

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 1887

THE interstate law is forcing Minneapolis millers to ship their flour down the Mississippi.

THE Walla Walla Union never quarrels with a contemporary. Once in a while, though, it touches one on the raw with a squib just to hear it howl and see it squirm.

WICHITA, Kansas, has a population of 10,000 people, and the tuneful lyre who runs the Wichita Eagle, says there are "70 wide open drug stores" in that prohibition town.

THERE ought to be a way in which the jurisdiction of the interstate commerce commission could be extended to the Isthmus of Panama. On that short road the fare from one end to the other is \$5 to natives and \$25 to strangers.

OF the thirty-seven oleomargarine factories in this country, eleven are in Chicago, and none is found east of that city by the internal revenue officers. In February 2,615,779 pounds were made, taxed and removed for sale, and only 38,100 pounds were exported. What would become of those factories if an attempt should be made to sell every pound of this great product to consumers for what it really is?

SAYS the Oregonian: "The spirit of activity in affairs, whose popular name is enterprise, founded on energy, supported by judgment and pushed with the comprehension and vigor that make all available opportunities contribute to its purpose, is the chief thing that carries one city to higher success than another. These things are not accidental nor adventitious." The force of the above lies in its local application.

CANADA is called a British colony, but the British population is cut in two by a solid mass of French, which is extending its borders, and at the same time growing more intensely French and more aggressive, while old France begins to stretch out her arms once more to her daughter. French Canada is kept in the traces by much the same means which were used to restrain the boltings of Grattan's parliament. All hope of the assimilation of the French element has passed away.

TALKING of "booms," the East Oregonian says: "This paper, for example, could possibly borrow enough money to erect a twenty thousand dollar building, put in ten thousand dollars worth of machinery, and branch out with a daily, on a scale costing two or three thousand a month. We wish it could see its way clear to pursue such a course. But if we should, the concern would be bankrupt within a twelve-month, and we'd have to go out of business or crawl in behind and below somebody else who had kept a level head. So it is with any business. And as it is with business so it had ought to be with values of town property and rents. The more reasonable the prices set up on town lots and houses for rent, the more sure, steady and substantial will be our growth. What has happened to other towns may or may not be applicable to us; in most cases not altogether applicable, because of a dissimilarity of circumstances. St. Paul and Minneapolis—practically one city—and Denver, for example, have been made what they are because nature could furnish no other cities in their respective vicinities to rival them. The "boom" came to them because nature and commerce sent it, and that is all the "boom" that ever was or ever will be worth the breath it takes to blow up a bladder. True, nature and commerce are to be courted and made the most of; all opportunities are to be grasped; but

this is mere talk, this shouting ourself hoarse, this gas-boom that every little village is kicking about its grass grown streets and rubbish rotten alleys, is half ludicrous, half pitiable.

Unnecessary Misery. Probably as much misery comes from habitual constipation as from any derangement of the functions of the body, and it is difficult to cure, for the reason that no one likes to take the medicines usually prescribed. HAMBURG FIGS were prepared to obviate this difficulty, and they will be found pleasant to the taste of women and children. 25 cents. At all druggists. J. J. Mack & Co., proprietors. S. F.

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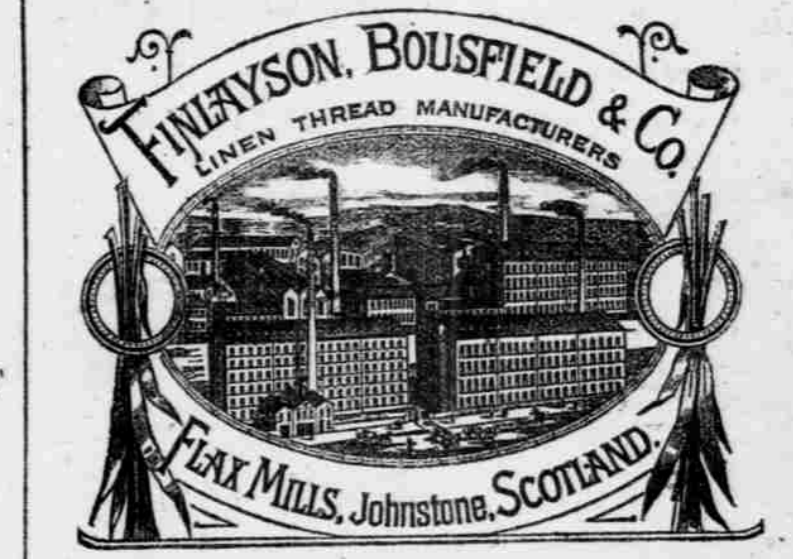
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