

The Oregon arrived in good season yesterday; the Columbia sailed.

About as fine a lot of coal as ever was brought to Astoria is lying on Flavel's dock.

The Idah came down yesterday; she leaves out at noon to-day.

The tern Premier has discharged a part of her cargo at Hume's dock, and yesterday dropped down to Flavel's dock to put off the remainder.

A young man who distinguished himself by breaking J. W. Bottom's show window one night a few weeks ago, for the apparent purpose of taking some of the goods there displayed, was yesterday arrested charged with the larceny of a gold watch from the blacksmith shop of Gilbert Christiansen.

Oscar Peterson and Olof Hanson returned from the Wallcut yesterday. While opposite the mouth of the Chinook they saw an object floating and rowed alongside. It was the body of a man clothed only in a woolen shirt drawn over his head.

Shortly after the arrival of the Idaho yesterday afternoon one of the passengers died. His name was H. C. Buckingham, of Wisconsin, aged 23 years.

There is considerable discussion as to who shall be J. F. Watson's successor as U. S. district attorney for this state.

The exciting news from Seattle was the principal topic on the streets yesterday, and further developments were awaited with eagerness.

Why Lotan and Simon Went to 'Frisco.

It will be remembered that Messrs. Lotan and Simon went to 'Frisco a short time ago. It has been ascertained that they went for the purpose of examining into the workings of the registry law in effect down there.

Farmers and Mechanics.

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JOHN CHINAMAN.

Given Three Days to Leave Olympia. All Quiet in Seattle—A Big Crowd Leaving Via Portland.

IN PORTLAND.

PORTLAND, Feb. 9.—In this city the prevailing feeling is one of uneasiness from no really known cause.

IN SEATTLE.

SEATTLE, Feb. 9.—It was quiet here last night and is still so; the citizen soldiers are still on duty, but utterly exhausted by continued service.

DRIVEN FROM OLYMPIA.

OLYMPIA, W. T., Feb. 9.—This morning at seven o'clock a crowd began taking possession of the Chinese huts. An alarm was given by the ringing of the fire bells.

WON'T WAIT FOR THE NEXT SOUND.

PORTLAND, Feb. 9.—The O. R. & N. ticket office has had a dispatch from the Seattle agent asking the rate for 150 Chinamen from Seattle to San Francisco via Portland.

WHAT AN EYE WITNESS SAW.

Capt. Jas. Carroll was in the city yesterday. He was an eye witness of the beginning of the trouble in Seattle last Sunday. He says, "I was coming down the street Sunday morning when I met a crowd of men bringing six or eight Chinamen along."

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DEATH OF GEN. HANCOCK.

Sudden Demise of a Gallant Officer and a Prominent Man.

New York, Feb. 9.—Gen. Hancock died suddenly at 2:38 this afternoon.

Gen. Winfield Scott Hancock was born in Montgomery county, Pennsylvania, Feb. 14th, 1824, at the time of his death being within a few days of reaching his 62nd year.

FROM SEATTLE.

In addition to the report of the Seattle riot which appeared in yesterday's issue, the following fuller report from the Oregonian, is published:

After the Queen of the Pacific had swung out from the dock, taking 195 Chinese, those who remained shouldered their blankets and started to return to Chinatown, under escort of the Home Guards.

The scene for a time was remarkable. Troops formed a hollow square facing up and down Commercial and Main streets. The Chinamen in its midst had thrown their blankets rolls on the ground at the first fire and were crouching behind them.

Just before the warrants were served, however, Gov. Squire had determined to take vigorous action. It was plain that most extreme measures were necessary, and the following proclamation was issued:

WHEREAS, Heretofore on the 7th day of February, in consequence of the inflamed condition of the public mind in the city of Seattle, and grave disturbance of the public peace therein, I, Watson C. Squire, governor of the territory of Washington, issued my proclamation warning all persons to desist from breaches of the peace and peaceably return to their homes, except such as were disposed to assist the sheriff and the other duly constituted authorities in maintaining law and order, and requesting all persons who were disposed to assist in maintaining order to enroll themselves under the sheriff immediately for that purpose; and

WHEREAS, Numerous breaches of the peace have occurred and more are threatened; and

July and August the battles of Deep Bottom and Beam's Station, and of Boylston plank road (Oct. 27), were fought under his direction and command. In Nov. 1864, he was selected to organize the 1st army corps of rety, remaining in Washington on that duty until Feb. 1865, when he was assigned to the command of the middle military division, and in July to that of the middle department; which latter he held until Aug. 1866, when he was transferred to the command of the department of Missouri, having in the mean time (July 26) relinquished his volunteer commission and been promoted to be major general in the regular army.

At the corner of Main and Commercial streets an immense crowd had congregated. As the procession approached yells and hoots were heard on all sides. Finally a few in the crowd made a rush for the Chinamen, attempting to break through the line of Home Guards.

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stitution of the United States or the laws of said territory, and I do hereby suspend the writ of habeas corpus and declare martial law within said city.

Done at the city of Seattle, territory of Washington, this 8th day of February, A. D. 1886. Witness my hand and the seal of the territory.

WATSON C. SQUIRE, Governor.

This, of course, stopped all judicial proceedings at once. Gov. Squire, at the same time, telegraphed President Cleveland, stating that the city was in a state of actual insurrection, and urgently requesting aid.

The following order was also issued: MILITARY HEADQUARTERS, SEATTLE, W. T., Feb. 8, 1886.

General Order No. 5.—All persons willing to enlist in the military service of the territory to serve in the city of Seattle, are hereby called upon to report as recruits to the provost marshal, at the court house in this city.

By command of the governor. WATSON C. SQUIRE, G. O. HALLER, Adjutant General.

In answer to the call for volunteers, citizens are responding in large numbers, and recruiting is going on rapidly. The authorities have plenty of rifles and ammunition, and the men are organized into companies as soon as enrolled.

At this hour (9:45 P. M.) the authorities appear to have control of the city, but there is an ugly feeling in the air. Rumors of all kinds are rife, and the gravest apprehensions are entertained. The Chinese question seems to have been entirely lost sight of. The only feelings now are revenge on one side and determination to uphold the law on the other.

It is now apparent that the plans for the present uprising were deep laid and matured. The following letter proves this. It was received by Sheriff McGraw from a prominent citizen of Seattle, whose name is withheld.

TACOMA Feb. 5th, 1886.

Mr. John N. McGraw, Seattle.—I was told by a friend of mine, who claims to be posted in the matter, that plans are all laid for the cleaning out of Chinatown in your city the coming week.

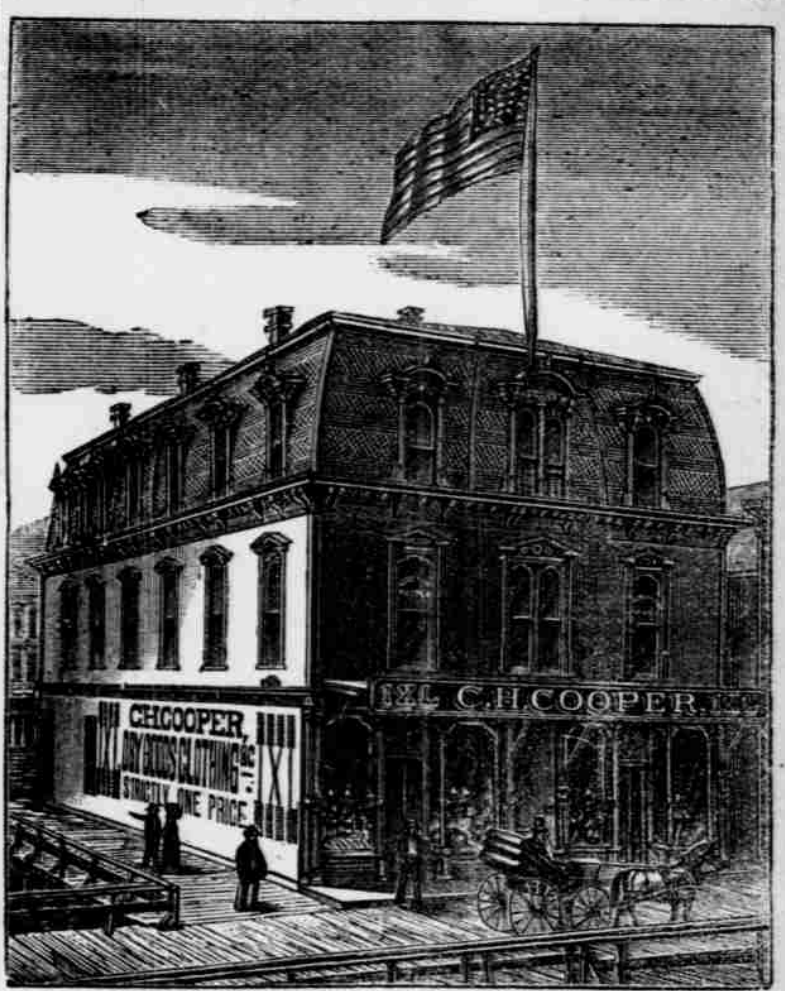
A BRITISH STEAMER ON A TEAR.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 6.—When the British steamer Castle Craig swung out from her wharf to-day on a trip to Liverpool, the pilot discovered that she would not obey her rudder, and gave orders to reverse the engine.

WHEREAS, An insurrection exists in said city of Seattle, by which the lives, liberties and property of citizens of the territory and sojourners within the territory are endangered; and

WHEREAS, The civil authorities have proved powerless to suppress said insurrection or prevent such breaches of the peace; and

LACE CURTAIN DEPARTMENT Reduction Sale!



During this week we will reduce all our Lace Curtains, Lambrequins, Portierres and Curtain Nets, TO COST, in order to make room for Extensive Spring Purchases to arrive.

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