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Dry and dusty.
 Big summer travel—by Astoria.
 An Iowa man will start a bank in Tillamook next week.
 At 9:30 to-night will be the middle of the total eclipse of the moon.
 The Gen. Miles goes on a fishing excursion to Tillamook rock this morning.
 In the Portland divorce mill last Friday three matrimonial releases were granted.
 Five boats from Portland to this city yesterday and to-day including the ocean steamer.
 A good many immigrants are arriving here this summer, principally from Scandinavia and Finland.
 Reserved seats this morning at the New York Novelty Store for the McKee Rankin performances.
 At Iwaco: "What do you charge for carrying baggage?" "Nothing." "Well you can take the baggage, and we will walk."
 A drunken man tumbled off Willson & Fisher's dock yesterday afternoon and was saved by bystanders and the police.
 People with no time to visit Mt. Hood can have nearly as much fun climbing into the postoffice from the Benton street side.
 An invitation to the annual meeting of the Oregon State press association at Salem, on the 10th of next month, is acknowledged.
 The German evangelical reformed congregation will have divine service by Prof. R. Schiedt, from Lancaster, Pa., to-day, at 3 P. M., in the Baptist church.
 The Telephone was detained yesterday afternoon by a slight accident to her machinery, but got away at 8 P. M. and will be down on time this afternoon.
 The Arctic fishing company's schooner Orion arrived at San Francisco last Friday eighteen and one-half days from Kussleff river, Alaska, bringing 4,313 cases of salmon.
 "Redeemed" is the brief and scarlet inscription on the blue buzzards of the Salvation army, and not a wave of trouble rolls across their peaceful breasts—or words to that effect.
 A. P. Barbak, the celebrated reader and elocutionist, will give two readings in the Congregational church, to-morrow and Tuesday evening. He is well worth hearing by all.
 In the house of representatives last Friday the conference report on the river and harbor bill was presented as agreed upon in the conference, and adopted. The bill appropriates \$22,277,115.
 McKee Rankin, who appears at Ross opera house to-morrow night, is an author and actor of national reputation, and has received high praise from leading papers in all sections of the union.
 At one of the up country Sunday schools the superintendent asked the scholars to name some of the idols which people worship nowadays. One of the small boys answered, "Politics."
 The Tillamook Headlight announces that on "Monday, 9th inst., Chrs. Reizer, an old and respected citizen of the Miami country, disappeared as though the earth had opened and swallowed him."
 The salmon run fell off a little in the closing days of last week, the salmon that did come in being a little smaller and thinner, running about four to the case. "Tis thought the run will about close this week.
 F. C. Reed, president of the state fish commission and constable H. A. Smidt went on a cruise in the Occident last night to see if the close season was being observed on the river, returning at 3:15 this morning.
 Before Justice May yesterday afternoon, Geo. Thomas, charged with the larceny of a net, was held to await the action of the grand jury. The case of W. J. Hall, charged with trap fishing in close time on Sunday, was dismissed.
 Capt. Johnson of the schooner Oscar and Baltic, who has been catching halibut off Vancouver island, says that since coming from Gloucester a few weeks ago the vessel has cleared \$10,000. The crew works on shares.
 The statement is made that Mr. N. J. Levinson, long time city editor Oregonian, has resigned, and is to take a position as managing editor of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer next week. He has made an enviable record as an apt newspaper man and

is well equipped by ability and experience for his new position.
A W. T. editor wrote to a Dakota postmaster inquiring about a delinquent subscriber. The letter came back indorsed, "The man is dead." Some time afterward, in overhauling a list of delinquents, an inquiry was inadvertently sent to the same postmaster about the same man. The reply came back: "Still dead."

The crack base ball clubs of the country are doing some fine playing this season. At Detroit, last Friday, a game between the Chicagos and the Detroiters was won by the former—score—Chicagos, 2; Detroiters, 1. At Washington the same day, the Boston club were beaten by the Senators; Washington, 2; Boston, 1.
 The Yamhill Reporter man noticed on his way from Portland home the other day a hardy farmer's wife manipulating a scythe under the broiling sun, while in a corner of the fence her baby was taking it easy in a baby buggy. The lady would give the buggy a shake every once in a while, then resume her cutting. Peanuts against apples that that lady will never starve.

Sunday afternoon the Astoria mail carrier, while coming around the Bar View House point, allowed his horse to get into a deep hole and swim across the channel. Horace Scovell managed to grasp the mail sack before it got wet (himself going into the water up to his neck) while the horse swam across the channel with a strong ebb tide at the time, and he fetched up all right at the end of the south spit. This caused a delay to the mail until Monday.—Tillamook Headlight, 20.

PERSONAL MENTION.
 Dr. A. C. Kinney is in Seattle.
 N. W. Tallant has returned from Alaska.
 Harry Middlebrook and G. A. Charnock are residents of Vancouver, B. C.
 J. D. Coleman, who for the past two years has been clerk of department No. 1 of the state circuit court, has a position in L. W. Case's bank.

School Meeting.
 The school meeting in the school house in District No. One last evening was called to order by H. B. Parker, chairman of the board of school directors. The call for the meeting was read by J. G. Hustler, clerk of the board, who then read estimates for the ensuing year, showing that \$9,488.32 was required to run the school for the ensuing year. On motion of C. W. Fulton, a 7 mill tax was ordered levied on all the taxable property of the district, for school purposes for the ensuing year, including interest on bonds and a contemplated reduction of \$3,000 of the debt of the district. The tax is divided as follows: redemption of bonds, 2 mills; interest on bonds, 2 mills, school, 1 1/2 mills, incidentals, 1 mill.
 The question of sewerage was discussed without any definite conclusion being arrived at, and the meeting adjourned.
A Tillamook Kicker.
 (Tillamook Headlight.)
 The following was handed us by Rev. A. Nichols, who found it posted on his fence. He says he will make improvements around the parsonage if any one will furnish the lumber, and doesn't think he is much of a kicker either. The item is pretty good, and we hope some one will put it in their pipe and smoke it, while others can paste it in their hats so it won't get away. If there is anything we like it is a kicker—one of those old-fashioned kickers who can knock the rim off the moon and send the stars all to bed with the headache. Here is the item. Read it:
 "Every public improvement adds to the value of your property. Encourage every legitimate enterprise. If you will not work and push and pull yourself, at least shout hurrah and clap your hands to cheer those who do. Don't object and kick and grumble. Don't stand in the way of progress. Don't whine and cuss the country. Better leave it. No-body will object and many will bless you for it. The country is all right. The trouble is with you. Join the procession. Pull together. Encourage immigration, development and progress. Don't kick and squirm. Don't be a nuisance. Your own interests are involved in the matter. Put your dollars in county improvements and your shoulder to the wheel and an intelligent effort will achieve success. Don't forget it!"
 Jeff, the Boss Restaurant Man, has now got all his old crew back—cooks and waiters, including "Jack," his old steward.
 Chicken Dinner with Ice Cream and dessert, at Jeff and Jack's, to-day—only 25 cents.
 Ice Cream served free to-day with dinner at Jeff and Jack's.
Great Bankrupt Sale.
 For one week only, ending Saturday, July 23, Welch block, next door to Ford & Stokes' store, Water street. This stock comprises a choice collection of Smyrna, Turkish and Japanese Goat Rugs, Porties and Draperies, Lace, and Madras Curtains, Table Covers, Ties, Straw Mattings, etc., and will be sold at eastern prices to close stock, for one week only.
 Prof. A. L. Francis, the well known tuner and repairer of musical instruments will be in Astoria for about one week at Mrs. Holden's. All orders will receive prompt attention.
 Ludlow's Ladies' \$3.00 Fine Shoes; also Flexible Hand turned French Kids, at P. J. GODMAN'S.
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A STAGE ROBBERY.
 Revival of an Old Oilfield Excitement.
 (SPECIAL TO THE ASTORIAN.)
 SAN LUIS OBISPO, July 21.—Further details of the last night's stage robbery show it was a most daring one. The robber compelled all the passengers, six in number, and driver to alight. He then covered their heads with masks, stood them in a line and robbed all but one lady passenger, taking about five hundred dollars altogether. He then cut open Wells, Fargo's box and mail bags. The contents of the box, which were supposed to be about a thousand dollars, was taken and a number of letters opened and examined. The man then started up the mountain. The sheriff's posse are still in pursuit.

REDISCOVERIES.
 PITTSBURG, July 21.—There is great excitement in the oil regions over the revival of the Pit Hole oil field. The Pit Hole has for nearly a quarter of a century been considered a snuffed candle, and the oil right of 100,000 acres around the old town would not have brought \$100. Now the excitement is greater there than in any other field in the region, not excepting Bakerstown. Black Bros. have been pushing a drill around Pleasantville so successfully that they have been encouraged to test the old Pit Hole region, and the result is one of the most surprising things of the oil region. In this old and long since abandoned territory they now have seven wells that are good for 800 barrels a month.

A FATAL ACCIDENT.
 PORTLAND, July 21.—S. J. Wilson who is employed at the Union works of this city, was fatally injured today. Wilson was grinding at the lathe on an emery wheel, and the tool having accidentally caught between the rest and the wheel, the latter revolving with great velocity, burst and smashed a heavy cast iron shaver over it into many small fragments. One of the pieces of the wheel struck Wilson on the forehead and on the bridge of the nose. It struck in three places by fragments, namely: he had a wound over the right eye, cutting through to the brain. The emery struck him with such force that it carried that portion of the skull away. Another injury is back of the left eye extending to the bone, without penetrating it, however. The other injury, and the most fatal one, extended from the right eye across the nose, entering the left eye, penetrating the head to a depth of three inches. Wilson was never conscious after being struck. He leaves a wife and child. He lived only a short time.

Trouble in British Columbia.
 WINNIPEG, July 20.—The local volunteer military officers have received orders from general Middleton and Sir Adolph Caron, minister of militia, to hold themselves and their commands in readiness to proceed on short notice to British Columbia and thence to Skeena river to assist in quelling the Indian uprising there.
 Reports to the Hudson Bay company's governor here indicate rather a serious state of affairs and lead to the belief that several warlike tribes of Indians will join the insurrection. The troops at Victoria have been notified to be prepared to proceed at a moment's notice to the scene of the Indian uprising.
 The Hudson Bay company will place another steamer at the disposal of the government for the transportation of troops if required.
 The deputy adjutant general reports that the local force of British Columbia is in a deplorable condition, there being only 300 officers and men, poorly equipped. It is reported that the Metlakatla Indians, who moved from Canada to Alaska two years ago will join the hostiles.

Reducing the Surplus.
 The disposition of the Surplus in the U. S. Treasury engages the attention of our Statesmen, but a more vital question has our attention, and that is the reduction of the Surplus Consumptives. Since the discovery and introduction of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, there has been a marked decrease in the mortality from this dreaded disease, and it is possible to still further reduce the number of Consumptives. How? By keeping constantly at hand a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, and using according to directions, upon the appearance of the first symptoms, such as a Cough, a Cold, a Sore Throat, a Chest or Side Pain. Taken thus early a cure is guaranteed.
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THE MILLS BILL.
 Passed The House by a Majority of 13.
 (SPECIAL TO THE ASTORIAN.)
 WASHINGTON, July 21.—The Mills bill passed the house of representatives this afternoon, by a strict party vote of 162 to 149.

FOURTEEN MEN DROWNED.
 THREE RIVERS, Quebec, July 21.—Tidings have been received of the drowning of a party of fourteen lumbermen, on the Mattawan river, about fifty miles above Piles. The lumbermen were drunk, and in attempting to run the rapids their canoe was overturned and all hands perished.
NOBODY HURT.
 LAREDO, Texas, July 21.—Particulars of an accident to a construction train on the Mexican national road show that no one was hurt. The workmen all jumped before the collision occurred.

She Shield the Book.
 Ben Butler was retained as counsel for a Boston young man whose wife had sued him for divorce on the grounds of cruelty. The wronged wife's sister, a young girl of 20, was the principal witness for the prosecution, and general Butler succeeded in angering her by a sharp and irritating cross-examination. After many interruptions the witness said that the defendant had been seen to "shy a book at his wife's head." "Shy? Shy a book? What do you mean by that? Will you explain to the court what the word 'shy' means?" The young girl leaned over the railing and asked her counsel for a copy of "Cushing's Manual" which lay on the desk before him. She hurled the volume at general Butler's head with all the force she could command. It was a good shot, and had not Butler divined her purpose in time it would undoubtedly have hit the mark. "I think the court now understands the meaning of the word 'shy,'" said the judge, and the girl was allowed to finish her testimony without further interruption.

Joys of American Politics.
 "Mr. Milkspap," said the beautiful maiden as she gently moved the young man's arm from about her waist, "I have only known you for two or three weeks, you must remember, and I have heard papa say he has seen many a promising candidate ruin his chances by bringing too much pressure to bear early in the campaign."
A Warning.
 The modes of death's approach are various, and statistics show conclusively that more persons die from diseases of the Throat and Lungs than any other. It is probable that every one, without exception, receives vast numbers of Tubercle Germs into the system, and where these germs fall upon suitable soil they start into life and develop, at first slowly and is shown by a slight tickling sensation in the throat and if allowed to continue their ravages they extend to the lungs producing Consumption and to the head, causing Catarrh. Now all this is dangerous and if allowed to proceed will in time cause death. At the onset you must act with promptness; allowing a cold to go without your attention is dangerous and may lose you your life. As soon as you feel that something is wrong with your Throat, Lungs or Nostrils, obtain a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup. It will give you immediate relief.
Betting Coin on The Result.
 This noon Mr. Hyman, the rustling clothing man, of San Francisco, and D. B. Monteith of this city, bet the largest wager on the presidential election yet made in this part of Oregon. The amount was \$1,000 to \$900, Mr. Hyman putting up the former amount on Cleveland, and Mr. Monteith the latter amount on Harrison. The Linn Co. bank is the stakeholder.—Albany Democrat, 20.

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