

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1887

Council meeting to-night.

"Little Mechanics' Fair" at Griffin & Reed's.

The State arrived in yesterday afternoon; the Oregon sailed.

The board of fire delegates will meet at eight o'clock this evening.

There will be a rehearsal of the Western Amateur band this evening.

The W. T. board pilot commissioners will meet at 11:30 a. m., on Thursday, November 3rd.

Emerson's minstrels gave the town a tune as they passed through the streets yesterday afternoon.

The C. R. F. Union have a neatly fitted up reading room in the building opposite Foster's Exchange.

The Mercury has been informed that Robt. Clow, superintendent of the penitentiary, has been working convicts on his farm in Polk county.

Emerson's minstrels gave a good performance at Boss' opera house last night, and one that was warmly applauded by the appreciative audience present.

Astoria is the farthest west of any incorporated city in the United States. THE ASTORIAN is the farthest west of any daily newspaper in the United States.

The U. S. fish commissioners' steamer Albatross will leave New York for this north Pacific coast in the early part of next month. Lieutenant Tanner is the commander.

Washington territory makes a splendid educational showing in her census returns, just issued. Less than 500 over the age of 15 years in our sister territory, cannot read or write.

Near Oregon City, last week, a trapper named Hask killed his wife, aged 24, tied a bag of sand to the body, sunk it in the Willamette, told the neighbors she had gone to Cour d'Alene, and disappeared.

Hereafter the light at Cape Flattery will show a red ray, covering Duncan and Dautze rocks. It embraces 7 1/2 approximately, between the bearings (from seaward) SSE 1/2 E and SE 1/2 E. The rocks lie in the axis of the ray.

The O. B. & N. Co. get \$250 a ton for carrying wheat by steamer from Portland to San Francisco. In better accordance with the laws of trade and shipping this wheat would be loaded in deep sea-going sailing vessels at Astoria.

About 9:30 last Sunday evening a lamp exploded in the sitting room of Mrs. Stout's residence on Chenamus street. In extinguishing it Miss Inez Stout was severely burned. The fire was promptly put out with little resultant damage, and Miss Stout's injuries are not serious.

The fight between the steamship sailors and coast seamen's unions, says the Alta, is becoming interesting. The steamship men will continue to supply sailors for steam schooners, and will endeavor to form a water-front federation, in which all unions connected with steamships will be entitled to membership. The steamshipmen's protective association, steamship stevedores' union, marine firemen's association and marine engineers' union will be invited to join.

A Bartlett, the book man, who is closing out a lot of first-class books, states that he will remain here but two days longer, and he is now offering books at special bargains. A full set of Thackeray, publisher's price \$15, for \$6.50. Sets of George Elliot, eight volumes, \$4.50. Also Dickens, Waverley, Carlyle, Victor Hugo, Irving, and all the standard histories and poetical works, Chamber's Encyclopedia, and miscellaneous works. Also family bibles and albums at great bargains. Call at once before they are packed up.

Astoria Would Make a Fine Terminus.

The Montana Central railroad has just been completed from Central, Montana, to Helena, on the Northern Pacific. It is being pushed on to Butte City and thence is being projected southwesterly through a pass in the Bitter Root mountains into Idaho. The route is as yet indefinite beyond, but report is that Oregon will be crossed before the line terminates.

Valuable Land Permanently Reclaimed.

On Friday, the 21st, the last spadeful of earth was put on the extensive dyke of between four and five miles in length, which protects and reclaims the property of D. K. and F. M. Warren, S. D. and Col. Jno. Adair, and J. C. Trullinger, comprising nearly 2,000 acres of valuable land. The dyke is four feet wide on top and ten feet at the base, and is built to stay.

Notice.

The ladies of Grace Episcopal church are preparing for a bazaar to be held on the 10th and 11th of November, 1887, at Liberty hall. A more extended notice will be given in due time.

Only Two Days More.

Fine books at auction and private sale 5,000 volumes of standard scientific, rare, and miscellaneous works. Family Bibles, plus monogram Albums. Draper, Buckle, Lecky, Darwin, Spencer, Huxley, Hugo, Josephus, Gibbon are a few of the authors. Sale at 7 P. M.: Odd Fellows Building, rear of Bank, to-day and to-morrow.

FROM EUROPE AND THE EAST.

Specials to Readers of "The Astorian."

LONDON, Oct. 24.—Private advices from Stanley report that Henry M. Stanley has gone 150 miles further up Aruwitimi and had sent the steamer Florida back to Stanley Pool for more supplies and men. The natives showed no disposition to molest the expedition, and all were in good health. Stanley has been waiting for the return of the Florida before advancing.

A LOST BARGE.

SAND BEACH, Mich., Oct. 24.—The propeller Oseogatchie came in this morning and reported that while eight miles above the harbor at 11 o'clock last night with the barge Dolphin O. Morris in tow, the line parted and the barge went adrift. The barge could not have lived the night out.

STANDARD SILVER.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—The issue of standard silver dollars from the mints during the week ending October 22, was \$983,000. The shipments of fractional silver coin since the 1st inst. amounted to \$75,000.

THE NEW REGIME.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—The wires in all the Baltimore & Ohio offices in this city were discontinued yesterday and transferred to the Western Union offices.

WHERE'S MORROW.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 24.—Judge Sullivan this morning sentenced John T. Emerson, the self-proclaimed jury briber, to five years' imprisonment in San Quentin, the full penalty of the law.

BLAMING THE MANAGEMENT.

PARIS, Oct. 24.—The latest development at the inquiry into the great loss of life attending the burning of the Opera Comique indicates an almost incredible carelessness and want of system in the management.

BREEZE ON THE LAKES.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—A gale swept over the entire lake region last night and yesterday, the wind attaining a velocity of 60 miles an hour and causing great damage to shipping. The schooner Maria, J. R. Top, Geo. Sherman and Alex. Bradley are already reported as wrecked during the gale. Crews all saved.

A TRAINING SHIP IN DANGER.

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 24.—The U. S. training ship Portsmouth is anchored off Point Judith, and it is feared that the gale which is raging will drive her on the rocks. There are several hundred souls on board. Admiral Luce has sent the Dolphin to render the Portsmouth assistance.

FORBES IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Athena Forbes, the famous war correspondent, arrived on the Alaska yesterday. He is in very poor health. All of his engagements and lectures have been cancelled and he is going to Washington to try and recover his strength.

A DISASTROUS EXPLOSION.

TRONTON, Ohio, Oct. 24.—This morning early a battery of six boilers in the Lawrence works exploded, killing four men and wounding twelve persons. Portions of the boiler were blown half a mile away.

ROW IN THE INDIAN NATION.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—A special from Talequah Indian territory says the killing of B. H. Stone, the editor of the Telephone, by Col. Bandenot, editor of the Advocate, yesterday it is feared will result this week in a civil war in the Cherokee nation. The tragedy is the climax of the lowest and most bitter political fight that has ever taken place in the territory, and the indications are that the trouble will result in the severance of the tribal relations and the territory will be thrown open to settlers.

A Good Pair To Draw To.

We get a great many fault-finding letters and dispatches, because we don't ship more promptly, and we suppose that the bulk of our customers think that we are sitting here looking at a big pile of salmon that we are too lazy to ship, but, boys, you are dead wrong, we can not milk a nickel out of you on this salmon deal, and (we assure you that we want it badly) until we can ship the salmon and make a draft, and although we have seen the time when we wanted to draw something and couldn't, yet we never saw the time we couldn't draw a draft if we had a bill lading to draw with—they make a big pair.—Circular of J. K. Armsby Co., Chicago.

Little Mechaute's Fair.

At City Book Store, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 24th, 25th, and 26th. Grand exhibit of Domestic Sewing Machine work. Ladies are specially invited. Admission free. Don't miss this rare treat. GRIFFIN & REED.

Private Rooms.

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

Every mother is interested in knowing that a special preparation for children, called "The Child's Cough Syrup" is now for sale only at Dement's drug store.

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At Mrs. Scott's, opposite Ross' opera house. Sewing for families by the day at their homes if desired.

If You Want Your Flue Cleaned.

Leave orders for T. Clifton at this office.

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Our chamber of commerce is composed of representative business men of Astoria. Few similar organizations in any city has a better practical record. The question that arises in all matters is what has a man done?—What has a society accomplished? We all judge by results. Among the many good things that our chamber of commerce aided in securing for Astoria, the mouth of the Columbia, the adjacent coast and the lower Columbia, may be mentioned the life station at Fort Canby, the similar service at Shoalwater bay, the light-house at Point Adams, the light-house at Tillamook rock, the new life station to be built at Fort Stevens, the lighting of the lower Columbia, the appropriation by congress for the board of visiting engineers, which resulted in the initiatory appropriation for the improvement of the mouth of the river, the increase of mail facilities, and twenty other improvements. Our chamber of commerce has no fund, no sources of income beyond dues and occasional assessments. Its members, one and all, give their money for the public interest. Whenever money has been needed it has been forthcoming, and to the credit of Astoria let it be said that there has never been the slightest difficulty in promptly securing enough to go on with the work in hand.

One reason for writing of the chamber of commerce is this: There is not any too much public spirit in Astoria; we, none of us, are at all too apt to injure our respective spines in aiding our neighbor to carry his burden, and a certain amount of coherence, of philanthropy, of zeal for the advancement of our common prosperity, is necessary in this community just as much as in any other. They find it so in San Francisco, Portland, Seattle, Tacoma and elsewhere, and anything that tends to help along a joining of interests, a combination of good intentions and excellent results, deserves to have the sphere of its usefulness recognized and increased. There is nothing so cheap in this world as a sinner—nor are there many things more worthless. Any one can find fault and criticize and pull down. It is always easy to tell just how things ought, or could, or would, or should, or might be, but it is quite a different thing to stand in and give things a shove along in the right direction. This shoving things along in the right direction is what the Astoria chamber of commerce has been doing for several years past. There has been no idle talk. There is no direction in which one looks but he will see how materially that body has helped our little city, and its members are to be commended for their public spirit, and congratulated on the success that has so uniformly crowned their honest and intelligent efforts.

Top o' the Heap.

A. B. Davidson, in describing the resources and capabilities of the Willamette valley, thus eulogizes: "Talk of Italy with its lofty snow peaks and genial clime. We can beat it. Talk of Persia's ambrosial retreats and Arabian steeds so fleet. We can beat them. Talk of scorching skies and tropical fruits. We don't want them. Our own temperate zone furnishes all we need for health and happiness. Talk of architecture; and our women are the prettiest pieces of sculpture in the world. In everything that is useful, practical and beautiful we can beat 'em all."

Some Chicago People Searched.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—The fear is widespread that there will be an outbreak on the day the seven condemned anarchists will ascend the gallows, and that the scenes which will follow will make the Haymarket massacre insignificant. The whole district near the jail has been depopulated owing to the fear that dynamite will be used on November 11th, the day of the execution. The most extensive preparations have already been made by the sheriff and chief of police to provide against any such calamity, but the apprehensions of the public are not allayed.

A Good Word for the Chinook.

Lord Roseberry endorses Volapuk, the newly invented universal language. The Hudson's Bay fur traders invented Chinook and taught it to all our northern Indians as a commercial language. We have compared it with Volapuk and like it better. It is more euphonious and can be made as copious.—S. F. Alta.

A Prophecy From the "Mercury."

The resignation of Gen. Anderson is the first of a series of sweeping reforms that will mark the election of Henry Villard to the Northern Pacific directory. Other heads will fall in the basket as matters progress.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used, instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well."

Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by W. E. Dement & Co.

Lost.

An unopened letter addressed to Chris. Meeder, Astoria, Or., between Arndt & Ferchen's machine shop, or Kinney's cannery and the postoffice. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at this office.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Maud Granger and a dramatic company will appear at Ross' opera house next Friday evening.

H. Wise has established a branch clothing establishment at Aberdeen, Chehalis county, W. T. It is in charge of Mr. Rappoport.

Rev. J. H. Wilbur, LL. D., the philanthropist, one of the pioneers of Methodism on this coast, and an ex-Indian agent at the Yakima agency, is critically ill, and is now considered past recovery. The recent death of his wife at Walla Walla has weighed heavily upon him.

C. F. Carter, W. C. Furer, H. D. Wetmore, Jno Ryan, Esmond I Bessinger, J. E. Newman, Jas Strang, N. Wolff, W. Seaborg, J. Lamont, D. E. Wilson, E. P. Drew, C. H. Callender, R. H. Espy, W. F. Bowerson, H. F. Logan are at the Occident.

J. Shanks, R. M. Brayne, Miss Brayne, F. McDonald, R. F. Castleman, T. B. Bidwell, C. Hawkins, J. Cross, C. Berner, H. Knoblock, A. Siphert, B. Hill, A. J. Shrum, G. Good, J. H. Miner, M. B. Augustine, Miss Bertha Graham, Miss Alma Graham, N. A. Clark, B. Knutler, Aug. Larsen, are at the Astor House.

A Smith, L. G. Reynolds, H. Ollenbert, M. J. Stowell, J. Monroe, W. H. Bright, G. W. Smith, J. Horning, S. B. Davis, C. Trainer, Mrs. T. Moore and daughter, O. G. Dorn, L. Schott, J. Woods, Mrs. Wilson and family, B. A. Seaborg, W. Seaborg, C. Ruffner, H. A. Rosenbaum, Miss M. McHogue, J. Shumway, J. P. Luttre, C. P. Turner, Emerson's Minstrels, are at the Parker House.

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, 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.

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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.

Extermination of the Sea Otter.

Sea otter is growing scarcer and scarcer. When the Russians arrived on the Aleutian islands they found the natives commonly wearing sea otter cloaks. Thousands of skins, even tens of thousands, were secured under the impulse of Russian competition, but the number rapidly fell off until a few hundreds were all the Russians could show. Only four or five hundred had been taken annually when the Russian government sold the territory. The final extermination of the animal seems certain.

Time was when good wages by such hunters as Sam Blodgett at Gray's harbor, could be made, but year by year the number of skins offered for sale grows less.

Is Consumption Incurable?

Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable Consumptive. Begun taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

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