

The Daily Astorian

ASTORIA, OREGON: TUESDAY, JULY 10, 1888

County Court meets to-day.

The A. B. Field sails for Tillamook at six o'clock this morning.

W. B. Dillard, a leading Columbia county attorney, is in the city.

The furniture and carpets for the new Odd Fellows building are daily arriving.

The Oregon is due this morning; the Walla Walla sailed yesterday afternoon.

Hawkins & Courtright first-class minstrels play at Occident Hall next Friday evening.

Our hotels are doing a good business, and deserve the generous patronage accorded to them.

The tug Escort No. 2, belonging to Dean & Merchant, of Marshfield, arrived in yesterday afternoon.

Calvin C. Moore, aged forty, shot himself through the heart in Oregon City last Saturday, and died instantly.

The Emma T. Crowell finished loading yesterday afternoon. She takes a good cargo, 47,235 cases salmon.

J. O. Bozorth goes to Portland to-day as a delegate from Seaside lodge No. 12, A. O. U. W., to the grand lodge of the state.

Passengers from Portland report the heat and dust as being almost insufferable. The thermometer reached 94 degrees there last week.

Tom Merry, of the Sunday Oregonian leaves on the A. B. Field this morning, on a three weeks visit to the pleasant shores of Tillamook.

The crowded docks occasion slight difficulty in the discharge of cargo. The Weybof was unloading onto a lighter in the stream yesterday.

The American ship Olive S. Southern, 1193, of Richmond, Maine, Walker master, arrived in yesterday afternoon, 147 days from Philadelphia.

Regular convocation of St. John Chapter No. 14, R. A. M. this evening at 8 o'clock P. M. Sojourning companions are cordially invited to be present.

Peter Mortimer, in Crook county, last week attempted to draw a rifle out of a wagon with the muzzle toward him. The funeral was largely attended.

The timber experts who started hitherward from Forest Grove some time ago were reported at Vesper last Saturday, and will probably reach here this week.

Any deserving young man who contemplates going to a business college will be given an order for thirty dollars on a Portland scholarship by applying at this office.

It is reported that the "Whims" combination has gone to pieces in Portland. It was the tact and general capacity of Raymond Holmes that held it together so long.

Indications of rain are not wanting. A genuine, old-fashioned down-pour would be most welcome, and would enable one to sleep nights without keeping one ear open for the fire bell.

The chronic bellyacher who wrote that article in last Sunday's Mercury, about the Astoria fire, might just as well have signed his name. Anyone that ever heard him whine will recognize his snarl. Give him an office or a cold potato. He'll take anything.

The new crockery store of Jordan & Bozorth was filling up yesterday with new goods and on Thursday the 12th inst., those who want to see something fine in the way of a display of crockery, glass and queensware will have an opportunity at the new store, cor. Genevieve and Chenamus streets.

At the meeting of the Astoria and Winemuccas railroad yesterday afternoon, the following gentlemen were elected directors: Geo. Flavel, G. W. Hume, C. Leinenweber, J. Q. A. Bowley, J. H. D. Gray, W. W. Parker, and A. W. Berry. C. Leinenweber, is president, E. C. Holden, secretary, and I. W. Case, treasurer.

One could hear a most anything he wanted yesterday; two companies of infantry from Vancouver were coming to proclaim martial law; the O. R. & N. Co., had bought Kinney's cannery; another dispatch had been received by Villard's depository of secrets on Front street in Portland, relative to the building of the Astoria railroad, and so on.

There is just as much difference in the material used in job printing as in the material used in building or furnishing a house. We will furnish first class material and do your job work at the same price you will pay elsewhere for the same class of work, but the imprint of this office will not be found on third-class work. A comparison of prices and quality will show that we are right.

Destructive Fires.

From Joseph Kellogg, of the steamer Toledo, it is learned that the most destructive fires are now raging in the woods from Kalama, both up and down the Columbia, and up the Cowemen and Cowlitz rivers. Mr. Bodine, on the Cowemen, has lost a large amount of logs, and his camp is totally destroyed. Capt. Smith, who has a mill about fifteen miles up the Cowlitz, has lost about 200,000 feet of cedar lumber, and the fire is so fierce in the woods that no one dares to go to see what the damage is. R. A. Habersham, four miles above Rainier, on the Oregon side, has already lost about 3000 cords of wood, with more in danger. He is fortunate enough to have an insurance of \$1.50 per cord on his wood. C. C. Doubleblower, just below, has lost 600 cords, and has no insurance. George Weidner, who has an extensive logging camp near Oak Point, will be a very heavy loser, it being reported that already his loss is \$100,000. He has lately built about six miles of railroad and made other extensive improvements, all of which it is thought will be a total loss. The fire rages so that no one can make an investigation, but everything in the woods now will burn till a hard rain puts it out. Never has such a destructive fire been known either in Oregon or Washington, but as yet no loss of life is reported. Loggers will not go in the woods for timber, and a prominent mill man thinks that all mills that have not a large supply of logs will soon have to close down. -Oregonian.

Excursion to Skipanon.

The Good Templars excursion to Skipanon last Sunday, was enjoyed by about fifty. Everybody had a good time, and declared it a success. After picnicking the greater part of the day, the Good Templars led by T. J. Alley, met in Skipanon schoolhouse, and instituted a new lodge, to be known as Skipanon lodge, which bids fair to make its mark. After instituting the new lodge the Astorians started home on the Tom Morris. After paying all expenses there was eleven dollars left, which was given to the Orphan's Home. The excursionists arrived home at seven, having spent a pleasant and profitable day.

Section No. 464 Endowment Rank K. of P. will hold a special meeting at Pythian Castle Hall on Wednesday evening July 11th immediately after the close of Astor Lodge. By order of the President.

Before Judge Fox yesterday afternoon appeared Chas. Anderson, charged with stealing a pistol from the establishment of A. G. Spexarth, and Wm. Sheen, who was charged with stealing six dollars from a comrade in a saloon. Both were held to await the action of the grand jury.

Fish were plenty enough for anyone and everyone yesterday. One cannery that couldn't accommodate all it had was selling them for fifty cents apiece. The catch is something extraordinary, and the indications now are that there will be at least as much as the cannery can dispose of; the regular July run has begun, and the pack of '83 will be fully up to last season's figures.

It appears, says the Standard, that the work of driving piles for the railroad bridge will have to be suspended after all, if it proves true that quicksand has been struck on the Swan Island spit. It is reported that yesterday a place had been found where there did not seem to be any bottom. Three piles one on the top of the other and no solid hold could be obtained. The discovery may cause a change in the location of the bridge or a slight alteration in the original plan.

The Polaris has changed hands again. It was started in October '81 as a sort of imitation of the S. F. Argonaut, minus that journal's vim; it declared ignorance to be "a crime," and ignored the fact that Lee had surrendered at Appomattox in April, 1865. Some time ago Messrs. Strable and Carlisle bought it, changed its form, and made a spicy readable journal of it. Its present proprietorship affords a brilliant exemplification of the law of contrast, which, according to Voltaire, is simply "resemblance with the addition of a negative."

Were there not enough hard characters already in Portland without having the Astoria vigilantes foist their thieves, gamblers and toughs upon us - Oregonian. "The world was all before them where to choose." It was their privilege to go wherever their sweet will dictated. Anywhere, out of Astoria. The fact that on the person of one who was thrashed was found a telegram from Portland saying "Beware! Don't let them get the drop on you," indicates where sympathy was expected, and where they naturally gravitated.

There will be a special meeting of Council No. 995, A. L. of H. at eight o'clock, on Saturday evening, the 14th inst. By order of C. V. MONTRETH.

Over \$4,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry on the revolving stand in the window of Hansen's jewelry store. Come around and see them flash in the sunlight. -Averill's mixed paints, the best in use, for sale at J. W. Conn's drug store, opposite Occident Hotel.

The Bad Boy.

"What are you sitting there half an hour for, staring at vacancy?" said the groceryman to the bad boy, as he sat on a stool by the stove one of those foggy mornings, when everybody feels like quarreling, with his fingers clasped around his knee, looking as if he did not know enough to last him to bed. "What are you thinking about any way?" "Say, do you know what I think is the most beautiful thing in the Bible?" "No, I don't," said the groceryman "and if you want to tell me I will listen just five minutes, and then I am going to shut up the store and go to breakfast. You make me tired." "Well, I think the finest thing is that story about the prodigal son, where the boy took all the money he could scrape up and went out west to play the towns red. He spent his money in riotous living, and saw everything that was going on, and got full of benzine, and struck all the gangs of toughs, both male and female, and his stomach went back on him and he had malaria, and finally he got to be a cow-boy, herding hogs and had to eat hanks that the hogs didn't want, and got pretty low down. Then he thought it was a pretty good scheme to be getting around home, where they had three meals a day, and spring mattresses, and he started home, beating his way on trains, and he didn't know whether the old man would receive him with open arms or pointed boots, but the old man came down to the depot to meet him, and right there before the passengers, and the conductor and brakeman, he wasn't ashamed of his boy, though he was ragged, and looked as though he had been on the war path, and the old man fell on his neck and wept, and took him home in a hack and had a veal pot pie for dinner. That's what I call sense. A good many men now a days would have put the police on the tramp and had him ordered out of town. What, you going to close up the store? Well, I will see you later. I want to talk with you about something that is weighing on my mind," and the boy got out just in time to save his coat tail from being caught in the door, and when the groceryman came back from breakfast he found a sign in front, "This store is closed till further notice. -SHERIFF." -Peel's Sun.

Bad Printer Man.

George Swain, who was well-known in Portland, as a printer in 1880-81, and in Astoria as an auctioneer during the fishing season, failing to grow rich or famous at selling Cheap John goods, sticking type or as the editor of the Courant at Corvallis, in Washington county in 1879, or as pabulum provider for the old McMinnville Blade several years earlier, he went to Nebraska with a man named Moss sometime in 1882, and there has made a great name for himself if not a great fortune. He blossomed into a full blown desperado, and has just been arrested, charged with theft, burglary, robbery and murder. With Moss and a gang he wrecked a train, robbed it and then killed the conductor. He was escaping with Moss when that person's career as a desperado was cut short by a bullet from a pursuing sheriff's posse, and Swain was only taken after a desperate resistance and after one of the thief-takers had been killed. Swain is a native of Massachusetts, small in stature, bald, and wears a long moustache. He was somewhat erratic when in Oregon, and so poor a printer that he was known to the craft as "The Village Blacksmith" while in McMinnville. In 1879 he shot at a young man in Cornelius, on slight provocation, but fortunately missed him. He was a hard drinker and when under the influence of liquor was pugnacious and insulting. He has probably been hanged by this time.

The Price of Fish.

This season is regulated by each cannery separately. In a few years fish will be sold by the pound and piece; it will be far better for all concerned. The price of clothing is also regulated according to the general demands of the consumers. M. D. Kant, the Boss Merchant Tailor and Clothier seems to leave all the rest of the merchants in the shade by his clothing sales, and that for three reasons: 1st. Finest and best stock. 2d. Grand assortment. 3d. Lowest bed-rock prices. All can be suited there.

West Shore; West Shore.

The West Shore for June; splendid illustrations of Astoria; just the number to send away. One thousand copies at Carl Adler's.

A Sufferer from Rheumatism.

I limped about for years with a cane, and could not bend down without excruciating pain. Parker's Ginger Tonic effected an astonishing cure and keeps me well. It is infallible. M. Guilfoyle, Dinghamton, N. Y.

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

Fire! Fire! Fire! Water! Water! Water! Smoke! Smoke!! Smoke!!! \$2,875.60 Salvage received from J. Bachman Bros., Underwriters. 18 Cases of Dry Goods, Clothing and Furnishing Goods, consigned by Sheriff O'Neil to M. Isaacs & Co. These goods saved from the wreck of the Steamship Calypso, only slightly damaged by water, will be sacrificed at marvelously low prices. Wet Cabot A, 15 yards for \$1.00. Wet American Percales, 25 yds. for \$1.00. Wet Irish Linen Crash, 14 yds. for \$1.00. Wet Heavy Fruit of the Loom Sheeting, 4 yds. for \$1.00. Wet Heavy Canton Flannel, 8 yds. for \$1.00. Wet Shaker Socks, 8 pair for \$1.00. Wet Dress Goods; Wet Domestic; Wet Cloaks; Wet Hosiery; Wet Furnishing Goods, and Wet Clothing. AT Sheriff O'Neil's Bankrupt Store, M. ISAACS & Co., Consignees. Corner Concomly and Main Streets, ASTORIA, OREGON.

A Spiritual Fraud. During the past week a spirit seance has been advertised to be given by the great Professor Slade at Turn Hall. Between 50 and 60 people, says the Standard, attracted by the great and almost impossible feats that were to be accomplished by this great and only medium, assembled to witness the performance. But, alas, for the gullibility of human nature; the whole thing turned out to be a fraud of the meanest kind, perpetrated by an oily-tongued bilk, who bears the name of Harry Morton or Morie. He appeared on the stage to make an excuse for the non-appearance of the great Slade on the steamer. In the mean time his confederate slipped with the coin. A howl of indignation was raised by the crowd present, the ladies in particular, being most anxious to get their tender fingers on the fraud. Policeman Branch put in an appearance and arrested Morton, and together with the duped men and women proceeded en masse to police headquarters. Things were very lively there for about an hour, the fair sex generally kicking as lively as could be wished for. Morton was given an opportunity to go with an officer to hunt up his missing treasurer and refund. His confident finally came to the rescue and disgorged the ill-gotten money. The fraud ought to go to Astoria and give one performance before the committee of safety. He would probably get what he deserves down there.

HAVE YOU SEEN OUR SPLENDID STOCK OF CARPETS, UPHOLSTERY, WALL PAPER, AND NEWEST STYLES IN FURNITURE? ED. D. CURTIS & CO. (M. W. Gallic's Old Stand.) Have some elegant designs in the above mentioned goods which they will be pleased to show the public. Everything new and tasteful.

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Important Notice to Fishermen and Others. "JEFF" of the CHOP HOUSE, will give you the BEST 25-cent meal in town for cash. Board by the week \$5, in advance. Meals at any hour, day or night. The Peruvian syrup has cured thousands who were suffering from dyspepsia, debility, liver complaint, boils, humors, female complaints, etc. Pamphlets free to any address. Seth W. Fowle & Son, Boston.

Indigestion, dyspepsia, heart-burn, nausea, etc., cured by using Brown's Iron Bitters. "Hackmetack," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by W. E. Dement. -Are you made miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of appetite, Yellow skin? Siphon's Vitalizer is a positive cure. For sale by W. E. Dement. -For Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Siphon's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Sold by W. E. Dement. -The Rev. Geo. H. Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to Siphon's CONSUMPTION CURE." Sold by W. E. Dement.

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