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To-night.
 At Ross' opera house.
 "Ticket-of-Leave-Man."
 Reserved seats at the New York Novelty store.
 The Fiji, Oban Bay and Norma went to sea yesterday.

Sacred song service at the Methodist church to-morrow at 7 p. m.
 Note the display of fine leather goods in the window of the City Book store.

The sale of reserved seats for the Maud Granger performance begins at the New York Novelty store at ten this morning.

The recent repair of the telegraph line between here and Knappa appears to have been of some avail. So far the lines have worked well.

Mr. R. B. George invites all the singers, both old and young to be present at the M. E. church this evening at 8 o'clock, at which time a second convention will be organized.

Our Pacific county neighbors are going right ahead with their railroad proposition and have already secured pledges to the amount of \$8,375—considerably more than half of the required amount.

The ladies' fair at Liberty hall closed successfully last evening, and the ladies of the guild of Grace church desire to express their thanks for the liberal assistance and patronage of their friends during their fair.

The Edwin Thorne company gave an excellent rendition of the "Ticket-of-leave Man" at Ross' opera house last night, and by special request will repeat the performance this evening. Reserved seats at the New York Novelty store.

T. A. Holden of Gray's river has raised some fine potatoes on his place at Gray's river this season of large size and excellent quality. His potatoes are of new variety, comprising White, Elephant, Peerless and Bonum Magnum.

That terrible north coast is beginning the winter with a bad record. About sixty vessels have come to an end off Vancouver Island, where the British ship *Duchess of Argyle* now lies full of water. The *John A. Briggs* is also ashore.

According to the *Heppner Gazette* a strange phenomenon was witnessed there Saturday. Up in Sheepdap canyon the frost loosened up some choke-cherries, and they fell overboard and floated down Willow creek, past Heppner town. When they reached the stream's mouth they so plucked it that the water backed up and drowned several fish.

Two residents qualified this week for admission to the insane asylum: J. H. Mills, was on Thursday declared insane, his peculiar form of mental dementia being a desire to run the New York election. For this he was yesterday taken to Salem. Wm. Nyland was yesterday examined before a board of medical examiners, and being adjudged insane will be taken to Salem to-morrow.

In the police court yesterday a three-cornered row between Messrs. Savich, Davich and Bosovich on the 2nd inst. was straightened out. Davich and Bosovich were arrested charged with assaulting and battering Savich to such an extent that he had to jump overboard to save his life. Bosovich was discharged. Davich was fined \$50, and notice given that a writ of review would be called for. Chas. Johnson was fined \$5 for being drunk. One Deconret forfeited \$25 bail on complaint of having committed assault and battery on a gentleman bearing the ancient and honorable name of John Doe.

Complete County Returns.
 Returns from Fishhawk were received by special messenger last evening. The vote there stood, for prohibition, 7; against, 12; for salary amendment, 1; against, 17; for change of time of holding elections, 18; against, 1. The returns are now all in, though official returns have not been received by the county clerk from all the precincts and the official result has, therefore, not yet been declared. With the exception of the vote on the second and third amendments in John Day's precinct, THE ASTORIAN has full and correct returns from the entire county. Here they are: For prohibition, 488; against, 1,101; majority against, 613; for salary amendment, 354; against, 822; majority against, 468; for changing time of elections, 620; against, 433; majority for, 127.

Tea, Tea, Tea.
 Fine Oologs, Choice Gunpowder and Imperial, Fresh No. 1 English Breakfast, Common Fancy Garden, and Extra Choice Japan, Extra New Crop Young Hyson Teas, etc., etc. The finest of blends prepared at THOMPSON & ROSS.
 Ten cents for a cup of Fabre's nice coffee.

PARSONS, ENGEL, FISCHER, SPIES
 Four Hanged At Chicago Yesterday.
 R. E. Marple Hanged in Yamhill County.
 Special to THE ASTORIAN.
 CHICAGO, Nov. 11, noon.—Engel, Parsons, Spies and Fischer were hanged at 11:54 this morning. All four died of strangulation, none of the necks being dislocated. Their struggles were fearful to witness. All died bravely proclaiming themselves martyrs and glorying in their death for the cause of anarchy. Every precaution against an outbreak was taken by the authorities, but not the slightest disturbance was reported.

SPEECHES ON THE SCAFFOLD.
 CHICAGO, Nov. 11.—The jail was guarded all day by a large force of police with Winchester rifles. No one was allowed within a block of the jail without a pass. The four condemned men ate a hearty lunch and each drank a glass of brandy before ascending the scaffold. All spent the greater portion of the forenoon in writing private letters to relatives and friends. At one time all united in singing the "Marseillaise."
 Mrs. Parsons, being refused admittance to the jail, created a scene on the outside and was arrested and taken to the police station. The last words of the four dead anarchists were as follows:
 Spies said, "There will come a time when our silence will be more powerful than the voices they are strangling to death now."
 Engel said: "Hurrah for anarchy."
 Fischer said: "Hurrah for anarchy. This is the happiest moment of my life."
 Parsons said: "May I be allowed to speak? Will you let me speak, Sheriff Matson? Let the voice of the people be heard."

HANGING AT LAFAYETTE.
 LAFAYETTE, Nov. 11.—R. E. Marple was hanged at ten minutes to one o'clock. He made a speech on the scaffold protesting his innocence and claiming that his execution was murder. While Sheriff Harris was adjusting the noose Marple said, "Don't choke me; if you had an ax you would make a shorter job."
 In consequence the sheriff did not get the knot properly adjusted and Marple's neck was not broken by the fall and he choked to death. He persisted to the end that the murder was committed by Masons, and also scored his lawyer, H. Y. Thompson, whom he characterized as his worst enemy. At the end of fourteen minutes the heart ceased beating and at the end of eighteen minutes he was pronounced dead.

THE ALLEGED REASONS
 For The Abandonment of Fort Canby.
 During the recent effort on the part of Astoria, Portland, Oregon and Washington in general to stay the unjust abandonment of Fort Canby by the two companies of artillery stationed there, our congressional delegation made able and urgent appeal to the war department, giving cogent reasons against the policy of such abandonment.
 Senator J. N. Dolph, who was in Washington, made particular effort, and had the order not passed the approval of the acting secretary of war it is believed that Oregon's senior senator could have secured a revocation of the order.
 In answer to one of senator Dolph's personal efforts to at least know in what way this order was secured, he received the following:
 LETTER FROM GEN. DRUMM.
 WAR DEPARTMENT,
 ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
 WASHINGTON, Oct. 24, 1887.
 Hon. Joseph N. Dolph, U. S. Senator,
 Washington, D. C.
 Sir:—Referring to our interview this morning in regard to the abandonment of Fort Canby, at the mouth of the Columbia river, in Washington territory, I find, upon examination, that orders were issued by the Lieutenant General commanding the army, with the approval of the acting Secretary of war, on the 12th instant, directing that the post of Fort Canby be discontinued and the two batteries stationed at that point, be transferred to the Presidio of San Francisco. The reasons for this action appear to be these: When this post was established in 1854, the site upon which the works have since been partially erected, commanded the channel at the entrance to the Columbia river: since that time however, it has been discovered that the main ship channel, through which vessels passed in and out of the river, has, in consequence of the change of currents and shifting of the sand and silt of the river, moved quite four miles away from the nearest point of Cape Disappointment.

There are other reasons why the continuance of the garrison at this point is deemed impracticable: such as the expense of transportation to and from the point; that the prices of the supplies of fuel and forage at that post are among the highest in the department of the Columbia; the works themselves are incomplete, and the guns that have been mounted are practically worthless; could be of little avail in preventing the entrance of armed vessels to the river, and are even practically useless for the instruction of the troops.
 I am, sir, very respectfully,
 Your obedient servant,
 R. C. DRUMM,
 Adjutant General.

Wanted.
 A girl for general housework in a small family at Fort Stevens. Apply to P. G. Eastwick, Fort Stevens, or to J. N. Griffin, Astoria.

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

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.

THROUGH BY DAYLIGHT.
 An Improvement and Convenience that Astorians Will Surely Appreciate.
 How often it has been thought and said, while steaming up and down the Columbia, "Why wouldn't it be a good idea to have a boat run at night?" The idea is to be acted on.
 Mr. E. A. Noyes yesterday gave THE ASTORIAN the welcome news that superintendent Holcomb, of the O. R. & N. Co., had decided to run a night boat carrying mail and passengers between this city and Portland. The order has been given to Mr. Johnson, and as soon as the R. R. Thompson can be put in proper trim she will go on the route.
 The intention is to leave here at six o'clock in the evening, arrive in Portland about four or five A. M., and arrive here at six A. M.
 The convenience and improvement of this new arrangement will be seen at a glance. As it is now and has been, one goes on board the boat here at night, so as not to be left in the morning, and when he wakes he finds himself still at the dock. Then the boat starts and the greater part of the day is spent in a weary way; the next day he transacts his business, sleeps on board that night, or hurries down from the hotel, and the greater part of the third day is taken up by the homeward journey.

UNDER THE NEW WAY
 One can go on board, take a room, go to sleep comfortably, and wake—in Portland, all day can be devoted to business, on board the boat at 8 P. M., another easy night, sleeping as soundly as if at home, and on waking—the boat has arrived at Astoria, a clear saving of two days' time and lots of vexatious delay.
 And this is not the only convenience. Instead of waiting as now until four and five and six o'clock for mail, we can get it in the morning—that is if Uncle Sam will spend a few of the big silver dollars with which the U. S. treasury is bursting and provide

A THROUGH MAIL POUCH
 To Astoria. Supt. Holcomb says that if a through mail pouch is provided he will see that all the mail for Astoria goes right through on the evening of arrival.
 The importance of this will be seen when it is stated that to-morrow a change of time goes into effect on the N. P., O. R. & N. and O. S. L. lines so that the eastern train will get into Portland late in the afternoon, instead of a quarter past ten in the morning, as at present. Now this mail will get into Portland from the east eighteen hours earlier than it has. Even now it lies in Portland all night, but when it gets in from the east 18 hours sooner on the new schedule, and is put on board the Astoria boat and delivered here at 6 in the morning instead of 6 in the evening it will put Astoria

THIRY HOURS Nearer THE EAST.
 Time is money, and in this way the increased facilities furnished by Supt. Holcomb will be a saving of money and an appreciated convenience to every resident of Astoria.
 THE ASTORIAN is glad to see this idea put into practical shape, and that the O. R. & N. Co. has given recognition to the suggestion concerning the desirability of such a scheme.
 The present day service of the company's boats between Portland and this city will in no way be affected by the placing on the route of the R. R. Thompson to run by night. She will shortly go on, and should the experiment meet with the patronage and encouragement that is expected, a permanently established night travel and increased mail service between the two largest cities of the state will be the result.

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, had 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.

Real Estate Transfers.
 F. Mattson to F. Gustafson, S 1/2, NE 1/4, sec. 8, T. 7, N. R. 9 W., 50 acres; \$650.
 C. R. Thompson to Jno. P. Lundquist, lot 3, blk 34, McClure's Astoria; \$200.
 T. S. Frazer to E. A. and C. A. Coe, NW 1/4, sec. 28, T. 8, R. 8 W., 160 acres; \$600.
 A. Mitchell to W. Lint, 10 acres, sec. 17, T. 8, N. R. 7, W.; \$600.
 W. Thornton and wife to K. Ratter, lot 8, blk. 108, McClure's Astoria; \$40.
 C. W. Fulton and wife to H. F. Logan, lot 2, sec. 12, T. 5, N. R. 11 W., and SW 1/4, NW 1/4 and lots 1 and 2, sec. 7, and lot 1, sec. 18, T. 5, N. R. 10 W., 154 acres; \$300.

If You Want Your Flue Cleaned
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SKIN SCALP BLOOD
 Having been a sufferer for two years and a half from a disease caused by a bruise on the leg, and having been cured by the CUTICURA Remedies when all other methods and remedies I seem to try daily to recommend about. I visited Hot Springs to no avail, and tried several doctors without success, and at last our principal druggist, Mr. John P. Finlay, to whom I shall ever feel grateful, spoke to me about CUTICURA, and I consented to give them a trial with the result that I am perfectly cured. There is now no sore about me. I think I can show the largest surface where my suffering was, and I have taken in all the State. The CUTICURA Remedies are the best blood and skin cures manufactured. I refer to druggist John P. Finlay and Dr. J. C. Montgomery, both of this place, and to Dr. Smith, of Lake Lee, Miss.
 ALEXANDER BEACH, Greenville, Miss., Mr. Beach used the CUTICURA Remedies, at our request, with results as above stated.
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SAVED MY MOTHER'S LIFE.
 Ever since I can remember, my mother has suffered from milk leg. Nothing would do her any good. She had the best medical aid, but they did her no good. She suffered with her leg for thirty years and never knew a well day. She would have to sit up half the night, holding up her leg and moaning. She had no peace. She used all the best known remedies in the country without effect. I asked her to try CUTICURA Remedies. Got her a bottle of CUTICURA Resolvent, and she took it, and has taken in all about six or seven bottles. Now she is a well woman to-day. Her leg is entirely healed, and her health was never better. She can go out every day, something she has not done for thirty years. I cannot help stating to you about your wonderful CUTICURA Remedies. You have saved my mother's life. I have advertised your CUTICURA Remedies far and near.
 EDWARD L. EDER, 1565 Broadway, N. Y.

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Will Build Another Vessel.
 Capt. Grounds, of Astoria, is getting out on the place of E. M. Rice of Beaver valley, a hundred and fifty boat knees. Part of them will be used by the captain to build a new vessel to take the place of the *Queen of the Bay*, which was wrecked at the mouth of Nehalem last summer.—*Mist, 11.*

Hall of Clatsop Lodge No. 113, U. O. of H.
 ASTORIA, Nov. 10th, 1887.
 All members are requested to appear at their hall on Wednesday, November 16th, 1887, at 7:30 P. M. to transact business of importance.
 A. A. CLEVELAND,
 President.

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,
 RHEA.
 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,
 JEANIE WINSTON.
 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,
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