum of forty dollars for attorney's compensation, together with costs and disbursements taxed at 24 35-100 dollars, and costs to accrue on said execution, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, interest and estate of the said James Welch and Nancy Welch, in and to the said lots one, two, three, four and five, in said block one hundred and twelve, in said Shively's Astoria, in said County of Clatsop, State of Oregon, and shall proceed to sell the same at Public Auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on the 5th day of October, 1873, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Court-house door, in the County and State above written.

W. H. TWILIGHT,

Sheriff of Clatsop Co., Oregon.

Dated at Astoria, Oregon, this 3d day of September, 1873.

## SCHOOL BOOKS.

AS HAS ALREADY BEEN ANNOUNCED

through the newspapers of the State, the following named books have been duly selected as the authorized text books in the branches mentioned, in the Public Schools of Oregon, for

Four years commencing Oct. 1, 1873.

ARITHMETIC—Thompson's New Graded Series, (including New Mental for primary classes, New Rudiments and New Practical and

Books' Normal Mental for advanced classes

GEOGRAPHY—Moneth's Introduction to Man-

ual, and Physical and Intermediate (both Pacific Coast Edition).

GRAMMAR—Clark's Beginner's and Normal.

UNITED STATES HISTORY—Darnes' Brief History.

GENERAL HISTORY—Peter Parley's Universal, (for beginners).

PENMANSHIP—Spencerian system and copies.

FOR SCHOOLS OF ADVANCED GRADES.

HIGHER ARITHMETIC—Robinson's Progressive

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GEOMETRY—ALGEBRA—Brooks'; COMPOSITION, Harts.

GENERAL HISTORY—Anderson's (advanced).

PHYSIOLOGY—Steele's "Fourteen Weeks."

NATURAL PHILOSOPHY—Steele's "14 Weeks."

CHEMISTRY—Steele's "Fourteen Weeks."

BOTANY—Wood's Botanist and Florist.

BOOK KEEPING—Bryant and Stratton's (High School Edition).

The readers and spellers will be selected about the middle of September.

The law requires that the books selected shall be introduced into all the Public Schools of the State, "on or before the first day of October, 1873." But the act, (owing to an inadvertent omission in framing it), did not go into effect until three months after the close of the session, and as there has been some unavoidable delay from other causes, the text-books have been adopted at so late a day that it would be a hardship upon the patrons of the schools to insist upon having the introduction of the "authorized" series completed by the day named in the law. Under these circumstances the State Board of Education has concluded to take the responsibility of extending the time so as to secure the gradual introduction of the books that have been adopted. Hence, though it will be expected and required that all the Public Schools of the State shall begin in good faith "on or before October 1st, 1873," (if the books can be procured by that time), to introduce the "authorized" series, they will be allowed until March 1st, 1874, to complete the introduction.—(by the order of the Superintendent of Public Instruction for the State of Oregon.)

In the meantime, let District Directors, Teachers, and all others having authority, see to it that the books which have been selected are introduced as rapidly as possible. After October 1st, 1873, the purchase of any other books, for use in Public Schools, than those named above, is most strictly forbidden.

And any District Director neglecting to so provide for the introduction of the "authorized" series of text books, shall forfeit its proportion of the school fund for the succeeding year, and every year thereafter until all of said series are introduced.—School Laws, Section 12.

W. A. TENNEY,

Superintendent of Schools for Clatsop County.

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