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## ASTORIA, OREGON.

### THAT'S THE PLACE!

Were I to seek a place to dwell,  
 More like heaven and less like heli,—  
 Where roses bloom the year around,  
 And where the finest girls are found,  
 A place that knows no cold or heat,  
 And where the climate can't be beat,  
 Where epidemics are unknown  
 And courtesy is strangers shown,  
 Where the harbor is wide and deep,  
 And Herman Wise sells clothing cheap,  
 Where fair play rules 'tween man and man,  
 And everyone does all he can;  
 There's no other place 'neath the sun  
 Such as "Astoria, Oregon."

—H. W. Shortfellow.

## TO-DAY!

Assignee's sale at

## Parker & Hanson's

All their immense stock

### MUST BE CLOSED OUT In 30 Days or Less,

AND

### PRICES - WILL - BE - CUT

To Suit the Condition and the times.

W. W. PARKER, Assignee.

The Above Sale is Discontinued for 15 days,  
or until further orders, W. W. PARKER.  
Astoria, Or., Feb 2, 1893.

## REMARKABLE SUCCESS!

AT THE

## DINSMORE BANKRUPT STOCK SALE.

And why is the same a success?

Because we mean what we say  
And say what we mean.

Call at once and don't delay. You will never get such bargains again after this sale. We are selling you goods at your own price, for less than you can buy in New York.

Remember this is no humbug sale, but we are selling out, and everything is for sale and must be sold.

LEE KOHN, Manager.

### THEY DIED TO SAVE LIFE

#### Six Brave Lifeboat Men Meet a Cruel Fate.

#### HEROES WHOSE NAMES WILL LIVE

While Rescuing The Captain And Crew of a Wrecked Vessel They Were Capsized and Drowned.

Associated Press.  
 New Bedford, Mass., Feb. 25.—Six men were drowned off Cuttigrunk, one of the Elizabeth islands, last night while trying to rescue a stranded vessel. The men composed a volunteer crew of the Massachusetts Humane Society lifeboat. The names of the unfortunate men were: CAPTAIN TIMOTHY AIKEN, ISIAH TAYLOR, HIRAM JACKSON, WM. BRIGHTMAN, FRED. AIKEN.  
 And one whose name is unknown.  
 During the storm last evening the vessel was discovered off the "Sow and Pig" reef. A boat belonging to the Massachusetts Humane Society was got out and a volunteer crew of men put off in her, despite the heavy swell and the warning of the captain of the life saving station. They succeeded in getting under the lee of the vessel, and a rope was thrown to the boat but just as a landing was about to be made a great wave capsized the boat and in an instant the men were struggling in the ice cold water. One man of the boat's crew, Jos. Dillon, caught a rope thrown and was drawn on board the vessel. The rest were lost. The captain and crew of the vessel were saved.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 25.—The sealer was discovered off the California coast met a howling gale and lost her job-stay. A couple of boats were blown to pieces, and in a fresh storm she lost two boats with four Alaska Indian occupants. It is feared they were drowned.  
 Fears are entertained for the safety of H. M. S. Garnet, which left Apuleo for Honolulu in January and has not since been reported.  
 San Francisco, Feb. 25.—A dispatch from Point Reyes to the signal service station in this city, states that the wind there is blowing at the rate of eighty miles an hour from the southwest, the highest velocity ever known there. The waves off the coast are described as being terrible, higher and fiercer than have ever before been seen. Off the point, were seen the steamers Humbolt and Columbia, with their masts breaking over them and apparently making little or no headway.

#### REPUBLICANS WIN.

Their Organization in Topeka Is Legal and Flawless.  
 Topeka, Kansas, Feb. 25.—The supreme court has announced its decision in the Gunn habeas corpus case to test the legality of the republican house, in favor of that house. The republican house will by resolution this afternoon declare vacant all the seats to which populists were elected unless they enter the republican organization and recognize their speaker. What the populists will do in view of the decision is unknown, but it is believed that some of them will come into the republican house. It is said that a poll of the populist house yesterday resulted in a majority who favor ignoring the decision of the supreme court should it be in favor of the republican house.

The rival houses will now probably unite in one body and transact the much needed business of the present session. The legislature expires by limitation on March 3, and it will be necessary to hold an extra session in order to transact necessary business.  
 There seems to be a general decision among the populists to respect the decision of the court, and the populist members will probably meet with the republican house on Monday. The populist leaders declare the court's decision in favor of the republican house wrong and they will appeal from it to the people at the next election.

The effect of the opinion upon the election of Judge John Martin as senator, seems to be an uncertain quantity. The republicans and the stalwart democrats have, however, decided to make no election and there being no contestant for the seat, and Martin's credentials being regular upon their face they might be accepted by the senate. There may be a joint session of the house and senate held later to choose a senator, and in that event the democrats would doubtless join the populists.  
 The members of the populist house went into caucus this evening to consider what action they would take in view of the supreme court's decision upholding the legality of the organization of the republican house. The general sentiment of the caucus was to abide by the court's decision, and a committee will make a report to that effect on Monday. The populist house will then dissolve and its members join the rival organization.

#### NO TRUTH IN THE RUMOR.

Massillon, O., Feb. 25.—It transpires that Governor McKinley holds as security for his obligation as an endorser for Walker, a hundred-thousand-dollar twenty-year tonnage policy on Walker's life, which has already run sixteen years, and is now worth \$60,000.  
 New York, Feb. 25.—At the office of the life insurance company in this city, referred to in the dispatches from Massillon, O., it is denied that there is any truth in the statement that McKinley secured any policy on the life of Walker.

Toledo, O., Feb. 25.—The Fourth Ward Republican Club at a meeting last night, adopted a resolution to take up a popu-

lar subscription for Governor McKinley, and appointed a committee to circulate it. No one to contribute over one dollar. Every member present signed it.

#### OVER IN WASHINGTON.

Interesting Finding of the World's Fair Investigating Committee  
 Olympia, Wash., Feb. 25.—Monday is the last day for the introduction of bills into the present legislature, as the result of this fact, some forty proposed new laws were rushed into the house this morning. There have been so far introduced over four hundred bills. The total number will probably aggregate in the neighborhood of five hundred.  
 The special committee on school lands, appointed for the purpose of recommending legislation necessary to secure the state lands granted by the government, reported in favor of a congressional act for the reservation of all school lands. The report was adopted.  
 Turpin of Jefferson, presented a memorial in commemoration of the discovery by Captains Wm. Hendrick and Robert Gray, in the year 1822, of the Columbia river. The memorial was referred.  
 A number of bills were passed in the senate today and after a joint session adjournment followed, until 11:50 o'clock on Monday.

Horr's bill for the erection of a state capitol building was reported by the committee on public buildings and grounds, with the recommendation that it be indefinitely postponed. The report was adopted.  
 The house bill by McMillan in relation to scaling logs was passed.  
 The joint committee appointed to investigate the World's Fair commission, reported as follows:  
 First—That they have made a full, and complete and careful examination of the books, vouchers and reports of the commission and have thoroughly weighed the evidence presented under oath.  
 Second—That there is not the slightest evidence of dishonesty or neglect.  
 Third—That in some instances there have been excessive and extravagant expenditures for the results achieved, which must be attributed, apparently to the utter lack of sources of reliable information pertaining to the work.  
 Fourth—That we find the work of the commission well in hand and believe that irreparable injury would be done, should further conduct for the work be given to new and inexperienced hands.

The report was signed by all the members of the joint committee, except Judson of Pierce. Accompanying the report was a bill appropriating \$50,000 for the further work of the commission and \$500,000 for the World's Fair, Department of the Interior.  
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The president has issued a proclamation convening an extra session of the senate on March 4th. It is supposed to be for the purpose of making sure of action on the Hawaiian treaty. This action was probably taken at the instance, or with the consent of President-Elect Cleveland.  
 This is the usual course pursued at the outgoing of the ex-administration, to enable the senate to advise and consent to the cabinet selection by the incoming president. It is also customary at the same session to send in the names of those selected for the most important foreign posts and leading affairs at home.  
 The senate legislative appropriation bill was taken up and after being amended, but in no important particular, it was passed.  
 Mr. Dawes moved that the senate instruct the committee on the amendments and ask a conference. The motion was agreed to and the conference on the part of the senate appointed.

#### WANT HIM TO CHANGE.

Pressure Being Brought to Bear on Germany's Young Emperor.  
 Berlin, Feb. 25.—The agrarian coalition while affecting the loyalist reverence for the emperor, practically demands a radical change in the imperial policy. The strength of the agitation develops daily, and the plot tends to one denouement, the overthrow of Von Caprivi, protection to agricultural interests, and a return to bi-metallicism. The leaders of the coalition already feel powerful enough to declare that nothing short of a reversal of the whole policy of the government will content them. As the emperor cannot be expected to assent to the demand, the party aims at a dissolution of the reichstag at the earliest possible moment. Prince Bismarck is in closest touch with the agrarian leaders.

#### THE PARIBAUT SYSTEM.

New York, Feb. 25.—A movement is on foot in Hoboken to put the Catholic parochial schools in that city under the Paribault system of Archbishop Ireland. Father Corrigan has made a proposition to the trustees of Hoboken to turn their parochial school to them on condition that after school hours he be allowed to give religious instruction to Catholic pupils.  
 Hamburg, Feb. 25.—The Nachrich, in a series of articles, obviously inspired by Prince Bismarck, incites the leaders of the coalition movement not to abate their attacks upon the government, and predicts their eventual triumph.

#### AN IMMENSE EXPENDITURE.

Paris, Feb. 25.—Flory, the government accountant investigating the Panama Canal accounts, reports that the total paid to contractors was 422,629,600 francs. Of this 102,338,444 was paid for labor and various undertakings, but there are no vouchers to show whether the work paid for was actually performed.

#### PECULIAR DEATHS.

Holly, Mich., Feb. 25.—Thomas and John Fagan, brothers, aged about 30 years, were found this morning, dead on the floor of their home, four miles from here. Search of the premises revealed, hidden away in a roll, \$50,000 in currency. It is thought the two men were frozen to death last Sunday night.

#### MACKEY IS COMFORTABLE.

San Francisco, Feb. 25.—John W. Mackey, who was shot yesterday, by C. W. Rippey, passed a comfortable night and this morning it is reported he is doing very nicely. Rippey's condition is still the same as yesterday and there is no chance for his recovery.

#### SMALLPOX IN PORTLAND.

Portland, Or., Feb. 25.—Four smallpox patients were taken from the hospital to the pest house this morning by the city authorities. It is thought that one case will result fatally. Every precaution has been taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

#### FIVE YEARS IN JAIL.

Pittsburgh, Feb. 25.—Henry C. Bauer and Carl Knoll, the anarchists convicted as accessories to Bergman in the shooting of H. C. Frick, were sentenced today to five years imprisonment.

### HOPES ARE GROWING SMALL

#### Not Much Chance For The Hawaiian Treaty This Session.

#### SECRETARY FOSTER ON FINANCE

President Harrison Has Convened An Extra Session of the Senate for Inauguration Day.

Associated Press.  
 Washington, Feb. 25.—The Hawaiian treaty is thought to be dead for this session. This is reluctantly conceded, even by its friends. The action of the senate in refusing to go into executive session, though the action had doubtless some reference to the Hanchett circuit judge nomination, was also accepted as conclusive indication that the treaty would be shelved for the balance of the session. The treaty matter can of course be taken up in the extra session which will convene immediately after the present congress dies, but unless some marked change occurs, there is believed to be no prospect of action upon it during the life of the present administration. It is possible that knowledge of its disposition on the part of the senate, had some reflex influence on the action of the house.  
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The house light, which may next well be in the house today. It is over the sundry civil service appropriation bill which contains the Sherman bond amendment. There are in all, two hundred and seven amendments to the bill. Holman desired all except the Sherman amendment, upon which there is to be a debate, to be non-concurred in. Mr. Bland as leader of the opposition to the Sherman amendment objected unless it was agreed that that amendment should be after the debate also non-concurred in. This suggestion of Mr. Bland's raised the antagonism of Mr. Cochran, and no agreement was arrived at. The silver men then resorted to filibustering tactics which were effectual and after a speech by Bland, the bill went over without action.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Secretary Foster before the ways and means committee of the house this morning, explained the condition of the treasury. He said there was no fear of a bankrupt treasury, but admitted that the situation demanded serious consideration. He believed the available cash in the treasury at the close of the fiscal year would be only \$17,000,000 instead of \$30,000,000, as he estimated in his report, because he had not taken into consideration the payment of the Check-tax claim of \$3,000,000. On the present basis of revenue, he estimated there would be a deficit in the treasury at the end of the fiscal year of 1894. He believed that \$50,000,000 more revenue should be raised, but did not say whether by taxation or by the issue of bonds. He also thought the gold reserve should be raised to \$25,000,000.  
 Washington, Feb. 25.—It is stated on reliable authority that Secretary of the Treasury Foster has bonds ready for immediate issue, and that he has contracted with Drexel, Morgan & Company to take \$25,000,000 of them and pay for them in gold whenever necessary to keep the gold reserve intact. This action is understood to have been taken after consultation with the incoming treasurer Carlisle.

#### KILLED BY THE BLOWS.

San Francisco, Feb. 25.—William Miller, the featherweight pugilist who was defeated by Dal Hawkins in the Pacific Athletic Club, died this morning of complications of the brain, resulting from injuries received in the fight. Hawkins and his seconds, Spider Kelly, Tim McGrath, and John Hicks, also Joe Soto and John Livingston, Miller's seconds, were arrested last night, and the police are looking for Gallagher. Miller's other second and Dan Creeden, the referee. This makes the third man killed in the prize ring in San Francisco during the past four years.

#### APPEALS FOR AID.

Arkansas City, Kans., Feb. 25.—Fifty telegrams were sent to Speaker Crisp today by persons interested in the immediate opening to settlement of the Cherokee Strip. Among the telegrams were these: "The people will starve if the strip is not opened. Help us."  
 "Pop God's sake open the Cherokee outlet, or make an appropriation to feed 20,000 starving homesteaders."

#### MILITARY CLOTHING AND FLAGS.

Columbus, O., Feb. 25.—A firm in this city has received an order from the provisional government of Hawaii, for military clothing in all respects like that of the fatigue uniform of the United States army, for the use of the national guard.

The army consists of 84 men. A dark blue silk battalion flag was also ordered similar in size to the United States regimental flag, but with the coat of arms of Hawaii.

#### KILLED HER TWO SISTERS.

The Result of a Bitter Feud Between Families.  
 Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 25.—Miss Julia Force a sister of one of the leading merchants, this afternoon shot and killed her two sisters. The shooting was the result of a quarrel. The family moved in the highest circles. It is believed that the woman is insane. She has been considered irresponsible at times, and frequently threatened to kill members of her family. Today when her mother was absent, she sent the servants out on errands, and then going to the room where her sister Florence was sick in bed, she placed a pistol at her right temple and shot her dead. Then going to the kitchen, where her other sister was, she shot her in the same manner. Miss Force calmly locked the doors and went to the police station.

#### A SENSIBLE REPORT.

How Parkhurst's Ways Have Helped to Damage Deputies.  
 New York, Feb. 25.—Deputy Coroner Weston who has been examining for the state health department in reference to the recent increase in death from malpractice, has concluded his labors and in his report he says there has been taken by coroners in this city thus far during 1893, seven anti-mortem inquisitions in cases of criminal abortion, and that this indicates a most alarming state of affairs as shown by the fact that but one such case occurred in 1892, and none in 1891. "I believe," said Dr. Weston, "the increase in these cases is the direct result of Parkhurstism." Dr. Cyrus Edson of the health department, said he agreed with Dr. Weston, that the increase in cases of malpractice was due to the closing of disorderly houses.

#### FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER.

Portland, Or., Feb. 25.—Frank Oleg-schliker was tonight found guilty of murder in the second degree for the murder of Wm. Woodbridge, an old man, on the night of January 31st, last.

#### PRIZE FIGHTING A FELONY.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 25.—The senate today passed a bill making prize fighting with or without gloves, a felony.

#### OUR DAILY MARINE COLUMN.

San Francisco for repairs yesterday. While off Point Reyes during a gale, the air pump was broken, and it was deemed best not to try to make Nantamo in that condition.  
 The St. James from this city, for Cork, was spoken January 31 in latitude 3:13 south, longitude 117 west.  
 The Gautok Rock, which sailed from this city October 15th, arrived at Antwerp, via Valmouth, February 15.  
 The Dundale, from Rio Janeiro, for Portland, was spoken December 22 in latitude 56 south, longitude 15 west.  
 The schooner Louis Olsen, seized at San Francisco for smuggling and released on bonds, has sailed on a sealing expedition.  
 Local United States Inspectors Edwards and McDermott, inspected the steamer Owego Wednesday, and the James H. Stephens on Thursday. They will leave for Ilwaco early next month to inspect Johnson and Rober's towing steamer, the Sea Foam. The boat has been lengthened and twelve feet, and is now in first-class shape. W. L. Brown, of Hebo, Tillamook county, is about to construct a steamer to run on the bay, which will be thirty-five feet long, eight feet beam, with engines of ten horse-power.  
 The Haytian Republic is expected down today.  
 The ship Moel Tryvan was to have gone to sea yesterday but was held back on account of a disputed claim of \$25 in the towage fees.  
 The disastrous experience of the Wetmore will not deter the American Steel Barge Company from putting another whaleback on the Pacific coast, for they now have a large force of men at work on the new steamer Everett, building at Everett, Wash. The contract has already been let to the Frontier Iron Works, of Detroit, Mich., for the construction of the engines for the Everett. They will develop between 500 and 600 horse-power. The company has had such success in building its Chicago passenger whaleback, the Christopher Columbus, that it has decided to make the Everett a combined passenger and freight vessel. Sixty state rooms will be put in on the upper deck for the accommodation of passengers. It has not been decided yet what route the Everett will put on, but it is probable that she will be put on the regular run between Everett and San Francisco. She is being built large enough so that she can make the run to Japan or China, if her seagoing qualities will justify it. The Everett's tonnage is 450.

The American ship Indiana arrived in yesterday morning. She is out 140 days from New York for this port, and has a cargo of general merchandise consigned to Sutton & Beebe of Portland. She experienced terrible weather coming round the Horn, being twenty-four days getting from 25 to 50. During all this time she encountered heavy gales and high seas. She arrived off the bar four days ago. Yesterday morning a tug went out but did not take hold of the ship. The pilot decided to sail her in and had got inside the heads before the tug came up and took hold. She is drawing 22 feet of water, but will try to go up the river on Monday without lightening.