

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

FRIDAY, AUGUST 19, 1887

A firemen's tournament will be held at Spokane Falls October 11th-15th.

The Yarkand has finished loading. She has 33,445 cases salmon—1,075 tons—and 945 tons wheat.

The Mistletoe Social Club will have a dance at Pythian hall this evening. Parsons furnishes the music.

Reserved seats at the New York Novelty Store for the Jolly Nash company's performance to-morrow night.

Griffin & Reed are the local agents for the Traveler's Insurance Co., of Hartford, a first-class accident insurance company.

The Shoalwater Bay Transportation Co. is about to disincorporate. A pro rata payment of 38 per cent. was made on the last.

Capt. J. G. Hustler, clerk school district No. One, gives notice that the board of equalization will meet next Monday, the 22nd inst.

Upon examining the tax roll the county commissioners of Clarke county, W. T., found that 629 names were omitted from the roll.

The ship Oregon has been purchased at San Francisco by William Mighill and others for \$27,500. She will go on the coast coal trade.

Doesn't it seem a long time since Binger Hermann was elected to congress in June '92? and the congress to which he was elected won't meet till next December.

A memorial service was held at St. Mary's Roman Catholic church yesterday to the memory of the mother of Mrs. O. Sovey and Mrs. T. W. Eaton, of this city.

The contemplated cost of the two three-story bricks to be erected by Capt. Flavel on Chenamus street is \$75,000. W. H. Williams, of Portland, is now drawing the plans.

Gov. Penney has forwarded to Bancroft & Co. the new code of state laws compiled by W. Lair Hill, with his certificate of approval, and the state will purchase 10,000 copies.

A sebaceous tumor, eight inches in diameter, the growth of twenty years, was yesterday removed by Dr. Estes from the vicinity of the femoral artery of a Chinaman, Sing Lee, greatly to the celestial's relief.

A Tacoma paper says another lot of canned salmon has arrived there from Victoria in bond for Montreal. Instead of being shipped over the Canadian Pacific, the shippers prefer the Northern Pacific route. Nineteen carloads will be shipped with this order.

R. B. Merriwether, of Washington, D. C., special agent of the interior department, is visiting every county in the state to secure the record of marriages and divorces as a part of the national statistics. His work will go back to 1867 and thus cover a period of twenty years. He has a long job.

Prof. L. J. Powell, late president of the Washington territorial university, died at Seattle last Wednesday afternoon, of cholera morbus, aged 53. He was formerly connected with Oregon schools, and was for four years Superintendent of public instruction in this state. He leaves a wife and five children.

The committee on fire and water have bought fourteen and a half tons of eight-inch cast iron pipe at \$53 a ton, paying \$768.50 therefor. The purchase was made from Messrs Sinton & Beebe. The location of the pipe line has not yet been decided upon. There are 50 lengths of about 12 feet each, averaging 661 lbs to the length.

In the Pacific railway examination at San Francisco last Wednesday, the accountant of the Southern Pacific stated that the construction of the California & Oregon railroad from Delta 104 miles to the state line had cost the Pacific Improvement company, for construction account up to June 30, and rolling stock up to April 30, \$3,188,609.

At a meeting of the Astoria chamber of commerce last evening it was decided to light the room with gas, a committee was appointed to look into the feasibility of active movement in the matter of coast transportation, the president and secretary were instructed to send a communication to chief signal officer Greeley regarding the need of repair of the Columbia river cable, and T. S. Jewett and F. A. Fisher were elected members.

Last Sunday morning, says the Portland Telegram, there were six strangers at the Calvary Presbyterian church whose appearance was not particularly attractive or remarkable, but they were more celebrated than mere outside looks indicated. When the collection was announced it was stated that the entire amount would be given to the bible society, and as the plate was passed to the strangers in due course each one dropped a bright new \$20 piece on it. The good brother who passed the plate never before had such a shock as when he saw \$120 come out of a single pew. After the service was over it was learned that this was the Shepherd party.

The inquiry into the recent collision of the steamers Emma Hayward and Fleetwood on the sound has

been terminated and the blame attached to Captains Hatch, Woolery and Green. In reaching a conclusion Capt Bryant said: "We find all parties to blame. Capt. Green of the Hayward should have stopped his steamer when he saw a collision was imminent, and the Fleetwood, instead of trying to cross the Hayward's bow, should have passed her stern on the starboard side. Capt. Hatch was master of the Fleetwood, and should have taken her from the wharf, and then turned her over to pilot Woolery. We have suspended Capt. Hatch's license for 90 days, Capt. Woolery's for 60 days and Capt. Green's for 30 days."

In Brief, And to the Point.

Dyspepsia is dreadful. Disordered liver is misery. Indigestion is a foe to good nature.

The human digestive apparatus is one of the most complicated and wonderful things in existence. It is easily put out of order.

Greasy food, tough food, sloppy food, bad cookery, mental worry, late hours, irregular habits, and many other things which ought not to be, have made the American people a nation of dyspeptics.

But Green's August Flower has done a wonderful work in reforming this sad business and making the American people so healthy that they can enjoy their meals and be happy.

Remember:—No happiness without health. "But Green's August Flower brings health and happiness to the dyspeptic. Ask your druggist for a bottle. Seventy-five cents."

It Reminded Him of a Little Story.

When a funny story is suddenly recalled to a man's mind by some circumstance, the desire to tell it is suddenly irresistible. This was peculiarly so of old Jimmy Crawson. He was going down the creek one day on a raft, when one of the raftsmen was struck by an oar and knocked into the raging flood. The incident suggested something ludicrous to old Jimmy, and instead of plunging in after his comrade, he drew up near to him as he could safely, and said: "Your falling in there reminds me of a little thing that occurred about twenty years—" But the man had gone down never to rise again.—E.

Greatly Excited.

Not a few of the citizens of Astoria have recently become greatly excited over the astounding facts, that several of their friends who had been pronounced by their physicians as incurable and beyond all hope—suffering with that dreaded monster Consumption—have been completely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, the only remedy that does positively cure all throat and lung diseases, Coughs, Colds, Asthma and Bronchitis. Trial bottles free at W. E. Dement & Co.'s Drug Store, large bottles \$1.

But Don't Shove Them Down Here.

During the past day or so the city has been overrun by a gang of beggars who have come here from Butte City, Montana. They appear to be of a band who have no further object in life than existing off the charity of those with whom they come in contact. Shove them along, Chief, we have enough poor of our own to support.—News.

Three Favorites

Have the following to say of Wisdom's Robotine, the great beautifier and preserver of the complexion:

PORTLAND, Or., June 4, 1887. To Mr. W. M. Wisdom—Dear Sir:—I have tried your Robotine. It is excellent, and I shall be pleased to recommend it to all my lady friends. Believe me, yours truly, RUIA.

PORTLAND, Dec. 1885. To Mr. W. M. Wisdom:—The "Robotine" you so kindly sent me is excellent. It is the finest preparation I have ever used, and is a decided acquisition to every lady's toilet. Yours truly, JEANNIE WESTON.

PORTLAND, Or., April 6, 1887. Dear Mr. Wisdom—I have tried your "Robotine," and it gives me much pleasure to say that it is excellent for the complexion, being one of the best articles of the kind I have ever used. Believe me, yours sincerely, Z. TIBBELL.

For sale by W. E. Dement & Co., druggists, Astoria, Oregon.

Teeth, Stumps, Snags, Teeth.

Dr. Moad, the lightning painless tooth extractor, has taken the contract to pave the streets of Astoria with ivory, and is proceeding with great success, extracting every day at least a wash tub full of old worn-out grinders, which, from all appearances, have spoiled many a nice piece of pie, chewed up lots of bear meat, venison and occasionally a yellow-legged chicken. Dr. Moad never fails to bring the old snags and stumps, no matter how deeply down they may be broken.

The finest and nicest steak to be had in town at Fabre's.

Ah There!!

Ice cream, fine quality supplied at short notice by Frank Fabre, any part of the city: \$2.50 a gallon.

Upper Astoria Stage Line.

Orders left at Edgar's cigar store or Ford & Stokes' for the Upper Astoria stage line will receive prompt attention. DAMANT BROS.

The best oysters in any style at Fabre's.

Have you seen the quantity of big packages of Dry Goods and Clothing leaving the Low Price Store? Prices are the cause of it.

Lemon Ice Cream at Fabre's to-day.

For a Fine Dish of Ice Cream. Go to the Central Restaurant, next to Ford & Stokes'.

Meals Cooked to Order.

Private rooms for ladies and families: at Central Restaurant, next to Ford & Stokes'.

Fine Goods.

Thos. Mairs, the Merchant Tailor, has just received the first installment of his fall stock. Call and see some fine goods.

Ten cents for a cup of Fabre's nice coffee.

A FATAL ELEVATOR ACCIDENT.

Letting the T. P. & W. Company Down Easily.

New York, Aug. 18.—The elevator in a building on Mercer street fell this morning from the third floor to the basement with a load of eighteen women and girls. The safety catches on the elevator failed to work, and when the conveyance crashed into the basement the occupants had nearly all fainted and piled on each other in fearful confusion. Mrs. Jane Lynch, aged 55, was crushed to death. The elevator boy, O'Neill, had his back broken and will die. A dozen others are injured, but not fatally.

A RAILROAD STRIKE.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 18.—The strike on the Mexican Central road seriously interferes with the running of trains, about fifty engineers having left their locomotives with their firemen. The officials of the road are hiring all the competent men that can be found. Freight will be kept back from the United States until the freight engines can be manned.

THE LABOR CONVENTION.

SYRACUSE, Aug. 18.—When the united labor convention reassembled this morning the committee on credentials made a report. The committee had been in session all night and had a lively time. In most all cases they reported in favor of setting aside certain delegates. This shows that the socialistic element received but little attention from the committees.

A RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

ALLIANCE, Ohio, Aug. 18.—The express train which left Chicago yesterday afternoon on the Fort Wayne road jumped the track this morning near here. A colored porter named Warner crushed to death. J. L. Mahoney of Detroit, W. H. Dennistea of Pittsburg, Geo. Lansou of Washington and W. A. McCoy of Pittsburg were seriously and perhaps fatally wounded, the other passengers being badly shaken up.

A VERY MILD VERDICT.

CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—The News' Chatsworth special says: The coroner's jury have agreed on a verdict regarding the big wreck this morning, which holds Timothy Coughlin, section foreman, to appear before the grand jury and negatively exonerates the railroad company. The company is not censured for running double headers, for lax system of track inspection, or for anything else. The verdict simply says the failure to patrol the track for six hours before the train came along and the habit of burning grass close to the track are fit subjects for criticism.

SHARPE STILL SHAKING.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Jacob Shape had a violent chill this morning. At 9 o'clock he was resting quietly and appeared better. Before 10:30, however, the old man had another chill. Three physicians and all of his family were summoned to his bedside.

TO BE DRIVEN BACK.

DENVER, Aug. 18.—The cattlemen, who now have their herds going north on the great cattle trail, have decided upon a move which will face about 50,000 head now on the trail and drive them back into Texas. The reason for so doing is because there is absolutely no market for the cattle. The meeting at which this decision was arrived at was held in the rooms of the Cattle Growers association. Of the cattle now on the trail 20,000 head have already entered Wyoming and 50,000 are near the Arkansas river.

For fourteen years the cattlemen have used the trail to northern markets without a season's intermission, and many millions of dollars' worth of cattle have passed over it. The trail begins 300 miles south of Fort Worth and takes a straight line to Wyoming entering Colorado near West Las Animas. The trail was established in 1863, and the cowboys had to fight their way through hostile bands of Indians for the first few years. Last year 300,000 cattle were driven over the trail; this year but 70,000 have started, and two-thirds of these are being turned back. Fort Worth men declare the act disastrous, and the result of the failure to get the cattle to market will have the effect of putting \$2,000,000 worth of beef back into Texas, which is already overstocked, thus driving prices down to ruinous figures.

The cowboys will have to establish packing houses to do their own killing, and make their own shipments. The trail has gradually been growing narrower, until last year it was but three miles wide, and now this has been thrown open to settlement.

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 care, 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.

Hot Cakes.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

F. D. Winton has been reappointed a notary public.

Mrs. H. G. Smith goes on the State to-morrow on a visit to California.

Miss Stella Mayer, of Vancouver, is visiting Mrs. Montieith.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wilson are in the city, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. F. E. Perchen.

Sheriff Ross is busy this week in his logging camp near Knappa, and gets out his quota of logs with an ease born of experience.

Wonderful Cures.

W. D. Hoyt & Co., Wholesale and Retail Druggists of Rome, Ga., say: We have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters and Bucklen's Arnica Salve for two years. Have never handled remedies that sell as well, or give such universal satisfaction. There have been some wonderful cures effected by these medicines in this city. Several cases of pronounced Consumption have been entirely cured by use of a few bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, taken in connection with Electric Bitters. We guarantee them always. Sold by W. E. Dement & Co.

Try Fabre's celebrated pan toast.

For the best photographs and tintypes go to Crow's Gallery.

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At Frank Fabre's for suppers, parties, etc. The best cooked to order.

Oysters in Every Style

At the Central Restaurant, next to Ford & Stokes'.

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