ASTORIA, OREGON:

SATURDAY MAY 31, 1884

LAND GRANTS IN CONGRESS.

A WASHINGTON dispatch of the 29th says: In anticipation of the adjournment of congress without final action on the proposed land grant forfeiture lands has prepared a report which will cannot have too much of it. Let the bills, the house committee on public be submitted on the first opportunity, in which they recommend the passage of a joint resolution, suspending the issue of certificates of lands within the limits of grants to railroads in before congress for forfeiture of such grants, until final action shall have been taken by congress. The committee desires the passage of this resolution, because in his annual report, the secretary of the interior informed congress that in the absence of congressional action in respect to COMMENCING MONDAY, JUNE 2. raffroad land grants, the department has been in the habit of issuing patents for land when the roads are MR. and MRS. H.A. KENDALL constructed, whether they are built within or after the time provided for in their charters. The committee has reported a number of forfeiture bills, and others are under consideration. They say that so far they have failed to find a single company that has complied with either the letter or the spirit of the law, and to prevent the large amount of land involved from passing into the hands of railroad companies, some immediate action must be taken by congress The fact stated by the secretary of the interior warrants the expectation that when congress adjourns great pressure will be brought to bear by the companies to obtain patents, and in the absence of congressional legislation the department would proceed to issue patents for lands along the completed portions of the railroads

THE Wall street failures of the last few weeks are a mere bagatelle compared with that of the great Oriental bank in London, which had branches all over British India and in Austra lia. Although its capital stock was only a little more than seven million dollars, it numbered more than one hundred thousand shareholders, every one of whom will be responsible to the full extent of his fortune. The liabilities are over forty million dollars. Tens of thousands of people will lose all they possess. Several of the unfortunates have committed suicide because of the disaster, and many more probably will follow their example. was badly managed. The savings of widows, orphans, poor clergymen, doctors, clerks, have all been swept away in the crash. It recalls the downfall of the Glasgow bank some years ago. London seems to have a class of speculators as reckless as any in New York. The English press dure past two weeks has been read ing us lessons in financial honesty. It can find a text nearer home.

ENGLISH JOURNALISTS are doing all sorts of croaking over our New York average British financier that our troubles are confined mainly to a few stock gamblers. The English editor thinks the bottom has fallen out of the Western hemisphere. The Manchester Guardian especially predicts that the ragged edge of American prosperity has now been reached and that India and Australia can walk ahead of us and leave Brother Johnathan behind. As if India and Australis and the rest of the Old World had not been trying that and getting beaten for a half a century. The truth is, these slips of the gamblers will only teach honest Americans the better how to keep their feet and our grandmothers over the sea may expect us henceforth to do better than ever. We are simply learning how.

THE National Union Prayer meeting in New York has devoted one whole week to praying for editors. Some of the New York editors are past praying for, but they doubtless appreciate the Union's good intentions. By the way, it is a noticeable fact that in the great Methodist conference which is in session at Philadelphia, out of the four Bishops that that body has elected, three are, or were editors. The latter fact is strongly confirmatory of the French philosopher's assertion that "Journalism is a profession which leads to anything-if you abandon it in

YESTERDAY'S Oregonian makes itself ridiculous in charging Blaine with being a "railroad man," and as- thereof serts without proving that he is in league with the corporations. It is because he is a man of the people, a man with the courage of his convictions, a man that has a public record as a champion of popular rights, that the convention will nominate him next Tuesday, and the people will elect him next November.

A MAN in Wilmington, Del., has just been sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, a fine of \$6, one hour in the pillory, twenty lashes and three years in jail for stealing an umbrella. That town is evidently making a bold bid for more citizens.

WHEN candidates on the same side of the fence begin to distrust each other it is time for them to secure the largest lump of harmony they can find and pass it around.

THE American end of the new Mackey-Bennett cable has been successfully landed at Rockport, in Massachusetts, to the accompaniment of booming cannon and ringing bells by the villagers of that little settlement. The commercial world will rejoice also, although in a less demonstrative way, over the prospect of cheaper rates which the new enterprise prom-

ises. Competition will be a good thing for the public, and competition, strong and vigorous, is promised. We cable kings see who can do the most work for the least money.

THE National Greenback convention at Indianapolis last Thursday nominated B. F. Butler of Massa all cases in which bills are pending chusetts for president, and A. M. West of Mississippi for vice president.

ONE WEEK,

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET. A T MRS. GEO. HILLER'S, NEXT DOOR to Weston Hotel.

Change of Business.

HAVING SOLD MY CIGAR AND PRUIT
Stand to C. N. Martin, Itake pleasure
in recommending him to the Public.
Mr. Martin will conduct the business as
before: also sell milk by the pint or quart.
Thanking my customers for their patrouage
which I hope they will extend to my successor, I am, respectfully.
L. N. DARLAND.

Net Lost.

On THE NIGHT OF THE TWENTY-fourth of May, off Scarborough Hill, about 24c fathoms 45-mesh net Scotch 40-12, corks branded F. R. W. Finder will please communicate with F. E. Wright at C. Tim-mins & Co. Upper Astoria.

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Notice.

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Notice To Contractors.

NYIL JUNE FOURTH, AT 6 P. M., THE U undersigned will receive sealed bids for a dwelling house to be erected for Mr. J. H. Mansell. Plans and specifications can be seen at my office.

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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 Classop and Tillamook Count 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.

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. E. GOODELL. 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. FOR JUDGE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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

Clatsop County Democratic Ticket. FOR JOINT REPRESENTATIVE.

(From Clatsop and Tillamook Countles.) C. LEINENWEBER. FOR SHEEIFF.

W. G. ROSS. FOR COUNTY CLERK,

C. J. TRENCHARD. FOR TREASURER, ISAAC BERGMAN.

FOR ASSESSOR. C. W. SHIVELY.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, JOHN HOBSON, F. BARTOLDES.

> POR SURVEYOR, N. D. RAYMOND.

FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT, J. E. HIGGINS.

> FOR CORONER. B. B. FRANKLIN.

Astoria Precinct.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

C. R. THOMSON.

FOR CONSTABLE.

ASTORIA, OBEGON, May 22d, 1884,
To J. F. HALLORAN, EDITOR ASTORIAN,—
DEAR SIR: You will please publish in your paper, the Democratic ticket as hereto attached, and state by authority of the un-

dersigned.

C. H. PAGE, Chairman.
A. H. STONE, per
JOHN ADAIR, Jr., (Proxy.)
R. J. MORRISON, by
JOHN HOBSON, (Proxy.)
Democratic County Committee for Clatsop
Sounty, Oregon.

PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE.

Away With Rings and Bulldosers! VOTE FOR

P. H. FOX. THE OLD SOLDIER.

For Justice of the Peace.

To the Voters of Astoria Precinct. HEREBY ANNOUNCE MYSELF AN independent candidate for Constable of Astoria precinct at the coming election.

S. G. INGALIS.

Notice.

DEVERAL PARTIES HAVING EXpressed the idea that I am a candidate
for the office of Coroner merely to fill out
the Republican ticket, I wish to announce
to my friends and others, that if elected I
shall open a first class undertaking estabishment in connection with said office and
shall be prepared at all times to furnish
anything required in that line at the most
reasonable prices. I carnestly request
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County Treasurer's Notice. THERE IS MONEY IN THE COUNTY Treasury to pay all county orders pre-sented prior to July 15th, 1885. All such or-ders will cease to draw interest after this date. CHAS. HEILBORN. Treasurer Clatsop Co. d w

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For County Treasurer. I HEREBY ANNOUNCE MYSELF AS AN Independent Candidate for

COUNTY TREASURER. MAGNUS C. CROSBY Astoria, May 9, 1884.

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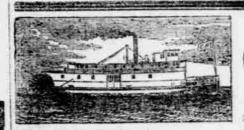
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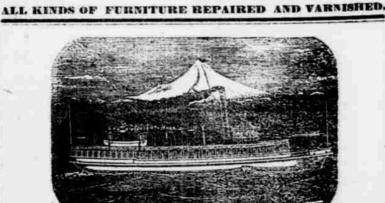
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