

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1885

To-night. Diplomacy. Short days. Sea bass are plenty. Republican primaries to-day. The strawberry season is over. Who is going to be postmaster? See Jeffreys-Lewis in "Diplomacy," to-night.

Reserved seats for to-night's performance at Carl Adler's. A dramatic treat awaits Astorians at Ross' opera house to-night. The state board of agriculture meets at Salem next Tuesday.

The Clara Parker goes to Portland at nine o'clock this morning. The O. R. N. boats take passengers to Portland and return for \$2.50.

The Jeffreys-Lewis troupe are being played under the management of Carl Adler. Ross' opera house was quite comfortable last evening, and will be well warmed to-night.

"They say" that Mr. Noltner will shortly start a Democratic weekly newspaper in Portland. To-night Jeffreys-Lewis' greatest dramatic success, with a full cast and all accessories—Diplomacy.

The British bark Lalla Rookh cleared for Cork yesterday with 47,113 bns wheat, valued at \$36,747. The ladies of the M. E. church have a handsome financial return as the result of their exertions on Thanksgiving Day.

Scandinavian Lutheran divine service, will be held in the Swedish church, upper Astoria, at 10:30 a. m., to-morrow, H. Engb, pastor. Thos. A. Patterson, sentenced from this county to the penitentiary in 1883, for five years, for larceny has been pardoned and has gone to San Francisco.

DON'T YOU THINK SO TOO?

With no intention to sermonize, the writer cannot help alluding to the too common practice—in other places no doubt beside Astoria—of incorrectly repeating what one has said. A man should be willing to have his conversation repeated, even though he use harsh language about some one and that language be repeated to the one that is talked about. But he certainly has a right to expect that his words shall not be so tortured, misconstrued, misquoted, and twisted as to make it worse or vastly different from what he actually said. Probably everyone who reads this can call to mind some time when they were occasioned considerable annoyance, positive trouble, by having their remarks incorrectly repeated.

Nor is one to be too quick to condemn such action as showing malice on the part of the repeater. It is one of the hardest things in the world to correctly repeat the smallest little bit of conversation. Try it. See how exact you can repeat some harmless gossip, or "bit of news" that you heard yesterday and told somebody else about in the afternoon. If you have exactly repeated it, even though it was only half a dozen words, you are an exception.

It reminds the writer of an old anecdote. A certain good old lady asked her neighbor, Mrs. Smith, where she got that fine yarn she was knitting into stockings. "Oh, I bought it at Brown's." The old lady told another old lady about that beautiful yarn; how nice it was, and recommended old lady No. 2 to get some. "Mrs. Smith got hers at Brown's." By the time it got to No. 3, it was, "Mrs. Smith took hers from Brown," and one more repetition produced the statement that poor Mrs. Smith had been caught stealing yarn from Brown, and if it wasn't that she owned up and paid for it, Brown would have had her arrested.

Malice sometimes prompts falsehood, and carelessness oftentimes occasions misrepresentation, but the effect is unfortunate, the same, whatever the cause. From this effect none of us are exempt. A man may say his say in words that not only can be understood, but that cannot be misunderstood, and on the next corner hear his words repeated with a meaning exactly opposite. Part of this arises from deliberate meanness; part from thoughtlessness; by far the greatest part from ignorance of the meaning of words used. A man who can readily tell the difference between A flat and B sharp; who can't be confused between different shades of blue or green, or be mixed up by tints or hues, can and does sometimes make worse blunders in using words than a painter would who used scarlet when he meant to use blue.

The broad mantle of charity must be thrown over most of the errors of speech. Probably the best corrective of this whole matter is—and with all due deference the writer makes the suggestion—don't take it for granted that all men are actuated by bad or unworthy motives; give us one and all credit for a little good intention; don't assume that every man is "on it" to use a common phrase. There are enough badness and folly in the world without our lending willing hands to increase its volume, and one way to keep alive all that is worth keeping alive in the human heart, is to be careful in repeating conversation, and to at least try to be fair and correct in telling what other people said.

"FORGET-ME-NOT." The audience that witnessed Miss Jeffreys-Lewis' introduction to Astoria last evening was an appreciative one. The charming actress captivated all present upon her entrance, her perfect intonation, exquisite grace and brilliant manner proclaiming the true artist. The points in the play were promptly noted and enthusiastically applauded. At the close of the second act the lady appeared before the curtain and gracefully announced that she would appear this evening in "Diplomacy," a part in which she has won deserved renown in the great eastern cities.

The sparkling dialogue, the badinage and repartee of "Forget-Me-Not" in the able hands of the company was thoroughly enjoyed by last evening's audience, and from the opening to the denouement the interest was intense. The several ladies and gentlemen are well up in their parts, and deserve the lavish applause which greeted them last evening. If the audience to-night is in proportion to the merits of the company, the seating capacity of the building will be tested as never before. Reserved seats may be procured this morning at Carl Adler's Crystal Palace.

SPARKS FROM THE TELEGRAPH.

BATTLEFORD, N. W. T., Nov. 27.—The Frog Lake and Battleford Indians were hanged here this morning for a diabolical massacre of white settlers at Troy Lake agency last spring. Wandering Spirit, Bad Omen, Miserable Man, Iron Body, Little Bear, Round-the-Sky, Man-without-Blood, and Skla. They were all members of Big Bear's band. The execution gives general satisfaction.

New York, Nov. 27.—M. Bartholdi, the sculptor and builder of the great statue of Liberty, sailed for his home in France to-day. He said there was no doubt regarding the early completion of the statue.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—It is now definitely settled that the rules are to be revised for congressional work.

London, Nov. 27.—The result of the elections so far indicates 117 liberals, 112 Tories, a gain of six for the liberals and thirty for the Tories.

Vienna, Nov. 27.—It is rumored that King Milan of Serbia has asked the emperor of Austria for assistance.

SALARIES OF STATE OFFICERS. Following are the annual salaries of the different state officers: Governor of the state \$1,500; Secretary of state 1,000; State treasurer 800; Governor's private secretary 1,200; Secretary's clerk 1,500; Treasurer's clerk 1,200; Supt. of public instruction 1,500; Traveling expenses of same 500; Prison inspector (the governor) 400; Pilot commissioner, three of them at Astoria, each 400; Their clerks 400; Health officers at Empire City and Astoria, each 1,400; Janitor of state house and assistant 1,440; Nightwatch of state house 900; Superintendent of asylum 2,500; Assistant (Dr. Owen) 1,800; Assistant (Dr. Cox) 1,200; Superintendent of penitentiary 800; Warden of penitentiary 900.

The state printer is paid for the amount of work done, the prices being very little above commercial rates. The chief attendants of wards at the asylum are paid \$40 per month, and their assistants \$37.50 per month. The different employes, such as guards, cooks, etc., at the asylum and penitentiary, are paid from \$30 to \$75 per month. Legislators are paid \$3 per day, and are allowed 10 cents mileage each way. Salem Statesman.

Announcement. James P. Hixson, representing the well known merchant tailoring establishment of Schafer & Co., No. 11 Montgomery street, San Francisco, has arrived and will remain two days at the Occident Hotel, where he has on exhibition a full line of sample goods for gentlemen's wear, suitable for the present and coming season. Those wishing first class custom made clothing, will do well to give him a call. He is the only scientific, practical cutter, who has taken diplomas in the principal cities of the east, for correct measuring, skillful labor and perfect fit, and who is soliciting orders. There are a great many adventurers traveling who are not tailors and who do not represent a responsible house, who cannot take a correct measure, subjecting the public to great annoyance and loss.

Dr. A. Kinney, one of the best known physicians and surgeons on the Pacific coast, and who has been located in this city for several years past, has made arrangements to locate in Astoria. The doctor is perhaps without an equal as a surgeon in Oregon, as has been tested in numerous cases that have come to our own knowledge, where he has performed operations that rank him with the first in the land—Oregon Vindicator, 26.

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MORE ABOUT INTERMENT.

ASTORIA, Nov. 27th, 1885. EDITOR ASTORIAN: I would like to thank H. S. Lyman for his remarks, which I fully endorse.

What is the use of a coroner if he does not attend to the duties of his office, and attend to the burial of those bodies? But at the same time the coroner cannot do much when some of the people living along the beach take the law into their own hands, as has been done on several occasions, and the coroner was not notified at all. I remember a case about a year ago. There were two men washed off the Willamette while crossing the bar: one of them was a Mason, and the Masonic lodge of Astoria offered a reward of \$50 for the recovery of his body. Shortly after, two bodies came ashore on Clatsop beach, and I am satisfied that they were the two men, but instead of notifying the coroner as they should the finders buried the bodies on the beach, and the coroner knew nothing of it until he saw the account of two bodies being found and buried by some one on Clatsop beach, paying no attention to the published reward, nor caring for the feelings of the friends; not even trying to find out if they had friends or not. I would like to see the law take hold of some of those people.

Another time, I know of a body being found and the coroner being notified; he went to the place with a jury, to hold an inquest, and found something over \$40 on the body, and then, instead of complying with section 462, chapter 39, of the general laws of Oregon, he caused the body to be buried, where it lay, about two feet deep in the sand.

I am very glad some one has called attention to this slack way of doing; it is the duty of every civilized person finding a dead body to report it to the coroner, so that it may be ascertained, if possible, who the person was, and all the particulars, so that should the friends, at any future time, wish to claim the remains, they could do so. The county has a piece of ground for the purpose of burying the poor and unknown, and they will not object to the burying of any bodies there that may be found on Clatsop beach. The coroner will always endeavor to do his duty if the people will do their duty in notifying him.

Yours, etc., J. C. Ross.

A tax of \$100 a year on Chinese laundries in this city would yield a revenue to the city that would aid in the expense the city is to in providing fire department, street facilities, etc., for the yellow rats. But if it were enacted some lawyer with plenty of time would pick a flaw in it. The Chinese laundries are taxed \$600 a year in Helena, M. T., but the Helena lawyers have considerable criminal practice, and are not likely to bother about such little details as picking flaws in general laws.

A libel has been filed by Balfour, Guthrie & Co. against the bark Director, for \$4,000 damages, said to have been sustained by the vessel being in an unworthy condition for sea.

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Preaching in the Swedish language in the Episcopal chapel, upper Astoria, on Sunday, at 10:20 and 7:30, and in the English language in the same place, Thursday evening at 7:30.

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

PERSONAL.

F. C. Read and wife have returned to the city. C. Leinenweber returned from Salem yesterday. Harry Wood has removed from Mt. Coffin to Waterford.

Miss Lou Ferchen returned from Oakland on the Geo. W. Elder. K. Osburn goes to Ilwaco to reside. Clatsop county loses a good citizen.

Mr. G. W. Parker, an old and respected Astorian, now a resident of Portland, is in the city. John Williamson, an old Astorian, who recently sold his Yamhill farm to J. C. Trullinger, has returned to this city and will make it his future residence.

Rev. Dr. Harrington, of Salem, came down yesterday afternoon, and will assist the pastor of the M. E. church in a series of meetings which began last evening and will continue over Sunday.

Miss Carol Crouse, whose facile pen has graced the pages of the San Francisco Alito and Sacramento Record-Union, is playing an engagement with the Jeffreys-Lewis troupe filling her part with skill and effect.

Hard Times. While money is close, wages and prices low, expenses should be cut down in every household. Economy the watch word for Mothers, head of Doctor bills, by always keeping in the house a bottle of Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup. Stops a Cough instantly, relieves Consumption, cures Croup and pain in the Chest in one night. It is just the remedy for hard times. Price 10 cents and \$1.00. Samples free. Sold by J. W. Coyle.

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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. FREIDBERG. Or at ASTORIAN Office.

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Guardian's Sale. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IN pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of Clatsop county, Oregon, made on the 20th day of October, 1885, in the matter of the guardianship of the minor heirs of the estate of J. G. Coe, deceased, the undersigned guardian of the said minor heirs, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, gold coin of the U. S., on Saturday the 19th day of December, 1885, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of the said day, at the court house door in Clatsop county, Oregon, all the right, title, interest and estate which the minor heirs Benjamin Coe and Terry Coe have in and to the D. L. C. of J. G. Coe deceased, and in and to lots No. 3 and 4 in block No. 20 in McCune's Addition, all of said lands being in Clatsop county, Oregon. N. CLINTON, Guardian.