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**Proposals for City Printing.**  
NOTICE is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Auditor and Police Judge until Monday, January 23d, 1888, for all City Printing.  
Bids must state the price per square for each insertion, and size of type proposed to be used.  
The Common Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
By order of the Common Council,  
Attest: T. S. JEWETT,  
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Astoria, Oregon, January 12th, 1888.

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**A Timber Land Steal.**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The *Herald* this morning prints a three-column letter from Eureka, California, in regard to a gigantic timber land steal. The correspondent states that a foreign syndicate is operating in the redwood district, of which Eureka is the center, and that it has already gobbled up 64,000 acres of the finest redwood forests in the world. The syndicate is composed largely of Scotch capitalists, and is known as the California Redwood Company, with chief office in San Francisco.  
The method pursued by the syndicate in securing land described as follows: A number of notorious land sharks were hired by the company and sent to Eureka, and they soon had plans perfected for the great fraud. The headquarters of the gang was in the back room of a gin shop of a local sport, whose establishment was the resort of the rough floating population. Three blocks away from the saloon was located the United States land office. The area of land sought by the conspirators was so vast that a small army of men was required to go through the forms of entering and proving, as required by the law of the United States in disposal of the public domain. It was necessary to obtain 100 persons who were willing to aid in the fraud, either knowingly or unconsciously through ignorance of the meaning of the statement each would be called on to make. The sum fixed by the Redwood company as the maximum price was \$50. For that paltry sum men were to be called on to go to the land office and make a statement that the land they entered under the beneficent laws of Uncle Sam was for their individual use and occupancy. As soon as the entry was made the men were escorted to the headquarters of the syndicate where the land was transferred.

**Kissing Robbed His Friend.**  
To-day E. A. Kissing was examined in the police court to-day on a charge of robbing Carl F. Brown early last Monday evening. According to Brown's statement, on Sunday night last the defendant introduced himself to the complainant, who, by the way, is a farmer in Clatsop county, in the Columbia saloon, on Jefferson street. He claimed to be without means, and Brown took him to a restaurant to get something to eat, subsequently taking him to the theater. They then proceeded to the steamer *Mountain Queen*, on which the farmer purposed going to Astoria the following morning. Instead of taking a berth Brown threw himself on a bale of hay near the boilers. Before he was yet asleep Kissing attempted to pick his pockets, which contained \$45 in money, a return ticket to Astoria, and some trifles; but Brown drove him off. Subsequently Kissing succeeded in his mean purpose. Officer Henline testified that when the defendant had been taken to the city prison and was being searched Brown's ticket and trinkets were found upon his person. Kissing made no defense, and Judge Dement bound him over to the grand jury in the sum of \$500.—*Portland Telegram*, 11.

**S. 1094.**  
The following bill, making an appropriation for the survey and improvement of Tillamook bay and bar, has been introduced in the senate by senator Mitchell:—Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled, that the sum of one hundred thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the survey and improvement of Tillamook bay and bar in the state of Oregon, as recommended by house joint resolution number seven of the house of representatives of the state of Oregon at its fourteenth biennial session.

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**Texas Going to Celebrate.**  
AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 11.—Preliminary preparations are in progress for a grand military and civic celebration in this city on the occasion of the dedication of the new state house now nearing completion. The military feature of the celebration will be under the auspices of regular army officers and will be interstate in character. May 14 to 19 inclusive is the time fixed for the encampment. Gov. Ross is sending out formal invitations to all governors in Mexico and the United States to attend the celebration as guests of the state of Texas. The state capital is second only to the national capital at Washington, and cost 3,000,000 acres of land, representing a money value of \$7,000,000. Effort will be made through the Texas congressional delegation to secure the attendance of president and Mrs. Cleveland, to meet president Diaz and his wife, and commemorate the occasion with a grand peace feast. Gen. Diaz has unofficially acquiesced in such programme.

Capt. Littlefield, superintendent of the government improvement on Coquille river, writes to Capt. W. Young, U. S. engineer at Portland, that the reported damage was very trivial, and that the channel is straight, and that two vessels crossing the bar have found at least ten feet of water. Captain Young has gone to the Coquille to investigate and report to the chief of engineers of Washington.

As Mrs. Sumpter, who lives on Soldier creek, Oregon, was busy about the house the other day she saw an antelope in an opening some distance away. She took down her husband's rifle, banged away, killed the antelope, and when Mr. Sumpter came home the game, skinned and dressed, awaited his inspection.

**OUR LITTLE WORRIES AND ILLS.**  
It is the little things of life, the worries of to-day and to-morrow, that make the crow's feet around our eyes. So the little pains of an hour or a minute break down the constitution. Look after the little ills, BRANNETH'S PILLS cure dyspepsia, or indigestion, headache, pain in the shoulders, coughs, lightness of the chest, nervousness, sour stomach, bad taste in the mouth, bilious attacks, palpitation of the heart, inflammation of the lungs. Pain in the region of the kidneys, and a hundred other painful symptoms are the offspring of dyspepsia. One or two Pills every night is sufficient.

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Proposals for Boarding City Prisoners.

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Auditor and Police Judge until January 18th, 1888, at 4 o'clock P. M., for the boarding of the City Prisoners. Each bid must be accompanied with a guarantee signed by two responsible taxpayers, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such bidder, that he will within forty-eight hours after receiving notice of such award, enter into contract therefor, with good and sufficient surety for the faithful performance of the contract.  
The Common Council hereby reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
Attest: T. S. JEWETT,  
Auditor and Police Judge.  
Astoria, Oregon, January 8th, 1888.

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