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Blessed is the man who bolts, for he shall receive the nomination the next time.

Down Clatskanie way they seem to vote for the express purpose of "obliging Benson."

Independence in politics is an excellent thing, and of course he who practices it will commend it to others.

The King of Clats, rode down the track

With fully sixty men.  
He voted every one of them and sent them back again.

The man who can vote one tenth of the entire poll is a power indeed at a primary election, even greater than he would be under the old convention system.

They used to say in Ohio that the sheep voted, but in Columbia county the trees seem to control. The sheep could say "baa baa" to their drivers, but the wooden men who vote at the dictation of their masters have not even that much independence.

A lie may carry a man through the primary election, but it is apt to prove a boomerang when the voters become acquainted with the facts and render their verdict in June. As Josh Billings remarks: "It is better not to know so much than to know so much that aint so."

We are sorry for the poor, persecuted timbermen of Columbia County. Their plight is truly a sad one. Some of them have nothing but money, and they appear to think that even that will take unto itself wings.

Senator Fulton can surely find no little consolation in the great majority with which he carried his own county, Clatsop. At least his neighbors and those who knew him best personally showed how popular he was among them. When a man has lived in a community for over thirty years, and been very active in politics nearly all that time, and can poll about seven votes to another candidate's one, it is pretty strong proof that he has qualities that merit friendship and adherents.

### School Report.

Following is the report from the Reuben school for the month ending April 24th, 1908.

No. boys enrolled.....	36
No. girls enrolled.....	30
No. days taught.....	20
No. days attendance.....	932 1/2
No. days absence.....	65
No. times tardy.....	19

Following were neither absent or tardy during the month: Loren, Bryan and Francis Jordan, Mary, Bertha and Dora Nussbaumer, Anna and Flora Hoesch, Harvey and Gladys Jordan, John King, Cathrine Ehrlinger, Lizzie Hunter, Vernice Fowler, Raymond Voigt, Orville Malcolm, Charlie Vurer, Jesse Snow, Bonnie Scholes, Jenny Bell Link, Jennie King, Emma Wasser, Velma Wannamaugh, Angus Pond, and Raymond Tiibury.

JOHANNA MAGNUSSEN, Prin.  
HARRIET HESS, Primary.

### Whooping Cough

"In Februry our daughter had the whooping cough. Mr. Lane, of Hartland, recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and said it gave his customers the best of satisfaction. We found it as he said, and can recommend it to any one having children troubled with whooping cough," says Mrs. A. Goss, of Durand, Mich., For sale by A. J. Deming, druggist.

# TO REPUBLICAN VOTERS.

The people of Oregon will be called upon in the June election to say whether they prefer to be represented in the United States Senate by a Democrat or by a Republican.

That is the plain issue and all attempts to obscure it will prove futile.

With a majority of thirty thousand against them the Democrats hope to elect their candidate by specious arguments as to the superior ability of Governor Chamberlain and to induce Republicans to vote for him on the plea that he has made a good Governor, that he is an able man and that therefore he would exert a great influence in favor of Oregon in the Republican Senate.

The men who advance the latter argument must know it is not true.

Business in the United States Senate is done in the committee rooms and Governor Chamberlain's supposed superiority over Mr. Calkins would be of no avail to him in securing committee appointments that would enable him to be of any particular value to this State.

Senator Fulton had achieved committee positions that enabled him to do excellent work for the State but Governor Chamberlain, if elected, could not hope to secure these advantageous positions.

As to Chamberlain's superior ability over Mr. Calkins, that is a matter which lacks demonstration. Mr. Calkins came to Oregon poor and unknown, and he has steadily fought his way upward until he has become an important factor in the business life of the city of Portland. Without adventitious aid he has achieved a professional success such as comes to very few men of his age, and his past career gives every reason to believe that he will "make good" in the exalted position to which the people of the State of Oregon are about to elect him.

In ability we consider him fully equal to his opponent, and his personal character has not been and will not be attacked. His fight in the primaries was perfectly fair and honorable. He plead his own cause without attempting to depreciate the merits of his opponent, and he won out mainly because he represented more fully than did Senator Fulton the principle of election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people, under the method provided by Statement No 1.

From every motive of public policy the people of the State, without regard to politics, should favor the election of Mr. Calkins.

From every motive of party policy and party honesty the Republican voters are bound to give Mr. Calkins their loyal and enthusiastic support.

He won his nomination fairly.

He is a man of ability and personal worth.

He is a Republican and represents the principles of the man who will be the Republican nominee for President.

The Republicans of the United States are looking to Oregon, wondering whether it is possible that the people of this commonwealth can be bamboozled into electing a Democratic United States Senator on no other ground than that he is what is vaguely known as a "good fellow."

We may quarrel about local offices, and we may plead non-partisanship even in the selection of State officers, but when it comes to the election of a United States Senator, with a clean man on the Republican ticket, no one who votes against him should ever again register as a Republican.

### OUR PORTLAND LETTER

(Special Correspondence)  
PORTLAND, Or., April 27th, 1908.

No announcement made in years has been more interesting to the State at large than the publication of the plans of the Oregon Electric Railway company, which means a system aggregating three hundred and eighty one miles in length, and reaching the principal towns of the entire Willamette valley, with an extension to the coast as well. McMinnville, Newburg, Dallas, Eugene, Albany, Cascadia, Hillsboro, and Tillamook, with innumerable other communities, are included. The line between Portland and Salem has received such excellent patronage that on several different occasions it has been necessary to revise the schedule to accommodate additional trains. In the Eastern States the multiplication of trolley lines has decreased the passenger traffic on the steam roads, but the latter have felt so marked an increase in freight traffic that the passenger loss has been more than compensated in earnings.

A very large delegation from Albany visited Portland last week for a double purpose. First the city council came to investigate the subject of paving, and as a result Albany will immediately begin the permanent improvement of her main streets. Then the committee representing the Albany Commercial Club completed arrangements with Bury I. Dasent to take charge of the city's publicity work as manager of the Club, May 1st. Mr. Dasent is now advertising Manager of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, Secretary of the Rose Festival Association, and Secretary of the Pacific Coast Advertising Men's Association, and his experience will make his work effective. The greatest success has attended the

Oregon Development League meetings throughout the Eastern part of the State. La Grande raised \$3500 in a few minutes, besides adding greatly to the membership of its Commercial Club—they will complete a fund of \$6000. Elgin business men subscribed \$600 to advertise their city; The Dalles will continue their publicity work on an even more liberal scale than heretofore. Baker City is alive to the value of similar work.

Headquarters of the Rose Festival Association looks like an immense Valentine Shop now-a-days. Thousands of beautifully engraved invitations are being sent out in rose garlanded envelopes—poem poems in accord with the occasion. "The queen of flowers will have a perfumed whisper of welcome for you, and her sweet hospilities humored for your tarrying" closes the message.

The scope of the excursion party which will visit Lewiston-Clarkston on May 1st has been widened to include various Oregon cities. President J. H. Albert, of the Capital National Bank at Salem, President E. W. Langdon, of the Albany Commercial Club, and President George H. George, of the Astoria National Bank, will be of the party. A ladies' auxiliary will provide for the special entertainment of the feminine visitors.

**A Californian's Luck**  
"The luckiest day of my life was when I bought a box of Bucklin's Arnica Salve;" writes Charles F. Budahn, of Tracy, Cal. "Two 25c. boxes cured me of an annoying case of itching piles, which had troubled me for years and that yielded to no other treatment." Sold under guarantee by Scappoose, Houlton, Warran and Deer Island dealers.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

In the matter of the estate of Charles English, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been duly appointed Executors of said estate by order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Columbia and have duly qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby requested to present the same to said Executors at the office of the County Clerk for said Columbia County, Oregon, in St. Helens, Oregon, with proper vouchers and duly verified as required by law, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated and first published hereof February 7th 1908.

DAVID B. ENGLISH,  
JOHN A. ENGLISH,  
Executors of said Estate

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The undersigned was by an order duly made and entered in the County Court of Columbia County, State of Oregon, on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1908 appointed administratrix of the estate of Frank Payne, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same properly verified, to me at my residence near Scappoose in said county and State, within six months from the first publication hereof.

ANNIE PAYNE,  
Administratrix of the estate of Frank Payne, deceased,  
First publication March 27th 1908.

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**SUMMONS**

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Columbia.

Alice B. Sharp plaintiff vs.  
Earnest D. Sharp defendant.

To Earnest D. Sharp: You are summoned to appear in person or by attorney at the Court of the County of Columbia, Oregon, in St. Helens, Oregon, on the 15th day of January, 1908, and there to answer for and defend the Plaintiff's petition for divorce from the Defendant and to such other and further relief as the Court may see meet and equitable.

This summons is published by order of Hon. Thos. A. McBride, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County, and said order was made and entered on the 15th day of January, 1908, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 24th day of January, 1908.

H. S. FAGUE,  
Attorney for Plaintiff

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**NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT**

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned as executor of the estate of James Muckle, Sr. deceased, that he has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County the final account of his administration upon said estate, together with his final report and petition for distribution thereof, and that the Hon. R. S. Hattan, Judge of said court, has appointed the 15th day of May, 1908 at one o'clock in the afternoon thereof, as the time, and the courtroom of said court in St. Helens, Oregon as the place, for the hearing and settlement of said account, report and petition, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections in writing to the same or any part thereof. JAMES MUCKLE, JR., Executor.

**Notice to Bidders**

Plans and specifications for special road work in road district No. 5 will be found at the Mayger postoffice, DeLong postoffice, and with Ira Parcher, and at the Hudson postoffice

R. S. HATTAN,  
County Judge