Daily Capital Journal.

BY HOFER BROTHERS.

FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 1897.

EDITORIAL.

A summary of the official county proceedings published in this paper shows claims allowed as follows:

Road and bridges	$ 221 84
Paupers	812 02
Court house and jail	825 15
Stationery	120 80
Miscellaneous	490 00
Criminal	596 80
Total	$2,875 79

This is the sum of the bills allowed for one month and some of the items need explanation. We do not know as we shall be able to explain all satisfactorily. It seems to us the allowances for pauper claims and for criminal expenses are unusually large, and twice as large as in Linn county. Medical attendance is the largest item of pauper expense. It seems as if the county court ought to limit these expenses in some manner. The criminal expenses were made unusually large by the action of the district attorney ordering criminal actions cleared off the docket. It seems in many cases a warrant is issued but the party cannot be found for arrest. Afterwards, it often happens, when the party is found the prosecuting witness has disappeared. Some of these parties are often brought from a distance at a great expense and then have to be discharged for want of prosecution. To avoid further expense, Mr Hayden has had these cases struck off the docket. The law allows the justice and constable their fees whether the party is arrested and brought to trial or not. Those fees are too large. Three dollars for simply issuing a warrant against John Doe or Richard Roe, who are never found, is too steep, but it is the law.

It is not easy to locate the cause of increasing the expenses of the county government. It may not be fair to compare the administration of Judge Hubbard and Judge Terrell on the short time Mr. Terrell has been in office, since the first of last July. But at the end of the first year a comparison can be made with the year before and the expenses accounted for.

The county court is the county legislature, executive and auditing departments all in one, and its duties are difficult to perform. If a Judge is independent and non partisan he becomes unpopular with the party managers and is not re-nominated. But as he is in for four years he ought to be reasonably independent and not sanction claims founded more on party pull than on justice or legality.

Gold Again Leaving.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Gold coin to the amount of $1,500,000 has been engaged for export today.

Of the $1,500,000 gold for Europe, $1 000,000 was withdrawn by Lazard Freres and $500,000 by Kidder, Peabody & Co., of Boston.

It is understood that the latter house sends its gold to Germany. At the banking house of Lazard Freres it was stated to a representative of the Associated Press that the shipment was made in the regular order of business, to liquidate indebtedness, and was not a purchase of gold on an order from Europe, as was said of the shipment of $1,500,000 ordered on Saturday. Lazard Freres representative said further that it was not likely that further shipments of the same character would be made by them.

Withdrawls of gold coin for shipment also in prospect by other houses, for shipment by next Saturday's steamer. These shipments are the result of a dissolution of the tacit agreement among foreign bankers not to ship gold untill sterling exchange should rise to the basis of $4.881 for demand sterling actual rates. Denand sterling is sold today at $4.87, as the result of the dissolution of the agreement.

The shipments so far this week amount to $3,477,000, and it is now generally felt that this is the inauguration of the regular gold export movement.

Terrific Hail Storm

ST. LOUIS, April 29.—A special from San Louis Potosi, Mexico, to the Globe-Democrat, says the Rio Verde valley has been visited by a terrific hail storm, which ruined the growing crops and caused great loss of life. Reports have been received here of the killing of 41 persons by hail stones. On one hacienda 12 farm hands were killed. Some of the hail stones weighed over three pounds.

BIMETALLICS.

The Salem Union Resolves in Favor of Five Per Cent.

The bimetallists met with a good attendance last night. It was voted to meet at W. C. T. U. hall on Court street, on Saturday night, May 8.

Mr. Hofer read an editorial in Harper's Weekly of April 24, which pictured the political outlook from the gold standard point of view as extremely dismal: "The Republicans in congress are doing everything to provoke a violent and overwhelming reaction." This reaction would redound to the exclusive advantage of the Bryan supporters if they remained the only great opposition party in the field. This triumph would be greatly facilitated by the present rainbow-chase after international bimetallism, a practical admission that the silver men were right. History was making fast. There was a Richmond in the field to divide the gold standard forces, and next campaign would see two gold standard parties in the field. The forces that supported Bryan in November were united and growing stronger. Bryan was more splendid as a leader in defeat than he was in battle. His supporters stood shoulder to shoulder and were the equals in point of unselfishness, intelligence and patriotism of any political party that had ever existed, and would from present indications win a glorious victory in 1898, and still greater in 1900. Bryan had against him in 1896 an united gold standard party, all the banking interests and corporations and nearly all the manufacturers, and Great Britain and part of the Populists and Democratic parties. In Georgia and Texas the People's party openly supported the McKinley ticket in large numbers. But the People's party was growing in the direction of conservatism and was making a record for good government and practical administration in public affairs in states like Washington, and Nebraska and Kansas.

Miss De Long recited "Laska" in a stirring manner and won a warm applause for her rendition of that tragic idyll of Texas. She is rapidly going to the front as a favorite elocutionist. Miss Gilmore recited "Guilty, Judge, I stole that sack of flour." It was well received, as are all of Will Carleton's efforts. A song by Misses Coch and De Long, entitled, "Just as of Old," came next. Miss Clark gave a splendid children's recitation.

The interest debate was now resumed by Judge Boise, who favored 5 per cent as the legal rate. He did not believe that land or business would pay over 3 per cent and we ought to get the rate of interest down to that figure, or as near to it as possible. The legislature might not make a law at 5 per cent, but if we asked for that we might get it down to 6 per cent.

Judge Davidson asked how if money was taxed at 4 per cent in the cities and 2 to 2½ and per cent in the county, and had to be loaned at 5 per cent, how much would be left for interest? It would not work as a practical matter.

Wilson Putnam said 6 per cent was low enough, as that was below the average of the whole United States. Illinois and Louisiana had 5 percent interest, but all the other states had legal rate of interest at 7, 8, and 10 per cent interest.

The amendment to reduce the legal rate of interest to 5 per cent carried.

The club adopted as a question for the next meeting, the subject:

What is money as defined by law and according to monetary science?

Congressman Henderson's Condition,

DUBUQUE, Ia., April 29.—Congressman Henderson's local suregons have advised amputation of his leg above the knee, erysipelas having developed some days ago. A report of his condition has been forwarded to a Washington suregon, whose opinion is awaited.

Monetary Conference.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The members of the proposed international bimetallic conference recently appointed by the president in behalf of the United States, expect to sail from New York on the 8th of May.

"Perfection" Dyes are as near perfection as dyes can be. 28-1

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X-RAYS,

On the Webfoot Politicians.

Independent Comment on People in State and Nation.

If we could get his ear, we would say to Mr. Bryan, put in a good crop of potatoes.

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The Oregon railroad commission died hard, but it seems to be very dead.—Tacoma News.

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And it's Postmaster Toose now. Thus another faithful McKinley man has been substantially rewarded.

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The large attendance of the ladies at the bimetallic club indicates that the ladies are still for Bryan and better times.

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As all the politicians of Oregon have been running to Washington, it was natural for the public to think Gov. Lord would go. But it seems he never intended to.

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Eugene again comes up for distinction. Mrs. Straight, of that city, is an adopted daughter of Mrs. Bloomer, the woman who first wore bloomers, and after whom they were named.

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We are glad to announce that Editor Fletcher is improving. He had a narrow escape. La grippe will not stand to be made fun of, even by so genial and kindly a man, as runs the Independent.

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T. T Geer is now busy trying to figure out the difference between a Cleveland panic and McKinley boom. He is the speaker who told the people that three minutes after McKinley was elected the good times would begin.

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A Chicago docter now comes to the front with a statement that there is no such disease as appendicitis. These varying views of the doctors are perplexing. All the persons who have died of appendicitis must have been badly fooled.

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The alleged "professor of ethics" at the state university is at present employed in the preparatory department. It seems his class was composed of sticklers on ethic, and refused to recite to him. But that is not good reason he should be deprived of his salary. Mr. McElroy can no doubt teach readin' writin' and ,rithmetic as well as any teacher who only receives one-fifth his salary.

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Editor Fletcher in the Salem Independent:

W. W. Martin, State street, gave a great many ocular demonstrations of the beauties of the single Gold standard previous to the late general election in November, but he never gave one-half so truthful nor half so forcible as the one he has recently given by which the gentleman has ascended the golden stairs through the assignment route.

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A society of women in Eugene were given prizes for the best and the poorest answers to the question: "Why am I a Republican." The answer that received the booby prize was "Because I was born a Republican." The first prize was as follows: "I am a Republican because the principles of Republicanism involves all there is of freedom of speech, free press and free country, and because Republicanism gives us the most glorious and prosperous nation on the face of the earth, and makes us the happy and contented people we are today—and because Republicanism is the rock upon which this free government rests.

The Bicycle Ordinance.

Commencing at 12 o'clock tonight, the bicycle ordinance goes into effect and it might be well for all wheelmen to look up the same and avoid any possible misunderstanding. The particular ordinance No. 324 relating to bicyclist is as follows: "It shall be unlawful for any person or persons (male) to ride any bicycle, tricycle, unicycle or tandem between the hours of 5 a. m. and 10 p. m., on the sidewalks of the city of Salem, included within the following limits: On Commercial street from Trade to Center streets; on State street from Commercial to High streets; on Court street from Commercial street to Liberty street during the months of May, June, July, August and September of each year." Any person violating the provisions of the foregoing section, shall, on conviction thereof before the city recorder be fined not less than $10 or more than $100 for each offense or by imprisonment in the city jail not less than five or more than twenty-five days."

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STATE NEWS

A light frost was reported at Oregon City last night.

A movement is on foot at Astoria for a large drydock.

Isaac Smith, of Lukiamute died on Wednesday, aged 81 years

Two brave women at Eugene stopped a run-away team the other day.

Daniel Machay, of Portland, has donated 100 acres to that city for a public park.

The faculty of the O. A. C. at Corvallis played a nine of the seniors and got badly scooped.

The Salmon run is increasing in the Columbia as the river falls and some good catches are reported.

The West Shore mills have offered to light Astoria for $350 a month, with not less than 60 arc lights.

Astoria is moving to get the battle ship Oregon for the regatta this year which is to be held in August.

Twenty-one cars of cattle were shipped from Ashland, Oregon, for Denver, Colorado. 400 head in all.

An prospector, whose name is unknown, was drowned Tuesday in the Powder river, two miles below Sumpter. The body has not yet been recovered.

In the 100-yard race in Pendleton Monday, Frank Parr, the Indian, was beaten by Bert Haynes, but only by a about a foot. The time is said to have been 11¼ seconds.

The semi-annual statement of the financal condition of Jackson county shows that the total liabilities of the county are $167,567, and the resources $56,962, the indebtedness being $110,995.

Six or eight Greeks in Astoria sold out their nets and other fishing gear last Saturday, and, with the money started back to aid the mother country in her struggle with Turkey.

Following new postmasters were appointed: John Riley, Althouse, Josephine county; C. D. Burnet, Leland, Josephine county; L. S. McConnell, Sherwood, Washington county; W. L. Tooze, Woodburn, Marion county.

Short time ago the men working the Pioneer rock quarry moved across a gulch and began operations on the north hill side. When the rock was laid bare to the sunlight, it "lifted" and proved to be no good. The quarry was shut down and some 15 or 20 men are out of employment over there. An expert is en route from San Francisco to see what is the matter.

IN ITS NEW QUARTERS.—The Salem Fire department occupied its new quarters on the ground floor of the city hall for the first time last night. In removing into their new quarters care was taken to prevent any confusion in case a fire alarm might be turned in. The fire bell has not yet been placed in the city hall tower but it will no doubt soon be removed. The sleeping department for the fire lads is large, bright, airy and cheerful.

Killed in a Runaway.

TACOMA, April 29.—Wm. Wright, a laborer aged 28, was killed in a runaway accident. He whipped his horse, which started to run. The buggy struck the railing of a small bridge throwing Wright out, headfirst. He died an hour later.

A San Francisco millionaire named Bradbury is under arrest on a charge of expectorating 31 times in a street car on one trip.

A Kansas judge has written a play entitled "Three Glimpses of Hell."

Almost every man in America has some digestive trouble. When men meet, the greeting usually is "Well how are you?" That develops health talk. The man who has no stomach or bowel trouble is almost a curiosity. Trouble is men take no care of themselves. They work as if their bodies were made of iron and their brains of steel. They eat as if they had copper stomachs and bowels of brass. By and by, overworked nature rebels. Then come headaches, nervousness, bad blood, liver and kidney troubles; health goes and strength goes. It is really wonderful how much abuse the human body will stand! It is equally wonderful how quickly it will recover from abuse if one helps in a rational, natural way.

It was to give just such help that Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets were prepared. They are for constipation and torpid liver, and in curing those derangements—cure many complications and resultant diseases, such as sick and bilious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, indigestion, or dyspepsia, windy belchings, "heartburn," pain and distress after eating, and kindred derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels. They are mild in action—merely supplementing nature. They are the result of years of study and experience, and there is nothing else like them—nothing so effective. If your druggist tries to sell you something else he is either ignorant or makes more money out of the other thing.

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Oregon State Fair.

The Oregon State Fair for 1897, opens on Thursday, September 30, and closes on Friday, October 8. The books are now open for entries for the following stake races, the entries closing on May 1.

TROTTING STAKES.

For 2-year olds, mile heats, 2 in 3, for colts owned in Oregon, Washington, Idaho and British Columbia prior to January 1, 1897. Entrance $25, payable $5, May 1, 1897-$10 July 1, 1897, and $10 before starting. Added money $150.

For 3-year olds, mile heats, 2:50 class, 3 in 5, conditions same as for 2-year olds. $250 added.

No added money for walk overs.

RUNNING STAKES.

Five-eighth mile dash for 2-year olds, owned in Oregon, Washington, Idaho, and British Columbia prior to January 1, 1897. Entrance $25, payable $5, May 1, 1897, $10, July 1, 1897, and $10 before starting. Added money $150.

For 3-year olds, one mile, conditions same as for 2-year olds, $25 entrance. $200. Added.

No added money for walk overs.

CONDITIONS.

There must be three legitimate starters in these stakes to carry added money. If less than three, the entrance money will be divided 65 per cent to first, and 35 per cent to second colt.

Other races will be published latter. Address,

C. D. GABRIELSON,
Secretary, Oregon State Board of Agriculture, Salem, Oregon. tf

The Objection Not Good.

There are people who have objection to advertising matter in the reading colums of a newspaper. The ground objection is that they do not want to read advertisements. Now this objection is not good, for often time these advertisements convey valuable information. For instance, how else would the travelling 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 C. S. Batty, Gen'l Agt. 246 Stark St. Portland, Oregon.

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THE "BUSINESS PRINTER"—Of Salem is Frank Conover. He is to be found at Dearborn's, and when found will do your business printing quicker, more clearly and satisfactory than any one here. 4-20-tf

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