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paper published on the Columbia river.

There are eleven daily newspapers

in Oregon.

The *Eva* is landing lumber at the

Clatsop mill.

Get prices on job printing at THE

ASTORIAN office.

There is just a week of holidays in

the American year, and none to many.

Portland dispatches say that yes-

terday's celebration was a complete

success. Glad of it.

The bark *Alden Bessie* has been

chartered by Scotchler & Gibbs to

load cannery supplies for Alaska.

A tramp when asked where he was

living now, said that his mode of ex-

istence is not living; it is just a bluff.

The *State of California* and the

Gen. Miles arrived yesterday: the

A. B. Field and the *Oregon* passed

out.

Astoria No. Ones flung their new

flag to the breeze for the first time

yesterday.

The *Manzanita* made a lavish dis-

play of flags and signals yesterday,

and was a noticeable feature of the

day.

The *Telephone* left Portland at mid-

night last night and will land her pas-

sengers here before breakfast this

morning.

The funeral of the late Weston

Whitcomb took place from the resi-

dence of the parents at two o'clock

yesterday afternoon.

A flag with 42 stars floated over the

Occident yesterday: the first one of

the kind in Astoria; probably the first

one of the kind in Oregon.

This is the day people drink Beck

beer. May day comes but once a

year, and when it comes, folks drink

Beck beer. Sing, brothers, sing.

There was a fire alarm at 5:45 yes-

terday afternoon; the department

was promptly on hand; no damage.

The alarm was from the Clatsop mill.

The *Manzanita* arrived in from the

Sound yesterday morning. She

crossed the bar at 6:30 A. M., and re-

ports a smooth trip all the way down.

Mr. Owens, steward of the *Manzanita*

brought over from Cape Flattery

200 pounds of fish, consisting of

grouper, black bass, ling, rock cod and

halibut.

The annual meeting of the stock-

holders of the Astoria Iron Works,

will be held at 8 o'clock this evening

at the office of the secretary, Capt. J.

G. Hustler.

No vessel sailing under a foreign

flag can carry freight from one port in

the United States to another. It is

prohibited by the constitution of the

United States.

John Larsen, Peter Hansen, Law-

rence Malstrom and Peter Boomer are

the names of the four men drowned

from a Whitehall boat at the Cas-

cades last Sunday.

The *City of Paris* on her first trip

to New York consumed an average of

285 tons of coal per day. On the day

when she scored 498 knots, it is prob-

ably 300 tons were burned in the fur-

nace.

It was dull yesterday: everybody

had a holiday; but nobody had any-

thing to do, or anywhere to go. Now

let us have a rousing good celebration

of the Fourth of July.

The thanks of THE ASTORIAN are

due Mr. Henderson, of the W. U. T.

office here. The office closed at six

last evening, but he remained nearly

two hours later to receive the regular

newspaper report.

Chinamen on the docks drop into

the water bag nets containing bits of

salmon, then suddenly pull up the net

and sundry fish in it. An industrious

Mongolian caught twenty yesterday

in as many seconds.

"You and I will not celebrate the

next American presidential centen-

ennial," said a friend to an ASTORIAN

scribe last evening. The scribe agreed,

but thought that he hadn't celebrated

this one very much.

Tom Merry was in the office yes-

terday, a while. He went out on the

Oregon. He goes to San Francisco;

and from there to Salt Lake City;

and thence to Helena, Montana. He

has severed his connection with Por-

land journalism and will take charge

of Russell Harrison's paper at Helena.

The Astoria & South Coast Rail-

way work is moving along. Piles

are driven at Skipanon creek about

200 feet from the slaughter house

there, and yesterday lumber was

taken over to build a dock to

The most valuable members of a community are the homemakers, the people who once having decided upon the city or town with which they will cast their lot immediately become permanent fixtures by arranging for their own vine and fig tree. Such people have a substantial interest not only in aiding in the progress of their town, but have an especial interest also in elevating its educational and moral standard as much as possible.

Mother Godefrey, who is mother general of the sisters of charity, is in Seattle on her way to visit and inspect the mission here and elsewhere. She is from Montreal, the headquarters of the order of sisters of charity in the United States. The sisters at St. Mary's hospital regard mother Godefrey's coming with especial interest, as, to their order, the mother general is the same as the president is to the United States.

Yesterday was observed as a general holiday in the city, the banks, offices and nearly all the stores being closed. It was a beautiful day and the streets were filled with people. Divine service was held in Grace church, St. Mary's R. C. church and the M. E. church in the morning. In the afternoon the Western Amateur band played patriotic and popular selections at the band stand corner Fourth and Jefferson streets. Flags floated in every direction, and there was an almost entire suspension of business.

Regarding a communication published elsewhere, it may be said that it is very probable had Mayor Page been asked, he would have addressed the audience yesterday. But people turned out to hear the music and not to hear speeches. Our correspondent, however, makes a good point in this: That we as Americans, proud of our privileges and liberties, should impress their importance on the rising generation. The mind of a child is wax to receive and marble to retain, and lessons of patriotism are never thrown away on children.

Of sailors 'tis said "there's a sweet little cherub sits smiling aloft to watch o'er the sleep of poor Jack." It is ordinarily supposed that the aforesaid sweet little cherub does some guardian angel business for newspaper men. But the S. L. C. that is assigned for duty at the Pendletonian *East Oregonian* office is not attending to business. A short time ago that enterprising journal suffered a severe loss by fire, and last Friday was nearly drowned out by an overflowed sewer that drained eighteen inches of water in on type and job stock. The *E. O.* has been through fire and water and still lives and flourishes.

John Conroy, aged 12, was standing at the blackboard, copying figures from it on his slate, at school in Shenandoah, last Thursday, when suddenly a loud report was heard, and four of the boy's fingers fell in different parts of the room, while fragments of his slate flew about the room, striking a number of the scholars. Young Conroy was thrown to the floor and the blood spurted in streams from his shattered hand. He was carried home and the remainder of his hand had to be amputated. It was a long time before the mysterious explosion could be explained, and then it was learned that the boy had a dualin cap, a powerful fulminate used in the mines, fitted on the end of his slate pencil. While at the blackboard he began picking at the explosive cap with his knife, with the result stated.

Lucy Hall says: "I wish the American women would do as the Europeans do when they go to the theater, and that is, get up and walk about chat and visit with acquaintances, and get their blood into circulation between the acts. Why, it's perfectly abominable, this sitting cramped up in a chair for three hours without stirring. To me it denotes a lack of comprehension of one's physical needs. I have no word of reproach for those men who go out between the acts. I know there are some men who avoid as much as possible taking a lady to the theatre solely because they dread having to sit still from the beginning to the end of the play. But if I were present at the theatre with a gentleman I should tell him to go out and get exercise, for that is what I do myself when I go, which, however, is seldom."

They have a rule in sleeping cars which compels the porter to let down the upper berth, whether it is occupied or not. This for a double purpose: First, the spotter or spy who travels through the train on an occasional trip can not tell whether the berth is paid for or not, and second, the humble traveler who has paid for his lower berth cannot have the comfort of a full section without paying for a full section. Why under heavens the company should object to having the upper berth remain up, so that their patron, the man who pays them an enormous sum of money for occupancy of the berth, can have a little comfort, passes one's comprehension. The lowering of that upper berth impedes the circulation of the air, makes the car more stuffy and causes an amount of unnecessary inconvenience to the traveler which cannot be overestimated.

C. R. F. P. U. Notice.
The regular monthly meeting of the Columbia River Fishermen's Protective Union will be held at Liberty Hall, Saturday, May 4th, 1889, at 7:30 P. M.
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A. SUTTON, Secretary.

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TOLD BY THE TELEGRAPH.

The Cherokees, Bummers and Boomers.

SAN DIEGO, April 30.—The steamer *Carlos Pacheco* has arrived from Guadalupe Island, bringing a cargo of goat-skins and tallow. She will return in about a month, when the goat-killing season will reopen. Captain Nelson of the *Pacheco* reports that the island now has about fifty thousand wild goats and that it is proposed to largely develop the trade in their products.

FISH IN LOWER CALIFORNIA WATERS.
SAN DIEGO, April 30.—A schooner is fitting out here to fish in the waters of Lower California in spite of the proclamation of the Mexican consul which reserves all fishing rights for the International company. The schooner is mounted with small cannon and a crew armed with Winchesters. It is proposed to start a second schooner shortly, and negotiations are now under way for six-pound ordinance.

THE CHEROKEES.
WASHINGTON, April 30.—An army officer on duty at the war department, who has made the subject of American Indians an especial study, says that, in his opinion, there will be no general outbreak among the Indians on account of the invasion of their lands by the Oklahoma boomers. The Cherokees, he said, are not now a tribe of fighters. They realize that they have too much at stake to engage in any such pursuits. There may be some individual troubles, he thought, and possibly, some bloodshed, but if whiskey is kept out of the territory there will be no general uprising.

THE ARMORED COAST DEFENSE VESSEL.
WASHINGTON, April 30.—Secretary Tracy has announced that he considers he has the right to order the construction of the armored coast defense vessels, and would do so as soon as he arrives at a conclusion concerning the award of bids, which matter he has in mind. This verifies the prediction made a few days ago. It is very probable, notwithstanding the secretary's disinclination to talk on that point, that the Union Iron Works will be the lucky bidder, as the absolute guarantee which that firm gives cannot fail to have much weight in secretary Tracy's decision.

NIHILIST ARRESTS.
LONDON, April 30.—Dispatches from St. Petersburg say that arrests of Nihilists are constantly being made. The police of St. Petersburg believe that bombs secretly manufactured at Zurich, Switzerland, have been conveyed to Russia, and that the plotters are awaiting a favorable opportunity to use them.

A STRANGE DISEASE.
PAULINE, Ark., April 30.—A strange and fatal disease is prevailing in this community. The symptoms are a heavy chill with a severe cough. The skin turns yellow prior to death. Five fatal cases have occurred within the last few days.

PERSONAL MENTION.

C. W. Fulton returned yesterday.

Tom Loughery is back from San Francisco.

L. O. Bellund returned yesterday from a three months' visit to Stavanger, Norway.

D. Rierison returned from Portland yesterday. He says that the statement that he sold his land is a mistake.

Deputy sheriff Bartlett, of Fresno Co., Cal., came up yesterday on the *State* and took Wm. Patterson to California on the *Oregon*.

Inspector Sebree has successfully passed the required examination in San Francisco, and is now commander, having been promoted.

"His pills as thick as hand-grenades flew."

And where they fell as certainly they flew.

Was said of one of those ignorant doctors in the early times, who might well have been called the aide-de-camp of death. The sufferer from scrofula, with sores as bad as Job's, need not now curse the day he was born, for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will restore health and beauty, appetite and strength. Especially has it manifested its potency in curing salt-rheum, tetter, boils, carbuncles, sore eyes and swellings, hip-joint disease, white swellings, goitre, or thick neck, and enlarged glands.

In the Nature of a Post Mortem.

The sheep voted, but wool refuses to rise.—S. F. Alta.

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I must extend to you the thanks of one of my customers, who has been cured by using the CUTICURA REMEDIES, of an old sore, caused by a long spell of sickness or fever eight years ago. He was so bad he was fearful he would have to have his leg amputated, but is happy to say he is now entirely well,—sound as a dollar. He requests me to use his name, which is H. B. GARDNER, merchant of this place, JOHN V. MINOR, Druggist, Gainsboro, Tenn.

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A few weeks ago my wife suffered very much from a cutaneous disease of the scalp, and received no relief from the various remedies she used until she tried CUTICURA. The disease promptly yielded to this treatment, and in a short while she was entirely well. There has been no return of the disease, and CUTICURA ranks No. 1 in our estimation for diseases of the skin.

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The Cantata Last Evening.

The cantata of "David, the Shepherd Boy," was finely rendered before a large and appreciative audience at the opera house last evening.

The beautiful story of David and Jonathan and the love they bore for each other, has been portrayed by the pen of the poet, the pencil of the painter and the skill of the musician through all the years of history. It is as attractive as the kindred tale of Damon and Pythias, and is always greeted with with favor.

The ladies and gentlemen who took part last evening deserved the applause that their efforts elicited and were all good in their respective parts.

The soloists were Mrs. B. Van Dusen, Mrs. J. T. Ross, Mrs. C. H. Cooper, Mrs. W. S. Kinney, Mr. N. E. Skinner, Mr. J. F. Ross, Mr. Frank Barker, Mr. H. C. Thompson, Mr. Frank Young, Dr. O. B. Estes, Mr. F. T. Howell, Mr. J. A. Rannels, assisted by an efficient chorus, the whole under the skillful leadership of Prof. Dobbins, Miss Hattie Bitley presiding at the piano.

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