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CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

To-night: "The Great Metropolis." Reserved seats at the New York

low as ten cents a fathom, the white large number of cats to destroy the meaning price being 22½ cents. large number of cats to destroy the meaning of the members of the manus price being 22½ cents.

The Democratic state central com-

firms, but in comparison with both larger and smaller towns in Oregon and Washington, as far as population is concerned, this city has less than

cluded that it would be better to have the click, click of the tonsorial shears an artistic success even at the expense of a little delay.

Accordingly the play was not put on the stage last night, but will be presented this evening, and to-morrow evening with all the careful detail and scenic surroundings that have made that play so continued a success

THE MOTOR LINE

the Seaside cannery.

There will be about twenty men em-

mented as the work progresses. PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Stout, of Sea View, is in town. Geo. Hunter, of Cathlamet, is

K. Osborn has been appointed a notary public.

Alex. Bemstein and L. L. Greentree, of Portland, are at the Occident. I. D. Austin, and S. K. Stanley, of

Sea Side came to town yesterday. Geo. W. Williams, of Portland, came lown last night and is at the Parker

Jacob Yrongruist is tired of owing allegiance to a Russian czar and has filed his first papers for citizenship in

MARINE NEWS AND NOTES.

The Cornein went out yesterday morning on a cruise north. The Santa Rosa leaves for Califor nia this morning. Among her freight are a dozen Columbia river fishing The Santa Rosa came down yester-

day and goes out to sea this morning. She received quite an increase in the amount of her freight here by taking on a large supply of box material.

The Manzanita returned from Portland and up the river yesterday. She has done considerable work and the channels will be much improved the channels will be much improved. in consequence by her arranging of can help it".

The State of California arrived resterday. In the morning a report Hall on Saturday evening under the auspices of the Alpha Social club. The grand march will be played at 7 o'clock. Utzinger's orchestra will furnish the music: admission one dollar. Wednesday and hence would not be here before to-day, but to the surprise of many she came in during the after-noon. The "Great Metropolis" com-pany were on board. She carried 38 tons of freight for Astoria and drew 1714 feet of water aft. The tide was quite low and when the steamer started from the wharf, the water became a little muddy. Some observers standing near by thought she must have touched bottom, but in reality it was the dirt and ashes which were emptied out. Captain Ackley reported head winds nearly all the way up. This is what delayed her arrival. The list of passengers was a little smaller than on gers was a little smaller than on mer trip.

Lost. Gold glove buttoner; return to Occi-st hotel har and receive reward. F. D. RICHARDSON. AN INVASION OF CATS.

On the Mississippi.

ing special pains to put as many of them as possible into the hands of the martyr, Dr. Marcus Whitman, to farmers, who had come in to sell their erect a \$20,000 monument to the mem-

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The Astoria Drum Corps was out in trade. The place I was in had 8,000 or 10,000 inhabitants and was the shipping port for all the grain raised for miles around, as well as the place monument fund, now in Ladd's bank,

The Chinamen are competitors for tiser had a contract with a certain was presented by secretary Holden this kind of work; knitting nets for as steamboat company for furnishing a and adopted subject to the ratirats and mice that were very numer-ous about the wharehouses at differ- who will have an opportunity to ex-The last cold snap started another ent landings along the river. He press any objections they may have at crop of la grippe sufferers. Snuffling, therefore offered \$3 for each full-n special meeting of the society, to be successing and coughing are both very grown tom cat, \$2 for each healthy held in this city on Thursday, March frequent now. The warm sun yester female puss and 50 cents a head for 13th. day afternoon was fully appreciated kittens old enough to get their own by those who were out of doors.

It would seem as if Astoria had a remarkable number of real estate firms, but in comparison with the old riddle about St. Ives;

Each sack had seven cats, Each cat had seven kits. Kits, cats, sacks and wives,

The jury in the case of Wingate and Stone vs Herman Wise, disagree after about a vacant building near the landing out all day, and were dising. The man who was to purchase cause of Christianity and eivilization, charged last night at 9 o'clock by Judge the cais was nowhere in sight. The Dr. Marcus Whitman. Taylor. They were about evenly divided. The court then adjourned to until 9 oclock this morning.

The Republican state central committee will meet at Portland next wednesday to fix on the time and began amusing themselves by untying the bags and letting out the Wednesday to fix on the time and cast. Of course the casts began fight and there of holding the state convention. the number of members each county is entitled to, etc. Samuel Elmore is and the animals rushed pell-mell into the committeeman from this county.

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The boys took after the cats, and the But Will Be Given This Evening, men joined in, determined to rid the town of the feline invaders. The next morning there were a good many stray The Maguire, Rial & Morris compay arrived from San Francisco on good many dead ones lying in the steamer State of California at a streets and alleys. One boatman said streets and alleys.

echoing through the shop.

Grading will begin in the vicinity of in that line have been many.

E. I. McCoustland of Albany, Or. tained by those gentlemen during the four years of active duty in the cus-

Dempsey Will Be Heard from Soon,

He said that McCarthy was only

during the contest was not put on for into 200 she effect, but he knew the man was having \$72.50 each. hard work to come to him at the beginning of each round son, When asked about LaBlanche and gins. the prospects of a fight with him, he said: "LaBlanche knows he has got to accept my challenge or go branded as a coward, so he has made out this

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ember the Austin house at the

A SPECIAL MEETING

newspaper reporter—were in a barber shop yesterday, waiting their turn. They looked at Puck and Harper's and talked about the ice at The Dalles and the prize fight that an ex-mayor put up \$50 for, and lots of other things, and at last got talking about cats.

"When I was living in a steamboat town on the Mississippi," remarked one of these present, "there was a fellow who put up a very neat job on the inhabitants, against whom he must have had some terrible gradge. He is advertised at the proposition of the probable failure in the more recently organized Whitman college, is president of Whitman college, is president. The habit of turning out of bed in the middle of the night of the night of the night of turning of R. W. Mor-monal college, is one people; let them enjoy it. But it is only folly to lay down a general rule upon the subject. Some men are fit for nothing all day after they have rissen early every morning. Some people can, by the college of the middle of the night o

grain.

"That was before the railroads came ory of Whitman on the spot where he to take business away from the river towns, some of which had an immerse."

Ory of Whitman on the spot where he mean papers proving the necessity of it, let no one be goose enough to do it.

We all know the model man, aged very plenty at present; the most of the claims now come from Shoalwater bay.

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kittens old enough to get their own Resolved, That the fund now in living. All the eats were to be de-hand collected by the Oregon Pioneer livered at a certain place in the town and Historical Society, and contrib-on a Thursday evening—the night uted by the donors for the special purmittee will meet at the Chemekete hotel in Salem on the 19th of March to call a state convention and apportion delegates, etc. C. J. Trenchard is the committeeman from this in wagons, on foot and on horseback, and every person carried a sack, some of them several. It reminded me of the necessary steps toward trans-

ferring the sam Resolved, That the said fund shall Feb. 27 be so transferred only on condition that it be used in carrying out the How many were going to St. Ives? object for which it was created, viz., to By evening between 3,000 and 4,000 aid in the construction of a monument cats had been brought into that de-commemorative of the massacre by

Good for Stock.

It is a lucky thing for the people of Oregon that they cannot raise corn so cheaply as those of the Missouri valley regions can. Of all the food ever prodismissed on motion. duced Indian corn is the most tempting to the careless or lazy feeder. It is so easy to gather up arms full and baskets full and throw out to the stock or empty wagon loads over the vast baskets full and throw out to the stock or empty wagon loads over the vast cattle fichis, or to leave the corn on the stalks for the cattle to help themselves to help themselves the stalks for the cattle to help themselves the cattle to help themselves the stalks for the cattle to help them streets and alleys. One boatman said the stalks for the cattle to help themseemery aboard that the lateness of the hour made it impossible for them to have it properly placed.

So much depends on the arrangement and setting of stage effects and in this case there is such a wealth of seemery that the company wisely concluded that it would be better to have the click, click of the tonsorial shears.

Sittects and alleys. One boatman said the stalks for the cattle to help themriver. The man who perpetrated the joke was never seen in the place again, luckily for him.

"Do you expect anybody to believe this yarn?" asked a man of about the first speaker's age.

"Has anybody been asked to believe the body, food must re-supply whatever is lost. In time the horses get big head or their legs break under the click, click of the tonsorial shears. selves. So when corn is very cheap why feed anything else? In this state of things disease soon breaks out among ned.

Astoria & South Coast Ry. Co. vs George Hill; demurrer to answer, argued. in proof of this. At some experiment land, says the To-day the outgoing custom house officials will turn over the office its hereditaments and appurtenances the Missouri agricultural college rethereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining to the incoming officials, walking along have broken who, to-morrow will take charge their legs when making a little "But I mean a bloody good 'ouse—" Werk on it Will Begin To-day.

Without much flourish of trumpets the Messrs. Taylor have gone ahead with their motor line project, purchased rails and other material, and to-day begin the work of building the with their motor line project, purchased rails and other material, and today begin the work of building the
road.

Contector roadsol and missistants, one and all, during their
weeks just prior to marketing. It is
"None better in the land. The preswere ever too busy or hurried to give
a reporter information, and the favors

assistants, one and all, during their
weeks just prior to marketing. It is
"None better in the land. The president and his wife stop there all the
corn are stunted into mere gobs of fat. The great bone producers are beans, a that line have been many.

In Mr. Heilborn's furniture rooms peas, oats, barley, and wheat. Strange rooms to say that furnitus, ruta bagas, beets,

Arriving at the gate leading to the is a handsome chair; it is what may to say that turnips, ruta bagas, beets, ployed under the supervision of H. B. Thielson, which number will be augmented as the work progresses.

be styled "an easy chair," finely deco-tic, fed to stock enlarge their digestive powers and enable them to take to go and engage the rooms. He Higgins, Ferguson, Dealy and Boeldonble the quantity of flesh that expectation of the powers and enable them to take to go and engage the rooms. He ling to Collector Hobson on the occasion of his retirement from office, as a mark of personal regard and a bonemakers.

Articles of incorporation were ye terday filed in the county clerk's office incorporating the Astoria Abstract Title and Trust Co. The duration of the incorporation is unlimited. The Jack Dempsey, the "Nonpareil", object is to buy, sell and manage real came up on the State yesterday en route to Portland, where his wife's folks live. He was looking very well and in good enough condition for another fight.

estate, and construct, lease and dispose of buildings thereon, and lend and borrow money, collect rents, and act as agent and depository, and conduct a general real estate business, the duct a general real estate business, examine titles to real estate, make abplay for him and that he really pitied stracts of titles, etc. The amount of him. His apparent sympathy for him the capital stock is \$14,500, divided into 200 shares of the par value of

The incorporators are E. Z. Ferguson, C. J. Trenchard and J. E. Hig-

Remarkable Resenc.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS. MRS. WINSLOW'S SOUTHING SYRUP should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, so tens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind cholic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle

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The latest style of Gents' Boots and shoes at P. J. Goodman's.

Children Cry & Pitcher's Castoria

A Feline Army Turned Loose in a Town Of the Oregon Pioneer and Historical No General Rule Can Be Laid Down

Three men—two canners and a A meeting of the executive commit-newspaper reporter—were in a barber tee of the Oregon Pioneer and Histor-moonshine. The habit of turning out

inhabitants, against whom he must have had some terrible grudge. He carrying out the original proposition to the some into the town one day and distributed hand bills right and left, taking special pains to put as many of the founder of the late Hon. The said yoft can work so well in the morning. Some people can, but others can work best at night; others, again in the afternoon. Long trial and experiment form the only coning special pains to put as many of the probable failure in the morning. Some people can, but others can work so well in the morning. Some people can, but others can work so well in the morning. Some people can, but others can work best at night; others, again in the afternoon. Long trial and experiment form the only coning special pains to put as many of the probable failure in the morning. Some people can, but others can work best at night; others, again in the afternoon. Long trial and experiment form the only coning special pains to put as many of the probable failure in the morning. clusive tests upon these points. As for getting up early because Professor All-Gammon has written letters to the

We all know the model man, aged 80: "I invariably rise at 5; I work three hours, take a light breakfast namely, a cracker and a pinch of salt; work five hours more; never smoke, never drink anything but barley-water; eat no dinner, and go to bed at 6 o'clock in the evening." If any-body finds that donkeyfied sort of a life suits him by all means let him continue it. But few people would care to live to 80 on these terms. If a man can not get all withered and crumpled up on easier conditions than those it is almost as well that he should depart before he is a nuisance to himself and a bore to

everybody else. Schoolboys and young people gen-erally ought to get up early, for it is found that nine-tenths of them can stand it and it does them good. But let no one torture himself with the thought that he could have been twice as good a man as he is if he had risen every morning at daylight. The habit would kill half of us in less than five

CHECUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

C. Hansen vs. E. Hedges and M. Devol; judgment on verdict. State of Oregon vs. Joe Baker; pleads not guilty and former acquittal on same charge. Trial Saturday

Wingate and Stone vs. Herman E. P. Parker vs. J. A. Richardson; order appointing F. P. Hobson to

make service of complaint State of Oregon vs. Wang Hi; et als motion made for separate trial, denied. Bergman & Marion vs. H. A. Smidt; motion for judgment for want of an-swer and motion for continuance. Both denied and given until 3 P. M. to

State of Oregon vs Henrick Nelson; B. Burk vs Victor Hansen; appeal

A Good Washington Hotel,

Harry Askin, who travels ahead of big head or their legs break under the animal's weight. Thousands of remarkable incidents could be related chorus recently imported from Engstations hogs have been confined to soft. The company had just arrived in

"Let's get a cab and drive hover.

token of esteem, as well as a memento of the pleasant official relations susly, however, he recovered sufficiently to relate his experience, as follows:
"I went up to the door, don't cher
know, an' a bloomin' colored chap in
buttons answered the bell. When I asked 'im where the clerk's desk was he looked at me like as I was crazy, an' said as there was no clerk at the White house, except a man no Halford, an' he was still abed. thought this was strange, you know, but I hoverlooked it an' asked the black bloke if I could 'ave a room. Then the blarsted snoozer burst out a-laughing, an' I got mad, and when he said as 'ow they didn't run a 'otel I thought as he was a-joking of me, and was a-going to punch 'is 'ead for 'im, when he told me the president's private residence was no 'otel. Then I knowed as 'ow you 'ad joked me."

accept my challenge or go branded as a coward, so he has made out this foolish condition of putting up his saloon. If he thinks I want that saloon he is mightily mistaken. I want a good, fair sum of money as the stakes. That place of his in San Francisco is not worth over \$1,500 to \$2,000. It is hard for him to get backers since my set to with McCarthy. which may be the reason why he depends on the saloon. I can simply say this, that in a short time I will be heard from, on La Blanche's offer. I will not let him get out of fighting if can help it".

There will be a social dance at Liberty

Mrs. Michael Curtain. Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold which settled on her langs; she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was treated a month by her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was to her family physician but grew worse. Ille told her she was to her family physicia

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W. L. Robb to O. P. Inderggard, lots 11, 12, blk 2, East Astoria.

Silas B. Plimpton to R. Mc-Math, land in T 8 N, R 6 W; lot 1, SW 14, sec 26; lot 4, sec 25, lot 4, John West donation land claim; SW 14 of sec 36, portion of lot 5, sec

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