New Tariff for Towing Ships.

Yesterday's Oregonian says: "Generni Superintendent Baxter, of the Union Pacific, announces that the comrany will put in effect today a new tariff for towing ships on the Columbia river, which will reduce the charge of towage from \$100 to \$600 on vessels, according to size. The larger the vessel the greater will be the reduction. This will particularly affect grain-carrying ships as the larger class are used in that trade.

This settles the question of Portland's supremacy as the grain market of the North Pacific coast. There is tons, as compared with only 17,000 tons brother and several friends he has

of the finest harbor entrances in the fish out of the fog. world. Major Handbury, United States Engineers, went down to the mouth of Willamette yesterday to set the dredger W. S. Ladd at work removing a small lump deposited during the late flood, in order to widen the channel. The lump is a small one, and from the nature and smell of the deposit is evidently formed of sediment from the city sewers. The pilots who went down the river to examine the channel reported yesterday that they had found not less than 25 feet at every point.

With the facilities now possessed the depth in the rivers will be maintained and increased, and this with the advantage to vessels of a freshwater port, and low port charges, will always maintain the supremacy of Portland as the principal shipping point, of the Northwest.

Efforts have lately been made by rival cities to injure the name of this port by spreading broadcast circulars alleging to prove that ships' expenses here were much greater than on the Sound, whereas the disbursements have been about equal for ships of the same tonnage loading at Portland and Tacoma. With the reduced towage tarlff, everything will be in Portland's favor. We will handle not only all the grain tributary to the Union Pacific system, but will probably have to take much of the Great Northern's business. It is estimated that the Greet Northern's territory will produce something alle 4,393,000 bushels of wheat this season, which is equivalent to 40 average cargoes. There are only 12 grain ships now listed for all Sound ports, and in these times of scarce tonnage it will be impossible for Seattle or Tacoma to get enough ships, even if the vessels were disposed to go there, to carry the rest of the wheat. The Great Northern has an agreement with the new Waterhouse steamship line, which will in a few days be running steamers between the Sound and Portland, and the road will thus be in connection with this city. Even with the extra cost of bringing grain here from the Sound, our-low towage and port charges and superior facilities for handling wheat will make it cheaper for exporters to ship here than on the Sound.

Shipowners, both British and American, have always favored Portland and the Columbia river. Our harbor is easy of access and the entrance is perfectly safe. Our charges, when high, did not deter in a great measure ships from coming here, and now, when they are so much reduced, we may expect to see many more vestels headed this

C. R. F. P. U. NOTICE.

Regular monthly meeting of the Columbia River Fishermen's Protect-ive Union will be held at their read-ing rooms, on Tuesday, September 5th,

at 7:30 p. m. sharp.

Members in good standing are requested to be present and to have their book or receipt along.

SOFUS JENSEN, Secretary.

LAND OFFICE NOTICE.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Or., August 8th, 1893.—Notice is hereby given that the Township plat of survey of T. 4 N., 6 W., has been received at this office, and on September 19, 1893, at 9 o'clock a. m., of said day, said plat will be filed in this office and the land therein will be subject to entry on and after said date.

ROBERT A. MILLER,

Register

PETER PAQUET, Receiver.

United States Land Office.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Oregon.
August 2, 1893.
Notice is hereby given that the plat
of survey of T 4 N, R 7 W., has this
day been received at this offic and on
september 12, 1893 at 8 o'clock a. m., of
said day, said plat will be filed in this
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J. T. APPERSON,
Register. Register.

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Duluth, Sept. 1 .- All the street car employes here are on strike against a reduction of 20 per cent in wages. No cars are moving. The sympathy of the people is with the strikers.

BRINKER CONFIRMED.

Washington, Sept. 1.-The senate today confirmed W. H. Brinker as United States attorney of the state of

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. Alfred Kinney has gone to the Nehalem for a week.

J. G. Warren and family of Portland, go to Gearhart Park for a week, to-

J. R. Lytle of the W. U. Telegraph office, returned yesterday from a very now en route to the Columbia, ton- enjoyable vacation of two weeks to nage amounting to 65,000 registered the Sound country where with his en route to Puget Sound ports. The been yachting and hunting. They were improvements made for deepening the very successful with game and fish. rivers have been so successful that Lytle had a rather peculiar experience there is now a channel from Portland in the latter direction. He took a rod to the sea sufficient to accommodate and line one foggy morning down to the largest vessels fully loaded, so Lake Washington, and seating himself that lightering hereafter will not be in the grass, baited his hook and cast it out. Half an hour's fishing resulted The bar at the mouth of the Colum- in a basket of 23 beautiful trout. Then bia is a thing of the past, there now the fog lifted and he discovered that being a wide, straight channel , car- he had been sitting a mile away from rying 30 feet of water at low tide, one Lake Washington. He had caught the

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THE FORCED MORTGAGE SALE. Of Herman Wise's stock is now in full blast. Everything sacrificed. M. WISE, Mortgagee. P. S. All persons indebted to Her-man Wise will please settle at once.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have been appointed administrator of the estate of James P. Metz, 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.

Dated at Astoria, Oregon, this 7th, day of July, 1893.

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Of the withdrawal from the state of Oregon of the State Investment & Insurance Company, of San Francisco, California, and to all other persons interested, that the said company has reinsured its business in the State of Oregon, in the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, of San Francisco, California, and has filed notice thereof with the secretary of state, of said state, and proposes to withdraw its securities on deposit with the treasurer thereof, and to cease doing business in said state.

of, and to cease doing business in said state.

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 I. Brander, President.

Attest; Charles M. Blair,

Attest; Charles M. Blair, Secretary

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the un-dersigned has been appointed admin-istrator of the estate of Caroline Hansen, late of Clatsop county, Oregon deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate must pre-sent the same duly verified to the undesigned, at the ffice of Fulton Bros. Attornies, in the City of Astoria, in VICTOR HANSEN.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

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

Dated, Astoria, Oregon, July 25, 1893. B. VAN DUSEN. Administrator of said estate.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the Circuit court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clatsop. Astoria Iron Works Plaintiff vs. Author of Animal Efficies and Emblematic Mounds, etc.

Dean Blanchard Defendant.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of and under the seal of the above entitled court, in the seal of the above entitled court, in the above entitled cause, on the 22nd day of June, 1893, upon a judgment duly made and rendered therein on the 19th day of June, 1893, which said execution and exemptions of the earthworks of all classes. The classification of the mounds is made according to their uses, whether as village residences, as defenses, as religious structures, or as sacrificial or burial places.

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H. A. SMITH,
Sheriff of Clatsop County, Or.
Dated, Astoria, Or., August 14, 1893.

Headquarters Department of the Columbia, Office of Chief Quartermaster, Vancouver Barracks, Wash., August 25th, 1893, Sealed proposals, in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office, until 11 o'clock, A. M., September 25th, 1893, and then opened, for transportation of troops and stores between Astoria, Oregon, and Fort Canby, Wash., during the remainder of the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1894. Blank proposals furnished on application. The U. S. reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Envelopes containing proposals for transportation between Astoria and Fort Canby." and addressed to the undersigned, A. G. Robinson, Deputy Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, Chief Quartermaster,

COUNTY ASSESSOR'S NOTICE.

The Board of Equalization will meet 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. The board will meet on Monday, August 28th, at 10 o'clock a. m., and close on Saturday, September 2nd, at Leaves Asteria daily at 7:30 a, m. for flwaso, calling at Tansy Point, and connecting with railroad running north at 10 a. m., and with boats on shoalwater bay for South Hends, Sunshine, North Cove And other points through to Gray's Marbor. Returning connects at Itwaco with scamers for Astoria and Night Boats for Portland.

JOHN R. GOULTER, L. A. LOOMIS, Secretary.

5 p. m. Astoria, August 5th, 1893. R. F. WORSLEY. County Assessor.

Seashore Railway. TIME CARD.

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