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 This paper is on file at the St. Charles Hotel, Portland, Or.  
 Salmon berries are ripe.  
 The next tournament will be held at Seaside.  
 A 75-lb. salmon was received at Portland last Thursday.  
 Next comes the Fourth of July. Or was the tournament Astoria's Fourth of July?  
 The Paget Sound logging camp employ 350 men. The daily output is 1,167,000 feet.  
 Captain Archie Pears, formerly of the Alton, is on the new steamer *Multnomah* this season.  
 A "permanent ink eraser" is offered for sale. It is a bad thing in connection with raised checks.  
 The *Oregonian* ran into a Seattle dock again last Tuesday. They ought to get a pilot over there.  
 A movement is on foot to run a freight and passenger steamer between Portland, Astoria and Seattle, Good.  
 The *Telephone* started with the returning delegates at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and went through by daylight.  
 The grand lodge of the A. O. U. W., of Oregon, Washington territory and British Columbia will assemble at Salem July 7th.  
 Tigers of Salem, tied traps around their sleeves after the tournament. They will have a chance next time to get a laurel wreath.  
 Rescued prizes amounted to \$1000. Capitals of Salem, \$450; Alton's \$75; Eugene team \$50; Albany team \$50; Grant and Patton \$100; total \$1425.  
 The ship *Blue Jacket* ran into and smashed the tug *Tacoma* near Port Angeles, W. T., last Thursday. Both vessels were badly damaged.  
 In the supreme court, the case of M. J. Kinney vs. E. D. Hentley et al., has been remanded for an account of the reclamations on the *Titan*.  
 That race didn't come off between officer Rucker and sprinter Martin yesterday, the latter forfeiting the money put up, as the odds were too great.  
 Not a single arrest during the three days of the tournament. Just that speaks volumes for the sobriety and standing of the firemen of Oregon.  
 The prizes won yesterday were paid before the visitors took up the line of march for the *Telephone*. They carried away considerable cash with them, and left a little.  
 There was some discussion yesterday morning about that 300 yard wet test race, and the manner that Capitals got connection at the tug, but the judges awarded the first prize to the Capitals that settles it.  
 Time was worth \$1,000 a second yesterday. We never realized more forcibly the truth of the saying "Time is money" than when F. E. Hodges announced that Capitals had beaten Rescues and won \$200 by one-fifth of a second.  
 The new law giving \$250 bounty for coyote scalps went into effect on the 1st. Up in Umatilla county a boy caught and skinned 23, and kept them until the 1st, when he struck the county commissioners with his coyotes and got \$50.  
 The *Oregonian's* East Portland reporter says that the authorities of that city have taken no precaution against the spread of small-pox, that the boy who has the disease sits by an open window and quietly picks off the black, flaky and scabby infectious scabs, the breeze taking them up and scattering them.  
 The contest which closed yesterday will do much toward advancing the standing of the departments throughout the state, and will encourage an effort to make even better records if possible at Salem next summer. The practical good resulting is best noted in the increased efficiency and skill of the different companies.  
 By yesterday's express M. C. Hitchings, of this city, received letters sent from the Canadian government for his improved method of testing sealed cans, recently described at length in these columns. This patent covers all the territory on this continent, over which the English flag floats, and is for a term of 15 years.  
 And now that it is all over a word of praise is due to the men who had charge of the tournament in the city. It is easy to find fault and criticize, and it is a thankless job at best to run anything of the kind, for somebody's corns are sure to be stepped on. The managers did the best they could according to their ability and the funds at their disposal.  
 A New York youth who had probably been stuffing himself with cherries and will milk died last Thursday, and straightway comes a sensational statement that he died from eating canned salmon. Then the yarn goes around that it was "Columbia river salmon," and gives the name of the grocer from whom the salmon was bought. The account winds up with the assertion that the acute doctor, who was called in, "believes" that the poison was "from the decomposition of the fish." Just so: last year it was the soldier that was poisonous. Scientific investigation knocked the coloring of truth out of that, and now it is the fish itself that is poisonous. The whole business needs confirmation, and every former report of the kind, when summed down, was found to be as the baseless fabric of a vision.  
 First-class ticket to San Francisco by tomorrow's steamer—cheap. Inquire at Astorian composing room.  
 Notice.  
 D. R. McIntosh assumed charge of the city delivery of THE DAILY ASTORIAN on the 1st inst. All payments are to be made to him and he is authorized to receipt for the same.  
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 Captain Hustler desires all those who still have their assessment blanks to return them to him immediately.  
 First class photos at Partridge's.  
 One of the finest billiard tables on the coast at Jeff's "Telephone."

**THE CLOSING CONTEST**  
 The Capitals, of Salem, Win the \$200 Prize by One-Fifth of a Second.—Our Rescues Take the Second Prize.  
 Yesterday dawned cool and cloudy, and though the great New York contest was called off eight and advertised at nine o'clock it was ten before the teams got ready for the start. In this race the contestants were to run 200 yards to hydrant, by 250 feet of hose, disconnect seventh or last section, take out third section from hydrant, replace with seventh section, connect section removed to sixth section, attach pipe and throw water. This is something new in Pacific coast fire tournaments and attracted universal attention. The first prize was \$200, second prize \$75.  
 When the time was taken on Rescues' one was said 1:21 3/4, another 1:21 1/2, a third 1:21 3/5, making the time 1:21 3/5. The result was received with cheers, for that is considered good time, in a contest in practicing the boys had made it in 1:14. Capitals of Salem came next, and made a magnificent run, and when time was called on water, one watch indicated 1:21, a second 1:21 3/5, a third 1:21 3/5, making the time 1:21 3/5. Rescues just one-fifth of a second. Then began tumultuous cheering by the Capitals and their friends, who had bet heavy on them, and were overjoyed at the Albany run next, but soon, no time, and were followed by Salem No. 3, made a run in 1:51 1/4, thus ending the contest.  
 The last on the list was a sweepstakes foot race for \$50, run 151 yards, free to all members of the association; the following entered: Geo. S. Wright, Dick Patton, Ferg Reed, W. McGee, and A. F. Reed, of Salem, Ed. Ferguson, Frank Mulkey and A. Houghthon, of Astoria, F. Marshall of Albany, E. Coffin of Eugene. The race was won by Dick Patton of Capitals of Salem in 14 1/5 seconds. The tournament ended at noon, and after a hearty round of cheers and congratulations, the prizes were paid, and at two o'clock the *Telephone* started for Portland with the returning delegations, and so ended the fourth annual meeting, and the largest and most successful one of the kind ever held in the state.  
**JIB KEENE BEATS THREE CARD MONTE.**  
 Alongside the roadway near the Jerome Park race track a three card monte swindler set up his tripod. His chatter and his manipulation of the cards were unaccompanied by trick, for there was momentary danger of a policeman coming to stop him. Passengers were being emptied from a train, and they surrounded the operator. But for a time his only betting was with his confederate, who, of course, won right along. James W. Keene, the Wall-streeter, arrived with several friends, and looked on at the game. The gambler's pal resorted to the familiar trick of slyly bending a corner of the card—by that means making it appear that the winning one could be picked out to a certainty. Keene surprised the operators by saying: "I'll take you for \$50 that I can pick out the jack." The man was above the gambler's capital, and he got \$40 out of his pockets, and the stakes were put into the hands of an honest bystander.  
 "You think you've got a sure thing on me, but you haven't. The chances are exactly even. I shan't choose the bent card, for, of course that isn't the jack. You've scooped the jack in handling them, and bent one of the others. So the jack must be one of the smooth cards; and in taking this one," and here he placed his hand on a card, "my chances are five to one against you. See? Ah! Yes, I've won."  
 He pocketed the stakes, and was cheered by the instructed crowd.—*New York Dispatch.*

**ANALYZING THE BAKING POWDERS.**  
 "Royal" the only Absolutely pure Baking Powder made.—Attien of the New York State Board of Health.  
 Under the direction of the New York State Board of Health, eighty-four different kinds of baking powders embracing all the brands that could be found for sale in the State, were submitted to examination and analysis by Prof. C. F. CHANDLER, a member of the State Board, and President of the New York City Board of Health, assisted by Prof. EDWARD G. LOVE, the well-known late United States Government chemist.  
 The official report shows that a large number of the powders examined were found to contain alum or lime, many of them to such an extent as to render them seriously objectionable for use in the preparation of human food.  
 Alum was found in twenty-nine samples. This drug is employed in baking powders to cheapen their cost. The presence of lime is attributed to the impure cream of tartar of commerce used in their manufacture. Such cream of tartar was also analyzed and found to contain lime and other impurities, in some samples to the extent of ninety-three per cent of the entire weight.  
 All the baking powders of the market, with the single exception of the "Royal" (not including the alum and phosphate powders, which were long since discarded as unsafe or inefficient by prudent housekeepers) are made from the impure cream of tartar of commerce, and consequently contain lime to a corresponding extent.  
 The only baking powder yet found by chemical analysis to be entirely free from lime, and absolutely pure, is the "Royal." This purity results from the exclusive use of cream of tartar specially refined and prepared by patent process of the N. Y. Tartar Co., which totally removes the tartrate of lime and other impurities. The cost of this chemically pure cream of tartar is much greater than any other, and on account of this greater cost it is used in no baking powder but the "Royal."  
 Prof. Love, who made the analyses of baking powders for the New York State Board of Health, as well as for the Government, says of the purity and wholesomeness of "Royal": "I have tested a package of 'Royal' Baking Powder which I purchased in the open market, and find it composed of pure and wholesome ingredients. It is a cream of tartar powder of a high degree of merit, and does not contain either alum or phosphates or any injurious substances."  
 E. G. LOVE, Ph. D.

his hands to his eyes and tried to brush them clear, but as his fingers had received a good share of the pitch, he only made matters worse, and dropped his arms again. He did not seem to realize what had happened, and waggled his head blindly from side to side.  
 As he stood thus, one of the men took the upper edge of the tick and inverted it over him. I suppose it was as complete a job of the sort as was ever undertaken; at least, nothing was overlooked to make it a success. Cory looked like nothing human, but some strange species of monster blotched all over with fluffy white. His head seemed about the size and shape of a bushel basket, and his features were obliterated in the general blackness.  
 IT WAS A COOL NIGHT.  
 When the work was done he was given fifteen minutes to get out of camp. He was made to understand with difficulty, but was finally started on the trail and the crowd dispersed.  
 Early next morning some winners, going to work, found Cory back of a building lying on the ground and moaning. The tar had by this time rubbed all over him and partly solidified. As it grew hard it contracted and every contraction had dragged with it the thousands of microscopic hairs with which the body is covered. In places it had broken the skin, and the men who carried him into a shed found blood on their hands. A physician then located there, and now living at Greeley, Colo., was called in and attempted to remove the stuff with benzine. It was an utter failure as was every other else tried from grose to ammonia.  
 I saw him in the course of the morning. The lower portion of his body was covered with minute black specks like the shaven chin of a man who has heavy beard. They were the choked-up pores of the skin, and this was probably the real cause of the death. A short time after covering a man with tar was one of the worst forms of poisoning. These rapidly sloughed off, leaving open ulcers. I shall not enlarge upon these details, which would only perhaps interest a medical man, further than to say the symptoms were of a severe character, and identical with leprosy. This sole difference was the frightful rapidity of their development. The distorted remains were hurried into a coffin and hurried into the ground.  
 THE CAUSE OF DEATH.  
 A wise physician of Denver told me afterward that this closing up of the pores prevented the system from throwing off its impurities, and when the perspiration that every pore escapes in perspiration is held back or driven inward the blood is vitiated with inconceivable swiftness. He took down a book and showed me a case quoted from a French government report of 1750, when the college of surgeons, as an experiment, covered a boy with gold leaf. In six hours he was seized with a fever, then a torpor, and then died. The principle, he said, was that covering a man with tar was one of the most horrible punishments that cruelty has ever devised. I have no impulse to laugh when I hear of a case of it, but rather to walk away with a pietistic float before my eyes of a hideously grotesque figure shivering in the cold night air and a bloated corpse in a rough pine coffin.  
 JOHN REX.

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**TAR AND FEATHERS.**  
 How a Brute was Punished for Striking his Wife.  
 LAFAYETTE, IND., June 3.—I was seated in the corridor of a hotel this evening when a gentleman read aloud to a group of friends a telegraphic account of the tarring and feathering of Roy S. Hathaway, the city editor of the Toledo *Sunday Dispatch*. I observed that they all laughed and seemed to consider the thing exquisitely funny. The fact is, tarring and feathering, so far as public sympathy goes, is placed in a good deal the same category as having a tooth pulled, or falling down on a banana skin. I used to laugh at it myself, but I altered my opinion two years ago last fall.  
 This change of heart did not come about through my being tared and feathered myself, but through an episode of which I was a spectator. It was in 1882 and took place at a little Colorado mining camp called Carbonville.  
 TAR AND FEATHERS IN COLORADO.  
 Carbonville lies just over the Continental divide on the Pacific side, in Lake county, about twelve miles from Leadville as the crow flies. It was a makeshift town, and the population was mainly men exiled from Leadville for various offenses will give an idea of its moral status.  
 One of the very few "respectable" women in the camp was a first-class cook, Cory, who ran a little lunch room and restaurant. She was sweet-faced and sweet-tempered, and had an abiding fondness for her good name, and her husband in the world. We in the camp thought that Jake Cory was absolutely the worst on the face of the earth. He was a drunkard, foul-mouthed, brute who divided his time between the gambling houses and worse resorts. At these places he spent every dollar his wife earned, and all he could borrow on her good name. He once went so far as to pawn her furniture down to the cooking stove, over which she supported him. I mention these things to show that the sequel was not altogether unprovoked.  
 FOR STRIKING A WOMAN.  
 One evening Cory came into the restaurant drunk and struck his wife savagely in the face. He escaped through the back door and she came in seared and bleeding and told the story to some of the boarders. An impromptu indignation meeting was held among the "boys" and it was decided to tar and feather the fellow and run him out of town. The plan sounded well in the mouth of the man who suggested it, and everybody agreed that that was the correct thing to do.  
 No time was lost. A couple of men ran over to the refining works and got a big iron bucket of pitch, and others procured an old feather tick from a lodging house. Then a committee started out to get Cory.  
 They found him asleep in a saloon and hustled over to a vacant lot in the rear of some buildings. He was half dazed and confused with drink, and thought the affair was a joke, until the men began to strip off his clothes. Then he fought like a madman—in truth he believed he was mad with terror. His shirt and underclothes had to be literally torn off of him, and it was a good fifteen minutes work before he stood, shivering and stark naked in the moonlight.  
 APPLYING THE TAR.  
 I can see him now—his bearded eyes dilated and his shock of yellow hair bristling on his head. His nude body stood out in bold relief against the group that surrounded him, and the chill, penetrating air must have struck the tick to the bone. At any rate he crouched down and somebody called out: "Give it to him now!" At the same instant the bucket of tar was lifted and about a gallon thrown with a swish over his bare shoulders. He sprang erect at the cold touch of the pitch, and whirled around just in time to receive the rest of it on the head, face and chest.  
 For a moment he stood petrified, the black stuff trickling down his body and legs, and uniting with a great puddle of it on the ground. Then he slowly raised

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