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THE GLORIOUS Fourth of July

ASTORIA Will Celebrate in Grand Style

And Wants Neighboring Towns and Cities to Join in, and to Their Residents Extends a Cordial Welcome.

Come One. Come All.

There will be Boat Races, Firemen's Contests, Fat Man's Races, Speech Making, Music, Cannon Firing and Fireworks.

PROGRAM:
President of the Day—J. H. D. Gray.
Orator—A. G. Hardesty.
Reader—Frank Bewley.
Chaplain—Rev. Dr. Garner, L. L. D.
Salute of 13 Guns, at sunrise.
11 A. M.—Grand Parade.
12 Noon—National Salute of forty-two guns.
12 to 1 P. M.—Lunch.
1:30 P. M.—Fat Man's Race, up Main street, for a purse of \$10.
2:30 P. M.—Tender Race, on Water street. First prize, \$15; second, \$5.
3 P. M.—Two hundred-yard Footrace for Firemen only, for a prize of a \$25 gold medal.
3:30 P. M.—Boys' Footrace, for those under 12 years of age. Prize, \$5.
4 P. M.—Horse Race. First prize, \$50; second, \$25.
5 P. M.—Walking Tight Rope over the water, for a \$5 prize.
5 P. M.—Grand display of Fireworks on the hill, which will be followed by a Ball at the Opera House, under the auspices of the General committee, the proceeds to be used to defray the general expenses.

In addition to the prizes already named above, the General committee will pay three Prizes for the best decorated buildings. The first prize will be \$25, the second \$15 and the third \$10. C. J. CREIGHTON, Chairman Gen. Com.

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Notice.
BILLS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE Board of Directors of School District No. One, until July 20, 1890, for 50 cents. Spence bonds and 25 cents for, to be delivered at the school house in said district by Sept. 15, 1890.

The directors reserve the right to reject any and all bills.
By order, etc.
J. W. CONN, Chairman.
J. G. HUSTLER, Clerk.
Astoria, June 26th, 1890.

F. H. SURPRENANT & CO.,
County Coroner.

First Class Undertaking
ESTABLISHMENT.

New Styles, Caskets and funeral material sent to ASTORIA office.

Talk is Cheap—It's Quality that Sells.

TANSILL'S PUNCH 5¢



ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A source of purity, strength and wholesomeness. Not economical than the ordinary kind, and not not to be sold in competition with the inferior kind of low test, short weight, adulterated powders. Sold only in tins. Beware of cheap imitations.

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Specialties:
Cannery Supplies

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H. EKSTROM,
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A NEW ENTERPRISE.

H. D. Thing and C. E. Miller,
PROPRIETORS.

REGENBLOOD PURIFIER
HEALTH GIVER

THE OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER
(PUNFINDER)
KIDNEY & LIVER REGULATOR

WELCOME WYOMING.

Bill for the Admission of the Forty-Third State Passes the Senate.

MARINECASUALTY COMING HOME

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—It is expected that the United States steamer *Richmond*, now on her way home from Brazil, will reach Hampton Roads, Va., tomorrow. She has on board Admiral Gillis, lately ordered from the command of the south Atlantic station, and now coming home in the flagship under command of Capt. Allen Reed, with whom the admiral is not on speaking terms.

The admiral preferred charges against the captain, for discharging a cook without permission, and the captain retorted by filing counter charges, based on the failure of the admiral to furnish him with copies of the specifications. It is hinted around the department that captain Reed is a victim of persecution by his superior officer.

The general impression is that the return of the *Richmond* will be the signal for the publication of almost as interesting a scandal as that furnished by the *Enterprise*.

HAIL, WYOMING.

The Forty-Third Star to Our National Banner.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The senate today passed the bill for the admission of Wyoming as a state, yeas 29, nays 18, a strict party vote.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The senate in executive session today confirmed the following nominations: For collector of customs, Max Praecht, of the district of Alaska; R. P. Earhart, of the district of Willamette, Oregon; P. Palmer, to be agent for the Indians of the Cheyenne river agency, South Dakota.

The following postmasters for Oregon were confirmed: M. T. Nolan, The Dalles; Mrs. Minnie Washburn, Eugene.

Candidates Wanted.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The civil service commissioners will hold examinations in San Francisco and Portland, some time next month, to secure eligible candidates for appointments as topographic aids on geological surveys.

A PERSECUTED OFFICIAL.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The postmaster-general has been compelled to send a guard of men to White Springs, Florida, to protect the postmaster there, C. L. Morrison. Sometime ago Morrison was appointed to succeed O. K. Paxton, a "hold over" from Cleveland's administration. He appears to have been very unpopular, and a systematic boycotting was immediately instituted by the inhabitants of the town who mailed and received letters, through a small post office a few miles distant.

Not satisfied with this, Morrison's enemies concocted a conspiracy to annoy him as much as possible. They succeeded in getting an ignorant white man, named Lewis, to believe that he had been appointed a detective, and a fraudulent warrant, calling for Morrison's arrest, was given to Lewis, with the assistance of a man named Morgan, arrested Morrison, bound him with ropes, and took him to Salt Lake City, thirty miles away.

The fraudulent character of the arrest was discovered by the citizens of Salt Lake city, and Lewis and Morgan were compelled to release Morrison, after which they themselves were locked up in jail. Lewis, discovering the fraud which had been perpetrated on him, turned states evidence.

On his testimony, Morgan, ex-postmaster Paxton, principal Skipworth, of the Florida state normal school, assistant principal Guilman and a Mr. Colton, said to be the richest man in Hamilton county, were indicted. Morgan was sentenced a fine of \$1,000, and the others were placed under heavy bonds. Morrison's life was again threatened by some of the conspirators, with the result that the department has determined to protect the postmaster with an armed guard.

For the Sick and the Dead.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Contracts for the care of seamen, etc., for the next fiscal year, have been awarded on the Pacific coast, by supervising surgeon-general Hamilton, of the marine hospital service, at Port Townsend, Washington. The hospital patients are to be cared for in the United States marine hospital, A. G. Smith, manager, to provide for the burial of deceased patients at \$9.50 each.

AN INTERESTING DECISION

In a Railroad Land Case.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Secretary Noble today rendered a decision in the ex-parte case of C. M. Wells, whose application to purchase a tract of 320 acres of land in Los Angeles, Cal., land district had been rejected by the commissioner of the general land office.

The land is within the primary limits of the grant to the Southern Pacific railroad and also within the indemnity limits of the forfeited grant to the Atlantic and Pacific railroad company.

Wells' application to purchase is made under the act of March 3rd, 1887.

The commissioner rejected the application for the reason that it was prematurely made, the land having been reserved awaiting adjudication by the court.

The Doctor Will be Relieved.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Secretary Windom has written a letter to the United States appraiser at New York, inclosing a copy of the report to the committee appointed to investigate the charges against Dr. Edward Sherer, and saying "The department concurs in the conclusions of the committee, and you are instructed to release Dr. Sherer immediately from the charge of the sugar laboratory, and assign another chemist to the duty of polarizing sugars at your port."

RIS OF INFORTUNE.

The estimates of population by the new census range from 63,000,000 to 67,000,000.

The population of the United States in 1890, was 58,553,983. In 1880 it was 50,155,781.

New York's taxable wealth is put at \$2,000,000,000. The city's property is estimated at \$300,000,000.

An ordinary police court recorder in New York city gets \$12,000 salary. The governor of the state gets \$10,000.

The population of Africa is now estimated at 325,000,000. The area is three times that of Europe, the population being about equal.

The life-saving service is maintained at an annual cost of less than \$300,000; and during the last year it saved 787 lives, and property valued at \$5,000,000.

According to the census of 1890, the manufacturers having the largest capital were: Iron, \$281,000,000; cotton goods, \$220,000,000; lumber, sawed, \$181,000,000; flour mills, \$177,000,000; and foundries; \$155,000,000.

The City Girl at the Seaside.

The city girl goes to the seaside for recreation, and incidentally to rope in a wealthy husband. She generally succeeds in securing a young man who is reputed to be worth a million of money, but who in reality is a little clerk on his week's vacation, and who is also on the lookout for a wealthy partner. It is needless to remark that their surprise on finding out that they have both been deceived is very great, and is somewhat similar to that of the tramp who took a drink from a demijohn under the impression that it was whisky, only to find, after it is too late, that it was only water.

The drear months of winter are occupied by the city girl in preparing stunning costumes for the seaside, in order, as she tells her dear, scheming mamma, to "hit 'em hard." Her bathing costume suggests to the sensible onlooker that she should be hit hard with a single and put to bed. It is as brief as the reply of a man who is asked to subscribe for the erection of a new church.

It is indeed an amusing sight to see the city girl at the seaside, attired in her best, using all her artificial coquetry in a mighty effort to make an impression on a young millionaire, who, in the city, during business hours, puts father in your mouth and shouts "Next!" in a corner barber shop.

More Free Advertising.

The *Democrat*, the representative journal of Baker county, and which has earned an enviable reputation for itself among its contemporaries by persistent labor for many years past, does not propose to give the infant *Blade*, a sheet that has hardly passed its first "moon," and which has a reputation to get any more free advertising. The *Democrat* is perfectly willing to discuss questions of public interest, and, unlike the *Blade*, has a higher mission to perform than to fill its columns with rot in running down its contemporaries. Now, Mr. Cromwell, if you expect any mention in the *Democrat* you will have to step up to the captain's office and pay for it at the rate of ten cents a line, and we will advertise you in good shape. We have our ideas in regard to running a newspaper, and we are perfectly willing that you may have the same privilege. In the future we will endeavor to pay no attention to low and contemptible attentances and let them go unnoticed.—*Baker City Democrat*.

Try the Columbia Bakery and satisfy yourself where you can do the best.

2,000 PEOPLE PERISHING

With Hunger, Weakness and Misery, Stagger as They Walk.

A PITIFUL APPEAL FOR AID.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

New York, June 27.—A few days ago it was thought the cloakmakers' strike was ended, but now 2,000 people are starving. The men are so weakened by hunger that they stagger as they walk, and famished children are crying in vain for bread. Of the 10,000 people idle, some are barely able to live, but others are dependent on charity and have lived for days on bread and water only.

Professor Gariside, president of the clock-makers' union has made strong appeals to other organizations for aid, which has been responded to, but there were so many people without food that the money offered is only a drop in the bucket. Professor Gariside was seen yesterday afternoon and described the condition of things as deplorable.

The Heavy Suit is Dismissed.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

CHICAGO, June 27.—A sensation was caused here this afternoon, by the filing of a stipulation, dismissing the suit of Charleston against the Chicago gas trust. It was on this suit that Col. George R. Davis was appointed receiver, and the dismissal of the suit will end his receivership.

A CRAZY FOOL.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WINCHESTER, Va., June 27.—Charles Seymour, of Manchester, in a fit of their way to the morning, struck Charles Harding, a jeweler, who was boarding with him, with a flat iron on the back of the head, knocking him down, and struck him three times after he was down.

Seymour's wife tried to run to alarm the neighbors, when he also struck her with a flat iron, knocking her down an embankment in front of the house.

He then went back and struck his five-year-old son with the iron, and to finish it all, cut his throat with a pen-knife, severing his windpipe, and also stabbed himself in the abdomen.

At seven o'clock this evening, all the parties were living, but Seymour and Harding will not recover, and the others are in a critical state but may recover. There is some evidence that Seymour was jealous of his wife, though there does not seem to be any cause for the jealousy.

No Doubt They Are Dead.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

DUNBAR, Penn., June 27.—The rescuers had not succeeded in cutting their way into the Hill farm mine at noon, but were expecting to break through at any moment. There is almost no hope that the imprisoned men are alive.

Wholesale Indictment.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 27.—The grand jury today indicted every brewer and distiller of this city, for a violation of the high license law, passed by the legislature.

RUIN'S WORK.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

CARBON, Wyo., June 27.—The business part of the town was burned this morning. The loss is \$100,000, and there is only a small insurance. The fire started in a room in one of the hotels, in which a drunken man had been put to sleep.

Early Hour for Hanging.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

PINE CITY, Minnesota, June 27.—At 3:30 this morning in the city jail, William B. Rooker was hanged for the murder of his brother-in-law, Wm. Coombs, and wife, last November.

Will Maintain the Rates.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

NEW YORK, June 27.—The presidents of the seaboard trunk lines spent the day considering the east bound rate war, and decided to recommend to the general traffic association to restore the rates.

Grover's Decision is Reversed.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

NEW YORK, June 27.—The decision of Grover Cleveland, as referee, in the case of Philips vs. Verner, has been overruled by judge Cox, of the United States court.

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.

A thief who robbed a house at Wilkesbarre, Pa., took a bath and arrayed himself in clean linen and a fresh suit before he left.

SAD DROWNING.

Roscoe Goss and Two Boys Go Over the Dam at Albany.

OAKLAND CARPENTERS' STRIKE.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

SEATTLE, June 27.—The jury in the case of Daniel W. Ogle vs. city of Seattle and Geo. Lee, a suit for personal damages, which was tried yesterday in judge Stratton's court, brought in a sealed verdict this morning awarding the plaintiff damages for \$600, against the city of Seattle only.

EX-CITY TREASURER.

He is Still Largely in Arrears to the City.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

SEATTLE, June 27.—The deficit in the accounts of ex-city treasurer Isaac Parker, has not yet been made good. According to statements furnished, there is thousands of dollars due the city from this source.

Ex-treasurer Parker has repeatedly given out the impression that he was about to make good the amount, but thus far he has failed to keep his word in this regard. City attorney Piles, who was seen this morning, says a suit will be instituted against ex-treasurer Parker at once.

AN INFERNAL SCOUNDREL.

Hanging is Entirely too Good for Him.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 27.—An attempt at rape is said to have been made last evening about 7 o'clock, upon Theresa, a six year old daughter of Mrs. Trobec, of Miller street. John Cochrane, a half-breed Indian, was caught by B. A. Neelin in an out-house behind the Overland hotel, having hid there personally for the accomplishment of his purpose.

Upon being discovered, Cochrane took flight, but was captured an hour later, by officer Slater. Cochrane is about thirty years of age and claims to be a farm hand on the ranch of ex-sheriff, William Cochrane.

A SHARP FORGER.

He Victimizes Many Confiding People.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 27.—W. H. Carter, a clever forger, was out short in his crooked work last night about 9 o'clock, by detective J. L. Bark. Carter, by skillful use of pen and clever misrepresentations, has flooded sundry parties out of a total amount of perhaps \$200. Among the number are H. B. Burke, painter and paper hanger, Chas. B. Murphy, W. B. Ash, P. P. Wilson, G. B. Bowers, jeweler, and the famous restaurant. Still Carter has passed eleven bogus checks, and singular to say each one being for the same amount, \$50.

Deserted at Sea.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—Conrad Luns and Julius Caser were arrested today by the United States marshal, charged with stealing a boat, provisions, etc., from the ship *Challenger*, from which vessel they deserted on the high seas, and after knocking about on raft waters for five days, were picked up by United States men of war *Adams*, and brought to this port. Both men are colored.

The Wire Tappers Held in Jail.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—William Fallon and John W. Nagle, who were arrested for tapping the wires leading to the pool rooms, were held to answer in \$10,000 bail this afternoon.

Favor Increased Silver Coinage.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—The chamber of commerce this afternoon adopted a resolution recommending the coinage of five million silver dollars monthly.

THE STEAMER "ADAMS"

Getting Ready for Inspection.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—The United States steamer *Adams* is making ready for inspection, which will take place next week. One of the officers stated that the beautiful pennant of the steamer, which is over 400 feet long, is made of remnants of the flags of the wrecked United States vessels, *Vandalia* and *Trenton*.

PLENTY OF MONEY.

The Puritan Club Want to See a Big Fight.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—Moore Gunst, this afternoon, received a telegram from Dick Roche, of the Puritan club, of Long Island City, asking the former to see Jackson on behalf of the club, and get his final answer as to whether he will fight Sullivan at the Puritan club for \$20,000. Roche says he will guarantee Jackson fair play by putting up \$75,000 forfeit, to be drawn down if any interference is offered him.

OVER THE DAM.

Roscoe Goss and Two Boys Drowned.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

ALBANY, Or., June 27.—Roscoe Goss, tending the electric light station in this city, and two small boys, went out boat riding this afternoon intending to stay out but a little while. Not returning in time for supper their people became anxious and a searching party started out on the river where it was supposed they were lost in the woods, gathering blackberries. The river was searched further than it was expected they had gone. About 10:30 one of the searching parties found pieces of the boat below the dam, and shortly after more was found. The party went as close to the dam as safety would permit, but could not discover anything but the remaining portion of the boat, stranded up among the rocks. As yet none of the bodies have been found.

Goss leaves a wife and young child, also an aged mother who was living with him. Chas. informant McFarland, and young Matthews were about 9 years old each. McFarland was an orphan, his mother dying about five months ago. Matthews was the son of Mr. Matthews, of general stores at Matthews & Washburn, hardware dealers, in this city.

Search will be continued all night, although the prospects are not good for finding the bodies as the river has been rising lately.

THE SAILORS' MUTINY.

On Board a Chinese Man of War.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—The steamer *City of Rio De Janeiro* brought news to-day of a mutiny on the Chinese man of war *Nansheng*. The latter part of last month, while the vessel was lying at anchor undergoing repairs, the captain informed the men they would be given only half pay, when the latter displayed a mutinous spirit. The matter was reported to the commodore, who got a detachment of soldiers and went aboard.

When the captain proceeded to dole out half pay to the men, a free fight ensued, three soldiers being severely wounded with the stabs from the knives of the mutineers. The soldiers scrambled as best they could overboard and escaped, while the sailors looked up the commodore and captain, and proceeded to have a high festivity on board. They ultimately quieted down and released the captain and officers, who had fifteen of the ring-leaders arrested.

THE STRIKING CARPENTERS.

Building Operations Completely Stopped.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

OAKLAND, Cal., June 27.—The tie up of building operations to-day is nearly complete, consequence of a general strike ordered last night by the carpenters union. Before the present trouble began, there were 370 union carpenters employed in Oakland. Of these, about seventy struck last Monday, and all the others are supposed to be out now.

The carpenters think the contractors will necessarily submit to the terms proposed, but the builders also continue confident. The latter are now looking about for non-union men to enable them to complete the contracts which they have on hand.

A LENGTHY TRIAL.

Plenty of Money for the Lawyers.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—Henry E. Highton finished his closing argument in the Bythe case to-day, having spoken four days on behalf of the alleged widow. This concluded the entire argument, and the case was submitted to judge Coffey for decision. The trial of this great case was begun on the 15th of July, 1888. There were 208 witnesses examined, and depositions read of 139 other persons. The argument of the case was opened on the 10th of last April.

THE SOLDIERS.