

UNJUST DISCRIMINATION.

The recent ruling by the commissioner of the general land office, refusing to allow married women to file on timber land, does not appear to have either right or reason in it.

This THE ASTORIAN believes to be unjust and unfair. The government has stated how timber land may be secured, and in the absence of any definite and specified restrictions regarding married women it does not appear reasonable to set up or create such arbitrary restriction as that apparently called into being by the commissioner of the general land office.

It is believed, that on appeal, the secretary of the interior will overrule the action of his subordinate. Here in Oregon and Washington, women have little difficulty in asserting and maintaining their God given rights, and the privilege of equality before the law in this matter should not be denied them.

Mr. GEORGE O. JONES, who carries under his own hat almost the entire remains of the national greenback party, has issued a call to himself to assemble in convention at Cincinnati on September 12.

The supreme court of Wyoming has decided that owners of land must fence it in, and the owners will carry the case to the United States supreme court.

Merit Wins. We desire to say to our citizens, that we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction.

Three big Union Pacific snow-sheds between Cheyenne and Laramie, sixty miles westward, have been mysteriously fired and totally destroyed by flames.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN is still making the rounds of the Chicago saloons. Crowds follow him at all the places he visits.

A MOVEMENT has been started in England to put an end, if possible, to the custom which demands that women shall inconvenience and injure themselves physically by arraying themselves in mourning whenever a member of their family dies.

Idaho should succeed in getting admitted to the Union as a state, it will then be possible for the first time to travel from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean without passing through a territory.

ALL the people now living in the world, or about 1,400,000,000, could find standing room within the limits of a field ten miles square, and by aid of a telephone could be addressed by a single speaker.

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THE TEN TRAVELERS.

Ten weary, footsore travelers, All in a woolly plight, Sought shelter at a wayside inn One dark and stormy night.

"Nine rooms, no more," the landlord said, "Have I to offer you; To each of eight a single bed. But the ninth must serve for two."

A din arose. The puzzled host Could only scratch his head, For of those tired men no two Would occupy one bed.

The puzzled host was soon at ease— He was a clever man, And so to please his guests devised This most ingenious plan.

Wherein the host, as I have said, Had hid two travelers by; Then taking one the tenth and last, He lodged him safe in I.

"Weak and weary" describes the condition of many people debilitated by the warm weather, by disease or overwork. Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine needed to build up and strengthen the body, purify and quicken the sluggish blood, and restore the lost appetite.

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Coffee and cake, ten cents, at the Central Restaurant.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

BORN. In Astoria, July 19th, '89, to the wife of A. W. Gates, a daughter.

NEW TO-DAY. West 6th Street Assessment Notice. NOTICE is hereby given that the assessment made by Ordinance No. 1096, of the City of Astoria, for the improvement of West 6th street in Shively's Addition, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 1092, of the City of Astoria, on each of the following lots and portions of lots fronting on said portion of said street, is now payable at the office of the City Treasurer, in U. S. coin, and unless paid within five days of the final publication of this notice, to wit: on or before Tuesday, August 6th, 1890, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof.

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PLEASE SETTLE ACCOUNTS ON OR before August 10th, and present claims and bills against me up to that time. M. STUJINSKI.

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Report of the Condition OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ASTORIA, At Astoria, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, July 12th, 1888.

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and discounts, Overdrafts secured and unsecured, U. S. Bonds to secure circulation, etc.

Total \$282,114 64. State of Oregon, L. S. S. Gordon, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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