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MONDAY, JANUARY 4

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-Albert Dunbar

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YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Maximum temperature, 52 degrees. Minimum temperture, 46 degrees. Precipitation, 1.07 inches. Total precipitation from September

1st, 1896, to date, 51.77 inches. Excess of precipitation from September 1st, 1896, to date, 11.93 inches. TODAY'S WEATHER. Portland, January 21.-For Oregon

and Washington, fair weather, cooler. TO READERS.-The "Daily Asterian" contains twice as much reading matter as any other paper published in Astoria. It is the only paper that presents its readers

with a daily telegraphic report.

TO ADVERTISERS.—The "Daily Astorian" has more than twice as many readers as any other paper published in Asto-ria. It is therefore more than twice as valuable as an advertising medium.

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop. We, the undersigned, local managers espectively of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies, hereby cer-tify that the "Daily Astorian" is the only paper published in Astoria which now re-selves, or at any time during our control of said offices has received, a telegraphic B. D. JOHNSON. Manager W. U. T. Co. J. B. CLARK,

AROUND TOWN.

Manager Postal Tel. Co.

They are slaves who fear to speak For the fallen and the weak; They are slaves who will not choose Hatred, scoffing and abuse, Rather than in silence shrink From the truth they needs must think; They are slaves who dare not be In the right with two or three. -James Russell Lowell.

Signs See Swope.

Want anything painted? See Swope.

Want anything decorated? See Swope.

Dr. Howard, Homeopathist, office 586 Commercial street.

Twenty lbs. granulated sugar for \$1, at 455 Duane street.

Ekstrom has the only complete stock of lewelry in the city.

that drives people mad.

The fog was so thick yesterday that

it could be cut with a knife. Have you any jeweiry that needs re-

pairing? Take it to Ekstrom's.

gone to Portland on a short visit.

J. W. McMullen, the driver of Fisher

Brothers' team, is laid up with the

promised

trary notwithstanding. Owing to the prevalence of sickness in the city there will be no Sabbath

school in Uniontown next Sunday. The most attractive and inexpensive light furniture of bamboo made to or-

der at 618 Commercial street.

tered at the Parker House yesterday. Family tickets between Warranton,

F. J. Schofield, general landscape gardener and sanitary engineer. All work

guaranteed. Leave orders at Astorian office. We offer all our cast iron stoves at

10 per cent below cost. The latest air-

at which all Uppertown society will

fresh in this country, like Schilling's Best, some tea will be as good.

Not now. At grocers' in packages.

The raffile of the artistic views of Mexican scenery at Siefeldt's on Saturday evening promises a revelation in art circles.

Captain McCoy will remain in the city until the first of February, when he will go to San Francisco to assume his new duties.

given next Friday evening, the 22nd, will read Fisher's Hall instead of Kearney's ball. The very correct girl does not wear

a necktie, but winds soft ribbon twice

around her throat, forming a knot and

Invitations to masquerade ball to be

two end in front. ing room in the near future, where all the leading periodicals and scientific

journals will be kept on file.

Manager Clinton put in nine new telephones in various residences and business houses in the city this week. The telephone business seems to be good.

Call and see the Queen air-tight heater at Howell & Ward's before buying: they can save you money both on the price of the stove and wood consumed.

Corset covers 19c at Dunbar's clearan

Before purchasing, don't fail to see those celebrated air-tight stoves at Foard & Stokes.' They have them in a dozen different styles, and every possible size.

The steamer Telephone yesterday afternoon made a special trip to Flavel. where a number of horses, and wagons were delivered for use by the Fla vel Land Company.

massage scientifically administered, by Mrs. M. Abrahams, 469 Duane street. Rheumatism a specialty.

one of the best of the season.

The funeral services of Miss Matilda o'clock returning in the afternoon.

Lawyer Allen, the partner of District Attorney T. J. Cleeton, of St. Helens, has removed to Astoria and it is understood will open an office on the corner of 10th and Commercial streets.

Captain Burns yesterday afternoon returned from the Giermorag. It was of wages. Common talk has it, and busines. reported that the captain stated that there were good prospects of gettin the ship off the sands, but that nothing

Yesterday was rather a slow day ing the coming season. the merchants and business men generally. The thick, foggy day

Ladies' Union Suits 95c at Dunbar's clearance Sale.

An incipient war is in progress in Warrenton. The keeper of the new saoon, which was opened there Wednesday, was arrested Wednesday night. and attempt is being made by the citizens to close the place although the This half-and-half weather is the sort man has a receipt for \$250, so it is al- of Astoria. Astoria cannot be greatly me name Hon. Benj. Young. Hon. C. H. The Latter Gets His Seat by a Narrow leged, on account of his license.

Chas. Clary, Seattle; W. Whelan, W. of population. r. Smith, E. C. Stark, D. C. Herrin, cisco; J. D. Dafly, St. Paul; G. W. East-Warren, Skipanon, C. A. Flagter, U. Mr. W. G. Gossiin and wife have S. A.; Captain Burns, Glasgow, were or more properly speaking, the exten- 320 acres on the front of the island, tested election in the case of Yost vs guests of the Occident yesterday.

Minnie G. Abrahams vs. Philip Abra- river valleys. St. Valentine's day is rapidly ap- hams and A. Cook, action for di- As we have reached a point from Assuming the organization of the Democratic contestee. When the supproaching and many novelties are vorce and recovery of property. Deno which we are to take a new departure, company, the work and outlay will be porters of Yout's contention found they & Dallis vs. Pacific Commission Co., at- let us rouse ourselves from our leth- about as follows tachment on stock. In the latter suit argy and prepare to take a hand in Mr. Pederson's family, including him- the store of the defendant was closed the new activities that will soon be inself, are all well, reports to the con- by the sheriff late Wednesday evening. augurated. Abrahams, the manager of the business, it is understood, has left the city.

esting program was given. The main sold by Agent Stone at the Telephone This is not the first time that Minerva road. has given its services for the benefit certainly deserving of hearty support.

Children's school hosiery 15c at Dun-bar's clearance sale. They are the 25c

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The A. F. C. boys will open a read- Fine Dry Goods, Clothing Furnishing Goods, Etc.

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known expert, has been appointed chief and doing. been definitely settled, it is understood capital.

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> Rogers, Druggist. CATTLE AND CRANBERRIES.

Both Can Be Profitably Raised Near a few scattering trees which should dicks claiming the vacant seat as sen-Astoria.

ten, about the development of this low- inent and influential the man the beter river country, and the building up ter. Without invidious distinctions, let extended unless the country as a whole Page, Captain Geo. C. Flavel, Col. Fulis developed, followed by an increase ton. Let all or any of these gentlemen

Those now engaged in debating and it will be a success. Portland; E. L. Thompson, San Fran- canvassing this proposition should not If island No. 3 should be selected the considerable partisan passion was erbrook and C. C. Dalton, Ilwaco; P. a limited series of years, but bear in ship of the island and the price. The fillbuster for the purpose of gaining mind that the building of the railroad, railroad company and C. H. Page own In the circuit court clerk's office the marks an era and truly an epoch in had for less price. In my judgment, a confirming Tucker's title thereto. The following new suits have been filed the life and development of this lower capital of \$30,000 for handling this isl- Republicans were badly divided, fiftyand papers served upon the defendants: country, and the Columbia and Snake and and the business would be ample- four of them joining with the Demo-

Flavel and Astoria will hereafter be illes in Uppertown who are in need, markets, terminal facilities for the cattle.

the road. In the heart of the city, on Commer- This useless talking and inaction must beef in the markets of Astoria, you Gibraltar her captain reported having cial, bond, and Astor streets, within come to a close, or else we must take will get your own price for it. Most on board a cargo of fruit for this port tight stoves also on hand at 431 Bond a stone's throw of the courthouse, the our place among the old burgers of of the beef hitherto and now being Under ordinary conditions she would pavement of the streets is in a de- New Amsterdam. Washington Irving, sold is old and tough, hard on the have made the voyage in fifteen days. plorable and dangerous condition. Su- in his history of New York, reports teeth of the man who attempts to Twenty-one days have elapsed and she This evening there will be a Danish perintendent Holt, who is doing all he that the first settlers of New Amster- chew it. dance at O'Brien's hall in Uppertown possibly can with the means at his dam, after they had made a lodgment. There is another business that many command, says that the underpinning on Manhatten Island and had taken a parties believe can be profitably conand stringers are simply rotten, to say look at the goodly prospect, decided to ducted on the overflowed lands above nothing of the surface planks which build a great city . Their debates over Knappa. That is cranberry culture. are constantly giving way under the this city-building were interminable. At this point the river is fresh, and Populist, got 28 votes on the first balreight of the teams passing over them. In the long summer evenings they can be used, when needed, for over- lot today, and 26 on the second. T. E. the grades of these streets some eigh- taiked and smoked, and in the clouds renton slough and Blind slough is a on each ballot een inches or two feet, and to put the of smoke rolling heavenward they saw great bank of sand, hardening to soft streets in the condition called for by the great city. In the meantline set- sand rock as you go down. Here is the ordinance means their entire re- tiers were arriving from Old Amster- sand for covering the beds prepared building. In the mean time all that dam, houses must be built; there being for cranberries. can be done is patchwork so as to keep no streets, they built along the cattle. Those who wish for full information the streets passable as far as possible. paths hence the crookedness of the on cranberry culture can get by send streets of early New York.

cannery are progressing most satis- their associates and friends, will na factorily. L. Lebeck has been awarded turally take an interest in any enterthe contract for pile driving for the prise that will furnish business for the big brick Jones block now stands new plant, and it is reported on good their road, but we have something to for a pair of boots." vapor and alcohol baths, combined with authority that Frank Wilson, the well do ourselves, and we ought to be up

fireman in charge of the cooking re- in this article I do not propose to torts. Thomas Markra is to be the make a catalogue of a long list of enterforman of the factory, and his long prises that can be inaugurated and bought in Astoria at low and reason The Assembly Club will give a dance experience fits him for the position. carried to a successful issue, most of able figures, and on the installment at Foard & Stokes' hall this evening. While the matter seems not to have which would call for an outlay of large plan. In a few months there will prob-

it is understood that the event will be that George Nelson, of the old flisher- I shall confine myself to a single men's Packing Company, will be made proposition, which I shall fully outline general manager, and that Sofus Jen- -business which, if inaugurated and sen will be engaged as traveling agent, energetically and properly caried on. More Wrangling Over the Nicaragua Sloop will be held at the church in A number of employes have been pick- will unfailingly increase, within three ed from the old Wm. Hume men, and or four years, the capital invested 400 Eclipse leaves Telephone dock at 13 it seems there are plenty of men in per cent, besides paying dividends. It town who know all about the business is a business, by reason of its location and are perfectly competent to do the and character, in which there can be and for a time there were prospects work. It is also said that numberless only very small risks. What cannot be of a protracted test of endurance ex applications have been received from done by one man of small menas, can tenting the session late into the night Portland and other points for men with be done by a combination of men. A Morgan, in charge of the Nicargaus experience who are anxious to go to corporation can be instituted with lim- canal bill, was determined to secure work for the new enterprise. The can- ited and specified capital, and certain a time for a final vote. This was renery buildings will be constructed by number of shares. Assessments can be sisted, however, by Turple and Vilas day labor and under the union schedule livied on the shares as needed in the Thereupon Morgan announced he

must be true, that all the cannerymen the ranch company, to be created for until a vote was forced. Vilas finally have now agreed to pay four and a half the purpose of purchasing cattle, feed made a dilatory motion, which on roll was now being done in that direction, cents per pound for raw material, and ing and fattening them for the market, call disclosed the absence of a quorum. that this will be the egneral price dur- and also rearing them in large num- and Morgan was obliged to give up bers. We have no great upland prais his plan for today, although he expects The only lands available are vote is not reached. overflowed lands. Below Puget Island Turple concluded his speech against on all, but the doctors say that the All druggists refund the money if it there are five principal islands, and for the Nicaragua canal bill, the third day weather is a Godsend, and conducive to falls to cure. 25c. For sale by Chas. purposes of demonstration I select ist- being a continuation of the former bit-Long island and across Prairie chan- ure. nel, one mile above Knappa. It con- During the day Chandler presented tains 1100 acres, and is prairie, except the credentials of John Edward Ad

be left for shade and ornament. Astoria, January 19.-(To the Editor) In all combination enterprises some already been presented There is much being said and writ- one must take the lead, the more promtake the initiative in this business, and

confine themselves to this year, or to first thing to be ascertained is owner- aroused and an ineffectual attempt to sion of a great transcontinental sys- This tract can now be bought for \$12 Tucker, from the Tenth Virginia Distem to the mouth of the Columbia, per acre. Land lying back should be trict, by denying the seat to Yost and

300 shares, \$100 each.

Land\$10,500

Dike 7,500 The year 1897 will see the last of the on the cost of a substantial and per- two hours there was a succession of sailing ships ascending the river for manent dike, 16 feet base, 5 feet high, roll calls, but they were finally over grain cargoes. With the completion of including th chilling chtfo-dofthe tnHI powered, and resolutions confirming Wednesday night at the regular the railroad, certain improvements including the filling of the sloughs, Tucker's title to his seat were adopted neeting of the Minerva Society there must necessarily be made - wharves, lumber and construction, and the plac- Yost is a member-elect of the next was a large attendance and an inter-buildings, machinery, etc., for the ing of drainage boxes. The dike should house, and Tucker, who is a son of loading of grain ships. The great bulk be built the coming summer; in the Randolph Tucker, has been a member feature of the evening was the debate of the wheat of the Inland Empire, fall a wharf should be built, buildings of the last four congresses. He dethe question, "Should Women including Washington, Oregon and erected as needed, and in the fall and clined re-nomination because he did Vote." The judges decided in favor of Idaho, will be brought here for ship- winter 200 acres should be plowed, and not agree with his party on the money W. H. Rollins, M. C. McDilley, Port- the negative side of the question. A ment. And when cars can be loaded in the spring of 1898 sowed with oats, question. land, and D. Markham, Ilwaco, regis- committee of five was appointed to ar- at interior points and brought here to be cut for hay. Being raised on range for an entertainment to be given without rehandling loads, flouring mills unrotted sod, the first crop will be 600 in the near future, the proceeds of necessarily follows. Saw mills for the to 900 tons. A few acres should be which are to be donated to the fam- manufacture of lumber for eastern put in for root crop, for feeding

In the spring, as soon as the grass This short list completes the cata- starts, commence buying cattle, and on another expedition to Cuba and inof the poor, and the entertainment is logue of things that necessarily follow in the late fall and winter you will tends to land arms and ammunition for have fat cattle to turn out. In three the insurgents. The steamer left Gib-We have been sitting around the real years' time you will have a ranch raltar December 31, ostensibly bound estate offices, hotels, stores, saloons and worth \$100,000, and your original cap- for Baltimore, having taken on a large other public places, talking about the ital will not all have been called in: great things to come long enough, and when you commence selling fat She had been to Mesina, and when at

ing to the Orange Judd Company, pub-

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York, two books; James Webb Cape Cod Cranberries Paper, 40 cents; J. J. White Cranberry Culture, cloth, \$1.35. While I am on this subject of suggestion and advice, I take the liberty of mentioning a class of people now living in Astoria. I refer to those men and families, now paying rent for residences and living rooms, every man with a family who intends to make suming the business which is now out Astoria a permanent residence should of his hunds. own his own home. Possibly some parties may be in category of the old Fort Dearborn settler. Fort Dear born, now called Chicago, about 1853. years after the town of Chicago was organized, when it had a population of 60,000, an old settler with a number of cronics were seated around a saloon stove, telling stories and talking about old times. The advance of the city in population and wealth, and contrasting it with old Fort Dearborn.

Chorus of voices:

take it? "Didn't have the boots." Good residence lots can now be PROPHET. ably be a change.

Why," exclaimed the old settler, "I

was once offered the ground on which

NEARLY A DEADLOCK

Bill in the Senate.

Washington, January 21.-The senats would ask the senate to "sit out" the of course this means that the report | The business which I propose is a cat-bill, remaining in continuous session ries that can be utilized for this pur- to execute it if an agreement for a

land No. 2. This island lies opposite for invective directed against the meas- |den's, 9th and Duane streets.

ator from Delaware. The claim of Hen How can a company be organized? ry A. Dupont for the same seat has

YOST VS. TUCKER Margin.

Washington, January 21 -- After two days of debate, in the course of which crats and supporting the claims of the against him) they inaugurated a fill In the dike estimate I have figured buster in hope of gaining time, and for

ANOTHER FILIBUSTER.

Baltimore, Md., January 21.-It is the general belief in shipping circles here that the steamship Laurada has gone supply of coal before her departure.

STILL IN DOUBT.

Boise, January 21.-J. W. Ballentine When other tea is roasted An ordinance recently passed by the gathered under the shade of the great flowing the beds. The great peninsula Nelson, Populist, got the bulk of the Ity council calls for the raising of trees, and smoked and talked, and two miles broad, lying between War- Democratic votes. Dubois received 26

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BUSINESS CHANGE

Mr. A. A. Cook desires to inform his riends and patrons that h behalf of the creditors of Mr. Abrahams, the sity. business of the Pacific Commission Co. has been turned over to Mr. A. M. Smith, their representative. Misrepresentations to Mr. Cook led to his as-HEALTH NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Dr. A. L. 'ulton has been appointed health offi er of the city. The existence of contagious diseases in the city must be promptly reported to him as required by Ordinance No. 1759, as said ordi. SNAP A KODAK. nance will be strictly enforced. C. W. LOUGHERY.

Chief of Police and Health Inspector

McKINLEY CLUB, ATTENTION.

There will be a meeting of McKinley lub this evening at the courthouse at 30 o'clock. A full attendance of the COME AND TRY THEM lub is requested, as business of imetance is to be transacted. J. S. DELLINGER, Pres.

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