

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON: TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1885

Called Back. At Ross' opera house. This Tuesday evening. By the Grismer-Daves company. Reserved seats at the New York Novelty store.

Mrs. Malcolm advertises a closing out sale of millinery and fancy goods. Twenty cents a bushel is what potatoes bring in the central Willamette valley.

Dr. Chapman, ex-mayor of Portland, died in that city last Saturday morning, in the 65th year of his age. In Portland it only costs a school director ten dollars to resign before his term expires. Cheap enough.

Book cod, grouper and other fish were plenty yesterday afternoon, the result of a few hours outside fishing on one of the tugs. Diphtheria and scarlet fever are reported prevalent. Care will be required to prevent their spreading among the little ones.

Olit Polson, a member of Astor Lodge No. 6, K. of P., died last Saturday and was buried from the lodge room yesterday morning. The interment took place at Clatsop. Some of the vessels that come to the Columbia have odd names--the Respligadera for instance. A local philologist says the word is a Spanish one and means "a gleamer."

The Coquette sailed Sunday morning. The Respligadera also went to sea. The British bark Glenegard, 800, Groundwater master, 96 days from Adelaide, arrived in yesterday. The case of J. N. Bloomfield vs. Buchanan, Leavens, et al., has been decided by the supreme court in favor of plaintiff. It involved one-fourth interest in government contracts at Ft. Stevens and elsewhere.

Weather sharps are prophesying cold weather; so that when it does come it will be devoid of the charm of a surprise. Eastern papers say that all signs there point to "an open winter." It has been wide open here so far. The Tacoma Ledger says it will cost \$3,750 to print 50,000 copies of the governor's message. Must be a mistake. Any printing office this side the Columbia would take the job away below those figures and then make money.

THE DAY'S DOINGS. PORTLAND, Dec. 14.—D. J. Wirz, who killed Weimer, in Albina, on the 11th of last month and who has been convicted of manslaughter, was today sentenced to the fullest penalty of the law—fifteen years in the penitentiary.

FIRST FRUITS. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—The transcontinental railroad managers are in session in Monterey. Among the first things promised is a great reduction in passenger fares to the east.

FORFEITURE MEASURES. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 14.—Representative Henley of California, has introduced a bill for the forfeiture of the Oregon & California, California & Oregon and Northern Pacific railroad land grants. It is believed Henley will get the chairmanship of the committee on public lands.

CONGRESSMAN SCOTT has a plan for solving the silver problem. He proposes a bill authorizing the secretary of the treasury to create a fund to be known as the silver reserve fund.

AN IMPROBABLE STORY. NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—There is a sensational story here to the effect that an attempt has been made to steal the body of Wm. H. Vanderbilt as A. T. Stewart's body was stolen nine years ago. Four of Pinkerton's detectives have been put on guard.

A SENATOR'S OPINION. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 14.—Senator Colquitt, of Georgia, spoke at length today. He said the prohibitionists won a square fight in the last election in his state, and the subject was bound to be one of the leading issues of the future.

THE SUPREME COURT of the United States in the case of Representative Geo. H. Cannon, of Utah, today sustained the Edmunds law and affirmed the decision of the Utah federal court which sentenced him.

BANK BROKE. WOOSTER, Ohio, Dec. 14.—The Farmer's bank of Orrville suspended today; caused by outside speculations.

ANOTHER EXPLOSION. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 14.—A gas explosion in a coal mine here today shut in a hundred men. A relief party rescued them, when it was found that ten were badly burned of whom one subsequently died.

SCARLET FEVER. EDITOR ASTORIAN: There are cases of scarlet fever in the town—this care should be taken to prevent its spreading. Scarlatina, scarlet rash and scarlet fever are one and the same disease.

VANDERBILT'S WILL. Each of His Eight Children Get \$100,000.

The will of William H. Vanderbilt bequeaths \$10,000,000 to each of his eight children. Nearly \$1,000,000 is given to charitable institutions, and the remainder of the fortune is divided equally between Cornelius and Wm. K. Vanderbilt. He directs that railroad stocks shall be held in bulk and administered for the best interests of all. None shall be disposed of without the consent of all concerned.

The document says: "I, Wm. H. Vanderbilt, of the city of New York, do make and publish my last will and testament as follows: First, I devise unto my beloved wife, Maria Louisa, for and during her natural life, the dwelling house in which I now reside, and the lot on which it stands." After describing the property the will continues: "I also give and devise to my said wife, for and during her natural life the three lots of land on the northwesterly corner of Madison street and Thirty second street, in the city of New York, together with the stables and improvements thereon."

The second to the sixth clause are devoted to four married daughters of deceased, who are given respectively the houses they now occupy or in course of construction, and the lands upon which they are built. The will goes on to say in the seventh clause: "I give and bequeath to trustees, hereafter appointed, \$25,000,000 of bonds of the United States of America, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, principally falling due in 1907; and \$7,000,000 of second mortgage bonds of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway company, due in 1903, and bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum."

The eighth clause allows the trustees to purchase other prescribed securities when the others mature. The ninth clause divides between his eight children \$40,000,000 for their free disposition. The fourteenth clause also provides, in case of the death of George without issue, the homestead shall revert to Wm. H. Vanderbilt, son of Cornelius, the purpose being to keep the residence in the family.

Are you made miserably by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shilo's Vitalizer is a positive cure. For sale by W. E. Dement & Co.

PERSONAL.

H. G. Smith goes to San Francisco on to-morrow's steamer. E. C. Holden is among the returning passengers on to-morrow's steamer.

Mrs. P. L. Cherry is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. S. Sibson, in Portland. Miss Laura Greene is in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Larkin.

C. P. Uphur who has been confined to his bed by sickness, is able to be around again. C. S. Wright and wife returned last Sunday from Portland. Mrs. Wright is much improved in health.

When Hugh Conway wrote his novel, "Called Back," he little thought that it was destined to create the greatest literary sensation of the day. The sale of this wonderful story has exceeded that of any book published for years, both in England and in the United States.

The lighthouse tender Shubrick, which was in port yesterday, is nearly thirty years old, and is no longer considered seaworthy. She is now probably making her last trip of inspection to the various lighthouses on the upper coast.

Hansen of Astoria is a greater traveler than anybody—Hazlett "the Pilgrim," (or, to be more exact) the journey man printer, not excepted. Pete Runey, of Foley Springs, went down to Clatsop a few days ago to visit his old tilliums and there met Hansen.

Parents desiring dolls for Christmas presents will do well to wait for the Doll Festival, to be held on Saturday, the 19th, by the ladies of Grace church. "Chatterbox" for 1885, only 75 cents at Adler's—all other books in proportion.

J. Joplin has returned, and is again ready to repair umbrellas and tend to business at the old stand. Christmas cards, Prang's, Whitney's, Tuck's and Hildersheimer's in endless variety at the City Book Store.

H. P. GREGORY & CO., No. 5 North Front St., Portland, Or. Importers and Dealers in Wood-working Machinery, PLANERS, MOLDERS, PORTLAND CEMENT, MILL FINDINGS GENERALLY, AND FURNISHED ROOMS.

Who Does The Choking? The lighthouse tender Shubrick, which was in port yesterday, is nearly thirty years old, and is no longer considered seaworthy.

Steamer Changes. Repairs on the Oregon Railway & Navigation Co.'s steamer North Pacific being completed, she will on Monday take the place of the Geo. E. Starr on the Victoria route.

Rough on the Count. Hansen of Astoria is a greater traveler than anybody—Hazlett "the Pilgrim," (or, to be more exact) the journey man printer, not excepted.

Bucklen's Arica 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 every case, no pay required.

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

Syrup of Figs. Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Co. San Francisco Cal. is Nature's Own True Laxative. This pleasant liquid fruit remedy may be had of W. E. Dement & Co. at fifty cents per bottle.

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