MADRAS GREETS

President Stevens, of Oregon Trunk, and Party to See Last Spike Driven.

DREAM OF 50 YEARS TRUE

Epoch-Making Event in History of Oregon Railroading Made Today When Officials Arrive in City of Madras.

MADRAS, Or., Feb. 14 .- (Special.)-Hill is about to win the race with Harriman into Madras, for this afternoon at 3:30 e'clock the last spike of the Oregon Trunk will be driven then. The track is laid but one mile outside of the city touight. Madras is ready to realize a dream of years and to welcome the finest of Valentine day welcome the finest of Valentine day gifts, a raffrond, an outlet and inlet to

he world. President John F. Stevens, of the Ore-President John F. Stevens, of the Oregen Trank Line, is specifing by special train to perform what is regarded as one of the most important events in the history of Western railroading, in that he will be the first man to ride upon either a passenger or freight train entering the plains of Central Oregon. When he does so, the dream of 50 years by the people of Central Oregon will become a reality.

"My trip," said Mr. Stevens en route, "is due to the insistence of the people of Madras, who are anxious that we be represented there. It brings to mind a number of pleasant recollections it is only two years ago that I traveled down over the route to least the line. Today we are

route to locate the line. Today we are going to ride by rall upon the first level land the road strikes after it emerges from that canyon of 110 miles. It is important, whether on the part of the per-per and the part of the per-ple who are going to welcome us or on the part of the rafiroid builder who laves to see his work completed."

Madras All Ready.

Madras will turn out en masse to welcome the first train. There will be a come the first train. There will be a programms of congratulation and repositing, conducted by the Madras Commercial Club, which has also planned a barbecue to aid the celebration.

Speeches are to be made by President Halmer, of the Madras Commercial Club, and Mayor Turner, and a reply will be delivered by Mr. Stevens on
behalf of the Oregon Trunk Hallway behalf of the Oregon Trunk Railway

The membership of the party engaged in making the trip here as guests of Mr. Stevena consists of Harvey Beckwith, pensident of the Fortland Commercial Club; C. C. Chapman, secretary of the Oregon Development League; H. M. Haller, president of the Fortland Chamber of Commerce; A. E. Coman, general freight and passenger agent of the Oregon Trunk; J. R. Russell, general superintendent of the Spokane, Fostland & Seattle; J. P. Rogen, division superintendent of the Southern Pacific; S. Rabh Budd, chief engineer of the Oregon Trunk; J. C. Baxter, assistant chief engineer of the Oregon Trunk; W. C. Wilkes, assistant general freight agent of the Oregon Trunk; A. E. Buchanan, with The Oregonian, and W. P. Strandborg, with the Telegram.

Harriman to Build to Bend. The mombership of the party engaged

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The Harriman line officials, who arrived here yesterday from Portland, passed today at Bend, where it was announced for the first time that the Harriman road during 1911 would extend its line to that city, passing through here, and to beyond Redmond, which has been the projected terminus up to this time. This means the opening up of richest of countries to two railroads, but it will not be a fight between the two, for it is further announced that Ilil will permit the Harriman line to use the Oregon Trunk tracks until such time as the read can construct its own road, survey for uct lis own road, survey for already has been practically

Following the trip to Bend, the Harriman officials returned north, stop-ping at Redmond over tonight. At Redmond the citizens turned out to greet the railroad men, the Commercial Club being host at an enjoyable luncheon and entertainment in the natur of a smoker, a band concert being no the least of the features of the programme. The people here are jubilant that the road has decided to extend its line to Bend, as it will give an out-let south as well as north and will mean great material benefit.

Celebration Today Greatest Ever.

Preparations for the entertainment here comorrow for the Hill and Harriman officials have been going on apace today and everything is in readiness for the greatest celebration, the like of which Central Oregon has never before seen, a celebration for which the pioneer of 50 years has long been smalling nationals. awaiting patiently.
Several of the finest beeves procur-

able in this part of the country have been killed for the barbecue, which will close the day of rejoicing after the last spike in the Oregon Trunk road is driven. It is planned to have President Stevens drive this spike.

The Commercial Club is planning a

big get-together smoker in the even-ing following the barbecue, invitatious to which have been sent to represen-tative citizens throughout this part of the country:

STOLEN TREES RECOVERED

Laborer Says He Carried Them for Other; Is Himself Jailed.

When an affable stranger, apparently the worse for liquor, select Tom Mo-Grath, a laborer 54 years of age, if he would like to earn a dollar by carry-ing a couple of small evergreen trees

Goodyear Raincoat Co.

Must Vacate 302

The Largest and Finest Stock of Water-Proof Garments in the World

Is now being disposed of at FORCED SALE. The building is coming down to make room for a large department store to be occupied by Lipman, Wolfe & Co. Over \$27,750 worth of Raincoats, Cravenettes and Silk Rubberized Coats

No Goods Sent on Approval No Mail Orders

and all sorts of Waterproof Overcoats and Rubber Coats for Men, Women and Children at 35c on the Dollar

The Entire Stock Has Been Divided Into Fourteen Lots, as Follows:

Plenty of Experienced Salespeople Here

Ladies' \$17.00 Cravenettes-About 150 in this lot; some are slightly soiled through careless handling, but are perfect in all the other respects that are vital. We've marked them for quick selling at the ridiculously low price of

Men's \$27.50 Elegant Waterproof Fall Overcoats-Fashionably tailored, newest and most exclusive fabric effects. Garments that show the touch of master craftsmen in every line and stitch. You can buy one now at the extremely low

Ladies' Cravenettes-Between 175 and 200 odd garments; most of these are salesmen's Spring samples; some very expensive coats are included. The values easily average \$15.00. All to go at only

Men's \$25 Stylish Cravenettes, tailored of those well-wearing, closely woven, hard-finished fabries. Come in very attractive diagonal stripes and plain patterns and weaves. Cut in the very swagger and up-to-date military models. You can buy one of these garments now at

This lot consists of 125 Boys' Tan Rubber Coats and Cravenettes. They are very neatly tailored throughout, and are made to withstand the sort of wear a healthy, rollicking boy is sure to give them. Values from \$15.00 to \$5.00 on

Ladies' Imported Rubberized Mohairs, Silks and Moires, in stripes, checks and plain colors; all fitted and loose effects. All these garments were made to sell at

Between 80 and 90 Elegant Rubberized Silk, Worsted and Moire Coats, made to sell at \$35.00 this Pall. Included are all the newest ideas in diagonals, stripes, novelty effects and the dull shades in solid color. These garments are hand finished throughout and are guaranteed absolutely waterproof. Collar, sleeves and fronts conform to latest Fall 1910 styles. Choice of them at

Women's \$45.00 Waterproof Evening and Opera Coats, beautiful new effects in light and dull tans, blues and browns, including elegant watered silk effects and many exclusive and rich designs and materials. No two alike; all designed after Paris models, magnificently finished, some elaborately trimmed.

Men's \$20.00 Rubberized Automobile Coats and Slip-Ons-These are the very latest fad; come in several handsome shades, very light material-the very thing for auto use, as protection against sudden showers. You can buy one of these extremely useful garments at only

Worsted and Cravenetted Capes for Girls, ages 4 to 14; stylishly made in every detail from dependable materials. The sort of garment that will surely appeal to girls. Values from \$15.00 to \$4.75

Men's \$20.00 Raincoats-These coats for men are made of the best materials, are exceedingly well tailored and have good lining. They are exceptional garments in every way, and are certainly a great big

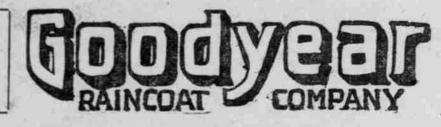
Men's \$45.00 Genuine Imported Slip-Ons and Cravenettes-Seams are cemented throughout, all neatly tailored along the latest fashionable line of cut and style, all in all, the handsomest and most swagger garments you ever saw. Go on sale

Men's \$30.00 Genuine Priestley Cravenettes and Gabardines-Genuine Priestley cloth, splendid variety of newest materials, custom tailored according to fashion's latest dictation, Venetian and silk linings, 52 inches long, military collars, new shoulders, double-stitched seams, choice of grays, blacks, browns, diagonals, plain and stripe effects. Choice at

Ladies' \$18.00 Fall Outing Coats-Light, medium and heavyweight Outing, Auto and Traveling Coats, several different

Notice: Take Advantage of This Sale—The Most Reliable Garments in the World—Come While Stock Is Complete

Washington St.



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ASSETS ARE LISTED

Vancouver Depositors' Committee Is Encouraged.

BANK HAS MUCH PROPERTY

Valuations Are Made by State Examiner Mohundro-Security 1s Given for Personal Liability of Stockholders.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Feb. 16 -- (Spe cial.)-The committee appointed by the cial Bank of Varicouver, which closed its doors in December, held a second meet ing today and made a written report for publication. In the report it is said that the information contained is furnished by Mr. Mohundro, but that he made no exhibit of any assets referred to and the committee has only his state-ment on which to rely. However, the committee suggests "that people having deposits in the bank be not too hasty to

Stapleton, chairman; H. B. Steel, secretary, and Mrs. J. D. Mayer, Captain Airred Aloe, J. C. Wyatt, Major Jere B. Clayton and Joseph R. Harvey, is making further investigation into the assets thated and will likely be able to make a further report at an early date.

List of Assets Given.

When an affable stranger, apparently the worse for input, saked Tom Mocord Grath, a faborer 16 years of age, if he would like to earn a doilar by carrying a couple of amail evergreen trees to the rariine, a block or so away. Tom readily consented. This is McGrath's story. He is now in jail charged with larceny, as the trees had been stolen from the nursery of I. B. Pilkington.

Special Officer J. Kniepel saw the mean passing the Lenox Hotel with the trees and curmited that they had been stolen. He gave chase to the neumbrance, 2500.

Kunta Would Divorce Wife.

OREGON CITY, Or., Feb. 14.—(Special)—John J. Kuniz, who was married in St. Joseph, Mo. April 16, 1888, today field suit for divorce against Louise M. Kuniz, who was married for St. Joseph, Mo. April 16, 1888, today field suit for divorce against Louise M. Kuniz, who was married to the state of land, three miles northwest of the suit that was filed today by William Scolded and Wilfred him hefore their five children, ranging from 5 to 22 years of age. In 1809, while they were living at Jefferson, Or., ahe took polson in a flat of temper, but was not successful in taking her own life.

Long since confident the dog had been stolen Mr. Hall resigned himself to fate, but casually reading a Chicast place to the reputed owner in the content of the sample at the other of the attention of Tenth and the suit of the treries and them stolen Mr. To write to the reputed owner in the content of Tenth and the sample at the decrease of the farmer streets; content of Tenth and the same three at a south for fate at the few accumbrance, 2500.

As security the bank holds the followting man who, according to McGrath, at life M. Acre miles northwest of the first hubband's debts, as is evidenced in the suit that was filed today by William of Portland near Newberg, or, valued at 18000, with an outper by the sample of the suit has a possible to J. Bichner & Son, or and the sample the note and the suit that was filed today by will the possible to J. Bichner & Son, or an accordin

in Morrow County, Oregon, wheat land, all in cultivation, equity valued at \$500: 400 acres of timber land in Clackamas and Lane counties, Oregon, estimated 29,000,000 feet, estimated value of equity, \$15,000 to \$20,000; \$20 acres of timber land in Jackson County, Oregon; four or five lots in Portland, sold for also; Toppenish Livestock Company, corporation stock, publishers Say Advertising \$16,500, estimated at par; \$60,000 bricks, at \$8.50 per 1000; notes with personal security

Assessment Liabilities Secured. Stockholders liable for assessment on stock have secured their liabilities as follows: H. C. Phillips, president, liability, \$12.50, secured by the Phillips residence at the corner of Twelfth and East B streets; A. J. Cook, liability, \$440, secured by the Cook tract, between Sixteenth and Nineteenth attention and Nineteenth attention. teenth and Nineteenth streets; Gilbert Danlels and Mrs. Danlels, hts mother, liability, \$1900, personal security; A. L. Miller, liability. \$2500, secured by morigage assignment. The rest of the stock liability is on Army officers, who are in the Phillippine Islands and their assessment.

ment is good.

The estimates of values were made by J. L. Mohundro, the State Bank Exam-iner. The committee has made no exismates. The committee showing made. The committee is encouraged by

FAMOUS DOG, LOST, FOUND

Picture in Chicago Paper Reveals Oregon Canine's New Home.

LA GRANDE Or. Feb. 14.—(Special.)
—Pletures of prize-winning dogs in a big Chicago bench show recently, led to the safe return to Dr. M. K. Hall, of this city, of a valuable Boston ter-rier which was stolen from him a year or more ago. Before disappearing from or more ago. Before disappearing from
La Grande the canine had won many
blue ribbons in Portland and other
Coast dog shows and had attached to
it special value. It was perhaps the
finest snimal of its kind in the state,
if not the Northwest.
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FACTS ARE IGNORED

Brings Postal Revenue.

FINAL PROFIT IS SMALL

Magazine Men Reply to Hitchcock Saying They Clear Only Tenth of Advertising Income, Rest the Philippine Islands, and their assess-Being Gift to Readers.

> WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The reply of the Periodical Publishers' Association to the statement of Postmaster-General Hitchcock yesterday in support of his proposal to increase the postage on the advertising portions of the large magazines, was made tonight in the form of a statement by the postal committee of the

association.

"Mr. Hitchcock entirely ignores," the committee says, "the fact that second-class mail is the chief producer of the first-class postage that finally saves the face of Postoffice balance sheets."

The publishers show advertisements on which the Postoffice Department had made 144 per cent profit from carrying magazine advertisements.

Cost Double Subscription Price. "Mr. Hitchcock instances one magazine, and perhaps the most profitable periodical in the country, to show that

this periodical's recent increase in advertising rates resulted in a profit of \$3917,198, or enough to pay its postage bill. The absurdity of this sort of long distance accounting is obvious when it is explained that the American magatine costs to edit manufacture deliver. costs to edit. manufacture, deliver.

and administer nearly twice as much as the publisher nearly twice as much as the publisher nets from subscriptions.

The difference made up from advertising is given to the subscriber in his opportunity to purchase a much better article than his subscription price alone will produce. The postal committee of the Periodical Publishers' Association has obtained the exact formuch. has obtained the exact figures from the ard monthly magnitudes which carried the most advertising in 1909.

Render Gets 90 Per Cent.

The aggregate final net profits of "The aggregate final net profits of these five magazines are less than one-tenth of the aggregate advertising income. The reader gets the balance.

"On Mr. Hitchcock's own figures in his statement showing that the proposed postal change would mean only I cents a pound postage on the whole magazine, though as the bill stands it would mean more, it is easily calculated that the proposed increase would raise magazine, though as the bill stands it would mean more, it is easily calculated that the proposed increase would raise guage recently was issued.

less than \$2,500,000 for the Postoffice Department, from which must be subtracted the great new expense of admin-istering this complex and discrimina-

ory measure. President Taft emphasized to visitors today his own position in favor of maga-zine postage increase, and said if the increase was not made by the present Con-gress he would continue to recommend such action as long as he continued President.

He took occasion to deny published statements that he was opposed to mag-agines, either because of the so-called "muckraking" propensities of some or because of attacks made upon him, upon because of attacks made upon him, upon the Republican party, or upon anybody

else.

His sole object, according to his de-claration, was his destre to save the Postoffice Department from being run as "a losing proposition."

According to a statement made at the White House today, Attorney-General Wickersham informed the President that United States District Attorney Wise, of New York, was gathering information for the grand jury regarding the alleged existence of a "magazine trust" in New

York City.

CONTEST GROWS BITTER Estate of F. A. Williamson Reaches

Annullment Stage.

OREGON CITY, Or., Feb. 14.—(Special.)—Following the suit of the State of Oregon, through Frank Hesse, special counsel appointed by Governor West to bring proceedings to escheat the money of the estate of F. A. Williemson to the state, application for a writ of review was made today by Fred Hargreaves, administrator of the estate of Bernhardt Haist, who said the body of the man found three years ago near Oswego was that of his ago near Oswego was that of his brother, Christian Haist. Mrs. Effle B. Robinson, administra-

trix of the estate of Williamson, is made defendant in the suit filed today, as is W. L. Mulvey, who, as County Clerk, is custodian of the records in whose pockets contained \$560 in geld, has never been proved to the satisfaction of all concerned, though Mrs. Robinson has all along contended that the dead man was her father, F. A. Williamson, and Haist, now dead, says the body was that of his brother.

Ex-County Judge Dimick, after hearing the evidence in the case, threw both claimants out of court and several weeks ago County Judge Beatis reversed Dimick's decision and ordered the money paid over to Mrs. Robinson, who again qualified as administratrix. Hargreaves centends that the County Court can only be reviewed either by a writ of review or by appeal, and that decrees of the County Court can only be set aside for frawd or collusion. He charges that Judge Beatie passed on charges that Judge Beatle passed on the facts in the case, without being acquainted with them, and he asks that Mrs. Robinson be required to re-turn the money to the County Treas-

EUGENE HITS COUNCIL

ACTION ON COMMISSION CHAR-TER ROUNDLY SCORED.

Mass Meeting of Citizens Adopts Platform Before Approaching City Election in April.

EUGENE, Or., Feb. 14 .- (Special.)-At a well-attended mass meeting held in the County Courthouse yesterday, the present City Council was roundly scored for its recent action in regard to the commission charter, which had een submitted to them and pigeonbeen submitted to them and pigeon-holed, and a platform was adopted for the campaign before the approaching city election, the avowed purpose of which is the election of a Mayor and four Councilmen who are piedged to submission to the people of a commis-sion charter. Attorney S. D. Allen was the presiding officer, and Prof. F. G. Young, of the University of Oregon, offered the resolution which was the offered the resolution which was the basis of the platform. Judge E. O. Potter moved that a com-

mittee of 15—three members from each ward, and three members at large— be appointed for the purpose of selecting at least two candidates for each office to be filled at the coming city election, and presenting their names at a called mass meeting. The general committee was appointed at once, and was composed of F. M. Wilkins, Prof. Joseph Schafer, of the University of Oregon, and W. C. Yoran. It was moved by Prof. E. E. DeCou. of the University, that the remainder of the committee be selected from their respective wards, and that they issue a call for a subsequent mass Last night's meeting was the open-

ing of the second round in the fight between the people and the City Councll for commission form of govern-ment. The first clash was a warm one, and resulted in victory for the Council. Over a month ago, in response to an urgent demand, the present ad-ministration agreed to submit a commission charter, and a mass meeting was called to consider the question. Sentiment at this meeting was overwhelmingly in favor of commission form, and a committee was selected to draft a charter. This committee brought in its work two days before the final date at which it could be ratified by the City Council, and that hoofy refused to consider it on the pleabody refused to consider it on the plea that it had not been ratified at a mass meeting of the people.

A vote on the proposed charter was taken at a previous mass meeting, and the result was 150 to 4 in favor of its submission by the Council. This result was hurried to the Council chambers, but that body had just adjourned, and refused to reconvene for business Heated recriminations ensued through the local press, and the question has aroused intense interest. form of government is to be the issue of the coming city election in Apri and a warm campaign is already under

Rogue River Fruit Men Make Money

MEDFORD, Or., Feb. 14.-(Special.)-That the Rogue River Fruit and Produce Association, an organ zation composed of the orchardists in the Valley, had netted \$550.27 during this, the first year of its existence, was the gratifying report made by the treasurer at the annual meeting of stockholders held here today. According to the report submitted dur-ing 1910 there were 507 cars of fruit shipped from the Valley, of which 315 cars were shipped by the association. A greater part of the individual cars shipped contained peaches, so that over 67 per cent of the apples and pears were shipped by the organization

It is estimated that 25,000 sables are caught annually in Russia. The skins are disposed of mainly in the London market.

The highest type of happiness is reached by having children in the home; but the coming of the little ones is often attended with apprehension and dread. Mother's Friend if used by the expectant mother in

preparation of the ordeal, carries her through the crisis with safety. This great remedy assists nature in all necessary physical changes of the system, affords bodily comfort during the period of waiting, and preserves the symetry of form after baby comes. The penetrating and soothing qualities of Mother's Friend allays nausea, prevents caking of the breasts, and in every way contributes to strong, healthy,

motherhood. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for our free book containing valuable information for exurer. Mr. Hargreaves seeks to have the order of Judge Beatle annulled, pectant mothers.

THE BRADFIELD CO., Atlanta, Ga.