

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1885
SHOULD BE ADMITTED A STATE.

The injustice which deprives our neighboring territory of the rights and privileges of statehood have often been remarked upon by THE ASTORIAN, and in the following from the Seattle Post-Intelligencer her claims are ably set forth:

By all precedent, and by the rights accorded to the people of the northwest since the ordinance of 1787, by the terms of the treaty by which the vast territory of Louisiana was acquired from France, and by every principle of justice, the people of Washington should be welcomed in the Union as a state. The territory of Washington, with north Idaho annexed, is a magnificent region of 80,000 square miles, reaching from the Pacific ocean to the Rocky mountains, and extending north and south through three degrees of latitude. It is not a region of fluctuations, of mining excitements, of bubbles or fleeting shadows, but is and has been from the beginning as permanently peopled as the New England states themselves. Way back forty years ago the people began coming here to live. They came at first in small numbers, but were sure, but they came steadily and in ten years had gathered in to the number of about 4000.

They then, in 1853, were organized into a territory, and it is this territory which now, after thirty-one years weary waiting, seeks admission to the company of states. The 4,000 residents of 1853, despite a fierce Indian war, increased in number to 12,000 in 1860, to 25,000 in 1870, to 78,000 in 1880, and now, in 1885, to not less than 160,000. These people are no longer scattered and poor. They have built considerable cities, numerous fine and flourishing towns, have magnificent and exceedingly productive farms, have opened coal mines and have the largest lumbering establishments in the world. Five hundred miles of railroad have been built for the purposes of their transportation, while the ships engaged in their ocean commerce are among the finest afloat. Sixty newspapers are printed in the territory, and colleges and high schools are to be found in a dozen places. The territory is out of debt, and has been for years; its institutions in the meantime being supported by a tax of 2 1/2 mills on the dollar. Its wealth is represented by a taxable valuation of \$54,000,000. Its commerce includes a vast number of items, chief among which are these: Coal mined, 400,000 tons per annum; lumber cut, 450,000,000 feet; salmon canned, 200,000 cases; wheat raised, 5,000,000 bushels; oats, 1,000,000 bushels; hops, 22,000 bales; wool, 1,000,000 pounds; besides vast quantities of potatoes, hay, fruits, oysters, live stock, gold mined, vessels built, manufactured goods, &c., worth in the aggregate almost as much as the articles named, if not actually more.

There is no reason to doubt that we will go on increasing in the future as in the past. In 1890, at the taking of the next national census, a population will be shown here of at least 250,000, and possibly 300,000 or more, and not less than 800,000 in 1960. Our past growth, our present solidity, our future outlook, justify these hopes.

No other territory has been kept back like Washington. It has been out down and dominated over, has been falsified and insulted until forbearance has ceased to be a virtue, and our people, like those of Dakota, are almost ready to fly into open insurrection against the ills that beset them. The temper of the people must not be tried too far. There is no reason why Washington, Dakota, and Montana should be treated in a manner different from the earlier territories—Tennessee, Kentucky, Michigan, Oregon or Nevada. They were not kept in this condition thirty or forty years, nor were they required to have any such population as seems to be requisite with Washington and other territories of the present day. The people have rights which neither political party can afford to trifle with, and which the nation at large should see to it are no longer ignored.

It would seem as if the wrong man had been intrusted with the mineral exhibit of this northwest section, if the dispatches from Chicago report correctly the language of Mr. J. W. Virtue, whom this state aided in getting mineral exhibits to the New Orleans exposition. It would be naturally supposed that he would do what he could to advance the interests of those who aided him instead of lending his influence to divert trade from them.

SEVENTEEN new national banks were organized in this country during January.

UNOFFICIAL NEWS FROM PANAMA TO THE 5th states the country is in a complete uproar. Communication with the interior is entirely cut off. Regarding the condition of affairs at Bogota during the past month nothing is known. No word has been received from there since January 5th. Official bulletins claim that the government force is triumphant everywhere, and that the popularity of Dr. Nunez continues undiminished. These reports, however, are not confirmed. Later advices state that Hernandez has abandoned his camp and gone to Garoa. Six thousand men are in pursuit. On the 5th the government forces attacked Cucuta, and, after five hours' fight, captured the town. Many were killed on both sides.

ENGLAND has been pretty well served by many of her Irish subjects. The Duke of Wellington, the conqueror of Napoleon, was an Irishman. So is Lord Wolseley, who suppressed the Egyptian rebellion and is now commanding the Soudan expedition. So is Gen. Sir Herbert Stewart, the victor in the late battles with the Arabs, whom yesterday's dispatches report dying at Korti. And so was Col. Burnaby, the knightly soldier who fell at Abu-Klea.

THE public debt of the Dominion of Canada is in excess of \$88,000,000, an increase of \$7,000,000 in the past six months. The Canadian Pacific road is an applicant for another appropriation.

AN effort is being made in Boston for the protection of mackerel in the spawning season, the purpose being to obtain legislation from congress on the subject.

LEGISLATION against the sale or gift of cigarettes to boys under ten years of age, has already got through one branch of the North Carolina legislature.

IT is stated that the Canadian government has agreed to increase the duty on flour to 75 cents per barrel.

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Administrator's Notice.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE of Oregon, for Clatsop County: In the matter of the estate of A. P. Nash, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of A. P. Nash, deceased, has rendered and presented for final settlement, and filed in said court, his final account of his administration of said estate: that Monday, the 16th day of March, 1885, at the hour of 1 o'clock P. M. on said day, in the court room of said county court, at the city of Astoria, in Clatsop County, in the State of Oregon, has been duly appointed by said court for the final hearing and settlement of said final account, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his objections to such final account and settlement thereof.

J. H. D. GRAY,
Administrator of the estate
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School Notice.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LEGAL voters of School District No. 1, Clatsop county Oregon, will be held at the school Building in said district, on Monday evening March 2nd, 1885, at the hour of 7:30 P. M. The object of said meeting, being the election of one director for three years and one clerk for one year.

By order of the directors,
J. O. BOZORTH,
Clerk School District No. 1,
Clatsop Co., Or.

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HAS RETURNED.

J. P. LEATHERS HAS RETURNED home, and is ready to turn out some fine fishing boats for the river. Stop on the beach between Kinney's and Elmore's canneries.

Notice.
MR. D. E. CASWELL IS NOW ENGAGED in taking the census of School District No. 1. Parents and others interested will confer a favor by assisting him to make it as complete as possible. All persons over four and under twenty years of age are entitled to, and should be included in the census.

J. O. BOZORTH,
District Clerk.

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