ASTORIA, OREGON:

SATURDAYJULY 28, 1883

The Unarmed Nation. "OUR Duty in the Cause of International Peace" was the subject of a recent address by General Francis A. Walker, at Smith College, Northampton. It closed as follows: "Let us remain as we are, without weapons of offense or defense. Let our title be 'The unarmed Nation.' For one, while respecting the sentiment of those high officers of army and navy and those members of congressional committees who feel themselves responsible for the defensive condition of the country, and while entertaining no strong antipathy to the building of a few fast cruisers to carry our flag upon the seas, I trust never to see a floating castle, with a twenty-four-inch plate and hundred-ton guns, built for the service of the United States. It is, I confess, a new thought to me, and it may appear to you, on the first hearing, unusual and vain; yet as I have earnestly pondered this subject during vania Republicans has been fifly the last few months, it has grown characterized as a Dolly Varden to my view increasingly clear that, affair, full of brilliant colors and first, the example of the United moonshine platitudes," the most States as an unarmed nation, and, striking plank being that suggest second, the force of its industrial ed by Barker, a political theorist competition, with the vast advant- of Philadelphia, for a distrubution ages which immunity from con- of the surplus revenues for the scription and armament will give government among the states for to the people of this country, as to aid to education, and to relieve the the production and distribution of barden of taxation. wealth, are to become powerful agents in breaking up the war system of the world. Already this contemplation of 'our happier lot is drawing the more prosperous and adventurous of the inhabitants of Europe, a million a year, to ourselves. Must not the time soon come when increasing intelligence and strengthening selfconfidence on the part of the prople will lead them to demand that freedom from conscription and war taxes be not conditioned upon expatriation? Be sure the demand at Sacramento, Cal., is the latest will be made. Be sure when the addition to our list. Its name demand is made in earnest the statesmen of Europe will find a istence depends upon its influence. way to abate and in time to abolish the war system. Will it be long possible for the nations of Europe, unless they can rid themselves of this incubus, to withstand that competition, as we grow in numbers and productive power, and as the facilities of communication and transportation are multiplied and perfected? I cannot think so. When we have become a hundred millions; when our agricultural production has increased two-fold; when our manufacturing production has increased four-fold 1883. -all of which will come to pass in thirty years-with the improvements in transit and traffic reasonably to be anticipated within the same period, can the effect of our competion be less than to compel the statesmen of Europe to release their people's shackles and the burdens which conscription and almost universal armament impose upon them? And if, indeed, America shall then contribute to the downfall of the war system, will it not prove the greatest of the blessings which the new

world has conferred upon the old?" THE advantages of sawmills to be built at Astoria are briefly named. The logs can be obtained at less cost than at any other point. The vessels can be chartered at less cost to carry the lumber to any California or foreign market There is an abundant home demand as well as for export. In the face of these facts and the present high price for lumber, it is strange that there are no mills STILL WAVES! being built at Astoria.

Ex-Senator Wallace of Pennsylvania, is said to aspire to the next Democratic nomination to the presidency. During the time that he has been in private life he has carefully rebuilt his fortune, and is now thought to be worth \$3,000,000.

THE mills at Seattle are sawing tour hundred thousand feet per day. At Astoria, where we are in the heart of the best and most accessible lumber district of the northwest, we are sawing 50,000 feet per day.

THE construction of railroads this year bas fallen off nearly onehalf from the number of miles constructed the first of last year, 2,509 miles as against 4,990 miles

THE idea of a canal through the was considered practicable, and M.J. Knney W. Grace and the excavation was actually commenced 2,500 years ago, and in the reign of Ptolemy Philadelphus, 273 years before the Christian era, the union of the two seas was perfected. This canal passed very nearly along the route of its modera successor, entering the Red Sea near the present town of Suez, and was of sufficient depth and breadth to allow of the passage of galleys of a considerable size. Moreover, it is an historical fact that in the year 31 B. C. Cleopatra, after the battle of Actium, seeing that the forces of Egypt were unable to resist those of Rome, attempted to take her fleet through it into the Red Sez, with the view of escaping into a distant land, a project which failed from the hostility of the Arabs. The channel existed for centuries after the time of Cleopetra, Let became gradually locked up and obliterated by the then unconquer-

THE platform of the Pennsyl-

THE eastern marriage endow ment associations are meeting with the same fate that befell the Pennsylvania graveyard life insurance swindling societies. In most of the cases at the east, the concerns have turned out to be barren bearing H frauds. Now and then one with of has a frauds. Now and then one will be frauds. bonestly conducted one has been found, but in most cases they are the means used by raseals to attain

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THERE are indications that the war is really over. The new party platforms in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Iowa, and Minnesotu are silent on the subject of "war issues."

On January 1st last, there were in operation in the United States 120,000 miles of railroad, out of 262,000 miles in the entire world, and st or nearly 46 per cent.

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Test mony in the above case will be taken before the Register and Receiver at Vancou ver, Wash, Ter., on Monday, the 30th day of July, 1883. er, Wash, Ter., on Monday, the own the rer, Wash, Ter., on Monday, the own the respective states of the above described lands, or any portion thereof, are hereby required to file their claims in this office within sixty (60) days from date hereof.

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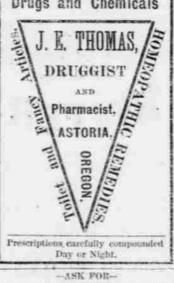
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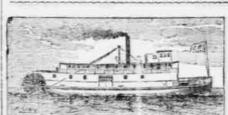
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