

The Daily Astorian. ASTORIA, OREGON; SUNDAY JUNE 27, 1884. ASTORIA MUST BE REPRESENTED.

The World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, to open in New Orleans December 1, 1884, is to be something prodigious. Congress loans a million, the people subscribe another million, and the city gives \$100,000. It also furnishes a park of 247 acres. The main building will cover thirty-two acres of land, being 1,375 feet long and 904 feet wide, affording 1,656,300 square feet of floor space. The music hall, 1,375 feet long by 250 feet wide, will seat 11,000 persons. Two hundred and fifty thousand feet of space will be allotted to foreign governments and the same for the United States and territories. Horticultural hall, the largest ever erected, is 600x184 feet, and is lighted by a glass roof and surmounted by a glass tower ninety feet in height, and is warmed by improved heating apparatus. It also is supplied with ample refrigerators for the reception and preserving in good condition of fruits that will be on display. Around this building, and under cover, will be exhibited plants and shrubs. Mexico will fill the main center with royal palms and choice plants, and outside cover 300,000 square feet with a garden, and the Central American republics and Florida and California will duplicate the Mexican garden. No exhibition has ever had more than 11,000 plants of fruit—this one will have 20,000. Forty acres are set apart for live stock, fowls, etc. Machinery and mills of all sorts will have ample accommodation. National educational displays will abound and everything ever shown in world's fairs will be found in this. Arrangements have been made with all the railroads at one cent a mile fare. From San Francisco the fare will be \$24.49; Astoria, \$30, and so on. Ten millions of people are expected to visit the exposition while open.

As the number of votes cast in the Electoral College under the new apportionment will be 401, Mr. Blaine, to be successful, will need to secure 201. The states that may with tolerable safety be regarded as Republican in presidential years, when the candidate is satisfactory, are Colorado, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont and Wisconsin—numbering 171 votes. The states of California, Connecticut, Indiana and Nevada, which sometimes go Democratic, if added to the Republican column, would give a total of 203, or two more than the number needed to elect. Giving thus to Mr. Blaine all the states about which any doubt may be entertained, it is perceived that he may be elected without the thirty-six electoral votes of New York. Should he, however, lose Massachusetts, or in fact, any one of the states named above, he must fail of success without New York. With New York he could dispense with the fourteen votes of Massachusetts, the fifteen of Indiana, and the eight of California, or any other of the states above mentioned, of which the aggregate electoral vote does not exceed thirty-eight. Should he lose both Massachusetts and New York, his election would seem to be impossible.

A PARISIAN newspaper's device of hiring physicians to attend gratuitously upon its subscribers commends itself to the proprietors of many American papers at this time. The amount of abuse that will be hurled at the heads of presidential candidates will necessarily affect the minds of the people and render the services of a physician imperative. THE ASTORIAN, however, will have no occasion to make such an offer. It will be good humored and jolly, even in the hottest part of the campaign, and will endeavor to make its friends forget their strife by furnishing food for smiles instead of bitter medicine which causes sorrow.

VARIOUS interesting points are to be noticed about the new steamer America, whose amazing record has already made her on her first voyage the most remarkable of the great ocean fleet. She is a different sort of a model from the Oregon, Alaska, Aurania and others that cut through the water with perpendicular prows. They are made to carry big cargoes as well as to make quick time. The America goes back to the old California clipper for a model. She rides the waves instead of cutting them, and is described as a great yacht, made not for freight but for passengers, and made for their convenience as well as for their conveyance. This is an innovation.

That admirable exponent of British sentiment, the Pall Mall Gazette, declares that if Mr. Blaine shall become president "he will endeavor to replace English influence and trade by American wherever he can." This is a good reason why he should not run well in England, but it is hardly calculated to embarrass his canvass in the United States.

QUEEN VICTORIA has out lived most of her contemporaries. There are only three men in the house of commons who were there when she ascended the throne, forty-seven years ago.

They are Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Talbot, and Mr. Villiers. Earl Gray is the only living member of the cabinet that was in office at that time.

A SIMPLE and inexpensive jail is that belonging to Naples county, Idaho. It is a hole in the ground ten feet deep, into which the prisoner is dropped, and out of which he cannot climb, as the hole is larger at the bottom than at the top. When a prisoner is wanted, the guards drop a line and pull him up on it.

ONE of the bad effects to be apprehended from Blaine's nomination is that all the politicians who want to be president will go to writing histories and turning book agents loose upon the country in such swarms that every citizen will have to maintain two or three dogs.

NEW TO-DAY. Reduction! FOR THE NEXT SIXTY DAYS, MRS. A. B. JEWETT will sell her stock of HILLIARD'S FINE FURS at a Reduction of Twenty per Cent.

Grand Excursion TO Skipanon and the Sea Beach. Steamer Clara Parker. Will leave Main Street Dock, at 10 A. M. on Sunday, June 22, 1884.

FIRST Annual Ball July 4th, 1884, GIVEN BY CUSHING POST NO. 14, G. A. R. AND Cushing Relief Corps No. 3, AT OCCIDENTAL HALL!

Ship City of Delhi. NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE consignees of the above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew while the vessel lies in this port.

Notice. I have this day purchased the entire business of Wherry and Co., of Clatsop County, Oregon, together with all Horses, Stock, Cattle, Tools and Implements belonging to and used by them in their business; and also all notes, accounts, debts and dues, owing by any and all persons to said firm.

NET RACKS TO RENT. AND A NET MENDER. J. W. HUME.

School Meeting Dist. No. 18. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A meeting of the legal voters of School District No. 18, Clatsop County, Oregon, will be held at the school house on the 26th day of June, 1884, at the hour of 7 o'clock P. M.

Grand Excursion STR. GEN. MILES. Will make an Excursion Trip to Fort Canby and Ilwaco, Next Sunday, The 22nd Inst. Leaving Gray's Dock at 8 A. M.

O. R. & N. CO. SPECIAL NOTICE. Excursion Tickets from Astoria to Portland and return \$2.50. THE FAST ELEGANT STEAMER WIDE WEST.

For Gray's Harbor THE STEAMER A. B. FIELD. Will sail from MAIN STREET WHARF for GRAY'S HARBOR, on TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 1884.

Notice of Application. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned will, at the next regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of Astoria, Clatsop County, Oregon, apply to said Council for a license to retail wine, malt and spirituous liquors in less quantities than one quart, for the period of one year, in the Occident Hotel.

THE NEW YORK NOVELTY STORE! Opposite the Parker House. THE NEW YORK Novelty STORE!

Headquarters for the Young and the Old. Books Musical Instruments, Toys Stationery and Novelties of Every Description.

Westport and Astoria THE FAVORITE STEAMER GOLD DUST. Which has been thoroughly refitted for the comfort of Passengers will run this season between Westport and Astoria.

Boat Building. JOS. P. LEATHERS. Formerly over Arndt & Ferchen's Machine Shop.

At The Bureau. Anheuser Busch Brewing Ass'n of St. Louis, Mo. Celebrated Anheuser Beer on Draught at Pinckney's Sample Room.

For Sale Cheap. One English Laundry Mangle. In good working order. Also, ONE GOOD BOUND WATER TANK.

Reduction in Prices! OF Silks, Satins, Velvets, Dress Goods, CLOAKS Wraps, Dolmans, Ready-Made Suits, Etc. PILGER'S BRANCH.

We submit the following partial price list to the ladies of Astoria. We would state that you can order any quantity desired by the yard, or match any shade in satin, velvet, silk or dress goods. We have full and complete samples of our entire stock in Portland.

SILK DEPARTMENT. 18-inch Black Silk, heavy, for Trimming, sold by us for 75 cents per yard. 20-inch Black Silk, heavy, all silk, sold now for 90 cents per yard.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT. Samples and prices on application of New French Dress Goods, late importations. Fields, Nuns' Veilings, Ottomans, Velours, Empress' Cloths, Serges, Jersey Cloths, Striped Combinations, Tricots, Ladies' Cloths, and many other lines in black and colors, in all leading and popular shades.

Carpets! Carpets! Carpets! We beg to call the attention of the public to our latest importation, direct from Eastern manufacturers, of the LARGEST INVOICE OF CARPETS.

Furniture and House Furnishing Line CHAS. HEILBORN. New Establishment! NEW PRICES!!



Carpets, Matting, Pictures, Mirrors, PICTURE FRAMES MOULDINGS, ETC., ETC. At Greatly Reduced Prices.

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STEAMER CLARA PARKER. For TOWING, FREIGHT or CHARTER apply to the Captain, or to H. B. PARKER.

EMPIRE STORE THE ONLY Exclusive Dry Goods House IN ASTORIA.

Our Stock Is The Most Complete, Our Prices At Rock Bottom And Our Anxiety To Sell Is Unequaled! We Are Always at the Top of the Market.

John A. Montgomery, DEALER IN Tin, Sheet Iron and Copper Ware.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS. Magee Stoves and Ranges. PLUMBING, GAS FITTING, AND CANNERY WORK.

THE NEW MODEL RANGE CAN BE HAD IN ASTORIA ONLY OF E. B. HAWES, AGENT.

MARTIN OLSEN & CO. DEALERS IN FURNITURE AND BEDDING.

FOR Finest Groceries, GO TO FOARD & STOKES. A FULL LINE OF HARDWARE AND Ship Chandlery.

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