ASTORIA, OREGON, SUNDAY MORNING, MARCH 8, 1896.

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And you can buy Overcoats and good warm Men's and Boy's Clothing, Furnishing SALMON PACKERS ARE ACTIVE Goods; also, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Trunks, Valises, Etc., at Factory Pric s at the Trustee Sale now on for

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Mild in Cure (not salty) AMS Natural Flavor, Tender and Juicy.

HAMS, BACON,

LARD. CANNED MEATS.

### PROSPECTS FOR THE SEASON

Not Believed That This Year's Pack Will Be So Heavy as Last.

Spring-The Washington Hatcheries Doing Well, as Also One on the Clackamas.

If ever a city enjoyed a vicarious pros-perity, and one in a measure due to ex-traneous influences. Astoria is certainly that one. With the seat and headquar-ters of the salmon packing industry in, and immediately contiguous to, Oregon's only scaport; with the output of canned and fresh salmon greater here than at any other place in the entire world, the state of Oregon has no hatchery for the any other place in the entire world, the state of Oregon has no hatchery for the propagation of the great Chinook, the catching, preparing and packing of which constitutes one of the chiefest among the wealth producing and retaining businesses of the state. The state of Washington has two hatcheries, and from these institutions, fostered and supported the state funds. Astoria derives the visconia control of the car backward. by state funds. Astoria derives the vi-carlous benefit spoken of above-or, to speak more correctly, will do so in future

Chinock and Kalama rivers, and last year 1,000,000 young lish were turned loose, which will not return for over four years. Of these, the greater number have found their way into the waters of the Columbia, and in the course of time will return from the sait water on their way to the head water spawning grounds, only to be caught captive in the nets of Astoria fishermen. The cannerymen of this district have a propagating hatchery on the trict have a propagating hatchery on the Clackamas, from which there were turned loose in 1995 2,000,000 young salmon, who have ere this fraterizated with their brethren from Washington and become one family. The reason for this neglect spon the part of Oregon is not apparent, ut it is true there would be little other

out yesterday to find out ing done in the way of preparation for the 28th bit. In the spring run, and has been led to the respect. Various accounts of the wread above remarks because of the various and the saving of the passengers and expressions of cannerymen regarding the crew have been published, but none prospects of the season's catch.

give the credit thought to be due to the soldiers at Fort Canby. As a matter of fact no people are more worthy of prais:

AS VIEWED IN Prominent Organization Will Bend No. Delegates to State or National Conventions.

New York, March 7.-The state Democeary is an organization with a past. It is authorizatively stated that it will hold no meeting this year, send no defigates to the state convention and will not us to the state convention and will not us represented at Chicago. For this state state of affairs each wing of the one-time organization blames the other. Charles F. Fairchild was the head of the state organization, and former Mayor Grace the leader of the New York county faction. When the organization comty faction. When the organization com-Many New Boats Will Be On the River This great results were expected. With the patronage that the state Democracy were to get they hoped to build up a party of their own to take the plans of Tammany Hall, but fusion did not turn out as they expected. That wing of the party which did not get any patronage from Mayor Strong charges the Senner-Scott crowd with using the officer at Scott crowd with using the offices at their disposal to their own personal ad-vantage and against interests of such Democrats as "Patty" Grote and other men with district organizations back of them. Notwithstanding the generally defunct condition of the state Démocracy, W. F. Grote, Morris J. Powers, T. P. Keating, John Henneberry, Dan Dowling, Thomas Costigan and J. J. Quinlan will keep up their district organizations as they have for several years.

tions, as they have for several years. "There's a woman disguised as a man."
"How do you know?"
"She grabbed at her conttails and

Soldiers in a New Hole Play Their Parts Well-Take the Place of Disabled Lifesaving Crew.

n natural propagation were it not to be the Washington and the local cannery-duty of soldiers to save life, except perhaps in the most indirect manner. Conhaps in the most indirect manner. Consequently the incident of the wreck of the
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so occupied. The uncocupied territory will continue to be vacant for all time to come, unless some person, more foolbardy than his fellows, desires to precipitate an emente among the fishermen by block ing the channel with more traps. Some on triced it not long ago, but a stern demand by the fishermen, accentuated by force of numbers, caused him to leave the piling and quit work.

Altogether, the activities of the present are not materially different from these of other seasons, when preparations were not making to meet the demands includent to a large yield. The usual efforts of the more all indications are being made and not properations are being made and not procession. The ordinary number of workmen will be employed, the ordinary amount of money will be disbursed.

STEAMER BURNED

Newport, Or., March 7.—The steamer Volanta caught fire at her dock this morning about 1 o'clock and burned to the water's edge. A deck hand who slept on board barely seased with his life morning about 1 o'clock and burned to the water's edge. A deck hand who slept on board barely seased with his life from proparation are in the boiler room, the fire of morning the complex of the description of the surgestions and valuable assistance in reading the water's edge. A deck hand who slept on board barely seased with his life from proparation and propaged the ordinary amount of money will be disbursed.

Having Hoe Cake Soap in your kitchen or bath once

Italian Defeat in Abyssinia Caused a Great Sensation Throughout the Country.

ITS EFFECT ON THE DREIBUND

Austria Probably Negotiating With Germany as to the Latter's Relations With England-Ashantee Spoils Arrive in London-Are Disappointing.

(Copyrighted, 1886, by Associated Press.) London, March 7.—The disaster suffered by the Italian troops in Africa has caused a great sensation in Great Britain and is thought likely to lead to a fresh ad-vance by the dervishes in Upper Egypt. General Barater's defeat must have an enormous moral effect in Africa and di-minish considerably the prestige of Eu-ropean troops of all nationalities.

The defeat at Adowa, moreover, serious-ity affects Italy's position in Europe, po-litically and financially. As to its bear-ing on the drebund, a number of contra-dictory reports are in circulation. On one side, Russia, France and Germany are reported to have come to see any are reported to have come to some sor of an agreement upon their course in the future: on the other hand, it is said today that Austria is alarmed and is urging Germany to cement better under-standing with Great Britain. The latter supposition is likely to be correct, but accomplishment of Austria's plan

have been secretly assisting king Menelik against Italy, it would seem but natural that Emperor William, who has been leaving no stone unturned to bring about more cordial relations between Germany and Russia, should side with the latter power and France, in a joint endeavor to crush Italy's colonial aspirations in Africa, and by so doing, strike a blow at Germany's leading colonial trail. at Germany's leading colonial rival, Great

The Ashantee spoils have arrived at the coionial office and are very disappointing. The whole lot is said to be rial contest today result on one ballot and a part hollow gold, instead of solid gold, are hollow gold, instead of solid gold, like those captured on previous British

THE PROPOSED BATTLESHIPS Two of the Vessels Likely to Be Built in Government Navy Yards.

Washington, March 7.-If the decision

merce or dog the heels of an army of war, or a great industrial army like that which works within the ranks of the Cen-iral Pacific Ballroad Company." THE OFFICERS ESCAPED.

lished here, giving the names of 180 offi-cers who escaped slaughter at the Adowa disaster of the Abyssinian campaign. The situation toolight throughout Italy is re-ported unchanged. The belief that Mar-quis Di Ridini will form the cabinet which will succeed the Crispi ministry is gaining.

NOTED THEATRICAL MAN.

Chicago, March 7.-J. H. McVicker, the well known theatrical manager, died this afternoon. Mr. McVicker was stricken with paralysis about a month ago and has been lying at death's door ever since The deceased was an excellent actor by The deceased was an excellent actor be-fore he became manager. His daughter was the second wife of Edwin Booth.

ALL FOR MAJOR BILL

Milwaukee, March 7.-Six counties held Republican conventions today. All delegates were instructed for McKinley. Nineteen counties have held conventions, all being for McKinley, although three did not instruct

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool, March 7.—Wheat, No. 2 red wintr, is 71/d: No. 1 Californis, is 6d. Hops—Pacific Coast i2. Portland, March 7.—Wheat, unchanged.

Of the Rescue of the Crew of the Point Loma.

Ooks difficult, as things now stand.

If it is true that Russia and France have been secretly assisting King Menelik

United States Senate.

Sound Money Democrat. From His Sick Bed. Releases His Pair, and Prevents the Election of a Silverite.

Frankfort, Ky., Marcn 1 .- The senatorial contest today resulted in a stampede friends of Senator Blackburn though he peace loving republic behaves was elected at the end of the first bal-lot, and began celebrating, but he lacked two yotes.

The key to the contest was the pair be-tween Weissinger, a hard-money Demo-crat, and Chambers, Republican. When it became evident that university to the contest of peace, who fanned An ican Chauvaniam. became evident that, unless this pair was broken. Blackburn would be elected.

demand should be for a bimetallism that guarantees the permanent use of both metals, not a scheme falsely named bimetals, not a scheme falsely named bimetallism, which leads straight and immediately to the use of one metal only. If the fight is to be between silver monometallism and gold monometallism, the gold will surely win. If it is to be an honest fight for bimetallism against monometallism of either metal, its success is assured. But to use the name of bimetallism to obtain the unconditional coinage of silver at 16 to 1 by the United States alone, is a fraud, and puts the whole movement beyond the pale of serious consideration by honest statesmen or careful publiciats. nen or caréful publicists.

Honest bimetallism is a feasible propo-sition which the Republican party and protectionists generally may be expected seriously to entertain. But any politi-cal party which will permit itself to be imposed upon by sconomic sophistry or protectionists generally may be expected seriously to entertain. But any political party which will permit itself to be imposed upon by economic sophistry or political threats into adopting silver monometallism under the pretense of protecting bimetallism, is not entitled to the public confidence of any class, much less to be entrusted with the affairs of a great nation.

Rockland Tribune.

The first boatload from the Mayflower scrambled out on Plymouth Rock. "I suppose," remarked Miles Standish, emptying the water from his shoe, "that we can now be referred to as landed aristocrats." And when this was repealed to Elder Brewster, and explained to him, he almost laughed.

#### DRIEBUND WILL BE DISSOLVED

Opinion Prevails in Berlin That the Italian Disaster in Abyssinia Will Cause This.

SPANISH-AMERICAN DISPUTE

Somewhat Lost Sight Of, but Still Comes in for a Share of Comment - Action of President Cleveland is Very Severely Ridicaled.

(Copyrighted, 1896, by Associated Press.) Berlin, March 7.-The defeat of the Italpolitical circles here, and the opinion pre valling is that it will lead to a practical, if not a formal dissolution of the dreabund. That Emptror William has tole-graphed his sympathy to King Humbert does not after the fact that international politics will take on new shape.

Count Guoluchowski, Austrian minister

somewhat driven into the background by the Italian imbrogilo. Some papers, how-ever, still comment on it. The Lokal Anseiger, for instance, says: "It is the irony of modern history that

TO IMPROVE TENTH STREET

crossing at Eighteenth street and Frank-lin avenue, came up for further consider-ation. A motion to adopt lead to a lengthy discussion as to whether the amount should be paid out of the cross-ings fund or the general fund. The mo-tion was amended so as to take the former courses. former course.

This being all the matters constituted in the call, council then adjourned.

THE CODFISH ARISTOCRACY.

Highest of all in Leavening Power .- Latest U.S. Gov't Report

