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THE WEATHER

Oregon, Washington, Idaho—Increasing in cloudiness, followed possibly by rain.

CLATSOP'S DUTY TO CAKE.

As a normally strong Republican county, with a majority that permits no escape from its patent and organic duty, Clatsop must give H. M. Cake a clear majority for United States Senator, or stultify itself broadly, and discreditably, to the Chamberlain interests. It has no middle ground of home favoritism now; it must stand by the man who has the only vestige of Republican endorsement and authorized candidacy, for that dignity before the party; or frankly confess itself renegade to its partisan status and program and go out of the business of posing.

In the present conditions of confusion and factional misdirection now prevalent all over Oregon; with all the splits and splinters of partisan alignment asserting themselves and defeating organic action, it were well for a few of the strongest of the Republican counties to save the face of the party in case re-organization shall ever be attempted for the real good of the State; and Clatsop, being proportionately, among the strongest, her duty is plain, and the straightest exemplification she can make of her faith, in this premise, for this purpose, is to stand behind the State's nominee for the federal senatorship with the major limit of her vote on Monday next.

ADOPT PORTLAND'S PLAN.

Astoria has arrived at a point where, to save her future she must make radical change in her policies of civic and commercial action. She has used her time-worn, time-proven and time-defeated programs of waiting and waiting and wasting, until their fallacy is written large on her commercial and industrial fronts. She must throw a few commercial somersaults and land on a new platform of communal endeavor and success; she must pick up her idle commercial lines and drive straight through, over, under, around, all obstacles, no matter who, or what they may be; she must stick to the "middle of the road" that leads to Astoria; she must throw down, and out, all the home-sickness that has impeded her for her longest years; she must waken to the fact that she has no friend but her own municipal and communal self; that every public benefice within her reach must have HER string on it, and she must pull stoutly and unflinchingly, if she is going to land it away from the other string-pullers, she must realize that her splendid natural advantages have been what they are for thousands of years and will remain as they are for a thousand more, unless she spends her money and time and talent in proving their value to the outsider and giving him a share in them for what he will do to exploit them, and cease, demanding his last dollar for a "look-in" only to drive him to some more sensible and public spirited community to spend his investment happily and successfully; she must forsake the dilatory, dubious and discredited doctrine of dawdling along and waiting for fate to chuck something into her lap without even her thanks for the gift; she must spend her money at home, for the good it will do here, and spend more of it to save and bolster that home and to magnify the home-city. In other words, she must adopt the Portland plan of working and living (and even dying) for Portland.

Hot air, printer's ink, commercial resolutions, industrial prospectuses and all the ordinary expedients of the day and place, are utterly worthless without the spirit of unity, backed by the ready and persuasive dollar and deed-of-gift, that marks the indelible genuineness of that spirit. This is the crux of the "Portland plan," and no city nor town in the State has better reason to know its

efficacy than this same Astoria. Get in! Emulate it! Take it over; adopt it; pursue it; make it the cry and creed of our business development! Cut out the old, useless, hoary, hap-hazard and heartless style of doing things, and WAKE UP, GENERALLY!

NEW COUNTY COMING.

A new county is to be born to the old Oregon commonwealth on Monday next, if the will of the people of "Hood River" county and its parent, Wasco shall be carried out. "Hood River" is to be the name of the thirty-fourth organic parcel of the State, and it is right that the people of that particular and prosperous country should have their own distinct and separate alignment if they want it; they have won it by sheer hard work, the spending of their own wealth, and making the world realize that they have something peculiarly and notably valuable; as is the way with all live and successful communities.

We hope that they will win out hands down, and that the future may bring all the sequent and incidental blessings that inure by right of the public spirit, thrift and courage of the people behind such a departure. Hood River is the best type in all Oregon, today, of real, effective, modern development, and her people should have what they want for the purpose of centralizing and accentuating her advantages.

If Canada selects all her citizens as cautiously as her immigration commissioner is now doing in England, the Dominion must some day be what the natives often dream of—the Utopia of the Anglo-Saxon race. The influx of southern and eastern Europeans and orientals is vigorously opposed, and even the English themselves must pass a strict examination as to their desirability. The searchlight is turned mercilessly upon all proposed importations from the London slums.

In 1844 Edgar Allan Poe furnished a New York paper with his renowned "balloon hoax" invention, a tale of a balloon which came from Europe and landed near where recent experiments with the aeroplane were conducted. It may be that the first real aerial transatlantic flight will start from the very region where the fictitious one was made to end sixty-four years ago.

Another latter day problem of the air is how the mother birds can prevent their reckless youngsters from flying in front of the aeroplanes.

Sometimes men ride two horses in the political arena as well as in the circus. But the political equestrian takes the heavier risk.

The arbitration treaty with Japan respects the dignity of the signatory powers. But the little Jap's touchiest point is his dignity.

A PROFIT, ANYHOW.

He was filling his first prescription, and when he handed it to the lady he told her it was a dollar and ten cents.

She paid the dollar and ten, and after she had gone he informed the proprietor that the dollar was counterfeit. The proprietor looked over his glasses at the young man and said: "Well, how about the ten cents—is that good money?"

The young man answered in the affirmative.

"Oh, well," the proprietor replied, "that's not so bad—we still make a nickel."—Success Magazine.

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- For Representatives
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John C. McCue
- For County Commissioner (Four-year term)
John Frye
- For County Commissioner (Two-year term)
Fred H. Moore
- For County Clerk
J. C. Clinton
- For County Sheriff
M. R. Pomeroy
- For County Assessor
T. S. Cornelius
- For County Treasurer
W. A. Sherman
- For County Surveyor
G. F. Parker
- For County Coroner
J. A. Gilbaugh
- For Justice of the Peace
P. J. Goodman
- For Constable
John Sayer
- For United States Senator
H. M. Cake
- For Congressman
W. R. Ellis
- Justice Supreme Court
Robert S. Bean
- Oregon Food & Dairy Commissioner
J. W. Bailey
- Commissioner of Railroads
Clyde B. Aitchison
- Prosecuting Attorney
E. B. Tongue

VOTE FOR

John Sayer

"LIVERPOOL JACK"

Republican Nominee for Constable

GRANITE REFF DAM.

PHOENIX, Ariz., May 28.—Granite Reff diversion dam, an auxiliary unit of the Salt River reclamation project, of which the chief feature is the Roosevelt storage dam, has been completed.

The Granite Reff dam and diversion works at either end are about 1,300 feet long. The formal opening will possibly take place in about two weeks. The dam is a substitute for individual canal dams in this section and marks the beginning of absolute control of the river flow. It is located 22 miles above Phoenix and cost approximately \$250,000.

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COFFEE

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Astoria, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, May 14th, 1908.

| RESOURCES. | |
|---|-------------------|
| Loans and Discounts..... | \$389,294.29 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured | 6,097.30 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | 47,000.00 |
| Premiums on U. S. Bonds.. | 1,400.00 |
| Bonds, securities, etc..... | 55,430.00 |
| Due from National Banks (not reserve agents).... | 52,094.42 |
| Due from State Banks and Bankers | 22,169.77 |
| Due from approved reserve agents | 189,322.37 |
| Checks and other cash items | 283.92 |
| Notes of other National Banks | 2,280.00 |
| Nickels, and cents..... | 546.08 |
| Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: | |
| Specie | \$191,300 |
| Legal-tender notes | 355 191,655.00 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation) | 2,350.00 |
| Total..... | \$959,923.15 |
| LIABILITIES. | |
| Capital stock paid in..... | \$100,000.00 |
| Surplus fund..... | 25,000.00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid... | 28,453.40 |
| National Bank notes outstanding | 47,000.00 |
| Individual deposits subject to check..... | \$595,717.05 |
| Demand certificates of deposit | \$163,252.70 |
| Certified checks..... | 500.00 759,469.75 |
| Total..... | \$959,923.15 |

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop,
ss:
I, S. S. Gordon, Cashier of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
S. S. GORDON, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of May, 1908.
V. BOELLING,
Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
G. C. FLAVEL,
W. F. MCGREGOR,
JACOB KAMM,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE ASTORIA NATIONAL BANK

At Astoria, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, May 14, 1908.

| RESOURCES. | |
|---|------------------------|
| Loans and Discounts..... | \$402,577.76 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured | 5,634.82 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | 47,500.00 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits | 20,000.00 |
| Other Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits | 34,000.00 |
| Premiums on U. S. Bonds.. | 3,045.00 |
| Bonds, securities, etc..... | 73,730.66 |
| Banking house, furniture, and fixtures | 4,030.00 |
| Other real estate owned... | 8,233.41 |
| Due from State Banks and Bankers | 18,387.72 |
| Due from approved reserve agents | 178,374.18 |
| Checks and other cash items | 4,677.21 |
| Notes of other National Banks | 885.00 |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents..... | 857.05 |
| Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: | |
| Specie | \$100,668.85 |
| Legal-tender notes | \$1,645.00 102,313.85 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation) | 2,375.00 |
| Total..... | \$906,621.66 |
| LIABILITIES. | |
| Capital stock paid in..... | \$ 50,000.00 |
| Surplus fund..... | 50,000.00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid... | 15,863.14 |
| National Bank notes outstanding | 44,900.00 |
| Individual deposits subject to check..... | \$364,584.26 |
| Demand certificates of deposit | \$48,964.56 |
| Time certificates of deposit | \$282,018.70 |
| Certified checks..... | \$291.00 |
| U. S. deposits..... | \$50,000.00 745,858.52 |
| Total..... | \$906,621.66 |

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop,
ss:
I, J. E. Higgins, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. E. HIGGINS,
Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of May, 1908.
M. C. MAGEE,
Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
GEO. H. GEORGE,
GEORGE W. WARREN,
A. SCHERNECKAU,
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J. W. LADD S. S. GORDON

Capital.....\$100,000
Surplus.....25,000
Stockholders' Liability.....100,000

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