The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

SATURDAY.....MARCH 8 1884

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

PORT OF ASTORIA.

SAILED

Oregon ss. Pohlman S F March 7

ARRIVALS FROM SEA

State of California ss Delmer S F March 7

VESSELS IN THE RIVER

Olive S. Southard, Amsp
Red Cross, Am sp
Helicon,
Tillie E Starbuck, Am
S. R. Mead, Am bk
River Indus, Br sp
Mt Washington, Am sp
Highland Light, Am. sp
Martha Fisher,
Chas. Holdsworth Br bk
Merum, Am sp

VESSELS ON THE WAY.

From Foreign Ports, for the Columbia River

Aberstwith Castle, Br sp 1063 Liverpool Sept 11
City of Carlisle, Br bk Greenock Aug 14
Eskdale, Br bk Liverpool July 26
Itata, Br bk Liverpool Dec 5
Jerusalem, Nor bk Liverpool Nov 12
Kaiserdale, Br bk 1191 N S W
Norseman, Br bk Liverpool Dec 3
Stagbound, Br bk 873 Wilmington
Silhet, Br bk 1057 London Dec 5
Tythonus, Br bk London Dec 5

From American Ports.

Alameda, Am sp N Y Jan 15
Belle of Oregon, Am bk 1169 New York Mar 1

TIDE TABLE FOR ASTORIA

MARCH.

	HIGH WATER. First. Time	Hight	Second. Time	Hight	LOW WATER. First. Time	Hight	Second. Time	Hight
Date	A. m.	Feet.	A. m.	Feet.	A. m.	Feet.	A. m.	Feet.
8	9 54	7.7	11 35	6.8	3 53	3.0	5 17	-0.1
9	10 54	7.9	- -	- -	5 02	2.6	6 08	-0.5
10	9 19	7.7	11 47	8.1	6 19	2.0	6 47	-0.3
11	1 01	8.3	0 34	8.2	7 01	1.4	7 21	0.2
12	1 20	8.7	1 17	8.1	7 49	0.8	7 51	0.6
13	1 43	8.9	1 56	7.8	8 28	0.5	8 16	0.4
14	2 07	8.9	2 35	7.5	9 04	0.2	8 43	0.9
15	2 28	8.8	3 18	7.2	9 41	0.0	9 10	1.4
16	2 58	8.6	4 06	6.8	10 19	-0.2	9 38	1.8
17	3 38	8.5	5 00	6.4	11 01	-0.2	10 15	2.2
18	4 22	8.	5 58	6.2	11 41	-0.1	11 01	2.5
19	5 11	7.	6 51	6.0	- -	- -	0 28	0
20	6 03	7.5	7 52	6.0	0 09	5.1	1 33	0.1
21	7 04	7.	8 51	6.1	1 01	3.3	2 31	0.2
22	8 09	7.3	9 55	6.4	2 08	3.3	3 30	0.2
2	9 15	7.4	10 50	[illegible]	3 17	3.0	4 20	0.1
24	10 21	7.6	11 36	7.5	4 27	2.5	5 21	0.0
25	11 23	7.9	- -	- -	5 35	1.8	6 13	0.0
26	0 15	8.1	0 18	8.0	6 9	1.	6 56	0.
27	0 51	8.6	1 09	7.9	7 33	0.7	7 32	0.2
28	1 26	8.1	1 51	7.6	8 20	0.	8 09	0.6
29	2 03	9.2	2 46	7.3	9 01	0.2	8 31	0.7
30	2 39	9.0	3 41	7.0	9 55	-0.1	9 12	1.8
31	3 10	8.7	4 44	6.7	10 41	-0.3	9 56	2.5

The hours between mid night and noon are designated by a (A. m.), those between noon and midnight by p (P. m.). 6h 00m a denotes midnight 6h 00m. p denotes noon.

The height is reckoned from the level of average lower low waters to which the soundings are given on the Coast Survey charts.

Astoria Retail Market.

Flour—per sack $1.40.
Wheat, per cental $2.00@2.25.
Oats, " $2.10@2.25.
Bacon, sides per lb, 14 to 18 cts.
Shoulders, " 12½@15 cts.
Hams, " 16@19 cts.
Lard, " 10½ cts.
Beef, 12½@18 cts.
Mutton, 12½@15 cts.
Pork, 12½@15 cts.
Veal, 15@18 cts.
Butter, per roll 70 to 75 cts.
Eggs, per doz 35@40 cts.
Potatoes, per lb 1½ to 1½ cts.
Apples, green, per box $2.00. to $2.40
Cheese, per lb 20@25 to 40 cts.
Cornmeal, per lb 4 cts.
Oatmeal, " 6½ cts.
Beans, " 4½@6½ cts.
Coffee, " 12½@40 cts.
Tea, " 40@90 cts.
Rice, " 8 @ 10 cts.
Sugar, " 10 @ 14 cts.
Syrup, per gallon 70c @ $1.
Honey, per gallon $1.50.
Salmon, per kit $5.
Onions, per lb 2@3 cts.
Apples dried per lb 10@18 cts.
Peaches " " 13 @ 18 cts.
Plums. " " 12½ @ 16 cts.
Candles, per lb 20 cts.
Chickens, per dozen $6.
Hay, per ton $20.
Hides, per lb 6 @ 9 cts.
Oils, per gallon, boiled linseed. 75c: raw linseed. 70c: coal oil, 40c: lard $1.25.

Columbia River Exports.

SHIPMENTS FOREIGN.

JANUARY, '84.

2—*To Queenstown per Oakworth.*
Wheat, 60,070 bus.....$70,451
4—*To Queenstown per Oban Bay.*
Wheat, 37,903 bus.....$36,993
9—*To Queenstown per Angerona.*
Flour, 10,514 bbls.....$102,570
10—*To Queenstown per Ladstock.*
Flour, 14,131 bbls.....$80,000
11—*To Queenstown per Bargany.*
Wheat, 65,941 bus.....$39,418
18—*To Liverpool per City of Madrid.*
Flour, 20,466 bbls.....$102,330
19—*To Queenstown per Morayshire.*
Wheat, 81,531 bus.....$85,605
19—*To Queenstown per Star of Erin.*
Flour, 16,019 bbls.....$88,104
21—*To Queenstown per Sarah Bell.*
Flour, 14,066 bbls.....$69,662
31—*To Queenstown per Sovereign of the Seas*
Wheat, 76,190 bus.....$74,808

FEBRUARY.

4—*To Queenstown per Indiana.*
Wheat, 76,091 bus.....77,609
6—*To Antwerp per Sea King.*
Wheat, 75,160 bus.....$73,160
7—*To Montevideo per Carrie Windsor.*
Salmon, 100 cs.....$ 500
Salmon, 23 hlf bbls.....115
Halibut, 2780 " 1,112
Lumber, 600 M.....7,000
Total.....$8,727
7—*To Queenstown per Banca.*
Wheat, 57,545 bu.....$62,149
9—*To Queenstown per Bismah.*
Flour, 16,571 bbls.....$82,855
25—*To Queenstown per Henry James.*
Flour, 16,863 bbls.....$71,808
26—*To Queenstown per Isle of Erin.*
Wheat, 50,334 bus.....$48,220
27—*To Queenstown per Berwickshire.*
Wheat, 51,983 bus.....$52,784
27—*To Liverpool per Jaud McNiel.*
Flour, 16,175 bbls.....$76,974

Domestic Exports.

The receipts of certain articles of Oregon produce at San Francisco, from January 1, 1884, to February 27, inclusive, have been as follows:

Flour, qr sks	63,472
Wheat, ctls	3,475
Oats, ctls	167
Salmon, bbls	311
hf bbls	28
cs	5,018
pkgs	1
Apples, Ripe, bas	.....
bbls	.....
pkgs	.....
Butter, pkgs	1
Potatoes, sks	1,574
Wool, bales	154
Hides, No	3,080
Tallow, pkgs	734
Beef, bbls	19
Hay, bales	.....
Quicksilver, flasks	.....
Fruit, Dried, pkgs	.....
Leather, pkgs	67
Hops, bales	501
Hams, pkgs	2
Cheese, cs	4
Flax Seed, sks	228
Corn, ctls	.....
Canned Goods, cs	.....
Lard, pkgs	76
Bacon, cs	.....

THE REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION

A Republican convention for the state of Oregon is called to meet at the city of Portland, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 16th day of April, 1884, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices, to wit: Representative in congress, judge of the supreme court, the presidential electors, and district officers for the several judicial districts, and to select six delegates to attend the national Republican convention, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The convention will consist of 205 delegates, apportioned among the several counties, as follows:

Baker	5	Lake	5
Benton	9	Lane	16
Clackamas	10	Linn	12
Clatsop	6	Marion	18
Columbia	4	Multnomah	35
Coos	6	Polk	8
Crook	5	Tillamook	2
Curry	2	Umatilla	12
Douglas	12	Union	7
Grant	5	Wasco	8
Jackson	6	Washington	8
Josephine	3	Yamhill	9
Klamath	2		
Total	206		

The same being one delegate at large from each county, and one delegate for every 125 votes, and one for every fraction over one-half thereof, cast for Hon. M. C. George, congressman, at the last general election.

The committee recommend that the primaries be held on Saturday, the 12th of April, and the county conventions on Tuesday, the 22d day of April, unless otherwise ordered by the proper county central committees.

The committee earnestly recommend that the delegates elected to the state convention attend in person, and if not convenient for them to so attend personally, that they send their proxies by electors of the county they represent.

The Republican voters of the state, without regard to past political differences, who are in favor of elevating and dignifying American labor, giving free popular education to the masses of the people, effectually protecting all human rights in every section of our common country, and who desire to promote friendly feeling and permanent harmony throughout the state by maintaining a government pledged to these objects and privileges, are cordially invited to unite in selecting delegates to the Republican state convention.

SOL. HIRSCH, Chairman.
Portland, Oregon, Feb. 21, 1884.

THE DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

The state Democratic convention is hereby called to meet at Dalles City, on Thursday, the 17th of April next, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices: Judge of the supreme court, three presidential electors, representative in the lower house of congress and district officers for the several judicial districts, and to select six delegates to the national Democratic convention, and generally to to do such other business as may of right come before such convention.

The committee deem it fitting to present to the Democratic voters of the state the following considerations:

We see approaching an election of most vital import to our commonwealth in all its interests, both public and private.

Deeming honesty the best policy, and in striking contrast with the course of the opposition party, we have named an early day for the assembling of the state convention. Our principles as a party will then be enunciated, and our candidates placed in the field subject to the approval or consideration of the body politic.

The variance in the vote of this state during the past few years, and especially the very close contest in the presidential election of 1880, gives us much hope that, notwithstanding our present minority, with harmony in our ranks, and a well-directed exertion of our strength, we shall carry off the palm of victory. But to insure this end it is imperative that all Democrats should contribute their undivided support and hearty co-operation, not only in the actual canvass but in its very initiation—the county primaries. We do not presume to trespass upon the precincts of our popular convention, but do earnestly invoke all members of our party to put aside past differences and personal antagonisms, to unite in harmonious action in the various primaries and to send full delegations of representative men to attend the state convention. We have deemed it fitting to reduce the number of delegates, in the hope of securing the personal attendance of those to be chosen. We especially recommend the formation of local clubs, where practicable, throughout the state.

Believing that the success of the Democracy is the welfare of the people, we cordially invite all persons, regardless of past political affiliations, who favor simplicity, economy and frugality in the administration of public affairs to unite with us.

AL ZIEBER, Chairman.
P. H. D'ARCY, Secretary.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

Temple Lodge, No. 7 A. F. A. M.

REGULAR COMMUNICATIONS first and third Tuesdays in each month, at 7½ o'clock, P. M., at the Hall in Astoria. Members of the order in good standing are invited to attend.
By order of the W. M.

Beaver Lodge No 35, I. O. O. F.

REGULAR MEETING EVERY thursday evening at seven o'clock, at the Lodge room in Odd Fellows Hall, Astoria. Sojourning members of the order in good standing, cordially invited to attend.
By order N. G.

Ocean Encampment, No. 13, I. O. O. F.

REGULAR MEETINGS OF OCEAN ENCAMPMENT No. 13, I. O. O. F., at the Lodge, in the Odd Fellows Building, at seven P. M., on the second and fourth Mondays of each month. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
By order C. P.

Seaside Lodge No. 12, A. O. U. W.

REGULAR MEETINGS OF SEASIDE Lodge No. 12, A. O. U. W. will be held in Pythian Hall on Friday evening of each week, at 7 o'clock P. M. Members of the order in good standing, and visiting Brothers are invited to attend. Library will be open fifteen minutes before and after each meeting. By order M. W.
C. BROWN, Rec.

Astoria Lodge No. 40, I. O. G. T.

REGULAR MEETING EVERY THURSday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the Hall over Mr. Case's store. Members of the Order, in good standing, are invited to attend.
By order W. C. T.

American Legion of Honor.

REGULAR MEETING OF ASTORIA Council No 986 is held on the first and third Tuesday of each month, at 7 o'clock P. M. By order of the Council Commander.
R. V. MONTEITH, Sec'ty.

Cushing Post No 14, G. A. R.

REGULAR MEETINGS OF THIS POST on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at 7:30 P. M. Visiting comrades cordially invited. By order
P. C.

Pacific Lodge No. 17, K. of P.

REGULAR MEETINGS OF THIS Lodge every Friday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, in their Castle Hall. Sojourning Knights cordially invited to attend.
GEO. P. WHEELER,
K. of R. and S.

Astor Lodge No. 6 K. of P.

REGULAR MEETINGS OF THIS Lodge every Wednesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at their lodge room, in Pythian Castle. Sojourning Knights cordially invited to attend.
W. L. ROBB,
K. of R. and S.

Common Council.

REGULAR MEETINGS, SECOND AND fourth Tuesday evenings of each month at 7½ o'clock.

Persons desiring to have matters acted upon by the Council, at any regular meeting must present the same to the Auditor and Clerk, on or before the Friday evening prior to the Tuesday on which the Council holds its regular meeting.
THOS S. JEWETT,
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For vessels not exceeding	Inward Loaded.	Outward Loaded.	Outward *Ballast.
800 tons	$150	$150	$150
800 to 1000 tons	200	175	175
1000 to 1200 tons	225	200	200
1200 to 1400 tons	275	225	250
1400 to 1600 tons	300	250	300

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SISTERS OF CHARITY

Street Improvement Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, propose to order the improvement of West Eighth street, in that portion of said city which was laid out and recorded by John M. Shively, in Clatsop county, Oregon, from the north side of Cushing's Court street, three hundred feet north by piling, capping and planking said portion of said street to its full width, and by building a slip at the north end of said three hundred feet, and unless a remonstrance signed by the owners of two-thirds of the property fronting on said portion of said street be filed with the Auditor and Clerk within ten days of the final publication of this notice, viz: Tuesday, March 25th, 1884, the Common Council will order said improvement to be made.

By order of the Common Council.
Attest: T. S. JEWETT,
Auditor and Clerk.
Astoria, Oregon, March 4th, 1884. d10t

Villard not a Poor Man.

Joe Howard, in his New York correspondence to the Philadelphia *Press* under date of February 23d, after describing the residence of Cardinal McCloskey, says:

Immediately across the way is the prison like series of edifices erected by Henry Villard, formerly president and chief manipulator of the Northern Pacific. No one takes the slightest stock in the talk of his friends about his poverty or even his comparative poverty. His wife is rich, even for this city of rich people, and all her possessions are the gift of her husband. Please do not misunderstand me. I am not criticising Mr. Villard's gift or Mrs. Villard's wealth, I know nothing of the circumstances and care less. That he lives, however, in one of the most expensive residences in the city; that his retinue is greater than that of men worth twice the figure he was ever estimated at, and that he keeps up both a magnificent place in the country and the town mansion to which I allude, are facts patent to any one who cares to see them.

The Villard sensation has pretty well died out, and the sighs of his fellow shareholders are tolerably well smothered by the reckless waves of time, but public attention has been renewed to him by suits brought by stockholders, who don't propose to be sat upon and entirely squelched without making a vigorous fight for inside information. Villard was standing at the window with one hand resting upon the frame, the other in his pocket. The air was bitingly cold. Beggars shivered in the breeze, ragged Italians poked their iron bars in the ash barrels at the corner, car drivers stamped their feet as they drove by, and a coachman, in a huge fur cap, rubbed the end of his nose and swore because his prancing horses, denuded of their natural hairy growth, were impatient for a drive. Villard is a tall, portly, good looking man, with a dreamy, listless look in his eye and a saddened expression upon his face, not born, however of recent troubles, but characteristic of him for the past twenty years. Basing my judgment on an acquaintance with him when he was a correspondent in Washington in the early days of the war, my judgment is that the sleepiness is confined to his eyes, and any man who selects him as other than very wide awake will make a sad mistake.

Rich as he may be, and doubtless is, what an illustration he is of the rocket like tendencies and possibilities of this wonderful country. How like a rocket he went up, his brilliant, meteor like appearance attracting the attention and winning the admiration, not only of his fellow countrymen, but of all manner of bobs and nabobs from beyond the sea, and then how like a stick, down, down he came, and with the final plunge he stood alone, none so poor as to do him reverence or to extend him sympathy. What his end may be, who can tell? His native energy may dominate the situation, and, with his undoubted wealth, which is a power here to-day, always has been, and always will be, may yet achieve distinction and worthily wear a crown of fame. It doesn't look like it now, however. His newspaper training taught him one thing, and that is to allow newspapers to print what they please. He never explains, never contradicts.

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Notice to Contractors.

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From San Francisco.		From Portland.	
Columbia	9	State of California	10
Oregon	14	Columbia	15
State of California	19	Oregon	20
Columbia	24	State of California	25
Oregon	29	Columbia	March 1
State of Cal.	March 5	Oregon	6

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Passenger Trains leave Portland for Eastern points, at 7:00 P. M. daily.

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ALSO:

Leave Portland for	Mon	Tu.	We.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
Astoria and lower Columbia	6 AM	6 AM	6 AM	6 AM	6 AM	6 AM
Dayton, Or	7 AM		7 AM		7 AM	
Salem	6 AM	.....		6 AM		.....
Corvallis						
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Between PORTLAND and PHŒNIX.

MAIL TRAIN.

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	7:30 A. M.	Phœnix	5:00 A. M.
Phœnix	7:00 P. M.	Portland	4:25 P. M.

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	4:00 P. M.	Lebanon	9:30 P. M.
Lebanon	4:45 A. M.	Portland	10:05 A. M.

The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connection with all Regular Trains on Eastside Division.

WESTSIDE DIVISION.

Between Portland and Corvallis

MAIL TRAIN

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	9:00 A. M.	Corvallis	4:20 P. M.
Corvallis	8:30 A. M.	Portland	3:30 P. M.

EXPRESS TRAIN

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	5:00 P. M.	McMinnville	8:00 P. M.
McMinnville	5:45 A. M.	Portland	9:30 A. M.

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