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ASTORIA AND VICINITY.

Matinee this afternoon Last night of the Nashville Jubilee The Columbia sailed at 2:30 yesterday

The grand jury concluded its labors yesterday for the term.

Popular prices at the matinee this afternoon; admission, fifty cents; children, twenty-five cents. The Nashville Jubilee Students give a matinee performance at two

Gen. Miles has directed that the post adjutant at Fort Camby shall perform the duty of recruiting officer.

"Oh, No! They never say its going to rain to day. They just remark: 'Hello! somebody's going on a picinic.'" Astoria's delegation to the fireman's tournament is about ready. Some of the boys go up to-morrow and some Monday. The many friends of Chaplain Scott will be glad to know that for the present he remains at Fort Stevens. He may go to Angel Island about New Year's.

B. S. Worsley will sell at his auction room to-day two complete sets of furni-ture and a large assortment of miscellan-cons goods. Sales at 2 and 7 o'clock P.M. For the first time in thirty-six years military freight for the upper country will now go from Vancouver by way of Portland, thus abandoning the up-river

It is thought probable that upon Inger-soll's return from the Sound, he will lec-ture in Portiand for the woman suffrage cause, taking that movement as his

Watson and Wright's new steamer Coos Bay is expected here next week. She will load salmon for San Francisco. She is 140 feet long. 26 feet beam, and registers 311 tons. Clatsop, Pacific and Wahkiakum coun-

ties will send less rooney to Californis this year for hay than any other in their history. The home product is abundant and of fine quality.

Robert should get their seats to-day.

What might have been a serious fire at 4:20 yesterday was hapily averted. Some marks from Brown & McCabe's engine on Gray's dock lodged on the roof of the use, but were put out at once. An mptu drill not on the regular even-

The Oregonian instances a clever idea.

'Twas said that the 24-hour system would never be introduced, because the present construction of millions of clocks and watches would thus be rendered useless.

Boston Baked Beans and Brown Bread every Sunday at Jeff's from 5 A. M. to

-Will you suffer with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. Sold by W. E. Dament.

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DOWN BY THE GULF.

The Crescent City in Summer-Her Quaintness and Peculiarities-Progress the World's Exposition

NEW OBLEANS, August 5, 1884.

brief time, without being struck by the contrasts that they discover here and there as they walk about the charming old city. There are incidents of life, bits of scenery, and queer characters bits of scenery, and queer characters are contrasts. Colonel Hollows; Indicate the principal cities of the world and have charmed millions by their rendition of the songs of their own southern land.

Finer singers exist; purer, clearer voices are heard on the lyric stage, but there is an indescribable pathos, sweetness and melody about the sones of these recoles. with prolific fig trees that never fail to Reserved seats for to-night's performance at the New York Novelty store.

Win. Howe desires it stated that he will furnish mouldings at a half a cent a foot.

Ouissel is the name of the latest faney brand of champagne. Pop goes the Ouissel.

Popular prices at the matinee this aftprentitut, will beautify inconsants of the overgreen trees. The banana, too, is no stranger tree here, it stands beside many a garden wall, stretching its broad, long leaves from the ground, seemingly, far above the orange and the fig. By day it is a thing of beauty, it looks so fresh, so

strange and weird, as if winged spirits were flitting through the air. Once in a while one may see a palm tree

Once in a while one may see a palm tree but it is by no means a common object, even in the most costly gardens.

Those who come here from the far-away north, find themselves in a region where to them a new climatic law prevails, in a land of sunshine where the fruits of the tropics flourish, and where roses bloom the vear round in the open air.

The population appears odd and unlike that of any other city, for it is made up of Americans, French, English, Germans, Italians, Spaniards, Chinamen, Africans, and in short every nation and tribal division of the earth seems to have sent

vision of the earth seems to have sent some of its members hither, as if com-pelled to contribute to a great ethnologi-

cal museum.

Our authors, writers and thinkers have found a mine of literary ore in Louisiana and although several native literateurs have tried to "squat" on certain fields, the fact remains patent to all observers that the land is still rich in incidents and old time traditions that old time traditions that have never been told in book or in song. The old city boasts of numerous authors, male and female, but unfortunately for society they are as shy and modest as thought-makers

nsually are.

But the all absorbing topic of the hour is the exposition. The fact that the season is so far advanced that it is now im-

continuity send less wooney to California this year for hay than any other in their history. The home product is abundant and of fine quality.

A. W. Ferguson, an old resident of Astoria came down on yesterday evening's boat. Mr. Ferguson has been in poor health for some time, but will doubtless improve in this air.

The Blaine and Logan cigar at J. W. Bottom's, next door to F. B. Elberson's bakery, is in the field. The Cleveland and Hendricks' cigar is also sold at J. W. Bottom's. Either brand are sure to suit you. Try 'em.

The Messrs. Chabot are expending largely of time and money in their experiments on cranberry culture near liwaco. This is the third year of operations, and the project is viewed with interest by many.

Ex-Senator Mitchell has been lying very ill at the Ebbitt House in Washington, and it was thought at one time his illness—a case of blood-poisoning from an ulcerated tooth—would prove fatal. At last accounts he was considerably better.

From the way the subscriptions to the Daily and Weisland. At last accounts he was considerably better.

Bob Ingersoll will lecture in Occidental hall next Thursday evening. Sale of seats begins at the New York Novelty store this morning. Not since Beecher has there been an attraction of such magnitude, and those who want to hear Robert should get their seats to-day.

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magnitude, and those who want to hear Robert should get their seats to-day.

In the circuit court yesterday Ed Alderdyoe was sentenced to fifty days in the county jail. Dan Moran pleaded gailty and was sentenced to eighteen months in the penitentiary. The cases of Stouff and Tustin, charged with larceny, occupied the greater portion of the day.

There is now sufficient money in the treasury of the I. S. B. and Gray's Harbor Railroad Co., to make the building of that road an assured fact. The preliminary surveys have been made, the estimates are in, and the intention is to have the road in running order by June lst. 1885. resenting all portions of the state, if room can be provided for such an exten-sive exhibit. The most astonishing cirsive exhibit. The most astonishing circumstance connected with the prepara-tions for the great show is the enthusiasm displayed by the young states and terri-tories. The Commissioners from those regions come here from time to time, find out what their rivals are about and return home ready to raise thereely

return home ready to raise themselves out of call, so to speak.

Mr. R. C. Wood, commissioner of Mex-The Oregonian instances a clever idea.

Twas said that the 24-hour system would never be introduced, because the present construction of millions of clocks and watches would thus be rendered meless. The project is to paste the numerals from 13 to 24 in side the circle of the dial from 1 to 12.

Walter L. Robb received a telegram from Santa Barbara, Cal., last evening with the sad news of the death of T. E. Woodfield, of this place, at 6:30 yesterday afternoon. Mr. Woodfield was well known in this city; last season was superintendent of the Point Adams Packing Co., and last spring went to southern California in hopes that that climate would mitigate the consumption that preyed upon him. He was about 30 years of age and a member of Astor Lodge No. 6, K. of P.

At a meeting called for the purpose last evening the organization known as "The Astoria Printing and Publishing Company" went out of existence. By a vote of 76 to 16 it was decided to disincorporate; each stockholder gets \$5 of the \$22 that the share cost. The rest goes for experience. There were 126 shares, on which \$2,772 had been collected. Of the smount \$2,142 does not appear; the remaining \$630 goes as a pro rata of \$5 cach among the shareholders. Bob Willigren is now sole owner of the material.

Poston Baked Beans and Brown Broad.

The Proposition Management that the public expectation with the thorpoint states indicate that the public expectation will be fully met by the character and extent of Mexico's display. If 1 were to tell you he says, of some of the intended displays, I am afraid you would conclude that my imagination had run away with me. En possont, it may be remarked, that the stories of Professor Langhammer of New Mexico, and General Sickles of Colorado, might impress one with the thought that their imaginations had run away with the thought that the public expectation will be fully met by the character and extent of Mexico's display. If 1 were to tell you he says, of some of the intended displays, I am afraid you would conclude that my i

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Or Shoe, go to P. J. Goodmans, on Chenamus street, next door to I. W. Case. All goods of the best make and guaranteed quality. A full stock; new goods constantly arriving. Custom work. Stop That Cough

By going to J. E. Thomas's and getting a bottle of Leroy's Cough Balsam. IT WILL CUBE YOU.

-Roscoe Dixon's new eating house is now open. Everything has been fitted up in first-class style, and his well known reputation as a caterer assures all who like good things to eat, that at his place they can be accommodated.

NO "TATTOO" BUSINESS THIS TIME.

Blaine Sues an Indiana Newspaper for Libel. Indianapolis, Aug. 14 .- On the 8th inst. the Sentinel of this city contained an editorial charging that Blaine had seduced his present wife in Kentucky and The Crescent City is different from then fled to Maine, where, the young any other city in the Union. Not only woman and her father following, he marhas it a cosmopolitan population, but it ried her at the point of a shot-gun. This has certain peculiarities that serve to having reached Mr. Blaine he telegraphed make it a place of interest to the tourist. Colonel Holloway of the Times that the The quaint old buildings in the French statement was maliciously and infamousquarter, the easy-going life of the people, ly false in every particular. Political their joyous nature and love of gniety, slanders, he says, he pays no attention Advertisements inserted by the year at the rate of \$2 per square per month. Transient advertising fifty cents per square, each ods on one hand, the slow disappearance wife and children cannot be submitted insertion. of men great in the commercial world to. Holloway was asked to secure the thirty or forty years ago on the other, all services of a lawyer at once and bring serve as matter to reflect upon; and few suit against the responsible publisher of strangers can remain here, even for a the Sentinel. Colonel Holloway placed have sung in the principal cities of the

> that even our novelist, Mr. Cable, has not painted. On every hand there are nooks that one likes to stand and admire, places that one likes to stand a stand where the sun seems to get in in order to and abominably false in every statement sleep away the day. Here the gardens with ordide for trees that never fail to

> THE COMPLAINT. Harrisom, Miller & Elam, attorneys, in leaves from the ground, seemingly, far accordance with Blaine's directions, filed above the orange and the fig. By day it is a thing of beauty, it looks so fresh, so green, and cool; at night, when the nimble fingers of the breezes toy with its unfolded leaves, it emits a rustling sound strange and weight as if winged expirite.

its president and business manager, who, it charges, directs and controls the publication of that paper. The document proceeds as follows: "That on the 8th day of August, 1894, said defendants, wickedly intending to injure, defame and scandalize plaintiff, did maliciously print and publish, in the regular daily issue of said paper for that day, of and concerning plaintiff, a certain false, scandalous and defamatory article, in the words following: "Can Blaine afford it? The campaign war against Cleveland is, to say the least, indecent. Failing to find vulnerable points in his public record, his enemies have assaulted a supposed irregularity in his private conduct. They have dressed and redressed the affair until the actual facts of it are but a small part of the furbelowed, frilled and puffed figure walking in the Blaine Republican prints. This besmirching of private character is the stock in trade of the Blaine folks; it is all they have to offer against the Democratic candidate. But can James G. Blaine afford this plan of battle? If his flanks are so unprotected as they are currently understood to be, is he not provoking a scathing fire by permitting these assaults on Grover Cleveland? The Democracy will hardly remain quiet on Blaine's inner life, when his supporters are resorting to scandalmongering against its candidates. The charges of seduction made upon Mr. Cleveland, and which sre false upon their very face, can, it appears, be turned on Blaine, and made to stick. There is Cieveiand, and which are false upon their very face, can, it appears, be turned on Blaine, and made to stick. There is hardly an intelligent man in the country who has not heard that James G. Blaine betrayed the girl whom he married at the muzzle of a shotgun.

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BLAINE SEVERELY ARRAIGNED.

"The democratic press has had the magnanimity not to put forth these reports which must cause pain to the members of Blaine's family. The republican papers have long known of them and have allowed them to go undenied. If Mr. Blaine was scoundrel enough to betray an innocent girl, if after despoiling her, he was craven enough to refuse his legal redress, by giving legitimacy to her child until a loaded shotgun stimulated his conscience, then there is a blast on his private character more foul if possible than the countless stains on his political record. His conduct discloses moral obliquity rendering him undesserving of social confidence and an unfit man to be president. A candidate with man to be president. A candidate with such a record cannot afford to assails his opponent. As between Cleveland and Blaine, what fair minded man can hesi-Blaine, what fair minded man can hesitate to pronounce for the former, a cleaner and purer man?" Plaintiff lays his damage at \$30,000. This evening it is understood that to-morrow proceedings will be begun against Shoemaker and the author of the article, under Grubb's libel law, in the state courts. This will compel Mr. Blaine's attendance as a witness. Attorneys say the suit and criminal proceedings will be pushed with all possible dispatch.

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Don't pay 50 cents elsewhere when you can get the best dinner in town at JEFF'S for 25 cents.

-A Nasal Injector free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy Price 50 cents. Sold by W. E. Dement -"Hackmetack," a lasting and fra-grant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by W. E. Dement.

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STATE AND TERRITORIAL NEWS.

Seattle has street cars and is happy. San Francisco says the lepers must go. Tacoma is to have \$250,000 worth of

By the new overland schedule the mail, reaches Ashland two days from San Francisco. The surveyors who have been looking for a railroad route through the mountains over the Lebanon route will give the Minto pass a thorough examination. Parties who are posted say that the Minto route is the best mountain pass between the Columbia and Klamath rivers.

The Nashville Students.

The Nashville Jubilee Students appeared for the first time in Astoria last evening and by their unequaled melodies

southern land.

Finer singers exist; purer, clearer voices are heard on the lyric stage, but there is an indescribable pathos, sweetness and melody about the songs of these people that appeals most touchingly and most effectively to the sentiment and sensibilities of those who hear them.

To hear "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot," "Roll, Jordan, Roll," "Swance River," and "Dem Golden Slippers" is a genuine treat.

treat.

There will be a matines especially for ladies and children this afternoon, and there will be a farewell performance to-night. There is a change of programme

"La Mascotte." Mr. F. E. Samuell, Music Teacher, La Mascotte, Burnett street, St. Kilda, Melbourne, Australia, writes to the Argus of that city: I had suf-fered for years with painful chil-blains, and tried all kinds of remedies and received only temporary relief. After two applications of St. Jacobs Cil, the great pain-cure, they were entirely cured and I have not been roubled with them since.

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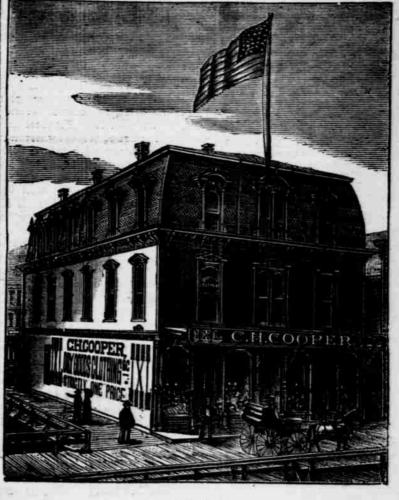
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