The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

___ JANUARY 11, 1887 TUESDAY.

NEARLY 400,000 immigrants came to the United States last

WE will probably hear a little something about "swamp lands" now. The subject is one of considerable interest to a good many in this county.

THE French are said to be much hurt at the signs that both Belgium and Switzerland are preparing for a neutrality which would give all advantages to Germany in the event of war.

THE total value of the exports of merchandise from the United States for the twelve months ended November 30, 1886, were \$705,-320,237; same period in 1885, \$702,190,540. The imports for the same period in 1886 were valued at \$577,828,146; for 1885, \$659,318,637.

having advertised for 300 laborers session passed a law to authorize in the Bahama Islands to go to the confiscation of foreign vessels the Isthmus, the governor of the entering Canadian waters "for any Bahamas has issued a "government purpose not permitted by treaty notice" warning the people of the of convention," or, in other words, deadly climate and the insecurity (as the Dominion government conof life and property on the Isth- strues the convention of 1818), of mus.

WHATEVER may be said of his judgement, Henry George is evidently a zealous man. He has started a daily paper and bids defiance to the Pope-all in a month. His next move will probably be to head the revolt against Powderly, thus exemplifying "progress and poverty."

twenty-one counties in Texas now in need of food, clothing and fuel is placed at 30,000, while thousands more are without seed to plant during the coming year. An appeal is made to the state and national legislatures and the country at large to furnish at once \$500,000 to relieve their immediate wants.

THERE are in the neighborhood of 130 foreign iron steamships running between the United States and various ports of Europe. Some of these cost not more than \$250,000 and others cost as much as \$1,500,000 each, so that a rough estimate would put the capital invested at not less then \$100,000, 000. On these vessels there are not less than 25,000 officers and men constantly employed.

IT seems little matter what a man says now-a-days, so he says it well. At a New England dinner recently, a southern editor named Grady, made a speech that, it is said, will go far toward giving him the vice-presidential place on the next Democratic national ticket. It was a beautiful speech, full of noble sentiment and touching pathos, and was enthusiastically applauded. The only thing the speech lacked was truth.

A DISINTERESTED leading English journalist just returned to London from a tour in Ireland, states that over wide areas in the west and south he found the population undergoing incredible privation. Thousands of men, women and children in the remoter districts, destitute of money, food and clothing, were sunk in the deepest misery and dying of starvation. The authorities are unable to cope with such wide-spread suffering and are without money or supplies for the famishing.

OTTAWA is the center of the Canadian lumber industry. More lumber was sold and exported from Ottawa to the United States during the first quarter of the last year than ever before during the same period in its history. The cut this season will be fully up to if not in excess of the average. The total amount of lumber manufactured by the Ottawa mills during the past season is placed at 288,000,000 feet. The principal destinations of the consignments

ent from Ottawa to the United States were Burlington, Albany, New York and Boston. A large proportion, however, of the lumber sent to the United States has been exported from thence to South America, the West Indies and Africa. The square timber trade which at one time was so largely carried on along the tributaries of the Ottawa river, has been almost entirely abandoned, nothing having been done in that way during the past year.

DURING all the fishery troubles

of the past season the Dominion vessels on the score of attempts to exercise alleged prohibited commercial privileges. While forbearance was due in part to the lack of statutory authority, it gave rise, in connection with some other facts, to the supposition that the British government would not one of its colonies so contrary to the national policy of complete Perfumeries, Toilet Articles, Etc. freedom of trade. The Canadian THE Panama Canal company parliament, however, at the last American vessels entering to buy bait or supplies. This enactment Fancy has been reluctantly approved by the imperial government, in order to prevent a storm in Canada. The upshot of it will be seizures of Flour Feed & Potatoes American fishermen next summer, not merely for infraction of the Dominion customs laws, but for for any purpose except to obtain THE total number of people in shelter, wood or water, or to repair demages.

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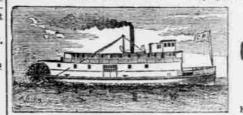
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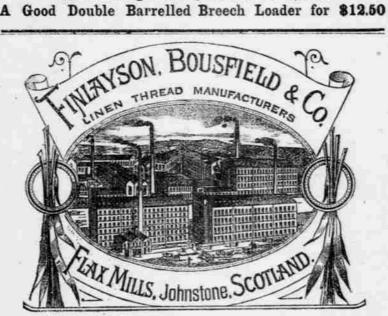
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