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The two corps of engineers in charge of assistant E. E. Cooper and R. A. Habersham have completed the permanent location of the Astoria and South Coast railway from Astoria across the coast range-to Nehalém valley, at Jewell, via the seaside for forty miles, on which division eighteen miles have been constructed, waiting the rails to arrive at Portland on Saturday, and there are now of the Nehatem river for thirty-two miles, but as this latter line is too long and is subject to winter freshets, which rise thirty-six to forty-two feet above the Nehalem river and will carry down the track, Mr. William Reid, the president, prefers a higher grade and a-shorter line, and consequently ordered a new survey across the country from Jewell, via Deep creek, and another from Jewell via Buster's creek to Vernonia.

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To accomplish this object, Mr. Reid left last Friday overland, via Cornelius, with chief engineer Habersham and assistant engineer Cooper and guides. Mr. Reid returned yesterday and was interviewed by an Oregonian reporter.

He reports that a favorable route was obtained, shortening the line from Astoria to Forest Grove eight miles and opening up an entirely new country, heavily timbered with cedar, fir and maple. He traveled on foot for twenty-three miles continuously through what he claims is the thickest and richest timbered region in the world; where forest fires have Thave used Ayer's I'm to the pass.

Thirty years and consider them an invaluable family medicine. I know of
no better remedy for liver troubles,
and have always found them a prompt
cure for dyspepsia."—James Quinn, 90
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Australia.

The highest elevation of the Astoria and South Coast railway in the Nehalem valley will be 900 feet, while the summit between it and the Willamette valley is crossed by a new divide at an elevation of only 1.125 feet, without a tunnel. The arresdy will be 1.5 report in favor of the of only 1.125 feet, without a tunnel. The grade will be 1 per cent. in favor of the traffic to Astoria and only 2 per cent. on the divide to the sea. The main line will strike the seaside at a point 100 miles from Portland, thence fourteen and one-half miles more, including seaside extension, carries the road to Astoria itself across Young's bay. The new survey runs through seven miles of coal and ironstone lands and through a limestone bed and good freestone. The ironstone assayed 57 per cent. of iron.—Oregonian, 7. Oregonian, 7.

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and by quieting the nerves.
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structed, waiting the raiss to arrive at Portland on Saturday, and there are now working 257 white laborers on the grading to the Willamette valley. F. E. Habersham, the chief engineer, completed his preliminary survey from Jewell to Vernonia parallel with the meanderings of the Nehalem river for thirty-two miles, but we this letter line is too long, and is

lator removes the cause of restlessness and sleeplessness by regulating the bowels, by establishing good digestion

Simmons Liver Regulator, and sleep all night." Mrs. R. Beyant, Griswoldsville, Ga.

Colds. We guarantee the preparation and will give you a sample bottle free. It is now thought the 2-cent stamp will be tinted "angle worm red."

amount of urine, in the restoration of a normal appetite, and in the banishment of pain. Descriptive treatise with bot-tle; or address Mack Drug Co., N. Y.

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First Pick!

Embrace This Opportunity

Nothing will Escape the Knife!

Conscious of the impositions practiced upon an unsuspecting public by unreliable dealers, I Emphatically Guarantee this to be the first genuine Sacrifice sale in Astoria. I have 15,000 Dollars' worth of goods on the way now, and it is to my interest to slaughter everything on hand in order to make room, and all wide awake business men acknowledge my plan as the most successful. Once more reminding the public that this sale holds good FOR 30 DAYS ONLY, and to cash buyers.

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The center of population has traveled west, almost on a straight line from the west, almost on a straight line from the vicinity of Anapolis to a point seven miles southwest of Cincinnati. The last census took it across the Ohio river, a short way below Riverside. The presumption is that the next census will take it across the river again, locating it in the state of Indiana, not far from Rising State.

The London Observer says, with an air of superior wisdom, that Russia could not sell to the United States anything that did not belong to Russia. The application of this principle to present affairs means that if Russia did not exercise jurisdiction over Behring sea at the time of the sale of Alaska to the United States she could not sell such right of jurisdiction over Behring sea, no nation had undertaken to disposses her. At this day she exercises over the western half of the sea the right she sold over the eastern half. The Observer refers to a protest against Russia's claim to Behring sea issued under President Pierce's administration. It is admitted that there have been arguments against the Russian claim, but they have amounted to nothing. The claim was not abandoned, and, not many years after Pierce denounced it the United States government bought it. A DUTY TO YOURSELF. It is surprising that people will use a common, ordinary pill when they can secure a valuable English one for the same money. Dr. Acker's English pills are a positive cure for sick headache and all liver troubles. They are small, sweet, easily taken and do not gripe. J. W. Conn. Proprist.

Conn, Druggist. Farmer Mugg of Dundee, Mich., has 55,000 heads of cabbage growing on his place this year.

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