The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

WEDNESDAY.....NOVEMBER 11, 1885

A neat fitting boot or shoe can be had at the sign of the Golden Shoe.

Chenamus street from Main to Benton seems badly in need of "improvement."

The union Gospel meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening will begin at seven o'clock sharp, standard time.

Tickets for the concert and entertainment by Cushing Post Cornet band, can be had at the New York Novelty store.

The I. X. L. building, occupied by the New York Novelty store is to have a new and improved front placed in it this month.

Jeff is renovating and refitting the building next to O. Sovey's saloon and says he will open a popular restaurant there befor long.

B. S. Worsley will sell at his auction rooms to-day, at 2 o'clock P. M., on account of departure, a choice and beautiful collection of sixty house plants.

A man advertised for a bookkeeper in Portland t'other day, and had sixty answers before night. Another advertised for a week in vain for an A 1 horseshoer. The moral of this bulges right out.

Get your Thanksgiving turkey at Reed's Union market: he also has ducks and geese, which he will deliver at your house at lowest rates. All kinds of wild game, and fish daily delivered.

Cushing Post Cornet band have always been ready and willing to oblige the public; now that they are to have an entertainment which will be worth more than the price of admission, they will be pleased to see a large attendance.

John Sanstrom writes from Skamokwa that a man named Frank Nilson, a native of Calmo, Sweden, is missing from that place since last Friday and is supposed to be drowned. He has a brother in San Francisco.

The *News* says Vancouver is mad. The United States soldiers stationed there were recently paid off and "fired" to Seattle, where they are spending their money. Seattle has recently "fired" her Chinese, and they are flocking to Vancouver.

Coroner Ross received a telegram from Ed. McGuire last evening, saying that the dead body of a man had come ashore about a mile below Point Adams light house. The coroner will go over this morning to hold an inquest. The probability is that it is one of the men lost from the plunger *Emma* that came ashore near Grimes' last week.

Grace Hawthorne has scored a bright success. The applause she brings is spontaneous and genuine incense to brilliant ability, and during her week here she was several times complimented by recalls at the close of the play, which is a rare distinction for an actress to achieve in this city.—*St. Louis Republican.* Reserved seats at the New York Novelty store.

THE ASTORIAN job office is in receipt of several thousand pounds of paper direct from the manufacturers in Chicago. Merchants and business men can get job work at this office at San Francisco prices. We don't ask your work for sympathy, or help, or home pride, or any thing else, but just on this: that we will do it just as good and just as cheap as it can be done in Portland or San Francisco and you will save money by patronizing us for anything in our line.

Considerable land is being taken up, homesteaded, preempted and purchased in this county this fall; some under the timber act, some otherwise. Quite a colony have taken a large and valuable tract of land about ten miles south and east of Knappa. Wm. McCabe, Alex. Campbell, Jos. Surprenant, J. F. Warren, W. E Warren, Sam Ellison and several more have claims there, and with a little improved facilities for getting logs to tide water they will each and all have a valuable quarter section.

It is a pleasant commentary on our efficient mail service to know that Oregon mail from San Francisco now goes up through California on the California Pacific railroad to Sacramento, and from there on the Central Pacific road through eastern California, across the state of Nevada into Utah territory, nearly 900 miles east, and then doubles back and comes westward by way of Umatilla to Portland. This may be the new and correct way, but Astorians were better pleased when they got their mail two days from San Francisco by steamer. There is freight in this office received by the *Oregon* five days ago, and the invoice has not yet been received by mail.

PERSONAL.

J. Strauss is among the outgoing passengers on the *State* to-day, for San Francisco.

Tailor System of Dress Cutting.

A teacher of the tailor system of dress cutting, also all kinds of useful fancy work, will be in Astoria shortly to give lessons. Terms $20 per scholar. After learning will inform pupils where they can find ready sale for their fancy work. Applications may be made to Miss L. Bayer, care ASTORIAN office.

Mrs. Gates has returned and will give lessons in embroideries for a few weeks for the holiday trade. Also does the indelible stamping, waranted not to rub off.

Amongst our eastern shipment of goods just received at Adler's, is a beautiful willow carriage with double top, which can be used summer and winter; also a few of those handy house-carriages. On account of remodeling the store the Bohemian wares will not be unpacked yet. Look out for new goods to arrive daily from the east at Adler's Crystal Palace.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The city council met in regular session last evening, Mayor Home in the chair: present councilmen Bergman, Cooper, Cleveland, Gratke and Trenchard.

The reports of city sexton and superintendent for October were read and referred.

The petition of G. Dipascuale to transfer his license was granted.

A petition of residents and tax payers asking for a street lamp corner Benton and Seventh streets was referred to committee on public property.

A communication from the street superintendent directing the attention of the council to the condition of Hemlock street in front of lots 11 and 12, blk 148, was read. On motion it was decided that the proper steps be taken to have the street repaired.

A petition from J. C. Trullinger asking for the privilege of erecting poles and wire for the purpose of placing and operating electric lamps thereon was granted.

The report of the street committee regarding the petition of Andrew Barry concerning the removal of a house on Pine street, was read and adopted.

The petition of property owners asking for a lamp corner Squemoqua and Madison streets was reported on favorably: report adopted.

The return of the chief of police on delinquent city tax roll, reporting the collection of $6,134.24, delinquent taxes was received.

ORDINANCES.

An ordinance authorizing the chief engineer of the Astoria fire department to assume control and management of the fire alarm telegraph, was passed under suspension of the rules.

An ordinance creating the office of electrician for the fire alarm, defining his term of office, duties and compensation, was passed under suspension of the rules.

An ordinance authorizing the erecting, maintaining, operating and using electric light wires and poles on the streets of the city, was read first and second times, and after some debate was ordered printed.

An ordinance directing the auditor and clerk to issue an alias warrant for the collection of delinquent taxes for 1885 was read first time.

An ordinance appropriating $143.50 for the benefit of W. B. Ross was passed under suspension of the rules.

The following claims were ordered paid: Jackins & Owens, $29.40; J. Feely, $1.25; Jno. McCann, $15; R. R. Marion, $173.85; G. Christiansen, $12; Griffin & Reed, $4.90; R. R. Marion, $14.75; Astoria Gas Light Co., $9.45; Griffin & Reed, $2,75; R. R. Marion, $18.50; M. Powers, $36.90; E. R. Hawes, $1; Oregon Improvement Co., $9; M. Powers, $28.20; J. Feely, $21; Wilson & Fisher. $10.50; C. L. Parker, $17; J. W. Gearhart, $17; Jno, McCann, $95; Gill & Clinton, $40.

After a few remarks from J. C. Trullinger regarding his recent purchase of complete plant for putting up and operating electric lights, the council adjourned to 7 P. M., on the 12th inst.

WHAT IS READ.

Inquiry at the different book stores develops the fact that the principal newspapers sold are the New York *Story Paper*, *Fireside Companion* and *Saturday Night*. The most popular periodical is the *Young Ladies' Fashion Journal*, over 150 copies being sold every month. Of the *Century* about 75 copies are sold every month, and about 45 *Harper's*. The magazine is the only one of Harper's publications that has much circulation in Astoria.

At present there is considerable demand for books relating to the Swedish language and giving instruction therein. A large number of outside publications are taken, newspapers and magazines coming through the postoffice. Several hundred *Oregonians*, *News* and *Standards* are taken here; the *Mercury*, *Welcome*, *Siftings* and other state newspapers find numerous purchasers. Next to THE ASTORIAN the *Oregonian* has the largest circulation in this city.

The Legislature.

On Monday, the 9th inst., the legislature convened at Salem in accordance with Gov. Moody's call and went on with the regular organization. In the house all were present except Conner and Saunders. J. F. Gregg, of Marion was elected chief clerk. L. H. Wheeler, of Multnomah, journal clerk. In the senate all were present except Dorris of Lane. Senator-elect Bird, of Yamhill, took the oath of office. G. O. Holman, of Baker, was elected sergeant-at-arms, the rules of the previous session were adopted and both houses adjourned to eleven A. M., Tuesday when the governor's message was read.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, 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.

W. Lussier of San Francisco has engaged in the photograph business with Crow the leading photographer.

—All the patent medicines advertised in this paper, together with the choicest perfumery, and toilet articles, etc., can be bought at the lowest prices, at J. W. Conn's drug store, opposite Occident hotel, Astoria.

For Rent.

The store next door to Empire Store. Apply to Carl Adler.

Lost.

A Grand Army of the Republic badge; red ribbon with rank bar attached. Finder will receive two dollars reward at this office.

School Books 20 per cent less than any other place at Adler's.

NEHALEM NOTES.

A Valuable Section that Wants to be Annexed to Clatsop County.

ONION PEAK, OR., Nov. 6, 1885.

EDITOR ASTORIAN:

In two previous articles I advocated the building of a wagon road from Astoria to Nehalem valley and Tillamook, and endeavored to show that it was the interest of Astoria to aid in the enterprise. I will devote this letter to another important (at least important to Nehalemites) matter of change and improvement.

County lines, as well as all other boundaries, ought to be so located and described as to be easily followed, and no room for doubt or litigation. Is this so in respect to the boundary between Clatsop and Tillamook counties? Paragraph 9, title 2, chapter 8, Oregon laws, says: "The line of boundary between the counties of Tillamook and Clatsop shall be as follows: Commencing at the extreme western point of Arch Cape, thence easterly to the summit of the coast range of mountains." This is a little better than the old description, which was "Commence on the top of Saddle mountain, thence east to summit of coast range, thence south along said summit to the north line of Polk county, thence west to Pacific ocean, and thence north to the place of beginning." But while it is an improvement on the old, it is capable of as much more improvement. Who knows where the extreme western point of Arch Cape is? That point may have been determined by a coast survey, but I have never found any one that knew where it was relatively. Even with the starting point determined, the line would have to be surveyed, and at considerable expense, to determine intermediate points. Then it would be found to divide congressional subdivisions of land in a very unsatisfactory manner. As near as we can locate this boundary, it runs through the Onion Peak coal fields and one of the finest bodies of timber in Oregon; through land that will ere long be very valuable; and if its present indefiniteness is continued. it will be difficult for assessors to determine what property is in their jurisdiction. Here will be openings for trouble, and, perhaps, litigation. This matter should be settled at the earliest opportunity, and in the most satisfactory manner. This will be easier done by the legislature amending the act defining the boundary. And while the legislature is about it, let it be done understandingly and so as to serve the best interests of the present and future. The people of Nehalem are most concerned in this boundary question and their wishes ought to be consulted. Common sense tells us that the line ought to correspond with a congressional township line, but what one? While the line between 3 and 4 is within a mile or two of its present indefinite location, and it might be located on that line, yet that would still divide Nehalem valley and create some inconvenience, particularly in the matter of roads and schools.

I believe the unanimous desire of the Nehalemites is to become Clatsop citizens. Our business interests are all that way; Astoria is and must ever be our trading point. If that was our county seat, we could unite private with public business and "kill two birds with one stone." Then, if this boundary be located on the township line between townships 2 and 3 N, it will place the valley intact in Clatsop county where it properly belongs. It is true that Tillamook county, would by the change lose a strip of territory 7 or 8 miles wide, but she will still be sufficiently long. Clatsop county need not be afraid to take us in, for we are not an expensive people: we have no criminals nor paupers; no lawyers nor litigants. But the time may come when we will have considerable revenue. I hope to hear from others on this question.

NEHALEM.

A Startling Discovery.

Physicians are often startled by remarkable discoveries. The fact that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and all Throat and Lung diseases is daily curing patients that they have given up to die, is startling them to realize their sense of duty, and examine into the merits of this wonderful discovery; resulting in hundreds of our best Physicians using it in their practice Trial Bottles free at W. E. Dement & Co.'s Drug Store. Regular size $1.00.

Amongst the large stock just received from the east at Adler's Bookstore is a beautiful lot of Illuminated Note Paper, specially ordered for this place, which on account of coming direct from the manufacturer will be sold at the extremely low price of 35 cents per box at Adler's.

Parties wishing spars or piling of any size or length can be supplied by leaving orders with J. H. D. Gray.

For a Neat Fitting Boot

Or Shoe, go to P. J. Goodmans, on Chenamus street, next door to L. W. Case. All goods of the best make and guaranteed quality. A full stock; new goods constantly arriving. Custom work.

One hundred thousand Envelopes just received from factory east, will be sold for $1.50 per thousand at Adler's Book store. Books and stationery at prices that will astonish buyers. My stock of Holiday goods is now on the way from the east.

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."

—A Nasal Injector free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy Price 50 cents. Sold by W. E. Dement.

Cheap Single Bedsteads

And Mattresses, for sale cheap, at M. Olsen's, corner of Main and Jefferson streets.

Ready For Business.

For a good steak, a delicious cup of coffee or a plate of fine oysters go to Frank Fabre's Coffee, Oyster and Chop House; opposite M. C. Crosby's.

FROM YAQUINA BAY.

ON BOARD THE STEAMSHIP YAQUINA, YAQUINA BAY, OR., Nov. 1. 1885.

When we left Albany, two weeks ago, we thought to be ere this under the orange trees. But man proposes and God disposes, and for the last two weeks we have done nothing but walk up and down the docks at Yaquina city, chewing tooth picks, and board at the company's expense, and wait patiently for favorable winds and tide to carry us to the ocean. Last Thursday the vessel steamed up and headed by the tug *Favorite*, launched out among the breakers that divide Yaquina bay from the Pacific ocean. When about two-thirds of the way across the tug lost one of its propellers and had to cut loose from the steamer. The sea was running mountain high, and the white-crested waves dashed their spray over the deck of the vessel, and the stoutest heart fluttered a little when the soundings showed four feet of water on one side and seven on the other. A moment later she scraped on the bottom, trembled and stood still. The engine was reversed, all the steam was put on, and after a strong pull she backed out, swung round, grazed the rocks on the side of the channel and steamed back to the wharf. Several of the crew and passengers were badly frightened; some went so far as to get on their life-preservers and say their prayers. We were not so badly frightened as some of the others, but still these few lines of an old song came vividly to our memory:

"It matters not, I have oft been told,
Where the body lies when the heart is cold.
But grant, Oh, grant this boon to me,
Oh, bury me not in the deep blue sea."

The steamship *Yaquina* is a nice little vessel, 1,210 tons, commanded by Capt. John Gibson.—*Albany Herald Disseminator, 6.*

Wholesale Arrests.

TACOMA, Nov. 9.—United States Marshal J. W. George and Deputy A. Whyte arrested this afternoon the parties indicted for intimidating Chinese, viz: Mayor Wiesbach, Dolph Hanna, Probate Judge Wickersham, J. Ralph, A. U. Mills, M. Kaufan, E. G. Bacon, John Forbes, H. A. Stevens, W. Christie, O. F. Anderson, John Budlong, Frank Magill, Charles Paetz, M. C. Gibbs, A. W. Cone, E. von Shrader, L. Stimpson, B. R. Everett, H. Bixler, George R. Epperson, G. D. Lawson, A. Rodenzell, M. McAtee, King Smith, J. M. Fernandes and W. C. Bell. More are to be arrested. Four companies of troops have returned from Seattle and camped here. They will propably leave to-night with the prisoners.

Proper Treatment for Coughs.

That the reader may fully understand what constitutes a good Cough and Lung Syrup, we will say that Tar and Wild Cherry is the base of the best remedies yet discovered. These ingredients with several others equally as efficacious, enter largely into Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup, thus making it one of the most reliable now on the market. Price 50 cts. and $1.00. Samples free. Sold by J. W. Conn.

—For lame Back, Side or Chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster, Price 25 cents. For sale by W. E. Dement.

—Why will you cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts 50 cts and $1. Sold by W. E. Dement.

Our Home and Fireside Magazine, 25 oleographs and 12 large engravings free to every subscriber, all for the sum of one dollar. An entire new development: you don't pay till you get the premiums; now to be seen at Carl Adler's, sole agent.

Ladies

In delicate health and all who suffer from habitual constipation will find the pleasant liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs more easily taken, and more beneficial in effect than any other remedy. It acts promptly yet gently on the Bowels, kidneys, Liver and Stomach, and does not sicken or debilitate. For sale by W. E. Dement & Co.

—"Hackmetack," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—That Hacking Cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. Sold by W. E. Dement.

Syrup of Figs.

Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Co. San Francisco Cal. is Natures Own True Laxative. This pleasant liquid fruit remedy may be had of W. E. Dement & Co. at fifty cents or one dollar per bottle. It is the most pleasant, prompt and effective remedy known, to cleanse the system; to act on, the Liver, Kidneys and Bowels gently yet thoroughly; to dispel Headachs, Colds and Fevers; to cure Constipation, Indigestion and kindred ills.

—Shiloh's Vitalizer is what you need for Constipation, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure is sold by us on guarantee. It cures consumption. Sold by W. E. Dement.

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

MARINE NOTES.

The *Carnmoney* and *City of Hankow* went to sea yesterday afternoon.

The *Geo. W. Elder* is due from San Francisco this morning: the *State* sails.

The British bark *Victoria Bay*, 1,118, Morrison master, 73 days from Newcastle, N. S. W., with coal arrived in yesterday.

The *Columbia* is being repaired in San Francisco. When ready for service again the *Oregon* will be laid off for a general overhauling.

The *City of Hankow* with 66,764 bus. wheat, valued at $54,078 the *Durisdeer*, with 52,005 bus. wheat, valued at $40,206, the *City of Florence* with 64,382 bus. wheat, valued at $52,148, and the *Cormorant* with 57,082 bus. wheat, valued at $42,811, cleared for Queenstown yesterday.

Liberty's Legs.

A New York sculptor and National Academician says of our "Libby:" "The figure is certainly balanced on the wrong leg. Try it yourself. Raise your right arm to its highest extent. Now you find you are balanced on the right leg. It must be so, because the tension on the right thigh must correspond to the straining of the arm. In the statue of Liberty this straining of the arm is not met by this correspondence, but just the opposite, the left being the balancing leg. Artistically, this is a bad fault."

Notice of Assignment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL whom it may concern, that the undersigned has been appointed assignee of the estate of Messrs. Prael Bros., insolvents, and all persons having claims against the said estate, are requested to present the same to the assignee properly verified at his office in the bank of L. W. Case, in the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, state of Oregon, within three months from this date, and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment of the same.

JOHN BRYCE, Assignee.

Astoria, Oregon, October 16th, 1885.

City Treasurer's Notice.

ALL OUTSTANDING WARRANTS DUE by the city of Astoria will be paid by the Treasurer at his office on and after today. Interest ceases from this date.

J. G. HUSTLER, City Treasurer.

Astoria, October 15th 1885.

Notice.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO ME will please call and pay the amount to W. W. Parker without further notice as all accounts unpaid will soon be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection by law.

WM. HOWE.

Found.

A FISHING BOAT ON SUNDAY THE 8th inst., above Tongue Point, which the owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Apply to

F. E. WRIGHT, Upper Astoria.

Lost.

FISHING BOAT, ROUNDED AT ENDS of keel; sail thwart branded "D. C."; boat used as trap boat and has tar marks on it. Information leading to its recovery will be rewarded.

WM. FREIDBURG.

Or at ASTORIAN Office.

NOTICE!

To the Patrons of Athletic Exercise.

W. M. DAVIS,

The Veteran Pugilist, Ex Champion of America and Teacher of Athletics.

Opened at Grant Bros., on Water street, last Tuesday evening Nov. 10th. 1885. Terms liberal. Apply to W. M. Davis, on premises.

Opening of the Skating Season!

AT ROSS' OPERA HOUSE,

Continue every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings from 7 to 10 P. M., and Saturday afternoon from 1 to 4 P.M.

Admission; on Tuesday and Thursday evenings and Saturday afternoon, Ladies free, skaters 25 cents; Gents admission 25c, skaters 25 cents. Admission on Saturday evening, with Cushing Post Cornet Band; Ladies 25 cents, skaters 25 cents; Gents 25 cents, skaters 25 cents.