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Astoria and Vicinity.

Regular council meeting to-night. The State sailed for San Francisco yes terday afternoon.

The A. B. Field goes to Tillamook at six o'clock this morning.

The fall term of school in district No. One begins next Monday.

The Gypsy sails for Shoalwater and Gray's harbor to-day.

The Walla Walla is at work sluicin out Walker's island bar this week. The Wide West returns to Portland with passengers at one o'clock this after-

The Wm. H. Starbuck is due to-mor-ow. She loads here, getting \$20,000 amp charter to New York. row.

The U.S. steamer Gen. H. G. Wright left yesterday for Yaquins, carrying supplies for government work.

The Clatsop excursionists got back in good shape yesterday afternoon. Each one bore a trophy and a souvenir of the

The Oregon State Woman Suffrage Asociation has made arrangements for an address by Col. Ingersoll in Portland,

Stockholders of the O. F. L. & B. asso cistion can get their dividends at the Occident, from A. J. Megler, secretary of the association.

The Roseburg Plaindealer comes to band methetically printed on a yellow sheet. Its stock of paper was burned in the late disastrons fire, but it is on time and full of news

Holders of passes from the Columbia river to San Francisco will have to pay for meals and berths, after this. Their grub bill will depend on their immunity from seasickness.

The Masonic Land and Bailding Ass cistion is putting in a foundation oppo-site the O. R. & N. dock, where some of these days, a fine building will arise for the use of the order.

Tickets for No. One's ball next Friday The motive is an efficient fire department.

The Alameda finished yesterday. She has 46,800 cases salmon aboard. The Belle of Oregon has about 30,000 cases aboard and will take 2,500 more. The Kirkwood has 25,000 cases on board and will load about 15,000 more.

The Astoria boys are a whole-souled crowd with hearts as "big as all out doors," and they extend a more than cordial welcome to all firemen of Orogon to their city on the second Wednesday in June, 1885. They will treat them roy-ally.—Salem Statesman, 23.

At half-past eight to-morrow morning the Clara Parker leaves Main street wharf on an excursion to Westport, given under the auspices of Astoria Lodge No. 40, L.O.G.T. A good time is anticipated. Tickets for the round trip may be had of any of the members, or at the City book store

The Oregon State Agricultural Society fors a purse of \$300 for Oregon raised tallions, dash of one mile on Monday,

STATE AND TERRITORIAL NEWS. Servant girls are plenty in Portland. The Coos Bay Indians are dying out. A Kindergarten has been established n Portland. A fifty thousand fire devastated Spo-kane Falls last Saturday. It is thought that the Holladay ca soon be compromised. will The Ashland flouring mills have been old to California parties for \$15,000. The O. P. R. R. Co. is paying \$4.50 for eam, wagon and driver at Corvallis. Messre, Hodson and Yoran are going

o start a Republican paper at Eugene. The Hillsboro Independent tells of oats even feet high, and 144 grains to the iead.

A corps of surveyors, numbering 29, are at work for the Oregon Pacific rail-road in the Minto Pass.

Up at Cosur d'Alene, last Tunsday, Mol-lie Berdan stole \$185 in greenbacks and tried to swallow it to avoid arrest. Union and Umatilla counties are re-

ported financially embarrassed. The in-debtedness of the former is \$58,000 and of the latter \$50,000.

The Yamhill Reporter says: From every point comes the satisfying news that crops are making more than the most sanguine expected-30, 35, 40, 45, even 50 bushels to the acre being com-

The dead are being removed from the Seattle cemetery to make room for a pub-lic park. While removing the remains of Mary Ann Conklin they were found to be in a state of petrifaction. All parts of the body were in perfect form.

Lieutenant Geo. W. Goethals, chief en-gineer officer of the department of the Columbia, has been relieved from duty, to take effect upon the completion of the transfer of the public property for which he is accountable, to Lieutenant J. N. Al-lison, designated to receive the same.

The Northern Pacific Railway company

have men at work fencing in their Ka-lama branch. Farmers along the route have complained of the unprotected con-dition of their cattle and as the line run through an almost endless dairy farm the company concluded to build fences the company concluded to build fences. There is a man connected with a bank in Portland that is so thoroughly Eng-lish that he sends his wife over to Victo-ria so that his children can be born un-der the British flag. "The blarsted bloody Hamerican flag is too beggardly common, you know, for us haristocrats, you know." —Albany Herald.

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer records a case where a settler is charged \$8 per acre for land forty miles away from the Northern Pacific line, and the company

reserves mineral and right of way. Ev.-dently the directors have gotten over the scare that led to professions of liberality while the forfeiture bills were pending. A plum tree in this region, says the Walla Walla Watchman, is reported to have netted its owner \$20. It costs \$3 per acre to put in wheat; \$3,50 to harvest

and thresh it, and about \$1.50 to sack and get it to the depot. Where the average is twenty bushels per acre and the price 45 cents, it will be seen that the farmer is hoarding up about \$1 for every acre he cultivates.

acre he cultivates. The ship Southern Chief, which went ashore in Royal Roads last year, is now beached near the wharf at Esquimalt. She is being placed in seagoing condi-tion. Last Tuesday riggers were placing topmasts and spars in position. Steam pumps are constantly going as she is in the writer at high tides. A short time will be required to replace the copper and stop leaks. The Southern Chief was built at Bath in 1867, and is good for sevstop leaks. The Southern Chief was built at Bath in 1867, and is good for sev eral years' service yet.

eral years' service yet. The following figures show the number of immigrants that have come into Ore-gon and Washington territory during the past five months via the Northern Pacific railroad. These figures are copied from the records of the Northern Pacific Im-migration Bureau: March, 2,415; Aoril, 2,468; May, 1,741; June, 976; July, 7,850. These figures do not include all immi-grants leaving St. Paul coming wesward, but only includes those ticketed for poins west of Spokane Falls. Besides these there were hundreds that came by steamer from San Francisco.

CORPORATIONS VS. FRATERNITIES.

AN INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF THE GREELV PARTY.

Two Years Dwellers in the lev North

PORTSMOUTH (N. H.)-For the purpose of obtaining some idea of the general nature and probable value of the scientific

observations made by Lieutenant Greely, an associated press agent visited him on Saturday. After stating the object of the expedition and briefly describing the northward trip, Lieutenant Greely stated that their house at Lady Franklin bay was finished about a week after the Proteus left them, on August 26, 1881

It was named in honor of Senator Conger, "Fort Conger." In December the temperature sank from 50 to 65 degrees below zero and so remained for days at

a time, but even in that weather the cook's favorite amusement was dancing bareheaded, barearmed and with slippered feet and on top of a snowdrift.

During the day the men drossed in their ordinary outside clothing, but their flannels were very heavy. Five men were generally for a part of the day engaged in scientific work under Greely's direction and in the duties of the camp. The remainder were generally busy about one

hour of the day and devoted the rest of the time to anusemen". All slept in bunks. Their quarters were heated by bunks. Their quarters were heated by large coal stoves, the avorage heat main-tained being 50 degrees above zero. Cheekers, cards and chees were the amusements of the evening. Their life, Greely said, was far from a lonely one. Many of the men said they had never passed two happier years than they spent at Fort Conger.

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A LONG NIGHT. On the 15th of October the sun left them for 135 days, and twilight varying from half an hour to twenty-four hours succeeded. For two months it was so dim that the dial of a watch could not

succeeded. For two months it was so dim that the dial of a watch could not be read by it. On April 11th the sun came above the horizon and remained there for 135 days. During three months stars were visible constantly. The moon would remain in sight from eleven to twelve days at a time. The thermome-ter registered on June 13th the highest temperature experienced at Lady Frank-lin bay. It was 52 degrees above zero. In this February the mercury froze and remained solid for fifteen days. The mercury in the thermometer invariably rose during storms or high winds. The highest barometer was slightly above 31 inches and the lowest slightly below 29 inches. The greatest variations wer⁶ in the winter. The electrometer, an instru-ment used to ascertain the presence of electricity, was set up but not the slight-est result obtained. THE AURORA HOREALIS.

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The displays of the aurora were very good, but not to be compared with those seen at Disco island or Upernavik. As far as Greely could observe, no crackling sound accompanied the displays and their general shape was that of a ribbon. The

general shape was that of a ribbon. The southwesterly horizon was the quarter in which the brightest displays were seen. Nares reported in 1876 that no shadow was cast by the aurora, but Greely says he distinctly observed his shadow cast by it. There were no electrical disturbances was cast by the aurora, but Greely says he distinctly observed his shadow cast by it. There were no electrical disturbances save those manifested by the rumbling of distant thunder heard twice far away to the north. In the course of the tidal ob-servations made the very interesting fact was discovered that the tides at Lady Franklin bay came from the north, while those at Melville bay and Cape Sabine came from the south. The temperature of this north tide is two degrees warmer than that of the south tide at Cape Sa-bine. Why this was so Greely would not venture to state. He used in measuring the ebb and flow of the tides a fixed gruge, consisting of an iron rod planted in the mud. The average rise of the spring tides at Lady Franklin bay was found to be eight feet. At Cape Sabine the highest tides rose twelve feet. Surf was only observed twice during the two the dig to be eight feet. Surf was only observed twice during the two the highest tides rose twelve feet. Surf was only observed twice during the two the highest tides rose twelve feet. Surf was only observed twice during the two the highest tides rose twelve feet. Surf was only observed twice during the two the highest tides rose twelve feet. Surf was only observed twice during the two the bighest tides rose twelve feet. Surf was only observed twice during the two the bighest tides rose twelve feet. Surf was only observed twice during the two the bight the tide to the tide the tide to the tides to the tide to the tides to the tides

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that they drifted to within eleven miles of Cape Sabine and were obliged to aban-don the steam launch on September 10. The pack now remained motionless for

The pack now remained motionless for three days, and several times the party got within two or three miles of Cape Sabine, only to be drifted back by south-west gales. Five seals were killed and eaten while the party were drifting about. Eventually a heavy northwest gale drove them by Cape Sabine, within a mile of Brevoort island, but they could not land. On September 22 there arose the most terrific gale they had yet seen on the Arc-tic ocean. Their ice floe was drifted hither and thither by the tempest, and again, the spray freezing to them and

A GLOOMY OUTLOOK.

A GLOOMY OUTLOOK. Here winter quarters were built and scouts were sent to Cape Isabella and Cape Sabine. In a few days they re-turned. At Cape Sabine and Cape Isa-bella were found only 1800 rations, and from Garlington's records they learned the fate of the *Protexs*. Everyone knew that death must come to nearly all of the party long before a ship of rescue could force its way into Melville bay. Efforts were made to sostain the spirits of the men by lectures and light read-ings. On October 15th the party remov-ed to Cape Sabine. On January 18th Cross died of scurvy. In April the ra-tions issued duily had dwindled to four ownees of meat and six ownees of bread. nine benefits.

tions issued daily had dwindled to four onnces of meat and six onnces of bread. Man after man died, and all hope had fled when, on the last day, the blast of a whistle roused the survivors from the lethargy of approaching death. Lieutenant Greely, when asked as to his ideas upon the probable results of Arctic exploration, said: "I do not think the North Pole can be reached unless every circumstance bitherto found to be unfavorable should prove favorable. If it is to be done at all it will be done by way of Franz Josef land. It could never be reached by the Jcanette route, That there is an open polar sea I am well nigh certain. This is proved by the ice drift-ing out of Mussel bay and Spitzbergen in midwinter and the northern drift of the polar pack, as was proved by ex-

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midwinter and the northern drift of the polar pack, as was proved by ex-periment by Pavey and Lockwood in lat-titude 82 deg. 8 min. north. Men can stand two winters very well at Lady Franklin bay, but their physical strength rapidly deteriorates. If we had had every supply necessary of food we could per-haps have lived for ten years at Lady Franklin bay." At enormous expense has secured the At chormous expense has secured the services of PROFESSOR ELLIS, one of the best white cooks in the state; and Jeff proposes to excel any of his former efforts in the culinary art. Italian dishes a specialty.

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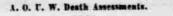
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C There were three death assessments in the Ancient Order of United Workmen for August, and all three had to be paid

again, the spray freezing to taken and causing them intense anffering. The storm slowly subsided and they gained land at Esquimaux point, near Baird's in-let, on September 29. not be available until Col. Moores' estate passed into the hands of the adminis-trator. The various sums held in trust by Col. Moores have been separated and will be handed over to the several orders before the first of September. Since the beginning of the fiscal year there have been nine deaths, and notices for the last six will soon be made. Four of these six will be paid out of the sur-plus, thus making five assessments pay nine benefits.

The Only Thing.

The Nashua, New Hampshire, Tel graph, says: Ex-Alderman John Cross, found that in his very painful rheumatic difficulty, the only remedy which did him any good, was St. Ja-cobs Oil, the magical pain-reliever.

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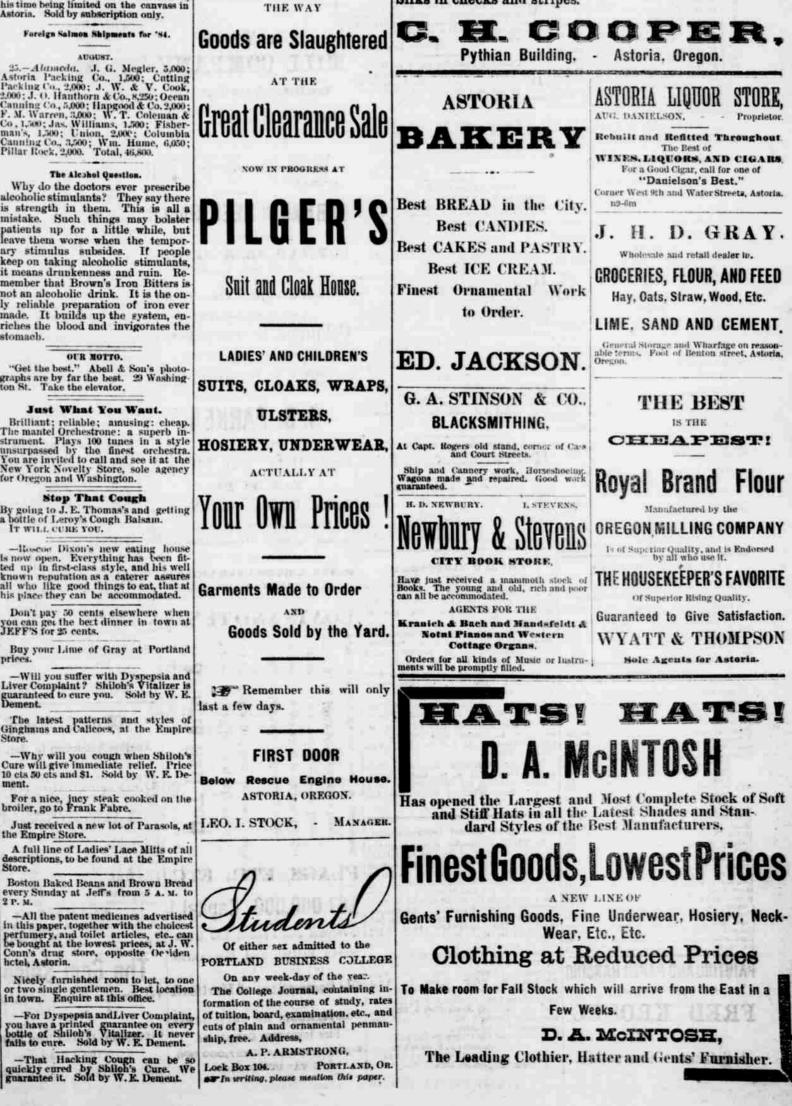
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September 15, at 1 P. M.; \$200 to first, \$70 to second and \$30 to third horse. Four to enter and two to start in this race. Entries close September 10. Entries to Entries close September 10. Entries to be made with J. L. Hallett, Dilley, Ore-

The Skeena river fisheries and contigu The Skeena river fisheries and contigu-ons points have packed as follows, in cases, according to the Victoria Times: Inverness, 13,000; Port Essington, 14,000; Balmoral, 7,500; Aberdeen, 11,000; Brit-ish-American, 11,000; Rivers Inlet, about 12,000; Wannuck, 9,000; Victoria Packing Oo., 2,200; Helgeson & Smiths, 700; Alert Bay, 6,600; Naas River, 7,500; Metlakatla, 10,000; Windsor, 11,000; Inashela, 4,000; total, 122,500.

Peter Wilhelm is very proud of three oil paintings from the brush of Captain Gus. M. Jessen, which decorate the walls of "The Boss." They are pictures of the Columbia, the State of California and the Oregon, the first named passing out of the Columbia river gateway, the Orr-om coming in, and the State in the onen gos coming in, and the *State* in the open ocean opposite Crescent City. The paint-ings show that Captain Jessen is skilled in some matters outside of navigation -

The Renner Manufacturing Co., of Pittsburg, write offering an alarm bell for our office door, in pay for an adver-tisement. Every day is offered some-time—an ice cream freezer, a clothes wringer, a clock, a revolver, a bootjack, a churn, a safe, a writing machine, a fanning mill, and now comes this party with an offer of an alarm bell. What in the world any one wants with a burglar alarm on the door of a newspaper office is hard to imagine. The Renner Manufacturing Co., is hard to imagine.

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THE FIRE LAST NIGHT.

At ten o'clock last night the room in the rear of Mrs. Zimmerman's grocery store, corner of Main and Squemoqua streets, was found to be on fire. The alarm was sounded, and in a short time No. One's had a stream playing upon the roof, which had blazed up fiercely. No. Iwo's followed with a stream, and, though there was a little delay in getting to work, the fire was got under control without any great difficulty. There seemed to be a good deal of ordering around and considerable "bossing" going on, mostly by those not author-ised.

The enuse of the delay in getting the second stream on was the inability of the enuse of the delay in getting the second stream on was the inability of the engine. It took the hardest kind of work to make steam in the old coffee pot and when steam was finally got up it was a hard job to get it to pump. The outfit is only a makeshift, and it will be a relief when the Silsby now on the Main street wharf is in good order once more. As soon as possible a stream was got on from Capt. Finsel's force pump which proved a valuable autiliary. The last fire on that corner arose from a defect-ive fine. The one last night seemed to have a different reason for its origin.

For Dinner Parties to order, at short otice, go to Frank Fabre's.

An eastern correspondent, eminent in fraternal matters, suggests the possibility that the action of the former Supreme Treasurer of the K. of H. in Kentucky endeavoring to embarrass said fraternity, was but the outcropping of a deliberate intention and desire upon the part of some corporations which have persistently warred against co-operative fraternity. to endeavor to wreck this order by shaking the confidence of its membership in delaying payments of death benefits due. etc., and indirectly affect similar orders

Said correspondent may or may not be correct in his ides, but there is one thing positive, that even should the Supreme Lodge, K. of H., never recover a penny of the amount held by the late official, it would not retard for a moment the progwas of the institution

rees of the institution. Some also have feared that if, by any means, any one of these co-operative or-ders should cease to do business, the en-tire field of similar societies would be en-guided in chaos and ruin.

And for some reason, not yet apparent, some insurance corporations have the idea that if these societies were not in

idea that if these societies were not in existence, they, the said corporations, would do a larger business, or, in other words, get the assurance now carried by the firaternities. Not a single one of these positions is warranted by either past experience or present outlook. Banks, insurance companies, mercan-tile firms, and business enterprises of all kinds have failed, and will yet fail, but said failures have neither annihilated nor swept out of existence all the rest, bat, on the contrary, the honest and true live and flourish. and flourish.

and flourish. Thus far none of the legitimate fra-ternal societies have ever failed or stop-ped business, but if such a result should take place, and one or more of them go out of existence today, they would owe no man a dollar, nor would cessation of business retard or interfere with those which continued. It must not be for-rotten that these cooncative associa. which continued. It must not be for-gotten that these cooperative associa-tions strike a clean balance every month, and collect nothing beyond what each actually owed for the benefit that has already been bestowed. It may be true that a member has regularly paid his as-sessments for 16 years, or 192 months, but on the 193d month, if the associa-tion closes business, it owes him nothing; any more than the fire insurance com-pany would owe the man who had insur-ed his house for sixteen years, and it had not been burnt up.

not been burnt up. The reports of the leading insurance companies evidence that their business companies evidence that their business has steadily increased for the last fifteen years, and that their policies, assets, etc., are far in advance of any former period. Thousands have been educated in these cooperative societies to the val-ne of life insurance, and many now hold endowment and other policies in regular companies, that are the result of this ed ucation.

round and sing on, mostly by those not name and and and aged by both fire and water. There is an insurance in the South British National for \$1,000 and in the Home Mutual for a like amount. The cause of the delay in getting the second stream on was the inability of the sengine. It took the hardest kind of work to make steam in the old coffee pot and when steam wasfinally got up it was a mutual to a relief and when steam wasfinally got up it was a tit to pump. The outfit is the a relief mutual to a relief **Missing.**

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Perhaps the greatest surprise of the ex-pedition was the taking from Lake Alexander, a fresh water lake, fifteen fee above the sea level, of a four-pound salm on. From the bay or sea one or two vary small fish were taken during the entire two years and few are found north of Cape Sabine. The vegetation about Lady Franklin bay is about the same as at Cape Sabine and comprises mosses, lichens, willow and saxifrage. The high est velocity of the wind was registered during a terrific snowstorm at seventy

miles an hour. THE IIIGHEST POINT NORTH.

Lockwood's trip to the north in 1882 and 1883 was productive of the most valuable results. Standing on the 19th day of May near where Dr. Hayes had formerly stood, at about the same time of day, Lockwood, from an elevation of 2,000 feet, using his strongest class on of day, Lockwood, from an elevation of 2,000 feet, using his strongest glass on Hall's basin and Robeson's channel, could discern nothing but ice-packs. There it was that Dr. Hayes claimed to have seen his open polar sea. On his trip of 1882 Lockwood reached the high-est latitude ever attained, 83 deg. 25 min. morth. This was about 500 miles direct-ly north of Lady Franklin bay, but to the the second secon

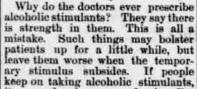
ly north of Lady Franklin bay, but to get there he traveled over 1000 miles over open water and broken packs, fre-quently causing him to retrace his steps fifty miles. Lockwood sounded the sea both years between Cape Bryant and Cape Brittania, but could not touch bot-tom with 135 fathoms of line. Mark-ham, a few years before, about 100 miles west, got bottom at seventy-two fathoms. Lockwood found at his farthes north about the same vecetation as at Lade

west, got bottom at sevenity-two fathoms. Lockwood found at his farthes north about the same vegetation as at Lady Franklin bay, but no signs of a polar cur-rent or an open polar sea. In 1883 he was stopped near Cape Bryant, 125 miles from Lady Franklin bay, by an open channel extending west to the coast of Grinnell land. The width of this channel varied from 290 yards to five miles, but on the north the ice-packs extended as far as could be seen with a glass. With his supply of provisions, the failure of which had caused his return the year before, Lockwood was confident he could have reached 85 deg. north if this open chan-nel had not barred his way. No fossil remains was discovered on the trip, and the only ones found were the trunks of trees on the southwest coast of Grinnell and. The only sea animals seen by Lockwood at 83 deg. 25 min. were walrus and scals, and strange to say, the walrus are not to be found at Lady Franklin by At 83 deg. 25 min. the deflection of the magnetic needle was 104 deg. west more than a quarter of a circle. As far as Lockwood went north the eastern end of Greenland coast continued. The maps of the new regions he discovered are in possession of Greely and are very carefully made. Although the party was two years at Lady Franklin bay the mag-netic needle was never quiet except dur-ing storms.

ing storms. THE RETREAT.

In February, 1883, preparations for the retreat was made by establishing a depot at Cape Baird, twelve miles to the south. Day after day the anxious men looked off at Cape Baird, twelve miles to the south. Day after day the anxious men looked off over Lady Franklin bay, expecting the ice to open so they might commence the journey. At last, on August 19, the wel-come news that the ice was open was brought. All had been made ready and that very day the party embarked in their little steam-launch; behind them they left their dogs, as they could not be taken. Four barrels of pork and some sealskin were left for the animals. Lady Franklin bay was crossed to Cape Baird, a distance of thirteen miles, and then the western coast of Grinnell land was followed south as far as Cape Hawkes. Several times all the boats were nearly lost. The suf-fering of the men were great. They were now within fifty miles of Cape Sabine. Striking from Cape Hawkes for Bates' island, the party was caught in the ice-pack and frozen in ten miles south, on the flows, suffering horribly from cold, so

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