The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

FRIDAY... _JANUARY 10 18-0 City and County Official Paper. THE BATTLE OF THE GIANTS.

In the coming contest of the Northem Pacific and the Union Pacific in where angels fear to tread," was rough in the Pacific Northwest, it never more fully illustrated than in looks as if it would be a battle to the death, if death be possible to either party. The personal feelings and amfairs of the Astoria and South Coast

I seed the advantage here lies with the Union Pacific. Villard of the Northern Pacific was a newspaper man, thoroughly competent to present the value and future of his enterprise in a bright light, to show it up at its best, keeping in the background unfavorable features; probably with his sanguine temperament, not of a road, but there his usefulness ers who were in the city for the are invaluable toward such an object, of each case cannot be made. His of each case cannot be made. His facility in barrowing is the weakest proceedings on the railroad, the point in his value as an officer in conduct of an enterprise after completion. It tends to lessen the pressure towards present economies and the search after devices and improvement for savity searce and the evening "Sud-

furnishes what there is of genuine leaded scare head to telling what it realroading in the Northern Pacific doesn't know about the matter, and management, has been successful in the past because of his being politic, avoiding hostilities, securing friends that one is as follows: "I have perfect in every possible direction. For his confidence in the business ability and personal advantage, these give him strength; but they are not of much value in increasing the profits and own hands and let them conduct it to securing the stability of an enterprise. suit themselves." Such increase in value as has come to According to ancient mythology when Satan and Mephistopheles had the Northern Pacific property has their celebrated tilt Satan gave Meph been due to the general development sitopheles a hunk of brimstone and sada increase in values of the north-told him to go off somewhere and start a little hades of his own. If some of these imported scribblers invite quickly the incoming of com- benefitted as the citizens who are inlarge percentage of the spoils, iliar with the situation. Hence the present may be considered nearly the maximum of advantageous showing of the N. P.

In contrast with the N. P. managers, we find Elijah Smithkeenly analytical, bandling efficiently both the minutise and the broad feateres of general management, closely acquainting himself with the details . of his enterprise, inventive far beyond | and enfeebles the pores. The result is, that his competitors in devising methods of securing an advantage, and a man being a pimple. Dr. Fox therefore does not who never "gets tired." Villard has dealt his own company an ugly blow In stirring the antagonism of a man who will never rest until his aim is secomplished.

Meantime the whole of western Oregon and much of the western Sound country is feeling and will feel for all time the benefits of the struggle Every advantageous opening and op portunity will be grasped by the rail roads with an alacrity that would not otherwise be shown. Chiefly Port Townsend and westward in Washing-Townsend and westward in Washington and a suchward in Corgon, will this beneficial result be noticed, as here will be the battle field of the next few years. Much R. E. Marion.

I SAAC BEEGMAN AND R. R. WARION AND COMMISSION HOUSE.

I can be not a such will be the twiness of J. Strauss at the concept of the twiness of J. Strauss at the concept of th of the Calumbia basin cast of the Cascadas will also be benefited. The Union Pacific has one great advantage in the fact that with it, in its desire to see the mouth of the Columbia thoroughly opened, it has all of Oregon enthusiastically favoring this opening and much of Washington also. It will be well to note and carefully Helle'S Your Chance manalyze the opposition in congress, to the opening up of the greatest river entrance of the United States. That the Northern Pacific will strenuously question. The methods employed by the Northern Pacific in such matters in the past, are not unknown in Oregon. This oppositon to the Columbia improvement, and the project of get- Tais is a good opportunity to make money

For particulars inquire at this office ting a state control of arid lands, are the two important matters before congress in which the Northern Pacific is largely interested.

Repairing The Disabled Vessels.

A cofferdam has been built about the stern of the steamship State of California, now lying at the Oregon dock to San Francisco, and Tuesday the Water Nymph was engaged in pumping out the water, preparatory to putting in a new shaft. A new shaft twenty-three feet long is being at the Risdon Iron Works to replace the broken one. A tube fifteen feet long was hauled to the wharf that day, and will be placed in position as soon as possible. It is estimated that it will take more than a week to put all the machinery in good running Boars for deeds. Five per cent. of for cash. Warranty deed.

O. R. & N. dock at Sun of repairs to the Or-with her smashed in bow which is discharging her cargo along-side the dock, while workmen are cu-gaged in tearing away the false bow that was put on her to make the trip. Work will be immediately commenced to put in new plates in place of the amashed ones, and repairs will be pushed so that the steamer may soon resume her place on the route.

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AN INDIGNANT CORRESPONDENT. Discord and Trouble

A CAUSTIC COMMUNICATIONS

The truth of the adage, "Fools rush

ASTORIA, Or., Jan. 9th, 1890. EDITOR ASTORIAN:

he past few days by the manner in which some all egod newspapers in this bittons aroused in the conflict between
Vilfard and Elijah Smith, will make
both parties beenly alive to all there
is in the railroad situation and to all
the advantages to be found in it.
In the persons conducting this contest there is a wide difference of characteristics, and it must be contested the advantage here lies with interested parties in Portland and elsewhere who eagerly sieze on every tem derogatory to the prosperity of this city and do all in their power to circulate these bad reports. A few days ago the directors of the street raitroad held a meeting to consider the proposition to build a motor line

No definite action was taken on the matter, but that didn't make any dif-ference with the morning "Pry-inseeing them himself. Such a man is stating that the motor line would not here:" it came out with a scare head a powerful agent in the constructing be built; the result was several strang of a road, but there his usefulness ers who were in the city for the pur-ends. His abundant powers of rhetoric pose of investing, concluded they would wait awhile and embarked on the next boat for Port Townsend, He is strong in having his ultimate Fairhaven or some other booming financial base so far away as Germany, city where saide newspapers do not tear down what citizens are spending their money to build up.

den Jerk" is working the railroad trouble for all it is worth. It inter-His right hand man, Oakes who views itself and devotes a double

cions railroad management of the would follow the example of Mephis-Northern Pacific. It is of a nature to topheles the city would be greatly petitors who feel that the, can put in terested in the welfare of the city have as effective, if not more effec-tive, brain work and secure a fabrications to explain to parties fam-REAL ESTATE.

USEFUL INFORMATION.

Tilbury Fox, M. D., the emineut medical writer, in his work " Skin Diseases," thus ac counts for the pimples so common to the face and neck. Eating too rich or too greasy food, or too hearty eating while the excrotory organs are sluggish, causes in most which causes the blood to move sluggishly, the exuding secretions block in the pores, which inflame, each distinct inflammation scribe "blood purifiers" so called, but a "dyspenda cure" to be taken, to use his own words "till the dyspensal symptoms have disappeared." The old idea was, that face eruptions were caused by a "humor in the Seaport City of Washington, blood." for which they treated the blood, giving the mineral, potash. Joy's Vegetable Sarsaperilla follows the modern ideas of Dr. Fox, and alms with gentle vegetable alteratives at the stomach and digestive organs. The reason is apparent why it cures dyspepsia and indigestion, and the pimples and skin equations which result therefrom and

Change of Business.

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the auditor and police judge of the city of Astoria, in accordance with an order made by the common council of the city of Astoria, by ordinance number 1,138, entitled an ordinance ordering the auditor and police judge to issue warrants for the collection of essessments remaining unpaid on the Sunset Diaries for 1890. Diaries are the best on dinance ordering the auditor and police judge to issue warrants for the collection of assessments remaining unpaid on the Washington street sewer assessment approved November 29th, 1889. Said warrant bearing date the 30th day of November 1889, commanding me to levy upon lot number 7 in block number 11 in the city of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure, to collect an assessment of \$53, which assessment was made for the construction of a sewer in Washington street, between the south side of Astor street and 100 feet north of the north side of Water street, by ordinance number 1,100 entitled an ordinance declaring the probable cost of constructing a sewer in Washington street from the south side of Astor street to 100 feet north of the north side of Water street, approved July 25th, 1889. I have this day leved upon lot number 7 in block number 11 in McClure's Astoria, said lot being assessed to Chas. Rober as owner and on Wednesday the 29th day of January 1890, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day in front of the court house door in said city of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon will proceed to sell lot number 7 in block number 11 in McClure's Astoria, to the highest bidder therefor, to pay said assessment, costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for U. S. gold coin.

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W. J. BABRY. the market.

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