The Democrat.

Let the senatorial caucuses go

Now, some one says Senator Mitchell doesn't care.

There are 45 states. Oklahoma will probably be No. 46.

The senators are now taking their turn at working for nothing.

The pulling and hauling at Salem continues.

Mitchell vs Simon or Simon vs Mitchell, whichever way you please, there's the rub.

Both senators and representatives receive $5,000; members of the president's cabinet $8,000.

It is settled. The Oregonian says emphatically that Mr. Mitchell is not a republican. Now Mr. Mitchell what do you think about it.

Mr. Grover Cleveland intends to write a book. He will spend the remainder of his life in privacy. He certainly is able to do so, it is said having made considerable in Wall Street speculation.

There is yet time for the state legislature to drop the senatorial quarrel and do some business. There are a number of things that ought to be done, and certainly there should be an effort in the line of doing them.

Dr Steinitz, the great chess player, has gone at least partially crazy. The intricacies of the game are enough to turn ones head. At the same time it is doubtful if chess itself ever affects any one. On the contrary it should be a good drill for the mind.

We need a few George Washingtons nowadays, men really patriotic, not merely politically patriotic, men who can rise to the height necessary to meet the emergency and battle for the good of our government and not merely for the good of themselves. Now it seems to be a mad rush after spoils.

An unusual incident occurred near Fossil the other day. Beaber and French sawed a tree measuring 13 feet, in diameter, and though they sawed until the teeth of the saw came through on the opposite side, the tree was free from all support, though they pried and chopped and wondered and talked, still that tree stood there, and still the saw remained pinched. At last they were obliged to go home, leaving the tree standing on its stump. Next day the tree was down. It had apparently sprung or slid from its stump, striking perpendicularly in the sandy soil at first, making a hole five feet deep and as far across.

The pastor of the People's church in Kalamazoo, Mich, is a woman, Miss Caroline J Bartlett. Miss Bartlett has been looking forward to this profession ever since she was 16 years of age, but owing to the opposition of her family, the realization of her wish was deferred for some years. She took up journalism in the meantime, and twice occupied the place of city editor. When she took the church in Kalamazoo it was a small and insignificant one, but the congregation increased so rapidly under her charge that a new edifice had soon to be built. It is a "seven day church," Miss Bartlett says, with a free kindergarten, classes of all kinds, and clubs for young men and women.

Another new woman has been heard from. She is at Butte Montana:

About two-thirds of the way across the flat east of the city a woman, Mrs M E Fritz, is engaged in sinking a shaft on a claim known as the California. She is performing the work herself, and, in addition to this, she splits her own cordwood, takes care of the horses, attends to her household duties and spanks the children herself. The shaft on the claim is now down about 10 feet and is still going. Although working to a disadvantage (she fills the bucket and then climbs up the ladder and takes a turn at the windlass) she is making good headway, and finds encouragement in the fact that she has struck a streak of goldbearing ore which assays well. Mrs Fritz is the widow of the late William Fritz, and prior to taking up her residence on the flat occupied her own house west of Missouri gulch.

Gems.

The lives of some people are open books: the lives of others blank books. —Selected.

The greatest difficulties lie where we are not looking for them.—Goethe.

We never realize how much we are capable of enduring until the test comes. —Selected.

Education is the knowledge of how to use the whole of oneself. Men are often like knives with many blades; they know how to open one and only one; all the rest are buried in the handle, and they are no better than they would have been if they had been made with one blade. Many men use but one or two faculties out of the score with which they are endowed. A man is educated who knows how to make a tool of every faculty—how to open it, how to keep it sharp, and how to apply it to all practical purposes.—Beecher.

We could all be great men if we could be measured by the great things we intend to do tomorrow.—Selected.

Great parties represent in their beginning great principles; in their old age great prejudices.—Ignatius Donnelly.

How much you readers of less consequence than how much you think about what you have read.—Selected.

Governments, like clocks, go from the motion men give them; and as governments are made and moved by men, so by them they are ruined, too. Wherefore governments rather depend upon men, than men upon governments. Let men be good, and the government cannot be bad; if it be ill, they will cure it. But if men be bad, let the government be ever so good, they will endeavor to warp and spoil it to their turn. That therefore, which makes a good constitution, must keep it, viz: men of wisdom and virtue, qualities that, because they descend not with worldly inheritances, must be carefully propagated by a virtuous education of youth; for which after years will owe more to the care and prudence of founders, and the successive magistracy, than to their parents, for their private patrimonies.—William Penn.

The most civilized nations are as near barbarity as the most polished steele is to rust. Nations, like metals, are only polished on the surface.—Rivarol.

The public are invited to call and inspect our new store in the Bank of Oregon building, next to Foshay & Mason's drug store.
F M FRENCH, jeweler.

Most Important Cabinet Office.

The most important cabinet office in the opinion of the DEMOCRAT is that of attorney general, though not generally considered such. The prosecution of trusts is the greatest and most important movement that can be taken. There is a crying demand that the trusts shall be put down. They are a menace to public weltare. With their powers it is impossible for a small concern to exist. They centralize wealth, foster stock watering, which is no better than highway robbery, and greedily grasp every thing in sight. The Standard oil trust is making the people pay nearly double what they should for oil and is pouring millions into the pockets of its members annually; the sugar trust saves for its few members $20,000,000 annually, and the people all the time foot the bills. All the time the government has a strict law against their existence. The enforcement of it is in the hands of the attorney general, and no cabinet officer today has a duty compared with this in importance, no matter what might be the case were there war, or likelihood of war. Now this is of all questions the most important one before the United States as a nation and in a general, political sense. Olney has been unfaithful to his duty, but faithful to the trusts. The attorney general should be a man of fearless character, incorruptible, if it is possible to find such a man, one in whose eyes millions would have no influence for doing wrong, for a million dollars would be a small matter with a trust making $20,000,000 a year, and there are several doing that or nearly that. There are other serious questions, but just now how great is the need for a decided check to the greed that is robbing the common people for the benefit of a few, and how crying is the demand for an attorney general who will unflinchingly do his duty and with his last drop of blood fight these great octopuses that are reaching out and gathering every thing in, while the masses sweat and ache for a few paltry dollars a year. Isn't it necessary that something shall be done in the interest of the people and against the interests of the grasping, greedy, selfish few.

But after all, what could an attorney general do unless backed by the president. The president has shown no tangible signs yet that he will name an attorney general who will fight the trusts. Will he?

But the people are getting their eyes open.

Some Examples.

The following are some of the interesting examples given the teachers in the recent examination:

MENTAL ARITHMETIC.

1 A steamboat whose rate of sailing was 16 miles an hour, sails up a river whose current is five miles an hour, and is gone 21 hours and 20 minutes. How far did the boat go?

2 A, B and C can do a piece of work in 24 days; ⅔ of what A does equals ¾ of what B does, and ⅖ of what C does; in what time, at this rate, can each do it?

3 A, B and C eat 126 plums, of which A owned 80 and B owned 46, and C contributed 36 cents; how much of the money oxght A and B to receive if A eats twice as many as B and B eat twice as many as C?

5 If I retail flour at a gain of 12½ per cent and sell at wholesale for 2 per cent less than retail, what is my gain per cent at wholesale?

WRITTEN ARITHMETIC.

3 Twelve credits. (a) Find the missing element or term in the following: The interest is $5.82½; the rate is 6 per cent; the principal $63; the time is ——? (b) The interest is $88.20; the rate 7 per cent; the time 3 years, 6 months; the principal is ——? (c) The principal is $940; the interest is $432.40; the time 7 years, 8 months; and the rate is ——?

4 Ten credits. The longitude of St Paul, Minn., is 95° 4 minutes 55 seconds west, and of Berlin is 13° 23 minutes, 45 seconds east; what is the difference of longitude? What is the difference in time? When it is twelve o'clock in St. Paul, what time is it in Berlin?

9 Ten credits. Seventy horses can eat a lot of grain in 72 days; in what time will 3 times as much grain be consumed, if 10 horses are added when the grain is ¾ eaten.

GEOGRAPHY.

1 With what subjects is geography correlated? Give illustrations and reasons.

7 "The proper teaching of geography presents the earth as the home of mankind." From this standpoint present for teaching Mississippi river, Merrimac, Hudson, Columbia, Rubicon, Willamette.

10 What has determined the location of the following cities: Chicago, Lowell, Pittsburg, Spokane, San Francisco.

UNITED STATES HISTORY.

8 What general commanded the union army at (a) Shiloh? (b) Antietam? (c) Gettysburg? (d) Chickamagua? (e) Cold Harbor?

9 (a) What caused the railroad panic of 1893? (b) From what sources are revenues secured to meet the expenditures of the government of the United States?

ENGLISH GRAMMAR.

3 Name the principles that regulate grammatical union of words and sentences.

5 Diagram and analyze "The vile strength man wields for man's destruction, that does all despise, hurling him from thy bosom to the skies."

The Pendleton E. O. puts it pointedly as follows:

The failure of the Oregon legislature to organize is a scandal upon the state. If it were a populist or democratic or fusion legislature the very air would be filled with condemnation. The membership of the legislature is largely republican, 60 of the 90 members at least professing that political faith. There are two factions of the republican party responsible for the "hold up" and the failure to organize. The Mitchell republicans and the anti-Mitchell republicans are the names by which these factions are known. They are divided principally on the money question and the chasm between them is deepened and widened because of long slumbering dislikes between ambitious members of the rival factions.

That is an awful cyclone that is sweeping this way from Nevada. If the two men fight as they are blowing they will knock each other from one end of Nevada to the other in less than a minute, and we hope they will.

Any one knows that a life insurance president cannot earn $100,000 a year, nor $50,000, nor $25,000, and yet those are the salaries of old line insurance companies' salaries, and the people foot the bill.

Idaho's new senator is certainly a man of weight, 225 pounds.

Now, what will Governor Lord do.

You can almost hear the Turkish Empire gasp.

President McKinley owns a farm of 163 acres. He recently sold a car load of apples for 3 cents a bushel. Not much returning prosperity in that.

The following authentic and reliable news is from the Salem Statesman: "Almost before she realizes it, Astoria will have connection by rail with the outside world. And almost before she realizes it Salem will have a line to the sea and over the Cascades. The good times are within hailing distance."

The DEMOCRAT likes to give current opinions on important questions. Here is the Pendleton E. O.'s on one: The Portland Oregonian yells that Oregon has been degraded and disgraced by 30 years of Mitchellism. Probably so, but Mitchell's successor promises to be no better for Oregon and the greater number of her people than Mitchell. Simonism is not any better than Mitchellism for the people of Oregon.

Our Sodaville correspondent gets enthusiastic over an important subject as follows:

Supt. Irwin's recent suggestions in regard to giving morals and civil government a more prominent place in our public schools, should receive the earnest consideration of every parent, and some action taken at the next annual school meetings that will insure greater attention for these two important branches of the child's education. Education that does not look to the proper development of the moral sensibilities is pernicious, because the quality of character determines largely whether an education is a curse or a blessing. Therefore character building should be uppermost in all school work. A proper understanding of the relations of the citizen to the nation is also of prime importance in a government where every man may stand at the wheel and help guide the ship of state. If our boys and girls are fully informed of these relations and taught to think intelligently of their duties and privileges as future American citizens, the next generation of voters will not be content to have their political convictions like their clothes, ready-made, as is the case with far too many voters at present. Haste the day when demagogues do not manufacture the politics of the masses, and when to be a good voter is to be an intelligent thinker.

Sodaville still retains her reputation as a moral town. The hearty cooperation given by the majority of her people during the revival meetings of the past month exhibits a spirit that is commendable. If the high standards of social purity and morals, that reformers tell us must be held up to our youth if they are to become ideal 20th century citizens is attained this spirit must thoroughly permeate society. If civilization is to march onward there must be that purity of motive, that loftiness of purpose and that nobility of manhood and womanhood that will rise above denominational distinctions and cause each individual to work in harmony with his fellows for the elevation of the race.

Nearly Highway Robbery.

Mr Havemeyer on the witness stand Saturday gave the first exact figures that have ever been made public concerning the actual Sugar Trust profits. Prior to 1886, he said, the profit in refining was 19 mills per pound—15 mills of which was given by the tariff—or an average of $38,000,000 profits per year upon a total invested capital of $24,013,008 in 1890.

Since the formation of the trust and the decrease in the protection the profit has not materially declined. Mr Havemeyer gives it as follows for the past eleven years:

Year.	Net profit. Per lb. Cents.	Total consumption, tons.	Total profit.
1886.....	.685	1,450,280	$22,385,355
1887.....	.673	1,381,714	20,822,429
1888.....	1.260	1,519,283	42,874,166
1889.....	1 210	1,416,274	38,381,025
1890.....	.709	1,476,377	23,444,866
1891.....	.805	1,888,851	34,055,983
1892.....	1.030	1,853,370	42,757,245
1893.....	1 150	1,906,758	48,818,086
1894.....	.808	2,012,714	36,409,906
1895.....	.882	1,949,744	37,961,815
1896.....	.908	2,100,000	42,756,000
	1 012	18,964,365	$390,666,966

Of this total profit Mr Havemeyer says that from 75 to 80 per cent belongs to the American Refining Company or Sugar Trust.

The actual amount of capital invested in sugar refining in the United States is given in the census of 1880 at $27,432,500 and of 1890 at $24,432,590.—Mercantile and Financial Times.

What They Did.

Following is what Oregon's senators and representatives did from February 1 to February 13:

JOHN H. MITCHELL.

In Oregon running for reelection.

GEORGE W. MCBRIDE.

Amendments offered by, to Indian appropriation bill.

Petitions and papers presented by, from Newberg, Oreg., Baptist church: for Sunday rest law for District of Columbia 1857.

Against interstate gambling.

Oregon, citizens of: against Loud postal bill.

Citizens of Corvallis: for amendment of postal laws.

Publishers of: for Loud postal bill 1857.

Religious organizations of: against interstate gambling.

For industrial commission 1857.

For Sunday rest law for District of Columbia.

For legislation in interests of morality.

Reports made by, from committee on commerce, Chattanooga Western Railway bridge.

Committee on Public Lands, forfeited railroad lands, tramroads, canals and reservoirs.

BINGER HERMANN.

Bills and joint resolutions introduced by Belieu, M. B: to pension.

WILLIAM R. ELLIS.

Remarks by, on settlers on railroad lands.

KNOCKING AT YOUR DOOR.

Send in your order and we will call your door for your laundry and deliver it without extra charge. Give us a trial, we will guarantee you will be satisfied. Fine finish to dress shirts. Lace curtains renewed. Free mending department for bundle work. CITY LAUNDRY,
Opp St Chas Hotel.

FINE CLUBBING OFFER.—Leslie's Weekly is the oldest and best of the illustrated weeklies of the U. S. It is a model in its character, as everybody knows. The regular price is $4 a year; but you can secure it and the WEEKLY DEMOCRAT for only $3.25, or it and the Daily by mail for $5.

MISFITS.

The Portland Mercury is a warm advocate of J. H. Mitchell for U. S. senator.

The second forty days have been begun. How long, oh how long will this agony last.

Senator Driver yesterday made the following dramatic speech:
"Hofer, thou art a liar."
A duel has not even been thought of.

The following states have never been represented in any president's cabinet: California, Florida, Idaho, Kansas, Montana, Nevada, North Dakota, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Texas, Washington and Wyoming.

The forty days so often referred to in reference to the state legislature only applies to the length of time for which the members can be paid. They can meet as long as they please but can receive pay for only 40 days. That is the law.

Astoria is getting high toned. An ordinance has been introduced, on recommendation of the mayor, prohibiting expectorating on the streets and sidewalks, and fixing the fine for violations thereof at from $2 to $10 or imprisonment not to exceed five days.

If the editor of a newspaper were to snap at all the inducements held out, he would soon be a millionaire. If he ran the paper according to the popular notions he would be in the poorhouse. If he published half the items sent to him, he would be in jail half the time and in the hospital the other half.—Welcome.

George W. Adams, of Chicago, who in 1894 engineered one of the greatest corners on oats known in the history of the Chicago board of trade, committed suicide this week by shooting himself, in order to keep from starving to death. On a bill head he wrote just before the act, "I die hungry."

The Examiner and Journal will be completely in it in the great Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight. They have arranged for exclusive reports from the fighters and the referee, Muldoon will write exclusively for them, and Homer Davenport, the leading artist, will make the pictures of events there.

A letter was received yesterday from Mr. Sevey, who recently left Astoria for Rossland, says the Astorian. Mr. Sovey says he was somewhat surprised at the appearance of the town. It has a population of about 5000 and the houses are built as closely as possible. There are but few buildings of any consequence in the town. The principal street is but four blocks in length and the general appearance of the town is that of a woolly western mining camp. Mr. Sovey says in his letter that business is quite brisk and that the people of the town expend a great increase in population the coming summer.

Mr Douglas has secured a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Jennie Douglas in Los Angeles. He did it because she was a new woman. In bloomers every morning she mounted her horse and went hunting, leaving their only child with the servant. Here is her strange philosophy: For a woman to remain at home with her children and do nothing but eat and sleep is narrowing. The home is all right, but life is too short to spend much time within its walls. A woman who is alway at home must occupy her mind with something. So she gossips about her neighbors and helps to make more misery in the world. She becomes a slave to her husband and has no will of her own. She loses her muscular strength. The children should be left with trustworthy servants and the husband should go with his wife.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

For the Kidney
am 65 years old; have had kidney disease and constipation for 25 years. Am now well—used your S. B. Headache and Liver Cure one year. Used 6 bottles at 50 cents each. J H Knight, Rutledge, Or." For sale by Foshay & Mason at 50c per bottle.

Cures Croup.
"My three children are all subject to croup; I telegraphed to San Francisco, got got a half dozen bottles of S B Cough Cure. It is a perfect remedy. God bless you for it. Yours, etc., J. H. Crozier, Grants Pass, Or." For sale by Foshay & Mason at 50c per bottle.

You can pay more, but you won't get any better service. You can pay less, but you won't get as good service. Smiley the printer.

A large assortment of garden seeds, white clover, timothy and blue grass seeds just received fresh at
C E BROWNELL'S.

MARRIED.

RAMSEY—FORGEY.—On February 21, at the residence of the bride's parents, in Albany, by Justice C. E. Hawkins, Mr. Alvin T. Ramsey and Miss Phoebe Forgey—both of Albany.
They have the best wishes of many friends.

DIED.

CROISAN.—At the family home, in Mount Pleasant, Linn county, Oregon, On Wednesday, February 17, 1897, at 6:30 o'clock, p. m. of heart failure, Mrs Eliza Croisan, aged 71 years.
Deceased was the relict of Michael Croisan who died April 16, 1894, and has been a resident of Oregon since November, 1864. She was broadly known and highly respected for her many virtues. She was a native of Karsruf, Baden, Germany, having been born there on May 10, 1826, and came to America in 1852 and was married at Freeport, Illinois, on June 1, 1858.
She was a devoted and consistent member of the German Lutheran church. She was laid to rest in the Kingston cemetery, near Mount Pleasant, on Friday last.—Statesman. The deceased was a cousin of ex-Sheriff Croisan.

"Down Brakes, and Reverse!"
When a train is discovered rushing on to a frightful collision, it is a thrilling instant as the engineer whistles "Down brakes!" and reverses his lever. Brakes alone are not enough; the whole propelling power of the engine must be reversed and made to work in the opposite direction. That is how it is sometimes with disease. There are times when

the system is flying along the track of disease at such a frightful pace that no ordinary methods will prevent disaster. There are plenty of medicines which act merely as brakes to "slow up" the disease and put off disaster for a little while; but that isn't enough. What is needed is a medicine that will instantly reverse the entire wasting, degenerating process.
When people are losing flesh and strength and vitality, with the life oozing out of them day after day, they need Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which acts directly upon the vital forces, completely transforms the entire nutritive organism and totally reverses the wasting, debilitating process which is at the root of all diseases.
It enables the digestive and blood-making organs to supply the circulation with an abundance of pure, healthy, red blood. It stops the wasting of tissue, builds up solid muscular flesh and healthy nerve-force.
Miss Mary Whitman, of East Dickinson, Franklin Co., N. Y., writes: "For nearly ten months I have had a bad cough, and instead of getting better, it grew worse, until I was advised by a friend to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I hesitated at first, for it seemed to me nothing would give relief only death. My parents were anxious about me, and I was said to have consumption. I tried your medicines, and before I had taken many doses there was a great change. When the second bottle was empty I had no cough and was a great deal stronger."

TELEGRAPHIC.

A Week's Armistice.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The parliamentary secretary of the foreign office, George N Curzon, read dispatches in the house of commons today from the British consul at Canea, confirming the announcement that an armistice of one week had been arranged between the Mussulmans and Christians at Selinos, island of Crete, at the instance of the British, Italian and Russian consuls. Mr Curzon added that the British consul had done his best to calm the Christians, intimating to them that the solution of the Cretan troubles rested with the great powers.

The Last Money Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The house sent the naval bill, the last of the appropriation bills, to the senate today. Boutelle, chairman of the naval committee, was in charge of the measure, and displayed such skill in its handling that its provisions aroused little opposition, and it was passed practically without amendment. Barrett made an effort to secure an authorization for a drydock at Boston to cost $1,000,000, but, after a somewhat acrimonious debate, the amendment was ruled out of order.

Very High Water.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 23.—Last night, in the absence of news of the great cloudburst at the headwaters of the Monongahela, no one dreamed the river here would reach a maximum of over 50 feet. Opinions changed today, when it was learned that a flood in the Allegheny was coming down just late enough to pile it on that of the Monongahela. Tonight, the signal service predicts that 60 feet will be reached at Cincinnati by tomorrow.

Has Not Resigned.

HAVANA, Feb. 23.—General Fitzhugh Lee, United States consul-general, has personally handled the correspondent of the Associated Press a written statement saying that he has not resigned, thus definitely setting at rest contrary statements made in New York.

Robbery at Mt. Angel.

WOODBURN, Or., Feb. 23. The post office at Mount Angel was entered by burglars last night. Entrance was effected through a rear door, some time during the latter part of the night. The postoffice safe was blown open and about $100 in stamps and $75 in money taken. After looting the postoffice, the burglars tried to effect an entrance to Barney Oswald's saloon, but were frightened away by a butcher, who slept in his shop in the adjoining building. Parties are scouring the country looking for them.

Send Out Relief and Corb.

CARSON, Nev., Feb. 22.—Some excitement was caused here this morning by a message from white settlers at Verington, in Mason Valley, 50 miles from Carson, calling for 50 armed militiamen and 50 extra stands of arms to be sent on a special train.

A Piute Indian was killed by a white man at Yerington yesterday by being struck on the head with a crowbar. The Indians became enraged and sent runners to Walker river reservation, which is a part of the Pyramid Lake reservation. All the male Indians from Walker river came in to Mason valley after having sent their squaws to the mountains.

Governor Sadler sent Adjutant-General Galusha on a special train this morning to investigate the trouble and report immediately.

In Congress.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The house today passed the general deficiency bill and began the consideration of the last of the money bills, that providing for the naval establishment. A long debate occurred over the propriety of the appropriation of $1,300,000 for the Southern Pacific railroad under the judgment of the court of claims, but the house, by a vote of 102 to 138, refused to strike it out. The members who favored the appropriation for the repayment to members of the last congress of salaries withheld from them on account of absence, carried their fight into the house, but they were beaten, 96 to 122.

The Cretan War.

CANEA, Feb. 22.—No insurgents were killed by the cannonade of the warships in the insurgent position near here yesterday. The damage was purely material.

The French and Italian warships did not fire because the Greek flag was lowered by the insurgents before their time came.

Fifteen Christians, including three nuns of the Elias convent, were wounded by the bombardment. Five thousand insurgents arrived within half an hour after the firing commenced.

Lee Resigned.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—A dispatch to the Herald from Havana, via Key West, says: Consul-General Lee has resigned. His letter tendering his resignation, under certain conditions, goes by the next mail. He determined some days ago to take such a step if he were not upheld in his efforts to protect all American citizens in Cuba.

Snow Storm in Wisconsin.

MILWAUKEE, Feb., Advices from Northern Wisconsin are to the effect that a violent snow storm has raged all day, and that railway and other traffic is practically suspended.

Fatal Kick.

EUGENE, Or., Feb. 22.—George Shaub, a 12-year-old boy, was probably fatally injured last evening by a kick from a horse. The boy is a stepson of Lafayette Hendricks, who lives near Coburg.

What Oregon Will Get

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The sundry civil appropriation bill contains an item for $160,000 for completing the work proposed for improving the navigation of the entire Willamette river, from Eugene to Portland, and also for the lock and dam on the Yamhill river, which is to give deep water at all seasons to the town of McMinnville. The estimated cost of both improvements is $200,000, of which $40,000 was included in the last river and harbor bill, and now the present appropriation of $160,000 gives all the money required.

The contract for Yaquina bay has not yet been let, and therefore, like some other harbors, could not be appropriated for in the present bill; but the $25,000 appropriation in the last river and harbor bill will be expended in completing the old project at Yaquina, and it is thought that this has had something to do in delaying the approval of the project for the $1,000,000 contract.

In the present appropriation bill there is also $200,000 for the Portland custom house.

Hanna the Man.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 21.—Governor Bushnell tonight gave out the following statement to the press:

"When Senator Sherman resigns to enter the cabinet of President McKinley, I will appoint to succeed him Hon. Marcus A. Hanna, of Cuyahoga county, to serve until his successor is chosen by the 73d general assembly of the state. I trust this action will meet the approval of the people.

"ASA S. BUSHNELL."

Doesn't Care.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 21.—Today has been a very quiet one. Nearly all the members left the city Saturday, and most of them will not return till tomorrow. There is no change in the situation.

Senator Mitchell tonight said substantially that so far as he was personally concerned, he did not care whether he was returned to the United States senate or not. He had served three terms already, and was content to retire on his record if it should be decided that the interests of the state could be better served by some one else.

An Expected Event.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 21.—At 10:30 this morning, a baby girl, weighing 8½ pounds, was born to Mr and Mrs Benjamin Harrison, Dr Henry Jameson being the attending physician. Mother and child are doing well. Mrs Lieutenant Parker, of New York, is with her sister, Mrs Harrison. Mr and Mrs Harrison were married in St Thomas church, New York, April 6, 1896. The ex-president is in his 64th year.

One of the Earliest.

HILLSBORO, Or., Feb. 21.—Michael Wren, aged 73 years, one of the earliest settlers of Washington county, died at his residence near Centerville last night. Deceased was born June 5, 1824, and came to Oregon in 1841, from Winnipeg. For a number of years he was in the employ of the Hudson's Bay Company. With his wages he purchased the right to the land on which he made his home.

Whiskey Did It.

UNION, Mo., Feb. 16.—Dr Arthur Duestrow, the St Louis millionaire, who on February 13, 1894, shot and killed his wife and child in a fit of drunken rage, in that city, was hanged in the courtyard of the county jail here, at 12:59 P. M. today.

Never Fails to Cure.

Astonishing Record of the Great Paine's Celery Compound.

Paine's celery compound has never yet failed to cure

Where all other medical treatment has failed to relieve Paine's celery compound has succeeded time and time again.

John W. Boyd of Mishawaka, Ind., says of his own case:

"Last winter I was taken down with a very severe attack of nervous and muscular rheumatism, so bad that I could not lie down, sit up, or stand, without the most excruciating pain. I was all the time under the care of two of the best physicians of the place, but I did not improve. I took different rheumatic cures and used an electric battery a half hour each day for 10 days, without any relief.

"Finally I concluded to try Paine's celery compound, and to my surprise after using one-half of a bottle I was able to get out and vote on election day, and before I used the whole bottle I went to work, and have worked every day since. I have gained 20 pounds in weight and am feeling first rate.

"My wife has also been taking it for nervousness, and thinks that there is nothing like it. We both recommend it to all our acquaintances, and you are at liberty to use this letter as you see fit, for it truly worked wonders in my case."

And Paine's celery compound is working just such wonders in every state, county, city and village of the country today.

The reader must know some one who has tried it. Ask that person if he or she was not at once benefitted!

Don't let a dealer palm off anything else on you, however; for there is as much difference between Paine's celery compound and all the ordinary sarsaparillas, tonics, nervines and compounds as there is between an electric motor and a boy's windmill.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County court of Linn county, Oregon, administrator of the estate of Joseph C Myers, deceased, late of said county, and he has duly qualified as such and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby requested to present the same to me at Albany, Oregon, properly verified as by law provided, within six months from this date.

Dated at Albany, Oregon, this 16th day of December, 1896. D W MYERS,
WHITNEY & NEWPORT, Administrator
Attys for Admr.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that P Y Duncan has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of A D Knox, late of Linn county, Oregon, deceased, by the county court of Linn county, Oregon, and that he has duly qualified as such all persons having claims against said estates are hereby notified to present the same to me with the proper vouchers under oath at the office of W R Bilyeu in Albany, Oregon within six months from the date hereof

Dated this 11th day of December, 1896.
P Y DUNCAN, Administrator.

Notice

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY OR
December 28th, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the approved fractional plat of Township 13 South, Range 8 East has been received from the surveyor general of Oregon, and on February 8th 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., of said date, said plat will be filed in this office, and the land therein embraced will be subject to entry on and after said date.

ROBERT A MILLER,
WM GALLOWAY Register.
Receiver.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I have been duly appointed by the county court of Linn county, Oregon, administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of John Nelson, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present the same duly verified to me at my residence near Shedd, Linn county, Oregon, or to my attorney, Gee W Wright, at his law office in Albany, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. MARY NELSON,
GEO W WRIGHT, Admr with the will
Atty for Admr annexed of the estate of John Nelson
Dated Jan 5, 1897. deceased.

Notice

OREGON CITY, OREGON,
January 25th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the approved plats of survey of Township 13 South Range 5 East, and 13 South, Range 6 East, the fractional plats of survey of Township 12 South, Ranges 4 East, 5 East, 6 East, and 7 East, and fractional plat of Township 13 South, Range 7 East, have been received from the Surveyor General of Oregon, and on March 6th, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said date, said plats will be filed in this office, and the land therein embraced will be subject to entry on and after said date.

ROBERT A MILLER, Register.
WM GALLOWAY, Receiver.

NOTICE TO BRIDGE CONTRACTORS.

Sealed plans, specifications, strain designs and bids will be received at the office of county clerk of Linn county, Ore, on or before the 5th day of March, 1897, at 1 o'clock p m, for a wagon bridge across the North Santiam river at or near Gates, Oregon.

Bids will be considered for a suspension and steel bridge as well as wood designs.

Said bridge to be completed on or before August 1st, 1897.

The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Done by order of the county court

Dated this 16th day of Feb, 1897.
C B MONTAGUE,
County Clerk, Linn Co., Or.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is hereby that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Odd Fellows Hall Building Association held at the Odd Fellows Library in Albany, Oregon, on Monday, the 1st day of March, 1897, at 7 o'clock p m, for the purpose of electing seven directors to serve for the ensuing year and to transact any other business that may come before said meeting.

Signed this the 1st day of February 1897
E A PARKER,
ULIUS JOSEPH, Secretary.
President.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administrator of the estate of J M Wilson, deceased, has filed his final account in said estate with the county clerk of Linn county, Oregon, and the county court has fixed Friday, the 5th day of March, 1897, at the hour of 1 o'clock p m, of said day for the final hearing of said account and the settlement of said estate. Any and all persons having any objections to the same are hereby notified to be present at said time and present the same.

B S MARTIN W P WARMOTH,
Attorney. Administrator.

Notice for Publication

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OR.
Jan. 21, 1897.

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 the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Oregon, on March 6th, 1897, viz: Christian Neubold; H E 12033 for the S ½ N E ¼, lots 1 and 2 Sec 3 Tp 10 S R 4 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: T B George, Gilbert Knutson, Charles I Hinkle, C B Gains, all of Niagara, Oregon.

ROBERT A. MILLER, Register.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that I, the undersigned assignee of Propst and Butler have filed my final account in the matter of said assignment, in the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Linn county, and that said final account will be heard and passed upon by said court in the court house in the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon, at the hour of 1 o'clock p m, on the 29th day of March, 1897. FRANKLIN PROPST,
Assignee.

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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court for Linn county of the State of Oregon.

Thomas Reading, Plaintiff
vs
John Powers and Emily Powers, defendants

To Emily Powers, one of the defendants above named:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled court now on file with the clerk of said court, by the first day of the next regular term of this court to be begun and held in the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon, on the 8th day of March, 1897; and you are notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in his complaint on file in the above entitled court, which relief is for the foreclosure of a mortgage given by John Powers and Emily Power, dated October 19, 1896, etc, to and upon the following described real estate, towit:

The north ½ of the west ½ of the D L C of Amos T Thompson and Elizabeth C Thompson, lying and being in Linn county, and known as Notification No. 2334, and claim no 41, being parts of Sections 9, 10, 15 and 16 in township 13, south of range 1 west of the Willamette Meridian, being bounded as follows: Beginning at a point 15 chains and 40 links north and 21 chains and 16 links east of the southwest corner of said section 10, and running thence south 43 chains and 71 links, thence west 8 chains and 34 links, thence south 1 chain and 60 links, thence west 62 chains and 71 links, thence north 45 chains, thence east 71 chains and 11 links to the place of beginning, containing 318 acres, more or less.

Which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of a note dated Lebanon, Oregon, October 19, 1894, for the sum of $222 due one year after date, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum and for judgment against you for the sum of $222 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 19th day of October, 1896, and for the costs and disbursements of this suit and for a decree foreclosing said mortgage and directing the lands above described to be sold, and the proceeds arising from such sale to be applied to the payment of the costs and disbursements and attorney's fees and the principal and interest due upon said note.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable H H Hewitt, judge of the above entitled court, made at chambers in the City of Albany, Oregon. January 21, 1897.
WEATHERFORD & WYATT,
Attys for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Linn

Department No. 2.

Mary A S Knox and A S Knox, plaintiffs,
vs
H C Briggs and The Alliance Trust Company, limited, a corporation, defendants.

To H C Briggs, one of the defendants above named:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled court, now on file with the clerk of said court, by the first day of next regular term of said court to be held in the city of Albany, in Linn county, Oregon, on the 8th day of March, 1897, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, as hereby required, the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in their complaint, for a decree adjudging that the defendants have no estate or interest or lien whatever and removing the cloud and cancelling and declaring the deed to be a forgery and void, dated the 7th day of July, 1896, and recorded on the 20th day of July, 1896, in book of deeds volume 55, on page 216 in the records of deeds for Linn county, Oregon, of, to and for the following described real estate, towit:

Beginning at the N E corner of the D L C of A S Knox and Mary A S Knox, his wife, being