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Astoria, Oregon, Tuesday Morning, February 4, 1879.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

Eastern Dispatches.

Bolied Down for The Asterian

WORK RESUMED AT THE NEW ORLEANS MINT AFTER NINE-TEEN YEARS IDLENESS.

GEN. SHERMAN PLEASANTLY RECEIVED IN THE SOUTH.

AN UNPOPULAR MEXICAN OFFICIAL --- HIS PRIVATE SCHEMES.

WALLOWA VALLEY PUR-CHASED FROM THE NEZ PERCES.

DISTRESSING REPORT FROM THE WRECK OF AN OYSTER SCHOONER.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 2 .- The mint, idle nineteen years, re-started to-day.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1. - Gen. Sherman is receiving many attentions from southern people along the old line of march. At Chattanooga ex-confederate General Cheatham turned back on the train to call on him and talk over times when they were forty-niner Californians.

Dispatches from Mexico state that the government seriously meditates asking the withdrawal of Minister Foster on the ground of unpopularity. Foster nurtues a policy for the acquisition by the United States of a portion of Mexico, and is interested in the international railway.

Washington, February 2. - Chief Joseph and the interior department invited to attend. By order of the W. M. have arranged for the cession by the Nez Perces of about 4,800 square miles in Idaho. The terms are six townships in the Indian territory and \$250,000 in money, to be placed in the treasury and to draw four per cent

BALTIMORE, Jan. 31.—The ovster schooner Adamantine has been found sunk; her captain lashed to the topmast, and the bodies of nine men, lashed to the deck, several feet under water. The inhabitants of Smith's Island saw the wreck on the morning of January 2d, but owing to rough weather were unable to get out to it, although the captain was seen signaling from the topmast where he was

Foreign Dispatches.

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GEN. GRANT SAILED FROM SUEZ FOR BOMBAY.

BILLS FOR REPAIRS TO THE U. S. STEAMER CONSTITU-TION.

GLASGOW BANK DIRECTORS SENTENCED ... A MODEL FOR AMERICA.

THE EPIDEMIC IN ASTRAKHAN ---INFECTED VILLAGES TO BE BURNED.

SUEZ, Feb. 1.-Ex-President Grant and party sailed to-day for Bombay.

EDINBURGH, Feb. 2 .- The directors of the City of Glasgow bank, Sumner, Stronach, Lewis and Potter, convicted of fraud, theft and embezzlement, were sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment. Five other directors convicted of uttering false abstracts and balance sheets were sentenced to 8 months' imprisonment.

Sr. Petersbug, Feb. 1. - A com- January, 14, 1879.

mittee of ministers have resolved that the minister of the interior be empowered to burn Wetlianka and other villages necessary - the inhabitants to be removed elsewhere within the quarantine district.

Berlin, Jan. 31.-It is considered in best informed quarters that the present decrease of the plague is merely due to extreme cold, and consequently precautions against its spread are un-

The Columbia River Bar.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Gen. Humphreys, chief of the engineer department, has forwarded to congress, through the secretary of war, a report of Major Gillespie of the survey of the bar at the mouth of the Columbia river, made in compliance with the requirement of the river and harbor act of last year, with a view to its permanent improvement. Gen. Humphreys says: "The survey is completed as far as necessary to establish the condition of channels and bar, as existing at the time it was made, but prolonged and careful study of those conditions, as affecting the character of the harbor, is necessary in order to determine what artificial means may be requisite to maintain a permanent channel across the bar. I therefor concur with Major Gillespie's recommendation that \$5,000 be appropriated for the continuation of the survey and for further observations upon currents at the entrance of the river."

Chamber of Commerce of Astoria. Regular meeting every 1st and 3d Monday J. Q. A. BOWLBY, President,

Temple Loage, No. 7, A. F. A. M. Regular Communications first and hird Saturdays in each month, at 7 o'clock, P. M., at the Itall in Astoria. Members of the Order, in good standing, are

Beaver Lodge No. 35, I. O. O. F. Meet every Thursday evening. at 7 o'clock, in the Odd Fellow's Hall, cor. of Cass and Chenamus streets, Astoria. Members of the Order are nvited to attend. By order,

Astoria Lodge No. 40, I. O. G. T. Regular Meeting every Tuesday Evening at 7 o'clock, at Good Templar's Hall, Chenamus Street, Astoria, over C. L. Parker's Store Members of the Order, in good standng, are invited to attend. Degree meeting 1st Monday each month. By order W. C. T.

Common Council. Regular meetings first and third Tuesday

evenings of each month, at 7 o'clock Persons desiring to have matters acted upon by the Council, at any regular meeting must present the same to the Auditor and Clerk on or before the Friday evening prior to the Tuesday on which the Council holds its regular meetings. R. H. CARDWELL.

Auditor and Clerk. Astoria Engine Co. No. 1. Regular monthly meeting will be held at the hall of the Company, on the second Tuesday of each month, at 7 o'clock p.m.

BE Members are expected to attend prom ptly, if not the usual fines will be imposed against them, unless legal excuse is offered. By order of the Company,

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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Astoria, Jan. 20, 1879.

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Lienenweber, Fish Commissioner, under the
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and Squeocque streets, Astoria, Oregon.

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will please send No. of boat and the name of
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