

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1883

VILLARD IN A NEW ROLE.

In answer to a repetition of the request of the Astoria chamber of commerce for permission to examine his plans, Henry Villard gives a repetition of his former answer. The case stands this way. In compliance with a universal demand from this section Villard put a party of surveyors in the field last May, having previously told a deputation from Astoria that he had the money to build the road. Upon completion of the survey and receipt of the engineers' reports, he sent word to the Astoria chamber of commerce that he could not build the road.

He supplemented his information by the statement that should others want to build the road he would not stand in the way; that to anyone who would undertake the construction of the road he would pay \$30,000 per mile; \$20,000 in first mortgage bonds, and \$10,000 in second mortgage bonds. He further said in direct stipulation that the road would have to be built in accordance with the plans and specifications of his engineers. The prompt reply of the Astoria chamber of commerce was "All right; what are these plans? let us see what we must do." So far all was square and business-like. Now comes the crux-fishing. Villard refused point-blank to let the Astoria chamber of commerce see these plans. Fearing that its telegrams were not explicit enough the chamber caused to be sent him a letter making provisional acceptance, and stating (what was on the face of it a necessary matter) that they would like to see those plans in compliance with which they would have to build the road. A peremptory refusal to allow them to see those plans has been received from Mr. Villard.

What construction can the people of the Northwest place on this? In what light does it present Mr. Villard? Suppose a citizen of Astoria said to a builder, "I will give you \$25,000 to build me a dwelling house; the dwelling to be in exact accordance with plans that my architect has furnished me," and when the builder asked for a look at these plans the citizen should say, "No, sir! they are my plans, and you cannot and shall not see them," the opinion of the builder as to the citizen's business integrity would be the reverse of flattering.

It is not plain what Mr. Villard expects to consummate by such trifling. It may be that he hasn't got the money to build the road, and all this shuffling and evasion of the last five months is to conceal his weakness, but that could be overlooked or explained. We can all readily understand how the resources of his companies have been severely strained by the heavy expenditures consequent upon the completion of the N. P. R. R., but we cannot understand why the president of that corporation should descend to such miserable subterfuge and evasion as we have shown he is practicing towards this community.

Massachusetts and Mississippi.

Twenty-six years ago a pro-slavery mob murdered Lovejoy at Alton, Ill. The occurrence occasioned the greatest excitement. In Faneuil hall upon receipt of the news, Wendell Phillips sprang to his feet and voiced a passionate denunciation that was the keynote to the campaign. Had Phillips gone to a cotton state at any time during the quarter of a century that followed he would, in all probability, have been tarred and feathered. The good people of Charleston, S. C., once sent him loving words to that effect; his answer was "The inducements are not sufficient."

Next Wednesday the National Planters' Association will meet at Vicksburg, Miss. Wendell Phillips has accepted an invitation to address the convention. The fiery young orator whose words awoke the conscience of the nation, is now a man of seventy-two. He goes to the south for the first time in his life. He goes to talk of peace and prosperity, of fraternal ties and national greatness to the sons of men who would have hanged him thirty years ago had he dared to show himself. Time is a wonderful ally.

It is proposed to hold a world's fair in San Francisco in 1887. The idea is a good one; comparatively speaking, the Pacific coast is a small community. The whole population is not half of that which lives within a radius of fifty miles from Trenton, N. J., yet increased facilities of land and sea travel bring the world's commerce to the city which is the center of the coast. As a business proposition the idea is feasible. Rightly managed it would have excellent results. Oregon could be royally represented, and would derive lasting benefit therefrom.

The inefficiency of the mail service along the line of the N. P. R. R. has been brought to the attention of Postmaster-General Gresham who will straighten matters out.

WALL STREET BEARS are now raiding Canadian Pacific stocks.

The gale on the Atlantic coast previously reported, was blowing with unabated fury last Tuesday night. The loss of life along the New England coast is appalling.

MARRIED.

In Astoria, Nov. 13, by Rev. Dr. Bettsheim, Herman Wise, and Miss Sarah Ostrook.

DIED.

In Upper Astoria, Nov. 13, by Rev. S. Wood, Barzella Lampen, to Margaret Dalsen. Both of Clatsop County.

OCCIDENTAL HALL

TWO NIGHTS ONLY. MONDAY, November 19th. TAKEN FROM LIFE.

TUESDAY, November 20th. TICKET OF LEAVE MAN.

EIGHTH SEASON. Jay Rial's Two Great Companies Con-Admit-

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MEETING NOTICE. THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the Pythian Loan and Building Association will be held in Pythian Castle, on Wednesday December 19th, 1883, immediately after adjournment of post-Lodge No. 6, K. of P., for the election of officers for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

ATTENTION SOLDIERS! \$101,000,000 Appropriated in 1882 for Pensions.

AN ACT to relieve soldiers from the charge of desertion and grant all such soldiers their full dues, and to grant soldiers marked as DESERTERS honorable discharges, papers, AN ACT to extend the arrears of the pension act and continue it in force so far as widows and children are concerned, AN ACT allowing pay for horses and equipments lost in service, etc. Nearly every pension is entitled to an increase.

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There will be papers on out-of-England by JOHN BURROUGHS and others, a beautiful illustrated series on Dante, a number of papers by the eminent French novelist, ANTOINE DAUDET, articles on art and architecture, by CHARLES DICKENS, WALTER DE LAUNCEY, and others, illustrated papers on sport and adventure, short stories by the leading writers of the three parts, \$2.50.

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