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 THE ASTORIAN publishes to its subscribers the largest circulation of any newspaper published on the Columbia river.  
 Refreshing showers yesterday afternoon laid the dust and cleared the air.  
 The O. K. brought over a large lot of lumber yesterday from Knappaont for use on the streets.  
 The State of California arrived from San Francisco yesterday bringing 40 tons freight for Astoria.  
 So far 704 piles have been driven on the Young's river bridge. More than half are still to be driven.  
 The dredger is working away on St. Helen's bar. Capt. Wes. Whitcomb is in charge of the *Santiam*.  
 The hose team had some commemorative pictures taken yesterday, which will be souvenirs of the great contest of '89.  
 Service to-day in the M. E. church, upper Astoria, at 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m. Mrs. Fredrikke Nilsson will speak morning and evening.  
 John Hauser Britborg, and Peter Hauser Bihorg, natives of Germany, declared their intention before county clerk Trenchard yesterday to become citizens of the U. S.  
 The Oregon sailed for San Francisco yesterday with the following freight from Astoria, 43,293 feet lumber, 2,848 lbs shooks, 1,150 cases salmon, 701 bbls laths 165 sks oysters, 118 bbls cranberries, 75 sks potatoes, and 5 tons assorted truck.  
 It will be many a day again before there will be such a collection of famous runners as were at the Tacoma tournament last week. Ed Rea, Pete Graut, Ed Ferguson, W. H. Odell, Bethune, Gibson, Dave Campbell, Trine, Ross, Wilson, Dobbins, Peck, Cameron, Fletcher, Morgan, Brown, and several others.  
 It is a fact worthy of note and remembrance that the time made by the Astoria hose team in the championship association (New York race) of the Tacoma tournament, beat the world's record. Up to last Thursday the best record on this coast for that contest was 1:13; the best record in the world, 1:09 7/8. Last Thursday the Astoria hose team made it in 1:09 2/5, thus going to the front. This is why Astoria does a little pardonable bragging about the hose team.  
 The contracts for the telegraph line from Tillamook rock to Fort Stevens have been let, says the *Oregonian*. The shore line has been awarded to the Sunset Telephone and Telegraph company, of San Francisco, for \$95 per mile. The cable will be supplied by John M. Cline, of San Francisco, for 16 1/2 cents per foot, delivered at Astoria. The cable will be laid by the *Manzanilla*, and the government is going to get a cheap line. One person bid very low for the shore line and high for the cable, and another low for the cable and high for the shore line, and Major Hamburg took the cheap bids on each, to the disgust of both contractors. The line will be completed in about sixty days.  
 When pilot Doig went on board the British ship *Thronous* yesterday to take her to Victoria, he found the mate trying to do the same with the vessel that Rainey had tried to do with the *freemen's* tournament. Doig gave an order and the mate ordered the men not to mind him. The men (who had been hired here by the captain for the trip) then quit, and though he offered them three times the agreed wages, they demanded to be set ashore, not caring to go to sea with a crazy man. Fifteen men from the *Albatross* then came on board and helped leave the anchor, and the captain having ordered the mate to his room, the vessel started to Victoria in tow of the tug *Sealion* and in charge of pilot Doig, the captain, and four men. The *Escort* took pilot Doig off when the vessel got outside, he returning yesterday afternoon.  
 The steamer *Jeanie*, Hale master, arrived in at nine o'clock last evening from Copper river, Alaska. The season in Prince William's sound has been a stormy one: as much rain fell there in the summer as falls in Astoria in the winter. The *Jeanie* left Prince William's sound, 1,600 miles from here, seven days ago. She has 16,000 cs. salmon aboard, and leaves for San Francisco this morning. The Pacific Steam Whaling Co., J. N. Knowles, M. Herrick, manager, put up 27,000 cases. Henry Weatherbee had 27,000 cases for 30,000 cases; put up 2,200. Story had cases for 60,000 cases, he put up 1,100. Abe Webber, of the Pacific Packing company, put up 5,000. The current in the Copper river didn't admit of traps or seines, and only gill nets did anything. There was a large lake where salmon were plenty. The Pacific Steam Whaling company caught salmon in the lake with gill nets, built a railroad, and hauled salmon over the railroad by mule power to the cannery.  
 That tired feeling is entirely overcome by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which creates an appetite, rouses the liver, cures headache, and gives renewed strength and vigor to the whole body. Be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is peculiar to itself. Sold by all druggists.  
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**THE VICTORS RETURN.**  
 And They Had a Magnificent Reception.  
 Astoria never does anything by halves, and as the Astoria hose team had won the honors and beaten the world's record it was fitting that it should receive just recognition.  
 At the close of a tournament the Astoria team is always welcomed, for it always returns victorious.  
 But this time it was determined that the reception should be commensurate with the magnitude of the feat accomplished.  
 Accordingly, when the *Lurline* arrived yesterday morning, the whole city arose and welcomed the returning delegation, who bore proudly aloft the emblems of the championship.  
 The committee of arrangements, the ladies and those in charge, all worked hard to make it a success: the citizens contributed liberally.  
 At 7:30 the procession, preceded by the band and flanked by fireworks, moved to Ross' opera house, which was filled.  
 After some music, Capt. J. H. D. Gray introduced Mayor Page, the chairman of the meeting, who made an eloquent speech of welcome on behalf of the citizens of Astoria, which was responded to on behalf of the team and fire department by J. F. Halloran. The chairman then introduced Hon. C. W. Fritton, who made a felicitous speech, after which Capt. Gray read a series of resolutions, which were adopted.  
 After further remarks by Messrs. Curtis, Worsley, Barry and others, the procession reformed and marched to the handsome parlors of Rescue No. 2, which had been transformed by fair hands into a bower of beauty. Adorned with flowers, festooned with fragrant garlands, the walls enclosed a dining hall, in which stood tables covered with daintily prepared food.  
 The hose team, and those assembled then partook, and a pleasant time was enjoyed by all present.  
 It was an occasion long to be remembered, and a pleasant memory to all who met in mutual congratulation over the result of the tournament of 1889.  
 At the close of the banquet, about seventy-five ladies and gentlemen repaired to armory hall, and tripped the light fantastic toe till jocund dawn peeped over the misty hill tops. On behalf of A. W. Utzinger, the donor, J. F. Halloran presented to the Astoria fire department a handsome gold cup, to be in charge of the chief engineer of the Astoria fire department, and handed by the chief engineer to his successor as the years roll by.

**GENERAL WILLIAM MAHONE.**  
 General William Mahone's house is about the handsomest in Petersburg. After the war the citizens of that town, through the city council, offered him a lot to build on. It was a recognition of the services of the gallant Mahone brigade. Next to General Robert E. Lee, William Mahone stood highest in the affections of all true Virginians. He was a son of the state, and, after Lee and "Stonewall" Jackson, her greatest fighter in the rebellion. The night before the surrender at Appomattox General Lee called Mahone into his tent. There the two went over the situation together. They agreed that surrender was the only thing. General Mahone did not accept the lot offered by the city, but the citizens united again and by subscription bought a house and lot and presented it to Mr. Mahone. She likewise declined to accept the gifts. But the general bought on Market street and built the residence which he now occupies, together with Mrs. Mahone and his two sons, William and Butler, and his daughter, Nettie.  
 Mahone and the exploits of the Mahone brigade were celebrated in prose and song. For years the "Little Wizard" was the idol of his people. They began to harden toward him when, from his seat in the United States senate, he rose and strode across the aisle and shook his fist in the face of Hill, of Georgia. Then he became a Republican. Then the idol of Virginia and of the south was pulled from its pedestal. To-day all that is left of bourbonism, and there is a good deal of it left, hates William Mahone worse than it does Longstreet or Mosby. It is because he is the strongest southern Republican. It is because he has fought and is fighting still for a rejuvenated south, just as he did in the war, with all his brain and heart and soul, for his loved Virginia.  
 This wonderful man was the son of a fine old-fashioned tavernkeeper, who lived on the Jerusalem plank road in Southampton county in the black belt below Petersburg. It is pretty certain that the old gentleman played a stiff game himself, but it is not true that little Billy became so proficient as to pay his way through college playing poker. He was, on the contrary, what is harshly called a poverty pupil at the Virginia military institute, but what is better named a scholarship. He trudged up to Richmond, indeed, in his bare feet to see the governor personally and secure his aid. William Mahone came out a civil engineer and a good one. He built the railroad from Richmond up to the southern terminus of the Pennsylvania over back of Alexandria.  
 This man, who was a major-general at 30, took charge, when the war was over, of the railroad which he had built some years before. It was then little more than two streaks of iron rust. He made it the powerful Richmond & Danville. He showed the qualities of the born leader at the start off. He sent the agents of the Adams Express company and of the Baltimore & Ohio flying from his trains, and went into the express business himself. He wanted to make a dollar and save hundreds of dollars to the communities through which his great transportation company passed. This expulsion of the middlemen did wonders for the farm people all along the road. They found convenient markets for their eggs and chickens, their milk and butter, their farm and garden productions generally. General Mahone made money and solid popularity all at once. But in the big Richmond terminal fight the other moguls froze him out. There is a tradition, however, that the general was posted about the movements of the syndicate and made handsomely. There is another tradition that young Butler pocketed a good \$30,000 himself.  
 The substantial houses of the wealthy border General Mahone's on all sides in Petersburg, but the people, no matter how near they are as neighbors, never speak to him or his family—never notice them. It is his town and theirs, his lifelong abiding place—his birthplace almost. Hard by is the church of a strict denomination, for which Mrs. Mahone used to subscribe lavishly. She and her husband and children were driven from it by the denunciations of a minister, pounding with one fist and then the other on the very bible which she had presented to him.  
 "They ostracize you here, general," somebody said to Mahone once.  
 "No, I ostracize them," he replied with a smile.  
 In the cavalry and cavalcade campaign made by the nephew of Robert E. Lee, and the son of Henry S. Wise four years ago, the basement of General Mahone's house in Petersburg, in which was a large billiard room, was turned into the political headquarters for the Republicans of the whole state. Six tiny checks, set in high chairs around the covered billiard tables. Three or four short hand men, and typewriters were on hand, and were kept busy by the little general. The bill for stamps and printing ran all the way from \$50 to \$100 a day, and every cent of the money was paid out of Mahone's own pocket. To send all these documents out cost on the average \$125 to \$150 every day. The general willingly filled out his check for the amount every night. Nobody else put up a cent. The personal bills of most of the candidates and the stump orators were paid by Mahone. All the while he was running the Richmond *Whig*, and every Saturday W. G. Elam, a faithful Mahone man to this day would come around and get the general's check for perhaps \$500. All the while not a person in Richmond, not a person in Virginia, dared to put an advertisement in the paper.  
 The blacks have always been ready to bleed for the hero of the crater. He tried to lead them out of a slavery almost as bad as the old kind. They know this. If he has led them in soldierly fashion, he has led them for their own good. An old method of his used to be this: He would divide them in hundreds and appoint to the command of each a colonel; in fifties, each with a captain, and in tens, each with a sergeant. Each officer of all his legions would have a great badge to wear. Those of the colonels would be perhaps eighteen inches, and the sergeants perhaps six. The duty of each of the officers was to have his fixed number of voters at the polls to vote early and once. Probably a cord of these badges lay piled up at differ-

ent times in the basement of General Mahone's house in the Lee and Wise campaign.  
 This scheme, of course, is gone past. The "Little Wizard" is nothing if not fertile in resource. He will get other methods by which he will get the voters out, and perhaps will be able, with the aid of the law, to have the ballots counted. Perhaps the very slick Democratic managers will find out what these methods are before it is too late.  
 Mahone has made the bourbons fear him. John S. Barbour says that the name of Mahone is all the issue the Democrats want to carry the state on.  
 In the cavalry and cavalcade campaign the platform of the bourbons was: "We must carry the state." That will be the battle cry again. "White supremacy," is the battle cry already. Perhaps there will be another Danville. Perhaps the dead black men will be pulled out by the score, dead or frightened to death, from under the houses and all the hiding places.  
**PERSONAL MENTION.**  
 Dr. Tuttle and family returned yesterday from their cottage by the sea.  
 M. Herrick, manager, Pacific Steam Whaling company, returned last evening on the *Jeanie* from Copper river, Alaska.  
 Hon. T. A. McBride has fully recovered from his recent indisposition, and is again able to attend to his official duties.  
 Police Judge Jewett writes that he will start from Foley Springs on his return home next Wednesday. He is some improved in health.  
 F. E. Hewett and Gus Abbidge, of the O. R. & N. company left on the *Telephone* last evening to spend a week's vacation in Portland.  
 J. G. Megler, the man who will represent Wahkiakum county in the first legislature of the state of Washington, was in the city yesterday.  
 Capt. White and Major T. J. Blakney returned to San Francisco on the *Oregon* yesterday. They have now established sites for life saving stations on the Umpqua, Yaquina bay and Gray's harbor.  
 Col. S. W. Blaisdell, of Baker county, was in the city yesterday. He is one of the men who is developing the resources of the state. Col. Blaisdell is spoken of as a prominent candidate for governor at the next Republican state convention, and when the time comes will go into the convention with considerable strength.

**THE RIVER YOUNG.**  
 In awe and wonder, I often ponder,  
 O'er the beautiful scenes on this earth  
 I've seen,  
 Of vale and mountain, and sparkling fountain  
 And beautiful pastures of emerald green;  
 But of all the places, my memory traces  
 Where Nature's bounties with grace were  
 flung,  
 There's none so cheering, sublime, en-  
 dearing  
 As the charming scenery of the river  
 Young.  
 The winding river, with ceaseless quiver  
 From the distant mountains, comes  
 winding out  
 Where the dazzling glimmer of the nim-  
 ble swimmer  
 Reveals the haunts of the speckled trout.  
 Through level tide land, and woody side-  
 land,  
 Where the woodsman's ax on the air  
 hark ring,  
 Onward it branches, past lovely ranches,  
 That line the shores of the river Young.  
 On, on it dances, gambols, prances,  
 Past many a flower and luxuriant plant,  
 Flows in victorious, sublime and glo-  
 rious  
 The lovely homestead of Mrs. Grant.  
 Enshrouded in flowers and shady bowers,  
 Where the rich ripe fruit in the orchard  
 hangs,  
 The home of the lady stands cool and  
 shady,  
 The prettiest place on the river Young.  
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