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Astoria, Oregon, Friday Morning, April 25, 1879.

TELECRAPHIC NEWS.

Eastern Mates.

one dollar legal tender up to twenty is no enthusiasm as to Tom Moore's dollars, will probably pass that body this session.

Notre Dame Catholic university infirmary, old men's home, music hall, and Minnu's hall adjoining were also estimated at from \$150,000 or \$250,- interesting questions. 000; insurance on the university building \$60,000.

While Edwin Booth was giving his Wednesday night, a shot was fired at him by a man in the gallery. Booth sat still, until after about three seconds and started toward the left wing of the sufferers. stage, pointing out as he went the would-be assassin. The latter was at tion of officers would have been roughly handled. He states that his that he has been three years preparing to do this deed, is greatly sup-prised that he failed, and that his failure to kill Booth is the only part of known to have suffered from thrichi-the attempt which he regrets. He refuses to state the cause of his action, but says that his reasons will be regarded as sufficient

Pacific Coast Dispatches.

A Chinese assassin murdered a Chinese woman on the streets in San Francisco Tuesday and got away.

The total insurance of the Eureka fire foots up \$136,087, divided in small amounts among nearly all companies doing business on the coast.

A disastrons hurricane occurred at the Friendly islands on March 6th. The Roman Catholic chapel, Wesleyan parsonage, English consulate, government warehouse, many business buildings and two-thirds of the dwellings were razed to the ground. The cocoa nut crop was destroyed.

respondent says that Irish Roman Catholics do not relish apostates from The bill making silver coins below the one true church, and hence there centenary.

-Two persons in Astoria, Ill., were near South Bend, Ind., was entirely poisoned by arsenic in cheese from lauraed down Wednesday night. The the factory in that town. How much of that cheese contains arsenic, and burned. No lives lost. The loss is where it has been sent, have become

-The Pope has sent \$1,000 in aid of the sufferers from the inundation soliloquy in the last act of Richard at Szegedin. It is especially note-II., at McVickers theatre, in Chicago worthy that in almost every case of public disaster since the beginning of his reign Leo XIII, has been among a second shot was fired, when he rose the first to send material aid to the

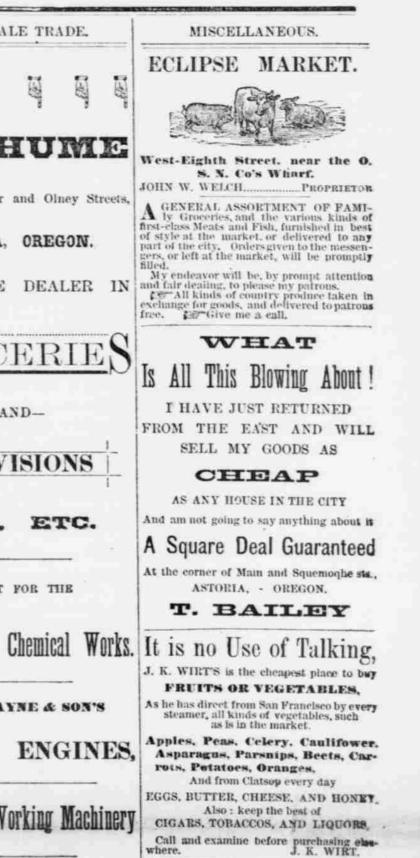
- The German trichinosis statistics one seized, and but for the interven- for 1877 show a decline in the number of cases. Whereas the proportion in name is Mart Gray, that he is 23 years 1876 was one in 2,000 pigs examined, old, and a dry goods clerk of St. Louis, in 1877 it was only one in 2,800; 343 cases appeared in bacon imported from America, and 138 persons were

> -This is from the advertisement of a concert in Machias, N. Y.: "Miss Julia A. Moore will delight with two heurs of song, including the latest and hest 'Grandfather's Clock,' which will be sung with a power and pathos seldom heard in this country, even from the much-advertised Italian opera singers."

-In California it is proposed to pass around a pledge as follows: "I do pledge my honor as a trathful and honest man that I will not patronize coolie labor, or any person who employs such labor, and that I will make diligent inquiry when purchasing any commodity; and this pledge I take without mental reservation."



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