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agents, and copies of the Astorian can be had every morning at their stand, 120 Third atreet.

auditor felt impelled to save the waste of fore its accomplishment. fruitless costs in a case depending, as it seemed to him, on doubtful testimony. It is to be understood that the action was instituted simply for the harbor master's fees, and in no way involved steps to vindicate the rights and dignity as well as anybody.

THE U. P. AND O. R. & N.

events destined to shape the future of wno seek its aid. Astoria and the Pacific Northwest-that great territory saved to the nation by the heroism of Marcus Whitman. Rapid growth and an increased prosper- or coid. ity seems to be the order of the day. An important factor in this happy state of affairs is the influence and work of the railroads. Particularly for Oregon's benefit of this railroad to our commerce is the problem of what connecting lines will do in the matter of interchange of business and the shipping of wheat to this port from Eastern Oregon and Washington for loading on deep sea vessels, and the exchange here between trans-Pacific steamers and cars of Oriental-trans-continental freight. These the Oregon Short Line was hailed with delight, as it was known that the U. P. to perfect the control of the con originally wanted to build the Astoria road and is friendly to the scheme in its to wrant, to long now before the girl entirety, and it was said yesterday that who received a set of fare at Christmas the change meant a change in the opera- will wish they had been shirt wafets intion and management of the O. R. & N. stead. to our advantage.

Everyone familiar with the situation for years has known that the majority of the common stock of the O. R. & N. Co. has been owned by the Oregon Short Line, the railroad between Huntington, Oregon, and the Union Pacific at Granger and Ogden. It has also been well known that the ownership of the Short Lane carried with it the control of the O. R. & N., all of which power was possessed by the Union Parific before it. went into the bands of receivers. Since then the entire railroad map of the country has been changed. Disastrous competition and cut rates have been repla ed in the West by a combination of interests. The foresight and great exsentive ability of J. Pierpont Mosgan, the fluancial general of the Vanderbilts, have been brought into play. Already owning the New York Central, New York West Shore and Buffalo, Michigan Cen-

tral, Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, Chicago & Northwestern through Omaha into the Black Hills, J. J. Hill, another master mind, was brought into the fold with his Great Northern Railway; control was secured of the Northern Pacific under its reorganization at receiver's sale, and lastly they obtained ownership of the Union Pacific, and now they complete the work of carrying out their plans preconceived, by acquiring the GR Oregon Short Line and with it the O. K R. & N., Laving already secured part control of the latter at its recent reorganization and sale, and by sending out

A. L. Mobier as its president. This latest move only signifies that the missing link, the Short Line, has been brought into the family, or under asi communications intended for publiderbilt-Hill combine, which now has and remittances must be addressed to two separate and distinct lines through from New Yerk to Portland and two lines to Paget Sound, with any number The Asterian guarantees to its sub- of combinations. For years the Van-It is the financial and commercial consummation of the age, and accomplishes in one way what the inter-state com- M merce law failed to do in another,

As to the effect upon transportation at these changes were planned when the John F. Handley & Co. are our Portland recent change in the O. R. & N. management was made; that the road has Sturday 23 been, by time contracts, made the terminal line of all the transcontinental reads in the Morgan combine; the ac-There is a misapprehension as to the quirement by the Union Pacific, one of ground of Auditor Nelson's decision the members of the combine, of control M. dismissing the complaint filed by Harbor of the Suort Line and O. R. & N. stock. Master Reid against Captain Allen of only more firmly cements together the the steamer Pak Ling under the city combination, and makes possible the unharbor regulations. It appears that the disputed through line to the Pacific via auditor did not hold that the Pak Ling Omaha. It does not stand to reason was exempt from the provisions of the that the power will be given to the U. ordinance relating to the docking of ves- P. to use the O. R. & N. to sels, nor that Captain Allen was not li- the exclusion of the Great North- Craigerne, Br sh able for the fee to which the harbor ern and Northern Pacific, already master is entitled in such cases. What doing profitable business with it. he did hold was that under the testi- Whenever in the judgment of the commony the harbor master had not taken bined interests controlled in Wall street the necessary preliminary steps to en- the Astoria line shall be added to the title him to collect the fee provided by family, there is no question but what it the ordinance. There was a threat, as will be done, either by agreement with there always is in such cases, of C. P. Huntington, or otherwise. The taking an appeal to a higher court to signs of the times point to such an artest the "constitutionality" and so forth rangement, but it is more than likely of the ordinance in question, and the that some surprises are yet in store be-

THE SULTAN AND OUR MIS-

SIONARIES. The porte has demanded the recall of two American missionaries from the prov. Adoif Ger sh. the question of Captain Allen's liability ince of Alepp>, on the pretext that their Ben Avon Br bk mission for distribution of rejief is likely Norma. Br bk to fine or imprisonment for his disregard and contempt of the same legal to cause disturbances. "The sick man is and reasonable police regulation which of Europe," as he is deristvely termed, he is used to and probably willingly is as unreasonable as his political health complies with in every scaport he visits. Is feeble. As a bright contrast to his He may yet be proceeded against for obstinacy and stupidity, the people of I C Penneral Br bg . this offense, and the city attorney will America are acknowledging far and wide Anambu, Br bk be grossly remiss in the sworn duties of the beneficence of the mission of Hoshis position if he does not take immedi- tetter's Stomach Bitters, namely, to re. Elgin of Astoria by filing another complaint and kidney complaint, chronic dyspepsia, against Captain Alien this morning, and insisting upon his due punishment for his unspeakable benefit from its use, and it flagrant violation of a harbor regulation, greatly mitigates those infirmities spe. the propriety of which he understands cially incident to advancing years. Sleep, appetite and a sensation of comfort throughout the system, ensue from its use, which should be regular and persistent. An early resort to this fine pre-Day by day is unraveled the ball of ventive is logically suggested to those

> The thermometer is quite as much an item of interest these days as when it is breaking the record in the matter of heat

HOUSEHOLD CODS.

benefit are the vigorous steps taken by Penates were the goals who attended to Europe. the O. R. & N. Co. under its new man the westers and prothe welfare and prosperlly of the family. agement. Prominent among other fea- in every house. The household god of down a barge found of wheat for the Pak. You want a remedy that will relieve tures is the establishment of an indus. today is Dr. King's New Discovery. For Ling lying at the Gas Co.'s dock, trial department for the nurture of Ore- consumption, coughs, colds, and for all gon agriculture and manufactures. Per- affections of Throat, Christ and Lungs It. Notice is given that on January 12 the any tendency toward passements. timent to Astoria's development is the is invaluable. It has been tried for a Smith's point post light will be moved. You want a remedy that is pleasant and the human'ry. So, the last support more office, owing to attacks justing from one building of its railroad to Portland, now quarter of a century and is guaranteed from its present position on the railroad safe to take. almost completed, and which will con- to cure, or money returned. No household trestle to the Pisherman's Co-operative Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the nect the city with all transcontinental should be without this good angel. It to cannery dock, and will be shown from only medicine in use that meets all of railroads. Bearing on the utility and pleasant to take and a safe and sure an arm on the lower outer end of the these requirements. This remedy is faremedy for old ond young. Trial bottles warehouse on the cannery dock.

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fixed white post light was moved from for the speedy and permanent cure of the wharf, northwest enriance to Sks- bad colds, stands without a peer and its mokawa slough, and established bout 130 splendid qualities are every where adyards up stream from its former position, mired and praised. For sale by Charles and is now shown from an arm on a Rogers, druggist. water about 125 feet.

Notice as given that on or about Jamuary 15, light wester No. 50 will be replaced on her station off the entrance to light house, and light vessel No. 67, tense to ourse Se. Dut only by Charles Rogers. porarily marking the station will be withdrawn. No change has been made in tight vessel No. if an to characteristics grown show the year vertice is so much of light, for signal or general appearance, to the me back mean

VESSELS BOUND TO ASTORIA.

The following vessels are bound to the Columbia Hiver, with name of master, nationality, rig, tonnage, where from and date of reported sailing: George Stetson, Murphy, Am sh, 179

tons, Baltimore, August 6. one, Shanghal, Dovemby Hall, Whickham, Br sh, 1838

ions, Liverpool Ben Voiriich, Ahler, Ger sh. 107 tons, lunta Rosalia. Springburn, Rae, Br bk, 2566 tons, Cap-

Lown, September 2). Politalloch, McLeod, Br bk, 2139 tons, TREATMENT Table Bay. Otago, Sek, Swd bk, 970 tons, Ham. FOR WEAK MEN

Conway Castle, Jones, Br sh, 1501 tons, Valparaiso, Commonwealth, Anderson, Br str. 2183 ons, Taku.

Vanduara, Beavan, Br bk, 1916 tons. Algon Bay. Glenpark, Irish, Br sh, 1799 tons, Rio

Janeiro, August 29.

phong, October IL Henry Villard, Pattett, Am sh. 167 tens, New York, October 14. Oberon, Gully, Br bk, 1054 tons, Newcastle, Australia, October 8. Jacquez, Bernada, Fr bk, 160 tons, Ma-

Indian Empire, Alten, Br bk, 1515 tons, Jupitler, Funder, Dan sh, 1651 tons, Yo-

Chaimsford, Thomson, Br bk, 2197 tons, Cape Town, October 9. City of York, Jones, Hr sh, 1187 tons,

Lakemba, Bradhering, Br bk, 1000 tons, Cian Robertson, Pill, Br sh, 1540 tons,

British General, Thomas, Br sh, 1839 tons, Newcastle, Australia. Midas, Messenger, Br bk, 197 tens,

Santa Rosalia,

Nagasaki. Valeri, Brown, Br sh, 169 tens, New, sauthe, Americalia. Jordon Hill, Walker, Br bk, 2178 tons Molleyurne.

Port Caledonia, Anton, Br hk, 3130 tons Namusakt. Kintuck, Perrells, Br str. 2801 tons. Yokohama.

Alexander Black, Dunn, Br bk, 1391 tone, Antwerp. Watten, Pritz, Ger sh, 2079 tons, Hlogo, Lord Shafisbury, Cunningham, Br sh.

2273 tons, Sydney, Bristol, McIntyre, Br str. 1274 San Francisco Emille, Oltmann kehama. Annie Thomas

tons, Port Pirle Almera. Thoms Newcastle, Australia Peter Rickmer, Westermeyer, Ger ah.

325 tons, Hongkong, Auckland, James, Br sh, 126 tone, Adea

Gleniui, Taylor, Sr sh, 1894 tons, Royal Roads. Orontes, Bain, Br sh, 1256 tons, Sydney, St. Enoch, Lajzd. Br. str. 1872 tong

Windrush, Walker, Br bk, 1422 tone, Ade-

Nithelale. Nagasakt

Forthbank, Peterson, Br 5k, 102 tons, Gerghent Gwynedd, Davies, Br bk, 1053 tons, Poritan.

H. Bischoff, Schwarting, Ger ship, 2708. tone, Melbourne, Nov. 5, due February, Audaman, Winter, Br bark, 935 tone, Lownsdate, Jones, Br bark, 1808 tons, Brisbane, Cambrian Prince, --- Br ship, 1275 tons, Melbourne, City of Athens, Lunding Br ship, 1159

tons, Antwerp. Senator, Lewis, Br ship, 1612 tons, Roy-27,135 at Roads. LUMBER FLEET.

> Versels on the Way and in Columbia River to Load Lumber Lauren May, Hansen, sohr, 234 tone, San

Francisco, Navember 12 Letitia, Stakkobye, schr, 24 tons San Sores, Tester, Chapped Handa Chibbians tone Francisco, November 12 Tenklo Maru. Kaneko, tens, Yokohama.

Echo -- bgts, 50 tons, Tientein, 1'o. Knappton. Edward Parks, Johnson, schr, 140 tons,

San Francisco, N. P. Mills, San Francisco bay, Dec. 18.

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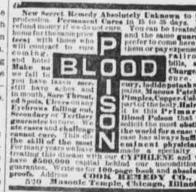


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