The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

SATURDAY.....JANUARY 24, 1885

FORFEITED AT LAST.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Cobb presented a conference report on the Oregon Central bill; agreed to. The house recedes from its disagreement to all the senate amendments. The Oregon Central land forfeiture bill, the senate amendments to which were concurred in by the house today, is the first forfeiture bill that has passed both houses of the present congress. It is substantially the same as the bill originally prepared by the Astoria chamber of commerce, with the addition of the amendment offered in the house by George, for the purpose of protecting settlers. It forfeits all unearned lands between Forest Grove and Astoria.

THE above tells the whole story. The Astoria land grant is forfeited, and the effort that THE ASTORIAN made results as stated above. No newspaper ever started in on a fight against greater odds; seldom has a newspaper won a victory more complete.

We have received a good deal of adverse criticism at home and abroad about this Astoria land grant business, which we have not stopped to answer nor do we now propose to argue. On taking charge of this paper in October, 1881, we took this stand: That the road should be built or the grant forfeited. We would have preferred to see the road built, and in common with other citizens of Astoria did all that could be done to secure the building of the road. The company said: "We won't build the road; we defy you to get the grant forfeited; now what are you going to do about it?"

Upon that THE ASTORIAN started in to get the grant forfeited, and the grant is forfeited, and the bill now only awaits the president's signature to be the law of the land. And so ends that chapter.

THE TRANSCONTINENTAL ASSOCIATION.

THE Transcontinental association finished its business at San Francisco last Thursday. C. W. Smith, the newly elected commissioner, had not accepted the position up to the hour of adjournment. The agreement had not been signed by any of the companies, and it requires unanimous agreement to make it valid. It is said that one road at least will refuse to sign unless certain concessions are granted. This is the Northern Pacific. The other lines in the pool will without question sign the agreement, but the Northern Pacific is the stumbling block. It is stated that the pools are to pay the Northern Pacific a bonus of 8 per cent on all California business, to keep the northern lines out of San Francisco. This 8 per cent has to be divided with the Oregon Short Line, which has an eastern outlet, via the Union Pacific and Oregon Railway and Navigation Co.'s lines, which also has a San Francisco connection by its line of steamships running between San Francisco and the Columbia river. The Northern Pacific in conjunction with the Navigation Company in turn pays the Southern Pacific a bonus of 8 per cent. on Portland business, in order to keep the Southern Pacific out of Portland, which is accessible to them by the Navigation Company's steamers. They claim in this direction that the Southern Pacific should rebate a part of the bonus, as without the Navigation Company's steamers they would have no Portland connection. This proposition Southern Pacific men have so far resisted and under this state of affairs, as detailed, the Northern Pacific men will not sign the agreement. What percentage of the 8 per cent they pay to the Southern Pacific they want rebated is not known, but it is thought to be in the neighborhood of about one third.

AT a secret session of the woman's suffrage association in Washington on the 22nd, the chairman of the committee on plans of work, made a report, which was adopted, recommending that the women of the several states labor with their legislatures for the passage of suffrage laws, and mark every member antagonizing measures in favor of women, in order to oppose them. Work before congress for the passage of the 16th amendment is to be continued. Women in the several states are also requested to oppose re-election of senators and representatives voting against woman suffrage. The vice presidents of the association were requested to obtain, if possible, passage of resolutions by their respective state legislatures, recommending to congress the adoption of a 16th amendment.

Advices from Melbourne state that the commander of the Australian squadron has hoisted the British flag over a number of islands lying off the eastern point of New Guinea.

EXPENSES OF BUSINESS.

A WELL informed merchant of Boston recently said to a representative of the Boston *Herald* that he had been looking back over his accounts and was surprised to find that since the close of the war there had been a steady increase in the ordinary expense of carrying on business. Mere office work cost a great deal more now than it did in 1865; more clerks were needed, and, on the whole, each of these received higher pay. Assistance was required in the receiving and delivering departments to an extent and of a character that would not have been dreamed of two decades ago. Then there were a variety of incidental expenses that now entered into the compilation. There were telephone charges, printing, the expense of solicitors, the whole making up an amount sufficiently large to eat up all that would have been considered fair profits a quarter of a century ago. It is probable that the experience in different trades varies, and yet we fancy that in most lines of business statements somewhat similar to the above might be made. The tendency, all the time going on, to lessen the hours of service, both in offices and workshops, would of itself make the cost of business proportionately higher. The cheapening process, if there is one, would seem to be in enlarging the amount of business which each concern carries on.

TEXAS was received into the Union by joint resolution of the United States congress after a treaty for the purpose had been rejected by the senate, and under the act it was stipulated that Texas should keep her own lands and pay her own debts. Under the compromise of 1850 Texas was paid $5,000,000 for the cession of her claims to the territory of New Mexico.

THE largest wheat train yet reported on the Northern Pacific had 110 cars and was three-quarters of a mile long.

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SHIP at AUCTION

Wrecked British Iron Bark,

Dewa Gungadhur,

AT HOLDEN'S AUCTION ROOMS,

THIS DAY,

SATURDAY, at 11 A. M.

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The Weekly Astorian

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At the Skating Rink, next

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The First Prize to be Ten Dollars. The Second, Five Dollars.

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Skating from 7 to 9. Race begins promptly at nine o'clock.

Prices of Admission, as usual: Ladies with or without Skates, 25 cents.

G. W. and A. E. ROSS, Managers.

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT pursuant to a unanimous vote of the stockholders of the Fishermen's Packing Co., the directors of said company, did on the 17th day of Jan. 1885, execute and file supplementary articles of incorporation, whereby such company is authorized to purchase and hold, sell and convey real estate.

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Notice of Application.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned will apply to the Common Council of the city of Astoria, at its next regular meeting for a license to sell wine, malt or spirituous liquors in less quantities than one quart, for the period of one year, in the building situated on Lot No. 5, Block No. 10, in the city of Astoria as laid out and recorded by John McClure.

DELIA GEARHART.

Astoria, January 20th, 1885.

Notice.

THE PROGRESSIVE LAND AND Building Association will hold its regular annual meeting on the second Saturday, the 14th day of February, 1885, at 7 o'clock P. M., in Liberty Hall.

WM. L. M'EWAN,
Secretary.

Astoria, Clatsop Co., Oregon, January 17th, 1885.

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Astoria, January 15th, 1885.

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Executor's Notice.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED BY THE County Court of Clatsop County, Oregon, executrix of the last will and testament of Thos. Goodwin, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate will present them duly verified and with proper vouchers to the undersigned at her residence on Clatsop Plains, Clatsop County, Oregon, within six months from this date, Dec. 5, 1884.

MARIETTA GOODWIN,
24-5t Executrix.

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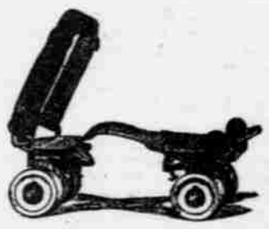

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Assignee's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been appointed assignee of the estate of D. Hart, an insolvent debtor. All creditors of said estate are notified to present their claims against said estate, under oath, to me, within three months at the office of F. D. Winton, in the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon.

ISAAC BERGMAN,
Assignee.

Dec. 27th, 1884.

Notice.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR THE year 1884 is now in my hands for collection. All who are delinquent on said roll will save sheriff's costs by calling at my office in Cathlamet and settling the same, or sending by registered letter.

S. F. ALBERT,
Sheriff of Wahkiakum Co., W. T.

Dated at Cathlamet, Jan. 13th, 1885.

Assignee Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE firm of J. E. Thomas has assigned all their property to the undersigned for the benefit of their creditors and all persons having claims against said estate must present the same duly verified to the assignee at his office in Astoria, Oregon, within three months from this date.

November 6th, 1884.

F. F. HICKS.

CAUTION.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED against purchasing a note and mortgage on personal property, given by Mr. Alexander Corno to Ed. Taylor for $230.00, as the same will be contested on the ground of fraud, or misrepresentation in obtaining the same, otherwise want of consideration.

ALEX. CORNO.

Astoria, Oregon, Nov. 18th, 1884.

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Assignee's Notice.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE of Oregon, for Clatsop County, in the matter of the assignment of Wm. Houseman, insolvent:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed assignee of the estate of said Wm. Houseman, an insolvent person, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned at his place of business, in Astoria, Oregon, duly verified as required by law, within three months from the first publishing of this notice.

ISAAC BERGMAN,
Assignee of the estate of
Wm. Houseman.

Astoria, Or., Dec. 18, 1884.

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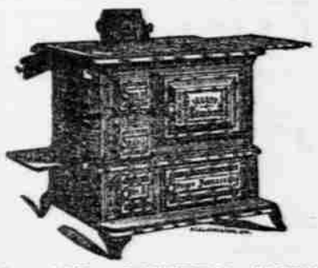

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Special Sale.

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I. BERGMAN,
Assignee.

Notice of Application.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned intends to apply to the common council of the city of Astoria at its next regular meeting, for a license to sell wine, malt and spirituous liquors in less quantities than one quart, for a period of one year, in the building fronting on Chenamus street and situated on Lot No. 6, Block No. 58, in the City of Astoria as laid out and recorded by John McClure.

R. L. JEFFERY.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Charles Wallman, deceased, and all persons having claims against said establishment must present the same, duly verified, to her at her home, in the city of Astoria, Oregon, within six months from this date.

EVA WALLMAN.

November 8th, 1884.

Assignee's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been appointed the assignee of the estate of Banger & Johnson, and all persons having claims against said firm are hereby notified to present the same duly certified to the undersigned, at his office, in Astoria, Oregon, within three months from this date, Dec. 27th, 1884.

J. H. D. GRAY.

School Tax Notice.

SCHOOL TAXES FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 9, are now due and payable to J. B. Higgins, at office of Badollet & Co.

MRS. MARY LEINENWEBER,
School Clerk District No. 9.

Upper Astoria, Dec. 17, 1884.

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Notice To The Public.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife.

JOHN DOUGLAS.

Astoria Dec. 31st, 1884.