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To City Subscribers.

There are such frequent changes in the residence of our city patrons that we shall feel whiled to any who make such changes if they will report the same to this office. Otherwise we shall not be responsible for failures of the carrier to deliver the paper promptly and regularly to them.

-The schooner W. F. March lest Sau Francisco for Shoalwater bay on the

GARBBALDI CArgo.-Therar of i'e balk Garibaldi for San Fra witer on- tude assembled to witness the consisted of wheat and floor and was valued test. The big engine by this time at \$40,087.

EDWARD JAMES.-This back from Astoria, arrived at Honolelu on the 19th of August. Her owner, W. Uer Mollaice esq., of Portland, is home again.

OREGEN CITY DIEWELY SALOON. The original pro rictor of the famous Oregon City brevery, Mr. H. Ha abel. is now sole propriet of the brines; in Astoria, formerly rea by IL Hambel &

a long day ye."

Herald and Review is our authority seek women No. 2 jummed their petfor stacing that the tempolog offer of the resident methods be warder? State per ton as a bound to take his ship. \$1.25 per ton as a bonus to take his ship of one meny homeless entires were to Portland, was not su being to make introduction food tide? Hew from Capt. And consent to alleapt the rifles in tollers smell tal der children; again with the critish ship City of Yors. Wives the districted husbranes; food loving again with the critish ship City of Yors. With the linear sweethers; cornected She will load at Asioria.

friend Willie Lock, as Octon loy, period as ever elempted in this fair leaves by the Elder for the purpose of his and all the proceeding a stock to Sea Parelesco that the the way is the history and according to the purpose of the the the way is the history and according to the purpose of the the the way is the history and according to the purpose of the the the way is the history and according to the purpose of the pur with which to replete it shelves in his finds tree gratification to both parties. fathers here on Main's we, in all's city,

construction of railron is in Overon, was decided on the 25th in favor of praintiffs by Hon. R. P. Boise of the third judicial nahan of Clatsop has left at our office moved on account of Hov. E D. Shat- locality which may be considered The court of creed a dissolution of co-beet, which weighs 12 lbs., and measparaership, adjusted the paraership wes 19 locbes in length, and 18 inches accounts and gave phointins a judgment in circumference.. for balance found due a ; ainst defe dant Elliott. Attoracys for plaintiffs claim; that this decision virtually determines all suits brough, by Ellio., a a not Holgrowing out of ElCow's transactions with Holladay.

BRANCH OFFICE.-A branch office of the Pacific Muiual Life Insurance company of California, was effected at this place on Monday evening October 1st, to a new-comer. by G. W. Carey, general agent. At which time the following persons were elected, from the board of directors, offi- will decide the pending question as io cers for the ensuing year: I. W. Case, whether we shall start more out millpresident; C. S. Wright, vice-president; ing here or not in the afi-mative. C. Brown secretary; J. Q. A. Bowlby, And the only way to do it is to come attorney: R. R. Spedden, R. Alexander, up to uncle David Ingal's' office and C. J. Trenchard, D. K. Warren and J.W. subscribe the balance of twenty per Gearhart, executive committee. The cent, to the capital stock of the comnumber of persons in the board is fificen. pany. This balance is but \$5,600. This is a move in the right direction. Mr. Ingalls will be pleased to see any Success to it. The Pacific Mutual is a person who decires to favor the enfirst-class company as may be seen by terprise. The letter from Mr. Be-Judge Shattuck's report on its financial quette, which was published on the condition, and the California law under 15th ult., fully explains his great which it works. See ad.

STEAM FIRE ENGINES.

The new Silsby vs. the Pump that can Throw a Stream Ten Mile ..

Exciting Scenes in Astoria.

Evening before last, Re-cre Engine company No. 2 having received their new steam fire engine in tip top order, they marched down to Capi. Flavel's what and 2.00) bestels of sand, and a large stock of first quality of brick of his warmhouse. challenged the steam fire pump, foot of tenton street. owned by that gentleman, for a contest. It should be stated possibly that Capt. Flavel's pump is a monster, such as they use in the petroleum regious of Pennsylvania tor conveying oil from the well (through pipes) to the rathead staions, sometimes a dis nee of ove ich miles. But this fact was no terror to Rescue No. 2, and the bright little steamer backed up, took saction, gave the whistle to ass, and threw a lively stream, recerving the plaudits of the multicame to the front with a pretty extremely low. See advertisement. to deluge everything in sight. ItPersons requiring furnished rooms can be accommodated at Mrs. Munson's was then that the crowd swayed to and fro in eager anticipation, and cheer upon cheer went up. A visitor thus describes the scene:

shor ly siler our arrival on the Dixie, we wit assed the trief of the new steam for the ite and the meanach them money of Cape, they is, in which the transfer was meloschically irie appendix FAILANG FF.—The provides of your derivatives of the first were in our r regarding for death of having varied for the crowd to call and Mrs. Kester. The Enterprise cays: "It iill their believes; "Aleek" are teled to should have been of Umatilla county. While "Charlie" exclaimed, "go is buy I Our Mr. Kesser is enjoyin good leadth may the best man win! Did yet ce and has no intention of dying for many some for ever face holding or attempts a long day year." VIA ASTORIA.—The Comme of I Police bodding as "first man." Did you Jandlords irapermions bornders. Did you sails all this denerar? it so, you PERSONAL -Our esiented young infraction of the trust come done ex-

This is Will of fir or sees of p to the gold, and M. Coffe, was closen Speaker of the House in the territorial Assorably at the IMPORTANT DEC SION. The notorious temporary organization on the 14. C. case of Bea Hollsby and C. Temple H. Parford was chosen president of the Emmet vs. S. G. Elliod, pending since council, and T. B. Merry, chief clerk. November, 1869, brought for dissolution | The astembly would probably be ready of cope nership a seeen the paraes for for business ye lerday, felly organized.

HEAVY BEET. - Commissioner Cr. district, to which the cause had been re a sample product of the soil of that

STREET FIGERS.-Corvallis and Scalle have recally each been the! scene of "isgracoful sirvet fights. No a rest were made. The sight was a laday, the railr ad companies and others, schrolag one in Scattle, and the Intellige cer says: Not less than one handred people formed a ring about the belligerents and cherred them on, while men of leas pretentions (because | were covers) scood by in disgust. It of the whole to consider the situation. must have been a very pleasing sight | So many lamps have been shamelessly

> YES OR NO. -- We hope Astorians anxiety on this inportant matter.

CITY ITEMS.

they can get a little of everything at Adler's store next door to the Waite House.

They all like it. What? Adler's Present councilmen Ferrell, Flavel, Innocent citer!—Smokers and dealers Page and Warren. Absent, Brown will do well a examine Adler's stack be and Trullinger. fore nurely in , elsewhere. 25.000 jest received by scamer for the wholesale

of fir 4 quality of brick at his warehouse

PERSONAL -Prof. Well who is about opening a writing school, has taught large playes in many of the gallog should ... The "Dance of Death" and the

"Dance of Life," an answer to the Drace of Death, by Ars. J. M. Bowers. Fo. sale at the City Book Store.

.... We have on hand 50 pair of Mission Woolen mills Blankeis which we offer for less than factory prices. Warranied all wool at B. Hamburgers.

.... The largest and latest styles of dress goods and waterproofs can only be found at B. Hamburger's. Don't fail to inspect them and depend upon it, prices

new lodging house.

.... Miss Brown intends opening a private school at Arrigoni's hotel 1st of street passed. October. Will also give lessons in music. Terms, 50 cents per week, music \$5 per

....Board and lodging by the day or veek at the Astoria Seer Hall, Main street, Astoria. Peter Daviscourt, proprietor.

....Persons wishing the services of Dr. J. Welch, Dentist, will bear in mind

four doors from Liberty hall.

. White wire goods in every slyle, at L. P. Richman & Co's.

....Dr. B. R. Freeland has located permanently in Astoriz for the practice of deutistry. Office in Shuster's building, mon Council, of the City of Astoria, on Cass street, next door .o THE ASTO-

Photographs! The latest styles taken at Shuster's new gallery, Cass st., next to the Astorian office. For clean towels, sharp razors,

and an easy shave, go to Gillespie at PAR-KER HOUSE BATHS. Hair cutting, shampooning, and dyeing.

Little Van has reestablished himself at the old corner, refreshed by his late journey to the Atlancic states, and will as formerly attend to all orders in his line as general jobber.

ze Who wants to know about the great State where the e ports equal in value \$578 per head of the entire popula tion, send \$1 00 to D. C. Ireland for THY ASTORIAN, the only Oregon paper, published wholly in the interest of Oregon.

SOMETHING NEW.

For Glassware, Crockery, Powder and fact everything that is useful as well as ornamental, go to J. W. Gearbart, who sells cheap for eash. Goods delivered Very resp'y, F :ANK J. TAYLOR, Auditor and Clerk free of charge.

CANABY BIRDS. -- for sale at Gillespie's, Parker house baths.

SHIP-MASTER'S READING ROOM.--Mr. or Withelm has permanently fitted up a ship-master's reading room in conare kept on tile. Coll and see him.

STREET LAMPS. - At the last meetresolved itself into a sori of committee pulled out of place by various means, glasses broken, etc., etc., and nobody seemed to care for paying for any of there damages, the council finally resolved to ererte a new office and install conveilman Ferrell a superintendent of the street lampe, with power to employ and discharge persons, and in every way look stier this inter. 3. Mr. Ferrell accepted the position, and all completets hereafter will be inquired into by him. This is becoming a very important branch of the city service, and needs to be well attended to.

Common Council Proceedings.

Common Council met in regular session Monday evening at half past seven o'clock, the Mayor presiding.

was read and approved. Petitions for street lamps at various

places was referred to committee on streets and public ways.

on file.

of moving driver. Adopted. The same committee reported by ordinance on West-ninth street improvement, an! the same was passed in its regular order.

The committee on fire an! water made a full report of their purchase, etc., of the new steam fire engine, and the report was adopted, and the action

of the committee sustained. The committee on public property made a report by ordinance relative

to screet lamps, and the same was passed in its order. An ordinance providing for the

construction of a sewer on Jefferson street passed.

An ordinance authorizing the con-struction of a sewer on West-ninth

An ordinance to establish the grade of Benton street passed.

An ordinance authorizing the chief of police to appoint a deputy for collecting delinquent city tax, and fixing his compensation, passed.

An ordinance providing for the widening of Chenamus street, and an ordinance providing for the widening of Concomly street passed.

1	Warrants were ordered in p of claims against the city as fol	
	R. S. Caufield8	1.12%
	Co. Claicop	10.00
	N. F. Medge 1	.030.00
	C. H. Page	7.75
	T-encard & Upshur	17.25
	B. S. Franklin	2.25
	C. Stevens & Son	8.88
	H. Gearhart	15.00
	D. tagells	9.00
	Morri & Chappel	525.00
		The same of the sa

The following communication from attorney:

Oregon:

GENTLEMEN:-I desire to call your airection to the fact that at the last regular meeting, the appropriations for pur-chase and repair of fire engines and apparates also the appropriations for expenses of police court were over drawn, the former by about \$1,200; the latter by about \$50 or \$60; and I think it would be advisable to make appropriations sufficient to cover the above amounts.

There are bills now on hand for work done in improving Jefferson, Oliney and Larayette streets, for which there have been no appropriations. There have also been sums of money ordered refundc: to persons for a proper time of "there is real danger in it." Of licenses existing at the time of the June fire, but no payments have been made a reon, nor warrants issued as there been no appropriations made

therefor. I also call your attention to the fact that I drew the warrants for the bay of police force for August in gold coin, but am informed by the treasurer that he For Glassware, Crockery, Powder and Shot, Gun Weds, Percussion Caps,—in had no gold in hand, and am requested

> The following communication from the chief engineer was referred to the committee on fire and water, with instrictions:

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Astoria:

I would respectfully report that there re ai the present time in the Astoria nection with the Gem scloon in Astoria fire department,—one band engine with the latest shipping papers and home-care and 350 feet of hose that will be The latest shipping papers and home- care and 350 feet of home that will be word and obtween bound shipping lists ready for review as soon as it returns from Portland. The engine needs some censiderable work done on it before it is in or a class order. The steam fire engive that has just arrived and been ing of the common council several awarded by your committee on fire and water to Reseae EngineCo, No. 2, is now eitizens pititioned for lamps at ready for service, and I have every reathe injection of various crossings sortio believe will do good work when c. Red upon. They have this evening rethroughout the city, and the council exived their new hose cari, and have 500 feet of first class anchor hose upon it ready for duty.

Akra Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, havin ; some thirty members, I regret to say bave no apparatus, and I would most destroyed and posts damaged and entnessly call your attention to the absoluce necessity of providing some kind of an apparatus to enable our engine companies to get on to buildings in the city. In case of are at night even the ladders that cirizens may have could not be found, and our bremen be left totally beliless for want of this importrni aid to save the lives and property of citizens.

perimendent of streets be authorized to ent barch-ways for excine suctions thro the planking of streets at the intersections wherever the committee on streets together with the chief engineer, may

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placed on file, or referred as the cas

may be. City altorney Bell made verbal report concerning misdemeanors and trouble of securing convictions, con-Present councilmen Ferrell, Flavel, sidering which, upon motion of councilmen Warren. Absent, Brown cilman Flavel, the Police Judge was instructed hereafter to publish the Journal of the previous meeting names of all persons appearing for tr'al in the police court in the newspaper of the city.

The committee on health and police reported finally on city jail and engine Communication from the secretary house, submitted plans and specifica-of the board of delegates was placed tions, and bids. The matter was referred back to the committee, with Committee on streets and public instructions to prepare bonds and sell ways reported in favor of allowing the same, and secure the funds in such Capt. N. F. Mu lge \$20 00 on account manner. necessary to build and furnish the building according to plan submitted by Bain & Ferguson.

The committee on fire and water were authorized to report an amendment to the ordinance creating the fire department. On motion the council adjourned.

JOHN SHIVELY ESCAPED .- The Helena Independent prints an account of John Shively's capture by the Nez Perces and his adventures among them. They kept him thirteen days, wanting him for a guide. He says: "They asked me if I would show them the best trail out of the Park to wind river, where they are going. I told them that I would, as I knew all about the country. This seemed to be satisfactory, and the council broke up and the camp moved up a mile or two, where an encampment for the night was formed. A robe was riven me, and an Indian named Joe was detailed to sleep with me. He spoke very good English; said I must not attempt to escape; that he would be my friend; that they had come that way to get away from Howard; that the trail by that route to Wind river was not known to them, but other Indians had told them about it, and that if I told them the truth they would not harm me." One night he slipped out and escaped. The Indians told Shively they had been the auditor, was referred to the city robbed and swindled at Lapwai by an agent they called "John Hall," and on whom they laid all their trouble; that they were going to make a new bome in the Crow country, and would be joined by a thousand more lodges, including Crows, when they reached that country. Shively had heard nothing of the outbreak previous to his

capture.

making the trip down the rapids above Montreal, concludes that the Indian pilot he says: 'He was the first man to take a steamboat over these rapids. For thirty years he has been driving these steeds down this rocky and dangerous road, and he knows the path well. But I notice that while we are in sea, but in the very heart of a rocky bounded with visible rocks on one within reach from the lower deck, aims for her greedy fellow on the

RUNNING THE RAPIDS,---The

Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott, after

the rapids his face is in dead earnest, the eye keen, the lips set, the muscles tense, and when we are passed a laugh breaks over his face, as if once more he realized the triumph of doing well a difficult duty." The passage is described as follows: "The previous ones were rapids; this is almost a little cataract. Before we saw the waves beat into foam upon the rocks; ouce we discerned the rocks be-neath the foam; but here they push their sharp and cruel heads above the waters. These pour about them and over them, but always in one direction; never with returning wave. Now we no longer seem to be in a miniature storm at current. The tortuous channel is side and on the other. The Captain requests the passengers to keep their places, moving to and fro may throw the steamer out of her course and into danger. The pilot holds her head firmly for the rock that threatens to pierce her strong sheathing through until almost then, with a sudden turn, swings her round, cheats the rock, and

I would also recommend that the su-Respectfully submitted,
J. H. D. GRAY, Chief Engineer. other side. So, veering from Soylla to Charybdis, we pass the last Reports of various officers were