OREGON REVIEW.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 1892.

IN A MUDDLE AGAIN.

Work on the locks at the Cascades is to be temporarily suspended, pending instructions from the east in regard to the course to be pursued in regard to proceeding under the contract clause in the river and harbor bill. There has been no one at work there for some time, except a gang of stone-cutters, and the old appropriation is about exhausted. A clause in the new river and harbor bill provides in regard to the Cascades locks, "that contracts may be entered into by the secretary of war for such materials and work as may be necessary to complete the present project, to be paid for as appropriations may from time to time be made by law, not to exceed in the aggregate $1,419,278, exclusive of the amount herein and heretofore appropriated." There are several different views of the scope and meaning of the clause, and Major Handbury will await definite instructions in regard to the matter, as to whether the work is to be let as a whole and completed in a certain time, or whether work is to be done only in proportion to the amount of appropriations made from time to time, or whether contracts can be made for the completion of parts or classes of the work, and whether these contracts are to be made now or not until funds are provided, and the necessity for each class of work arrives.—*Oregonian.*

This begins to look as if the hope of the people of the Inland Empire for an open river to the sea was to be blighted, or at least that several years may be required before the government can determine just what is to be done before a contract will or can be let. It is certainly an unfortunate affair to have work on this great and much needed public improvement suspended for even a day. And it is disheartening to think that the men who framed and passed the river and harbor bill did not know enough to plainly state the facts so that the secretary of war and his "able" corps of engineers could understand the meaning of the appropriation and the provisions for letting the work by contract. There have been so many hitches about the improvements at the Cascades that people generally have for a long time been thinking that there was a "nigger in the woodpile" somewhere, and that some of the so-called friends of opening the river are insincere, and are not working for the removing of the obstructions to navigation of the river, but to detain the work as much as possible, and thereby advance the interests of the railroad company which now almost has a monopoly of the carrying trade down the Columbia.

The Oregon Pacific Railway Company was incorporated July 30 by William M. Hoag, Wallis Nash, B. W. Wilson, Z. Job and Abram Hackleman, with a capital stock of $18,000,000. The object is to build and maintain telegraph, telephone or phonophone lines from Yaquina bay to a point on the eastern boundary of the state with the right to extend it to Boise City, Idaho; to build and operate all kinds of water craft; the terminus of the main line of said railroad within the state of Oregon shall be at tide water on Yaquina bay, in Benton county, and at a point on the eastern boundary line of said state; the terminus of said navigation lines shall be Yaquina bay and San Francisco, the mouth of the Columbia river and San Francisco, Portland and San Francisco, ports on Puget Sound and San Francisco, the headwaters of the Columbia and the mouth of the same, the head waters of the Snake river and the mouth of the Columbia, and Yaquina bay and such foreign and domestic ports as the corporation may desire to reach. The principal office will be at Corvallis. Wonder when they will build into Crook. Judging from the past we may expect to see them most any day.

This session of congress, although it has been called inactive, has transacted some business. The house passed 475 bills, of which 284 were passed by the senate and sent to the president. The senate passed 631 bills, only 113 of which ran the gauntlet of the house and reaching the president.

SUNDAY CLOSING OF THE FAIR.

The Des Moines, Ia., *Register* makes the following pertinent and well timed remarks upon the Sunday closing of the World's Fair:

"If Christ were living on earth today he would have another opportunity to rebuke the scribes and pharisees and hypocrites who are so much concerned about a day that they have lost sight of the spirit of the Christian religion. In clamoring for a puritan Sabbath, established and enforced by law, this minority forget that this is not a puritan country—that it is a country where religion is free, and where no laws, under the constitution, can be passed as to man's religion or religious observances. But if the majority of the people have been defeated in their wishes for a liberal policy at Chicago, the minority will have the thanks of the saloon keepers and the keepers and inmates of all the bawdy houses in that city. An open promenade at the World's Fair grounds would have meant the loss of a great deal of business for these disreputable places. The masses on the first day of the week can sit in their hotels and look at the pavements below or sit on the pavement below and look up. They can look up and down the street and all around them, but to look on this first day at the wonders of human skill and industry which will be collected at the World's Fair would be a sin, a great national sin, for which heaven might be expected to take summary vengeance. The preachers and the saloon-keepers and the bawdy-house-keepers will all rejoice that the fair is to be closed Sunday, even if they will not rejoice on each other's necks. The laboring men of Chicago and the surrounding country who work from dewy morn till twilight's gloom six days in the week, the seventh can contemplate the cobblestones at their feet. They can go to church or to the saloons that keep open Sunday! To walk through grounds beautified by the skill of man, to contemplate the progress that has been made by the human family since the fragile bark of the great discoverer touched the sacred shores of San Salvador would profane Sunday! Let the laboring man leave his wife at home to brood over her cares and troubles, let his children be huddled up in the streets and alleys, let he himself go wherever fancy may lead him—the saloon, if no other place is open. For this man and his wife to walk arm in arm, with their children trooping behind them, among the wonders of the World's Fair has been decreed a crime by the Sabbatarian minority! What if these poor people live on in deeper ignorance, and their manhood and womanhood decays in narrow homes—the Sabbath has at least been kept! If the *Register* was the World's Fair it would this day reject the appropriation made by the government rather than yield to the dictates of those who believe in a law-made morality and a law-made religion."

There is no immediate prospect of the settlement of the strike at Homestead, Pa., which has already cost considerable over $1,000,000. Every day the works are idle costs the Carnegie company $60,000. The militia has been under arms at a cost of $20,000 a day to the state. The cost to the company and to the state is piling up at the rate of $40,000 a day. In addition to all this the workmen lose money in wages. The destruction of property has been nominal, as the barges burned were inexpensive.

Drought sufferers from Mexico are coming into the United States in large numbers, and are offering to work for their board, or for 20 cents a day. It would look hard to exclude these starving people, but our own laborers cannot compete with those who are willing to work for these low wages, and their coming should be an incentive to congress to pass more stringent immigration laws. It would be better for the United States to contribute something toward the support of these starving Mexicans at present than to have them dumped into the country to forever compete with our wage earners.

The hanging of Private Iams by the thumbs at Homestead recently is liable to get Colonel Streator into considerable trouble. Iams will begin an action against him for damages, besides lodging criminal complaints charging him with assault and with barbarous treatment.

If the Pennsylvania militia would maintain its dignity and not have the stigma of being a relic of the dark ages, when men were put to torture for trivial offenses, every man in it should aid in prosecuting Streator, and also in seeing that he is drummed out of the service.

The notorious Chas. Wilson, the murderer of Maude Walsh, committed suicide in the Clackamas county jail last week by hanging himself. The carelessness of the authorities in this matter seem reprehensible in a great degree. An autopsy of Wilson's brain showed that the belief entertained by many as to his insanity was not wholly unfounded, as the examination of his brain showed that it was far from being in a normal condition.

An exchange says the celebrated Homestead mill owner pronounces his name Car-nay-gee. Events show that Mr. Carnegie should drop the "i" in his name and then its pronunciation—Carnage—would show what its owner produces.

It is stated that Pitsburg, Pinkerton and Protection make up the "three Ps" of the pending campaign.

—1851—

Report of the Condition

The First National Bank of Prineville, at Prineville, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, July 11, 1892.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$[illegible]
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	[illegible]
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	[illegible]
Other stocks, securities, etc.	[illegible]
Due from other National Banks	[illegible]
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers	[illegible]
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	[illegible]
Current expenses and taxes paid	[illegible]
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	[illegible]
Bills of other banks	[illegible]
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	[illegible]
Specie	[illegible]
Legal-tender notes	[illegible]
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$[illegible]
Surplus fund	[illegible]
Undivided profits	[illegible]
National bank notes outstanding	[illegible]
Individual deposits subject to check	[illegible]
Demand certificates of deposit	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

State of Oregon, County of Crook, ss.

I, F. M. Ward, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. M. WARD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1892.

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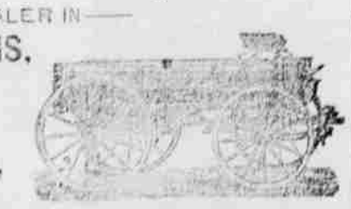

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SUMMONS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Crook County.

W. R. UREN and T. A. UREN, partners doing business under the firm name of UREN & SON, Plaintiffs,

vs.

JAMES DOBBS, Defendant.

To James Dobbs, the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action on or before the first Monday, the same being the 5th day of September, 1892, and being the first day of the next regular term of said court, to be holden at the courthouse in said county and state, and if you fail to appear, for want thereof, the plaintiffs will take judgment against you for the sum of $[illegible] with interest thereon at 8 per cent per annum from the 10th day of December, 1891, and for the costs and disbursements of this action.

This summons is served on you by publication thereof in the OREGON REVIEW, a weekly newspaper published at Prineville, in Crook county, by order of the Hon. J. C. Stearns, Judge of said court, said order bearing date July 20, 1892.

J. F. MOORE,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, THE DALLES, OREGON, July 16, 1892.

Notice is hereby given that JOHN N. WILLIAMS, N. [illegible], filed notice of intention to make final proof, to prove actual residence and cultivation of land, before Arthur Holden, County Clerk, at Prineville, Oregon, on August 2, 1892, viz:

[illegible]

W. J. Vandervort, Harry Harrington, W. T. Casey, all of Prineville, Oregon.

JOHN N. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OR., July 1, 1892.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Arthur Holden, County Clerk, at Prineville, Oregon, on August 2, 1892, viz:

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Stock Inspector's Notice.

The following named persons are appointed Deputy Stock Inspectors for Crook County, in the districts in which they reside, and are authorized to perform any and all duties pertaining to the office of Stock Inspector.

C. C. PERSON,
Stock Inspector for Crook Co., Or.

Name.	Post Office.
Knox Hudson,	Prineville.
E. Cyrus,	Haystack.
W. H. Gray,	Willow Creek.
J. P. Vandervort,	Hay Creek.
Lee Wood,	Upper Trout.
Newt Nunn,	Lower Trout.
Dan Haverty,	Sallmon.
John Lane,	Mitchell.
Ed. Herrell,	Summit.
Hugh Linsey,	Shearer.
W. R. Coleman,	Beaver.
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