

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON: WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1886

A POSTMASTER in Newton county, Ark., has made himself so unpopular by his manner of treating people having business with his office that the neighbors have finally driven him out of town.

SEVERAL years ago Senator Ramsey, of Minnesota, offered his wife her choice of a new bonnet or a corner lot in Minneapolis. She took the lot, and has just sold it for \$90,000, and proposes now to have that bonnet.

THE most prosperous match factory in the country is located at Fargo, D. T. It is the Daily Argus, which within a year has published 2,000 letters from as many young women desiring husbands, and made as many matches.

WITHIN a month nine senators and fifteen representatives have insured their lives in sums ranging from \$10,000 to \$50,000. Miller, of New York, took the larger sum. Call, of Florida, took \$25,000. Five representatives took \$20,000 each, and ten took \$10,000 apiece.

NOR since Grant died has there been such a tribute to any American's memory, as that universally accorded by the newspapers of the nation to the memory of the gallant Hancock, whose spotless honor as a man was equal in fame with his splendid record as a soldier.

THE English shipyards report 1885 to have been the dulllest year in their history. On the Clyde the tonnage of vessels launched was one-half that of 1883, less than half that of 1883 and smaller than that of any year since 1870, except three. There has been notable increase in the use of steel for constructive purposes in the last two years.

CONGRESSMAN HERMANN realizes the importance of the Columbia bar improvement not only to the state, but to the entire nation. He is indefatigable in his efforts to open up the great gateway, and loses no opportunity to demonstrate to committee-men and others the desirability of making such appropriation as will enable those in charge of the work to proceed in a manner that will insure the most satisfactory results in the speediest time possible.

At Topeka, Kansas, one Walruff, a brewer, brought suit against the state, alleging that by reason of the prohibition law his property, worth \$30,000 at the time the law was passed, was worthless by reason of the operation of the law. The case was tried in the United States circuit court, and Walruff was given a verdict for the amount claimed, the judge holding that while the brewery could be closed under the laws of the state, the state would have to pay its owner the value of the property.

THE San Francisco Bulletin of the 15th, says, editorially: "If Senator Mitchell's bill with some modifications, or any bill with a like purpose, be passed, the Chinese question will be solved for all time. That bill rises fully to the gravity of the case. No one favored Morrow's bill, who didn't know other and more stringent measures would have to be adopted. On this act the people of every city and town should be heard on the question, and it should be advanced one step on the calendar. Senator Mitchell's bill is necessarily more in accord with the rising tide of popular determination to exterminate the Chinese evil, once for all, than any previous measure."

THE bill recently passed in the Brazilian legislature for the gradual abolition of slavery decrees that all slaves over 60 years of age shall be free. Those remaining are to be divided into classes, according to age and value. The bill provides that in the course of seven-

teen years all slaves are to be free. As the slaves grow older, after reaching the age of the class of the next lowest price, they are to be graded in that class. The emancipation fund will be increased by a tax of 5 per cent on all public revenues, except those derived from exports. The slave-owners will be indemnified by payment to them of 5 per cent policies, equal to one-half the value of each slave. After the slaves are freed they are, under the provisions of the bill compelled to work for three years at their old homes at a small salary, so as to accustom them to their new conditions of life. This service is to be taken as compensation for the other half of their value. It is calculated that slavery will thus cease within the period above named, as the law is aided by emancipation societies.

BORN.

In Astoria, Feb. 16, 1886, to the wife of J. W. Hare, a daughter.

NEW TO-DAY.

Annual School Meeting. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE legal voters of School District No. 1, Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, that the annual school meeting of said district will be held at the school house in said district, to begin at the hour of 7:30 o'clock P. M., on the first Monday, being the 1st day of March, A. D. 1886.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing one director to serve for three years, and one clerk to serve for one year, and for the transaction of the business usual at such meeting.

J. C. HUSTLER, District Clerk, Astoria, February, 17th, A. D. 1886.

Reed's Sporting House

Open Day and Night. The Leading House of this City. A New Stage Managed by Professor Maxwell, of London. Who has played in all parts of the World with Great Success.

GOOD MUSIC!

I have also connected to my house A First Class Restaurant! Run in Eastern Style.

Nothing but White Labor Employed.

Notice.

NEITHER THE STATE OF OREGON OR the pilot boat Gov. Moody will be held responsible for any debts contracted against said pilot boat by any person without the consent of a majority of the board of pilot commissioners. Per order BOARD OF PILOT COMMISSIONERS. G. W. LOUNSBERRY, Secy. Astoria, Feb. 15th, 1886.

Meeting Notice.

THE MEMBERS OF THE ASTORIA Liquor Dealers Union are respectfully requested to meet on Wednesday, Feb. 17, at 2 P. M., at their hall. By order of the President.

Notice

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I WILL NOT be responsible for any bills contracted by any person without a written order from me. JOSEPH REDMOND, Astoria, Feb. 16, 1886.

Rooms to Rent.

IN SUITES OF THREE; SUITABLE FOR house-keeping; conveniently located; for from \$7 to \$10, water included. Apply to D. H. WELCH, Over Ford & Stokes.

Notice to Cannermen.

WE ARE AGENTS FOR HENDERSON & Withers for the sale of their claret and can furnish any amount desired. Please call and see us before purchasing elsewhere. BOZORTH & JOHNS.

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Notice.

THE PARTY WHO BORROWED MY flag about 6 months ago will do a great favor by returning the same. The flag is marked with my name on the canvas. It is also torn in upper corner. AUG. DANIELS (N.

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Carl Adler has sold and transferred his business and stock of merchandise known as "Adler's Crystal Palace" to Mr. Sol. Hirsch. CARL ADLER.

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Made of Best Irish Flax. Samples Furnished on Application. Shipments Guaranteed Equal to Samples.

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WILSON & FISHER, Astoria Agents.

Notice.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE consignees of the Selene now lying at the wharf, will be responsible for any debts that may be contracted by the crew. EDWARD ENGLAND, Master.

Astoria, Feb. 12, 1886.

New Varieties of Seed Potatoes.

LATE BEAUTY OF HERBON, WHITE Star. Very productive, quality unsurpassed. In earliness they are between early and late. One dollar per bushel. D. J. INGALLS, Clatswell, Or.

Notice.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE "Crystal Palace" are requested to settle their accounts at once, as all accounts not settled within ten days, will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.

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WILSON & FISHER have it!

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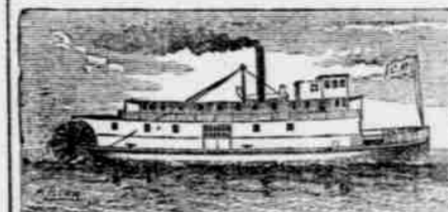
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