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Where, oh where, is the street to the new depot?

The meeting yesterday of merchants and the action in the chamber of commerce last night relative to the regatta, is most satisfactory to every loyal citizen, and cannot fail to bring about the desired result. Of all seasons, this is the one for a regatta. With the Monterey here and a series of sports promised by those gentlemen who are experts in such matters, the entertainment will be a huge success. More than on previous occasions will the city be benefited at this time by such a carnival, and it goes without saying that those who visit us now will more than ever be interested in Astoria. The opportunity is ours to be lost, and every business man approached yesterday fully realized the situation and expressed a desire for the regatta, and promised his aid.

One of Dun's reporters, who was recently in the city, said that with increased bar service and the railroad finished, Astoria business houses would take a new rating. This is no doubt true, and it is also true that the entire town will take a new rating when a few manufacturing enterprises are established here. It cannot but be a source of gratification to every business man and every citizen to know that practical steps are being taken towards the building of a large saw mill and a large flour mill here. Such an impetus to trade will be given by these two enterprises alone that Astoria will not know itself. The next most important matter, and perhaps the most important of all, is the building of a dry dock that will accommodate the largest ships which may come to this port. When it is known abroad that ships can load at this harbor with little or no towage charges, and that ample facilities are afforded for repairs in dry dock, Astoria and Oregon can meet the competition of the Sound at every turn and build up the only port on the north Pacific coast.

TO PROMOTE PERFECTION.

Chicago Times-Herald.

New York has decided to make the man of the future a perfect creature by reforming his grandsons now.

Under the leadership of Mrs. Montgomery McGovern, who is described as a most charming young woman with advanced ideas of social reform, an "Association for the Perfection of the Human Race" was recently organized in Gotham, and it already claims a membership of several hundred and is planning an extension of its field of operations.

The "Idas" of Mrs. McGovern apparently have been embodied in a platform of nine planks, which are set forth in the New York papers. They certainly are startling enough, whether they are "advanced" or not. The organization with that imposing name announces in a preamble that it intends to secure the practical realization of its aims by bringing pressure to bear on congress and the state legislatures.

It demands first that all deformed, idiotic and constitutionally diseased children shall be "peacefully electrocuted." The sixth plank states that "all insane persons or persons of unsound mind," also, are to be electrocuted, but nothing is said about the peacefulness of the operation in such cases. That plank, even under a very rigid interpretation, probably would decimate the voters of this country if an attempt were made to enforce it. Imagine the awful slaughter which would be wrought by a law requiring the execution of "all persons of unsound mind" in an exciting presidential campaign!

But the blood-thirstiness of that society for the promotion of perfection does not stop here. Another plank provides that whenever any person loses several of his senses he shall be electrocuted. Old persons are to be provided for by a pension system so long as their faculties are unimpaired, but the end of it all is the electrical chair unless some other

form of death mercifully intervenes. The sixth plank demands that marriages shall be entered only "on a common sense basis—men and women must marry their opposites." Love has nothing to do with matrimony according to Mrs. McGovern's code. She explains that love is "only an accident, anyway," and that it "can be produced artificially."

Another clause pledges all members to eschew "tight shoes, laced corsets, long dresses, the wearing of trousers by man and woman, high collars and uncomfortable hats." In taking a stand for the abolition of trousers the society evidently makes a bid for the support of the new woman, but the rules for contracting a marriage "on common sense grounds" are rather vague. Mrs. McGovern, however, explains that in her own case she "never cared for Mr. McGovern in the least. He knows it, too. I married him according to rule. You see, I am tall, he is short; he is dark, I am light. I saw he was my opposite, so I just married him. Understand!"

That such a crazy-quit "reform" as this has secured a large membership in New York furnishes unmistakable evidence that the season of midsummer madness has set in unusually early this year in the East.

REASONS WHY CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY IS THE BEST.

- 1. Because it affords almost instant relief in case of pain in the stomach, colic and cholera morbus. 2. Because it is the only remedy that never fails in the most severe cases of dysentery and diarrhoea. 3. Because it is the only remedy that will cure chronic diarrhoea. 4. Because it is the only remedy that will prevent bilious colic. 5. Because it is the only remedy that will cure epidemic dysentery. 6. Because it is the only remedy that can always be depended upon in cases of cholera infantum. 7. Because it is the most prompt and most reliable medicine in use for bowel complaints. 8. Because it produces no bad results. 9. Because it is pleasant and safe to take. 10. Because it has saved the lives of more people than any other medicine in the world.

In connection with the "Diamond Jubilee," Mr. William Crookes and Dr. Gowers received knighthoods. The order of the Bath was conferred on Mr. Wolfe Barry, president of the Institution of Civil Engineers, Dr. Frankland, Dr. Huggins, Mr. Norman Lockyer, Dr. Thomas Thorne, and Admiral Wharton. Minor honors were conferred on a number of scientific men of the kingdom. The selection of Mr. Crookes for knighthood was very appropriate.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire and gave it to man. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucasus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was necked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined? Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overloaded, its juices become clogged, they cannot digest the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Then come the vultures—the torments of a diseased liver. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers the world over.

An immigration agent from Missouri is traveling around Iowa with a bunch of blue-grass forty-one inches tall and a bundle of clover forty-four inches tall, which he exhibits as he talks of the merits of the Ozark country, about West Plains, Mo., from which the grass and clover came.

The best regulator to regulate people is Simmons' Liver Regulator. It regulates the liver and the liver regulates the person. If the liver is regular then health is good, but if sluggish or diseased then there is constant biliousness, indigestion, headache and all the disorders of the stomach that one hears of. Try Simmons' Liver Regulator and prove this.

Depression of Spirits

so common in summer-time accompanied by loss of energy, lack of thought-power, means a deficient supply of nourishment. The vital force is lost. It isn't a question of muscle and sinew, but of resistance and endurance. At any age, but especially in youth, it involves the risk of lung disease. Loss of flesh and a cough are threatening signs.

Scott's Emulsion

of Cod-liver Oil, with the hypophosphites, meets these cases perfectly. It tones up, fattens and strengthens. In Scott's Emulsion the taste of the oil is fully disguised, making it almost as palatable as milk. For sale at 50c and 75c by all druggists. SCOTT & BOWNE, 219, Cassock, New York.



Beautiful eyes grow dull and dim As the swift years steal away. Beautiful, wifely forms so slim Lose freshness with every day. But she still is queen and bath charms to spare Who wears youth's coronal—beautiful hair.

Preserve Your Hair

and you preserve your youth. "A woman is as old as she looks," says the world. No woman looks as old as she is if her hair has preserved its normal beauty. You can keep hair from falling out, restoring its normal color, or restore the normal color to gray or faded hair, by the use of

Ayer's Hair Vigor.

The end sent in the open case is not so desirable when it pours.

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Don't neglect a cough because the weather is pleasant; before the next storm rolls around it may develop into a serious difficulty beyond repair. One Minute Cough Cure is easy to take and will do what its name implies. Charles Rogers.

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

THE OBJECTION NOT GOOD.

There are people who have objections to advertising matter in the columns of a newspaper. The ground of objection is that they do not want to read advertisements. Now this objection is not good, for oftentimes these advertisements convey valuable information. For instance, how else would the traveling public learn of the excellent dining car service of the Wisconsin Central lines between St. Paul and Chicago, or the general comfort of traveling over this popular line. For particulars call on the nearest ticket agent or address J. C. Pond, G. P. A., Milwaukee, Wis., or Geo. S. Batty, General Agent, 246 Stark street, Portland, Or.

The queen's coronation ring is never out of her sight, and is worn by her every evening. It is a band of gold containing a cross in rubies surrounded by white brilliants. A coronation ring is supposed to symbolize the wedding of the sovereign with the nation.

How few of us realize anything of the undercurrent in the lives about us.

W. B. Johnson, Newark, O., says: "One Minute Cough Cure saved my only child from dying by croup." It has cured thousands of others suffering from croup, pneumonia, bronchitis and other serious throat and lung troubles. Charles Rogers.

Already a portion of the preliminary work for the exposition of Paris has been allotted, the first contract being that of fencing in the grounds on the right bank of the Seine, near the Pont des Invalides, and the second for grading and foundation work.

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Do not be too much impressed by the bag carried by the learned lawyer; its dignified exterior sometimes hides from view a growth of phibian shape and material.

When you visit a real life-like and artistic photo, don't fail to call on Snow-glass. The work he is turning out now is ahead of anything ever made in Astoria before.

If one is rich and has but fever the doctor says go away at once; if poor, the victim can stay at home and sneeze it out on that line if it takes all summer.

When going East travel on the Northern Pacific Railway. Quick time and the only line running dining cars. Train leaves Portland daily at 11 o'clock a. m.

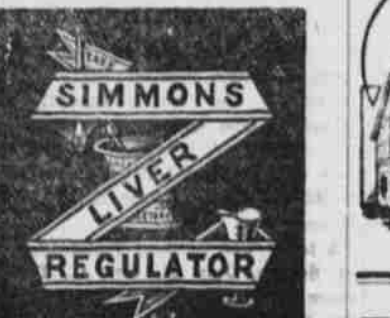
The individual on a wheel who insists upon passing another on the right side will some day pass over to the other side from which there will be no coming back.

If you desire a good head of healthy, moist, sweet hair, select the best preparation to accomplish it. Hall's Hair Renewer is the best product of science.

Some women do not appear to consider it bad form to wear as much jewelry with a shirt waist as they would with a ball gown.

Of all the whicker dyas offered to the public none have proved so desirable and easy of application as Brookingsham's, to color a beautiful brown or black.

It is said that the summer girl to be thoroughly au fait in the matter of dress should own at least sixteen pairs of shoes.



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For all diseases caused by derangement of the Liver, Kidneys, and Stomach. Keep it always in the house and you will save time and Doctor's Bills, and have at hand an active, harmless and perfectly safe purgative, alterative and tonic. If you feel dull, debilitated, have frequent headache, mouth tastes badly, poor appetite and tongue coated, you are suffering from torpid liver or biliousness, and SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR will relieve you and bring pleasant sleep. If at any time you feel your system needs cleansing and regulating without violent purging, take SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR.

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CASTORIA. It is an every-thing. A double frill of ribbon in contrasting colors is used advantageously on many of the summer frocks.

CASTORIA. It is an every-thing. Some idea of the fine point to which platinum wire can be drawn will be realized from the fact that threads have been drawn, two of which can be twisted together and inserted within the hollow of human hair. These threads are so infinitesimal that it needs a magnifying glass to see them.

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MANHOOD RESTORED By using Dr. Foss's Yellow Nerve Pills. This wonderful remedy guaranteed to cure all nervous diseases, such as Weak Memory, Loss of Brain Power, Headache, Wakeness, Lost Manhood, Nightly Incontinence, Nervousness, all drains, loss of power in Generative Organs of either sex, caused by over-excitation, youthful errors, excessive use of tobacco, opium or stimulants, which lead to Infirmary, Consumption or Premature Death. Can be carried in your pocket. 75c per box, 6 for \$5, by mail. A written guarantee given and money returned if six boxes do not effect a permanent cure. Address: Foss's Medicine Co., Paris, France. Lane, Drexel Drug Co., distributing agents. Third and Yamhill Sts., Portland, Or. J. W. COX, Agent, Astoria.