

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON: WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 1885

NINE presidents and ex-presidents of the United States have died since Lincoln's first election.

It is reported that the president has secured a sufficient number of Republican senators to make sure of the confirmation of his nominations.

The value of merchandise exported from the United States during the year ending June 30, was \$741,893,683, against \$740,513,609 the preceding year.

A census of the occupations of Washington citizens shows that the principal branches of industry there are holding office and keeping boarding-house.

GEN. GRANT smoked his last cigar November 20, 1884. In a letter to a friend mentioning the circumstance he said he had smoked many thousands of cigars, and they had been his greatest comfort through the last years of the war on the battle-field.

EX-GOV. ANTHONY once said: "The average Kansas town will vote bonds to buy a cat to tie to a dog's tail." Many Kansas towns that ten years ago had bright prospects are to-day as dead as an Egyptian mummy because of recklessness in going into debt.

Thom's directory of New York city for the present year contains the names and addresses of 310,746 persons—an increase of 10,717 over last year. The gain of population is estimated at not less than fifty thousand per annum, and the population of the city is not far either way from one million five hundred thousand.

The growth of the cattle industry is wonderful. Twenty years ago a million of dollars would cover the amount invested in cattle ranches in the United States, while now the investment is estimated at a hundred millions. Not only in this country, but abroad, agriculture has been superseded in many places by cattle-raising, which is lowering and will continue to lower the price of beef.

SECRETARY WHITNEY is candid enough to admit that, for obvious reasons, our navy officers know little about the construction of iron ships, and he declares that the department will go "modestly and deliberately" in its efforts to build up a modern navy. Some other nations would be much better off, pecuniarily and as naval powers, if they had observed a similar policy. Millions upon millions have been squandered by various countries in costly experiments, and in spite of these expensive lessons it is true of other nations as of this that little is fixed in modern naval architecture.

THERE are in London fully 60,000 families, each of whom live in a single room. The effect of this may best be described in the language of Lord Shaftesbury: "The effect of the one-room system, physically and morally, is beyond all description. In the first place, the system always leads to the one-bed system. If you go into these single rooms you may sometimes find two beds, but you will generally find one bed occupied by the whole family. It is impossible to say how fatal the result is. It is destructive of all the effects of education, for in such homes the children unlearn everything they have acquired at school during the day."

In these days we hear a great deal about doing as they did in Jackson's day. The fact is the people who talk that way don't think much. It is now impossible to do as they did in Jackson's day. There is all the difference between that time and now that there is between riding a walking-stick as a boy and making a success of riding a bucking horse. The entire popular vote cast in 1824, according to the best records, was less than 400,000. In 1884 it was about 10,000,000. In 1849, when Harrison was elected, it was only a little over 2,000,000. But these figures express only a small side of the case. The number of employes has increased in much greater ratio. It is now something enormous. The employes of the post office department, for instance, extend through all the departments. The railway mail, the carrier system and cheap postage have done it. The number of employes to-day are said to be five times as many as they were when the Republicans took the reins of the government in 1860. The time is certainly coming when something must be done to relieve the heads of departments. One mind cannot grasp the whole of this great system. There are as many office-seekers to-day as there were voters in 1824.

The claim which the city of Washington put forth for the custody of General Grant's remains was not grounded so much on special reasons, operative in the present case only, as on the conviction that the proper place of interment for citizens whose lives identify them with the history of the republic is the capital of the country. And it is gratifying to see by the well-nigh universal sentiment of the press that this feeling is shared by the nation at large. There should be in the United States, as in the case in other countries, a sacred spot where the bravest and best should repose in honor together. Such a pantheon of heroes would be not only the glory, but a wall of strength to the capital and to Republican institutions. The most precious spot in all the British empire, upon whose domain the sun never ceases to shine, is the few square feet of earth in London which contains the dust of her great men; and there is not an Englishman anywhere on the face of the earth to-day, who would not make a last stand to protect Westminster Abbey and St. Paul's from the desecration of an enemy. In a like manner would Americans be stirred by a new and broader and deeper patriotism if the national capital contained the ashes of those whose deeds have made the country illustrious. This is the sentiment which underlies the general expression in favor of Washington as the burial place of General Grant, and it is this patriotic feeling that has been outraged by the selection which has been made.

MARRIED. In upper Astoria on the 10th inst. by Justice A. T. Brakke, Wm. Starr, and Mrs. L. E. Troit. In this city on the 11th inst. at the residence of Mrs. Danielson, by Rev. Wm. Roberts, Mr. Claus Nelson, and Miss Christina Louisa Danielson, all of Astoria.

NEW TO-DAY. Notice. THE ASSESSMENT ROLL OF DISTRICT No. 16, Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, is completed and now in the hands of the directors of said district. The same can be seen at the office of James W. Welch over the store of Ford & Stokes. The directors will meet in Mr. Welch's office on the 12th day of August at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. and sit as a board of equalization. Parties interested can examine the assessment roll, and file objections, if they have any thereto, by order Board of Directors. C. W. SHIVELY, Clerk.

Special Auction Sale Wednesday, Aug. 12, 10:30 A. M. At Holden's Auction Rooms. TWO COTTAGE BED-ROOM SETS, each consisting of Bedstead, Dressing Bureau, Wash-stand, Table, 2 Chairs and Rocker. Also a lot of Double, Three-quarter and single Bedsteads and Spring Mattresses, One Ash 10 foot Extension Table, 1 Solid Black Walnut Leaf Dining Table, Blankets, Comforts, Feather Pillows, Lamps, Window shades, Toilet Crockery, Chairs and Second Hand Carpets and Matting. Also, 1 Handmade Lounge, new. Also, 12 Cans, 10 lbs each, and 20 Cans, 5 lbs each, Good Lard, and 12 Cans of Maple Sugar Syrup. E. C. HOLDEN, Auctioneer.

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THE HALL OVER D. L. BECK & SON'S can be rented for Public gatherings. Application may be made to the executive committee of the Astoria Ladies' Coffee Club. Mrs. BRIGMAN, Mrs. PHAET, Mrs. CHARTERS.

HOTEL FURNITURE AUCTION SALE. ABSOLUTE AND PEREMPTORY!

INSTRUCTED BY SAMUEL MOORE, Esq., owner of the property, I will sell positively without reserve, to the highest bidders On Tuesday August 18, at 10 A.M. Every Article of Furniture Contained in the Bar-room, Office, Dining-room, Parlor, Bed-room, Pantry and Kitchen of THE ASTOR HOUSE, On Jefferson Street, Astoria. If desired reasonable time will be given to responsible bidders for part of the purchase money. For detailed list of furniture see catalogue. E. C. HOLDEN, Auctioneer.

NO MORE AUCTION! But Everything AT COST! Till Further Notice AT ADLER'S CRYSTAL PALACE.

Valuable Real Estate AUCTION SALE. NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY! Desirable and safe investment. For Small Capitalists, Speculators or Persons wanting a fine lot whereon to build a home. On Thursday, August 20, at 2 P.M. I am instructed to sell, on the premises, near Hawthorn's Cannery, the following described valuable property, all situated in upper Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John Adair: All the river frontage of block 6, (adjoining the Anglo American Packing Co.) to ship's channel, being equivalent to over four acres of water lots. The whole of blocks 8, 9, 38 and 101, each containing eight lots 25x120 feet each. We reserve, if necessary, the privilege of sub-dividing lots to suit bidders. The property to be sold is admirably located, commanding an extended view of the scenery of the Columbia river and sheltered from the prevailing winter winds. Title perfect. Warranty deeds. Terms—All sums under \$200, cash. Over \$200, half cash, balance 12 months at 10 per cent, or 10 per cent premium allowed on one half purchase money for all cash. E. C. HOLDEN, Auctioneer.

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Notice of Assignment. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL whom it may concern that the undersigned has been appointed assignee of the estate of M. D. Kant, an insolvent; and all persons having claims against said insolvent, are requested to present the same to the assignee, properly verified as his office in the Occident Hotel in the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, state of Oregon, within three months from this date. CHAS. S. WRIGHT, Astoria, August 6th, 1885.

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 and spirituous liquors, in less quantities than one quart, in the building fronting on Chenamus street and situated on lot No. 1, block No. 25 in the city of Astoria as laid out and recorded by John M. Clark. J. T. BROWN.

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FOR NEW YORK, DIRECT, THE FINEST BARK W. H. BESSE, This well known and favorite Clipper will go on berth in July at Portland and Astoria. SALMON and WOOL SHIPPERS is especially called to this opportunity of shipping to New York at low rates of freight. For particulars apply to TAYLOR, YOUNG & CO., Ship Brokers, 41 Front St., Portland, or to A. W. BERRY, Astoria.

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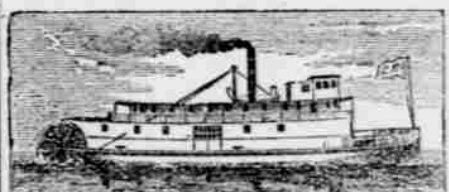
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SEALING PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at this office until 1 o'clock P. M. of Thursday, the 13th day of August, 1885, for the construction of a frame cottage at the Shoalwater Bay Life-Saving Station, near the light-house. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for one hundred dollars (\$100) drawn to the order of the Secretary of the Treasury, as security that the bidder will enter into contract without delay, and give such bonds for the faithful performance thereof as may be required. If his bid be accepted, Specifications and plans, forms of proposals and full information can be obtained of the Collector of Customs, Astoria, Oregon; the Keeper of the Shoalwater Bay Life-Saving Station, North Cove, Pacific county, Washington territory; and the Superintendent of the 13th Life-Saving District, room 25, Appraiser's building, San Francisco, California. All proposals must be endorsed, "Proposals for constructing a cottage at Shoalwater Bay Life-Saving Station," and addressed U. S. Life-Saving Service, Washington, D. C. The right to reject any or all bids, or to waive defects, is reserved. S. J. KIMBALL, General Superintendent.

Stockholders Meeting. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Old Fellows Land and Building association in the lodge room of Beaver Lodge No. 33, I. O. O. F., on Monday, August 24th, 1885, at two P. M. A full attendance is requested. A. J. MEGLER, Secretary, Astoria, Oregon, July 22, 1885.

CASH! CASH! From and After AUGUST 1ST, GOODS WILL BE SOLD FOR CASH ONLY! FRANK L. PARKER. H. B. PARKER, DEALER IN Hay, Oats, and Straw, Lime, Brick, Cement, Sand and Plaster Wood Delivered to Order. Draying, Teaming and Express Business.

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County Treasurer's Notice. THERE IS MONEY IN THE COUNTY Treasury to pay all county orders presented prior to January 1st, 1884. All such orders will receive no interest after this date. ISAAC BERGMAN, Treasurer Clatsop County, Astoria, Or., July 23rd, 1885. Notice. TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, THIS is to certify that we have this day sold our interest in and to the stock of goods, fixtures, good will, etc., of our store on Chenamus street near Benton, to Hong Gee Wah, who will pay all bills contracted prior to this date. HING FONG, YE CHONG, Astoria, August 3rd, 1885.

LIVERPOOL TO PORTLAND! BRITISH BARK Firth of Dornoch. We shall place this fine iron bark on the berth at Liverpool for August loading. Portland or Astoria shippers can obtain full particulars as to freight and insurance rates by applying to MEYER, WILSON & CO., Portland, or to WILSON, MEYER & CO., 15 Brunswick St., Liverpool.

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Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE Stockholders of the White Star Packing Company, that the annual meeting of said company will be held at the company's office in Upper Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, on Saturday the 22nd day of August, 1885, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and transacting such other business as may legally come before the meeting. OULUF W. PEDERSEN, President. Attest: A. T. BRAKKE, Secretary, Upper Astoria, August 7th, 1885.

Hardware and Ship Chandlery VAN DUSEN & CO. DEALERS IN Hardware and Ship Chandlery Pure Oil, Bright Varnish, Binnacle Oil, Cotton Canvas, Hemp Sail Twine, Cotton Sail Twine, Lard Oil, Wrought Iron Spikes, Galvanized Cut Nails, Agricultural Implements Sewing Machines, Paints and Oils, Groceries, etc. Solid Gold Jewelry, Scarf Pins, Chains, Watches, Pianos and Organs of the Best make at the Lowest Prices. The finest stock of Jewelry in Astoria. All goods warranted as represented. GUSTAV HANSEN, JEWELER.

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