

### The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:  
SUNDAY, MARCH 13, 1887

A new and promising step has been taken in India in the direction of developing home industries to supply home needs. Hitherto the product of the teeming wheat fields has been shipped to Europe, and from Europe has been brought in return the same wheat ground into flour for Indian consumption. This was a capital arrangement for ship owners and European millers. But it has dawned upon the native mind that the work of grinding may as well be done at home, and the profits of European merchants and millers saved for the Indian people. Accordingly, a great native milling corporation has been formed at Bombay, and there are indications that it will be imitated in other Indian cities. This will probably mean higher prices to the wheat grower and lower prices to the bread consumer, and general advantage to the Indian people.

THE ASTORIAN is asked what effect the death of Captain Jas. B. Eads will have on his ship railway across the isthmus scheme, and in what condition that project is as regards congressional action. The bill to incorporate the Atlantic and Pacific ship railway—Eads' Tehuantepec scheme—came up in the United States senate February 5th. In its original shape it was very favorable to the projectors, guaranteed governmental support to the enterprise to the extent of \$7,500,000 annual interest charges. The matter received extended consideration and was debated at great length. A bill was finally passed on the 17th of February which granted the desired charter, but withheld any government guarantee. What effect Capt. Eads' death will have, we are unable to say; it will probably delay active prosecution of the proposed work.

AMONG the important measures passed by the senate before adjournment was the house bill to prohibit the importation and immigration of foreigners and aliens under contract or agreement to perform labor which gives authority to the secretary of the treasury to contract with state commissions, boards, or officers, for an examination into the condition of passengers arriving from abroad. The names of persons prohibited from landing are required to be reported to the collector of the port, who shall enforce the prohibition. The secretary is directed to prescribe the regulations for the return of persons prohibited from landing, and these regulations are to be enforced by state boards designated by the secretary. The expense of return is devolved upon the owners of the vessels, and vessels refusing to bear the expense are prohibited from landing at or clearing from any port of the United States. The expenses are also made a lien upon the vessels. The act is now in effect.

In the Century Edward Atkinson says of the armies of Great Britain, France, Germany, Holland, Italy and Belgium that these six European countries have 2,200,431 men under arms, at an annual cost of \$493,505,520, or at the rate of \$223 per man. Our cost is seven times as much per soldier, but the total cost is relatively insignificant. The armed force of Europe in actual service is 4,123,374 men, including armies and navies, besides 10,398,163 reserves at call, making an aggregate of 14,521,539. This is substantially one in five of all men of the arms-bearing age. The proportion, excluding the reserves, is one in sixteen for all Europe, while in the United States it is one in 322. Even in Great Britain, which is about the least harassed in this way, it is one in 26. Taking not the arms-bearing, but the entire population, the ratio of the European armies and navies is as 1 to 81, or even 1 to 24, including

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### A Benefit Night.

To the firemen of the Astoria Fire Department and their friends: The Stutz Dramatic Company to perform in this city during the coming week have generously agreed to give one half the receipts of the house on their opening night to the Fire Department of this city to be applied by them as a portion of that department's donation to the State Firemen's Association, and the offer having been accepted by the Board of Foremen, we would most respectfully request the Firemen and their friends to earnestly assist in making the Benefit a financial success.

Respectfully yours, **B. S. WORSLEY,** Chief Engineer. **C. J. TRENCHARD,** Foreman No. 1. **W. J. BAKER,** Foreman No. 2. **L. W. HOLT,** Foreman H. & L. No. 1.

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