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## ASTORIA, OREGON :

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TUESDAY....................JUNE 13, 1876 .
-The Kational Republican Convention will meet in Cincinnati to morrow.
-E. C. Gardner, the architectural writer, says that our school houses have been built on too extensive and
extravaganta scale. He does not beextravaganta scale. He does not be-
lieve that delicate young girls shonld lieve that delicate young girls shonld
be compelled to climb up into a high, uglv tower and twist in a magnificent garret.
-Ireland desires temperance. In
the British House of Commons Mr the British House of Commons Mr.
Smyth's resolution in favor of stop Smyth's resolution in favor of stop-
ping liquor traffic on Sundays in Ireland has been carried by a majority vote of fifty-seven. The mover quoted the charges of judges and other authorities to prove the increase of tions and whi mumons petitions and memorials showed a strong
desire that the public-houses sinould be closed on Sunday.
-The Opera-house building at Kalama was carried away on the tenth by ligh water. The theatre building has caved in, and a part of the gas con-
pany's buildinge are ruined beyon repair. The railroad track is subis a bad blow for Kulama. Nine grain elevators and sixteen distilleries
have been stopped because of so much water.

It was heralded all over the Uni ted States, a few weeks ago, that Dr Mudd, who gained such unenviable notoriety in, and was sent to the Dry Tortngas, for supposed complicity in the assassination of President Lincoln.
has been elected to the Maryland legislature. It was a case of mistaken identity. The man elected was named Geo. D. Mudd, and has always bee
known as an ardent Union nuan.
-A New York correspondent of the Rochester Democrat and Chronicle puts Commolore Vanderbilt's wealth at $\$ 85,000,000$. He is below the mark; the old man holds seewrities worth millions more than that; Daniel Drew put the property of the Conmodore at one nundred millions; but perhaps he gets
it too high. Still, every one will allow it too high. Still, every one will aliow
that Vanderbilt is by far the richest ihat Vanderbilt is by far the richest
man in America, at least in immediately realizable property.
The Boston Post warmiy advocat-
the bicycle as a means of locomotion and pleasure. It seems that in France gentlemen of distinction ride long distances over the public roals, and in
Massachusetts and Rhode Island considerable journeys have been acconplished with this mashine. Neverthemeans of travel or of diversion. It is thing eacept a smooth, hard, level sue face. In France where all the high-
ways are macalamized, a stout fellos may make pretty fair time with a good there are sandy hills and mnddy hol
-IV. P. Keady, one of the Salem ays ago. The company to which he was a costly d him in it, although le to learn Murphy deserved all he $t$, and a little more, he has aiway ken an active part in the organi-
tion of the department, and Keady hd him, when he caned him, that nduct has ever been just and inartial, alwavs disphaving the stert g qualities which characterize the an of kindly heart and generons pulse ; and as a testimonial of the
teem ia which yon are held by e members of Capitai Engine Comny No. 1, we offer you this cane," 's at the table. Wine ; didn't he ae thoughe
$A$ Warning to Bathers. -It has long been known that it is njudieious for any one to go into water just after eating a full meal,
but it is not so well known that the but it is not so well known that the
practice may result in death. This atter fact seems to be demonstrated by the recent death in a bath in years old. He had never had a fit, and is believed to have been in perect beaith. When found in the water the crown of his head was just bove the surface, and he was standace just under the water. At the place where he was the water was while the boy's height was four feet nine inches: The temperature of the water was serenty-five degrees. The
medical testimony discosed the fact hat the deceased had eaten heartily just before entering the water, or at ligest. He had vomited a large uantity of food, and when found his mouth and throat were full. The
opinion was expressed in the medical estim, dict of the jury, that death resulted
from epilepsy, brought on by the danerous practice of entering the w
-The Emperor William, on his w Coberg, breakfasted at Eisenach. sofa with cushions. The Emperor asked the waiter for whom the sofa was placed there. "For your Imperial
Majesty," said the waiter. "Take it way," rep'ied the monarch, "and give se a chair like the others," This medident
is charaterictic to the Emperor, who will not submit, when traveling, to be distin guished in any way from his retirue.
-According to an Olympia paper it whole day to tow a raft of lors from he Marshfield bridge to Tumwater, listance of two miles.

## Poor Old Dog Why Did You Stray. <br> [Written for tho Astorian.]

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Tom Tiviers.

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