

THE CITY.

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The Anna Ghee from Shoalwater bay, arrived at San Francisco on the 7th.

The State of California arrived on time yesterday, and proceeded to Portland at ten o'clock A. M.

The steamer Columbia sails this morning for San Francisco. She takes about 1,000 tons of freight from the Astoria Farmers wharf.

Chief Engineer A. W. Berry and wife are in Portland, purchasing furniture, etc., intending to set up house-keeping on Court street, soon.

If you were in Paris just now, you would lose caste if you appeared at fashionable entertainments wearing any other flowers than the mimosa.

A cascade of green leaves tapering to a point at the waist and fastened with a red rose at the throat suits all dark dresses, whether the wearers be beauties or not.

It is the whim of the moment to use face towels of raw silk, the towel so soft that it can be drawn through a finger ring. These are thought to improve the complexion.

Vessels new to us, are added to the list en route to this port today, from the New York Maritime Register, the Oracle, Palmyra, Boston Vale, and River Doon.

Valuable music. Forty choice late pieces of music, postpaid, for fifty cents. Twenty pieces for twenty-five cents. Three pieces, five cent. I. D. Lovett & Co., Painesville, Ohio.

The good looking ladies of Oregon are not such as compete for prizes through the agency of the Police Gazette—hence the proposition of Mr. Richard K. Fox is declined.

County Treasurer Heilborn yesterday informed us that in a few days he would be able to announce the fact that a large amount of warrants outstanding would be paid on presentation.

Our sanctum was cheered by a visit from Mr. Theodore F. Miner, one of the live young men of Oregon whose place of business is at La Grande. He goes below by the steamer Columbia.

A gentleman yesterday offered to pay our expenses to Omaha, if we would return there to "cuss a fellow" for him. We declined, for the reason that we're "sworn off," even upon travel, for a year.

Buy nothing of a peddler that you can buy of a home dealer, and most notably of a Chinese peddler. How do we know that the goods are not the product of such leprous concerns as are to be found on the coast.

Passengers from both the incoming and the outgoing steamers yesterday enjoyed the hospitalities of the Occident hotel, where mine hosts Megler and Wright set the finest table of any hotel on the coast.

Messrs. Wood & Co., of the South Bend mills, inform us that there is a serious complaint in consequence of the neglect of the Light-house district to place buoys at the entrance to Shoalwater bay. The matter was referred to Capt. Reiter a long time ago, but up to date nothing has been done, and through this neglect it is asserted that ship owners contemplate drawing their vessels off the Shoalwater bay trade, which will render hardship to the people living there. A petition is being prepared to properly represent the case to authorities in Washington.

Invading the Clouds.

It will be seen by the following note from a St. Louis paper that an eastern refinery sees Chas Sprinkle's San Francisco refinery, and goes him two stories better. The Post says: "The Belcher sugar refining company have closed contracts for the erection of a new sugar refinery on the south side of Ashley street, between Main and Lewis. The new structure will be twelve stories high, with thirty rooms, and will cost \$20,000. It will have a frontage of 284 feet on Ashley street, and will be 136 feet deep. It is expected to have it ready for operations by September 1." Claus spreads his sweetness over more territory than the Belcher company, however.

M. D. Kants ad. speaks for itself. Business always follows the liberal advertiser.

The Scottish Fairy arrived down yesterday in tow of the Oklahama, Capt. P. Johnson pilot.

The 10th will be Palm Sunday; the 17th will be Easter Sunday; the 14th will be the feast of the Passover; Good Friday on the 15th; Odd Fellows anniversary on the 26th.

The Commercial Union assurance company of London, one of the most reliable corporations doing business in the United States, have established an agency at Astoria, which will be attended to by Mr. Geo. W. Hume. See card elsewhere.

On the arrival of the steamship State of California yesterday morning officer Joe Day, of Portland, boarded her and arrested a man by the name of Fred Mayer, on a dispatch from chief of police Fletcher of Oakland, on a charge of grand larceny, in stealing \$600.

Bro. A. H. Sales entered our sanctum just as we had got nicely seated with our proof sheet for reading. We could not see him, as we faced the opposite way, but reaching his honest honest old hand over our left shoulder he said: "I am glad to see ye' back." It is needless for us to remark that we are glad to be where our friend could see our back.

Yesterday afternoon as Mr. M. Myers was driving his beer wagon along the roadway the king pin suddenly broke, letting the hind part of the wagon down with a smash, breaking numerous bottles and causing a flowing stream of lager, which was enough to make a thirsty mouth water. Thus did beer produce water and mingle with that of the bay for commercial purposes.

A paper by R. W. Emerson, on his personal impressions of Thomas Carlyle, made up from his unpublished letters written at the time of his first visit to England, will appear in Scribner for May. The publication is made by special agreement with Mr. Emerson and the Massachusetts historical society, before which the paper was read, and in the minutes of which it is to be printed after its appearance in Scribner.

The New York Maritime Register, in its issue of March 23d, heads its editorial column with the following: "It is to be hoped that no delay will occur in making the necessary improvements at the bar of the Columbia river, Oregon. The river is the outlet for a rich and fertile country, as the trades of Portland and Astoria well demonstrate. The suggestions of the board of trade of these cities concerning the navigation of the Columbia river should receive much consideration at Washington. Columbia river and Puget sound are rising in commercial importance, and with improvements in the navigation of the river and the completion of the Northern Pacific railway to the sound, trade on the Pacific coast in the neighborhood of these places will increase rapidly."

James R. Osgood & Co., the popular Boston publishers, have placed upon our table Mrs. Burnett's latest novel, A Fair Barbarian, in which the author seems likely to eclipse, at least as far as popularity is concerned, all her earlier triumphs. The title of the story is in itself a most happy conception. The Fair Barbarian is a young American lady who has lived in Nevada, and who comes upon an English country town, with the suggestive name of Slowbridge, to astonish its inhabitants by an individuality of character wholly unique. The merit of the novel is largely in its admirable purpose and the exquisite skill with which it is carried out. It is a refreshing vindication of the American girl, whom it has been too much the custom of writers to depreciate of late. Mrs. Burnett knows her well and does her ample justice. She knows England, too, and we have the benefit of that knowledge in the types of English character presented.

Carlyle's Reminiscences.

The Literary Revolution will issue immediately a beautiful Acme edition, elegant cloth binding, of the Reminiscences of Thomas Carlyle, price thirty cents, postage six cents, and it can be had of the nearly 2,000 booksellers who are agents of the Literary Revolution in all parts of the United States. Thomas Carlyle, more than any other man of the nineteenth century, taught the American public, and people of good sense throughout the world, to despise pretense and humbug, whether exhibited by monarch or menial. Sensible people who want a good book at an honest price will buy it where they find it. There is in this country no law which gives to a foreign author, as it gives to an American, the right of the monopoly of the publication of his book. If publishers choose to pay a foreign author anything, they can do it only as a donation, because he can give them in return no protection from competition. Readers have the privilege of making such donation, if they choose to do so without paying it to the publishers and trusting to the possibility of their paying it to the author for them. There is no donation included in the price above named. Readers who want to combine a possible donation, and a positive price, can get an edition of this same book from other publishers at from two to eight times the price. Address American Book Exchange, New York.

Trains will be running through from The Dalles to Walla-walla on the same gauge by the 12th. It will be all rail on Sunday.

The Alden Bosse will sail for Astoria from Hongkong to-morrow. Miss Ida Brown will be a passenger. Late letters inform Miss Ida's parents here that she has had a very pleasant time since leaving Astoria.

A civil engineer was running and locating the lines of a lot of land below the city of Augusta, Georgia, and used as assistance a deed to the property drawn 120 years ago. In one section of that deed it was recorded that the line touched a certain point where stands an old beach tree, and upon which a cross mark had been made with an ax. The engineer ran this line to an old beach tree, and, concluding this was the point in question looked for the mark but of course could not find it. Taking an ax he cut into the tree at a point he thought the mark might be, and to his surprise, after cutting into the tree, he chipped out a block and there was the identical mark referred to in the ancient document. The mark was perfect, but had been covered up. At that time this was a British colony, and some years before the Revolutionary war.

Dr. John Welch, dentist, will be at the Occident hotel in this city about the 20th inst., and remain a short time for the practice of his profession.

For a first-class oyster stew, fry, pan-roast or fancy roast, go to Roscoe's on Main street, opposite N. Loeb's. Families supplied by the hundred or the sack, opened or in the shell.

The boat stoves made by M. C. Crosby, with fire-brick bottoms, are superior to all others in this market.

A first class cook (white man), wants a situation. Leave orders at this office.

Old debilitated men, whose youthful indiscretions have brought upon them diseases of an incurable character, can find new life and vigor in Pfunder's Oregon Blood Purifier.

Lawyers briefs printed in fine style, at THE ASTORIAN OFFICE.

P. Wilhelm, Boss saloon, opposite the Clarendon hotel, Portland, Oregon.

P. J. Goodman, on Chenamus street, has just received the latest and most fashionable style of gents and ladies boots, shoes, etc.

Miss Nora Wilson has returned from Portland and is ready to begin giving music lessons.

For the best Beer in Astoria, call for the Columbia Brewery Beer, acknowledged to be superior to all others.

Max. Wagner's San Francisco National brewery beer can't be beat.

Mr. John Rogers, of the Central Market, has made arrangements to keep all the finest fresh fish, etc., in their season.

For the Genuine J. H. Cutler old Bourbon, and the best of wines, liquors, and San Francisco beer call at the Gem opposite the bell tower, and see Campbell.

By a recent postal decision men can actually make money by getting their bills and statements of accounts printed. Statements of accounts and bills of sale when made out on paper having printed headings, can be sent by mail for one cent, if the envelope is left unsealed; whereas, if it is made out on unprinted paper, it will cost three cents. Thus by patronizing THE ASTORIAN two cents can be saved on every bill or statement that is sent out through the mail.

To Our City Patrons.

On and after Tuesday, the 12th inst., Mr. L. E. Selig will have full control of the city delivery in Astoria and upper Astoria of THE DAILY ASTORIAN. Subscriptions must be paid to him. Any neglect on the part of his carriers, if reported to Mr. Selig or the office of THE ASTORIAN, will be promptly attended to. Mr. Selig will also act as local reporter for the paper, and any favors extended to him will be duly appreciated and reciprocated. D. C. IRELAND, Publisher, Astoria, April 7, 1881.

To Let. Several furnished or unfurnished rooms at Mrs. Munson's lodging house. Also, a few persons can have board if required, either ladies or gentlemen.

Tin Plate, Pig Tin, Etc.

Geo. W. Hume keeps constantly on hand, and to arrive a full line of fishermen and cannery supplies, at prices which defy competition. Parties wishing groceries and those intending to run mess houses should inspect goods and obtain large discount from regular price.

Central Hotel.

The Central hotel, near the steamship dock is now open for the reception of guests, where the well known caterer, Mr. Anton Beloh will always be found ready to wait on his patrons. He has had the above named house thoroughly refitted by Messrs. Pike and Stockton, our well known artists. Call and see him, as he has the finest brands of liquors and cigars to be had in the city.

Peruvian Bitters.

Chelona Bitter. The Count Clerbon was the Spanish Viceroy in Peru in 1620. The Countess, his wife, was prostrated by an intermittent fever, from which she was freed by the use of the native remedy, the Peruvian bark, or, as it was called in the language of the country, "Quinaquina." Grateful for her recovery, on her return to Europe in 1632, she introduced the remedy in Spain, where it was known under various names, until Linnaeus called it Chelona, in honor of the lady who had brought them that which was more precious than the gold of the Indies. To this day, after a lapse of two hundred and fifty years, science has given us nothing to take its place. It effectively cures a morbid appetite for stimulants, by restoring the natural tone of the stomach. It attacks excessive love of liquor as it does a fever, and destroys both alike. The powerful tonic virtue of the Chelona is preserved in the Peruvian Bitters, which are as effective against malarial fever to-day as they were in the days of the old Spanish Viceroys. We guarantee the ingredients of these bitters to be absolutely pure, and of the best known quality. A trial will satisfy you that this is the best bitter in the world. The proof of the pudding is in the eating, and we willingly abide this test. For sale by all druggists, grocers and liquor dealers. Order it.

MUSICALS.

HILL'S VARIETIES. Geo. Hill, proprietor and manager, Fred Gere, stage manager, A. Ostrander, leader of orchestra, Geo. Lambert, leader of brass band. New first part with Nickerson as tambore, Staley as bones, and Gere interlocutor. Our new act, arranged and composed by Mr. Staley, called "Musical Pastimes," by Staley and Gere. First appearance of Mr. John Cook, the celebrated clog, jig, song and dance artist; engagement of Miss Lou Cook, female song and dance artist and jig dancer. Miss Mattie Morrison in selected songs. Nickerson will make you laugh with his funny fun. Staley in his specialties and Gere in Dutchisms. Mr. Hill is making active preparations for more amusements with which to please those of the public who are fond of popular amusements. New orchestral selections by our efficient orchestra, and new music by our excellent brass band on the grand stand at 7 P. M. Curtain rises at exactly 8 P. M. Entrance on Benton street; entrance to private boxes, on Chenamus street.

Burnett's Cocoonine.

Kills Dandruff, Alays Irritation, and Promotes the Growth of the Hair. Gentlemen.—For over two years I have suffered terribly with "scald head" in its worst form. A few weeks ago I tried a bottle of your Cocoonine. The first application gave me relief, and now the disease is effectually cured. Yours respectfully, N. C. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff, Ottawa, Ill.

Burnett's Flowering Extracts are perfectly pure.

A nice lot of eastern oysters at Roscoe's, arrived yesterday by steamer Columbia. Call around. You will find them first class.

Fire-brick and fire-clay in lots to suit at M. C. Crosby's.

Salmon bellies, at retail, at Warren & Eaton's.

Gray's wood yard is now fitted up on the wharf foot of Benton street, and prepared to deliver wood to any part of the city sawed to any length, and full measure.

John Rogers has just received at the Central market a large invoice of coal oil, assorted brands, and for sale at reduced rates. He also keeps a general assortment of groceries, liquors, tobacco, cigars, fruits and vegetables of best quality, which he offers at small profit for cash.

Frank Faber has removed into Dr. Kinsey's building on Water street. On the road to the steamer dock from down town, before breakfast, it will now be handy to drop in and get a cup of coffee.

Since the Chinese started to brew "cheap San Francisco beer" there is little or no demand for that article any more. Call for the Columbia brewery beer, if you want something good.

When you want a dish of nice Eastern Oysters done up a la mode, or a good steak, or a fragrant cup of coffee, call at Frank Faber on the roadway, and he will accommodate you. Open at all hours.

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