

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1888.

Spring weather.

This is a legal holiday.

Washington's birthday.

Have you a ticket for the band ball to-night?

To-morrow will be Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent.

Wm. Rehfeld & Max Skibbs, of the steamer Improvement, have dissolved partnership.

The Esmond hotel in Portland is reported sold to A. Meier, of the firm of Meier & Frank, and Mrs. Julia D. Church, for \$86,000.

Job printing, plain or in colors, any size, style or quality from a visiting card to a mammoth poster at the lowest prices at THE ASTORIAN job office.

The Seattle Press says the little steamer Quickstep, of Port Townsend, is catching large numbers of dogfish in nets, a thing hitherto reckoned as impossible.

J. Jacobson died at the hospital last Sunday, of typhoid fever. Deceased was a native of Sweden, and was 27 years old. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon.

The Scandinavian Benevolent society will hold their regular meeting this evening at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to attend as business of importance is to be transacted.

Thomas Mowat, fisheries inspector for British Columbia, has deposited 500,000 salmon ova in the Nanaimo and Cowichan rivers lately. Four million ova are at present in the hatchery and will be deposited in different streams in the province.

Astorians are buying largely of eastern dealers, the guarantee being that the goods shall be on the cars in transit by March 15th. This is in anticipation of a big advance in freights after the beautiful interstate commerce railroad law goes into effect.

During January there was little movement of salmon eastward. So far this month there has been more doing. Up to Saturday ten carloads had been shipped eastward. The stock is pretty well cleaned out, but little remaining on the river. Some of the '87 salmon is at our gates.

Mrs. Effie Atkinson, aged 36, a native of Virginia, who has taught schools along the Columbia river, in this state and Washington, was committed to the Salem insane asylum last Thursday. The unfortunate woman is a widow, and her insanity is the result of the morphine habit.

C. B. Watson is in receipt of a communication from the Walla Walla board of trade regarding the model and plans of the invention recently patented by Wm. A. Groundahl, designed to overcome obstructions in the Columbia. He will go up there this week in pursuance of the matter.

According to the provisions of the new law regarding the dates for holding court in this judicial district, the regular term of the circuit court for Clatsop county would have begun yesterday, but as a term had just been completed under the old law, Judge Taylor concluded to hold the next term beginning June 20th.

In the police court yesterday Hong and Wah each larned by the forfeiture of \$5 that baskets on poles must be carried, if at all, on the street and not on the sidewalk. Carl Carlson was found guilty of vulgar and abusive language to a woman and fined \$100. Then he was arraigned on a charge of drawing a knife on an officer, it appearing that when Officer Linville went to arrest him he made an effort to carve Linville, who thereupon caressed him with a club. For the effort he was fined an additional \$100.

See 155 of the charter says: "The mayor and councilmen are not entitled to and must not receive any salary or compensation for their official services, nor shall they, or any of them, be in any way interested in any contract made with or on behalf of the city during their term of office." But if any one of them finds that his position interferes with his securing or retaining any such contract, there is nothing to prevent his resigning and thus having the same business privilege as any other private citizen.

Last night's mail brought THE ASTORIAN the New York Tribune and New York Clipper almanacs for '87, a little late by reason of eastern mail detention, but none the less welcome. The Tribune almanac, as usual, is of great value. Its chief merit to a newspaper office is its accuracy, and its political information makes it worthy of a place in any newspaper office in the Union. The Clipper almanac is the "boss" for reference to records in the sporting world and is handy to settle disputes and questions that arise occasionally.

Major J. B. Brockenborough, government land agent, has brought suit at the Oregon City land office, says the Democrat, against Dean Blanchard on the ground that the timber land he took up on the Columbia river was agricultural land. The witnesses on both sides number together about two dozen. Last week they besieged the land office several days and this week the trial has another fit. The testimony is taken down in long hand by a young lady, which will be voluminous when the witnesses are talked out. The trial is pleasant to the boarding houses there.

Try Fabre's celebrated pan roast.

LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Wire Whispers From the East.

St. Louis, February 21.—The resignation of Judge Trent, of the United States district court of eastern Missouri, has been forwarded to President Cleveland.

A BIG FIRE. Haverhill, Mass., 21.—The Rugg block, in the business center of this place, was totally destroyed by fire this morning; loss, one hundred thousand dollars; insured.

SMALLPOX TRAVELING NORTHWARD. Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 21.—There are about twelve cases of small pox reported in this city, mostly in a light form. The disease is supposed to have been brought from northern Mexico, where it is widespread epidemic. Two deaths have occurred and it is feared it will become epidemic here.

BOOM AT ALBINA. Albina, Or., Feb. 21.—There is a boom in real estate here, owing to the contemplated railroad improvements. Twenty-six lots were sold to 26 different Portlanders last Saturday.

BOSTON DISTURBED. Boston, Mass., Feb. 21.—This morning the police officers found several piles of bricks and stones on the top of a four-story tenement building, placed there, it is believed, with the intended purpose of throwing them on the street cars below. The latter have been warned not to run after dark.

THE GERMAN ELECTIONS. Berlin, Feb. 21.—The election of members of the German reichstag takes place throughout the empire to-day.

THE FEELING IN LONDON. London, Feb. 21.—There is great suspense in trade circles over the elections in Germany to-day, and no business is transacted.

WILL VISIT PORTLAND. Portland, Feb. 21.—Inspector C. C. Bemis, of San Francisco, will shortly visit this city. He is expected here about March 10th. One of the objects of his visit is to hear arguments in the appealed case of the collision between the O. & C. ferry-boat and Brown & McCabe's steam launch Mikado, last fall, in which Holland was fatally injured.

Arrival of Church and Harmon. Messrs. Church and Harmon, of the ill-fated Dawn, arrived last Sunday on the State, and were most cordially welcomed by many who had given up all hopes of ever seeing them again. Regarding their perilous adventures there is but little to be told that has not already appeared. Emphatic denial is made of the statement that there were no anchors aboard. Geo. Harmon says: "As soon as we found that the pipes were leaking we put out the large anchor, but the chain snapped. Then we put out the two little anchors, but with the gale that was blowing we might as well have put out two stovepipes." They also deny the report that they had plenty provisions aboard. All they had, as stated in the San Francisco dispatch, was a half loaf of bread and a ham bone. "We were clean out of grub," says Harmon, "and expected to eat dinner in Astoria the day we went over the bar."

The two men suffered greatly from hunger and anxiety and show the effects in their bodies, which are emaciated. On being picked up by the Empire on the 12th, 110 miles south of the Columbia river, 38 miles W. S. W., of Yaquina and 35 miles off shore, they were given some crackers, a codfish, a sack of potatoes, a half-barrel of pork, some tea, coffee and sugar, but had little appetite for anything but the crackers. They went aboard the Empire and when she broke the tow line and went adrift, the provisions went with her.

Harmon, who was in THE ASTORIAN office yesterday morning, says that when the Dawn was drifting that morning, the Gen. Canby was below them, coming up from the fort, and that they were blowing signals of distress, and that if the Canby had only altered her course a little, she could have come right up alongside of them and taken the boat in tow.

Terrible Pains. DR. FLINT'S HEART REMEDY banishes sick-headache, and will prevent the return of this most terrible of pains, if taken when the warning symptoms give notice of the recurrence of an attack. At druggists \$1.50. Descriptive treatise with each bottle; or address J. J. Maek & Co., S. F.

For a new delicious breakfast cereal go to Thompson & Ross'.

Sunday Reading, 35cts. Edition. Tuesdays with D. L. Woody, The Marriage Ring, Sermons by Sam Small and Sam Jones, The Battle for Bread by Talmauer, at Griffin & Reed's.

Humorous Reading, 25cts. Edition. Nancy Hartshorn and her doings, Blunders of a Bashful man, The Bad Boy at home and abroad, Railroad Fun, Chained Lightning at Griffin & Reed's.

Latest Novels. "She," "The Gentle River," "The Witches Head," "Regimental Legends," "Yeast," "Married in Haste," "Loves Conflict," "A Bright Wedding Morn," at Griffin & Reed's.

All the different books used in the public school you can get at the Crystal Palace at reduced rates.

What is better than a glass of liquor? A cup of delicious coffee at Fabre's.

Gotjeffs for oysters, Private Rooms.

SOME BILLS THAT PASSED.

A Partial List of Some of the Most Important Bills Passed by the Legislature.

A bill creating a railroad commission. Reapportioning legislative representation throughout the state. Making provision for further and final disposition of the state swamp lands.

Providing for the appointment of three fish commissioners whose duties it shall be to protect the fishing interests of the state.

A compulsory education bill, which provides that all children between the ages of 8 and 14 years shall be sent to school for at least twelve weeks in each year, eight of which shall be consecutive.

A pilotage bill appropriating \$1,500,000 annually for the insurance and maintenance of the pilot schooner, placing the appointment of the commissioners in the hands of the governor, and setting the rates of pilotage at \$8 a foot for the first 12 feet and \$10 for each additional foot.

An amendment to the charter of this city abolishing the office of police judge.

A bill enabling the O. R. & N. Co. to lease its Oregon property to the U. P. R. R. Co.

A bill giving the O. R. & N. Co. a franchise to build a bridge across the Willamette at I street, Portland.

A bill making it unlawful to brand any salmon caught later than July 31, in any year, as "spring" salmon.

A bill setting the time for terms of the circuit court in this county on the third Monday in February, June and September.

The insurance bill, fixing the minimum capital of foreign corporations doing business in the state at \$200,000. The capital of domestic companies is fixed at \$50,000. License fees of \$50 and \$100 to be paid annually by the fire and life insurance companies, respectively.

Two new counties were created; Malheur, carved out of the central and southern part of Baker county and Wallowa, cut from eastern Union county.

A bill setting the legal rate of interest at six per cent.

A bill providing that no witness in a Clatsop county justice court residing less than two miles from the court shall get any witness fees.

A bill providing for a special election next November.

A bill requiring school clerks to keep a list of names of school children in the district and turn it over to the successor in office.

A bill authorizing a general tax levy of five mills for school purposes.

A bill making one year's willful desertion sufficient grounds for divorce.

A bill providing for the punishment of pimps and vagrants and providing that they be made work on the streets with a ball and chain on their legs.

A bill forbidding the presence of minors in a saloon and providing for fine and imprisonment and forfeiture of license for allowing them therein.

A bill compelling dentists to have diplomas.

A bill authorizing county courts to spend county money to a limit of three mills on all taxable property for county roads.

A bill requiring the state school superintendent to visit each county annually, and raising his salary from \$1,500 to \$1,800.

Greatly Excited. Not a few of the citizens of Astoria have recently become greatly excited over the astounding facts, that several of their friends who had been pronounced by their physicians as incurable and beyond all hope—suffering with that dreaded monster Consumption—have been completely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, the only remedy that does positively cure all throat and lung diseases, Coughs, Colds, Asthma and Bronchitis. Trial bottles free at W. E. Dement & Co.'s Drug Store, large bottles \$1.

Syrup of Figs. Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Co. San Francisco Cal. is Nature's Own True Laxative. This pleasant liquid fruit remedy may be had of W. E. Dement & Co. at fifty cents or one dollar per bottle. It is the most pleasant, prompt and effective remedy known, to cleanse the system; to act on the Liver, Kidneys and Bowels gently yet thoroughly; to dispel Headaches, Colds and Fevers; to cure Constipation, Indigestion and Kindred Ills.

An A No. 1 Piano to rent inquire of CARL ADLER.

What! Do You Think Jeff of the U. S. gives you a meal for nothing and a glass of something to drink? Not much; but he gives the best meal and more of it than any other restaurant in town. 25 cents.

Eastern oysters fresh every steamer at Jeff's restaurant.

The finest and nicest steak to be had in town at Fabre's.

A New and Enlarged Stock of Choice Brands of Cigars. Imported Key West and domestic. All tastes can be satisfied and all pockets suited as to price. Tansill's Punch and Junior's in full supply as usual at D. L. BECK & SONS.

Will you suffer with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. Sold by W. E. Dement & Co.

OREGON'S SENATORS.

They Succeed in Getting a \$300,000 Appropriation For the Mouth of the Columbia River.

The following piece of good news was received yesterday. The bill now goes to the House for final action. It is to be hoped that the appropriation will not be cut down:

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21, 4:25 P.M. EDITOR ASTORIAN:

The river and harbor bill has just passed the senate with an increase of Oregon appropriation recommended by the senate committee. The increase over the house bill is three hundred and fifty thousand dollars. The amount appropriated for the mouth of the Columbia is three hundred thousand dollars.

J. N. DOLPH.

Important to Ladies. Read what Jeannie Winston, Portland's favorite prima donna, says of Wisdom's Robertine:

PORTLAND, Dec. 22, 1886. To Mr. W. M. Wisdom:—The "Robertine" you so kindly sent me is excellent. It is the finest preparation I have ever used, and is a decided acquisition to a lady's toilet.

Yours truly, JEANNIE WINSTON.

The above is published in order to settle all doubts and disputes as to the existence of such an endorsement, and as evidence of the high esteem in which Wisdom's Robertine is held. This preparation has been before the public but a short time, yet the sale has been extraordinary. Wisdom's Robertine is for sale by all the leading druggists.

Burdette, the humorist of the Burlington Hawkeye, gives the following illustration of the long and short haul business: "Anybody ought to know that it is the short haul that costs the most. You see I am sitting in a railway parlor car down in Maine, writing a postal card to a friend in Oregon. Now, if I can get that card to the mail car, only seven car lengths ahead of me, the government will carry it 3,000 miles for one cent. That is the long haul. But it costs me a quarter to get the porter to carry it to the postal car. That's the short haul. Then the porter loses it on his way or forgets all about it. That's the shrinkage. And there you have the whole transportation problem in a nutshell."

Wonderful Cures. W. D. Hoyt & Co., Wholesale and Retail Druggists of Rome, Ga., say: "We have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters and Bucklen's Arnica Salve for two years. Have never handled remedies that sell as well, or give such universal satisfaction. There have been some wonderful cures effected by these medicines in this city. Several cases of pronounced Consumption have been entirely cured by use of a few bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, taken in connection with Electric Bitters. We guarantee them always. Sold by W. E. Dement & Co.

Telephone-Logging House. Best Beds in town. Rooms per night 20 and 25 cts., per week \$1.50. New and clean. Private entrance.

SHILOH'S CURE will immediately relieve Croup, Whooping Cough, and Bronchitis. Sold by W. E. Dement & Co.

Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure is sold by us on guarantee. It cures consumption. Sold by W. E. Dement.

Go To Crow's Gallery. The leading photographer. For the finest photos in all the latest styles and of superior finish.

Go to Jeff's Restaurant to-night and take home a peace maker (Oyster Loaf).

JEFF'S United States Restaurant is the best and cheapest in Astoria.

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 Or-ident hotel, Astoria.

Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. Sold by W. E. Dement.

For The Most Beautiful and enduring photographs, charming tones, the most scientific retouching and fine polish go to N. S. Shuster, the pioneer leading photographer. See new samples at his new gallery on the roadway.

Salt! Salt!! At J. H. D. Gray's: 100 tons assorted Salt; Rock, Fish, Hay and Stock Salt in quantities to suit purchasers.

Private Rooms. At Frank Fabre's for suppers, parties, etc. The best cooked to order.

Bringing gladness to millions, pleasing their palates and cleansing their System, arousing their Livers, Kidneys, Stomachs and Bowels to a healthy activity. Such is the mission of the famous California liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs. 50c. and \$1 bottles for sale by W. E. Dement & Co.

All exempt, resigned, or other past firemen, now dropped from the roll of their respective companies are requested to surrender their badges to the secretary of the board of delegates, and save the fine imposed by city ordinance. By order B. S. WONSLEY, Chief Engineer.

E. Z. FERGUSON, Secretary. Ten cents for a cup of Fabre's nice coffee.

The best oysters in any style at Fabre's.

Gambrian Beer And Free Lunch at the Telephone Saloon, 5 cents.

Lowest Cash Price. Coal Oil at \$2.35 a case, at D. L. BECK & SONS.

BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION.

This association incorporated yesterday with J. Q. A. Bowley, F. R. Stokes, E. W. Newell, J. B. Gilstrap, E. C. Holden, Jay Tuttle, M. Foard, J. P. Dickinson, Alex. Sutton and C. W. Fulton, as incorporators. The duration of the company is unlimited. The business is to raise a capital fund in shares of two hundred dollars each, payable by monthly installments, such payments to accumulate interest and profit until the par value shall be attained, when the amount shall be paid to the shareholders and the stock revert to the association; to grant loans of money to members upon the security of freehold or leasehold properties, upon United States bonds or upon the shares of this corporation only; to buy, improve and sell real estate; to receive money on deposit, at interest or otherwise repayable at call or at fixed periods. The principal place of business is at Astoria; the capital stock is \$400,000, divided into 2,000 shares, the amount of each share being \$200.

There will be a business meeting of the association at the police court rooms at eight o'clock this evening, at which time and place, all who feel interested in the aims and projects of the association are invited to attend.

Free Trade. The reduction of internal revenue and the taking off revenue stamps from Proprietary Medicines, no doubt has largely benefited the consumers, as well as relieving the burden of home manufacturers. Especially is this the case with Green's August Flower and Boschee's German Syrup, as the reduction of thirty-six cents per dozen, has been added to increase the size of the bottles containing these remedies, thereby giving one-fifth more medicine in the 75 cent size. The August Flower for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, and the German Syrup for Cough and Lung troubles, have perhaps, the largest sale of any medicines in the world. The advantage of increased size of the bottles will be greatly appreciated by the sick and afflicted, in every town and village in civilized countries. Sample bottles for 10 cents remain the same size.

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Before going to market for my spring stock, I intend to turn all goods on hand into

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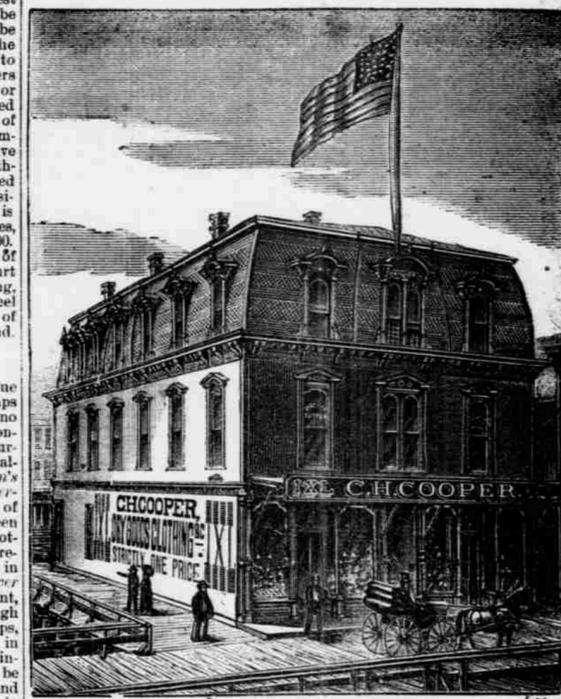
Does a General Banking Business. Drafts Drawn Available in any Part of the World.

Notice To The Public. OWING TO MY INABILITY TO COLLECT from the present undertaker, parties wishing graves dug at Clatsop cemetery must accompany the order with five dollars to insure the graves being dug.

A. Y. GRUBB, City Sexton. Clatsop Cemetery.

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Remnants! Remnants! REMNANTS!



Monday and following days of this week we will place on our center counters ALL ODD LENGTHS OF GOODS accumulated during the season and MARK THEM DOWN regardless of cost in order to make a thorough clearance, previous to our annual inventory of stock which takes place Feb. 1st.

REMNANTS, REMNANTS, REMNANTS.

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Also, Shades, Burners, Chimneys and Wicks. More Fancy articles in China, Crystal, Bisque, etc. Full Dinner, Tea, and Toilet Sets, and Crockery in all the Latest Styles. Best Plated Knives and Forks, Table and Teaspoons, as well as common ones. Goblets, Wine Glasses, Ale Mugs, Tumblers, and Bar Ware generally, and many other articles too numerous to enumerate.

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