

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON: THURSDAY, AUGUST 14, 1884

It is about time to spring the usual campaign stories on Ben Butler. Why has he escaped thus far?

In Russia the girls carry dynamite in their back hair. It is safe to assert that those maidens never attempt roller skating.

CLEVELAND is accused of indulging in the odoriferous cigarette. This charge, like many others, will doubtless end in smoke.

A PETRIFIED forest has been discovered in Arkansas. It is believed that it is the paradise of paralyzed presidential booms.

THE mitigating circumstances pleaded in Governor Cleveland's case by his champion, the Evening Post, is that the lady was a widow.

THE Cleveland organs are drawing the line between a man's private life and his public acts. Which reminds the St. Louis Globe-Democrat of the story of a bishop who reproved a clergyman for swearing. "It is the man, and not the priest, who swears," was the reply. "But," said the bishop, "when the devil gets the man, what will become of the priest?"

CHINESE gongs, tom-toms and dragons do not scare European soldiers, and pigtails fail to inspire awe. The drunken British tar has been known to put to flight an entire company of Celestial infantry, and a barrel of boiling pitch to weaken a boat's crew of their best marines. The French have now stood about as much parading as they feel inclined to swallow. Their decks are cleared for action, and unless Tehing-Chow, One Lung, Ting-a-Ling, and the other advisers of the tea cabinet make up their minds to fork over the needful there is going to be a storm in a teacup.

THE president of the United States enjoys one great advantage over the crowned heads of Europe. He can go fishing. If when a crowned head felt uneasy he could go and bob for eels, or cast a fly, he would experience a feeling of calm serenity to which he is a stranger. But it is impossible for the czar to bait a hook without feeling that a nihilist is watching him; or for Queen Victoria to land a trout without imagining that it is loaded. There is no rest for the crowned head. It must either submit to supervision or prepare to depart in small pieces. When a president desires to be alone he can be so; a crowned head cannot.

AN Ohio farmer is credited with saying that a cow can be cured of kicking by catching hold of her in the act. If a cow can be cured of this objectionable practice why could not a similar cure be tried in the case of a bolter? When the ticket is placed in front of him a regular supporter might stand behind him ready to catch his leg before it kicked. The same treatment might be tried with the arm. When a bolter raised his arm with the intention of bringing it down upon the nominee a watchful benchman might catch it from behind. It would be impossible, of course, to stop tongues from wagging but by grabbing hold of the left ear at a critical moment a counter-irritant would certainly be created.

THE proposal made by the British military authorities to establish pigeon stations suggests the idea that these winged messengers might be utilized during the campaign. Not only might they act as messengers between distant points, but the number employed on each side might serve to indicate the state of the canvass. White-crested pigeons might carry the Blaine dispatches, and fountains the Cleveland. The Greenback party would probably employ pouters, and tumbler would be especially useful in disaffected or uncertain districts. As it will be necessary for Schurz to employ aerial messengers, the solemn conscientious crew would no doubt willingly respond. He is not a dove, but he would do his duty faithfully.

CAMPAIGN managers are indebted for a good idea to a member of the Clan Cameron, who appeared at a Scotch gathering the other day with some handsome eagle feathers in his cap. All the candidates and their followers want to wear feathers in their caps. They cannot all don the feathers of our national bird. These must be reserved for the successful candidate in November. Still there are many birds to choose from. Feathers from the ordinary barnyard rooster would be significant and becoming to the Blaineites. Being a bachelor, Governor Cleveland might prefer the bird of paradise. A hawk's wing would no doubt suit Black John, and the Indiana statesman's crest would well become a feather from the tail of a heron. Nothing less than the entire appendage of a peacock would satisfy Ben Butler. Is the wing of a crow waiting for John Kelly?

NEW TO-DAY.

School N. tice. THE TAXPAYERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 18, Clatsop County, Oregon, are hereby given notice at the Assessor's office...

PUBLIC SALE THIS EVENING.

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I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC SALE WITH-OUT RESERVE, some choice Lots in Beach Addition to Ocean Park W. T. ON This Evening, 7 P. M. - Occident Corner.

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Notice. I'S HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANNU-AL meeting of Stockholders of the White Star Packing Co., will be held at the Company's office, Upper Astoria, on Saturday, August 23rd, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Check Lost. CHECK NO. 217, DRAWN ON CORBITT and Macleay of Portland, signed by J. G. Meagher, in favor of B. Haggerty has been lost.

House Wanted. A SIX-ROOMED HOUSE IN A GOOD locality, with plenty water. Apply at this office.

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