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Notice To Advertisers.

THE ASTORIAN guarantees to its ad vertisers the largest circulation of any newspaper published on the Columbia

Don't bite at bait too quick.

Phil A. Stokes is among the passengers

Carl Adler advertises new attraction See his great stock and bargains. The month just past was the dryes March in thirty-seven years in this lati-

The Oregon is due from San Francisco this morning. John Doe is among the

Theo. Bracker's eigar store is head-quarters for the celebrated "Flor de Madrid" eigar. See adv't.

Sitka, Alaska, is to have a m This is the first direct evidence that Uncle Sam really owns that country. The new Parker house restaurant, which

has been fitted up in good style, will be opened by a grand ball this evening. It is reported in Portland that Jay

Gould has bought the Oregon Pacific railroad between Corvallis and Yaquina. For the first time since the storms of last December the San Francisco mail was received by the overland route last

It is stated that J. C. Swash, Oregon's commissioner to New Orleans, is confined to This room with "creole complaint." What in the world is that?

United States inspector of steamboats Ferguson will come down to-morrow and examine the steamers Edith, Monataineer, Argonaut and A. B. Field,

A new thing in the shape of dressed lumber consists of a board planed and grooved in a way to form a compact ceil-ing, the inside face of which forms the laths.

The first vessel built on this coast was built at Astoria in 1845. It was a schooner built near Smith's point for trading purposes, by three men whose names are lost to fame. H. F. Beecher, a captain on one of the

Sound steamers, gets the l'uget sound col-lectorship. He is a son of Hank Beecher, of Brooklyn, and is said to be a clever young fellow. It is thought that the new steame

which is to take the place of the Shu-brick will be finished July 1st. It will probably be three months later before she shows up in those waters. During March six cargoes cleared from the Columbia for England. The vessels carried 322,278 bus. wheat, worth \$239,

929; one of them—the Cumbrian—had 9,237 bbls. flowr, worth \$35,950. Not since the business assumed any size has the salmon industry of the Columbia looked as quiet as it does to-day, the first day of the season. A few boats will go out, but there is nothing like for-

Judge Smith has given his decision in the case wherein suit was brought by certain residents of this city against school district No. One. Judge Smith de-cides in favor of the district and uphoids the validity of the bonds.

After July 1st the postoffice appropriation bill, changing the unit of weight of letter postage from half an ounce to an ounce will take effect. Then we can write and fill a dozen sheets of paper and

a two-cent stamp will carry the whole The close season on the Columbia ended at midnight last night, and it is now law ful to catch salmon. Considerable salm on has been caught already this senson, but the spirit of the law has been ob-

served which after all is the true intent The Astoria Ladies' Coffee club have rented the hall recently finished by Rob't Carruthers over D. L. Beck & Sons, and will in future make that their head-quarters. Parties or social gatherings wishing to rest the hall can be accommodated by applying to the officers of

Captain Charles F. Powell, accom-panied by George T. Davis, lighthouse in-spector for this district, will be down on their way to Shoalwater bay in a few days. Congress has recently made an appropriation of \$15,000 for a lighthouse to be located at some point on this sheet of water, and these gentlemen go to inspect things before work is begun,

Talking about salmon, the News says Another cause of the present stagnation is the want of concert of action on the part of canners themselves. They are perhaps to a greater extent than any other class of manufacturers isolated from each other, and work almost entirely as individuals. This inharmonious action is largely due to their positions as regards agents. The canneries are controlled by both Portland and San Fran-cisco capital. Hence, there is great com-petition as to both production and prices. Were the conneries to consolidate to keep down production and to keep up prices, with common agents at San Francisco and others in London and Liverpool, with the power to grade the goods on its merits; then the end of the season would show a believe of profit instead of loss merits; then the end of the season would show a balance of profit, instead of loss as was the case in the majority of instances at the close of the season last year. Inferior and fraudulent brands would thus be crowded from the market, and the reputation of that placed on the market would be greater. In this manner and only in this way, can the manufacture of canned salmon take its place among well-balanced industries.

Situation wanted to do housework Apply at this office.

The war clouds are disappearing, but the ladies are just beginning to appreciate Adler's terrible reduction of prices on every article in his store.

You will never buy silverware as cheap again as Adler is selling it now.

Now getting interesting - Adler's closing out sale. An enormous reduction on everything.

Private card rooms at Jeff's new soon—"The Telephone."

Does not make any second-class Pictures at his New Gallery, No. 61%, on

WHISTLES.

The Voices of the Boats That Ply the Lower Columbia.

The shrick and wheeze and sneeze and peal and clang and boom and shout and whoop and yell of the steamers is a daily delight. What would we do without the busy little boats that carry you wherever you want to go, whether it be Knappton or Portland or San Francisco? They ery out at all times, and owing to the way our city is built, and the hill that throws back the sound, when any one or throw back their ears and yell, it sounds your door. Bless their little engines and throats; how they do yell! Tis rudely broken in upon. There is something soothing about a bell; when it starts to swinging in the steeple you know just what to expect; whether asleep or dozing you are computatively easy; that bell is going to keep right along till it stops, and when it does stop it is done. But one of those tormented whistles bothers you more when it stops than when it is going. You don't know just what to expect; it is a good deal like a rooster's crowing; it isn't while the rooster is crowing that he bothers you; it's the waiting for him to crow again, the rooster he crows that breaks

the pause between the crows, that breaks up the ordinary man. If you knew that that absuid bird was wound up to crow teadily for ten minutes, why, one could endure it; but, just as like as not, after cour head has sunk on the pillow with a nental "Thank God: that's over," the illy fowl will begin again.
If Capt. Scott but knew the amount of If Capt, Scott but knew the amount of profamity he occasions, the deep religious emotions of his nature would not be appeased till he changed the diabolical arrangement on the Telephone that fills the air with stunning waves of splitting sound at 5:20 in the morning. "It is great to have a giant's strength, but is mercy not to use it as a giant." In common with all on land and sea we admire that new boat that is to ordinary boats in smeet what the gravitound is to ex-

R. & N. boat gets near the place at which she intends to stop she gives a six-second's blast, just by way of a starter, then she stops six seconds, and then turns loose on a kind of Morse telegraphic dot and dash system that denotes what particular boat it is. When the Alice comes along, after giving the usual snort common to all the steamboat tribe, she gives two detached little shricks, thus: —; the Dixie Thompson calliopes this way: ——; the E. N. Cooke, ——, and the Mountain Queen after setting every echo complaining up and down the river calls

Mountain Queen after setting every echo complaining up and down the river calls loudly in front of the dock by emitting whistles as follows: ---. The R. R. Thompson roars her name ---, and the Wide West gives a thirteen second whistle thusly: ---. There is one little chattering thing that runs screaming along like a scared child—the Champion is her name—and as she runs she emits a scries of yelus ---- that make the eries of velus ---- that make the

Days, Circumstantial Evidence, In One Short Year, The Missing Will, and his twelve other celebrated books in paper form at Adler's to-day.

For a Neat Fitting Boot 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.

At Frank Fabre's

Board for \$22.50 a month. The best the city. Dinner from 5 to 7. Gray sells Sackett Bros.' Al sawed

Buy your Lime of Gray at Portland

Don't pay 25 to 50 cents for dinner when you can get a better, one at the Telephone for 15 cents from 11 to 2.

Boys' and Children's suits just re eived at McIntosh's new store.

Choice Seed Oats For sale at J. H. D. Gray's.

One more Behr Bros.' celebrated cylone more bear bross celebrated cylinder-top, grand, upright piano and one fine Chase organ are to be had at a great bargain at Adler's. These instruments speak for themselves and the price set, on the same is within the reach of every-

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry will be sacrified this week at Adler's. They will be warranted in the bargain.

One of the finest billiard tables on the coast at Jeff's "Telephone."

THE TELEPHONE.

An Afternoon Excursion on the Fastest Sternwheeler Affoat.

Shortly after one o'clock yesterday afternoon Capt. Soott's new steamer, the famous Telephone, landed her passengers

ing excursionists. a pips with his old friend Birnie, once an Astorian, and well known as a factor of the Hadson bay company. Embow-ered in orchards rich in bloom, with the green hills sloping above it and the broad Columbia sparkling in the sun below it presents a lovely appearance and as in groups the passengers returned laden with flowers, the universal exclamation was, "What a beautiful place." It has too, the busiest appearance of any place visited between here and Astoria, and is the natural distribution of the form of the present the state of the tributing point for a fine section of country. As at every other landing place on the lower Columbia the people are proud of the *Telephone* and the plucky little man who has given the dwellers along the river such facilities of travel as that selectific best of Godines of the second section. splendid boat affords. Shortly after five o'clock the bow was

turned homeward, and amid music from the grand piane in the labies' cabin and

conversation the time seemed short till she again rounded to her dock at Astoria, one hour and fifteen minutes from Cathlamet, a distance of twenty-six miles. On Saturday next she will make

the river from Portland clear through without stopping, and it is dollars to dimes that she will blow her whis-

for a September boat, but the delay de-feated their object, and as the stipulation was broken they were not obliged to take the steamer when tendered.

A Mystery Solved.

sympathetic listener wish she were out of a few weeks ago it was reported at the born misery once and for all.

Now and then an O. R. & N. boat starts police station that Capt. J. N. Martin, P. A. Stokes Now and then an O. R. & N. boat starts in as though the engineer's dog was pulling at the string that holds back the whistle. First come three short toots, whistle. First come three short toots, that he had drowned himself. He was Miss Z Nodine and then also be of little back that are and then a lot of little blasts that are supposed to be "signals". After long and putient inquiry the fact is developed that March 12th, the last night be was seen Miss Mill patient inquiry the fact is developed that when a boat starts in to paralyze every one that way there is no immediate danger of her sinking; no such luck; the captain or grandee of the boat that is making all this racket simply wants to come over to humfine probably wants a chew of tobacco, or z copy of The Astorias, or something. The Gen. Miles has about as sensible and well-behaved a whistle as anybody. It answers all purposes, and makes no ill feeling. It is just loud enough to let people know when she is coming or going, and has a nusical mellow sound that is in pleasant contrast with all that harsh, stridulous, eacophonous discord that when one wishes low sound that is in pleasant contrast with all that harsh, stridulous, eaco-phonous discord that when one wishes for nothing so; ach as the blessed silence that shall heal the blows of sound.

Piano stools two dollars at Adler's.

Hugh Conway's Called Back. Dark Days, Circumstantial Evidence, In One Short Vear. The Missing Will, and his Short Vear. The Missing Will, and his shall standard, 31.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Brusses, Sores, Ulcers, Sait Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilbiains, Corns, and all Skin Erup-tions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. E. Dement & Co.

WHAT! Do You Think that "Jeff" of The Chop House

Gives you a meal for nothing, and a glass of something to drink? "Not much!" but he gives a better meal and more of it than any place in town for 25 cents. He buys by the wholesale and pays cash. "That settles it."

Fresh Eastern and Shealwater

Bay Oysters Constantly on hand, cooked to any style at Frank Fabre's. All the patent medicines advertised

in this paper, together with the choicest perfumery, and tollet articles, etc., can be bought at the lowest prices, at J. W. Conn's drug store, opposite Occiden hctel, Astoria.

Flower pot brackets, and flower pots the latest styles, at John A. Montgom ery's.

—Sleepless Nights made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. Sold by W. E. De-ment & Co.

BREAD MAKING.

A Hunter's First Attempt at Manufacturing

[WRITTEN FOR THE ASTORIAN.] I was one of a party of five that left desk or workshop, in the fall of '84, at the dock, and blew a blast for intend- and went hunting in the Cascades. We were all pretty green in mountain life At two o'clock she swung out in the and when we came to talk the matter stream and started for Cathlamet with over, not one in the crowd could cook quite a number of ladies and gentlemen We had bread enough to last two days and little ones who were out for an after- and on the third I was to remain in camp noon's ride. She skirted the Oregon side for the day as cook. As soon as the coast two or twenty of Astoria's steam fleet and went up Knappa slough, landing at was clear I began making preparations. the pretty little village of Knappa, that and I was afraid that was about all it as though the whole pack was right at lies behind a high green mound on the could make. I looked about, got the river's bank. A few minutes given to the flour, sult, bicarbonate of soda, mixing passengers to visit the place and away pan and a Dutch oven and went to work. sweet to hear the honest watch dog's bark she went, winding in and out the shall as I said to myself, to make a loaf of sweet to hear the honest watch dog's bark bay deep-mouth'd welcome as we draw near home;" but if you happen to be on the wrong side of the orchard fence with your pockets stuffed with apples it isn't so sweet. So, while it is sweet if you are on board, to hear the morning steamers shrilly pierse the air with declarations that they will soon start, it is anything but sweet to have your morning nap so to come down from Vancouver to smoke a loaf of bread fit for the gods. I placed some flow in the pan, added a few spoonfals of powder and a little sait, mixed it up with water. It did not seem quite the thing, it was thin and lumpy. I added more flour and decided I would have to break up the lumps with my hands, as flouring in and out the shallows and finally striking the main channel swang along to Cathlamet, where the entire party went ashore. Cathlamet, where the complete, which is saying a good deal. It is an old settled place, occupies a beautiful position and has a clean thrifty look. Around that place cluster a host of old time associations, from the times when the great chief made it his headquarters down to the days in the fifties when Gen. Grant used to come down from Vancouver to smoke a pince of powder and a little sait, mixed it up with water. It did not seem quite the thing, it was thin and lumpy. I added more flour and decided I would have to break up the lumps with my hands, as I said to myself, to make a loaf of bread fit for the gods. I placed some flour in the pan, added a few spoonfals of powder and a little sait, mixed it up with water. It did not seem to the thing, it was thin and lumpy. 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I lost my temper and the yellow jacket, but gained enough on my face of the unbaked staff of life to feed an orthan action. But I was not be worried. phan asylum. But I was not be worried with trifles. I dumped my bread into the oven, set it to bake, and went to the creek to wash. I fed the little fishes with the dough off my hands and face and sat thinking of the uncertainty of life and yellow jackets when the nir became laden with the suggestion of burnt bread. I hastened to camp, took off the lid of the oven and was nearly choked by steam and smoke. I tried to get the bread out but it had evidently taken up a permanent abode. I burned my fina permanent abode. I burned my fingers. I turned the oven upside down and hammered on the bottom, but to no purpose. I took it to the creek to cool it so that I could handle it with more freedom. I then wrestled with it catch as catch can, but failed to bring it to carpet. I then tried a tug of war. Placing my feet against the sides of the oven I inserted my fingers and pulled. It must have noticed blood in my eye and decised to go down and save punishment, for out it came and we rolled over in the grass. Time was called and I decided the match Time was called and I decided the match

mercy not to use it as a giant." In common with all on land and sea we admire that new boat that is to ordinary boats in speed what the greyhound is to eanines, but it does seem to an unimitiated being that the Telephone would go just as fast if that three-ply arrangement that sends people into temporary convulsions three times a week, were slightly modified. "Blessed is the man that invented sleep" suid Sancho Panza; what is the say of him who, like Macbeth, doth murder sleep? The idea of a whistle itself is a necessity, but whether in the hands of a small boy on the street or a big man on the river it may be made a confounded nuisance.

Talking about whistles brings up the fact that the O. R. & N. Co's boats have adopted a system of steam whistle signals, so that now you can with one hand tied behind your back tell just what boat it is by the way she toots. When an O. R. & N. boat gets near the place at which she intends to stop she gives a six-seconds blast, just by way of a starter, then she stops six seconds, and then turns loose on a kind of Morse telegraphic dot ing in Baltimore too late to be loaded as an August boat. The court held that the words "about ready to sail" implied that she had begun her preparations to get ready to sail. The steamship had not in fact begun her preparations on the 8th. As this was a substantial part of the contract, and this delay made her a September instead of an August boat, the court held that the charterers did not get what they contracted for and what they what they contracted for and what they agreed to pay for. They agreed to pay the price demanded for an August boat, which was higher than the market rate

The steamship Oregon is due from San Francisco this morning, with the follow-

S H Ray Paul Blumenthal Alex Rens Miss A Rober rVictor H Metcalf G W Reynolds J P McNerny Mrs C Cowan A T Zeikind A Norris H C Parker Jos Silvas W H Mills J M Kanfman Geo Harris Bo Wing Chut S Linkton A M Darling A M Darning
P H White
L W Robinson
Thos Kelley
J M Fleetwood&sis
G Reynolds

is It Not True?

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—Catarrh cured, health and sweet breath secured by Shiloh's Catarrh Rem-edy. Price 30 cents, Masal Injector free For sale by W. E. Dement.

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J. Strauss, of the New York Novelty Store, has returned from San Francisco after personally selecting and buying a large and varied assortment of goods; in consequence thereo? we offer

For the Next

Special bargains on present stock; we have materially reduced the prices on al classes of goods, and "the public" will find it to their advantage to call, examine and price our varied stock, consisting in part of

Clocks, Plated Ware, Pictures and Frames utlery, Bird Cages, Playing Cards, Accordeons, Violins, Banjos, Guitars,

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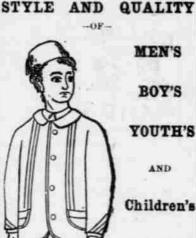
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By Cushing Post No. 14, G. A. R. and Cushing Relief Corps No. 3, : Being first

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Tickets

To be procured at New York Novelty Store and Joe Thomas' Store, also of the

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Go to Wilson & Fisher's and see comething new in window stops. A large assortment of Neckwear re-ceived at McIntosh's Furnishing store.

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I am now showing a large stock of GENT'S SACK, FROCK AND CUTAWAY SUITS in Imported and American goods, in beautiful designs, different shades and patterns, which are made up in style, fit and workmanship equal to any goods manufactured, as they are made by practical tailors for fine first class trade.

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Straw and Fur Hats.

A large stock of new styles in Straw, Soft and Stiff Fur Hats just eceived from the Eastern market direct.

Boots and Shoes.

I am closing out my stock of GENT'S HAND MADE ENGLISH WALKING SHOES at \$5.00 a pair. I am receiving new styles in Button, Gaiter, Lace, and Low Cut Shoes at prices unequaled.

A fine assortment of Trunks, Valises and Umbrellas constantly n stock.



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Astoria, Oregon.

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