The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

TUESDAY.....JUNE 7, 1887

It has been computed that the death rate of the globe is 67 a minute, 77,700 a day and 35,639,835 a year, and the birth rate 70 a minute, 100,800 a day and 36,792,000 a year.

The entrance to New York harbor is so choked up that the disabled steamer *Britannic* conld not get over the bar to a place of safety until part of her cargo had been discharged.

Even the fish have become disgusted with the conduct of Canada and are flocking over to the coast of Mane. The waters about Bangor are reported fuller than ever this year of salmon.

Dakota has more schools than any one of thirteen states, employs twice as many teachers as New Jersey or New Hampshire, and leads twenty-five states in the number of its banks.

The postmaster at Shenandoah, Penn., a place worth $1,700 per year resigned four weeks ago and at latest advices no application had been made for the place. The post office department is puzzled over this unprecedented case.

There is discussion in the state press about the opium law now in effect. As we understand it the main intent of that law was to bar the Chinese from any traffic in that drug and afford tangible ground for their legal prosecution.

Several of the western barbed-wire fence manufacturers are having a hard time of it. Two or three have failed and seven or eight are in a tight place. Manufacturing capacity has been too greatly extended.

Citizen Train says that when he stopped eating meat, thirteen years ago, and began living on fruit and grain, he weighed 210 pounds. He now weighs 180, and as he is six feet in height, he thinks he has the correct proportion. He has not been ill an hour since he began fasting.

There are still a few theorists who justify polygamy on the ground that more women are born into the world than men, but the theory has long been exploded. August Bebel, in his remarkable work, recently translated into English, shows that in ten states, with a population of 250,000,000, the excess of females over males was over 2,500,000; and when we remember the extent to which men outnumber women in the colonies, and the fact that in India there are 6,000,000 more men than women, the natural inference is that if the inhabitants of the earth were distributed according to the sexes men and women would be found to exist in about equal proportions.

Yesterday's S. F. *Chronicle* says: "It is insisted upon by Chicago & Northwestern officials that it is not the intention of their company to extend its line to a junction with the Oregon Pacific, and that the only extension in that direction to be made this year will be to Fort Caspar, fifty miles west of Fort Fetterson, where it is going for coal. Such denials are never regarded as being in good faith, for leading corporations do not extend their lines under their own company name, generally incorporating anew. It is by such wheels within wheels that the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe reached Los Angeles, and the Union Pacific extended its road to Portland. The Oregon Pacific people claim that they are extending their line eastward under Chicago & Northwestern patronage, but there are those who are wicked enough to say that this announcement is being made in order that the Oregon company may retain its credit with contractors and others to whom it owes untold sums."

The *News* says that since it endorsed and began to advocate the prohibition amendment it is being boycotted. The Astorian was the first newspaper to denounce and decry the boycott of the *Oregonian* a year ago, and is equally prompt in opposing the boycott of the *News*. It has been through two boycotts itself and said nothing about its own troubles, but when such un-American practices are charged in public print it becomes every paper to oppose the principle. We do not believe in the practicability of prohibition nor in the intemperate zeal displayed by some of its supporters, but we are consistent in upholding the right of free speech. It is by discussion and free speech that these things are settled. That is the American way. We believe it to be the only right way. If a newspaper is unjust or malicious or untruthful, or plainly in the wrong, it should be refused support and made feel its folly and know its duties; but this prohibition question is a subject of public discussion, just the same as the tariff, or any other matter of public opinion, and any newspaper should be at perfect liberty to express its honest opinion unawed or uninfluenced by the "boycott." There's something about that word that is un-American; it breathes of cowardly despotism, and the practice should have no place in this land of the free. It is the fruit of bitter blossoms blown to us from across the sea and is an exotic that should have no room nor cause to flourish.

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In Astoria, June 6, to the wife of F. R. Stokes, a son.

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Astoria, June 6th, 1887.

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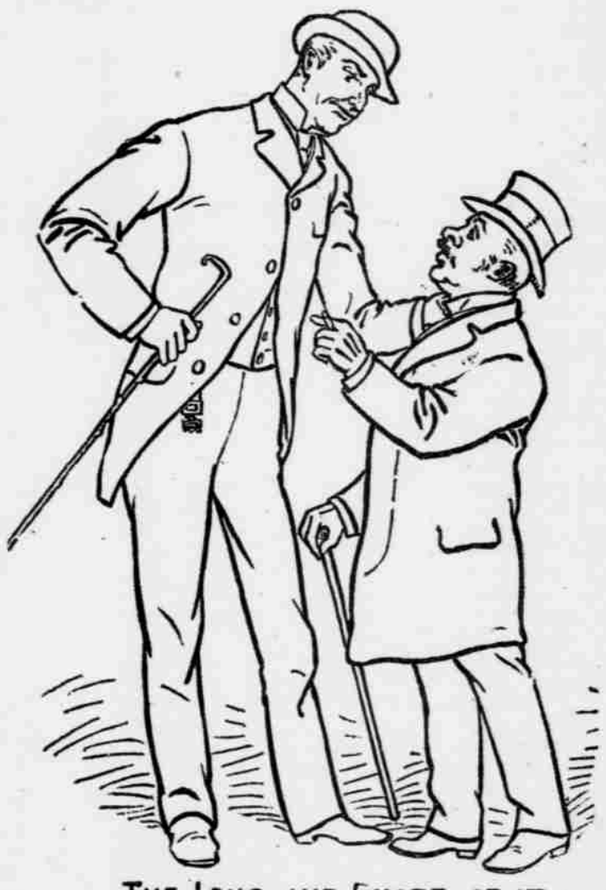

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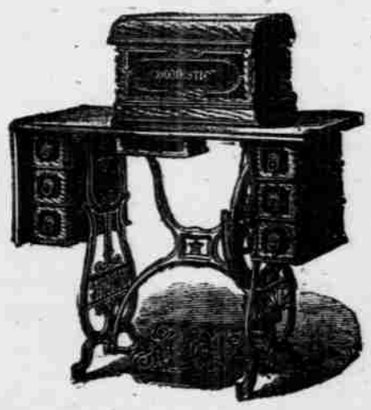

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