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As an advertising medium the Weekly Astorian is unsurpassed by any paper in the State outside of Portland. Thirty-three hundred copies are mailed each week to every home in the territory, both in Oregon and Washington, tributary to the City of Astoria.

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MARINE NEWS.

The steamer Elder will leave early this morning for San Francisco.

The pilot schooner San Jose came in Thursday night for more pilots and put to sea again yesterday. The weather outside was reported as being very pleasant.

Point-No-Point Light Station, Puget Sound, Washington.

Notice is hereby given that the sounding of the fog bell at Point-No-Point Light Station on Puget Sound and 4 1/2 miles easterly of entrance to Hood canal, Wash., will be discontinued for repairs to the machinery from March 1 to March 15 inclusive.

This notice affects the list of lights and fog signals, Pacific coast, 1896, No. 1109, page 28; also the list of beacons and buoys, Pacific coast, 1895, page 60. By order of the United States Light House board.

The new twin screw freight and passenger steamer Pennsylvania, of the Hamburg-American line, was placed in commission on the regular service between New York and Hamburg February 20. She left that port on the next day with a full cargo, carrying a total of 18,200 tons. This is the largest cargo that was ever taken out of New York in one ship, or for that matter the greatest that any ship in any part of the world has carried. To form an idea of the enormous quantity which this amount of freight represents it is interesting to note that it would take 416 freight cars or about eighteen freight trains to transport it. Among its miscellaneous cargo the Pennsylvania carries 294,069 bushels of grain, equalling 6,847 tons, which is in itself more than the average freight steamer can take if completely filled. The Pennsylvania is constructed not only for the transportation of freight, but also of passengers. Her passenger accommodations are first-class. A stater ship of the Pennsylvania, the Pretoria, is now in the docks in the yards of Blohm & Voess, in Hamburg.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Ediz Hook Light Station, Strait of Juan de Fuca, Washington.

Notice is hereby given that the sounding of the fog bell at Ediz Hook Light station, on the extremity of Ediz Hook, which forms north side of Port Angeles, Strait of Juan de Fuca, Washington, which was discontinued on the 15th of February for repairs to the machinery, will be ready to go in operation as heretofore on the 26th of February, 1897.

This notice affects the list of lights and fog signals, Pacific coast, 1896, No. 1101, page 28; also the list of beacons and buoys, Pacific coast, page 58. By order of the United States Light House Board.

JNO. P. MERRILL,
Commander U. S. Navy,
Inspector 13th L. H. Dist.
Office of U. S. Light House Inspector,
Portland, Oregon, February 24, 1897.

THE COMING OF BABY.

When a baby comes to the house real happiness comes. The care and anxiety count for nothing against the clinging touch of the little hands and the sound of the little voice. The highest function given to human beings in bringing healthy, happy children into the world. Over thirty years ago the needs of women appealed to Dr. Pierce, now chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, New York. The result of his study improved by thirty years of practice is embodied in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It strengthens, purifies and makes healthy the organs distinctly feminine. It gives weak women the strength and health necessary for the production of healthy children and it makes the bearing of those children easy. It is sure to cure any weakness or derangement peculiar to women; stops pain, soothes inflammation, strengthens, purifies, invigorates.

Olympia for the twentieth time is now suffering from the regular biennial fright over the threat to remove the capital.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. For sale by Chas. Rogers, Druggist.

Gov. Rogers begins to realize that when he spoke in behalf of the gill netters he was getting himself into a fish trap.

A GOOD LETTER

From the clerk of the Circuit Court, Fernandina, Fla., Feb. 28, 1896.
Mr. J. George Suhrer, Druggist, City:—Dear George: Please send a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I would not feel easy if I knew there was none of this valuable remedy in the house. I have given it a fair test and consider it one of the very best remedies for cough that I have ever found. One dose has always been sufficient, although I use it freely. Any cold my children contract yields very readily to this medicine. I can conscientiously recommend it for cough and colds in children. Yours respectfully,
GEO. E. WOLFF.
Sold by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

When a man puts off his boots at the foot of the stairs it is safe to bet that he expects trouble at the top.

Chloro, Pa., "Herald": Richard Vessel reports One Minute Cough Cure the greatest success in medical science. He told us that it cured his whole family of terrible coughs and colds, after all other so-called cures had failed entirely. Mr. Vessel said it assisted his children through a very bad siege of measles. One Minute Cough Cure makes expectoration very easy and rapid. Chas. Rogers, Druggist.

Our legislature seems to be up and doing—the taxpayers.

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Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomach and Bowels of

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Promote Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. **NOT NARCOTIC.**

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A perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and Loss of Sleep.

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Castoria is put up in one-size bottles only. It is not sold in bulk. Don't allow anyone to sell you anything else on the plea or promise that it is "just as good" and "will answer every purpose." See that you get C-A-S-T-O-R-I-A. The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

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The Original and Best in the World. Prepared in the famous BREWERY, as a further protection against all imitations.

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About all the reformers have been able to do thus far is to show that they are good at charging.

CASTORIA.
The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

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

A lawyer ought to be a good poet, because he is accustomed to writing "versus."

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The republicans at Olympia fear legislation, and the fusionists fear investigation.

ROYAL Baking Powder.
Highest of all in leavening strength—U. S. Government Report

The reform school at Chehalis is run far more satisfactorily than the one at Olympia.

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Bayard must have as high an opinion of the free lunch as he has of free trade.

Use Webfoot Corn Cure. No cure no pay. For sale at Estes-Conn Drug Store.

The conscientious lawyer never takes a case unless his side of it looks feasible.

RECEIVER'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, receiver in the suit of C. T. Crosby, administrator, vs. Sol. Oppenheimer et al., will receive at the office of the Astoria Iron Works, in the city of Astoria, on Wednesday, March 10, 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., sealed bids for the purchase of the entire stock of hardware and merchandise and store fixtures, shop fixtures and tools contained in the store building situated at No. 510 and 512 Commercial street, in the city of Astoria, formerly owned by M. C. Crosby, deceased. Separate bids will be received for the stock and tools and for the store fixtures. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. All bids will be opened at 2 p. m., March 10, next. Only cash bids will be considered.
JOHN FOX, Receiver.

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Every Ball Guaranteed
Report Imperfections
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