

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON: TUESDAY, MAY 12, 1884

The Flower boom appears to be budding simultaneously with the trees.

It is a wise delegate who knows just how he will vote at the Chicago convention.

Mr. ARTHUR seems to have all the business men, but it is the delegates who count.

The contrast between the senate and the house of representatives at Washington is very great, the one works and the other talks.

AND now Mr. Carlisle, the champion of the free traders, comes smilingly forward with a little boom for the Democratic presidential candidacy.

The fishermen of the Frith of Forth on the east coast of Scotland, believe that it is unlucky to make their first sale for the day to a broad-thumbed person.

As the picnic season approaches the country editor gives his foreman instructions to hunt around for the stereotyped jokes about lemonade and custard pie.

It Benjamin Butler decides to publish his reminiscences there will be some lively skirmishing in the camps of both parties to buy up the entire edition as fast as printed.

The total indebtedness of Great Britain is now £725,099,336, or in the currency of the United States, \$3,638,491,680. This is equivalent to about two and a half times our present debt.

The interest bearing debt of the United States has been reduced to \$1,250,782,250. The Pacific railroads still owe the government \$42,492,759 for interest paid on the bonds issued to them.

It is telegraphed from Cairo that Zohber Pasha has said he will not rest until he has killed General Gordon. Gordon's intentions toward the warlike Zohber are as yet unknown, but it is probable, should they meet, that some Egyptian undertaker will have a job.

The thirteen states of Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, Oregon, Rhode Island, Vermont and West Virginia, with an aggregate population which does not exceed that of New York alone, have twenty-six United States senators to New York's two.

At the Chicago convention in 1880 Blaine received 9 votes from the Ohio delegation to 35 for Sherman. He will take this time start in with 30 and probably on the next ballot will have 48. He had 17 from New York on the first ballot, and will now start with 30; he had 23 from Pennsylvania on the first vote, and will now get 47, and probably 50 of the 60.

EX-PRESIDENT HAYES is said to have a more elaborate set of scrap books, classified and indexed, than any other public man in the country. He began the collection of scraps when he was a young lawyer in Cincinnati. When he was president he kept one of his clerks constantly busy cutting and pasting slips from the newspapers.

At POINT BARROW, Alaska, the recently-returned United States expedition found evidence that the ground is frozen to a depth of nearly 300 feet. Below a point a few yards from the surface the temperature never changes. From November to May no living thing may be seen on this land except the Inuit and his dog, and an occasional stray reindeer or white fox.

HON. JOHN MYERS, in his speech in this city on Saturday evening, talked about the need of big appropriations for the lower Columbia river, and at Astoria he spoke similarly about appropriations for the Columbia bar. It would be a mistake to repeat these things in other parts of the state. The people in other localities don't want anything done for the lower river or bar. Oregonian 12.

It will be no mistake to repeat his speech all over the state, and Mr. Herman will make a colossal mistake if he doesn't make substantially the same declaration here and elsewhere. The people of eastern and western Oregon are in earnest in their demand for "a free river," and the only mistake made so far is the Oregonian's unwarranted assumption that "the people in other localities don't want anything done for the lower Columbia river or bar." This is something with which "politics" has no concern. We of western Oregon are not going to look twice at the top of a ticket to see whether the words "Republican" or "Democratic" head it, but will look well at the names of men for whom we are asked to vote, and demand that these men place themselves squarely on record as to their intent regarding a question of such vital importance to our prosperity. The party whip cannot be cracked over the shoulders of Republicans of all men, for they at least are supposed to do their own thinking, and the sooner all concerned drop on this little fact the greater the surety of party triumph in June.

CAPTAIN ROMETZ, of the Fifth infantry, predicts that the Indians will be absorbed in the white race, by intermarriage, within a very few generations. He proposes to give them land in severalty, teach them how to care for it, furnish them with tools, require them to obey the laws of civilization, break up their tribal relations, and make citizens of them as soon as they are prepared for it. All of which is doubtless feasible, in time, but not without the raising of a good many scapls.

EVERY one and everything have some sort of a boom except Wall street.

DIED. At Ft. Canby, May 11, Mrs. Jennie Woodruff, aged 43 years, 5 months and 3 days. (Oregon and Washington papers please copy.)

MARRIED. In Astoria, May 10, by Rev. J. V. Milligan, Peter Rinearson and Sarah Johnstone.

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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.



FOR CONGRESS. BINGER HERMAN, of Douglas Co. FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT. JUDGE L. FLINN, of Linn Co.

FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS. D. P. THOMPSON, of Multnomah. J. C. LEASURE, of Umatilla. WARREN TRUITT, of Polk.

FOR JUDGE, FIFTH JUDICIAL DIST. F. J. TAYLOR, of Clatsop.

FOR PROS. ATT'Y, FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT. T. A. McBRIDE, of Clackamas.

Clatsop Co. Republican Ticket. FOR JOINT REPRESENTATIVE, (From Clatsop and Tillamook Counties) J. H. D. GRAY.

FOR SHERIFF. GEO. P. WHEELER. FOR COUNTY CLERK. J. O. SPENCER.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER. A. W. BERRY. FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. D. K. WARREN. H. B. PARKER.

FOR ASSESSOR. J. F. WARREN. FOR SURVEYOR. GELO F. PARKER.

FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT. H. SLOOP. FOR CORONER. J. C. ROSS. Astoria Precinct.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. N. C. GOODSELL. FOR CONSTABLE. J. R. CHRISTIE. Shively Precinct.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. J. W. WELCH. FOR CONSTABLE. O. NELSON.

REGULAR Democratic Ticket

FOR CONGRESS, JOHN MYERS, of Clackamas.

JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT, W. W. THAYER, of Multnomah.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS. L. B. ISON, of Baker. W. D. FENTON, of Yamhill. A. C. JONES, of Douglas.

FOR JUDGE, FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT A. S. BENNETT, of Wasco.

FOR PROS. ATT'Y FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, W. B. DILLARD.

Clatsop County Democratic Ticket. FOR JOINT REPRESENTATIVE, (From Clatsop and Tillamook.) C. LEINENWEBER.

FOR SHERIFF, W. G. ROSS.

FOR COUNTY CLERK, C. J. TRENCHARD.

FOR TREASURER, ISAAC BERGMAN. FOR ASSESSOR, C. W. SHIVELY.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. JOHN HOBSON, F. BARTHOLDE, FOR SURVEYOR, N. D. RAYMOND.

FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT. J. E. HIGGINS.

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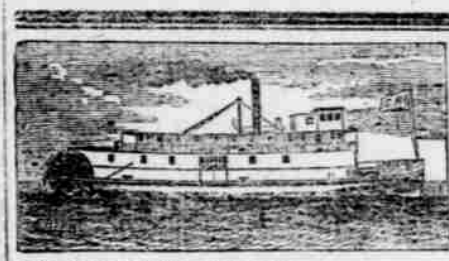
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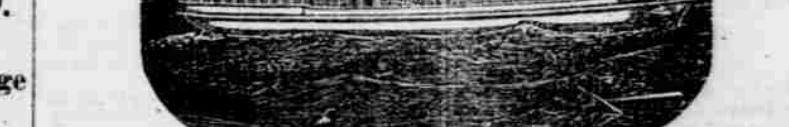
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