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The Astorian guarantees to its subscribers the largest circulation of any newspaper published on the Columbia river.

City and County Official Paper.

There has been snow on the ground in Astoria every day this year.

Mr. D. Smith, at Wherry & Co.'s, is agent for Marshall & Co.'s twine on the river.

The penalty for a passenger steamer in this district running short-handed is a fine of \$500.

A little daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gregory yesterday morning.

Skamokawa is to have an Odd Fellows lodge organized by Mr. F. H. Griswold, at an early date.

The United States senate last Monday confirmed the nomination of Hon. J. H. D. Gray, as postmaster in this city.

The barometer was falling rapidly last evening and indications pointed to a westerly wind and warm rain at an early date.

The Clatsop mill is still engaged in putting in new boilers, and it will be some weeks before the machinery will start up again.

The sociable which the ladies of Grace church were to have given at Mrs. C. S. Wright's, will be indefinitely postponed.

The classes in the public schools are filling up again, in gripe having loosened the tensions hold on many of the little folks.

Frank Stewart, the former driver of No. 2's team, has resumed his old place, since officer Kirby has again dismissed a policeman star.

All persons having claims against the estate of Mary A. or W. H. Gray, will please present them to-day at the office of the Astoria Real Estate Co.

A fine lot of salmon could be seen yesterday morning at the foot of Cass street. One of them would be more than enough for a meal for a good sized family.

A building is being erected on Third street, between Grosbeak & Brach's, and Rucker's restaurant, which will be occupied as a millinery store by Mrs. Davis.

Now that Chinese New Year's is passing away, perhaps the high tariff on chickens will be reduced so that a fowl may be purchased for something under the ruling rates for the last two weeks.

The S. G. Reed came down yesterday afternoon with about 50 passengers. She reports a little ice below the Willamette. Any probability of a freeze up appears to be a thing of the past.

Benben Verry, aged 7 years and nine months, died in upper Astoria yesterday morning of gangrenous diphtheria. The funeral will be from the residence of his parents, Chas. and Adolphina Verry, to-morrow.

The small boys and girls evidently appreciate that the snow will soon go. They have improved every minute coasting on the hill streets. Between them and the celebrating Chinamen there has been considerable noise in the atmosphere.

The splendid record of Astoria in the way of immunity from fire for the last year, is partly due to the vigilance of the citizens, a vigilance which should not be allowed to relax, as constant watchfulness is necessary to prevent the outbreak of fire.

Secretary Noble has decided that a married woman can make timber land entries or purchase such lands in Oregon and Washington, provided it is conclusively shown that the entry is made for her own use and benefit, and not for the use of herself and husband jointly.

The boys appear to have as much fun out of the China New Year's fire crackers as the Chinamen themselves. When a dozen packs of the burning crackers are flung into the street the boys pounce upon the smoking, spluttering pile, and secure about two-thirds of them for a private rehearsal of their own.

Cannermen report no twine being given out as yet on the river. A little is being knit for Alaska, and something is being done in nets and seines. It is believed that nothing has yet been done in futures; that not a case of the pack of '90 has been sold to deliver. If the price of salmon were left solely to the cannery they would be at loss what would be a fair price to pay.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. B. Parker is still seriously ill. County clerk Trenchard is able to be out again.

Capt. J. T. Gray, of Vancouver, arrives this morning.

Mr. Fred Fox will arrive from Portland this afternoon to attend his brother's funeral.

A. J. Handesty has been admitted, upon certificate of the supreme court of Kansas, to practice in all the courts of the state.

Mr. Cannon, vice president of the Montana Central railroad, left Tuesday morning, after looking over the town for a few days. He has been through all the pushing places of the northwest and spoke very favorably of Astoria. He thinks the outlook for this city equal to that of any of them.

Funeral Notice.

The members of Pacific Lodge No. 17 K. of P. will assemble at their Castle Hall at 12 o'clock sharp, to-day, to attend the funeral of our deceased brother, Charlton W. Fox. By order, C. C. Attest: W. A. SHERMAN, K. of R. and S.

Law Office.

Sidney Dell's law office is in the Chamber of Commerce building.

Office To Let.

Inquire at this office.

PORTLAND PARAGRAPHS.

Train Robbers Go Through a Southern California Train.

THE BLOCKADE IS BROKEN.

PORTLAND, Or., Jan. 21.—This morning Judge Catlin disposed of the petitions of Mrs. Elizabeth McCalla, daughter of the late Jas. B. Stephens, who left a large estate in which she asks for the appointment of an impartial administrator. Some time ago ex-county commissioner Newell was appointed to the office. For business reasons he neglected to qualify. Then Mr. A. L. Frazer, a well known young lawyer, was nominated for the place. The court declined to remove him for good and substantial reasons, but agreed upon associating Messrs. W. B. Gilbert and John Geary with Mr. Frazer to prosecute action against Henry Jones, late fiduciary agent of deceased, to make him disgorge about \$50,000 which he is alleged to be withholding from the estate. Jones claims that whatever property he is possessed of was partly earned and presented him by Stephens before his demise.

DEATH OF AN AGED MAN.

PORTLAND, Or., Jan. 21.—Geo. Wilson, an old resident of Portland, died last night at the poor farm, aged 83 years.

A CALIFORNIA EPISODE.

TULARE, Cal., Jan. 21.—The south bound passenger train was stopped this morning by two masked men about seven miles north of Tulare. The robbers climbed over the baggage car to the engine and compelled the engineer to stop the train. Then they made the engineer and fireman go with them and order the express messenger to open the door. The amount stolen is not known positively, but is rumored to be several thousand dollars. On leaving, the robbers made the engineer and fireman accompany them some distance from the train. A tramp stealing a ride was evidently mistaken for a train man, and the robbers shot him in the head. He was brought here and recovered. At last reports no trace of the robbers could be found.

TRAINS REACH PORTLAND.

PORTLAND, Or., Jan. 21.—Late this afternoon, the first blockaded train reached Portland. Four other trains are on the way. The first contains nine cars, mail and passengers; second, eleven cars; third, nine cars; fourth, ten, and fifth and last, seven cars. The first train carries two hundred passengers and the others about the same number each. "I expect," said assistant postmaster Anderson, "when all delayed mail from the east gets in, we will have at least two thousand sacks to get worked up here. California trains will give us about two thousand additional sacks. We must work night and day."

JUSTICE MET OUT.

This morning John Connors, Frank Smith, Oliver Wallace and Frank Roberts, a quartet arrested at Astoria for robbing several jewelry stores and pawnbroker shops in this city during December, were brought before Judge Stearns for sentence. Lawyer Masters asked for mercy. Judge Stearns complied with the request by sentencing all excepting Roberts to three years confinement in the penitentiary. Roberts got but two years in view of the fact that he pleaded guilty and materially aided the state in the conviction of his alleged confederates.

DEATH OF C. W. FOX.

General Expression of Regret at His Demise.

Charlton W. Fox died at his residence in this city at 2:20 yesterday morning. His death is an occasion of regret to the community, and of grief to his sorrowing relatives. A short time ago he returned to this city from Elmer, California, and was attacked by pneumonia, which terminated fatally.

Charlton Wesley Fox, was born at Bowmanville, Canada West, November 22d, 1859, and with his family came to Oregon at an early age.

He leaves a wife and mother, two sisters and four brothers, and the legacy of the memory of a bright and useful life cut off untimely.

The funeral will be from Mrs. Badollet's at one o'clock this afternoon. The funeral exercises will be at the Congregational church. The interment will be on the hill, and will be under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias, of which deceased was in life an honored member.

MARINE NEWS AND NOTES.

James Strang, who brought the Geo. W. Elder down yesterday from Portland, will take the Danvers back.

The Geo. W. Elder drew up yesterday morning at Flavel's wharf to get her clearance papers before going to Alaska.

The Manzanita which is lying at the foot of Main street wharf, has a large new buoy which is to be placed soon in side the bar off Ft. Stevens.

The British bark Oberon, 1194, Degney master, arrived in last Monday night, 142 days from Eusemna. The captain reports that he was off the bar two weeks ago.

The Columbian Publishing Co.

Articles of incorporation were yesterday filed in the county clerk's office by the Columbian Publishing Co. L. G. Carpenter, Geo. P. Wallihan and W. C. Miller are the incorporators. The business of the corporation is to purchase and hold all property necessary in publishing one or more daily and weekly newspapers in Astoria, and to own, operate and conduct a job printing office, and to purchase, own, hold, sell and dispose of real estate in Astoria.

The capital stock of the incorporation is \$10,000, divided into 100 shares of \$100 each. The duration of the incorporation is unlimited.

ADVICE TO BROTHERS.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind and colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Lost a Mink Skin.

In Astoria about Dec. 30. Finder will be amply rewarded by calling at this office.

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

Children Cry—Pitche's Castoria

THE SNOW-BLOCKADE.

The Efforts to Clear the Tracks in Northern California.

NELLIE BLY IN SAN FRANCISCO.

ASHLAND, Or., Jan. 21.—At Sims this morning the situation as to the blockade is not much improved. A passenger train managed to get from three miles north back to the siding at the station, thus enabling the working outfit at Sims to pass north. The relief and work train which left Redding yesterday was struck by a slide twelve miles south of Sims. The slide covered up three cars, delaying the train considerably. It is expected that the passenger train will be able to reach Redding by Wednesday night. The snow plow working south from Dunsuir was still stuck four miles south. There was also the same distance north. Under fair conditions that part of the road between Sims and Sissous, will be cleared inside of three days.

ASHLAND, Or., Jan. 21.—Between Sissous and Edgewood nothing has been done to clear the snow. It will probably take two or three days to get it in shape, as the trestle is broken down and cannot be gotten until the plow clears the track further along the road. It was generally milder this morning. Fears are entertained that in case rain of any magnitude sets in very serious washouts will result in Dunsuir and Delta districts.

STRUGGLING WITH THE SNOW.

SIMS, Cal., Jan. 21.—The north bound train of the 15th returned here last evening from two miles north, where it was stuck with the engine off the track. The road is now clear for about four miles north. The work train with men and provisions, which stopped here last week pushed ahead this morning to the front. The work train from the south is stuck south of Delta. As soon as its engines are started passenger trains will return to Redding. It seems now as if it will take several days to do that. The plow and engines from Dunsuir are fast in the snow four miles south of that place. This morning the weather is clear and fine.

THE GIRL GLOBE TRROTTER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—The steamer Oceanic, with Miss Nellie Bly among her passengers, arrived at 9:30 this morning. Miss Bly was taken off on a tug as soon as the steamer entered the harbor. She was conveyed at once to land where she boarded a special train in waiting, and started on her overland journey, via the Southern Pacific and Pacific and Atlantic routes.

THE WORLD'S FAIR COMMITTEE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The special committee on the world's fair had their first meeting this morning. Springer called up his resolution providing that the house proceed on Thursday to select a site for the fair by ballot. The matter was discussed for an hour. Springer urged the importance of a speedy action on the proposition. He held that by the action on the Cannon resolution last week the house virtually decided that the matter must be settled as early as possible. The committee was practically under instructions and were as much bound by them as if they had been formulated. He argued that the house should not move in the matter until it had first settled where the fair was to be held. Hit inclined in favor of an immediate selection of site by house and pointed out how a delay jeopardizes the chances of the fair.

Flower thought that the date fixed for balloting on the Springer resolution on Thursday was a little too soon. He suggested that a resolution be reported providing for a debate in the house next Monday afternoon, and a half allowed for the presentation of the claims of each city, followed by balloting on Tuesday.

Frank, of Missouri, offered a resolution that the Springer resolution providing for the balloting by the house Thursday be referred to a sub-committee of three with instructions to report at the next committee meeting. After much debate this was adopted. A sub-committee was selected. They were Chairman Chandler, and Messrs. Hitt and Flower.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS JAN. 21.

As Filed in The County Recorder's Office Yesterday.

Jno. A. Devlin and wife to W. S. Kinney, lots 1, 2 and 3, bk 10; lots 1, 2, 3, 10, 11 and 12, bk 14; lots 1, 2 and 3, bk 12; Shively's, \$20,000

G. C. Hall and wife to C. N. Lambert, lots 4 and 5, bk 15, Col., 250

Carl Von Otterstodt to C. N. Lambert, lots 10, 11, 12, bk 23, Col., 300

Chas. Eiland to M. W. 320 feet square NW 1/4 sec 36 T 7 N, R 10 W, 1

Oregon Land Co. to B. M. Moore, strip sec 35, T 8 N, R 9 W, 250

R. Carruthers and wife to G. E. Harder, lot 4, bk 106, McClure's, 500

Hugh Delaney to Annie Marion NE 1/4 sec 32 T 8 N, R 8 W, 2,000

Previously recorded the month, 640,763

Total for month to date, \$ 664,064

Want a Definite Proposition.

An enthusiastic railroad meeting was held on Saturday, Jan. 17th in the court house at Tillamook which was well attended. Tillamook county is friendly to the Salem, Astoria & Eastern railway via McMinnville and the south Trask pass. A resolution was adopted requesting the secretary of this meeting to ask the S. A. & E. railroad to send a representative to this county to extend to the people of this county a definite proposition. Tillamook Watchtower.

All the patent medicines advertised in this paper, together with the choicest perfumery, and toilet articles etc., can be bought at the lowest prices at J. W. Conn's drug store, opposite Occident hotel, Astoria.

Remember the Austin house at the Seaside is open the year round.

Reduction in Steamship Fares.

Martin Olsen is agent for several European steamship lines. If you want a ticket to or from Europe he can supply you at greatly reduced rates this week.

Weinhard's Beer.

Best Beds in town. Rooms per night 20 and 25 cts, per week \$1.50. New and clean. Private entrance.

THREEDNEEDLE STREET.

The Bank of England About to Purchase Silver.

A DARING DIAMOND ROBBERY.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—A special from New York, says that there is a rumor in Wall street which, on account of the general discussion of Sec'y. Windom's silver proposal, occasions considerable comment. Zimmerman and Forsyth announced that they had received advices from London to the effect that the Bank of England is about to exercise its right never hitherto asserted, to use silver to the extent of one-third of its reserve and issue \$1 notes in silver against it. Other dispatches also said that the bank had purchased \$3,000,000 worth of silver bullion in expectation of this action.

The larger foreign firms on Wall street, while they declared that they had received nothing confirming the rumored action of the Bank of England, said that such a step was by no means unlikely. On the contrary there are many reasons why such an issue would be advantageous to England.

FATAL RAILROAD COLLISION.

OMAHA, Jan. 21.—A collision of suburban trains occurred on the belt line division of the Missouri Pacific at about 5 o'clock this morning within the city limits. William Boyle the prominent local Democratic politician was killed instantly. Schwabick the deputy county treasurer was injured internally. J. A. Harvey and a man named Vanderventer were badly crushed, probably fatally. Fraher and Frank Clench had legs broken. Two brothers named Witziaff, railroad shop boys, were very seriously injured, one having his skull fractured. Several other passengers were more or less bruised while conductor or William Shields had his arm broken and badly crushed.

WIPING OUT AN INDIAN TRIBE.

WINNETKA, Manitoba, Jan. 21.—A band of 800 Indians on the St. Peter's reservation a few miles out of Winnipeg are being wiped out by a gripple. The Indians are afflicted with its most severe form. Being without proper medical attendance they quickly succumb to the malarial which in most cases develops into lung disease. Seventy-five per cent are down with the epidemic. If speedy action is not taken by the authorities on the way of sending physicians few will survive.

A COOL PROCEEDING.

MONTREAL, Que., Jan. 21.—At 6 o'clock last evening two men walked up to Walker's diamond store in Notre Dame street, fastened the doors with a rope, smashed the show window with a hammer, snatched all the jewelry in the window, swept all of it into a bag excepting a tray of rings which was taken too, and made off. The man with the tray was finally captured, but the others escaped. The contents of the tray were principally low priced rings. The jewelry carried away in the bag by the other thieves, was claimed and represented not less than \$15,000.

FAVORS BALLOT REFORM.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 21.—In his inaugural message to the legislature, to-day, Governor Leon Abbott comes out flat footed in favor of ballot reform. He says the best sentiment of the country in all the states, demands ballot reform and honest elections.

RAILROAD SURVEYS.

CITY OF MEXICO, VIA GALVESTON, Jan. 21.—The preliminary surveys of the Guadalajara and Chamela railroads are about to be begun. The road will pass through a very rich country.

DEATH OF A DISTINGUISHED DIVINE.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Nabhan Marcus Adler L. L. D., Chief Rabbi of the United Hebrew Congregations of the British empire, died to-day.

STILL SHOOTING FOR WAR.

LISBON, Jan. 21.—Four thousand merchants of the city, paraded the streets last night, shouting "War to England."

Two Important Witnesses.

The United States local inspectors have suspended operations in the investigation of the collision between the Oregon and Clan McKenzie for a few days, to await the arrival of the quartermaster and lookout who were on duty on the Oregon at the time of the collision. The testimony of these men will have great weight in determining whether or not Captain George A. Pease was blameable at all for the accident. The lookout was situated on the bow of the steamer, and just before the vessels struck he cried out to the pilot something which was not understood. The quartermaster is the man who had charge of the wheel at the time. The men went to San Francisco immediately after the accident and will arrive on the next steamer—Telegram, 20.

Last Night's Play.

The presentation of "Ingomar, the Brave" by the John S. Lindsay Dramatic Co. was not attended by so large an audience as it should have been. Mr. Lindsay is an accomplished tragedian and is supported by a strong and talented company. The play was full of interesting situations, from beginning to end, and was admirably presented. Its presentation was positively a refreshing change from the average company that attempts tragedy, and the audience was delighted with this thrilling love story.—Albany Herald.

A New Firm in Business.

The firm of Van Dusen & Co. open their doors for business this morning. It is composed of Brenham and H. G. Van Dusen, two well known and energetic young men, who have a finely fitted up suite of offices, from a new building on Genevieve street. Insurance, real estate and commission business will be transacted, and the Messrs. Van Dusen start under the most favorable auspices.

The business at upper town, formerly conducted by H. G. Van Dusen, will be in the future attended to by John Hay.

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Sarsaparilla over one year and a half, but no cure. I went to two of these doctors and no cure. I cannot praise the CUTICURA REMEDIES too much. They have made my skin as clear and free from scales as a baby's. All I used of them were three boxes of "Cuticura" and three bottles of "Cuticura Resolvent," and two boxes of Cuticura Soap. If you had been here and said you would have cured me for \$500, you would have had the money. I looked like the picture in your book of psoriasis (picture number two), "How to Cure Skin Diseases", but now I am clear as any person ever was. Through force of habit I still scratch my arms and legs to scratch scales in a white, but to no purpose. I am all well. I scratched 28 years, and it cost me a thousand dollars. I thank you a thousand times.

DENNIS DOWNING, Waterbury, Vt.

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The new Blood and Skin purifier and best of humors remedies, internally and Cuticura, the great Skin Cure, and Cuticura Soap, an exquisite Skin Beautifier, externally, speedily and permanently cure every case of itching, burning, scaly, crusty, pimply, scrofulous and hereditary diseases and humors of the skin, scalp and blood, with loss of hair, from pimples to scrofula.

Sold everywhere. Price, Cuticura, 25c; Soap, 25c; Resolvent, \$1. Prepared by the POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL COMPANY, Boston.

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