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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1894.

THE BULINESS SITUATION.

The weekly trade journals report a steady but slow revival in general business, although this condition is not reflected in the bank clearances and railroad carnings. There was a falling off in clearings in the past six days in the country at large of 38.6 per cent, as compared with the corresponding period in 1893, but this great shrinkage, which was almost as large as that revealed during the worst of the panie season last summer and fall, was largely due to the bad showing in New aggregate more than those of all of the rest of the country combined, reported a decrease of 47.2 per cent last week, while the falling off in the rest of the country was 25 per cent. Railroad earnings continue below last year's figures, although there is an improvement in this field as compared with the returns of a few months ago.

Another evidence of the topor in business is furnished by the condition of the New York banks, whose surplus reserve increased to the extent of a little more than \$6,250,000 last week. bringing that item up to about \$109,-000,000. A falling off of nearly \$1,000, 900 in loans by the banks of that city in the week contrasts unfavorably with an increase of a little more than that amount in that item in the preceeding week. The banks made a gain of \$3,-265,000 in specie, the greater part of which, of course, was gold, in the week. This item, and with it the surplus reserve, will undoubtedly decrease largely as soon as the bond purchases set in, which will be this month. A large part of the \$50,000,000 of gold, face value and premium, which the \$50,-000,000 sale will call for, will probably the financial institutions of the coun-

Business failures are declining in number and importance. They numhered, according to the report of the Bradstreet agency,338 last week in the country at large, as compared with 404 in the preceeding week. The total is only slightly in excess of that of a year ago last week, when the business wrecks numbered 302. The increase in the production of the metal and textile industries, which was reported several weeks ago, is maintained. A few mills closed or restricted the hours of labor last week, but those were exgeeded by the number which resumed work. During the week the stock and grain markets were quiet and uneventful. Speculation and enterprise are for the time in the waiting stage. The as the gold for the bonds actually begoes to the president.

POLITICS IS BUSINESS.

The republicans of this county are inaugurating an innovation in repubhean politics, by organizing political clubs whose meetings are to be open only to members who have been regujarly initiated, and have given satisfactory evidence that they are sound republicans, ready to work for the party in any honorable capacity their services may be required, and willing own wenpons.

wirtue or advantage in secret meet out of a job. ings, we are willing to take advantage of and utilize it to the good of the party. While the business of the meetings is to be conducted secretly, there will be regular open meetings held to which all will be made welcome, and invited to air their political. opinions by joining in general discussion of current politics. These meetjugs are not to be secret for the simple purpose of secrecy, but more for the protection of the party's private busiuess in its campaign against the demoralizing political creeds it is fighting. It is also thought that by admitting the ladies to the meetings, and making them a place of social gathering as well as political discussion, they will be more attractive to the members; have the effect of creating more interest in politics and the success of the party, thereby giving it a more perfect organization, and the leaders a better opportunity for concerted and barmonious action. The clubs are to have a regular order of business, and s ritual for opening, conducting, and closing their meetings. The scheme, it is true, savors strongly of populist tactics, but in these times of "cemogratic prosperity," business is political

THE OREGON MIST and politics is business, and we must GENERAL topics of conversation are hoped that all will heartily respond, for are flattering for some unlooked-for in union there is strength, and by con- developments. certed action we are sure to win.

THERE were a lot of very mad men in Washington when the announcement was made that the democrats on ally decided not to grant hearings on were angry because they had been assured by the democrats on the committee that hearings would be granted to all representatives of important intries who might desire to be heard, and they had so informed their constituents. The men who expected to be York. That city, whose clearances granted hearings were angry because they had been deceived into going to the expense of coming to Washington, Senator Voorhees, and several other democratic members of the com-

be drawn from the New York banks, that THE MIST feels greatly interested in. This is the name of J. R. Beegle, ir., formerly editor of this paper, and as competent a person as could be chosen. Mr. Beegle is a republican worker of pronounced ability, and we do not hesitate to mention his name in connection with that office. One matter in regard to this which we wish to bring to the notice of the peo ple of the state, is the fact that Wash- Kit C Payne to Hattie J Conyers, ington county, Mr. Beegle's present home, has no representation on the state ticket, neither has it had for sev eral years, and we feel ourselves called Thomas Cooper and wife to J C Rice, upon to ask some consideration by the delegates to the state convention in Mr. Beegle's behalf. There is not a shadow of a doubt but that Mr. Beegle is as strong a candidate as could be placed upon the ticket.

MR. CLEVELAND has never been perannouncement of the intention of sonally popular with the people of Secretary Carlisle to sell bonds, Washington, who are, as a rule, law- L T Vanover and wife to H M strengthened the market for a few days, abiding folks, but if he had been ever and a further effect in the same directso popular his act in pardoning the tion will doubtless be revealed as soon most notorious dive-keeper in that city, United States to MC Humphrey, 160 who was serving a term in the workgins to be paid in, but no material and house for selling liquor without a lipermanent rally in industry and com- cense, would have made him unpopu- Alexander Thomas and wife to Augmerce is probable, until the tariff bill lar. The man who was pardoned is the head of a family which has had 150 odd trials in Washington courts, Chas Mayger to Wm Roberts, 16 for crimes ranging from murder and burglary down to petty violations of law. The pardon was granted in the face of the objection of every local official to whom the papers were referred. The good people of that city fear that it will have a demoralizing effect upon the police, and that it will result in a large increase of unlicensed liquor dives.

A Kansas man, who was formerly C R Hart and wife to W J Sweetto fight the party's natural enemies a populist, gives an excellent reason on their own ground and with their why he returned to his old party: Because the old pop party is run by law-Secrecy in conducting republican yers without clients; by doctors with campaign meetings is not in line with out patients; by preachers without BS Hazelwood to LE Smith, swift. our party tactics, nor is it counseled pulpits; by women without husbands; or advised by the party generally, or by farmers without farms; by finaneven by those who are active in the ciers without finances; by educators club's organization, but if there is any without education, and by statesmen

THE populists realize that their only hope for success in this county, is to start a paper, which they will fill with "muck" and send out to the "faithful," which will be read and taken in without thought. We predict that the promoters will have a hard road to

The Statesman of the 5th says that they have just found out Ex-Rev. Rork | Charles Meserve and wife to D J over in eastern Oregon, at Heppner, where he was detected in a repetition of the nameless act for which he was Jno P Watson to Lenora R Russell, fired out of the Unity church at Salem.

not hesitate to take advantage of every bedging on political possibilities, and point which will help the party. Every the pot is simmering, but the scum is republican in the county will be asked barely ready to be lifted. New and shortly to become a member of this interesting features present themselves club, and lend it his support, and it is upon the bulletins, and the prospects

the senate finance committee had fin- the officials elected by that party are the tariff bill. The republican senators file" has dropped its lip,-Sunday

mittee, have tried very hard to give a to Texas, one cannot, with much con-

THE press of this state is almost unanimously denouncing populism. Like Kansas, Oregon has tasted the populist sweet dip until it bears a marked resemblance to ipecac or coffin varnish. Too much of a good thing soon plays out,

Transfers of Reality.

quitelaim deed to 5 and 83-100 acres in section 8, t 7, n r 4, w; also 11-100 acres in the donation land claim of E W Conyers

tideland in front of lot 21, bluck 11. St. Helens Columbia banking company to J C

Rice, tideland and improvements in front of lot 20, block 11, in St. Helens ...

F A Moore and wife to Sallie Rice. lots 1, 2, 21, and 22, block 27, in St. Helens T C Watts, sheriff, to M Ganz, lots

Fowler and wife, lot 4, block 4, in Goble ... acres in section 33, t 5, n r 5, w ... patent J K Brinson to O G Hult, 40 ac.es

in section 7, t 4, n r 4, w unt Kiesendahl, quitclaim dee i to 200 acres on Sauvies Island, Columbia county...

acres in t 8, n r 3, w.... United States to Walter Furrow, 80 acres in sw% section 20, t 7, n r 2, leo B Markle and wife to Clara and

Ida Markle, an undivided one-baif of seld, section 36, t 6, n r 4, w G B Markle and wife to B R Tubbs, undivided 14 of self, section 36, t J C Rice to E E Quick, tideland in

front of lot 29, block 11, in St. Helens land, tideland fronting Cowlitz street, in St. Helens

Vernonia publishing company to S B Rose; lot 10, block 8, in Ver-1,000 00

section 26, t 6, n r 5, w John Pringle to Mary Pringle, 160 acres in section 35, t 5, n r 4, w. Philo Think on and wife and F C

Meeker and wife to M E Mayger and W Slaughter, tota 1 and 2, in Greens Point S B Rose and wife to B L Stnart, lot 1, block 7; lot 15, block 8; lot 5. block 11; lots 1 and 2, fractional

block 13, town of Vernonia 340 00 Rosannah Lancaster to Hannah Tysczkiewicz, quitelaim deed to lot 2, block 2; lots 1 and 2, block 13; lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 16, and 17, block 26; lots 5 and 10, block 18; all of block 16 except lot 9; lots 7. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16, block 17. in St. Helens

Switzer, 170 acres in t 7, n r 3, w . 1,530 00 Mary C Watkins to C Lee, one block So acres in section 16, t 6, n r 4, w

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Mr. Albert Favorite, of Arkensas City, Kan, wishes to give our reads it he benefit of his experience with codes. He says: 'I contracted a cold early last apring that settled on my lange, and that hardly recovered from it when I campatenother that hung on all simmer an abit me with a hacking cough, which I thought I never would get fai of. I had used Chamberiain's Cough Remedy some fourfeen years ago with much success, and concluded to try it again. When I had got through with one bottle my cough had left me, and I have not suffered with a cough or cold since. I have recommended it to others, and all speak well of it." Fifty cent bottles for sall by Edwin Ross.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. In the County Court of the State of Ore-

In the County Court of the State of Ore-gon, for Columbia County. In the matter of the estate of Josiah Fullerton, deceased. Notice of settlement of account, and hear

ton, deceased.

Notice of settlement of account, and hear ing petition for final distribution.

Notice is hereby given that the final account of the administrator of the estate of Josiah Fullerton, deceased, has been rendered to said Court for settlement, to gether with the petition of said administrator, for the final distribution of the residue of said estate, and that Monday, the 5th day of March, 1814, at 2 o'clock p. m., and the court room of said Court, in St. Helens, in said county, and state, has been duly appointed by the said Court as the time and place for the settlement of said final account and the hearing and considering of said petition for distribution, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions, in wrings, to said account and petition for distribution, and contest the same.

R. S. Fullerron,

Administrator of the estate of Josiah Fullerton, deceased.

lerton, deceased. Dated January 18, 1894.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon.

February I. 1894

NOTICE is hereby given that the followingnamed settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim
and that said proof will be made before the
County Clerk of Columbia county, at St. Helens,
Oregon, on April 2, 1894, viz. Augustin Schmitt,
administrator of the estate of Lorenz Schmitt,
decessed, Homestend Entry No. 7744, for the
southwest quarter of section 9, township 5, north
range 2, w. He names the following witness to
prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz. L. B. Gleason, John
King, D. R. Fowler, and N. A. Andreas, all of
Carley, Columbia county, Oregon.

Robert A. Miller, Register.

ROBERT A. MILLER, Register.

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Oregon, on April 2, 1894, viz. Ella Roberts.
Homestead Eentry No. 7798; for the west onehalf of the northwest one-quarter of section 21,
and cast one-half of northeast one-quarter of
section 20, township 5, north range 2, w. She
names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said
land viz: D. R. Fowler, C. C. Moyer, R. E.
Moyer, and Eqwin Ross, all of Peris, Columbia
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tains to New York, and from Manitodo and the democratic members of the committee. Any tried very hard to give a rational explanation for their sudden hange of front on the question of the hange of front on the question of the hange of front on the question of the hange but they have not succeeded. The reason, however, is not difficult to locate. The autocrat of the white house has ordered that the tariff where the house has ordered that the tariff where the democratic of the white democratic or the finance committee. The reason of the finance committees are bent on obeying orders, even if it does place them in a ridiculous attifude. Begublicans are not expecting the bill to be rushed through the sense are enough democratic senators who of the terms of the propose the Cleveland programme to the supported from the committee. There are enough democratic senators who on the special propose the Cleveland programme to the supported from the committee. The propose the Cleveland programme to the support of the bill, or persuaded to do so by slight amendments in the interest of their constituents.

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In the County Court of the state of Oregon for Columbia county.

In the matter of the sale of;
real property belonging to the CITATION,
estate of John Ivey, deceased.

To Delia Ivey and all heirs, devisees, or
persons interested in said estate, known or

count of the administrator of the cetate of August Dotta, deceased, has been rendered and filed in said estate, and that Samaday, the 17th day of March, 1594, at 10 o clock n. m. of that day and the countroom of said court in St. Hebens, Columbia county, Oregon, has been duly appointed by the judge of said court as the time and place for the settlement thereof, and the hearing of said petition for distribution, at which time and place any person intervised is said estate, and the said estate with the earth 1900 cheek n. m. of that day, and the countroom of said court in St. Hebens, Columbia county, Oregon, has been duly appointed by the judge of said court as the time and place for the settlement thereof, and the hearing of said petition for distribution, at which time and place any person intervised is said estate may appear and file his exceptions it writing to said account and petition, and contest the same.

Administrator of the estate of August Dotta, deceased.

Pated February 9, 1891.

FINAL ACCOUNT SET. said Jeim Ivey, William Ivey, and Edward the minor heirs of said deceased John Ivry, and to all other heirs and persons interested in said estate by publication of the same for four successive weeks in the St Helens Miss and that a copy of said contion and said octition be deposited in the postorice at St. Helens, Oregon, directed to the said Delia Ivey, at Boscobell, Wisconsin, her place of residence. Therefore, in the name of the state of Oregon, you, the said Delia Ivey, and all other heirs, devisees, and persons interested in said estate, whether known or unknown, are hereby cited to be, and appear in said court in the city of St. Helens, state of Oregon, on the said 5th day of March, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any you have, why said order should not be made for the sale of said real property, as prayed for in said perition.

In witness whereof, Dean Blanchard, judge of said court, has herennto set his hand and caused the seal of said court to be attached this 6th day of January, 1894. attached this eth day of January, 1864 DEAN BLANCHARD, Judge Attest: E. E. QUICK, Clerk.

PETITION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

To the Honorable County Court of Columbia County, State of Oregon. We, the undersigned legal voters residing in Scappose precinet. Columbia county, state of Oregon, would respectfully petition your controlle body at its next regular term of court to be held in the courthouse, in the City of St. Helens, Columbia county, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 7th day of March, A. D., 1894, that a license be granted to James D. McKay to sell spirituous, vinuous, and mait liquors in quantities less than one gallon, in Scappoose precinct, Columbia county, state of Oregon, and that such license be issued for the period of six months, for all of which your petitloners will ever pray: Peter O Johnson. H Decker, D Balch, L O Baxter, Geo W Ramsey, H W White, J B Duncan, E H Barnett, W T White, Geo D Gove, D E Freeman, C Schunseman, W Anderson, A H Larson, Gustave Lange, W J Englert, C R Konkle, J P Walker, W W Miller, Jas Pencock, Psul Ahrens, J T Sederstrom, J L Armstrong, P Lousignont, H M Knighton, W A Knighton, M Basendorf, Charies Allen, W S Hutchinson, S D Wells, G Lafaber, L Dahlman, John L Piper, J S Vancleve, S M Headley, E Oldendorff, Malcolm McKay, B A McKay, Lewis Piper, W H McFarland, G Fritz, E D McKay, O D Garrison, J T Walker Casper Rolth, John Callahan, John Schmitke, C Robinsey, Wm Wolf, G Numan, Geo Grant, J D Morgan, Geo Vollans, Henry Potter, Gus Ostoye, Andrew Wattie, W T Freeman T A Cloninger, W H St Clair, C B Harris, W E Guild, Peter Ullfers, Bennett McGreeny, Thorward E Brueland, C G Swanson, F E Armstrong, W G Pomeroy, N Shaw, N H McKay, J S Harris, A E Armstrong, W F Watson, C G Wailis, A M Lamberson, S Hammond, Frank Tompkins, William White, W S Sparks. To the Honorable County Court of Co-

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF ORE-GON, FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, G. C. JAQUISH, PHF.

COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE,

St. Hegers, Or., January 5, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that all unpaid County Warrants of said county which have been presented and endorsed "Not Paid for Want of Funds," up to January 2, 1892, will be paid upon presentation at this office. Interest on said warrants will not be allowed after date of this notice.

E. M. Wharton,

County Treasurer of Columbia County, Or.

County Treasurer of Columbia County, Or. want thereof, the plaintiff will take default and judgment against you as prayed for, to-wit: For the sum of \$500, with interest thereon from June 9th, 1803, at the rate of ten per cent per year, together with his costs by this action, due for money loaned by plaintiff to defendant. This summons is published by an order of the judge of said court, made on the 8th day of November, 1803.

Dillard & Cole, attorneys for plaintiff.

land in township 7, section 14, DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partner-ship heretofore existing between George Fi-htel and H. Biemer, doing business un-der the firm name of Riemer & Fichtel, at Deer Island, Oregon, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. H. Riemer, Geo. Figures. Deer Island, Oregon, January 19, 1894

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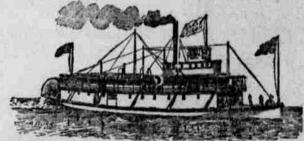
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