

DOUBT is expressed in some quarters that C. P. Huntington means business. THE ASTORIAN thinks he does. There is one thing that we must bear in mind: while, to us, the railroad scheme is of vast importance, to him it is among the least of many similar enterprises. He is a man of large affairs, tremendous business interests, and wide spread projects. That he can cover so much is a marvel, and nothing but the fact that he is the foremost railroad man of the day makes it possible to carry on so much.

That he means just what he says and says just what he means is evinced by his attention to requirements. A condition consequent upon the recent raising of the \$200,000 subsidy, was that a party of surveyors should be put in the field by Huntington on or before June 15th.

June 15th is to-day. The surveyors started to work yesterday, thus complying with the letter and spirit of the agreement. The surveyors are now at Cornelius, Washington Co., and will resume work leading this way to-morrow. This is illustrative of the fact that Huntington means business.

The newly elected officers of the county take office on the 7th of next month. For the first time in its history, Clatsop county will have a recorder of conveyances, who will have the handling of all the papers relating to the transfer of real estate. Hitherto this has been done by the county clerk. The county court will probably make provision for the new officer's quarters. The grand jury room is large and convenient. The recorder should have a safe for his papers and books of record.

MARLAND and Missouri statesmen have written THE ASTORIAN voluminous letters regarding the silver question. It is, indeed, an important question, especially to newspaper men, on weekly paydays.

MARION county farmers are setting Chinese pheasant's eggs under plain, ordinary hens; when hatched the young pheasants command fancy prices from tourists and others.

VILLARD'S latest victory is to secure an entry into New York city for the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

ASTORIA'S houses are numbered: now for the delivery of letters from house to house.

This year's census will give Oregon two congressmen.

THREE YEARS AGO. A Long List of People Cured by Dr. Darrin in California Three Years Ago. Thus Showing the Permanency of the Electric Cures.

Mrs. H. F. Bailey, Benicia, Cal. Total deafness in one ear twelve years, caused by entarial troubles; cured last May and remains permanent.

Mrs. K. Desworthe, Fresno, Cal. Cured two years ago of female weakness, falling of the womb, and change of life, also liver and kidney complaint.

Mrs. E. F. McKinley, 1307 1/2 Polk street, San Francisco. Deafness two years; cured in ten minutes.

J. H. Zweifel, 10 Hayes street, San Francisco. Catarrhal deafness fourteen years in one ear, and total deafness in the other, caused by paralysis of the drum and auditory nerve; both cured.

Chas. Rogers, 627 Grove street, San Francisco. Discharge of ear, deafness and noises in the ear since 6 months old; perfectly cured three years ago.

William Heiner's girl, 12 Dale place, off Golden Gate avenue, between Hyde and Leavenworth streets, San Francisco. Dropsy, heart disease and inflammatory rheumatism, limbs swollen to an enormous size, life despaired of; cured in one month.

Miss T. M. Jaquemin, telegraph operator at Berkeley, Alameda county, Cal. - Troublesome discharge of the ears, seven years; cured.

William Cummings, Jr., firm of Cummings Sons, American jewelers, 327 Kearney street, San Francisco. Paralysis of the muscles of the arms and shoulders and great pain; cured.

George Thistleton, editor Patriotic American, San Francisco, testifies to the cure of his daughter of deafness and soreness of the ear and side of the head.

Dr. Darrin's Place of Business. Drs. Darrin can be consulted daily at the Washington building, fourth and Washington streets, Portland, and Barlow Catlin building, Tacoma, Wash. Hours 10 to 5; evenings, 7 to 8; Sundays, 10 to 12. All chronic diseases, blood taints, irregularities in women, loss of vital power and early indiscretions permanently cured, though no references are ever made in the press concerning such cases, owing to the delicacy of the patients. Examinations free to all, and circulars will be sent free to any address. Charges for treatment according to patient's ability to pay. The poor treated free of charge from 10 to 11 daily. All private diseases confidentially treated and cures guaranteed. Patients at a distance can be cured by home treatment. Medicines and letters sent without the doctor's name appearing.

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Refer by a resolution to L. W. Case, Banker, Astoria, Oregon. Hon. J. L. Cowan, Mayor of Albany and President of the Lane County Bank. Tacoma National Bank.

THE "MANZANITA." How Unatilla Reef Received Its Name. The steamer Manzanita, Capt. Richardson, returned last evening. The second load for the Destruction island lighthouse was safely landed and at 10 Friday morning she went up to Unatilla reef and changed the whistling buoy which marks that dangerous rock.

Many people are unaware of how this reef received its name. A number of years ago the steamer Unatilla, then a collier, struck on this hidden reef and was deserted by her crew. From a distance, the mate of the steamer saw the vessel slide off the rock, and he went back and took the steamer up the coast, where she afterwards, by carelessness of those on board in opening wrong valves or pipes, filled with water and sank. She was raised soon after, converted into a passenger steamer, electric lights put in and thoroughly remodeled, and is now a fine steamer doing a good business.

From this steamer, the reef was named Unatilla, is so recorded on the coast charts, and will henceforth be known as such.

Capt. Richardson has received orders to have the Manzanita at San Francisco by the first of July, where the old boiler will be taken out and a new one put in. This will keep the vessel in that city for a month or more, but previous to her departure she will go to Destruction island with the third and last load of iron for the lighthouse, then to Tatoosh island lighthouse with supplies, and also to Tillamook rock with supplies.

Coming from California. The steamer State of California is due from San Francisco this morning with the following passengers: J. M. Menefee and wife, E. A. Lindsay, J. W. Reed, A. Lammehugh and wife, H. B. Rounds, G. V. Smith, J. C. Rennie, R. H. Kallep, H. L. Kirkman, Mrs. J. A. Wall, Mrs. Harper, W. D. Buckley and wife, Miss C. Ronalds, A. H. Emanuel, L. Wolfeld, E. Bannard, H. Klainsh, M. Klainsh, J. L. Stickels, Miss H. Carleton, Miss K. Wells, Miss Broken, Ada Wheeler, S. C. Mavens, J. J. Reeds, Miss H. A. Mallin, H. Adler, Jessie Hales, Linn Wilson, Annie Monroe, Annie Hix, C. A. Welch, H. Hamburg, Mr. Ray, Mr. Malden, Mr. Blake, R. Lindsay, C. Kloss, J. Wilderman, G. A. Booth, Mr. Hanson, Mr. Lawrence, Mrs. Rodgers, Mrs. A. Watson, C. G. Whalen, Rev. F. H. Ledere.

Passengers to Portland. The following is the list of passengers having rooms, who went up the river last evening on the steamer Telephone: G. G. Shively, F. R. Reed, G. W. Jones, F. W. Warner, T. Healey, Frank Watts, H. L. Thompson, R. Peterson, B. H. Kent, H. Winters, R. M. Stewart, J. Wolfeld, W. F. Johnson, M. Bessdorf, M. M. Govers, M. Binnie, J. A. McKinnie, J. Franzier, Miss Arams, L. A. Hewitt, A. L. Mills, M. Mulford, J. Brennan, M. Jackson, C. A. McCauley, J. McCauley, M. Beckwith, M. Wallace, F. H. Page.

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The Steamer Eclipse. Will make regular trips to Knappa and Swineson's Landing on Saturdays, leaving Knappa at 7:30 A. M., and leaving Wilson & Fisher's dock at 2 P. M. For freight or passage apply to the captain, on board.

Salmon Cans. The Pacific Can Co. is prepared to furnish packers with salmon cans in quantities to suit. For rates and prices apply to or address F. P. Kendall, at office of Columbia River Packing Co., Astoria.

Houses For Rent. Apply at the Pacific Real Estate Co. Coffee and cake, ten cents, at the Central Restaurant.

Perfection Fruit Jars, at Thompson & Ross.

For fine variety of Numbers for your buildings, call on Judge Jewett.

Strawberry season is pretty nearly over. A few crates still received daily by Thompson & Ross.

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