

The Daily Astorian.

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A Free River.

In concluding a long article entitled "Railroads and the People," the Dalles Mountaineer says: "We have not infringed upon the granted rights of the Northern Pacific Railroad, nor do we propose to do so, or any other right which has been granted, but we propose to protest, and as best we may, oppose giving up this grand national right of the river, and what is more, if Portland sees fit to oppose us in trying to get to her wharves at fair rates, and her leading journal is allowed to constantly throw its influence against our practical interest to which we have a common right, our effort will be made to invite Eastern men who have looked over the ground to put on boats, and establish a way across the portage until such time as the locks are opened, and make such arrangements at Astoria that our gross produce go there for a market."

Soall Foreigners Vote!

RESUMING the discussion of this question which comes up regularly and which was referred to at length in a previous issue, comes the argument from the same source.

Who are we that seek to proscrib foreigners? How long since we ourselves or our families landed? Upon what principle shall we debar the man whose family stayed in Europe when ours came to America?

The Irish have had to bear the brunt of the onslaught. There is an assertiveness about the Hibernian that makes him peculiarly susceptible to attack. Even his aggressive interest in American affairs is irritating to native apathy.

But when we consider the history of the Irish people—that for generations they have been landless in their own land; that father, dying, left to son a legacy of squalor and starvation; that hope offered no inducements to toil, and that forfeiture was the reward of all improvements—we shall wonder only at the remarkable physical and intellectual vigor which they have been able to preserve.

No other nation similarly situated but has lost its thrift, its patriotism and its mental elasticity. Not so the Irish. The law of slow development seems not to apply to them. Under all the circumstances, the proportion of ignorance and crime among them is small.

As a people, they are intensely patriotic. Their devotion to their mother country is sufficient evidence of this. These are all facts which show remarkable adaptability to American citizenship; and they should be borne in mind, when demagogic speakers or journalists attempt to throw discredit on the whole race because a few hundred gathered upon the sand-lot, and encourage the vapors of an idle declaimer. It would be not less unfair to judge Americans by the Kuklux of the South or the cow-boys of New Mexico.

But it is charged against foreigners, that they are influenced by priests. As a matter of fact, instances are not wanting in which the so-called influence of priests has been one way, and the foreign vote directly the other way. Granting that such influence is occasionally attempted to be exerted there can be no doubt that its power and frequency are much overstated. One may probably hear double the number of political sermons in a year from Protestant ministers as from Catholic priests. It is not frequent that Protestant clergymen sit in conventions, and even run for office. The writer does not recall a single

instance of this among the Catholics. It is a matter of common observation, that among the second generation of Catholics in America, the influence of the church is at its minimum.

As the ballot of the country is secret, there can be nothing accurately known as to their political complexion. This fact leads to much loose statement. But in a general way, we know that the Germans incline to the Republican party, and the Irish to the Democratic. This, however, is far from being the universal rule. We know, also, that in the Solid South, which is the conservator of Democracy, the proportion of foreigners is less than in any other part of the Union; while Iowa, which is the banner state of the Republicans, has a larger percentage than most of her sisters.

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U. S. LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, Oregon, Feb. 23, 1882. Notice is hereby given that Alexander P. Ankeny of Multnomah county, Oregon, has under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved June 3, 1878, entitled "an Act for the sale of timber lands in California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," made application to purchase the NE 1/4 of Sec. 32, in township 8 north, range 4 west of Willamette meridian. All adverse claims must be filed in the U. S. Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, before the expiration of sixty days or at any time during the period of publication of this notice.

Given under my hand this 23d day of February, 1882. L. T. BARN, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, Oregon, Feb. 23, 1882. Notice is hereby given that James W. Cook of Multnomah county, Oregon, has under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved June 3, 1878, entitled "an Act for the sale of timber lands in California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," made application to purchase the NW 1/4 of Sec. 32, in township 8 north, range 6 west of Willamette meridian. All adverse claims must be filed in the U. S. Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, before the expiration of sixty days or at any time during the period of publication of this notice.

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U. S. LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, Oregon, Feb. 23, 1882. Notice is hereby given that Lewis E. Thomson of Multnomah county, Oregon, has under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved June 3, 1878, entitled "an Act for the sale of timber lands in California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," made application to purchase the E 1/4 of Sec. 24, in township 8 north, range 6 west of Willamette meridian. All adverse claims must be filed in the U. S. Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, before the expiration of sixty days or at any time during the period of publication of this notice.

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U. S. LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, Oregon, Feb. 23, 1882. Notice is hereby given that Edwin M. Wolfe of Multnomah county, Oregon, has under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved June 3, 1878, entitled "an Act for the sale of timber lands in California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," made application to purchase the E 1/4 of Sec. 24, in township 8 north, range 6 west of Willamette meridian. All adverse claims must be filed in the U. S. Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, before the expiration of sixty days or at any time during the period of publication of this notice.

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U. S. LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, Oregon, Feb. 23, 1882. Notice is hereby given that Anthony Boyce of Multnomah county, Oregon, has under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved June 3, 1878, entitled "an Act for the sale of timber lands in California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," made application to purchase the SE 1/4 of Sec. 22 in township 8 north, range 6 west of Willamette meridian. All adverse claims must be filed in the U. S. Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, before the expiration of sixty days or at any time during the period of publication of this notice.

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Annual School Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE legal voters of School District No. 15 will be held at the school house in Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, on Monday evening, March 6, 1882, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of electing one Director for three years and one Clerk for one year. Also, all other business that may properly come before the meeting. C. W. SHIPLEY, Clerk.

Proposals for Piling.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO noon on Friday, March 10, 1882, for furnishing, driving and capping the piles for the building of the O. F. L. & B. Association of Astoria, at the office of L. W. Case, where the plans and specifications can be seen. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. G. REED, President. A. J. MCGLEEN, Secretary.

Notice--For Sale.

A COTTAGE PIANO, SEVEN OCTAVES by Bord, Paris, nearly new, can be seen on board Br. Barque Crown Prince. For particulars apply to Capt. Thompson, or to P. Cherry, Astoria. Astoria, Feb. 24, 1882. d2w

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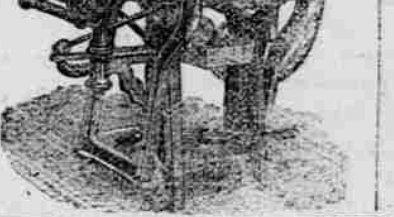
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