

The Daily Astorian. ASTORIA, OREGON: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1888

The doll festival will begin at 2 p. m. to-morrow. The Oregon left yesterday. The Glenora arrived in. Jack Dempsey and Dave Campbell left Portland last Wednesday for the east. There are thirty-one vessels in the river and thirty-one listed as being on the way. The anti-cool meeting will be in the court house to-morrow evening at eight o'clock. The Abcon cleared yesterday for Queenstown with 51,638 bus. wheat, valued at \$40,197. Tickets at the city book store for the Y. M. C. A. entertainment at Odd Fellows' hall to-night. The Edith goes to Portland this morning in charge of J. W. Brown to be overhauled for the coming season. E. C. Holden will have an auction sale of furniture and sundries at his auction rooms next Saturday. See advt. G. Hansen, of the diamond palace, has a splendid stock of standard jewelry, which he offers at reasonable figures. Mrs. Miner, an insane resident of Long Prairie near Olympia, with her four children, were burned to death last Wednesday. It is said in Victoria that Judge Dawne of Alaska, the alleged forger, who is reported to have gone to Europe via Montreal, is in hiding in that city, never having crossed the Sound. Last year's cold snap from December 16th to New Year's has not been repeated this season, the frosts of the weather running mostly to sudden gusts of southerly wind and abundant rain. A young creole who had been stopping with Mr. Sewall, of St. Helens, left last week, taking with him a boat, a watch and \$13 in money belonging to his employer. The boat only has been recovered. A fight between two insurance men on Chenamus street yesterday morning has been declared a draw. Any fight between insurance men that results in a draw is thoroughly unsatisfactory and reflects discredit upon that enterprising profession. The high tides of a month ago will be repeated in the next few days. On the 20th there will be a nine foot tide; on the two following days the tide will be nine feet and two inches; the moon, the mistress of the tides, being full on the last mentioned day, the 21st. The Y. M. C. A. entertainment at Odd Fellows' Hall this evening promises to afford considerable interest and amusement to those attending. Mrs. Jarley and her celebrated wax-works will appear for the first time in this city and the opportunity should not be missed. The Cosmopolitan Mill and Trading company has filed articles of incorporation in San Francisco. The object is to trade in lumber in Chehalis county, Washington territory. The capital stock is \$100,000, and the directors are C. E. Leavenworth, J. M. Riley, M. G. Tonfen, J. J. Scrivner and John L. Boone. The Whittier birthday exercises by the pupils of the high school department in District No. One yesterday afternoon were witnessed by a large gathering of appreciative friends and parents who were evidently well pleased at the thorough and satisfactory manner in which the programme was rendered. The item regarding the trains between San Francisco and New York has elicited considerable discussion. Another question that arises is as follows: "If you start from San Francisco for New York and promise to write to a friend every day till you get to your destination, mailing your letter each day on the west bound train as you meet it, will your friend get a letter every day?" The steamers Arago and Arcata recently carried away from Empire nearly 100,000 feet of white cedar timbers, to be shipped to Boston by a vessel now waiting for them at San Francisco. The timbers were of various lengths, and squared from twenty to forty inches. They are supposed to be sent for the purpose of giving to the people of Boston an ocular demonstration of the size and quality of some of the timber owned by the O. S. I. company. Yesterday's Oregonian furnishes as a supplement a facsimile of a letter alleged to have been written by John H. Mitchell. It will be remembered that Mitchell was elected to the United States senate about a month ago. The handwriting is very poor, and not at all in accordance with the established rules of the Spencerian system of penmanship. The paper upon which the facsimile is printed is of excellent quality. Senator Mitchell is in Washington along with Senator Dolph and all the other 74 senators. The senate is in session at present, it being the first session of the 49th congress. Mitchell's term is for the 49th congress, and the 50th congress, likewise the 51st congress. The real estate sale advertised by L. J. Arnold, administrator of the estate of H. R. Bruhn, deceased, will be by B. S. Worsley, at two o'clock to-morrow afternoon at the court house. Roger Bros' A1 1847 Teaspoons, warranted, \$1.50 per set at G. Hansen's. Roger Bros' A1 1847 Tablespoons, warranted, \$2.50 per set at G. Hansen's. Roger Bros' Knife, A1 1847, warranted the best, \$2.00 per half a dozen at G. Hansen's. Norwegian-Danish divine services will be held to-day at 7:30 P. M. in the Swedish church in upper town. TALLEPSEN, Lutheran Pastor.

THE DAILY RECORD. FILLIBUSTERS. NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Officials boarded the City of Mexico to-day and captured a large amount of arms and ammunition in the hold, thus revealing a plot to seize the island of Cuba. The discovery causes great excitement. Ralph Schmidt, an inmate of Blackwell's Island, sent there for stealing a tablecloth, has fallen heir to \$130,000. The Pacific Mail Steamship company will not put on a mail line to Sydney, Australia, as reported. WILL JOHN JO. SMITH. RICHMOND, Mo., Dec. 17.—David Whitman, one of the original founders of the Mormon church, is dying here. A FLORIDA FIRE. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 17.—A terrible fire broke out here last night, the most disastrous ever known here. Several fine blocks have been burned. The loss so far is over \$300,000. SAN FRANCISCO NOTES. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—The Chinese are badly scared and are practicing many superstitious ceremonies. Boyd Henderson, formerly of the Chronicle, has assumed the editorship of the Examiner. Dennis E. McCarthy, formerly editor and proprietor of the Virginia, Nevada, Chronicle and a journalist of thirty years' experience, died of dropsy, at Irvington last night. TOM SCOTT'S ROAD. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 17.—Ex-Governor Squire, of Tennessee, and ex-Governor Sheldon, of New Mexico, have been appointed receivers of the Texas Pacific railroad. AN ADVANCE. LONDON, Dec. 17.—The bank of England has advanced the rate of discount from three to four per cent. STORM ON THE Isthmus. ASPENWALL, Dec. 17.—A regular hurricane has been raging on the Panama coast for several days. Great damage has been done, many vessels have been lost and several of the crews are known to have perished. EVEN WORSE OFF THAN ASTORIA. Strange as it may seem there is one place that is even worse off than Astoria in the matter of interrupted telegraphic communication. In Brazil the air lines have to contend both with the natural decay, rapid as that is in a tropical country, and with the sudden fall of the temperature at sundown, that causes wires and insulators to break by contraction. All nature is leagued against them. The luxuriant vegetation of the tropics, despite all attempts to keep it down, causes no end of trouble. Birds build their nests on top of the poles, and ants up their sides, while skunks and armadillos undermine them and cause their sudden fall. The ants' nests have to be chopped off with axes, when old and hard. Wasps build nests in the porcelain insulators, open middle with the wires and enormous swarms of birds, flying by night, often wreck or tangle them. More mischievous than any of these is a huge spider that weaves its web between the wires and interferes with the electric currents. Worst of all, the tremendous tropical thunderstorms smash wires, poles, insulators and all, almost daily in their season, despite all precautions. In the United States circuit court last Wednesday the bill was dismissed and the restraining order vacated in the case of Wm. T. Coleman vs. the White Star Packing company. The parties entered into a contract in September, 1882, by the terms of which Coleman & Co. agreed to handle all the products of the White Star cannery until September, 1883, for a commission of 5 per cent. and the suit was brought to compel defendants to carry out the terms of the agreement. The case of Wm. T. Coleman vs. the Columbia River Cannery company was before the court on objections to plaintiff's bill of costs, which was argued and submitted. The regular eastern Oregon item about the gold discovered in the crop of a deceased chicken, is slightly varied this December, the first item of the kind in this section appearing in yesterday's Oregonian, regarding the finding of gold in what that journal styles the "craw" of a goose, said goose residing and being at the time at Winlock, W. T. The gold was of the value of one dollar. This may be a considerable item for the goose that laid the golden eggs, though, of course in the absence of positive evidence regarding gander genealogy, such hypothesis must for the present remain unsupported. The Northwest Illustrated Monthly for December contains splendid illustrations of Astoria, etc. 1,000 copies just received at Adler's Bookstore, only 15 cents per number; just the thing to send your friends east. That beautiful life-size doll Adler's window will be raffled for only 25 cents per chance. Parents desiring dolls for Christmas presents will do well to wait for the Doll Festival, to be held to-morrow the 19th, by the ladies of Grace church. 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. The public will do well to examine our immense stock and get our low prices before buying elsewhere as it will be money in your pockets. Remember the Crystal Palace will not be under-sold in anything in their line. "Chatterbox" for 1888, only 75 cents at Adler's—all other books in proportion. Christmas cards, Prang's, Whitney's, Tuck's and Hildersheimer's in endless variety at the City Book Store. A fine display of Crockery and Glassware is now exhibited at Carnahan & Co.'s, for the holiday trade.

THE SAN FRANCISCO DYNAMITERS. San Francisco is excited over the arrest of the four dynamiters. Capt. Lees is reported as having said last Wednesday: "Up to ten or twelve days ago I felt that dynamite talk was all nonsense, but now we find men actually making these things. What can we think? It looks serious, I tell you." By a statement of the revolutionary association previously referred to, was held about the middle of last month. He was confident the list of proscribed citizens was straight and true, taken from the minutes of the meeting. His belief was that the secret association was composed of foreigners inspired with "devilishness," and their plan of action seemed the same as in Europe. Referred to Weisman's statement that the experiments, when the bombs burst into a thousand pieces were not satisfactory, he said that the bombs were to be used in the buildings of the city, and then the next step was to plunder. He could not say whether or not there was any knowledge of the particular structures for destruction contemplated. Mayor Bartlett, whose name is in the list of those the executive committee of the dynamite league intend to "arrest or execute," said: "Some days ago Chief Crowley informed me of the existence of a list of names. I did not apprehend then, nor do I think now, that the originators intended violence. They were wild enough to contemplate a disturbance in Chinatown. A large portion of the men following O'Donnell were owners of property, and must know that the damage caused by a riot would ultimately be paid by taxpayers. The great body of agitators are, I believe, in favor only of peaceful means of discouraging the Chinese, and hence would not endorse such plots. Neighbors to the quiet cottage occupied by the dynamiters tell many stories of dim lights and mysterious movements for weeks past, and it is thought usually everything displayed much skill and secretness. The police rented a room opposite and viewed with opera glasses the movements within, and at an opportune moment Captain Lees and four detectives burst open the door and presented drawn revolvers. When the officers commenced handling the bombs and chemicals Weisman insisted that they be careful or that they would blow up that entire portion of the town. Weisman and Mitchell admit that they had been experimenting with bombs near the Cliff House. There has been no such excitement in San Francisco for many months. Citizens expected a riot of some sort, or an outbreak after January first. The 15th had been set by the nihilists, as they had announced recently at the Sand lots. It was anticipated then there would be a riot, but no one thought the anarchists were so deep in the manufacture of infernal machines. The secret order of nihilists is known as the international committee of the international socialist party. Chief Crowley reiterates what Captain Lees says, that the presumed object of the organization is plunder. He knows the prisoners are members of the executive committee of the society, and were present at the meeting when prominent citizens were proscribed. GOOD ADVICE FROM A HUMORIST. To young men Bob Bardette says: You take a basin of water, place your finger in it for twenty-five or thirty seconds, take it out and look at the hole that is left. The size of that hole represents about the impression that advice makes on a young man's mind. Don't depend too much on your family—the dead part of men. The world wants live men; it has no use for dead ones. Queen Victoria can trace her ancestors back in a direct line to William the Conqueror. If you cannot get further back than your father, you are better off. Your father was a better man than old William. He had better clothes to wear, better food to eat, and was better housed. If you are a diamond be sure you will be found. Cheek, brass or gall never gets ahead of merit. I love a young man who is straightforward. Ask for what you want. If you want to marry a rich man's daughter, or borrow \$500 from him, ask for it; it amounts to the same thing in the end. It is always better to astonish a man than to bore him. Remember that in the morning of life come the hard working days. Hard work never killed a man. It's fun, recreation, relaxation, holidays that kill. The fun that results in a head the next morning so big that a tub could hardly cover it is what kills. Hard work never does. Those who come after us will have to work just as hard as we do. When I shovel snow off my sidewalk, if perchance I take a three quarter inch piece off my neighbor's walk, I put it back, because if I didn't I should be doing him an injustice. You can't afford to do anything but what is good. You are on a dress parade all the time. Don't be afraid of pounding persistently on one thing. 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A PERSONAL CARD. A Matter in Which the Public Should Have a Deal of Interest. Why does the Government spend so much money, and risk so many lives in trying to capture the counterfeiter? "Suppose he does counterfeit Government bonds and notes, surely the Government is rich enough to stand any loss his act may confer!" But the individual citizen could ill afford to be put to continual financial loss if such desperadoes were let go unwhipped of justice. It is only the valuable thing that is counterfeited; it is only in the light of purity and virtue that impurity and vice can be known. No one in these days would counterfeit a Confederate bond or note. People who commit fraud always do it by simulating the highest virtue; by preying on the clearest reputation, by employing the fair name of virtue with which to give respectability to vice. Let us explain: Seven or eight years ago, so we have been informed many times in public prints, a New York State gentleman was pronounced, as many millions have been pronounced before, incurably sick of an extreme kind. By presidential he believed was a preparation which had been for several years employed by a select few physicians in New York City and one or two other prominent places. The result was that he was cured, he whom doctors without number, and of conceded ability, said was incurable. Having secured possession of the formula, absolutely and irrevocably, he determined to devote a portion of his accumulated wealth to the manufacture and sale of this remedy for the benefit of the many who suffer as he suffered, in apparent hopelessness. In less than three years, so tremendous became the demand for this remedy, and so exalted the reputation, that he was obliged for his purposes to erect a laboratory and warehouse containing four and a quarter acres of flooring, and filled with the most approved chemical and manufacturing devices. Probably there never was a remedy that has won such a meritorious name, such extraordinary sales, and has accomplished so much good for the race. Unprincipled parties, who flourish only upon the ruins of others, saw in this reputation and sale an opportunity to reap a golden harvest (not legitimately, not honorably), for which purpose they have made imitations and substitutions of it in every section of the country, and many druggists, who can make a larger profit on these imitation goods, often compromise their honor by forcing a sale upon the unposted customer. Yes, undoubtedly the manufacturers could well afford to ignore such instances of fraud so far as the effect upon themselves is concerned, for their remedies have a constant and unremittable sale, but they feel it to be their duty to warn the public against such imitations and substitutions, non-secret and otherwise. The individual who buys them, and the public who countenance their sale, alone suffer in mind, body, and estate therefor. The authors of some of these fraudulent practices have been prosecuted and sent to prison for their crimes, but there is another class who claim to know the formula of this remedy, and one Sunday-school journal, we are told, has prostituted its high and holy calling so far as to advertise that for twenty-five cents it will send a subscriber a transcript of the Warner formula! This formula, by the way, must be a wonderfully kaleidoscopic affair, for there is hardly a month passes when some paper is not issued which pretends to give the only correct formula! The manufacturers inform us that they would be perfectly willing that the public should know what the true formula of Warner's Safe Cure is (not that it has been published as anything like it), but even if every man, woman, and child in the United States were as familiar with this formula as with their A B C's they could not compound the remedy. The method of manufacture is a secret. It is impossible to obtain the results that are wrought by this remedy if one does not have the perfect skill acquired only by years of practice for compounding and assimilating the simple elements which enter into its composition. The learned Dr. Foster, the honored head of Clifton Springs Sanitarium, once said that having roughly analyzed this remedy he recognized that the elements that compose it were simple, but he attributed the secret of its power to the method of its compounding, and this method no one knows except the manufacturers, and no one can acquire it. Our advice to our readers, therefore, cannot be too strongly emphasized. As you would prefer virtue to vice, gold to dross, physical happiness to physical misery, shun the imitator and refuse thereby to lend your aid financially to those who seek to get, by trading upon another's reputation and honesty, a sale for wares and goods which on their merits are fit only to be rejected as the veriest refuse. You can neither afford to patronize such people, nor can you afford to take their injurious compounds into your system. When you call for Warner's Safe Cure see that the wrapper is black with white letters, and that the wrapper and label bear an imprint of an iron safe, the trade mark, and that a safe is blown in the back of the bottle, and that a perfect *in promissory note stamp* is over the cork. You can't be imposed on if you observe these cautions. We have the highest respect for the remedy we have mentioned, and the highest regard for the manufacturers, and we cannot too highly commend their dignified and considerate tone in relation to those who would traduce their fair name, and ruin the best interest of the public in such matters. Speaking about dolls, you must see Adler's variety; they will please your eye as well as your purse.

Fashion Notes. Bustles are getting larger and larger. If they keep on growing it will be hard to tell whether a lady is taking her bustle with her down town or whether the bustle wants to take a walk for its health and is pushing the lady along in front of it.—Evanville Argus. Wide Awake Druggists. Messrs. W. E. Dement & Co. are always alive to their business, and spare no pains to secure the best of every article in their line. They have secured the agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The only certain cure known for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs. Sold on a positive guarantee. Trial Bottles free. Regular size \$1.00. "Don't kick a man when he's down," folks say, and the reason for this is plain: He might make it hot for the kicker some day. When up on his feet again. Keynote to Health. Health is wealth. Wealth means independence. 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