THE only way to fit a man is to first find out just what kind of a man you have to fit-that's just what we do take your ssure exact—and cut the suit for you—and Just the Thing for Warm Weather I It must fit, or we'll keep 'em.

-exclusively.

CHAS. McDONALD, The Tailor. 523 Commercial Street.

Few Men Would Ask for a Finer Dinner

than those we serve. We're trying in every way to make them the most en Joyahle in town. All the "good things of the season-cooked by our excellent cook-in the most delicious style. Perfect

If you invite a friend to the Pala Restaurant the place is a sufficient guarantee that he will receive a good meal.

## The Palace Restaurant

Sterling Silver!

Never has there been such a stock of sterling silver jewelry as that now on display at our store. Half the town does not realize the immensity of this

EXSTROM, the Jeweler.

ASTORIA -

MATTRESS

- FACTORY 378 Commercial Street. -0danufacturers of every description of

REPAIRING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES

When the tide sets one way there i when the tide sets one way there is always a cause for it. Women don't come here to buy roasts steaks, and all other kinds of meat simply because it's Christensen & Co.'s. of course there are a few, a very few, who buy out of compliment, or from ignorance, but the great mass of housekeepers buy where they can get the best and for that reason we supply the majority of the families in Astoria for they know by experience that we have only the best.

CHRISTENSEN & CO., Prop'rs

da of business and professional men are now coming to our place-

"THE RESORT" Dally. Why? Because they can at any

time, day or night, call for a sandwich here and get it.

We expected to be mobbed for these sandwaches and our fresh 5 cent beer when the railroad comes.

Grosbauer & Brach.



Dalgity Iron Works,

All kinds of Cannery, Ship, Steamboa and Engine Work of any Description Castings of all kinds made to order. Foot of Lafavette St., Astoria, Or.

A Poor Cigar

- W. F. SCHIEBE never made - Don't expect to make, either. But marke this-s-a-t-i-s-f-a-c-- t-I--n of the 22-karet sort has accompanied every purchase of - one of the cigars made by him - since he began business. We've got the notion that a satisfied customer "cuts a big figure" in building up a business. That's
 the reason La Belle Astoria takes no well.

ROSS HIGGINS & CO. Grocers, : and : Butchers

Astoria and Upper Astoria. ins Teas and Coffees, Table Delicacies, Domes and Tropical Fruits, Vegetables, Sugar Cured Hams, Bacon, Etc. Choice - Fresh - and - Salt - Meats.

White Kid Slippers! White Kid Oxfords! White Canvas Oxfords!

In buying these goods from us for graduation exercises one can be suited here just as well as though they had sent to San Francisco and had the goods made for them.

JOHN HAHN & CO.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

WHAT ABOUT

YOUR SHOES?

Aren't they worn out around the sole somewhere? Don't they need a patch on the side? We will make them good as

S. A. GIMBRE, Kitty Corner From Fisher Bros. Store

F. KROSEL.

420 Commercial Street. Fresh Candy Made Every Day. M PRODUCTS BOUGHT AND SOLD Butter, Eggs, Cheese and all kinds of Fruit in Season.

Clears, bacco and Groceries.

White

Summer

Corsets.

ALBERT DUNBAR.

BUSINESS LOCATS.

Try Smith's ice cream. Fresh strawberries at Smith's today. Sweet cream at Smith's 20 cents pint.

Don't use a plaster, but take Rogers Kidney Cure for lame back. DON'T PASS BY-But step into Jeff's and try one of those 2c meals.

POSTAGE STAMP DEPOT-H. Jeldiess, No. 613 Commercial street. A FEW LEFT-Of those 25c meals at Joe Terp's; try one; 120 11th street.

THE SPA-Colman's old stand, is the place for fresh candles and ice cream. THE SAME PLACE-118 12th street is the place to buy fresh fish every day. GRAND OPENING-Of all kinds of for-

T. E. Schultz, frescoe and scenic ar-tist, with B. F. Allen, 365 Commercial Street.

WANTED-People to call at the Scot Bay Wood Yard and learn the prices on

The Palace Barber Shop is now giving one of their two-bit shaves for 15 cents.

Our milk is guaranteed strictly pure and fresh from the cow daily. Reith

The Palace Bath House encourages folks to bathe by having everything

The vanilla and lemon exthacts put up by the Printz-Crain Drug Co, are the PAT LAWLER & CO.-Fine line of canned goods and fresh fish, 574 Com-

YOUR TURN NEXT-To get one of the est cigars for the least money. No. 459 13th street.

Call at the Printz-Crain Drug Store and get a sample of their Anticeptic Tooth Wash free of charge. GRADFE & HANKE-No. 628 Commertal street, will repair your clothes for

little money. Try them. WORLD'S FAIR SALOON-Keeps the finest line of liquors and cigars in the city. Call and sample them.

FOR FINE DENTAL WORK-Go to Dr. Howard, No. 598 Commercial Street oved from Astor House.

If your watch don't run, call at 574 Commercial street, across from Shana-han Bro.' and have it repaired. Call and see for yourself for we can

give you a bargain in candles at L. I. Johnson's opposite Central Hotel. DON'T FORGET-That at Nos. 214 and ms Tenth street is the place to have your horse shod and repair work done.

Smith's ice cream is unequalled . Ice ream soda a specialty. Private par-ors for ladies. Commercial street.

DROP IN-Next door to McLean's Blacksmith Shop and get prices on all kinds of carpenter work. A. Paulsen.

WAH SING & CO .- Merchant tallors, 626 Commercial street, cheaper than you can buy ready made. New stock com-

RAILROAD SURE-If W. T. Beveridge cannot suit you with cigars and tobac-A SURE THING-That you can get

fruit and candy for less money than any-where else at M. Mouler's, on Bond street. STOP-At the Horse Shoe Chop House and try one of those 15 cent meals, same

as you pay 25 cens for elsewhere, 546 Commercial street. Will spend the summer in Astoria, one of Portland's most artistic dressmakers, late from Chicago. Patronage solicited. Look for card later.

JUST RECEIVED—At 815 Commercial street, fine line of extension tables, center tables, lounges, and kitchen treasures. J. G. Ross, proprietor.

If you want a bicycle repaired or a nck fixed, or any other first-class work done, call on C. H. Orkwitz, next

door to Martin Olsen's Auction House. What cows received first premium at

the World's Fair for producing the richest milk? Jersey cows, and those are the only kind that J. A. Rowan wells milk from.

No better milk was ever brought to Astoria than is furnished for five cents a quart by Reith & Wilson, and de-livered in a clean and tightly closed glass bottle at your door every morn-

Arrived—Mrs. Zwemer, trance medium, Can be consulted on all affairs of life. Call at Mrs. M. A. Hall's residence, 55 Exchange street, old Ross residence. Cir-cles every Tuesday and Friday night at

What brings people back to the Astoria Wood Yard after they have sounded the possibilities everywhere else? May be it's one thing, and May be it's another. But the fact remains—back they come. And of course the Astoria Wood Yard is proud of it.

Mothers raising their babes on the bottle will have fet, strong and healthy bubies by using J. A. Rowan's Jersey milk, as he makes a specialty of burt, J. W. Cook, W. N. Forbes and wife, milk for bubies and the sick. Try him Mrs. Warren, F. N. Kollock. and be happy.

Business men of Astoria visiting Port and have for years been accustomed to take their mid-day lunch at the "Gem." The "Gem" is now located at 78 Third street, next door to the Ainsworth Bank. Jos. E. Penny.

plies the form. A. Lake, the tailor at 359 Commercial street will make the raiment. See him.

WE HAVE IT—The place to get a 25-cent meal for 15 cents, only white labor employed at 686 Commercial street.

EYES-Two hard-woking servants Yet quickest to rebel when over-work-ed. Glasses—the right ones—scientif-ically, delicately adjusted ones—the remedy. The ability that experience and study gives can be had at J. H. Seymour's. Charges-only for glasses

CHAMBER SETS

At your own price at Foard & Stoke Co,'s. YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Local weather for the twoney-four hour ending at 5 p. in. yesterday, furnished by the United States department of agriulture weather bureau:

Maximum temperature, 65 degrees. Minimum temperature, 63 degrees. Precipitation, none. Total precipitation from September 1st 1894, to date, 73.77 inches. Excess of precipitation from September 1st, 1894, to date, 4.90 inches.

AROUND TOWN.

Fresh candles every hour at the Bo Best ice cream and ice cream soda i

he city at the Bonbonniere. Look out for the High School Footbal Club excursion on the Fourth,

Take a Sunday outing on the North Finck, Mrs. Ross, and Pacific and return. Round trip fare, 50 We guarantee our headache tablets t

ture any case of headache in 15 minutes Charles Rogers. Go to Fort Carrby on the 4th with the High School Football Club. Only 50 cents

or the round trip. Big celebration at Fort Canby on the The Bwacos and the High Scho Club are to compete.

The Ten for Tennis have adopted yell: Zip—boom—ah—ha—ha—Ten—for-Tennis—rah—rah—rah!

William Hill, a resident of Skipanor was brought to this city yesterday suf fering from a severe abscess. The American flag draped in artisti form will make up a part of the decora-tions at the M. E. church tomorrow

The will of the late Ah Hoe, widow of Hong Chong, was filed for probate yes-terday. Ju Guy was appointed udminis-

The tennis club still continues to ris with the sun, and any fine morning they may be seen playing at their favorite Agent Finlayson, says that the Bla

chard, which is expected here today, will carry a large tonnage from Astoria Judge Abercrombie was taking things

easy yesterday-not a single case comin before him. The judge says that when h is busy he is "very busy. Don't miss the great time at Fort Can Twenty-two events to be steamer Mayflower on the 4th. The

leaves Hume's dock at 8 a. m J. Neil, against whom suit was brought for right of way for the water works system by the city, yesterday filed his de for same in the recorder's office.

Mr. Stewart says that should a fir occur at any time, personalities will neve interfere between Mr. Stockton and him self while doing duty as firemen. By an oversight in yesterday's issue

the name of Miss Edith Conn was omitted from the list of guests at the Misses Bowlby and Gerner's afternoon tea. The old Alert Hook and Ladder truck was taken to the Main street warehouse vesterday where it will be stored until

t is needed or disposed of by the city.

Councilman Scherneckau, accompanie by Martin Foard, rode over the hill yes-terday afternoon for the purpose of examining the condition of the county road

Deed from George Hill to Charles Rogers conveying lots 21 and 22 in block 10, Hill's first addition to Asteria, \$190, was filed in the recorder's office yester-

Tickets will be sold for the steamer Telephone and Balley Gatzert July 3 and good until 5th, at one fare for the nd trip, to all points between Astoria

The barkentine Arago cleared for Val paraiso yesterday. The four men arrested a short time ago by Deputy United States Marshal Stewart as deserters, will be taken on board today. The piano recital given by Miss Bar

ron's pupils took place last evening and was largely attended. The program was excellent and reflected much credit on both teacher and pupils. Divine service with the Holy Com-munion at St. Thomas'-by-the-Sea, Skip

anon, next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, the Rt. Rev. B. Wistar Morris D. D. Bishop of Oregon, officiating.

property visited the engine house of No. I and made an examination of the floor. Their report will be submitted to the council at its next meeting.

Services at the Congregational church Morning thene, "The Sabbath." In the evening, "The Armenian Massacre of 1894 Its Antecedeats and Significance." The Sunday school meets at 12:15 and the Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.

A new bulkhead is being built around the east side of Hillaide cemetery. When completed it will be a great improvement. The old one had almost fallen down, and the sidewalk immediately in front was in such shape that no one could pass.

Fred Leben forfelted 25 for being drunk Oscar Liste added to the city's receipt by forfelting \$10, on a similar charge Antone Hendrickson for ussaulting a Chinaman, had his case continued until today at 3 p. m.

The following were among the passe gers for Portland on the Potter last avening: H. Rodgers, Miss McCoy, Mrs. Carroll, A. G. Barker, Mrs. Stevens, Miss

A meeting will be held today at the Lowis & Clark to consider road matters and to decide on what character of improvements are desired on the road from Hess' point to Clatsop. The boat will leave about 5 o'clock this morning and all interested in road matters are ex-

will be spread. The afternoon will be taken up with foot racing, horse racing, swimming matches, baseball, etc. No intoxicating drinks will be sold or aflowed on the ground and the spread of the spr on the grounds and a general invitation is extended to all.

The O. R. and N. Co., will sell Fourth of July tickets at one fare for the round trip to all points on the river between Astoria and Portland. Tickets on sale July 3d and 4th, good for return to the

The members of the Outing club or their excursion over the hill the other evening were entertained with a skirt dance, very neatly done, by Mr. Richard Carruthers. It is understood that he will go on the road next season.

go up to Portland for the Fourth of July the O. R. and N. Co. will hold its night boat two hours at Portland, or leaving Ash street dock at 10:30 p. m. for Astoria and way landings. Mr. H. Severaing, president of the Al

with a view to making investments. The season tickets for the Art Loan Ex-

Finck, Mrs. Ross, and others, will be exists on the upper river and not more the features of the evening. Full program will be published Monday.

formation, call at ticket office under Occi-

other points along the river were visited and the return trip was made at 5 p. m. is a misnomer when applied to such Those who went were: Mrs. Frank Bos-Commencing Sunday, June 30, and dur

sconding debtor, and who has been con-fined in the county jall for the past week. Owing to the absence of Judge McBride

O. R. and N. wharf at 8 o'clock a. m.

who left last evening for Portland, his over any previous season's operations. hearing will not take place until the court's return.

Work on the Fraser River is well under court's return. Services tomorrow at the Baptist church as follows: In the morning an address by have been already sold to foreign markets the pastor, entitled, "Echoes from the Association." In the evening, Children's believed, however, that the total Fraser Day will be observed by appropriate and interesting exercises. Sunday school at cases, and we cannot see how Eastern 12:15 and Y. P. B. U. at 7 p. m. Prayer the small balance that will be left then Some of the larger canneries will make service on Wednesday at 8 p. m. You are cordially invited to be present at any or

The old favorite steamer R. R. Thompson is again on the Astoria-Portland and brands hav been selling in Toront route, after having been thoroughly overhauled, re-painted and re-flitted with new and elegant furnishings, including car-pets, mattresses, etc. Besides this there has been placed on the Thompson a complete electric light plant. All of these features combined make the Thompson one of the most comfortable bouts on the

from 97%c to \$1.00 from this coast. We quote today as follows: Readers will notice a few marked changes in some Services at the Presbyterian church torrow as follows: Preaching morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. R. Liddell. Morning theme, "Jesus in the Christian Assembly," evening theme, "The Unknown God or Astorians and Athenians Contrasted." Sabbath school for flats. Two-pound regular tails with key, \$2.10; Bluebacks, 1-lb. tails \$1.32½, 1-lb. flats \$1.50; Chinook ovals, for export -market closed; for home consumption, \$1.87½ to \$1.95 for small lots already sold. after the morning service. Young people's rally at 7 p. m. A very special invita-tion is extended to all strangers to at-Buyers have been here during the past week, and though advantageous offers have been made for ovals, it has been imtend these services.

Capt. A. M. Simpson, of San Francisco rrived in the city yesterday. The captain is the principal owner of the Knappton Mills, and the Northwest Lumber Company. He has just returned from Alaska and left his wife and family in British Columbia to make a visit with friends. Capt. Simpson goes to Knappton today on business and will probably go to Portland tonight. He also owns mills and shipyards at Coos Bay, and is now building his 46th vessel at that point

Thanking the good people of Astoria and surrounding country for their liberal patronage during the thirty days I worked at reduced prices. I hope by professional courtesy, honest and durable work, to merit a continuance of the same.

MENTOR HOWARD,

Dentul pariors, 598 Commercial street. NOTICE OF CHURCH MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that there wi be a special business meeting of the members of the First Presbyterian Church of Upper Astoria, to be held in the Sunday school room of said church in Upper Astoria on the 9th of July, 1886, at 8 o'clock p. m, of said day, for the pur-pose of taking such action as may be necessary for the filing supplemental ar-ticles of incorporation of said church and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the

By order of the Board of Trustees. GELO F. PARKER, Sec. A LARGE CROWD.

The bankrupt shoe store, corner of Ninth and Commercial streets, opened last Tuesday morning, and ever since the opening the store has been crowded with people most of the time, and, judg-ing from the armsful of shoes carried away, they must be reasonable in price and good in quality. If you are in need of footwear it will pay you to take a look at this stock.

Articles will be ready for removal from the Art Loan Exhibition Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock a. In.

Monday the doors of the Art Loan
will be closed to all except the committee

paratively Nothing.

HARD TO FILL THE ORDERS

In order to accommodate parties from the lower Columbia river points, who will Considerably More Than Has Yet Been Estimated.

ameda Savings Bank, and family, were passengers out on the Oregon just returning from a trip to Alaska. They totally unprecedented falling off in the spent a few hours in the company of run of salmon, and the very noticeable Mrs. D. Logan, in looking over the town goods, consequent on the fast growing knowledge in Eastern centers that the The Lean Exhibition will close tonight at 10:30 p.m. Admission to art gallery of expectations. Demands for goods are 15 cents; to curio department, 15 cents. returns, none of the canneries have been able to keep up with orders though More than one can enter at the same stocks are moving out as fast as carloads can be got together. From about an even pack with 1894 to the end of last The concert to be given by the Appolo Ciub next Monday evening promises to be a great musical treat. Grand choruses by some 40 voices, duets by some of the best local talent and solos b Mme. Cascades and The Dalles from all sources since our last report, bringing The supervisor of road district No. 8, the total up-river pack to about 20,000 was notified by County Judge Gray yes-terday to at once repair the county road from the city limits to the Walluski backs, while showing up a little better from the city limits to the Walluski bridge. For a long time this road has been in an almost impassable condition, and now that it is to be repaired farmers in that vicinity will no doubt be happy.

The steamer North Pacific will hereafter ply between Astoria and Ilwaco, making the condition of them have been mixed with the Chinook catch in the past few days to bring the average weight of all the conditions of the condition of ter ply between Astoria and Hwaco, maning two round trips daily, leaving on
arrival of R. R. Thompson and T. J.
Potter from Portland. Landings will be
made at Young's Bay for Clatsop Beach
made at Young's Bay for Clatsop Beach ter ply between Astoria and Ilwaco, mak-ing two round trips daily, leaving on nent canneryman today talking of the them—an average of half a fish to the boat, when two weeks ago boats were H. W. B. Smith, of Long Beach, was registered at the Occident yesterday. averaging 15 and 16 fish each. Steel heads are beginning to appear in the river, and are of excellent quality. Tak-A party of Astorians enjoyed an after-noon of pleasure Friday on the little launch Daisy. The seining grounds and gill nets together, the traps are at pres-Those who went were: Mrs. Frank Bos-worth, Mrs. Richard Cairns, Mrs. Dan welch, Miss Gratke, Miss Broughten and still further than ever to verify our constantly repeated prediction of a shortage on the Columbia from 50,000 to 100,000 cases. With 60,000 more cases going foring the seaside season, the O. R. and N. eign than last year and a pack so short Co. will make a 50 cent round trip rate as this season's is certain to be, the dobetween Astoria and Ilwaco good on Sun-days only. Steamer North Pacific leaves a very long way behind. Even with run from now on as good as last year's Time of departure returning will be gov-erned by tides permitting connection to condition will remain unaltered. The condition will remain be made with Potter for Portland in fishing is so poor that a large number of men engaged in gill netting are beginning to leave here and travel to San Franer Drennen were yesterday served with a writ of habeas corpus in the case of F. Feakes, charged with being an absconding debtar, and who being an absconding debtar and a second debta been the remarkable absence of serious cusualties among fishermen, and in this respect the year has a decided advantage

> possible to purchase. Packers who put out this class of goods to any extent have got all they can do to fill orders already received. TO BLOCK THE GAME. Northern Pacific Attempt to Kill Port-land's New Line.

Canadian markets are going to fare with

a determined effort to hold prices for Eastern delivery higher than they have

been for some years. Fraser River stand

and it is believed that \$5.00 will be obtained later on. If report speaks truly,

the Alaska Packers' Association has sold

every can of Red Alaska salmon it can pack this year at prices that, under pres-

ent low freight rates through the isth

mus, or by railroad via the Gulf, mean

prices-spring catch straight Chinooks

A dispatch from Tacoma says that minent Northern Pacific railroad mar declared that the object of the Northern Pacific steamship line in cutting rates to the Orient from \$6 to \$4 per ton is for the purpose of killing off the new steamship line from the Orient 'I doubt if this new line," said he, "will

send a second boat over. Its first boat brought only about twenty tons of freight for Puget sound. Hereafter the Northern Pacific line will keep a steamer ull the time in Yokohama, and it wiff catch all the freight as it comes along. If the new line to Portland does send a second boat, it will have to carry freight for

"The Northern Pacific line will not permit a new line of steamers to enter the field, as it is understood the object of the new line is to carry freight to Port-tand and have the Great Northern carry it cast via Spokane, the O. R. & N. car-rying it as far as that point. On that deal the O. R. & N. will realize about 5 cents per con."

It is estimated that the Canadian Pa-cific, the Northern Pacific and the San Francisco Oriental lines will combine to freeze out the Portland line. In view of the fact that President Illil. of the Great Northern, is in New York conferring with J. Pierpont Morgan and others in relation to the organization of the Northern Pacific, it would seem that the latter named road might have something to say about killing the new line. It is well understood that Mr. Hill is behind the O. R. & N. in the maintenance of the new Orienzal line. ance of the new Oriental line of steamers to Portland, the first one of which, the Chitragong, serived this week. If Mr. Hill is to take part in the control of the Northern Pacific, as seems to be an assumed fact, he will hardly permit that line to interfere with one of his pet

THE SOCIAL PYTHIANS. Interesting Gathering on Wednesday.

In response to the invitations addressed HO! FOR THE SEASIDE. What is the use of having a "human form divine" unless you care for it, and drape it and ciothe it so as to make it a source of joy to yourself and a pride to your friends? Nature sup-

The two tables extending the entire length of the hall were occupied by a jolly lot of people who enjoyed the coffee and cake, strawberries and cream and witty remarks by different members pres-

Postmaster Herman Wise acted as master of ceremonies, and he was as full of fun as Peck's bad boy is of playing tricks on his pa. Mr. Wise gracefully welcomed the sisters and brothers (especially the former) and then proceeded to explain the objects of the Rathbone Sisters. Mr. Wise had a way of unexpectedly calling upon some unsuspecting brother and then introducing him with a few remarks, succeeding in making the boys defend themselves.

Brother Barrett, prosecuting attorney

he is also a member; Brother Past Grand Chancellor Cleveland delivered the principal address of the evening, for which he is especially fitted on account of his ripe experience as a knight and also because he is peculiarly fitted as an orator. Brothers Danielson, Pohl, Rubin, Olsen and several others present scale. Olsen and several others present spoke briefly, and about twenty of the ladies present signed the petition for a charter of the Rathbone Sisters, which will be forwarded to Grand Chief Hewitt at Albany as soon as the committee secures the signatures of several other ladies who desire to become charter members, but who could not be present at the meeting. exhibition of his famous after dinner farce, entitled "Out Went McGinty," the audience rose and sang the closing ode. The meeting then adjourned, all present expressing themselves as having enjoyed a pleasant evening.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES.

A tent of the Knights of Maccabees was organized at Carnahan's hall last evening. The meeting was well artended and much interest was manifested. Offiers were elected and were duly install d by Deputy Supreme Commander H. Nel-

PERSONAL MENTION. J. O. Hanthorn, the canneryman, is vis

Dr. Walker returned yesterday from a short stay in Portland. Charles F. Kamm, of Portland, is reg istered at the Occident.

H. Tinker, the Hwaco hotel man, is a but the Japanese invasion of the United guest of the Parker House. A. V. Allen, the grocer, and wife, re turned yesterday from Portland.

W. J. Honeyman, a promnent merchant of the metropolis, was in town yesterday. Mrs. Schuman returned on the Telephone yesterday from a few days' visit to Brook James F. Reed, of San Jose, Cal., an expert miner, is in town and stopping at

A. L. Bozorth, a merchant of Wood land, Wash., is in the city visiting his cousin, M. B. Bozorth. F. N. Kollock, of the Pennsylvania lines was among the passengers for Portland last night on the Potter.

Mrs. E. Rogers and family, are visiting

the Parker House.

relatives and friends in this city. They will remain several weeks. A. G. Barker, general agent of the Chi cago and Northwestern railway, returned to Portland on the Potter last evening. Miss Kate Sinnott, daughter of Polic Officer Joseph Sinnott, left this morning for a vacation with relatives in Portland. John Kopp, the brewer, left this morn who are spending the summer at Sea

Mr. H. Rodgers, superintendent of Bradstreet's, Portland, was in the city yesterday. He stated that he had not seen as prosperous looking a city on the coust as Astoria FOREIGN CAPITAL BUGABOO.

Our Debts Abroad Need Not Worry Any body-Advantages of an Influx of Foreign Money. Our foreign debts are a great source of worriment to the free coinage people. Every instance of bonds sold abroad is taken up by them to prove that our property is passing into the hands of foreigners, that Germany, France and England will soon own this country and that we

cannot possibly puy our interest to then Strangely enough it never seems to occur to them that the Americans wh are selling this property may be getting full value for it. And yet when you meet one of these Americans who had just completed a sale to a foreign synd! cate he never seems dejected. If any body in America has lost anything by the sale he must be the man, but who eve saw an American struggling to escap-from the clutches of an English syndicate who were trying to buy his proper.y The fact is these political economists ac upon the theory that this property passe to the foreigners without consideration, whereas the question of consideration is well looked after by the Americans im-mediately interested. That is not a matter requiring government supervision.

The United States has been greatly benefited in the past by the flow of European

capital hither for investment. It has hastened the development of the country, reduced the cost of transportation, increased the value of western farms and owered the rates of interest. A recently issued little book entitled "Coin at School in Finance," by Geo E. Roberts treats this subject in an effect tive manner. It gives a clever "take off on Coin's notorious "school." The fel

lowing quotation is properly enough put into Coin's mouth and the nonsense of it exposed as follows:
Your plan," shricked Coin, "is to pay
our debts by making new ones. Your
prosperity means money coming in from
abroad, so that we can borrow more money. I say that I don't want to see another dollar of foreign money come here; it means that we must either pay interest on it, or give up some of our property for it. We are morigaging or selling (the two mean the same thing) the birthright of our children."

And Coin's eyes glared, his bair stood on end, great drops of perspiration stood on his face and he looked like a man with a nightmare.

The bimetallist looked at him with curiosity. Then he addressed Mr. Miller, the leading Eagle Grove citizen who had been in constant attendance. "Mr. Miller, if an Englishman abould arrive here tomorrow with \$190,000 to build a plow factory in Eagle Grove,

"Well," said Mr. Miller, smiling, "I

don't know but you might call them such. The whole town would turn out to welcome him. We would give him a ban-quet, present him with a tract of ground for his establishment, exempt him from taxation for ten years and furnish him free water from the city plant." "But haven't you learned from Coin that the profits from this factory for all time would go to swell our gold ex-"We would let the gold exports take

care of themselves and weld "But suppose," said the bimetallist thoughtfully, that this Englishman should find that he could do better with his profits here in Eagle Grove than by tak-ing them back to England, and should announce in due time that he would build

The eyes of the Eagle Grove audience sparkled with delight and humor. It was evident that the Englishman would have no prejudices to overcome,
"And suppose," said the bimetallist,

an oatmeal mill here.

erate it?"

instead of taking the income from the two establishments to Empland, where interest rates are very low, to lean it in this country to younger and enter-prising men who desire to embark in similar enterprises, or to men like Gov. Algold, who wanted to put up sixteen story buildings but had more to be a second or to be story buildings, but had money enough for only eight stories. Would your con-

sideration for the birthright of your children permit this? "I think no obstacles would be put in the gentleman's way," and another smile went around the audience.

"Now," said the speaker, "this shows how simple and harmless these movements of capital are when examined in detail. The enterprise and bargains of Brother Barrett, prosecuting attorney of the district, entertained the assemblage by relating his experience in joining the order of Pythian Sisters, of which he is also a member. Past try from abroad for the same reasons that millions of sturdy workingmen have come, viz; because it could earn more here than there, and the governments or syndicates of Europe can no more draw it away from us while that condi-tion remains than they can draw back the men who have bettered their condi-

> "You can't draw all the money of the world into one country any more than you can partition the Atlantic and pump one side dry. England leaks gold at every pore after enough is piled up there to depress interest rates. Coin seems to labor under the impression that gold runs into England but never out. He thinks they eat it, or hoard it in their cellars. That is a mistake."

"I think nothing of the kind," said Coin. "I know that all people like to keep their money in use. But I say that when the Englishman puts his gold out again it is for something that will increase it, and that his class, whether they live in England or elsewhere, are getting richer and richer, and in the natural course of present policies will own the earth." "Just as our Eagle Grove Englishman might come in time to own the United States, even though every man who did

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