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A barber makes 673 motions with his hand when he shaves a man.

The British bark *City of Carlisle*, 823 tons, 151 days from Liverpool, arrived in yesterday.

The legislature adjourned last night—and the whole state takes a long breath of relief.

Salem is raising $20,000 for a subsidy for a woolen mill. So far $15,000 has been subscribed.

Lawrence Foard bought the bark *Sea Waif* at auction in San Francisco last Tuesday for $3,100.

There were 192 new boxes placed in the post office yesterday, and the general delivery window was removed to the S. W. ¼ of the N. E. ¼ of the building.

Dr. Estes will discharge his patients from the pest house next Thursday. There now exists not the slightest possibility of danger of the spread of the disease.

If the man (we forget who he is) will bring back that book he borrowed that has the list of federal offices and the salaries, we will be able to answer several questions.

Yesterday was a sort of holiday: flags fluttered: stores closed: banks did no business: court was not in session, and some kinds of business were suspended.

There will be a sale of stock at Mrs Margaret Miller's place on Young's river this Saturday morning. The steamer *Occident* will leave Flavel's wharf at nine o'clock.

Senate bill No. 194 passed the house yesterday, and is a law. It was published in full in Thursday's ASTORIAN It provides, in brief, that the county shall pay for the rent of Co. "H's" armory.

That was a big audience that attended the opera house at the Lydia Thompson performance last Thursday night. The troupe will probably appear here again, in "Columbus," some time next month.

The San Francisco *Bulletin* says that twenty-two salmon packing companies, to pack in Alaska, have been formed, and that all the new companies are preserving the closest secresy regarding the particular spot in Alaska where they propose to locate.

The most prominent pleasure party on Third street at three o'clock yesterday afternoon was officer McCarty, carrying an entire opium lay out and escorting to the hotel de Barry two Chinamen caught in the act of smoking opium against the peace and dignity of the webfoot commonwealth.

Well, Astoria got two members of the pilot commission after all—Messrs. Wilson and Montgomery, Capt. J. A. Brown makes the third; each gets $200 a year. The clerk to be elected by the three commissioners gets $600—as much as the entire commission.

"Are you a native born citizen?" asked county clerk Trenchard the other day, of a man whom he had in the sweat-box, proving up on his claim. "No," said he, "I was born in Texas," and then Tom Boelling went back into Harry Smith's office and smiled out loud.

Every community in the country, even the most isolated and unpromising, reports progress and substantial growth. Nothing but bickering and lack of harmony prevents Astoria from leading the procession. Co-operation, unity, public spirit are necessary if we want to go ahead.

THE ASTORIAN is glad to publish communications on matters of public interest, but it must, as in the past, decline taking part in private quarrels. We have too much wrangling and jawing here now, and this paper will not encourage disputants by publicity. But any matter of public concern will always be given full hearing.

It is charged in a San Francisco paper that passengers on the O. & C. lines between San Francisco and Portland are overcharged in the Pullman buffet cars. It seems impossible to overcharge any one on these cars, as everybody pays only for what he gets, and marks on a card what he wants and knows, if he can read, what he is going to pay before he gets it.

The complimentary concert and ball given by the Astoria Sangerbund at Liberty hall last evening was in every respect a very pleasant affair. The arrangement of the programme was excellent, songs and music alternating the dances. The rooms were full without being crowded, the music was all that could be desired, and a fine supper was served. This is the first of the Sangerbund's entertainments, and the members deserve credit for its success.

The steamer *Cosmopolis*, fitted out by Wetherbee Bros., sailed yesterday says the *S. F. Call*, of the 19th, for Alaska, in command of Captain S. B. Shaw. She has on board all the necessary lumber for a cannery and a large number of Chinamen to work it. She also carries a number of lighters and dories. The bark *Coryphene*, which is being fitted out at Union street wharf, will sail for Alaska in a few days, and will be followed by the *Cassie Hayward*.

Great excitement prevails at Pocatello, Idaho, on account of the closing of all places of business on the reservation, by order of the Indian agent, acting under instructions from Washington, D. C. Special notices are being posted on all business houses declaring them closed, and the buildings erected since September 1st, 1888, subject to confiscation, thereby rendering 2,000 people homeless.

What is known as the "sailor boarding house bill" passed the state senate Thursday, and is a law. The bill was published in full in THE ASTORIAN of the 15th inst. The bill makes it the duty of the Astoria city council to appoint some one to see that the provisions of the law are enforced and says that the city council shall fix his salary, by ordinance. They can appoint Jack Grant, and pay him $1 a year.

An attempt was made to burn J. P. Austin's store, at the Seaside, last Thursday. A hole was bored in the side of the building, coal oil poured in, and the premises set on fire, but, fortunately, some of the neighbors discovered the flames, and extinguished them before much damage was done. It is supposed that some well known, worthless characters, who have been hanging around there lately, and to whom Austin refused whisky, are the perpetrators of the dastardly deed.

Senate bill No. 126 authorizes secretary of state McBride to procure at the expense of the state plain white paper to be used as ballot paper at each general, special or municipal election hereafter held in this state in pursuance of law. He shall deposit a sufficient quantity of such paper with the county clerk of each county, and they shall keep on hand at all times enough to supply the voters with paper to be used as ballot paper at each lawful election to be hereafter held.

At a meeting of the W. C. T. U. on Thursday the superintendent of literature, Mrs. M. A. Brown, reported having distributed about 900 pages of temperance literature, supplying the W. C. T. U. boxes in the C. R. F. P. U.'s reading room, the O. R. & N. Co.'s offices, the *Electric* and *Canby*, and the Y. M. C. A. rooms last month. Mrs. McCormac, superintendent of sailors' and soldiers' work, reported visiting one ship during the month and distributing literature. Mrs. M. A. Brown was elected vice president from the Congregational church, to fill the vacancy made by Mrs. Dr. Owens-Adair's resignation.

The Nanaimo *Free Press* reports that on Friday afternoon the blowing up of Nicol Rock in Nanaimo harbor was attended with a most extraordinary sight. It seems that the moment the explosion took place an immense shoal of herring was passing over the place, and thousands of them were thrown high in the air by the force of the explosion. For several minutes afterward the water was of a silver color from the immense number of fish which floated on the water to the depth of a foot or more, stunned or killed by the shock. The water was lashed to a foam by their constant jumping from the water, and as they fell back they made a noise resembling a hail storm. The dredger which was about 200 feet from the explosion was literally covered with scales blown from the fish. Those who witnessed the sight say the like was never seen before.

On the *City of Carlisle*, arrived from Liverpool yesterday is a remarkable instance of recovery under most adverse circumstances. When out about two months, a block fell from aloft one day, striking an apprentice boy aged about fifteen, on the head, fracturing in his skull, and caving it in for a distance of four inches, portions of the brain running out: the boy got such rude assistance as the ship afforded, the first mate stitched the edges of the scalp together over the wound, and the boy lay in his bunk during a spell of bad weather almost forgotten. On shore, with the best of care under the circumstances, he would be considered to have a poor show for his life, but in his dim and dirty bunk in the forecastle, for four days smelling so badly that no one approached him, he pulled through somehow, and yesterday afternoon was capering about the deck as lively as any of 'em.

There was a circus in the legislature last Thursday. In a Republican caucus three members of the railway commission had been selected, two Republicans and one Democrat. When it came to a vote the Democratic members objected to the Democrat that the Republican caucus had selected. In the meantime Gov. Pennoyer had appointed two others to serve for the ensuing ninety days. His excellency holds that, in the new law, there is a clause which reads "this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor," and since he did not approve the bill, the law will not go into effect for ninety days, and the legislature had no right to elect commissioners, and until this law goes into effect, the old law is in force. He says that at the end of ninety days he will appoint two Democrats and one prohibitionist, and that the Republicans will be in the soup so far as the railroad commissioners are concerned. As a matter of fact the state derives no more benefit from the costly commission than a horse would from a big bass drum.

A Spaniard who knew nothing of the English language, went to the government building in New York, on the 5th, to get a registered letter from the postoffice. Several hundred applicants for positions in the postal service were crowding into the room where the medical examinations of the civilservice commission were being conducted, and the Spaniard somehow fell into line. When his turn came he was ushered into the examining room. The doctor was in a hurry and did not question him. He was put on a scale and his weight taken, placed under an upright and his height recorded; his outer clothing was removed and his body subjected to a severe thumping. He was made to draw long breaths and given further exercise before the examination was finished. "What's your name?" asked the doctor. The Spaniard presented the notification card sent him by the registry department. An interpreter was summoned. A few minutes conversation revealed to the Spaniard the fact that a mistake had been made. He thought the postoffice authorities very strict and supposed the medical examination was the custom of the country. He was conducted to the proper division and got his registered letter.

About the Same as a Joint Lease.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—The Northern Pacific board of directors, at their regular meeting to-day, approved what is called the "arbitration contract," which is the agreement between the Union Pacific and the Northern Pacific companies to place the control of all the competitive lines in eastern Washington territory and Oregon in the hands of five managers, to be appointed by the parties to the agreement.

This will secure the advantages to both companies that would have resulted from a joint lease of the O. R. & N. Co.'s lines, and, at the same time, avoids the responsibility of guaranteeing dividends on that stock. The only condition connected with the contract is the control of the O. R. & N. Co.'s lines, and this will probably be obtained through the sale of the O. R. & N. stock, now held by the Oregon & Transcontinental company, to the syndicate.

As the Oregon and Transcontinental owns the majority of the O. R. & N. stock and as from out of the six members of the O. R. & N. executive committee four represent the Oregon Pacific and the other two the Union Pacific, and as they are all in favor of this contract no difficulty is expected.

A meeting of the Oregon & Transcontinental committee will be held next week to consider the means to carry out the plan.

How Men Die.

If we know all the methods of approach adopted by an enemy we are the better enabled to ward off the danger and pospone the moment when surrender becomes inevitable. In many instances the inherent strength of the body suffices to enable it to oppose the tendency toward death. Many however have lost these forces to such an extent that there is little or no help. In other cases a little aid to the weakened Lungs will make all the difference between sudden death and many years of useful life. Upon the first symptoms of a Cough, Cold or any trouble of the Throat or Lungs, give that old and wellknown remedy—Boschee's German Syrup, a carful trial. It will prove what thousands say of it to be, the "benefactor of any home."

A Cardinal's Consolation for Prisoners.

Cardinal Gibbons preached to the 628 convicts in the Baltimore penitentiary Sunday afternoon, two weeks ago, exhorting them not to fret and to make the best possible use of their time, "I was in a prison six years myself," he told them. "They called it a college, it is true, but it was not much different from a prison. The discipline was as rigid, if not more so. We had to go whether we liked it or not, at the sound of a bell to our meals, to bed, everywhere. We had the same round of lessons, marching in procession and services, day in and day out, all the six years. We wore a black uniform, and had to obey a strict discipline. And yet, whatever I have learned of theology, history and other matters I attribute to the work of those six years."

"Miss Brown would be a charming girl." I heard a young man say, "If she had a good complexion, and those spots would go away; But they spoil her looks completely." If Miss Brown would only take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, what a happy change 'twould make. It would drive out all the humors from her blood and make it pure. And the blemishes complained of disappear, be very sure. This medicine is the great purifier of the blood, and dispelling eruptions and blotches will soon vanish when it is used

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You will meet at Pythian Castle hall on Sunday, Feb. 24th, 1889, at 2 o'clock P. M., sharp. Business of importance. By order of

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The Walled City and Its Inhabitants.

This is the title of an illustrated Lecture to be given by Rev. A. LeRoy, at Rescue hall, next Tuesday evening, for the benefit of the Baptist church. The lecture will be interspersed with musical selections, and will be interesting and attractive. Tickets, twenty-five cents, to be had at Griffin & Reed's.

Lost.

A purse containing a small sum of money. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving same at Astor House.

At The Empire Store.

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Sept 21, 1887.

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But this will never do. Catarrh must be met at every stage and combated with all our might. In many cases the disease has assumed dangerous symptoms. The bones and cartillage of the nose, the organs of hearing, of seeing and of tasting so affected as to be useless, the uvula so elongated, the throat so inflamed and irritated as to produce a constant and distressing cough.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Alex Sutton returned yesterday.

C. Bonnington, of Seattle, is in the city.

Dudley R. Blount returned from the Seaside yesterday.

Hon. Judson Cole arrived yesterday from Salem, the legislature having adjourned.

A Great Truth Briefly Stated.

There is a good deal of time in the future, and doubtless it will afford opportunities.—*Oregonian*, 22.

A Scrap of Paper Saves Her Life

It was just an ordinary scrap of wrapping paper, but it saved her life. She was in the last stages of consumption, told by physicians that she was incurable and could live only a short time; she weighed less than seventy pounds. On a piece of wrapping paper she read of Dr. King's New Discovery, and got a sample bottle; it helped her, she bought a larger bottle, it helped her more, bought another and grew better fast, continued its use and is now strong, healthy, rosy, plump, weighing 140 pounds. For fuller particulars send stamp to W. H. Cole, Druggist, Fort Smith. Trial Bottles of this wonderful Discovery Free at J. W. Conn's Drug-store.

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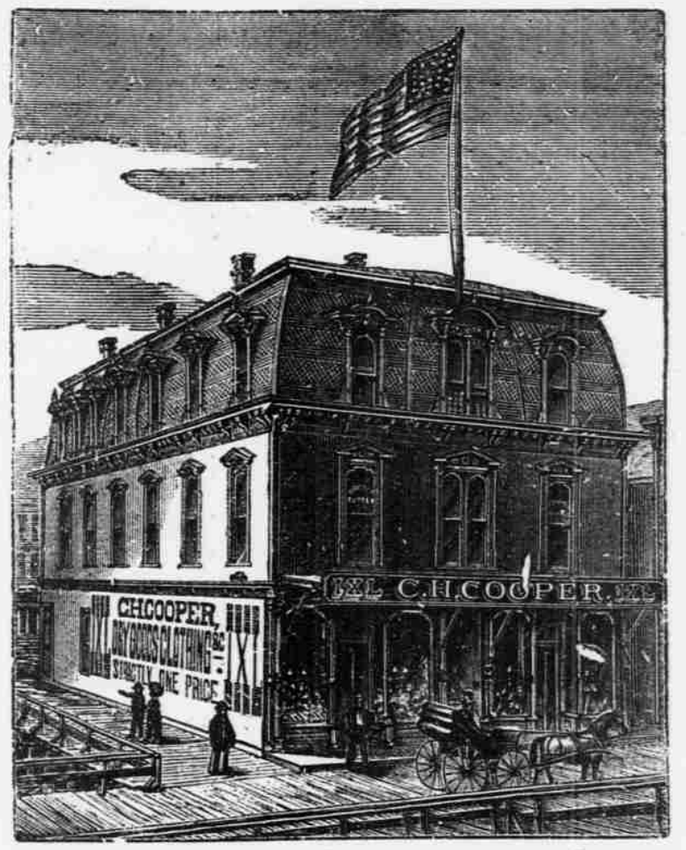

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To college to get edicated, and he must have a new rig, but my pocket book is getting sorter hungry, and I don't know what to do!

See here, sez I ter Dick!

You don't know anything if you ain't aware of the fact that HERMAN WISE is selling his stock off at greatly reduced prices, in order to make room for his immense SPRING stock.

Ha! Ha! I met Dick 2 days later, and sez he, as he laffed and give me the Lodge wink! it do beat anything how HERMAN WISE, that little feller in the Occident Hotel building, slaughters clothing.

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