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AUCTION SALE.

At the forks of Deep River, Wash., at Anderson's store, on Tuesday, August 15th, 1893, at 10 o'clock a. m., will be sold by auction the following property: 160 acres on Salmon creek, containing 70 acres of bottom land with one million feet of fir timber. For further particulars apply to Martin Olson, auctioneer, Astoria.

ALONG THE WHARVES.

The steamer Mendel has been surveying the bar for several days ascertaining accurate depths of water at all states of the tide. The result of the observations will be made known in a few days.

The Manzanita's thrust shaft is being renewed as quickly as possible, and she has been thoroughly scraped. A complete coat of lead color has been put on, and she will remain in the same dress until extensive repairs are made on her in the fall.

The ship Willie Reed was towed out by the Escort today. She goes to Queenstown for orders.

The Oregon came in yesterday from California and proceeded up the river at noon. She experienced head winds all the way.

The State of California went out yesterday morning with 14,000 feet of lumber 2000 cases of salmon, and a full cargo of miscellaneous merchandise.

By the arrival of the Moniwai in San Francisco Monday a challenge was brought on the part of the United Axmen's Association of Tasmania, with a deposit of $3,000 to bind a match between the Tasmanian champion axman and the champions of the United States and Canada. The Tasmanians have got it into their heads that they are the best axmen in the world and want a chance to prove it They have sent a guarantee of $120 expenses from this city for each man. The contest is to take place at Latrobe, Tasmania, on November 30th. In addition to this contest there will be prizes aggregating$,500 for other contests with the ax.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Fred Strong of Portland is in town.

Mrs. Murray went to Gearhart yesterday.

Dr. C. W. Logan went down to San Francisco yesterday.

Hon. John Fox returned from his trip to Victoria yesterday.

Harry May has secured a good position in the engine house at Fort Stevens.

Rev. W. S. Short and family are at Seaside, staying for a few days at the cottage of Alex Campbell.

The combined Sunday schools of the Congregational, Methodist, and Presbyterian churches, participated in a picnic at Fort Stevens yesterday, that proved a great success. The day was fine, and although the bay was a little choppy under a stiff northwester, the ride to and from the Fort was greatly enjoyed by all. The steamer Electric and the E. L. Dwyer with barges, carried the party, the former with 150 from the Presbyterian Sunday school, and the latter with an equal number from the Methodist and Congregational churches. At the picnic grounds the day was spent in games participated in by all the children. Many went in bathing while others enjoyed a run on the long, sandy beach. The picnickers returned at 8 o'clock, after one of the most delightful outings of the year.

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The Bee Hive, this week, will sell all summer goods at great reduction.—Boys tennis oxfords 50 cents per pair; ladies sleeveless vests, 10 cents each; mull caps, 10 cents each; lawn 5 cents per yard.

A phenomenal run of sardines commenced on Tuesday in San Francisco bay, and the Italian fishermen made a heavier haul than they could dispose of. On Wednesday the flood tide brought up countless shoals of the fish, which averaged about six or seven inches in length. They made a clean sweep of the front from Powell-street wharf to the mail dock, and the boys with dip nets gathered enough of them to stave off hard times in their households for days to come. A spot particularly favored during the annual run is the enclosed pool at the foot of Beale street, just below the electric arc light. Here the fish assemble by thousands at night and are easily dipped out. Judging from the sardine catch there ought to be enough to supply everybody in California fish dinners for a month. At the Clay-street landing the water was black with the fish.

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Leaves for Tillamook Bay Points the day following the arrival of the Union Pacific steamers from San Francisco.

The steamer R. P. Elmore connects with Union Pacific steamers for Portland, and through tickets are issued from Portland to Tillamook Bay points by the Union Pacific Co. Ship freight from Portland by Union Pacific steamers.

ELMORE, SANBORN & CO., Agents, Astoria!

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TENNESSEE MINERS' TROUBLE.

Knoxville, Tenn., Aug. 10.—Meagre information from Coal Creek is to the effect that a miner named Drummond was lynched at that place today by the soldiers. He had been held under arrest, charged with being the leader of a mob which assassinated Private Laugherty on Monday night. Drummond was hanged to a trestle. A man named Elkins, who is suspected of complicity in the murder of Laugherty will probably be lynched. Affairs are assuming a serious shape in the mining regions and more trouble is expected. Today one thousand miners went out on strike, and work is at a standstill in all the mines except those of Knoxville, which works convicts. The cause of the strike is a reduction of twenty per cent. on the coal diggings.

CUTTING DOWN AT FAIR.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—The World's Fair authorities are abolishing the expensive features of the administration whenever possible. It is learned today that Major Handy, of the department of publicity, has resigned, and it has been practically decided to abolish the foreign affairs department.

A Sure Cure for Piles.

Itching Piles are known by moisture like perspiration, causing intense itching when warm. This form, as well as Blind, Bleeding or Protruding, yield at once to Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy, which acts directly on the parts affected, absorbs tumors, allays itching and effects a permanent cure. 50c. Druggist or mail. Circulars free. Dr. Bosanko, 329 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by J. W. Conn.

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FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Improved machinery for the whole sale manufacture of mineral water will be sold at public auction. Particulars as to date of sale, etc., can be had by applying to Martin Olsen, auctioneer, Second street.

Lovers of a good cigar can always find mild, fresh Belmonts at Chas. Olsen's.

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The Library Association has been the recipient of numerous favors since their last public acknowledgement, among them the lettering of the windows by Mr. Allen, paint furnished by Messrs. Carnahan and Fisher, $21.75 from the football club, the proceeds of two games, city water from the water commission, and a large number of books from friends.

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Any policy holder in the State of Oregon, or any other person having claims against said insurance company, are hereby notified to file the same with secretary of tate of the state of Oregon, within six (6) months from the date of the publication of this notice.

This notice is given pursuant to the provision of an act of the legislative assembly of the state of Oregon, entitled "An act to amend Sections 3564,, 3568 and 3580, of Chapter L, of the Miscellaneous Laws of Oregon, as Compiled and Annotated by W. Lair Hill." Approved February 25, 1889.

THE STATE INVESTMENT AND INSURANCE CO.,
By George L. Brander, President.

Attest; Charles M. Blair, Secretary

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mary Ann Adair, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to call at my office at No. 119, Genevieve street, Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, and pay the same. And all persons having claims against said estate must present the same to me, with the proper vouchers, at the above named place, within six months from date of this notice.

Dated, Astoria, Oregon, July 25, 1893.

B. VAN DUSEN.
Administrator of said estate.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that the undersigned have been duly appointed the executors of the last will and testament of George Flavel, late of Clatsop county, Oregon, deceased, and as such executors, authorized to administer the estate of such deceased; and all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are hereby notified and required to present the same duly verified, to the undersigned at the office of the undersigned, George C. Flavel, in the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, within six months from this date.

Dated at Astoria, Oregon, this 10th day of July, 1893.

GEORGE C. FLAVEL,
MARY C. FLAVEL,
S. S. GORDON,
Executors.

COUNTY ASSESSOR'S NOTICE.

The Board of Equalization will meet at the office of the county clerk and publicly examine the assessment rolls of Clatsop county for the purpose of correcting all errors of valuation or description of lands, lots or other property.

It is the duty of all persons to appear at that time if they wish corrections made, as no corrections or alterations can be made by any officer after the adjournment of the board.

The board will meet on Monday, August 28th, at 10 o'clock a. m., and close on Saturday, September 2nd, at 5 p. m.

Astoria, August 5th, 1893.

J. W. GEARHART,
County Assessor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Caroline Hansen, late of Clatsop county, Oregon, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate must present the same duly verified to the undesigned, at the ffice of Fulton Bros. Attornies, in the City of Astoria, in said county within six months from this date, August 5th, 1893.

VICTOR HANSEN.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have been appointed administrator of the estate of James P. Mets, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate, are notified to pay the same to me, at Astoria, Oregon, forthwith; and all persons having claims against said estate, are hereby notified to present the same to me, at the above place, within six months from the date hereof.

JAMES W. HARE.
Administrator of the above estate.

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