

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON: WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1885. A NEW TITLE.

ACCORDING to La Gazette Geographique of the Geographical society of Paris, the rumor that the czar of Russia will soon assume the additional title of emperor of central Asia is confirmed.

Whatever objections England may have to Russia's rapid advance toward India, it cannot be denied, even by those who are most jealous of Russia's Asiatic enterprises, that her advent into the countries beyond the Caspian has greatly benefited them.

The social changes that Russia is working out amid the most untamable hordes of Asia are quite remarkable. Its government influences maintained by many military posts, its Trans-Caspian railroad now complete between Krasnovodsk on the Caspian and the sea of Aral, the schools it has opened at Tashkend, the explorers it has sent over the country in every direction, its vigorous efforts to create a demand for its manufactures, are all helping to change the conditions of life on the plateaus of Turkestan.

Political rivalry has not inspired any other European power to emulate the untiring energy with which Russia has for nearly twenty years pushed forward her work of geographical research and aggrandizement.

Though political motives may have been the chief impelling force in carrying Russia's flag forward, the commercial rewards of her enterprise bid fair to amply repay the cost.

A BILL has been introduced in the Georgia legislature providing that, from and after the passage of the act, all male inhabitants of that state who have arrived at the age of thirty years and who have never been married shall be taxed \$2.50 per annum for the enjoyment of this unmarried state, and each year so long as they shall enjoy the enviable position in life of single blessedness.

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moralists of the country in order to correct this most monstrous and ruinous evil which now stalks abroad in our sunny south and would-be virtuous land."

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND, in his purpose to keep the public good in his eye, manages to run against a large assortment of private interests. The ocean steamship companies cannot have their subsidy; the cattle barons must get off the Indian lands, and must pull down their fences; the land grant railroads must not impose on settlers; political bosses are kept from looting the offices, and the army and navy must take their share of service.

The peasantry of south Germany has been thrown in a state of consternation over the sudden and inexplicable departure from the country of the rooks, which for centuries have made their abode there.

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NEW TO-DAY.

Boat Found. ON THE 20TH OF AUGUST, BETWEEN Bay View and Fisherton, one small fishing boat, sail and oars complete. Said boat was drifting down the river with sail set.

For Rent. THE SALOON KNOWN AS "THE COLONIAL," on Chippewa, between Emmon and Main. Saloon fixtures for sale or to let.

THE FINE AMERICAN SHIP "JOHN T. BERRY." Now enroute from San Francisco and due here, will follow the Birch in our direct line of Salmo Vessels.

House to Rent. WITH TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, suitable for single gentlemen. Inquire of WM. BACK.

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HAMILTON SCOTCH SPLINT. Finest Domestic Coal in the Market.

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The Greatest Musical Event in the History of Astoria!

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Clara Louise Kellogg AND HER Grand Concert Company!

Consisting of The Following Eminent Artists:

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Reserved Seats.....\$1.50 General Admission.....1.00

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LAND and MARINE ENGINES. Boiler Work, Steamboat Work and Cannery Work a specialty.

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VISITING CARDS. A Large Stock of FINE VISITING CARDS, of Every Grade.

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Administrator's Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned was on the 31st day of April, 1885, appointed administrator of the estate of John Johnson deceased.

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Excelsior Mill. Having built and refitted with improved machinery the above mill at large expense, we are now prepared to

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Groceries, Wines, Liquors, TOBACCO AND CIGARS.

A FINE BILLIARD TABLE. For Rent.

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Plumbing, Gas Fitting and Cannery Work attended to promptly on Reasonable Terms.

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Hardware and Ship Chandlery Pure Oil, Bright Varnish, Binacle 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,

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