

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1888.

ALL Europe is preparing for a war. So is this country. But ours will only last one day, it will be with ballots and not with bullets, and the government will go right on. In Europe it will be horrible carnage, suffering and endless expense, and destruction to some form of government. That is the difference between the American idea and the European idea.

WITHIN forty miles of Rochester, N. Y., there are more than 1,500 fruit evaporators, from the small farm house drier, of a capacity of twenty-five bushels a day, to the large steam evaporators, drying 800 to 1,000 bushels of apples each twenty-four hours. These evaporators give employment during the autumn and early winter months to at least 30,000 hands, who average from \$5 to \$12 a week, according to experience and usefulness.

AMERICAN evaporated apples are sold largely in Germany. Attempts made to establish the fruit evaporating business in that country have failed. An adequate supply of fruit could not be had to keep the evaporators running, and what was furnished was of poor quality. In none of the northern countries of Europe are apples so plentiful as they always have been in this country. Land in England is too dear to grow apples in competition with the United States.

THERE are special reasons why Americans take a deep interest in the perils and hopes of the French republic. One is the historical reason, that the struggle of the two countries for political liberty took place at nearly the same time, and were in a certain degree, connected and interwoven with each other. The other reason exists in the fact that France is the only European nation of the first rank which has adopted, and is trying to maintain, a foreign government in the main similar to our own.

CAPTAIN WIGGINS has rendered a brilliant service to commerce. Ere long we shall no doubt hear that the commercial world is prepared to do him honor. He has surmounted barriers which have hitherto been regarded as insurmountable, and proved that there is a waterway right into the heart of Siberia. His efforts to this end, in the face of such formidable obstacles, read like a page from romance. When he conceived the idea that it was possible to find a way into the Kara sea and to sail thence by one or other of the great rivers, the Obi and the Yenisei, he was mate of an English brig in the Archangel trade. The Kara had always been regarded as icebound, but he learnt that the word meant "black," and by some process of reasoning concluded that it implied "open water." He determined that if he could find the opportunity he would solve the problem. With his own money he fitted out a small Arctic-built steam yacht in 1874, and succeeded in sailing through the Kara straits (or Iron Gates), then to the mouth of the Obi, and afterwards to the estuary of the Yenisei. In his next expedition he managed to ascend the Yenisei for nearly a thousand miles. Afterwards he met with many disappointments; but at last he has safely navigated an iron steamer of 400 tons, carrying a general cargo, and drawing 11 feet, from the Tyne to Yeniseisk, the first large town on the Yenisei, some two thousand miles from the mouth of the river, and within measurable distance from the Chinese frontier. For a considerable distance up the river the vessel was piloted by a native blind chief, who only required to be told the landmarks in order to act as a safe guide. This discovery of Capt. Wiggins's will no doubt speedily be turned to practical account, for it has given the world a new and valuable market.

Keep On Praying, Old Man. "Thank God," we said to-day in our mind, as we heard a rumbling noise, which sounded like a rolling thunder, and made us hope for a shower, which we need so much, but in another second, lo, a man passed our office with an old wheelbarrow. The thunder died away as he went along and all our hopes were blasted. Still, it may rain yet, ere we liep our evening prayer.—Walla Walla Journal.

Meals Cooked to Order. Private rooms for ladies and families: at Central Restaurant, next to Ford & Stokes.

Sunny Rooms. With or without board at the Holden House. Rooms from \$6 a month upward. Library, etc.

The latest style of Gents' Boots and Shoes at P. J. GOODMAN'S. A fine cup of coffee, at the Telephone Restaurant.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

LARRY JEROME.

His Relations With A Professional.

A Chicago man tells a good story of the late Larry Jerome. Without being a fighter himself, Larry was a great admirer of the manly art, and patronized so many pugilists that he well knew and could cleverly counterfeited their ways and manners. That he loved a practical joke goes without saying. One day Jerome stood with a party of friends upon the rear platform of the rear car of a New York Central passenger train that was pulling out of the station at Rochester. Standing by watching the outgoing train was a big burly fellow with the jaw of a bulldog and the biceps of a prize bull. He looked every inch the fighter.

"Do you see that big slugger?" exclaimed Jerome to his friends; "he is the boss pugilist of Rochester, and I am going to have some fun with him." And immediately Larry hailed the big man and began abusing him. He shook his fist at the astonished stranger, called him a liar, and a thief, a coward, a sneak, and dared and double dared him to come on and show what he was made of. As soon as he had recovered from his amazement, the ugly-looking fellow did indeed make a few steps toward his enemy, but the train was going so fast that even had he been a sprinter, as well as a pugilist, he could not have overtaken it.

Larry and his friends enjoyed the joke hugely, as long as they could see the discomfited pugilist standing watching the train, with his fists doubled up and lip quivering with anger. Entering the car, the party proceeded to make merry over another bottle. But suddenly consternation seized them. The discovery was made that the train had stopped, switched over to another track, and was now backing into the station. They rushed to the platform again, and beheld the boss pugilist of Rochester standing in eager expectancy. A smile played on his lips, and his right arm was seen to be in gentle motion, as if it were being limbered up.

"Great heavens!" exclaimed Jerome, with blanched face. "That man will eat me up. What shall I do?" And as the Rochester slugger sprang for the now slowly moving train Larry fled from coach to coach till he found a brakeman who agreed to hide him in some safe place till all danger had passed. The pugilist now became a passenger and rode some seventy miles hunting the train from one end to the other for his victim. He found him not, and threatened to wreak his vengeance upon Jerome's companions, who remained meek and lowly, though snickering when they dared, at their friend's predicament. Buffalo was well nigh reached before Larry ventured to emerge from his hiding place, and he did not then come forth till he had been assured over and over again that the man he had been having fun with had left the train.

Not to be Outwitted. One day as a little urchin was running along the road he saw a quarter lying on the footpath, which he had no sooner picked up than it was claimed by a tramp, who thought to frighten the boy out of his prize. The latter, assuming a ferocious air, blabbered out: "Your quarter hadn't got a hole in it?" "Oh, yes, it had," shouted the eager rogue. "Then this un' arn't he?" coolly replied the urchin, and off he walked in triumph.

Would be Small Lumber on the Columbia. The great timber raft which was successfully towed from Nova Scotia to New York was composed of 22,000 sticks. The average length of the piles was forty feet, and from fourteen to sixteen inches thick at the batts. In other words there was about as much timber in the whole concern as is contained in two good sized redwood trees. They make a great fuss over small matters back east.—S. F. Daily Commercial News.

Fine Parlor Organ. For sale at a bargain: cash, or on the installment plan, at the New York Novelty Store.

The best Oysters in any style, at the Telephone Restaurant.

ADVISED TO MOTHERS. MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Private Rooms. At the Telephone Restaurant for suppers, parties, etc. The best cooked to order.

Gambrian Beer. And Free Lunch at the Telephone Saloon, 5 cents.

New Coal Mines.

The O. R. & N. company has purchased a large tract of coal lands near Cle-elum, and has been conducting some interesting tests.

The coal vein in that section dips to the south at an angle of fifteen degrees, or nearly so. It is the same as now operated by the Northern Pacific Coal company at Roslyn, and the new mine recently opened and now operated by negroes. The O. R. & N. company has drilled a test hole 285 feet deep in order to determine the dip of the coal vein and the general character of the strata through which a shaft would be sunk. It is generally believed that the O. R. & N. company proposes constructing a railroad to these mines from the Columbia river, probably at the Cascades or at The Dalles, where the river could be bridged with comparative ease.

Logging in Snohomish County. There are in this county forty-six camps of loggers, employing 670 men, and the output of logs was 108,250,000 feet. In addition to this there were seven camps in King county, on the Snoqualmie fork of the Snohomish river, which floated past Snohomish City 14,000,000 feet of logs. Loggers' wages have always been \$40 to \$60 per month and board. As logging is the principal industry, the door sills and doors of the hotels and saloons to which the men resort with their spiked boots and shoes are worn out in a year. The floors of some of the saloons are perforated until the boards look almost like cork.

Don't Experiment. You cannot afford to waste time in experimenting when your lungs are in danger. Consumption always seems, at first, only a cold. Do not permit any dealer to impose upon you with some cheap imitation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, but be sure you get the genuine. Because he can make more profit he may tell you he has something just as good, or just the same. Don't be deceived, but insist upon getting Dr. King's New Discovery, which is guaranteed to give relief in all Throat, Lung and Chest affections. Trial bottles free at Jno. C. Dement's Drug Store. Large bottles \$1.

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Oregon State Fair!

Annual State Fair will be held on the Fair grounds near Salem, commencing on the 17TH OF SEPTEMBER, and continuing one week. Cash Premiums to the amount of \$15,000.

Will be awarded for— Agricultural, mechanical and stock exhibits, works of art and fancy work and for trials of speed. The premiums offered have been increased in many cases, and new classes have been added. No entry fee charged in divisions J, K, L, and Q. A magnificent field of horses entered, and there will be splendid contests of running and trotting each day. The different transportation companies will make liberal reductions in fares and freights. Special attention is called to the premiums offered for county exhibits of grains, grasses and fruits. Entries will be received in the secretary's office in Salem, beginning six days before the fair, and on the fair grounds from Friday before the fair. Persons desiring to exhibit in divisions J, K, L, P, and Q are requested to make their entries on Friday and Saturday before the fair if possible. All entries close on Monday, September 17th, at 7:30 P. M.

PRICES OF ADMISSION.— Coupon ticket for men (six days).....\$2.50 Coupon ticket for women (six days).....\$1.00 Day ticket for men.....50c Day ticket for women.....25c Tickets to grand stand at race track for males over 12 years.....25c Ladies to the grand stand free. Those desiring to purchase booths will apply to the secretary. Send to the secretary at Salem for a premium list. J. T. GREGG, Secretary.

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Rare Chance.

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As we are going to close up business in Astoria, now is the time for you to buy goods cheap, especially Groceries and Glass Ware, which we are selling less than you will ever be able to get them again. Call Early and Secure Your Pick of the Bargains. D. L. BECK & SONS.

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