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The Astorian guarantees to its advertisers the largest circulation of any newspaper published on the Columbia river.

The Michigan takes 8,700 sacks of wheat to San Francisco. Ludwig, the two-year-old son of H. Oliverson, of Young's river, died yesterday of bilious fever.

The Geo. W. Elder is to be withdrawn from the Alaska route and drawn to San Francisco for repairs. Less than two months to the election and still no letter of acceptance from either Harrison or Cleveland.

The members of the Y. W. C. T. U. are requested to meet at the Y. M. C. A. hall at four o'clock this afternoon. Jas. Keegan, one of the two men drowned at Portland last Wednesday, was foreman for Brown & McCabe, and was well known in this city.

The collier Jennie has been chartered by the Alaska Commercial company, and starts for Karluk this morning. Pilot Doig will take her out. The track on the Portland and Vancouver railroad is now completed nearly to the Columbia river, and it is expected the road will be in operation on Sept. 15th.

"Anything that Divine Providence permits to happen, a newspaper man should not be too proud to report." This is one of the reasons why a newspaper prints the news. The Tranchant is the name of a paper received, published at Townsend, Montana. The editor of the "Tranchant" evidently believes spelling to be a matter of private judgment.

"Grandfather's Clock" is the name of a new play which will be brought out the present season. It will only "go" as did the one which has been so much sung about, there's money in it. At last Wednesday's meeting of the Astoria Building and Loan association, the sum of \$9,000 was loaned, \$1,200 at 7 1/2 months, \$3,000 at 6 1/2 months, \$1,200 at 6 months and \$3,600 at 6 months.

Taking warning by two fires the town of Aberdeen, on Gray's harbor, has bought a hand engine and hose cart in Salem for \$425 and will organize a fire department to battle with the lurid leveler. In the police court yesterday Jos. Burns got off very light—15 days or \$30, judge Jewett, not desiring to bring little girls into court to give testimony, simply fined him on a convicted charge of drunkenness.

The clerk and recorder of the Supreme court at Salem is believed to be the best paid official in the state. Before the business so greatly increased the place was worth \$8,000 a year, and it is, doubtless, worth more now. Joggles was in for a minute yesterday and said he'd seen a man painting the gable end of a house three colors, and added that that was a gable of colors. Joggles seems to grow worse that way as he grows older.

That was a great game of baseball at New York last Monday, between the New Yorks and Philadelphia's. The game was called at the eleventh inning on account of darkness. The score then stood: New Yorks, 0; Philadelphia's, 0. Mr. Kindred yesterday filed a plat of new town he has laid out between the military reservation east of Fort Stevens and the site for the new fire saving station. Several lots are already purchased. He thinks he will call the new town Cornersville.

A \$250,000 fire burned the business center of Baker City last Wednesday morning. This, with McMinnville and The Dalles, makes three big fires in the state inside of a week. There is a warning in this to Astoria to exert the utmost vigilance, which is the price of safety. The Grisdale arrived in yesterday in ballast, to load wheat. The Vitalla is reported outside with pilot aboard. The Dovesby is now due. LATER—The Vitalla, barkentine LATER—The Vitalla, barkentine North Bend, and schooner J. G. North arrived in. The schooners Dore and Bendah sailed.

The I. R. & N. Co., owners of the Gen. Canby, have leased the upper or eastern end of Capt. Flavel's wharf and the erection of an office will begin there this morning. The Gen. Canby has been landing and arriving at Capt. Gray's wharf so long that it will seem sort of strange for a while to see her make headquarters elsewhere. The British government is about to erect a first-class lighthouse at or near Bonilla point, on the south end of Vancouver island, nearly opposite to Cape Flattery. In addition to the light, which will be a very powerful one, visible for a long distance at sea, it is the intention to erect a steam fog horn at that point so as to guide vessels in foggy weather.

The whole of the Pacific states and territories can, no doubt, produce six to seven million tons of sugar, enough to supply 50 per cent. more than the present consumption of all the civilized countries. That consumption, though, is increasing very rapidly, and it doubles in the United States in about twenty years. Thus in that time it would absorb all the possible production of the state. The value of 3,110,000 tons of sugar would, at five cents per pound, be close on three hundred and fifty million dollars per annum.

The State of California is due from San Francisco to-day with the following passengers: C. Baker and wife, J. C. Garrett, T. S. Garrett, Mrs. Lester, Lucy S. Merwin, Nellie Deen, J. A. Schuller and wife, Jas. Call and wife, J. W. Todd, F. Moore, W. Weir, J. G. McBride, C. P. Hughman, Miss B. Wagenblast, Mary Collinson, Mrs. Brastow and son, Laura Weinreb, A. L. Stone, F. Gumbiner, Miss M. F. Lawrence, H. Dorris, H. Y. Riss, Miss L. Saygea, F. F. Gallagher, Leo S. Rowe, John Bartman, J. Staliran and wife, Miss Bitley, Miss H. Bitley, J. Ellis, M. Campbell and wife, John Maney and wife, Robert Kepler, H. Curran and wife, J. Schreiber, F. M. Vais, O. P. Graham, Mrs. V. J. Phalon, G. Egan, J. A. Harvey, A. A. Andrews.

PERSONAL MENTION. Leo. Mansur goes to Gray's harbor on the Gen. Miles this morning. Messrs. A. Knapp and A. H. Stone of Knappa, were in the city yesterday. Miss M. F. Lawrence, principal of the Cedar street school, returns from California to-day.

Past Grand Master of California A. O. U. W., will pay Seaside lodge No. 12 a visit to-morrow night. Engineer Thielsen, in charge of the Astoria and South Coast railway company's line, is in the city and will shortly begin preliminary work on the proposed route.

Dr. A. C. Kinney and wife, of Astoria, came here last week, on a visit to his wife's brother, Dr. J. E. Payton. On receiving a dispatch that his sister was dangerously ill in San Francisco, Dr. Kinney left Thursday night, on the Southern Pacific train for that city.—Drain Echo.

SALMON ITEMS. A gentleman from Yaquina states that the fall run of salmon has commenced in earnest, and the canneries are in active operation. The salmon are large this year, many of them weighing as high as fifty pounds. The boats of Allen Parker's cannery brought in Sunday night about fifty fish. A large run is expected this week, and the catch of the season, it is thought, will be much larger than last year. The run has commenced about two weeks earlier than usual.—Albany Herald.

The Skeena river canneries are full. The fish are still running, but there are no time to pack them in. At the river's inlet, Shotbolt, Hart and Draney's canneries have secured 12,000 cases of fish and are still running, boats averaging 200 fish per day. The run is unusual, continuing later than any year since 1882. The fishermen at Tillamook bay have organized a union located at Lincoln, Tillamook county.—Vidette.

The salmon run so far this season has been very light, and none of the canneries are running more than half time. Many of the Indian fishermen have become disgusted at the scarcity of fish and have gone to the hop fields. Jack Simmons, who two years ago made \$500 in two weeks' fishing, left for the hop fields yesterday. He said he was willing to remain and fish, but he could not get a crew, as the Indians would not work unless he could promise them \$3 per day each, and he could not do that, so the way fish are running at present, and so he joined the hop brigade. Cannermen are not discouraged, for they know that if they do not run now, they will run later. In the meantime they are getting their traps and seines ready, to reap a big harvest when the fish do come.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer, 5.

Real Estate Transfers. Jas. Conner to Jno. Davis, E. 1/2 SW. 1/4, W. 1/2 SE 1/4, sec. 1, T. 8, N., R. 7 W.; \$350. Angus Sutherland to M. M. Dee, 120 acres, sec. 21, 22, 27, 28, T. 8, N., R. 10 W.; \$3,000.

Knapp to H. A. Smith, lot 2, blk. 163, McClure's Astoria; \$60. State to Andrew Lindle, 120 acres school land, sec. 36, T. 9 N., R. 7 W.; \$150. Angus Sutherland to D. K. Warren, 27 acres, sec. 21 and 22, T. 8, N., R. 10 W.; \$1,011.00.

Jas. Coffey and wife to C. A. Davis, L. H. Turner, G. H. Turner, lot 2, blk. 4, lot 2, blk. 13, McClure's Astoria; \$2,000. All the tin-born gamblers have been driven out of Astoria by the chief of police. They will flourish in Tacoma and give Sunday morning prize fights as a side show.—Tacoma Ledger, 5.

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"TIME, EIGHT SECONDS." Lively Hitch Up At No. 2's Engine House.

Who does not enjoy at the theater a well set scene? It is more than half the play to have harmonious surroundings on the stage, to have the scenic accessories fit the dialogue, and stage fittings in accordance with the play. Not even to a good actor is applause more heartily or spontaneously awarded than to finely arranged and artistic stage fittings. What the setting is to the gem, or the frame to the picture, or the handsome dress to the handsome woman, or the neat expression to the clever thought, is the stage to the actor.

There is a fine stage and a clever performance daily in this city. So good is the stage and so excellent the performance that a good many gather to see it. The only difference is that this is not in a play, it is a bit of real life, business, regular order. The time is close on to 6 P.M., the place is Rescoe No. 2's engine house. Everything is scrupulously neat and clean; the Silby in all the glory of gleaming nickel and polished brass is glistening in the light; "Nick" and "Charley," the two glossy grays, are clamping in their stalls; the two kangaroo hounds, "Rescuee" and "Mollie," are dozing lazily by the engine; Frank Stewart, the driver, and Jas. Hare, the engineer, are close by. Over the tongue of the engine, suspended by cords from the ceiling, hangs the swinging harness. Everything indicates order, but a casual passer by would presume that five minutes would be required to lead the horses out, hitch them up, gather up the lines, get on the seat, take off the brake, the engineer to get on, and should a fire break out, ten or fifteen minutes more to get steam up sufficient to pump.

SOME LIGHTNING CHANGES. The minute and hour hands on the clock dial are on a straight line, clang! goes the gong; the electric wires that radiate all over the stalls are doing their work; quick as thought can reach the stars the electric current unites the horses, the same impulse opens the circuit, closes all the points of contact; the whips at the rear of the stalls fall across the flanks of the grays, they are at the tongue, in place, almost as soon; "click" go the collars around their necks, two or three snaps of springs, Frank Stewart is in his seat, the lines in his hand, Jimmy Hare is up behind, flames shoot from the smoke stack, the horses are clamping their bits and tremulous with excitement, "all ready." Time—eight seconds.

Pretty work, and cleverly done. Like a flash of lightning the whole thing is over before one has time to mentally photograph it; there is no lost time, no false motion, every movement, and if there is a fire, away they go tearing down the street, the horses on the gallop, great spurts of red flame shooting up in the air, a coil of smoke above, a trail of sparks from the fire box below, and by the time the engine is located, there is 25 pounds of steam and the suction being placed all is ready to throw water. It is a triumph of ingenuity; a marvel of swiftness and skill. All that money can buy or science can devise, is there.

This is not an isolated case; the thing is daily done in every city in the country, perhaps just as good, certainly no better. This has its useful aspect, as well as its spectacular effect. One may say "What's the good? What difference does a few seconds make?" Let a fire break out, and time is worth \$1,000 a second; when the flames are crawling and properties and values are being licked up by the red destroyer, no angel of the Lord was ever more welcome than the engines and the saving streams of water.

That which we have faintly depicted above is a vigorous phase of man's duty, and is deserving of newspaper notice and popular applause. 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 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. Trial bottles free at Jno. C. Dement's Drug Store.

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A Terrible State of Affairs in Florida. Special to THE ASTORIAN. CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 6.—The Democratic state convention to-day nominated Chas. Amsden for governor. HOW IS THIS? WATERLOO, Iowa, Sept. 6.—Judge Ney, under the Iowa prohibitory law, has decided that a man cannot lawfully manufacture cider for use in his own family.

ALL OUR NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—Mayor Hewitt presented an appeal to the public to-day for aid for the yellow fever sufferers of Jacksonville, Florida. A FATAL EXPLOSION. SEYMOUR Ind., Sept. 6.—By the explosion of a steam thrasher to-day, W. A. Bennett was instantly killed and two other men terribly crushed and scalded and will die. Five other employes were bruised and scalded, but none seriously.

A CRAZY MAN'S DEED. COLUMBUS, Ind., Sept. 6.—Last night Jas. Ford, a farmer, while crazy, sprang from his bed and made an attack upon his wife and two children. He seized a chair and knocked down the baby, killing it, and fatally injured his wife and 10-year-old son. It required eight men to manage the delirious man.

A HARD CONDITION. NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—A refugee from Gainesville, Florida, makes the following statement: While Jacksonville alone of the hundred Florida towns is battling with the epidemic of yellow fever, the whole state is suffering almost as badly from isolation of quarantine, and the cost to her citizens will reach into the millions.

The first few days presented sights that made the bravest despondent. The first panic lasted about a week and carried off fully thirty thousand people flying without means, and scarcely a change of clothing, from the seat of the epidemic. Every county has its own board of health and quarantine officers are stationed at every point where any kind of a road enters the county lines. No person can pass without a satisfactory bill of health. Some towns have as many as seven quarantine stations on the same line of road within one county's limit.

Florida is a charming resort in the winter, but life among her fragrant groves is not as delectable now as then. 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 itching 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 Nerves, obtain a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup. It will give you immediate relief.

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