

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1894

THE LATEST INVENTION.

A GERMAN INVENTOR named Peterman, living near Pittsburg, is said to have invented a process for distilling whisky into cakes or plugs like tobacco.

This is another proof that the law of supply and demand keep even pace together. For several years the extreme prohibitionists have been devising ways and means to stop the whisky traffic entirely.

But when whisky can be carried around in the pocket in a solid form it is not likely that even prohibitory laws can be enacted and enforced for making a search so minute as would be necessary to detect and capture it.

It is clear that if whisky is hereafter to be put up in the form of condensed beef or fruit, society will require a complete reorganization in order to adapt itself to the new conditions.

The calendars in both houses contain many important measures that have not yet been acted upon this session. There are over two hundred bills on the speaker's table, many of them of great importance.

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SENATOR WARNER MILLER has retired from the position which he supposed he had created—boss of the republican party of New York.

OCEAN races will be popular until some dreadful accident occurs, and then the safest line will give more satisfaction than the swiftest.

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THE only objection that old-fashioned people have to Robert Lincoln is that he parts his hair in the middle.

SEVERAL ex-senators have been quite conspicuous in the lobby during the present session of congress, and, taking advantage of their privilege of admission to the floor, it is not unusual to see them sitting by the side of some one of their former associates pleading for a vote for something or other in which they are personally interested.

SELDOM has the irony of fate received more striking illustration than in the recent financial disaster that has befallen Gen. Grant. The hero of Appomattox, the man who led the legions that defeated Lee and the confederacy, the idol of the nation, the choice of the people for eight years in the White House, finds himself at the age of 62, bereft of fortune and unable to meet his obligations.

THOMAS SMITH, of Stamford, Conn., the oldest ex-United States senator, died on Saturday, at the advanced age of ninety-four years. He entered congress in 1839, where he continued four terms and he was elected to the senate in 1849.

JEFFERSON DAVIS recently said to a northern visitor that General Grant was a great military commander, but that Meade was the most skillful general in the Union army.

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E. L. E. WHITE, who briefly sojourned in this city as a newspaper correspondent last summer, and who is now editor and proprietor of that enlightening paper the Forest Grove Enterprise, took unto himself a wife at Milwaukee on Saturday.

ROSCOE CONKLING firmly declares that he is out of politics, and that the freedom of a professional life possesses greater charms for him than that of being a servant in the most exalted station.

GOVERNOR CLEVELAND is just beginning to discover that he is not a politician, and that Lamont cannot save him.

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NEW TO-DAY

Special Auction Sale Saturday, May 17, 10 A. M.

I am instructed by Mr. J. G. Bower, Clerk of School District No. 1, to sell at public auction, at the New School Building, 4000 feet Seasoned Rustic Lumber, 7 Barrels Cement, 6 Branches Sawed Shingles, 1 Grindstone, 1 Heating Stove.

Private bids for the old school house in the rear of the new school building, will be received by J. G. Bower, Clerk, until the 22nd inst.

Notice IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL CITY ASSESSMENT BLANKS must be returned to the office of the city assessor before the 22nd inst., or no indebtedness will be allowed.

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 DISTRICT, E. 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. E. WARREN, H. B. PARKER.

FOR ASSESSOR, J. F. WARREN.

FOR SURVEYOR, GELO F. PARKER.

FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT, H. SLOOP.

FOR CORONER, J. C. HOSS.

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