

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1885

HIBERN needs three votes more.

"SLEEP is merely an armistice in the battle of life."

A RAILROAD is proposed from England to India.

The United States uses three times as much paint as any other country.

GIRLS of a marriageable age in Japan are computed to be worth \$16 each.

ENGLISH detectives have been inspecting the passenger lists of the several steamship lines in New York for several days past.

The ice bridge at Niagara this winter is said to be the most massive for many years, and it is estimated to be over sixty feet thick.

It is estimated at the treasury department that there will be a decrease of over \$5,000,000 in the public debt during the present month.

The suggestion is made that St. John should petition the Kansas legislature to change his name, dropping the "Saint," and making it "Cheap John."

It is said that there are over 40,000 Irish people out of work in London, and fully one-tenth of them have been discharged since the recent explosions.

TRAVEL by steamer is safer than remaining at home. The records of the year past show that only one person out of 2,686,923 that traveled by steamer lost their lives thereby.

ORGANIZED cynicism has reached the point of a society founded for the express purpose of discountenancing the celebration of Christmas, New Years and other anniversaries in England.

RECENTLY a bet was made and won that the president of Harvard college could not name four vice-presidents of the United States inside of three minutes. It took him seven to name Wheeler and Colfax.

NEW YORK city is said to contain 5,000 disciples of the hot water cure, who drink water almost boiling hot every morning before breakfast. They denounce the drinking of cold water at any time of day.

DURING the year 1884, 83,051 persons died in London, or 223 a day. This gloomy record is made darker by a statement that during the same year in London the sun shone brightly on only about sixty-five days.

SAN FRANCISCO has trouble about a proposed new charter. The papers say the new city hall cannot be finished until there is a new charter. There seems to be a sporadic element in this matter of charter discussion.

On the island of Formosa, when any one is taken sick he is strung up by the neck and let down with the "dull fluid" common at executions. This performance is intended either to kill or cure the unfortunate patient.

The cost of carrying a bushel of corn from Chicago to New York by lake and canal was, in 1868, twenty-five cents, and by all rail forty-two cents. In 1882 these figures were reduced to eight and fourteen cents respectively.

HARD times in New York state have affected the churches and the economy of reducing or doing away with church choirs has been necessitated. A favorite plan is the forming of young people's choruses to lead the congregations in the hymns.

A SENTIMENT is growing in Iowa that unless the prohibitory law can be enforced it had better be repealed. Even the Des Moines Register, which earnestly advocated the adoption of the present law, does not favor keeping it on the statute books if it proves a failure.

COMMENTING on the refusal of the senate to ratify the Nicaraguan treaty the Oregonian tersely sums up the situation in the assertion that "it is not by any means the first alliance between the southern confederacy and England, against the interests of the United States."

EARLY marriages are popular at Tennant's Harbor, Me. A girl of 13 was married there December 6th. Most of the girls are married between 12 and 15 years of age, and it is said to be nothing uncommon to find in the same family parents and from one to four children drawing school money.

"THE Hudson Bay Company may yet prove the commercial salvation of Canada," says the Toronto Mail. A party sent to find how long in the

season the bay could be used for navigation has discovered iron, lead, gold, silver and copper ores in what promises to be abundance, and great expectations are forming.

A BILL was recently introduced into the New York legislature, "making it unlawful for any packer or dealer in canned or preserved food to offer the same for sale unless the cans or jars shall plainly bear the name and place of business of the firm, person or corporation that packed the articles, together with marks indicating the grade or quality of the articles and the year in which they were canned." All violations are made misdemeanors, punishable with a fine of \$500 in the case of manufacturers, and for vendors, \$50.

ACCORDING to the New York Tribune, Mr. Blaine's new book is in such demand that it is with difficulty that printing-house and bindery are keeping up with it. The author is already vigorously at work on the second volume, which promises to be even more valuable than the first. Perhaps the liveliest testimony to the merits of this unique historical work is the fact that through the most fiery of modern political campaigns it has escaped attack. Its candor, its accuracy, its strict impartiality, and its brilliant style have disarmed and won to admiration even the bitterest of its author's critics. It is having a sale extraordinary in the history of subscription books, and the profits both of author and publisher have been great.

NEW TO-DAY.

Canners' Supplies.

Old Castle, Yapiitti, and other brands of Cokes Tin Plates, for sale in lots to suit purchasers, now in warehouse at Astoria or to arrive per *Josefa*, or *Archer*, also Liverpool fine and coarse salt. For further particulars apply to

Meyer, Wilson & Co.,

Portland, Oregon.

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. 8, Block No. 6, in the City of Astoria as laid out and recorded by John McClure.

Painting and Paper Hanging.

KALSMINING ETC.

CHAS. OLSEN

Paint Shop in rear of premises formerly occupied by C. H. Stockton, opposite the Court House.

To Contractors.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE ERECTION and completion of a two-story and basement dwelling house, to be erected at Warrenburg on Skispanon creek, Clatsop Co., Oregon, will be received at Dr. Martin's office in Odd Fellows Building, Astoria, until February 23, at 2 P. M.

Now is the Time to Send for Your Friends.

BOZORTH & JOHNS,

FOR A LIMITED TIME, WILL ISSUE PREPAID CUNARD TICKETS

FROM HAMBURG, MANHEIM, ROTTERDAM, ANTWERP, BRAY, GOTHENBURG, CHRISTIANIA, MALMO, CHRISTIANA, BERGEN, STAVANGER, THRONDBJEM, and COPENHAGEN.

Meeting Notice.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE GAR-BOLD Packing Co. will be held at Boosts mess house, Upper Astoria, on Wednesday, February 11th, 1885, at 7 P. M., for the purpose of transacting important business.

Skiff Found

AT THE OLD MILL SITE NEAR WILLIAMSPORT. It is painted green, with a yellow border. About 16 feet long—one oak beam for rowlock new and unpainted. Owner can have the same by applying at the old Raymond place and paying charges.

Furnished Rooms to Let,

WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD.

The Telephone Saloon

The Finest Establishment of the Kind in Astoria.

Especially fitted up for the Comfort and Convenience of those who enjoy a Social Glass.

NEW YORK Restaurant & Lodging House

The fine building on the Corner of Olney and Water Streets has been leased from R. BARTH, and

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Drafts on all the Leading Cities.

The Northern Pacific Express Co.

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The Shortest, Quickest and most Reliable Route between

Important Notice!

Oregon Improvement Co.

SEATTLE COAL.

Clean Domestic per ton, 2400 lbs. \$7.60

CUMBERLAND.

E. A. NOYES, Agent.

Notice

To Cannermen and Fishermen.

ROOMS AND HALL TO LET.

Pythian Land and Building Ass'n.

A BARGAIN.

A LADY DECLINING HOUSEKEEPING

Rooms to Rent.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.

For Rent.

TWO FRONT ROOMS: SUITABLE FOR OFFICES; centrally located; apply at ASTORIAN office.

For Sale.

FINE NINE-ROOMED DWELLING

Attention!

ON ACCOUNT OF REMOVAL I WILL sell for the next ten days, a lot of choice

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 ever offered for sale in this city, comprising all grades, from the

FINEST BODY BRUSSELS

In the Newest Tints and Shades,

CHAS. HEILBORN.

New Establishment!

NEW PRICES!!

FURNITURE, FURNISHING GOODS,

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At Greatly Reduced Prices,

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Of either sex admitted to the PORTLAND BUSINESS COLLEGE

THE HENLEY CLUB SKATE

Nickle Plated, Spring Steel Bottom and Steel Clamps.

SAINT MARY'S HOSPITAL,

ASTORIA, OREGON

Notice to Water Consumers,

I WOULD RESPECTFULLY REQUEST that all persons having their water pipes

House to Rent.

NINE ROOMS: GOOD LOCATION.

Executor's Notice.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED BY THE County Court of Clatsop County, Oregon,

FOR SALE.

One E. W. BLISS, Latest Improved HOWE SOLDERING MACHINE,

FOR SALE.

TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY ACRES

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PARKER HOUSE

Shaving and Bathing Saloon.

Ladies' Hair Dresser and Wig Maker

All kinds of HAIR WORK MADE TO ORDER

YOU CAN GET

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and Freshest Vegetables

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Low Down Prices!!

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Opposite Custom House Square.

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Eben P. Parker, Master.

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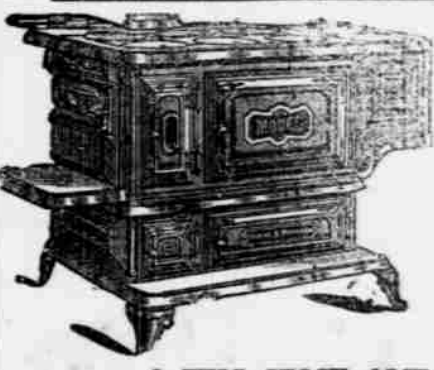
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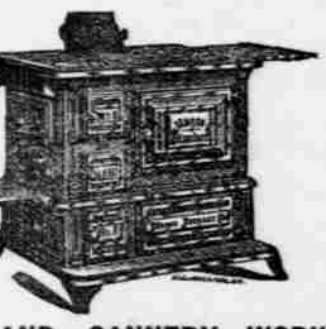
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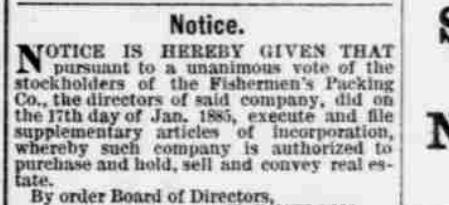
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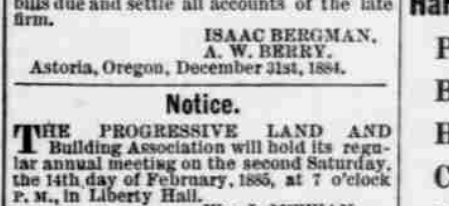
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And other first-class Stoves.
Furnace Work, Steam Fittings, etc., a specialty.



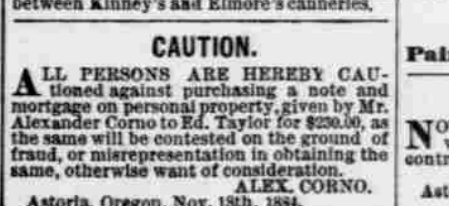
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