

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:
SUNDAY, JULY 2, 1887
THE STARS AND STRIPES.

EARLY in the struggle for American independence the need of a national flag was insisted on by Franklin. The result of a conference on the subject was the retention of the Union Jack, representing the still recognized sovereignty of England, but coupled with thirteen stripes, alternate red and white, emblematic of the union of the thirteen colonies, in place of the royal ensign. This was the "new striped flag" which was hoisted in January, 1776.

The following theories of the origin of these stripes have been assigned: 1. They were derived from the national flag of the Netherlands, which then and now consisted of three equal horizontal stripes, symbolic of the rise of the Dutch republic from the union at Utrecht. To the example of Holland the American colonies were indebted for the idea of federal union, and emigrants from Holland had planted the seeds of civil and religious liberty and education. 2. The army in 1775 was without uniform, the different grades being only distinguished by stripes of ribbons. The daily sight of these, the only marks of rank would naturally suggest the same device for representing the united colonies. 3. The stripes from Washington's coat-of-arms may have suggested those for the flag. They were certainly one of the devices on the flag of the troop of light horse which accompanied Washington to New York when proceeding to assume the command of the army at Cambridge, where they were first shown.

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mission of Vermont and Kentucky caused a change in the flag, and from 1795 till 1818 it consisted of fifteen stars and fifteen stripes.

The admission of five new states made another change desirable and in 1816 a committee was appointed to consider the matter. Captain Reid, a well-known sailor, made a suggestion, which was adopted, to reduce the flag to the original thirteen, representing the number of states which contended for and achieved their independence, and to increase the stars to correspond with the number of states in the union, and hereafter to add one star to the flag whenever a new state should be admitted. Each addition takes place on the 4th of July next succeeding the admission of the state. At present there are thirty-eight stars, and have been ever since Colorado was admitted in 1876. National justice demands that Washington and Dakota be admitted and that there be forty stars on the flag.

THE mayoress of a northern Kansas town, says the *Wichita Eagle*, who was elected under the new woman suffrage law last week, came down to her office the other day with a Mother Hubbard on, and as she sat cross-legged in the mayor's chair the city clerk noticed that she had a hole in the heel of her stocking and that her bustle was to one side. He reported the fact to his wife, his wife told the hired girl, the hired girl told her fellow, her fellow told the city marshal, the city marshal told the mayoress, whereupon the city clerk got fired and the town is scandalized. The mayoress said she would wear her bustle in front, behind or sideways, and it was nobody's business.

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COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND POLICE.

Notice.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of sale, now on record in the Court House at Astoria, Oregon, of the steamer Favorite to Louis Wilson is not an absolute bill of sale, but was given to Louis Wilson as security for money. Love Mr. Wilson.
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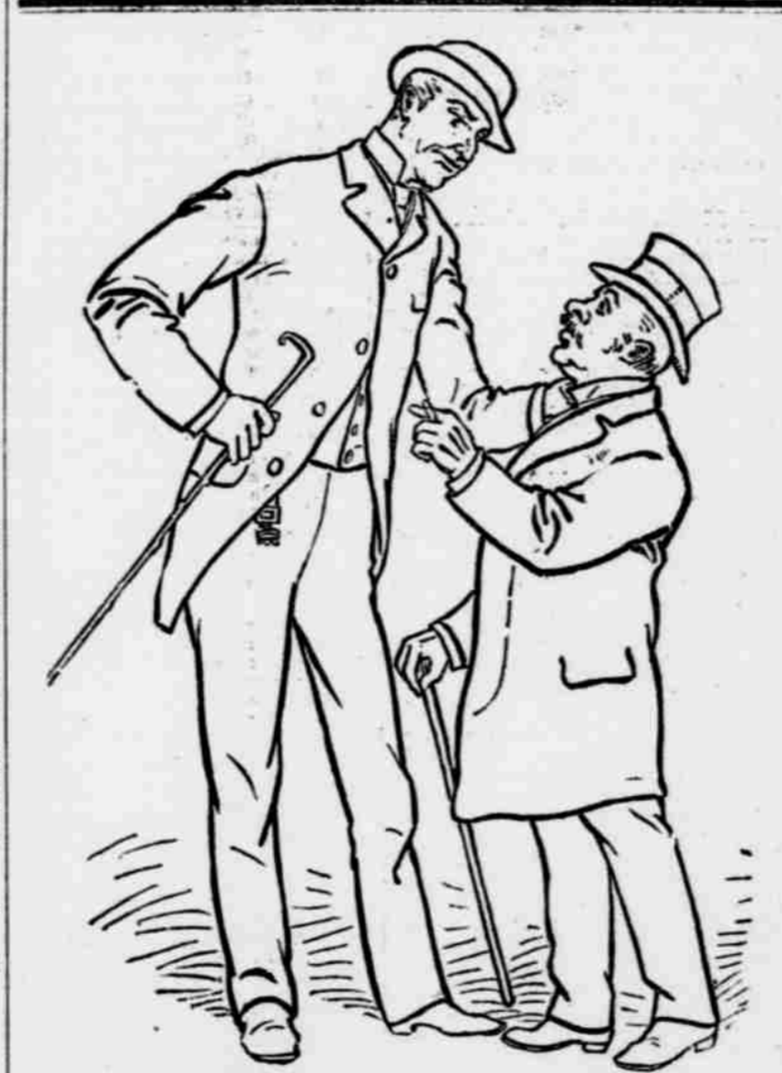
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