

The Daily Astorian. ASTORIA OREGON: THURSDAY, JAN. 19, 1882. J. F. HALLORAN, Editor.

Free Trade.

PIXLEY, who is doing Washington at present, writing of the great question soon to become the leading issue in American politics, says that the question of free trade is gathering headway and the protectionists are being put upon the defensive. He says "It is urged that the protective tariff is working for the benefit of the rich; that it is the great and wealthy manufacturers who are reaping all the benefits of the existing laws; that the working class, laborers, skilled artisans, and the farmers—in fact, none except the manufacturers are benefitted by the present tariff laws. The iron interests and the ship-builders, it is claimed, are making exorbitant profits, while our commerce is suffering. Give us the opportunity to go into the world's market to purchase ships, and we will soon build up a commercial marine that will equal that of England, is the argument of the merchants. Allow us to go into the world's market for iron, say the railroad men, and the result will be less costly railways, and, as a consequence, a reduction in freights and fares. We have no protection for our agricultural products, say the farmers, and we need none. Give us free goods in return for those products. Everything is protected except labor, say the working-men. There is an unrestricted immigration allowed from Europe and from Asia. There is no tariff on bone, and sinew, and muscle. Protection, they say, is for capital only. Our wages for skilled labor are not greater than in England, or Belgium, or France. The manufactured goods of those countries can not enter our ports without paying enormous duties, while the men who manufacture them are permitted and encouraged to come to this country and enter into free competition with us in the very factories in which we labor."

One very plain evidence of the destructive character of "protection" is exemplified in the fact that in the one instance of the Central and Southern Pacific Railroad company, that corporation has paid for steel and iron eleven millions of dollars more than they would have paid had there been no protective tariff. Thus in that one item, it is shown how the Pacific coast has to help enrich the Pennsylvania iron mill owner without any corresponding benefit. But our protectionist friend when he reads this will say, "Oh, well, they might as well have it as the California monopolists." Not so. Two wrongs never balance each other and in the present form of our protection laws it is only the old story of monopoly over again. If danger ever does come that the diversified interests of our country demand disunion, one of the strongest arguments will be such facts as we quote. The removal of the present injustice would lull any murmur of such a nature.

Octopian Tactics.

"YESTERDAY'S Oregonian in an article entitled 'The game of greed,' tries, as usual, to cover up the point this paper made in a previous article which it attempts to answer. With the present bar service we have nothing to do; what we maintain is this—that no amount of tugs on the bar would put any more water there than is there now; that what is imperatively necessary is improvement of the bar so that vessels of any draught may safely and promptly enter and depart.

Mr. Thompson's advocacy of, or agency for any tug company, whether from Astoria or Portland must, necessarily, militate against his ostensible mission to Washington. This cannot be denied, and any attempt to answer it by ring-

ing in an issue that was not broached, is only emulating the cuttle fish, that, with its sepia, darkens the water around it.

No Argument.

THE Seattle Post Intelligencer is, of course, making all the capital it can out of the circumstance that the captain of the bark Vesuvius, drawing nineteen and one-half feet, sailed into the Sound recently. Commenting on a recent item of ours it says: "Our neighbors had better cease encouraging large vessels to get to their places of destination." Last Monday the Beecroft, drawing twenty-two feet nine inches, went out in safety; the captain of that vessel, after clearing, in talking with us about his price, said that nowhere else could he get such freights, and that there was "big money" in coming to the Columbia; that taking into account the detention, pilotages, etc., sixty shillings a ton would pay handsomely. He got nearly fifty per cent. more. Of course there are delays in getting in and out over the bar. Does the P. I. know of a single port on the coast where there are not? We only know of one—San Diego—but the product of a year of the whole 15,000 square miles of that county wouldn't give the Beecroft, or the Trafalgar the cargo they took out. As long as ship owners can get good charters for vessels they'll send them here; these things regulate themselves, and when the proper amount of work is done on the bar the last show of argument will have disappeared from our neighbors of the Sound.

CONSIDERABLE favorable comment is now being made on the proposition to add two or three more departments or secretarieships to the cabinet. 'Tis a good idea; the present secretaries are overworked. The secretary of the interior, for instance, has a vast and constantly accumulating amount of unattended business. Among other innovations it might be well to institute a "department of economy," a division of governmental function that would be a system of checks and balances, and tend to repress the ever-increasing desire to add to the expense of running the governmental machine.

THE number of newspapers in the world is 34,185, and their circulation is put at 10,000,000. Of these Europe has 19,537; North America, 12,400; Asia, 775; South America, 699; Australia, 661; and Africa 182. 16,500 are printed in the English language, 7,350 in German, 3,850 in French, and 1,600 in Spanish. The aggregate circulation in the United States is 3,000,000, as compared with 2,260,000,000 in Great Britain and Ireland.

A New York man recently undertook, for the consideration of \$150 to serve a three months sentence in the penitentiary for a criminal who preferred to spend his Christmas outside, but the fraud was discovered and the real criminal having served his sentence the substitute brings suit for the money.

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By order of the Common Council. ROBT. CARPENTERS, J. W. CANE, C. S. WRIGHT, Com. on Streets and Public Ways. Attest: F. C. NORRIS, Auditor and Clerk.

School Tax Notice. TO THE TAX PAYERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 1, Clatsop county, Oregon: You are hereby notified that the assessment roll for the school tax in district No. 1 for the year 1881, is completed and will be in my hands at my office at Brown & Co's dock for the next sixty days from date hereof. Pay your taxes in time and save costs. J. G. HUSTLER, Clerk of School District No. 1. Astoria, Oregon, Dec. 16, 1881.

Notice. THE FIRM OF PAGE & ALLEN is this day dissolved by mutual consent; the business hereafter will be continued by A. V. Allen. All persons indebted to said firm are hereby notified to settle their accounts without delay. C. H. PAGE, A. V. ALLEN. Astoria, Oregon, Jan. 1, 1882.

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HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE COLUMBIA, Vancouver Barracks, W. T., Nov. 26, 1881. Written proposals will be received by the undersigned, at Vancouver Barracks, W. T., until March 31st, 1882, for the right of exclusive sealing on the Fort Stevens, (Point Adams) Military Reservation, during the next fishing season. The right to reject any or all bids, as may be deemed best, is reserved by the undersigned. O. D. GREEN, Maj. and Asst. Agt. General, Brevet Brigadier General U. S. Army.

To Builders and Contractors. SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the undersigned until noon, January 23, 1882, for the furnishing of materials, erecting and completing a Church edifice on Main, between Jefferson and Astor Streets, in this city. Plans and specifications can be examined at my office, on and after Saturday, 7th inst. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. E. C. HOLDEN, Secretary of Board of Trustees, First Presbyterian Church of Astoria.

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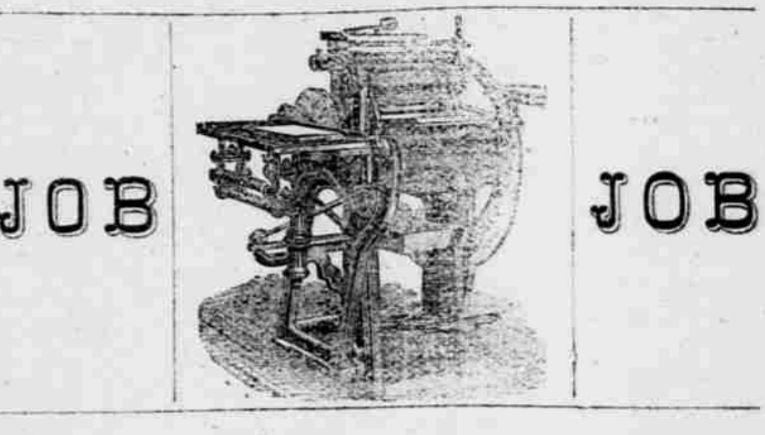
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