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THE ASTORIAN guarantees to its subscribers the largest circulation of any newspaper published on the Columbia river.

A daughter was born last evening to the wife of Capt. B. F. Packard.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Alaska Packing Company this evening for the annual election of officers.

Griffin & Reed are still opening woods for the holiday trade. The display in their large double store is a treat to itself to visitors.

Intending purchasers will find it to their advantage to call at C. H. Cooper's during the forenoon, as in the rush during the afternoon hours the clerks are kept very busy.

The pilot on the pilot schooner *San Juan* now outside cruising around for ships speaks in the highest terms of the steamer's little craft and that in the late storm she behaved herself admirably. In fact they say she is far superior as a sea boat to any of the other schooners that have been on the Columbia river bar.

The British ship *Iron Cross* now in the harbor ready to sail for the United Kingdom has quite a history. The vessel was formerly a steamer ship and during the Crimean war in 1854 was used as a transport ship for French troops. At the conclusion of the war the vessel was a "tramp" steamer for several years and was then changed into a sailing vessel and put into the west trade.

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon the stockholders of the Astoria South Coast Railroad Company will make another attempt to elect a new board of directors. Yesterday's steamer from Portland brought a number of persons interested in the affairs of the road and the line was full of rumors. Some talk has been made looking toward a postponement again, but it is thought that any proposition in this connection will be doubtful.

Dr. Estes has a medal presented by the Pettibone Manufacturing Company, of Cincinnati. It is of aluminum, and is remarkable for its whiteness, lightness and strength. It is strong and quite ductile, capable of being drawn out as fine as silk. As one holds a piece of metal in the hand and realizes how nearly imperceptible is its weight, the adaptability of the metal to the construction of a flying machine naturally suggests itself.

Rev. Dr. Garner occupied the pulpit in the congregational church last evening, exchanging places with Rev. Dr. Hall. The gentleman preached on the subject, "Search the Scriptures." The argument of the speaker was that while people purchased and read works of fiction and other books, they were invariably dissatisfied. It was so in business life to a greater or less extent. The moral he drew was that if people would read the bible they would not be disappointed, and the book would prove both instructive and entertaining.

An Exciting Time.
 On Saturday evening a little after 5 o'clock quite an excitement occurred at the Clatsop mill on account of the steam drum of the boiler blowing out and for a while it was thought that the mill had blown up. However the damage was very light and repairing it will necessitate the closing down of the mill until after the holidays for repairs.

Passengers to Portland.
 The following is the list of passengers having rooms who went up the river last night on the steamer *R. R. Thompson*.
 F. Alden, J. D. McGowan, C. H. Wheeler, E. Row, Karl Gunderson and wife, Bishop Morris and wife, G. Hansen, Dr. Prentice and wife, Capt. H. Brown, J. Anderson, L. C. Kinney, Mrs. C. Linnemann, Mrs. J. McCann, Mrs. C. Anderson, Mrs. Cookey, Mrs. Earl, J. V. Egbert and wife, L. A. Loomis, J. C. Bryce, Thos. Denley, J. O. Hanthorn, W. B. Mayer, G. H. Hibbert, E. Dineh, O. H. Stott, J. G. Leible, A. Olsen, J. C. Beets, A. Chesebrough, P. W. Clouston, J. C. Mitchell, John H. Smith, A. W. Utzinger, W. H. Arna, W. Prant, N. Tinker.

Salmon Belies.
 For two or three days Morgan & Sherman have some fine Columbia river salmon belies in kit and half barrels.

Fine Table Wine.
 Delivered at 60 cents a gallon, to any part of the city. A fine line of pure California wines at low prices, at A. W. Utzinger's Occident saloon.

Real Furcheon Laces.
 Look at Mrs. McEwan's fine assortment, 326 Third street.

Hand in your orders early to the Oregon Bakery and avoid the rush.

Knacke-Brod
 och
 Norsk-Sill
 hos
 Parker & Hanson.

Mrs. Zumwalt has removed her dress-making parlors to 66 Front street, between Spruce and Madison, near the gas works, where she will be glad to receive her customers and friends.

A fine display of Christmas goods at the Banar, Stamping and Embroidery store to order. 45 Cass street.

Wanted.
 Position as planer man, or to work a bandsaw, or a slicker, or mortiser. Can file and hammer saws. Address "J. M.", care ASTORIAN.

Nothing Succeeds Like Success.
 It is verified by the fact that nearly everybody eats at Jeff's New Restaurant.

Nonpartial.
 Shanahan Bros. have the finest decorated window in Astoria. The magnificent display of fancy goods, suitable for holiday presents, is worth seeing.

Go to Olsen's for Cuban Blossoms, 10c

THE ONLY RESTAURANT—JEFF'S

THE BIG STORM OF YESTERDAY
The Wind Blew at the Rate of Sixty Miles an Hour.
VERY FEW MISHAPO REPORTED

One of the most severe gales that has visited this city for years prevailed yesterday and while the damage done was slight, the vessels in the river and alongside the wharves found it necessary to get out extra lines and anchors. It was a fair wind for incoming ships and early in the morning the British ship *Arduanarshan* which was battling with the cyclone outside ran into port. Pilot Doig was on board and under a full course of topsails and the wind and tide with her the vessel crossed the bar and came up to anchorage at a rate of speed that put a tug boat which tried to hook on to her to shame.

The velocity of the wind during the height of the gale, which was between 8 and 9 o'clock in the morning, could not be obtained owing to the line between this city and Fort Canby being down, but from statements of the pilot and officers on the ship which passed the point at that time, the register must have marked about 80 miles an hour. At 5 o'clock, when the last report from the point was received, the wind was whistling through the rigging of the vessels. Among them was the British steamer *Mongkut*, the captain of which came over the bar when it was breaking "feather white," and was in no danger of striking.

Very few accidents were reported, outside of several unloading sign boards and unsecured awnings.

Early in the forenoon the steamer *Reed* started up the river with the barge *Columbia* in tow. The tug and the tow got along all right until Tongue Point was reached. Then the steamer found it necessary to let go of the barge, a proceeding that the latter resented by taking a sheer to port and staying in the starboard houses of the *Reed*. The steamer backed away while the men on the barge let go the anchor. Later in the day the tug *Willows* went to Tongue Point and towed the barge to Brookfield.

The heavy sea in the river raised the mischief in the upper town section, and the plume on the roadway between McGregor's mill and Alldredrick was damaged to such an extent as to make it unsafe for teams to go over it.

For the Pacific Cable.
 Information has been received of the second season's work of her majesty's war ship *Enferia*, which has been detailed to make a systematic examination of the bed of the Columbia river, with the object of discovering the best route for a cable from Canada to Australia. Last year was spent at Auckland, New Zealand, and the Fiji group. The deepest sounding obtained south of the equator was 4,300 fathoms. Unfortunately, the nature of the bottom at this great depth was lost through the wire parting when hoisting in. Three islands of the Phoenix group were surveyed in sufficient detail to ascertain their suitability for a telegraph cable. The vessel is now further engaged with the survey of the work, and the British flag has been hoisted on all islands visited in the Pacific which are not under the protection of any other power.

The Albany Herald says: In a late issue of the *Oregonian* it was stated that Mrs. A. Curi, nee Miss A. Beers, was thought to be the first white child born in Oregon, her birth taking place in 1840. Mrs. Eliza Warren, a daughter of Rev. H. H. Spaulding, claims not only to be the first born child in Oregon, but as to west of the Rocky mountains, having been born in the year 1837, was present at the Whitman massacre, taken prisoner at that time by the Indians, and at present living on her farm two and one-half miles east of Brownsville, Linn county.

Don't Go Shabby
 But look out for the Famous Plymouthe Rock Pants Co's Pants to order from \$3.00 to \$8.25. Suits from \$13.25 to \$25.00. Overcoats from \$10.25 to \$25.00. Every garment guaranteed.

P. J. MEANY, Agent.
 There will be a special sale of children's and misses' hats, at reduced prices, for the next ten days at Mrs. Derby McKenney's, Cor. Main & Third St.

Fresh Clatsop eggs 40 cents per dozen at Thompson & Ross.

Weinhard's Beer.
 A fifteen ball Pool Table and all the leading newspapers on file at the Sunnyside Saloon.

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.

Cigars
 At Holmes, 640 Third street.

Go to the Columbia bakery for all kinds of cakes.

Charles Higgins, a colored man, from England, is now prepared to do all kinds of housework, heating, carpet cleaning, windows, offices, etc. Address this office.

The 8th series of the Astoria Building and Loan Association will be opened January 1st, 1891. All persons wishing to subscribe for stock will please call on the secretary on or before that date.
 W. L. Romm, Sec'y.

Candy and Nuts
 At Holmes, 640 Third street.

Excitement
 Runs high at J. W. Conn's drug store over System Builder, as everybody is using it for Catarrh of the stomach, Dyspepsia, Constipation and Impure blood, and to build up the system it certainly possesses a wonderful merit when all speak so well of it.

Fresh Oysters, Eastern Clams
 At John Rogers' market, opposite C. H. Cooper's, Third street.

A fine line of Cigars and Cigarettes can be found at the Columbia Bakery, 236 Third street.

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

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the Remedy for you. Sold by Th. Olsen.

"GRANGER'S SALMAGUNDI"
 He Further Reviews the Railroad Situation.

(THE TRIA EDDYTER)
 I hev bin ef sashayin' round sum sense I rih the letter can ther haf milyun subsidy. I hev been arie sorte of new ideas, sum on em very quare bet most uv em wuz soun on ther goose. Wun feller jes maad mee laif fit ter kill. Hee sed ef wuz ter raze a hufmilyun en offer ter enny bobby ez wuz er rale road man far ter bild us a rale rode hit would soun suckpishus like, ez ef ther wuz sum thin rong about our sity, that wud hed ter hire a rale rode ter bee bill heere. I tole himm ef wee didn't raze a subsidy 'n bild a rale rode ter a sitty wich hez ther fines nacheral advantsen in Ameriky, peepul wud sa ef wuz awie on akount uv them darned moskabs wnt hed noe moar sents than ter li on ther baks 'n let tha wurrald goe bi em, when tha eood git a fyne live sitty 'n bee rich bi er very small lot uv punk. An yer betcherlife them peepul wnt bitt ther male rite squar on ther heed. Bet mostly the ideas wuz senterbel. I sashayed up ter 'Portland on Den O'Neeshes boke, 'n I seide a Ni York Kappertalist erborde. Hee ax me ter liss stait 'n me ter haf a chett wth mee on ther silver kweshtyun. Hee hed a factory in Bridgeport, Kernechivy, 'n hed a hef wuz 2 seeder towns, 'n wuz on rode to Kallyform fer ter send tha winter, hi said. I ax himm how it wuz thena he hed got down hear. He sed hee jest dropped down fer ter see how things likd. Hee sed liss naim wair Granger, 'n wen I sed mi naim wair Granger, he wuz powful glad fer ter see mee. Hee sed hee hed red mi planm at the Ockseybet breakfast table 'n larfed et mi fyne spellin, but he wuz shure hit wud bild the rale road of these moss baks wud jes taik lit up. He sed thaer wuz 2 meeny Moss Baks in Astory; bet that in 'Tercomer ther wuz 200 live wuz Eastern wuz-dishes in jes wun klub 'n the jes maad things hum wth sech a unon of intellygenz 'n thet wuz whot wuz a makin' sich a grate sitty thare. I seide M. C. George M. C. awieso 'n he sed that the planm fur a guarantied subsidy link ter wuz boum ter bring a rale rode of Astorians hed sperrit enuff ter git a moove on. Them mi sentymen in 'n I noe tha hee got the sperrit 'n git far ter da it. Bed 'n I hev sum moare faks in da er ter ter subbit ter a intellygenz worrald.

Inn ther meenymie mi bruther Grainger wot keeps his eye open sez thare is er goin ter be a chelchies in ther South Coast ter rite of the dident postpone agin. Ime er think new thot ef Astoryans doant wantter bee called Billy Redes (Gesse) tha hed better elect mi bruther Grainger 'n S. Dell ter rite-recters 'n maik things redil bot outw-ll wee git thet hal millyun subside 'n hev a grate big rale rode bume ez wuz maik things liven up. Ez fer mi littal wun whot I led, mi bruther Grainger I shill wue hur strate fur directors 'n ter git onte uv Billy Redes leedin strings.

Yours Trewly,
 GRAINGER.

August Belmont's Deal.

The duel which resulted in laming August Belmont for life was the outcome of a chivalrous defense of womanhood. The young man, who was a theatre party in a box at Washington, and as they passed out they commented on the grace and beauty of a lady in another box. William Hayward, of South Carolina, overheard the remarks, made a remark which reflected brutally upon the whole sex. The young banker, though much smaller than the Southerner, hotly repented his comments. Facing the South Carolinian young Belmont said in deliberate tones: "The dog who would utter such a sentiment insults the memory of his own mother, and is unfit for the company of decent men." Hayward turned white with rage and replied: "You shall hear from me." Duelling was in fashion in those days and Belmont was challenged. He was wounded in the left leg below the knee and his opponent escaped unhurt. The young banker became the hero of the hour. The unwitting cause of the duel was Mrs. Oscar Coles, a well-known society lady. This was in 1841.—*Boston Journal*.

The Corinthian Bridge.
 The integrity of the Corinthian isthmus, the highway of yore between the kingdom of Philip of Macedonia, and the Peloponnesus is being destroyed. The canal to provide a passage for ships from the Gulf of Egea to the Mediterranean, it is said, will be completed by 1893. A French company is doing the job, on which work has been going on for some years. The canal is to be ninety-six feet deep. At the Corinth end a railroad bridge 164 feet high will span the stream. The canal is to be at a sea level throughout, no locks being necessary. It is estimated that the cost will be \$14,000,000 or \$3,500,000 a mile.

"Fried and true" is the verdict of people who take Hooil's Sarsaparilla. The good effects of this medicine are soon felt in nerve strength restored, that tired feeling driven off, good appetite created, headache and dyspepsia relieved, scrotula cured.

\$1,000 REWARD.
 What Would Astoria Be Without Jeff?
 \$1,000 reward in U. S. gold coin will be paid by "Jeff," the World Renowned Caterer, to any person who can satisfactorily prove he can eat a better meal or a greater variety of all the Delicacies of the Kitchen to choose from, than he can at Jeff's for the money.
 Second street, opposite Telephone Landing.

First-class shaving, 25c, Ferd Ferrell's.

Attention Smokers.
 Lurline,
 La Perla Cubana—all imported.
 Flor de Madrid,
 La Paladina,
 La Ermina,
 La Famana in Key West Brands.
 The Belmont.
 Mocha.
 Reading Room in rear of Cigar Store.
 CHARLES OLSEN'S

Worse Than Leprosy
 Is Catarrh, and there is but one preparation that does cure that disease, and that is the California Positive and Negative Electric Liniment. Sold by J. W. Conn. It also cures neuralgia, rheumatism, headache, sprains, burns and all pains. Try it and tell your neighbor where to get it.

For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. Sold by Th. Olsen.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

PERSONAL MENTIONS.
 S. Dell returned from a trip to Portland.
 Judge F. J. Taylor returned yesterday from Portland last evening on a business trip.
 James Anderson, the artist, came down from Portland yesterday.
 Miss Mand Warren returned yesterday from a brief trip to Portland.
 H. B. Parker returned yesterday from a business trip to Portland.
 Geo. Hibbert, of the *Town Talk* went to Portland last night on business.
 J. W. Gearhart, wife and family returned from Santa Rosa, California, yesterday.
 M. Herrick, one of the prominent cameramen of the Columbia river, came down on the *Thompson* yesterday.
 E. A. Seeley, the Portland agent of the Columbia Transportation company, came down on the *Thompson* yesterday.
 R. V. Egbert, superintendent and conductor of I. R. & N. Co., came up from Ilwaco and left for a trip east last evening accompanied by his wife.
 Miss Maggie Laws, who has been teaching school out on the Lewis and Clarke section, returned to this city yesterday, having closed the school for the term.
 Chas. Graves, second assistant engineer of the *R. R. Thompson*, left last evening for his old home in Marblehead, Massachusetts, on a six week's vacation and to spend the holidays with relatives.

MAINE NEWS AND NOTES.
 The *Stromi* made a special trip to Ilwaco for the purpose of bringing up L. A. Loomis who went to Portland last evening.
 The British steamship *Mongkut* arrived from Victoria yesterday and left up for Portland. On her return down the river she will go to San Francisco.
 The British ship *Arduanarshan*, 1,700 tons register, 81 days from Cape Town in ballast arrived yesterday, having sailed in over the bar in charge of Pilot Doig.

"A GROWL"
 Mr. Essex: Although my taxes are small, yet they are as burdensome to me as if I paid much more. And as a taxpayer, I feel that I have a right to criticize those extravagances that are factors in the creation of high taxes. I have in my mind the county hospital. No sooner does the tax-payers' attention become broken down and debilitated, than he rushes off to the hospital. Even persistent dyspepsia and constipation are getting to be common for admission. Hence, allow me space to enter my feeble protest against further continuance of this pernicious practice. It costs too many hard dollars for the treatment of those unfortunate, and it is high time that they should know that they can save the county that expense, by the judicious use of a few bottles of Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla.—a remedy that within my observation is a sovereign cure for those too common disorders. If they won't take it they ought to be compelled to by some law that would meet the case. Under the circumstances a full hospital is unnecessary.—hence this growl.

A CITIZEN.
 The latest style of Gent's Boots and Shoes at P. J. GOODMAN'S, COR. Main & Third St.

Weinhard's Beer.
 And Free Lunch at the Telephone Saloon, 5 cents.

Fine lot on Water Street for Sale or Lease, on easy terms. Apply at Hamburg House, until Dec. 6.

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 You can save money by using Mr. Gilbert's Zinfandel wine instead of coffee or tea. It is much healthier and costs only a few cents per gallon. It is three years old. He has also peach and apricot brandy. Don't forget his French Cognac and Fine Wine.
 ALEX. GILBERT.

Fresh Eastern Chestnuts.
 Main St. bet. 1st and 2d. I. X. L. Building.

Fruits, Candy, Nuts.
 Fresh Peanuts every day, I. X. L. Building.

Ludlow's Ladies' \$3.00 Fine Shoes; also flexible hand-turned French Kids, at P. J. Goodman & Co's.

Telephone Lodging House.
 Best beds in town. Rooms per night 50 and 25 cts., per week \$1.50. New and clean. Private entrance.

For Rent.
 The Store lately occupied by Thrall & Sherman. Apply to C. S. GUNDERSON.

Photographs for Christmas.
 Go to Crow and have your photo taken for a Christmas present. Your friend will value it.

Only One in the United States.
 Out of 137 cough syrups manufactured in the United States, but one has been found to be entirely free from opiates and that is the California Positive and Negative Electric Cough Cure, which is the best on earth for coughs, colds, croup, etc. Sold by J. W. Conn.

CATARRH CURED. health and sweet breath secured by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal injector free. Sold by Th. Olsen.

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 FOR SIXTY DAYS
 —OR—
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 FINE
 Solid Gold and Silver Watches,
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 The most pleasant seaside resort on the Northwest Coast.
 Every attention is paid to the comfort and accommodation of the guests, and the table is supplied with the very best in season. Here are plenty of Clams and Crabs, there is game in the woods and plenty of the finest fish in the streams.

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 BOILER WORK.
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 Castings of all Descriptions Made
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E. DUPARK, W. BRANDT.
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 AT
U. R. NEXT
 Shaving, Haircutting Saloon
 406 One only St.

I wish to inform my customers, and the public at large, that I have interested Mr. Wm. Brandt, as auxiliary in carrying on the shaving and haircutting business, opposite the Delmonico restaurant, on Concomly street, next to Parker House, Astoria. Call and see for yourself.
 I. E. DUPARK,
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 Cheap For Cash.
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LOT ON MAIN ST.
 —ON—
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\$500.
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OVER
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Gent's Embroidered, Initial, Fancy, Plain, IN SILK AND LINED LINEN.
Cashmere and Silk Mufflers!

EMBROIDERED IN Silk and Linen.
Real Duchesse and Bretonne Lace.
Children's Handkerchiefs.

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 The Popular Boot and Shoe Store, 537 Third St.
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Holiday :: Goods.

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 Special Attention Given to Filling of Orders.
A FULL LINE CARRIED
 And Supplies furnished at Satisfaction Terms.
 Purchases delivered in any part of the city

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EXTRA FINE BOHEMIAN LAGER BEER.
EXTRA FINE STEAM BEER.
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ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

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New RESTAURANT
 SECOND - STREET
 (Opp. Telephone Landing)
 Is the Bon Ton Restaurant of the Town
 (AND THE FINEST ON THE COAST.)
 Dinner Parties, Banquets, a Specialty
 The Finest Wines and Liquors.
 Private Entrance and Rooms.
 N. B.—No connection with his old place on Main Street.

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 Saturday, September 27th,
 —We will open our—
ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE
 —OF—
Cloaks, Wraps, Jackets,
SILK : SEALETTES
 Our House has a standard reputation which never fails to attract general attention during our Cloak Sales.
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McALLEN & McDONNELL,
 131 & 163 3rd St., Portland, Or.
 Leading Dry Goods Store for first class goods at Eastern prices.
 Agents for McCalls Baranet Glove Fitting Patterns.

Santa Claus Headquarters
 Are again located at the
New York Novelty Store,
 Holiday Goods! Holiday Goods!
 Where will be found a large varied assortment of
 Christmas and New Year Cards, Toys, Leather, Pinch and Oxidized Toilet Sets, Bound and Toy Books, Albums, Jewelry, Gold Pens, Gold and Silver-headed Canees and Umbrellas, and a great variety of Novelties and Notions.

Presents for Old and Young!
 Holiday Gifts to Suit Any and All Tastes.
 Prices lower than the lowest—within the reach of all. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to call and inspect our stock. Country orders solicited. Prompt attention guaranteed.

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