

The Daily Astorian. ASTORIA, OREGON: THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1887. MIXED DRINKS.

THE Commercial Bulletin, a keen political observer in New York, says: "The Henry George party have resolved on calling a state convention with the view of entering the next campaign in this state, as an independent organization, having neither Democratic nor Republican affiliations. They have the conviction that they still hold not only the nearly 70,000 votes cast for Mr. George in the last majority contest here, but that their numerical strength is relatively great throughout the state. They expect to put in the field a ticket of their own and elect it by what the late Horace Greeley called spontaneous combustion. In the Standard this week George says, regarding the old parties: There is no pretense to principle on either side. The contest between them is simply in name in which men unblushingly resort to tricks which would, if tried in a game of poker, banish those guilty of them from even the worst gambling dens. The truth is, since they are no longer divided on any living question, the people have practically abandoned public affairs to the professional politicians, whose only quarrel is as to the respective share that each set shall have. Plunder of the public is the only thing that holds the machinery together. The time is come then when a new party, having ideas and a fixed purpose, is an absolute necessity. All things point to the need for such a party, and the issues are here."

"I asked a Tammany sachem this morning, an old Democratic fox, what he thought of this. His reply was: 'There's nothing in it. There's but one labor party in this country, and that is the Democratic party. George's movement is but the little, temporary diversion of a side show that will have its little day, elect a few men to office and then die out. I do not believe if George was up for mayor to-day he would hold 30,000 votes.'

A Republican boss at the Union League Club pooch-pooched the George movement as a permanent factor in local or state politics. "There is but little room," he said "for a third party in this country under ordinary circumstances. The experiment has been tried time and again. After enjoying a brief success it collapsed or lost its influence. At the coming election I doubt if they will be heard of as a commanding factor in politics. There is another new party forming in the background. It is not holding any public meetings, passing any resolutions, but is doing some mighty fine work in a very quiet way. It will be heard from in due time. It may not be designated to a long life, but when it begins to speak out and act, I guess Democrats, Republicans and Labor men will have listened." He pulled from his pocket a paper containing a leading article, headed "A change of Sentiment Coming." It asserts that the American movement is gathering strength with surprising rapidity in favor of restricting foreign immigration—in other words, to establish a guarantee against the mental, moral and social diseases of foreign countries in order to rid ourselves of anarchists, socialists, paupers, mendicants and lunatics. His pocket was stuffed with extracts from other journals to the same purport. "You may call it a know-nothing movement, or anything else you like, he went on, but as a Republican I am in favor of incorporating these ideas in our next state platform. The members of the state committee are in favor of it to a man. The Democrats may do as they choose about it. If they do not adopt a like policy in deference to the rising public opinion in its favor, they will be worse beaten than they were under the old American party."

These curious divergent views

of men who have something to do with molding political public opinion here are of value as fore shadowing the somewhat chaotic condition of things ahead, the outcome of which it is extremely hazardous to predict.

LAST Tuesday secretary of the treasury Fairbaird addressed a letter to Capt. Healey, commanding the revenue steamer Bear at San Francisco, which will soon sail for Alaska, clothing him with full power to enforce the law which prohibits the killing of any otter, mink, marten, sable or fur seal, or other fur bearing animal within the limits of Alaska territory, or in the waters thereof, except under the law and department regulations. Capt. Healey's attention is called to section 1,961, revised statutes, which forbids the killing anywhere of female seals and seals less than one year old, and he is instructed to use the force at his command to the end that no persons attached to or connected with any vessel of the United States violate this law, and also enforce the penalties provided for such violation. He is also enjoined to be diligent in enforcing the law against the importation of intoxicating liquors and breech-loading rifles and ammunition to the territory of Alaska, as provided by the executive order of May 4. These orders are almost identical with those issued on the same subject last year. No reference is made to the alleged encroachment on our fishery rights by foreign nations. That question still forms a subject of negotiations between this country and Great Britain, and the policy of this government with regard to it naturally remains unsettled.

DR. AUBARD, of Paris, has invented a human incubator, designed for rearing children prematurely born. It consists of a wooden box, divided into two compartments, an upper and a lower, with free communication between them. The child is placed in the upper compartment, the lower being occupied by hot bottles, which radiate heat to a carefully regulated extent, and so raise the temperature to a necessary degree of warmth. In the good old way a good soft blanket and one bottle sufficed, but the world is progressing rapidly. Now a baby requires several, it seems.

SPEAKING of the negroes in the south, Henry W. Grady, editor of the Atlanta Constitution, said to a reporter: "Many of them do not vote. They are disfranchised on account of not paying up their taxes. If they fail to pay two years they give it up altogether. A great many whites do the same thing. There will never be competition between the negro laborers and the whites of the north. They do not follow mechanical pursuits. All the old slave darkies follow agriculture and the others preach and teach school."

In Minneapolis, Minn., it is against the law for steam engines to be run on the streets. To do the switching work there, two engines run by soda are being manufactured. The boiler will contain five tons of soda, which, when dampened by steam gives an intense heat. The heat continues for about five hours, when the soda must be removed and dried. It is then ready for use again. Engines of this kind have been used in Europe, but these are the first in this country.

NEW TO-DAY.

Proposals Wanted. THE committee on fire and water of the common council of the city of Astoria invite proposals for the removal of the Engine house of Astoria Engine Co., No. One to that portion of Concomly street extending eastward from the east side of the crossing of Main and Concomly streets, the front or western end of said building, when moved and in place, to be not to exceed thirty feet from the east line of Main street. Bids will be received till noon of Thursday the 19th inst., to be addressed 'Bids for the removal of Astoria No. One's Engine House,' and directed to the Auditor and Police Judge of the city of Astoria; proper bonds to be furnished by the successful bidder. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

CHAS. GRATKE, A. A. CLEVELAND, A. L. FULTON, Committee. Astoria, May 11, '87.

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THE committee on fire and water of the city council of Astoria, invite proposals for the furnishing and placing, under direction of a line of six inch, eight inch or ten inch cast iron pipe, (either one of the three sizes to be selected) of approved quality, on Genevieve street in the city of Astoria, from low water in the Columbia river southward to the crossing of Jefferson and Genevieve streets in said city: the pipe to be fitted with a check valve and strainer and securely fastened to foundations of said street; the work to be done under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the aforesaid committee. For further and more definite information apply to members of the committee. Bids will be received till noon of Thursday, May 20th, 1887. Bonds to be given when contract is let. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Glove Contest

I. Bill Scott, Champion Lightweight of Oregon, and I. Albert Johnson, of Astoria, Have signed articles for a ten round glove contest for the lightweight championship of Oregon, the contest to take place at the Opera House, on Saturday, May 14th, 1887. Marquis of Queensbury rules to govern. Bill Scott: Albert Johnson. Doors open at 8: Contes, begins at 8:20. Admission Fifty Cents. Winner Takes the Gate Receipts.

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