The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

SEPTEMBER 30, 1887 FRIDAY

DULY ACCREDITED.

MR. WM. H. BREWSTER, of Vancouver, is in the city. He is the secretary of the Columbia Waterway association, and at the late meeting of the convenient and conclusive shape. It be sold or pre-empted and is a counis the desire of the association and try without laws. Several thousand and complete as possible.

work just that much.

Waterway association. The list is or government. growing and will embrace many of the most prominent citizens of Oregon and Washington.

The feeling in favor of a new river association to do this work we help ourselves. Mr. Brewster is duly ac- is idle to suppose that it will shed credited, is earnest and enthusiastic any warning upon future transactions and will be in this city for several of that nature. days to further in all ways possible this matter in which Astoria is so vitally interested.

THISTLE AND VOLUNTEER.

OUR dispatches this morning say ing? that the second race between the Thistle and Volunteer, which was to have taken place yesterday, has been postponed until to-day by reason of bad weather.

One hundred million people have awaited with inferest the outcome of this trial between America and Great Britain. Everything that money and skill could do by both has been done. When the Genesta came across with a sprig of heather at her masthead in the summer of '85, the Puritan was built at an expense of forty-five thousand dollars, and sent the English visitor back with the heather dried and withered, the America cup remaining here. Last year came the Galatea, meeting another defeat, the Mayflower upholding American supremacy. And now the Thistle, built on American plans, after a special visit to this country by her designer. She is American in hull, rig, and everything except name and place of building.

This time it was with apprehen sion of defeat that the patriotic owner and designer of the Puritan and Mayflower cast about to devise some craft to best the vaunted Thistle. The result of his effort was the new steel sloop Volunteer.

As a matter of interest we appen the following

MEASUREMENTS

Pa ts of the Vessel.	Volunteer	Thistle
Length over all Length on water line Beam Beam at water-line Depth of hold Draught Area midship section Mid-section from bow Mast, deck to hounds Topmast Boom Gaff Bowsprit Spinnaker boom Displacement Inside ballast Keel ballast Keel ballast Keel ballast	10.6 10.9 96 65 48 84 84 52 37 70 116	106.11 85.0 20.3 20 14.2 13.8 115 62 45 80 50 38.6 70 135 10 55 8380

A STREET RAILWAY.

SINCE the fiasco regarding the proposed street railway in 1884 the matter has slumbered. The franchise granted to Hennessy has, of course, long since lapsed, and, the action of that adventurer, has, naturally, made many suspicious of any kindred propositions.

He was a stranger with no capital, but colossal cheek. The chief mover in the present scheme is a Portland capitalist, who appears to be financially responsible, understands what he is doing, realizes the business requirements of the situation and stands ready to put his money into the project and push it to completion if the city council grant him the tranchise He asks no subsidy, takes the chances and thinks he sees a profitable investment for some idle thousands.

It is conceded on all sides that r street railroad would be a good thing. If we can't put up the money and build it ourselves, it seems to us the next best thing is to let somebody else do it.

Mr. Brown says that it is not his desire to ask for the franchise to try De

to hold it or speculate with it, but that it is his bona fide intention if he is allowed the privilege to go ahead and build the road.

So that it amounts to this-if the franchise, with proper provisions and restrictions: if they don't, they will refuse to grant it.

executive committee of the associa- Indian territory lies a strip of land, the various communities of the north- as "public lands," and again as "no west. It is his province and his pur- man's land." It belongs to no state pose to collect all commercial statis- or territory, has never been surveyed lumbia that these statistics be as full pect, by occupation and use, to have tion. preferred rights when the tract is THE ASTORIAN invokes the aid of finally opened to settlement. They Astorians in this regard. Any data, have a sort of unwritten, patriarchal figures, and commercial statistics tur- government, and appear to be getting nished Mr. Brewster will further the along about as well as people do elsewhere. This anomalons state of He is also a solicitor for honorary things exists and continues by reason membership. At the last session of of the non-action of congress. Varithe association in this city it was con- one bills dealing with the case have sidered well to have certificates of been introduced from time to time, honorary membership prepared, and but all have failed to pass. It is proupon payment of \$5, anyone desirous posed by some to give it a territorial of furthering the grand idea of a free government, by others to attach it to river, can be enrolled among those al- a contiguous state or territory. In ready belonging to the Columbia the meantime it is a land without laws

Coleridge's illustration of experience is that "like the stern lights of a vessel, it illuminates only the track is practically unanimous. Anything that it has passed." This has proved that can be done to further this is a extremely apt in wheat deals. The matter of interest. In helping the recent experience in San Francisco illumines another short track, but it

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Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received at the office of the Auditor and Police Judge until Tuesday, October 4th, 1887, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the improvement of Cushings Court street, in the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively, in the manner provided by ordinance No. 980 of the city of Astoria, in front of lots No. 1 and 2, block 135, and lot No. 3, block No. 118.

Bids must state the price for improving in front of each lot respectively.

By order of the Common Council.

R. CARRUTHERS,

A. L. FULTON,

F. SHERMAN,

Committee on Streets and Public Ways.

Attest: T. S. JEWETT, Auditor and Police Judge.

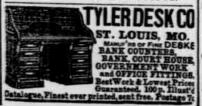
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Painting the Town Red.

At this late date another origin for the expression, "painting it red," is given. Back in the '60s, racing was one of the exciting features of Miscity council want to have a street sissippi river travel, and when an opall hands were breathless with excite ment. The first command from the captain would be: "Paint her red, boys!" which was the river slang for filling the fire-box with resin in order North of Texas and west of the to create a quick, hot fire, at which time the fire-boxes would be thrown open. Then if the night were dark, tion in Portland was appointed statis- 200 miles long and fifty wide, which the effect would be simply grand. As tician. In this capacity he is visiting is sometimes designated on the maps far ahead as the eye could see, the the various communities of the north- as "nublic lands," and again as "no reflection, forming a most beautiful picture, which once seen could never be forgotten. It was at that time tics procurable and arrange them in and is not open to entry. It cannot be sold or pre-empted and is a country without laws. Several thousand try without laws. Several thousand the intended to convey the idea by its use that they would have a beautics procurable and arrange them in and is not open to entry. It cannot that the expression "paint the town red" originated, as the old steamboat men intended to convey the idea by its use that they would have a beauthe interest of all dwellers on the Co- people reside on this land who ex- tiful time on arrival at their destina-

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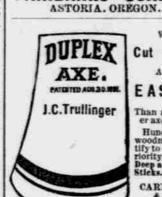
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