The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

WEDNESDAY.....JULY 25, 1883

—Midsummer.

—Hot and smoky.

—Seattle has eight drug stores.

—How long is this sort o' thing going to last?

—The *State* is due from San Francisco this morning.

—Fifty-two cents a bushel is offered for new wheat at WallaWalla.

—Judge Bennett of this district, arrives on the *State* this morning.

—A full attendance is requested at Astor Lodge No. 6, K. of P., this evening.

—Mrs. Anna M. Brown has been commissioned as post-mistress at Oysterville.

—Capt. Powell reports 6 feet at the mouth of the Coquille at low water, and 10 to 12 feet at high tide.

—The *Hulburt* finished loading yesterday. The *Glenberrie* is expected down on Friday to finish with salmon.

—The iron pillars for the front of the second brick building erected in Astoria, were put in place yesterday afternoon.

—The hydrographic party which has been surveying on the bar for several weeks, will complete all labors to-day and draft maps of progress.

—Robt. A. Habersham, C. E., has sent the crew of the snag boat over to clear out the Chehalis, with instructions to make a complete job of it.

—Messages were received at the Astoria office yesterday for California and the east. They undoubtedly went as far as Kalama. There is no telegraphic transfer of money as yet.

—Henry Ward Beecher will lecture in Portland on the 21st and 23d prox. His agent was here last Monday, but didn't know whether Hank would give Astoria a talk or not.

—The new steamer *Tom Morris*, is the latest competitor for public favor, and any one, or two, or twenty that are going on an excursion or a day's pleasure can engage the boat at reasonable figures.

—Among the usual joyous crowd of Portland excursionists yesterday came a party who go to Ocean park to attend the camp meeting which begins to-morrow. No nicer place can be found to get religion.

—Bozorth & Johns have moved their real estate office in the rear of Jordan & Bozorth's crockery store, which reminds us that they also have, that is Bozorth & Johns have the Astoria agency for Hall's safes.

—A two-year old son of J. H. Holbrook, of Skookum Chuck, W. T., while playing with a swing last Monday, got the rope twisted about his neck and hanged himself. He had been dead several hours when found.

—Governor Newell has appointed James M. Tiernan Professor of Civil and Mining Engineering, to be commissioner for Washington Territory at the Denver exposition. The professor will exhibit his valuable mineral cabinet and other minerals.

—Messrs. Livingstone Stone and Geo. B. Williams, Jr., United States fish commissioners, arrived at Walla Walla last Thursday evening. They have been sent out by the government to inspect the rivers with the object of building a salmon hatchery.

—"My Son.in-Law," is the most pronounced success of the past season, and its comedy element is deliciously funny. Mr. Grover, the author, will produce it with his own company at Occidental Hall, Saturday evening, July 28. Reserved seats on sale at Straus & Co., New York Novelty Store.

—The names adoped by Chinamen in this country are said to be mere trading names—*noms de guerre*—taken for the occasion. Thus, Sam Lee means "three profits" and Wah Lee "united profits." Sing Sam means "keep your eye on me," and Wa Nung means "I'm not well."

—Gustav Hansen's jewelry store was being raised yesterday to accomodate itself to the new level of everyday life. Ourself and neighbors will probably go up in the world as soon as the potent jackscrew can be put to work. Cass street from the river to the hill has presented a beautiful appearance for the last year.

—On the south side of the hill an extensive fire has been burning for several days. It presents a singular appearance. The great tall, dry stumps standing 100 and 150 feet high are pillars of fire, the strong wind blowing streamers of fire to adjacent columns. The ground is an ash heap, and any attempt at close observation is accompanied by danger.

—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.

—Frank Fabre has reopened for business in his fine new building opposite THE ASTORIAN office. Ice cream, oysters, coffee, etc., of the best quality.

The Last Spike.

The following letter accompanies the invitation sent to persons to attend the ceremonies of driving the last spike.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD CO.,
35 WALL ST., NEW YORK.

Enclosed you will find an invitation to take part in an excursion over the Northern Pacific railroad, and to participate in the ceremonies on the occasion of the union of the tracks, and the consequent opening of its entire line from St. Paul and Minneapolis and the Lake Superior ports, to Portland, Oregon, and Puget Sound.

It is expected that the advancing ends of the track will be ready to be joined by the laying of the last rail on the western slope of the Rocky mountains in Montana, near the Mullan tunnel, the first week in September.

Guests on the Pacific side are requested to join the party at Portland, Oregon, where a special train will be made up for their convenience. Guests from San Francisco and the vicinity will, on advising Messrs. Goodall, Perkins & Co., 210 Battery street, San Francisco, be furnished with transportation by the Oregon Railway & Navigation Co.'s steamships, to and from Portland, leaving San Francisco on any of the steamers after August 15. The special train will leave Portland on Thursday, the 30th of August, and will be in charge of J. M. Buckley, Ass't Genl. Manager Northern Pacific railroad, New Tacoma, W. T., who should be advised of the date of your arrival in Portland.

After the ceremonies connected with the formal opening of the road, members of the party from the Pacific side may, if they desire, visit the eastern termini of the road, viz., Minneapolis, St. Paul and the Lake Superior ports.

Time for rest and sight-seeing will be allowed at a number of the most interesting points on the route.

It is the desire of the company that its guests should be at no personal expense during the entire journey.

H. VILLARD, President.

Losses by Fire.

An exchange thinks it is strange how accustomed people will become to the repeated occurrence of events which, if there were but one in a lifetime, or even in a series of years, would create the most intense excitement. Note, as an instance, adds the *Fireman's Journal*, the destruction of property by fire in this country.—Think how many men, how much capital, and how great a share of the intelligent thought of the land are kept constantly employed because of this. Every municipality in the land is constantly agitated over the question of fire extinguishment, every property owner over the question of fire insurance, and every builder and property owner over that of fire prevention.

Each in turn gives employment to a vast number of men whose whole thought is engrossed by this annual wiping out of existence of a portion of the wealth of the land, by no means inconsiderable, whether regarded absolutely, or in its relation to the entire production of the year. Thus, since the 1st of January there has been destroyed by fire in this country, $34,960,727 worth of property, and we may reasonably expect that the final showing for the whole year will not be less than $80,000,000.

Unsatisfied Mortgages.

Under the mortgage tax law, enacted by the last legislature, the county clerk is required to furnish to the assessor, on the 1st of August, an abstract of all unsatisfied mortgages showing the owners of the same and the amount due thereon; and it is made the duty of the assessor to assess such debt and security for the full amount that appears from the records to be owing, unless the land mortgaged is not worth as much as appears due on such mortgages, and in that event to assess the security at what he considers its cash value. Under the law all unsatisfied mortgages are required to be assessed. The county clerk is now compiling an abstract that will be ready at the requisite time. The number in Clatsop county will be small, not aggregating over 300.

Being entirely vegetable, no particular care is required while using Dr. Pierce's "Pleasant Purgative Pellets." They operate without disturbance to the constitution, diet or occupation. For sick headache, constipation, impure blood, dizziness, sour eructations from the stomach, bad taste in mouth, bilious attacks, pain in region of kidney, internal fever, bloated feeling about stomach, rush of blood to head, take Dr. Pierce's "pellets." By druggists.

New Goods! New Styles in Hats!
Fine Clothing and Gent's Furnishing Goods received at the Occident Store. Largest stock and finest goods.
D. A. McINTOSH,
The leading Merchant Tailor & Hatter.

Attention Knights.

Members of Astor Lodge, No. 6, K. of P., are requested to be present at the next regular convention, Wednesday, July 25th. Business of importance to be considered. By order C. C.

W. L. ROBB,
K. of R. and S.

Banish ill health, nervousness, vexation, fretfulness, etc., by using Brown's Iron Bitters.

—Latest styles in Hats at the Occident Store.

All for Sensation.

Here you are. Our sensation paper. Our paper which has and must have something new, true, horrible and startling in it once every twenty-four hours. Something to curdle the blood and thrill the nerves. Something to electrify you and wake you up all over when you touch it at the breakfast table. One of the great features of this latter half of the nineteenth century. Everything fish that comes to our net. Only one idea prevades us in making this paper. Sensatio! Print truth, print lies, print scandal, print prudency, print anything. Sensation! Ruin character, wound feelings, break hearts, break into privacy, invade into private life, do anything, so that the one great end is answered.

Sensation! Defend morality and publish licentiousness in disguise in its defense. Defend purity and virtue, and besmirch a reputation daily in their defense. Find abuses and publish a column of rot in ferreting them out. Find you "moral cankers," "moral cancers," "craters of vice" in ten minutes. Sink or swim, live or die, rule or ruin, sour, savage, cynical and sensational. Bound to raise a laugh or blush or hit, and then publish the "disgusting details," and stimulate everybody's curiosity to know more. High jinks! High pressure!

Our principles! Sensation! Espouse a cause of reform! Of course, if there's only a sensation in it. Hard work? Yes, it is to keep the thing up to boiling point. Expletives fail, superlatives give out, and startling headlines run dry. There come awfully dull days when everything is monotonously proper and nobody does anything fiendish, and it is impossible to invent any new kind of iniquity; but, thank fortune, there are very few of them.—*Graphic.*

Steamer Days.

Following is a resume of sailing dates for ocean steamers for July, steamers leaving Astoria and San Francisco every three days:

FROM ASTORIA	July	FROM SAN FRANCISCO AT 10 A. M.	July
Oregon	Thursdy 26	Columbia	Thursday 26
State	Sunday 29	Queen	Sunday 29

How to Make Men Handsome.
You all agree, that a good stylish suit, well fitting, makes all men look better than their old ones, yet there is a class of men that can never dress well, they don't know the art thereof. M. D. Kant, our Boss Merchant Tailor, Hatter and Clothier, has undertaken a task to fit all men, from the best Apollo shape to the Hunchback of Notre Dame, and meets with excellent success, but the crown of his efforts are his excellent assortment of Hats; he certainly has the nobbiest, finest and latest styles in the city, and if you doubt it go and convince yourself. His prices are at bed rock.

Gas Fitting and Plumbing.
The attention of the public is called to the plumbing, gas and steam fitting establishment of Ruddock & Wheeler, where you will find a complete stock of chandeliers, which is from the firm of Mitchell, Vance & Co., New York, and a large assortment of common and fancy globes and globe holders.
In the plumbing and steam fitting line you can be supplied with water faucets, bath tubs, boilers, valves and patent water closets of the most improved patterns, rubber hose of different sizes, traps, an assortment of iron and stone sewer pipe. Estimates will be given at all times for parties wanting work done, which will be under our immediate supervision. The public are cordially invited to call and see us.
RUDDOCK & WHEELER.
Cass St., in rear of Odd Fellows building, and next door to gas company's office.

I Know Whereof I Speak.
For I have used it extensively. I regard Parker's Ginger Tonic a most excellent remedy for kidney, lung and stomach disorders. It invigorates without intoxicating. J. Francis, Religio Philos. Journal, Chicago.

Woodcutters Wanted.

I wish to contract with parties to cut from 200 to 500 cords of wood. Apply to

JAS. BELL,
Upper Astoria.

Look Here!

You are out a treat, and don't you forget it, if you miss JEFF'S Dinner every day from 5 to 8. Soups, fish, eight kinds of meat, vegetables, pies, puddings, coffee, tea, wine, S. F. beer, or milk. Dinner 25 cents.

—Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diptheria and Canker Mouth. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—D. A. McIntosh has received a large stock of Fine Clothing which he calls special attention to.

—Look out for the auction sale at Sheriff O'Neil's.

—Take notice of Sheriff O'Neil's new advertisement.

A dressing to beautify gray hair every family needs. Parker's Hair Balsam never fails to satisfy.

—For Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh'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 SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." Sold by W. E. Dement.

—Why will you cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts 50 cts and $1. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—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.

Brace up the whole system with King of the Blood. See Advertisement.

Have Wistar's balsam of wild cherry always at hand. It cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, whooping cough, croup, influenza, consumption, and all throat and lung complaints. 50 cents and $1 a bottle.

—Averill's mixed paints, the best in use, for sale at J. W. Conn,s drug store, opposite Occident Hotel.

No matter what your ailment is, Brown's Iron Bitters will surely benefit you.

—New stock of Hats received at the Occident Store.

Positive and Peremptory

AUCTION SALE!

OF

Dry Goods, Clothing, Furnishing Goods,

Millinery, Etc.,

By E. C. HOLDEN, AUCTIONEER,

AT

Sheriff O'Neil's Bankrupt Store,

Corner Concomly and Main Streets.

Commencing Monday Afternoon

From 2 to 4 o'clock, and in the evening from 7 to 9 o'clock,

Continuing till Further Notice.

STORE TO LET. SHOW CASES, ETC., FOR SALE.

COUNTY FINANCIAL REPORT.

Exhibit of the financial affairs of Clatsop County for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1883.

COUNTY FUND.		
Balance in treasury June 30, 1882		$ 6,537 38
Received since from all sources		16,851 98
Total		$23,389 36
Paid County orders	$16,914 08	
" Coupons	1,600 00	
" State on remissions	257 76	
Balance in treasury	4,617 52	
	$23,389 36	$23,389 36
STATE FUND.		
Amount received from taxes		$10,327 99
" " County fund		257 76
		$10,585 75
Amount paid paid State on taxes	$10,585 75	
SCHOOL FUND.		
Balance in treasury June 30, 1882		614 01
Receipts since, to date		6,999 15
Total		$ 7,613 16
Paid school orders	6,736 76	
Balance in treasury	876 40	
	$ 7,613 16	7,613 16
SURPLUS FUND.		
Amount in treasury June 30, 1882		1 67
" " at date	1 67	
	$ 1 67	1 67
DECEASED FUND.		
Amount in treasury June 30, 1882		35 98
" received since to date		29 10
Balance in treasury	65 08	$ 65 08
GENERAL SUMMARY.		
Total balance in treasury June 30, 1882		7,189 04
Received since from all sources		34,465 98
Total		$41,655 02
Paid county orders	16,914 08	
" state on remissions	257 76	
" coupons on bonds	1,600 00	
" state taxes	10,585 75	
" school orders	6,736 76	
	$36,094 35	36,094 35
Balance in treasury		$ 5,560 67

R. R. SPEDDEN, County Clerk.

THE HOME SCHOOL
FOR
YOUNG LADIES.
1325 Telegraph Avenue, Oakland, Cal.
Organized in 1872.
The next year will begin on Wednesday July 25, 1883.
MISS L. A. FIELD, Principal

20 BOATS
—AND—
CANNERY SITE FOR SALE.
THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS A. P. CO.'S Net Racks, adjoining Fort Canby, 20 22½ foot boats, good for Baker's Bay or up river fishing; 14 net racks complete; frontage 200 feet running to deep water; one block on shore with mess house.
This is the most convenient place for salmon nets, traps and seines and decidedly the best location on the Columbia river for a salmon cannery.
Will sell for cash or will take stock with satisfactory Fishermen's Packing Co.
BOZORTH & JOHNS.

S. B. CROW,
PHOTOGRAPHER,
Corner Benton and Squemoqua Streets,
Astoria, - - - - Oregon.

TAILORING.
Cleaning Repairing.
NEAT, CHEAP AND QUICK, BY
GEORGE LOVETT.
Main Street, opposite N. Loeb's.

FOR SALE.
IN McCLURE'S ASTORIA, LOTS 6, 7, 8 and 9, in blk 141; lots 6, 7, 8 and 9, in blk 91; lots 4 and 5, in blk 84; lots 5 and 6, in blk 54; lot 7, in blk 39; lot 6, in blk 129; lots 2 and 4, in blk 147; lot 6, in blk 132; lot 8, in blk 109; lot 1, in blk 4; cottage house and lot in blk 52; lot 4, in blk 11 with all the improvements.
In Shively's Astoria, lots 9 and 10, in blk 58; lot 5, in blk 55; lots 5 and 6, in blk 115.
In Upper Astoria 6 of the finest residence lots in the addition.
In Alderbrook we have some splendid lots, just the place for people with moderate means to build a home.
We have also a 5-acre block in Hustler & Aiken's, and farm and timber land adjacent to the city.

Spiles for Sale.
We have on hand spiles in lengths from 25 to 60 feet, and can furnish from one to five thousand at short notice, at the market price.
CHAS. H. WILLIAMSON & CO.,
Real Estate and Commission Brokers,
18-2wks Genevieve street.

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 actonishing cure and keeps me well. It is infallible. M. Guilfoyle, Binghamton, N. Y.

Notice.

—Dinner at "JEFF'S" CHOP HOUSE every day at 5 o'clock. The best 25 cent meal in town; soup, fish, seven kinds of meats, vegetables, pie, pudding, etc. A glass of S. F. Beer, French Claret, tea or coffee included. All who have tried him say Jeff is the "BOSS."

For a Neat Fitting Boot
Or Shoe, go to P. J. Goodmans, on Chenamus street, next door to L. W. Case. All goods of the best make and guaranteed quality. A full stock; new goods constantly arriving. Custom work.

—The Pacific Electric Pad Truss cures rupture in 90 days. Call and see it. Dr. Mitchell, Astor House, 9 to 12 A.M.

Ed. D. Curtis & Co.
Carpets, Upholstery
UNSURPASSED
IN
STYLE AND FINISH.
NEW
FURNITURE,
A COMPLETE STOCK.

Annual Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the O. F. L. & B. Association will be held on the fourth Thursday in August, the 23d, at the hall of Beaver Lodge, No. 35, I. O. O. F., immediately after closing the Lodge.

A. J. MEGLER,
Sec'y.

Lost.

LOST OR DESTROYED BY FIRE, JULY 3, 1883, a Pass Book with the Hibernian Savings and Loan Society, of San Francisco, belonging to Gaetano Marcelli. Should it have fallen into the hands of any one, a reasonable reward will be paid for its return to this office. 20-5t*

C. H. COOPER, GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

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The Leading Dry Goods
and
Clothing House of Astoria.

LACE CURTAINS,
I have just received a large consignment of Lace Curtains, and Curtain Materials, in the newest designs, and would invite an inspection from intending purchasers, confident that for rarity and Low Prices
NO SUCH VALUE HAS EVER BEEN OFFERED IN ASTORIA.

Silks and Dress Goods,
We are showing on our Centre Counters a collection of the most elaborate and richest Goods ever shown in this Clty,
AT REMARKABLE LOW PRICES.
All Silk Rhadames, Drap D'Almas
All Silk Foulards, Wool Surrahs,
All Silk Ottomans, Satin Soleils,
Etc., Etc.

CLOAKS,
We are now showing the Largest and most Elegant Line of Ladies' Cloaks and Wraps ever brought to this City.
Black Dolmans,
Trimmed with Lace, Fringe, and Gimp.
Black Silk Dolmans,
Lined and Trimmed with Guipure Lace and Gimp.
Fine Brocaded Satin Dolmans,
Handsomely Trimmed with Chenille Fringe.
Walking Jackets, Mantles, Ulsters and Dusters.
Shetland Shawls,
Evening Shawls,
Wool Shawls,
All Sizes and Colors.

CLOTHING AND GENTS FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENT
We are showing, without doubt, the largest, and most complete stock of Mens', Youths', and Boys' Clothing ever brought to Astoria AT EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.

Largest Stock, Finest Goods.
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Lowest Prices in Astoria.
C. H. COOPER,
KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS BUILDING, ASTORIA.

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Cigars and Tobaccos, Smokers' Articles, Playing Cards, Cutlery, Stationery, Etc.
The largest and finest stock of MEERSCHAUM and AMBER GOODS in the city. Particular attention paid to orders from the country.
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Chenamus Street, Astoria, Oregon.

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HARDWARE, IRON, STEEL,
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SHEET LEAD STRIP LEAD
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Cannery and Fishermens Supplies
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JOBBING IN SHEET IRON, TIN, COPPER PLUMBING and STEAM FITTING
Done with neatness and dispatch.
None but first class workmen employed.
A large assortment of
SCALES
Constantly on hand

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New Styles in Hats!

Fine Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods

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TAILOR, CLOTHIER, HATTER and GENTS FURNISHER.

YOKES.
We have for sale
MONROE'S Celebrated Yokes,
Which are acknowledged by all Loggers to be the BEST IN THE STATE.
☞WARRANTED NOT TO CHECK.
dw1m WILSON & FISHER, Astoria.

FIRST QUALITY LUMBER.
THE
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IS IN THE FIELD AND PROPOSES TO remain.
We will take orders for lumber from 100 to 500 M., at the mill or delivered.
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Seaside Bakery & Confectionery.
WHY?
Because my Goods are the Best, and Always Fresh.
Cakes Candies etc., furnished for Wedding parties, on short notice, and guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction.
Cake ornamenting a specialty.
Opposite G. W. Hume's.