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They're well worth seeing. The cutter Corwin arrived in from Shoalwater bay yesterday.

The next term for the circuit court for this county begins on the 20th of

Lecture to-morrow evening at the Congregational church: "Grit, Grip and Grace."

The Select Knights, A. O. U. W. propose having a social party next Thursday evening, and the Knights of Lubor a masked ball next Friday

Weather reports from the state show some chilly weather all over. Snake river is full of running ice and a little shore ice is reported in the

corner Court and Olney streets, and a good many Astorians enjoyed the novel sport. Good ice is also reported at Ft. Stevens and Ilwaco. Mr. Henderson, the telegraph oper-

ator, says that such weather as this the line works better than any other time, the frost appearing to afford the wires perfect insulation. The year opens lively with petitions.

Every other man has a petition he wants signed. It is the easiest thing in this world (next to going into debt) to get a man to sign a petition. The cream of the Daily appears in

THE WEEKLY ASTORIAN, published this morning, in wrappers ready for mailing. Send a copy away and help boom the town ten cents worth.

Those at work at the Gas company's tank got the holder lifted up Eagle. yesterday to let some of the accumulated gas, etc., escape, to admit of repairers going in to see what to do

trips Saturday and Sunday to Clatsop, leaving at 9 a. M., and returning at 5 p. M. Apvone wishing the sunday at 5 p. M. Ap at 5 P. M. Anyone wishing a good day's skating on Clatsop can have it by going on the *Electric*.

routes and if there's any news going cordingly.

Of all earth's teeming millions there are few living who have seen the time before when it required three figures of the same kind to write the number of the year and few living now will ever see the time again. It will be that it wastes more water than the one hundred and eleven years before pipes carry, and if you get short of it occurs again.

On yesterday evening's boat arrived forty tons of iron for the Astoria street railway company. This is the first installment. The company proposes to begin at Johansen's when they get ready and when they council get matters decided, and they will then build westward.

There was a pleasing performance at Ross' opera house last evening, and one that was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience present. The company are good throughout and give an entertainment that is well worth the price of admission. They appear again in a change of programme this evening.

Gray's harbor is 3,000,000 feet per month, and the cauneries shipped 30,000 cases salmon the past year. It takes where I lived before coming here. I forty logging camps to supply the advise everyone to use it, as it is cerpresent demand for logs. Three large schooners have been built on the harbor, and a number of small steamers, and more will be built next season.

Such weather as this gives us a chance to sympathize with eastern folk. But we have by far the best of it, for presently will come from the warm breath of the Pacific and all out doors will soften and become genial, and all this chill and discomfort will have gone chill and discomfort will have gone and congressman Herman has noti-glimmering through the dreams of fied the engineer department, and has things that were.

Dr. Rob't Morris, the venerable poet laureate of Free Masonry, delivered a public lecture on the aims and merits of the order at the hall of Temple Lodge, No. 7, last evening The lecture was interesting and in-structive, was delivered in a most pleasing style and was enjoyed by the audience. There are few living men better exponents of the tenets of the Masonic fraternity than that venerable gentleman. He leaves this morning for Victoria, and will shortly return to his home in Kentucky.

Found.

A silk umbrella. Owner can have it by applying to M. Kronquist on the beach at the Astoria Iron Works.

Oysters In Every Style At the Central Restaurant, next to LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

Condensed Dispatches From Both Continents.

Paris, Jan. 6.—Henry Hertz, the amous pianist, is dead.

A GHASTLY AFFAIR. OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 5 .- Nathan B. ber, 1886, was hanged to-day. He refused to the last to see or talk with a minister. Just before his execution 15 cts 50 cts ten statement and read the same. At the conclusion of the address the cap and ropes were adjusted and at 12:16 the traps fell. When the body reached the end of the rope, it was seen that the noose had slipped and the un-fortunate man's head was nearly severed from his body.

VIEWS OF CHAIRMAN MILLS. Washington, Jan 6 .- Chairman Mills, of the ways and means com-mittee, says that he will call his com-mittee together without delay and proceed at once to the consideration and promulgation of a tariff reform bill having in view a reduction as well. He says: "The condition of the country and the treasury is a ques-tion of taxation and revenue. The president asks it; the secretary of the

treasury urges it and I shall do all I can to carry out their wishes." PROBABLY MURDERED.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The body of Archie McNiell who went to France to report the Smith-Kilrain prize fight, for the London Sportsman,

The body of the London Sportsman, Councilman Sherman declined. Councilman Sherman declined in the sherman and who had been missing since has been found on the beach at Bologue. There were distinct marks on Mc-Niell's throat showing that he had been strangled. He was known to have in his possession when last seen, ceived and filed. There was good skating yesterday, Bank of England notes and a watch, body was found.

GRAIN STATISTICS.

San Francisco, Jan. 6.—The annual statement of the San Francisco produce exchange shows that the number of barrels of flour remaining in the state, January 1, 1888, to be 60,000, as against 90,000, on January 1st, 1887. The number of centals of wheat on hand January 1, 1888, 9,700, 000, as against 7,800,000, on January 1, 1887. The number of centals of of barley, January, 1888, 4,600,000, as against 2,500,000, January 1, 1887.

IT PLEASES RUSSIA. Sr. Petersburg, Jan. 6 .- The Journal de St. Petersburg expresses high satisfaction at the distinction bestowed by emperor William on General Von Schweinitz, the German ambassador of Russia, in decorating him with the order of the Black

EXCHANGE OF COURTESIES. Berlin, Jan. 6.—The emperor gave audience yesterday to Prince William who afterwards paid a visit to the

A, O. U. W. Notice.

All members of Seaside Lodge No. For the last few days THE ASTORI-12, A. O. U. W., are hereby notified an's morning dispatches have been that there will be no meeting to-night telegraphed from San Francisco to on account of there being no light in Chicago; from there to Portland, and the hall. Installation of officers will down here. The W. U. T. Co. has the advantage of having a choice of Members will govern themselves ac-

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Yours respectfully, MOSES GRAY, Proprietor Grist Mill.

Information has reached Washington that the Coquille river has deflected its current at the month so as to change its channel from the government jetty and endanger shipping, urged the necessity for increased estimates for additional improvement General Duane at once communicated with the local engineers for a detailed

Two companies to pack Alaska salmon were incorporated in San Francisco last Thursday; the North-ern Packing company, to catch and pack salmon at Kenat, Cook's inlet, Alaska; capital stock, \$100,000, \$25,000 of which has been subscribed; and the Nushagok Canning company, to pack at Nushagok, Bristol bay, Alas-ka; capital stock, \$100,000.

In Kinney's Block: sign of the Big Boot. I have received another invoice from the east of the famous Seamless Cap Toe Gents Shoes. Also the renouned Waukenphasts, and a large lot of other Fine Shoes too numerous to mention, at \$2 and \$2.50 and upward.

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CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Councilman Fulton Resigns From the Second Ward.

The city council met in adjourned session last evening, Mayor Page in the chair; present Councilmen Carruthers, Welch, Cleveland, Sherman and Bergman. In attendance Auditor and Police Judge Jewett, Chief of Sutton, fatalist, who shot and killed Alexander Martin, a neighboring rancher, near Livermore, in Septement Clinton.

After some debate on the constitutionality of the measure, Councilman Sherman was elected president of the council, to act in the absence of the Councilman Sherman de-

president of the council. The report of Street Superintendent Clinton showing the number of tools and material received from the for-

Councilman Welch moved that the all of which was missing when the matter of electing a councilman to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Councilman Fulton in

> the matter should by right be re-ferred to the committee on health and police. Mayor Page suggested that that portion of his message referring to the pest house be referred to the committee on health and police with power to act. Councilman Cleveland made that as a motion. The motion prevailed.

Conneilman Welch spoke of a contract for boarding the city prisoners, city printing, etc., and thought the auditor and clerk ought to buy his stationery at wholesale.

Councilman Cleveland brought up

the suggestion that the matter of the emoluments and duties of the harbor master be referred to the committee on wharves and water frontage. A motion to that effect prevailed.

Councilman Welch moved that the

auditor and police judge advertise for bids for boarding the city prisoners and doing the city printing. It was also decided that bids for lighting the city streets for the ensuing your be sked for at the same tip

Councilman Carruthers asked how does the rent of the hook and ladder company be paid. Auditor Jewett said there was a monthly allowance of \$30. The mayor asked how was the money expended. It was stated that they paid \$15 a month rent, and the remainder went for incidentals.

Mayor Page and Councilman Carruthers thought it would be a good idea for Alert H. & L. No. One to move their headquarters to the present council chamber and occupy it, and have the future deliberations of the city council held in the court room of the police judge. A motion to appoint a special committe on that question prevailed. Councilmen Carruthers, Sherman and Cleveland were

appointed as such committee. The unfortunate condition of the roadway and Concomly street was introduced into the deliberations of '88. The mayor said that regarding Concomly street and its extension, the county court was shortly to take up the matter of a road to be dedicated by Col. Taylor at the western end, but that, if such were done, the city had no street to connect therewith. The mayor thought that a very important matter and one that demanded early and earnest atten-

The matter was, on motion, referred to the committee on streets and pub-

Councilman Welch moved that the street committee be instructed to take steps for the immediate removal of lumber piles, wood piles, etc., from the business streets of the city. The anditor read the ordinance applying to the matter. The council then had further conversation about Concomly street and the roadway, after which conneil adjourned.

A Fatal Accident.

The revenue cutter Corwin went to Shoalwater bay last Wednesday, and when well out, one of the quartermasters, a Norwegian, whose name could not be learned last evening, was heaving the lead. While doing so his belt, which appears to have been insecurely fastened, gave way and he fell into the sea. The vessel was at once stopped and backed and two boats immediately lowered, under Lieuts. Hamlet and Dunwoody. The men pulled with all possible expedition, but before the boats could reach the poor fellow he sank and was drowned. He was a sober and capable seaman and is deeply regretted by his

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session last evening, Mayor Page in the chair; present Councilmen Carruthers, Welch, Cleveland, Sherman and Bergman. In attendance Auditor and Police Judge Jewett, Chief of Police Barry and Street Superintendent Clinton.

The following claims were referred:

W. W. Belcher, 50 cents; Astoria Gaslight Co., \$10.85, \$126.45; Electric Light Co., \$168; R. L. Jeffrey, \$18; Griffin & Reed \$3; T. S. Jewett, \$4.67; John McCue, \$2.

It was resolved that the future meetings of the council would be at \$7.30 p. M., on the second and fourth Thesdays of each month.

The resignation of A. L. Fulton, as councilman from the second ward, was, on motion, accepted.

The matter of the tax roll was referred to the committee on ways and means to report at next meeting.

Chief of Police Barry, in a written communication respectfully called the attention of the city council to the city jail and asked that the needed repairs be made as soon as possible. Referred to committee on health and police with power to act.

After some debate on the constitutionality of the measure, Councilman fon, Paritus, Seal Head, Milk Crust. Dand.

Psoriasis, Ecrema, Tetter, Ringworm, Lichen, Praritus, Scall Head, Milk Crust, Dandruff, Barber's, Bakers', Grocers' and Washerwoman's Itch, and every species of Itching, Burning, Scaly, Pimply Humors of the Skin and Scalp and Blood, with Loss of Hair, are positively cured by Curicua, the great Skin Cure, and Curicuas Soap, an exquisite Skin Beautifier externally, and Curicura, Rissorvent, the new Blood Purifier internally, when physicians and all other remedies fail.

resignation of Councilman Fulton in the second ward be laid over till next regular meeting. The motion was seconded. Mayor Page thought that it was unnecessary. The council agreed with him.

Councilmen Welch moved that the pest house be placed in condition for any emergency, and that the street superintendent be notified to put the road to the pest house in repair. Councilman Bergman thought that it was unnecessary. Councilman Welch rose to a point of order. Mayor Page sustained the point, taken. Councilman Cleveland asked permission to offer a suggestion that the matter should by right be re-

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