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AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JANUARY 26 1907

PAYABLE STOCK \$60,000.00

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Capital Stock \$87,126.61	Capital Stock \$60,000.00
Reserves and Discounts 8000.00	Earnings - Discount and Exchange 55.68
Loans and Stocks 3791.15	Interest 1673.21
Real Estate 2728.50	Deposits 66153.76
Real Estate Int. paid 130.11	
Real Estate 1250.00	
Real Estate in banks 27856.28	
\$127882.65	\$127882.65

OFFICERS
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It looks as, tho the Bartlett-Gardiner case will now be tried at this term of court.

A Portland woman carries the ashes of her husband around with her in a bag, thus being always able to know where he is nights.—Exchange.

Times are pretty good when a great railroad company like the O. R. & N. gets completely snowed under with its business—as has been the case most of this winter.—Tribune.

Senator Bailey of Texas has been exonerated by his legislature. Nothing else could be expected. Few individuals or organizations like to take back track on their former acts.

This city election may yet warm up to the point where the voters may have some amusement and possibly some instruction regarding the city's financial condition and future policies now under consideration.

The legislature having given railway conductors and engineers the powers of deputy sheriffs, hoboes, holdup men and all sorts of lawless persons are now supposed to take notice and steer clear of the trains in the future.

In times past the city has in a feeble manner attempted to have the Standard Oil Company's storage tank in this city removed. Such large quantities of oil which is constantly stored there is a menace to the safety of our citizens and property and should be removed.

According to Lincoln Steffens this would be the one country of all the earth if we devoted ourselves to patriotism with the same zeal we devote ourselves to sin. It would be interesting to know just what busy community Mr. Steffens has been visiting.

Our contractors are all busy looking up the markets and condition for the rapid assembling of construction material. This is to a record building season in La Grande and they are preparing themselves for the demand that will be made upon them just as soon as spring opens and construction work can be commenced

J. J. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway, has recently brought a hundred or more Southern negroes to Washington and installed them as section crews along the line of road. It would appear that this might be a way to settle the labor question. The negro is here to stay; he belongs here, and hardly any laboring man has aught to say against him. By supplanting Japanese and coolie laborers with the big, burly, colored man, we believe the trouble of Asiatic immigration would adjust itself. The people are interested in Mr. Hill's experiment with the colored laborer, and hope it will be successful.—Roseburg News.

A correspondent from Creswell complains bitterly that the S. P. Company has supplanted white men on the section by Japs. Other localities are having the same experience, which fact does not increase the railroads' popularity nor cause the white men to love the Japs more. A significant feature of the company's action in the labor situation, is the fact that on the more dangerous mountain sections, where extreme carefulness is necessary to insure safety to the traveling public, white men are retained, and to this time no notice of wage reduction has been received. This fact seems to demonstrate that the S. P. Company has little faith in the work performed by Japanese.



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