The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

FRIDAY.....APRIL 6, 1883

—T. S. Jewett gives notice concerning internal revenue licenses.

—The land grant of the O. & C. R. R. Co., extends to the California line

—The Garnock came down yesterday evening, and will probably cross out to-day.

—The county court audited some bills, and adjourned yesterday to the first Monday in May.

—The Portland city council has fixed the amount to be charged for liquor license in that city at $500 per annum.

—Regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A., at their rooms at half-past seven this evening. A full attendance is requested.

—A fire alarm at the lower end of Main street, at six o'clock yesterday evening brought out the department. No damage.

—The officers of the projected Seattle & Gray's Harbor R. R. Co., are considering the question of a branch line to Baker's bay.

—E. C. Holden advertises his regular Saturday auction sale to-morrow morning. This time it is a bankrupt stock of clothing.

—A new steamer called *Lucea Mason* has just been completed on Lewis river, W. T., to handle the expanding trade of that fertile region.

—The Ilwaco Steam Navigation company's steamship *Gen. Miles*, Capt. Whitcomb commander, leaves at 6 this morning for Gray's harbor.

—Reports come from California that great preparations are being made for work this side of Redding, and soon several thousand men will be laboring there.

—In 1882 Washington produced 8,192 bales of hops weighing 180 pounds each, and Oregon 3,791 bales. This yield will probably be double the present year.

—According to the Walla Walla *Democrat*, Mrs. Margaret McGeary, during the past month, filed her declaration of intention of becoming a citizen of the United States.

—The Walla Walla put 300 tons of coal in the O. R. & N. Co's new bunker yesterday. The company advertises its rates which are a considerable modification on former prices.

—Officers of the Yaquina Bay railroad state that six thousand tons of steel rails and two locomotives are at San Francisco awaiting transportation, and that active work will soon be begun.

—One hundred and twenty-five thousand feet of lumber is daily cut by Clatsop county saw mills and yet there is no chance for getting lumber for building unless by waiting, such is the demand.

—A prominent boat builder estimates that there are 300 new boats built in Astoria this season. At $210 apiece, this one item represents a good deal that is paid out here in town to Astoria mechanics.

—The Oregon arrives in to-day from San Francisco, with passengers and freight for Astoria. The Queen sails from here to-day. The State of California leavs S. F. to-day and is due here Sunday morning.

—In the police court yesterday four plain drunks put up the usual admission fee, and Chas. Herbert, for the crime of kicking a man in the face and otherwise demonstrating his brutality, was cinched $100 worth.

—Mr. Jas. O. Spencer, of Clifton, informs us that yesterday morning a Greek fisherman named Peter George, slipped overboard while working on his scow at that place and was drowned. The body has not been recovered yet.

—Whatever corner you go to in the city. (or if you prefer take your stand in the middle of the block, should there be a vacant lot) and you will find that some one is building or getting ready to build. The worst of it is that the houses are all rented before the roof is on.

—Bishop Owens has bought 144 acres on the weather beach from L. A. Loomis. It is the intention to have a conference and camp meeting there this season, and make it a permanent feature every summer hereafter. Buildings will be erected and accommodations provided for those who attend.

—Several ladies connected with the various churches of the city convened in the Y. M. C. A. hall yesterday afternoon and resolved upon giving some kind of a public entertainment at Liberty Hall on next Tuesday evening, proceeds to be devoted to the payment of a debt incurred by the association in procuring new chairs, for the hall. The programme for the occasion has not yet been decided on, but is in the hands of those who are thoroughly competent to arrange an entertainment which will be sure to give pleasure to all who may attend.

Fishermen's Boatlocks by the hundreds, low down, at Carl Adler's. Special reduction to cannerymen.

The Occidental.

Last evening Occidental hall was thrown open for the first time, and despite the fact that the delay in procuring seats and scenery occasioned a good deal of trouble yet the auditorium presented a creditable appearance. The building is spacious and the voices of the performers on the stage have plenty of room for resonance in the rafters above. The scenery is pretty and was warmly praised. The stage was set last evening with a parlor scene. The minstrels were greeted with a good house and gave a fair performance, which will be repeated this evening with an alleged change of programme.

Death of a Pioneer.

A Victoria B. C. dispatch says John Muir, one of the earliest pioneers of that country, died on the 3rd inst., at Sooke. He went there in 1819, and for many years was an employe of the Hudson Bay company. He opened the first coal mine in the country and was in many ways a remarkable man. He was a native of Ayer, Scotland, aged 84 years, and leaves behind him grand and great grand-children. Mrs. Dr. Trenchard, and old and respected resident of Astoria, is a daughter of the venerable gentleman who was here when this was a wilderness years and years ago.

New Arrangement.

We are authentically informed that the Wide West goes on the route between here and Portland, commencing to-morrow morning. She leaves Portland at five o'clock, calculates to arrive here at noon; and leaving here at one P. M. to get back to Portland at nine o'clock, She will run on Sundays, laying off Mondays, and will stop only at St. Helens, Kalama, Oak Point, Cathlamet and Brookfield.

Hotel Arrivals.

OCCIDENT.

J Anderson, Ft Canby; J Esmond, Montesano; J G McBride, S F; Mrs Irving, Mrs Kent, Cathlamet; J M Pike, J F; L P Slack, Oysterville; J P Howe, A Scott, L Bodecker, C Ross, Jubilee Minstrels; A Stephenson, Portland; W V Johnson, Roseburg; T Hutchings, Knappton, W W Wherry, Clatsop; T H Foss, John Days; J P Howe, M A Scott, W Moss, Jubilee Minstrels; A T Laurie, R Trescott, Anoka; G T Myers; Fisherton; E Dawson, S F; Mrs A Knapp & Daughter, J W Crow, Knappa; W H Darland, Clatsop; S C Bermer, Westport.

PARKER HOUSE.

T F Niel, W Davis, C Berke, J H Deforce, City; N Raymond, C Raymond, Ainsworth; H C Hall, J Trundland, S F; W Reinhart, W A Thompson, F S Ingalls, Mrs Douglass, P Moller, H A Spayth, Portland; S D Potts, Vancouver; F Finlay wife & child, Ft Stevens; H C Abrams, C C Martin, Findlay; W V Johnson, Roseburg; P Jennini & wife, Cathlamet; Q Persting, Bourbon, Ind; C B Neyer, Texas; J S Courtney, Knappton; F W Smith, Deep River; Kentucky Jubilee Troupe,

—By agreement of all the mill men on the Sound a uniform schedule of retail rates for lumber has been adopted; the charge per thousand feet being the same at Tacoma, there, Port Townsend, Utsalady or wherever else the buyer gives his order. Prices range from $12.50 to $15, $16, $18 and $20, according to quality.

—The Shoalwater Bay Transportation company will soon begin a new steamer to ply on the waters of Gray's harbor and the Chehalis. It will be a stern wheeler, will be built at Astoria, will cost about $10,000, and will be begun about the 1st prox. The increasing business of this company calls for additional facilities, and this is meant to supply present needs.

—Commencing on the 14th inst. the Shoalwater Bay Transportation company's steamers will carry mail to Montesano and Olympia once a week, taking on extra Saturday mail. The mail and passengers that leave Astoria by this route get to Montesano the following day, and go through to Olympia in sixty hours. This line helps Astoria, and Astorians should throw all their influence in its favor.

—The military telegraph line between here and Fort Stevens will soon be in working order, when instantaneous communication may be had relative to that water front property bonded in that vicinity. J. N. Griffin, will be the Astoria operator he has a nicely fitted up office in the Pythian building. Jas. McDonagh will be the operator at Fort Stevens. A branch line runs to Clatsop, and will be in charge of a son of Judge McGuire.

—The Grant County *News* advises people not to undertake farming in that region, because, as it sarcastically remarks, it is claimed that there is no market, and that hay will only bring $20 per ton, and wheat $2 per bushel, oats and barley 35 cts. per pound, hams and bacon 25 and 23 cts. (much of which is brought from California "because there is no market"), butter from 50 to 62½ cts., cheese 25 cts. and vegetables 2 cts. Verily the farmer must starve, and the thousands of fertile acres the government is willing to give away remain with their virgin soil unturned.

—Cannerymen will do well to examine Carl Adler's full stock of books and stationery. Every thing you need you will find there at lowest prices.

Plenty of Room.

On the last steamer came the usual installment of inquiring letters from people living in the eastern and Mississippi valley states, but who contemplate coming out here. Some of them, from the way they write would do well, others would not. One young man who writes from West Virginia says he wants to make a home and amount to something. Another in Jacksonville, Ill., wants to know what clerk's wages are. For the first kind there is plenty of room; the man who wants to come out here and drop into a soft job had better stay where he is. A man who comes here to work and make a home will find plenty to do, if he be not fastidious, and show a willingness to pitch in, but he musn't be afraid of getting his hands dirty; he can go as cook to a logging camp and get $50 a month and his grub, or if he can stand the work, as a chopper at $80 or $90 a month, or if he has the knowledge, as a teamster at $100 or $125 a month. He can develop his chest and appetite and by keeping a sharp lookout can get 160 acres of timber land for $450 or $500 that will be worth $20,000 in three year's time. If he be a mechanic he will have no difficulty in getting plenty of work in the first town he strikes. Astoria can furnish employment to-day to every one here and plenty more who are willing to earn money and buy what they need with it. If the young man from West Virginia is single, we should advise him to get his traps together and start at once. If he is married, or has anyone depending on him for support, let him go slow, and not think of coming to Oregon unless he has some ready money to support him for some time after getting here. If he has nothing but his labor to sell he will find a ready market, but should he be able to look around a little, if he has money to invest, no section offers superior inducements than the northwest of '83. But after all, it depends upon himself. Wherever he goes he will take himself along; if he is willing and persistent, if he wants to work and doesn't get tired too soon, he will do well and make money; if he is temperate and saving he will accumulate coin, and we will elect him Mayor or Councilman in 1888, and if he has any special gift or talent whether of nature or education he can use it to good advantage, and amount to something out here. But if he lives by his wits he must have sharp tools and even then will be likely to run against the police force.

There is room for the young man from West Virginia unless he be one of the kind who thinks the world owes him a living. If that be his motto let him get the community where he now is to cancel the debt.

Young and middle-aged men, suffering from nervous debility and kindred affections, as loss of memory and hypochondria, should inclose three stamps for Part VII of World's Dispensary Dime Series of pamphlets. Address WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Buffalo N. Y.

Success.

The sale of Syrup of Figs is simply immense. Everyone is taking it, and all admit that it is the best medicine ever used. Children cry for it on account of its pleasant taste, and grown up people who have used it once never take anything else. Unlike other remedies for biliousness and constipation it never loses its power to act, and it always leaves the organs on which it acts stronger than before. Besides one feels fresh and bright and realizes that it is Nature's own true laxative. W. E. Dement & Co., are agents for Astoria.
Hodge Davis & Co., Wholesale Agents, Portland Oregon.

Notice.

—Dinner at JEFF'S Variety Chop House every day at 5 o'clock. The best 25 cent meal in town; seven kinds of meats, vegetables, pie, pudding, etc. A glass of S. F. Beer, French Claret, tea or coffee included. All who have tried him say Jeff is the "BOSS."

New Rich Blood.

The use of Oregon Blood Purifier.

Frank Fabre's Oyster and Chop House.

Those wishing a nice plate of Eastern or Shoalwater bay oysters cooked in any style, or an early breakfast before going aboard the boat, should call and see him. Fresh Eastern and Shoalwater bay oysters received by every steamer.

—Call at the Occident Store and inspect McIntosh's stock of spring suitings.

If not! Why not! Use the Great OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER, an appetizer, liver-regulator, and a sure cure for your impure blood. It makes the skin smooth, soft and fresh; the eyes bright and sparkling; the brain clear; the cheeks plump and rosy; the breath pure and sweet, and good circulation promotes vigor to the whole system. Ask your druggist for it. Price $1.00.

—Cold boiled ham, brown bread and Boston baked beans at "Jeff's" Variety Chop House every night,—near Stephans Theatre—sign of the red and green light. Open all night.

—Furnished rooms to rent at Mrs. P. J. Goodman's, corner Concomloy and Madison streets.

—Two splendid front rooms, suitable for gentlemen only, or for office use. Apply to Alex. Campbell at Gem Saloon

—Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diptheria and Canker Mouth. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—Physicians' prescriptions carefully compounded day or night at J. W. Conn's drug store, opposite Occident Hotel.

—P. J. Goodman, on Chenamus street has just received the latest and most fashionable style of gents and ladies boots, shoes, etc. Agent in Astoria for the famous Morrow shoes.

—Fancy soaps and perfumery of all kinds can be found at J. W. Conn's drug store, opposite Occident hotel.

Nitrous Oxide Gas.

Painless extraction of teeth at Dr. LaForce's dental rooms over I. W. Case's store.

For the Ladies.

Mrs. Warren has received the first invoice of Litt's Dresses and Dolmans.
Ladies will please call and examine them.
Orders taken for dresses subject to approval. Samples to be examined, etc.

Furnished Rooms to Rent.

At Mrs. Denny Curran's. On Cass street near Congregational church.

—Now Jeff of the Variety Chop House starts with a new scale of prices. One kind of meat, fish or eggs with side dishes, bread, butter, hot cakes, pie, tea, coffee, &c., 25 cents. Anything extra will be charged for. Board by the week $5 in advance. R. L. JEFFRY, Proprietor.

—When your wife's health is bad and your baby keeps you awake, go and buy one of those handsome willow-body carriages for a mere song, at Carl Adler's.

—All the patent medicines advertised in this paper, together with the choicest perfumery, and toilet articles, etc., can be bought at the lowest prices, at J. W. Conn's drug store, opposite Occident hotel, Astoria.

—"Jeff," the enterprising proprietor of the Variety Chop House, is doing a rushing business. He has just completed the best ice house north of San Francisco, and intends selling ice and ice cream as soon as his apparatus arrives from Chicago.

More universally recommended than any proprietary medicine made. A sure and reliable tonic, Brown's Iron Bitters.

Before you are got sick and be an invalid, use OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER.

For dressing the hair, and beautifying it when gray, nothing is so satisfactory as Parker's Hair Balsam.

—For Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Sold by W. E. Dement.

The Peruvian syrup has cured thousands who were suffering from dyspepsia, debility, liver complaint, boils, humors, female complaints, etc. Pamphlets free to any address. Seth W. Fowle & Son Boston.

—For the genuine J. H. Cutter old Bourbon, and the best of wines, liquors and San Francisco beer, call at the Gem opposite the bell tower, and see Campbell.

There are bright buds of April and blossoms of May,
But they're not half so sweet as the breath of the maid
That with SOZODONT brushes her teeth every day
Till like pearls through her beautiful lips they're displayed.
O SOZODONT! what an enchantment is thine
That gives teeth like the sun, and gives lips red as wine.

—Why will you cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts 50 cts and $1. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—SHILOH'S CURE will immediately relieve Croup, whooping cough and Bronchitis. Sold by W. E. Dement.

—Are you made miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure. For sale by W. E. Dement.

—"Hackmetack," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by W. E. Dement.

Steamer Days.

Following is a resume of sailing dates for ocean steamers for April and May, steamers leaving Astoria and San Francisco every three days:

FROM ASTORIA	April	FROM SAN FRANCISCO AT 10 A. M.	April
Columbia..Tuesday	3	Oregon ....Tuesday	3
Queen.....Friday	6	State.....Friday	6
Oregon.....Monday	9	Columbia...Monday	9
State..... Thursday	12	Queen.....Thursday	12
Columbia...Sunday	15	Oregon.....Sunday	15
Queen..Wednesday	18	State..Wednesday	18
Oregon....Saturday	21	Columbia Saturday	21
State.....Tuesday	24	Queen..... Tuesday	24
Columbia.....Friday	27	Oregon.....Friday	27
Queen.....Monday	30	State.....Monday	30
	May		May
Oreson....Thursday	3	Columbia Thursday	3
State .....Sunday	6	Queen.....Sunday	6
Columbia Wednesday	9	Oregon Wednesday	9
Queen.....Saturday	12	State.....Saturday	12
Oregon.....Tuesday	15	Columbia..Tuesday	15
State.....Friday	18	Queen.....Friday	18
Columbia...Monday	21	Oregon..... Monday	21
Queen...Thursday	24	State.....Thursday	24
Oregon.....Sunday	27	Columbia...Sunday	27
State...Wednesday	30	Queen..Wednesday	30

—The Rev. Geo. H. Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." Sold by W. E. Dement.