

THE DAILY CHRONICLE.

THE DALLES, OREGON.

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A USELESS STRUGGLE.

The attack on Parnell at Ballinakil Tuesday was cowardly in the extreme. Parnell and Davitt had both been speaking and party spirit was running at flood tide. After a battle with clubs at this place by the opposing faction, Parnell and his party drove to Castle Corner, quickly followed by Davitt and his party. Here Davitt and Parnell both began to address the crowd, when some of the Davitt party began throwing small bags filled with lime, Harringtons shoulders were covered with it, and Parnell was struck fair in the face, his eyes being filled with lime. This caked under his eyelids and the local doctor was unable to remove it. Parnell was hurried to town and the lime was removed. He suffered intense pain but bore it bravely. His physician says his eyesight will not be injured.

The part of wisdom would suggest that the battle is lost, and the struggle useless. Parnell must realize that he is bowled down and out; that he can never hope to again lead the Home rule party for the reason that for the next twenty years there will be no Home rule party. There is nothing to be gained, nothing to be lost, and but one thing remains for Parnell and that is to marry Mrs. O'Shea, and finish his days in the retirement that act would give him. He has lost all for her; she has lost all for him. Shut out from the Eden of society by their own acts, they should, like Adam and Eve, console and comfort each other in the little world of their own.

MONUMENTAL EGOTISM.

Politics makes strange bedfellows, it also illustrates the abundant and various quantities of American gall. The legislature in Idaho is in session and balloting for U. S. senator is going on. The candidates are fighting one another of course, but the extreme cheek is exhibited by two of them proposing to the other two to arrange the manner and form in which the Idaho legislature should make unhampered choice between them. They assume that two of the four must be elected, and imply that the legislature must elect them. Time was when the average American legislator would have at once dropped the whole four and hunted a new piece of timber, but legislators now-a-days are not built that way. Party service, party expediency have their effect, and the battle is not to the strong or the race to the swift. Messrs. Claggett and McConnell are both well known to us and both excellent gentlemen, but their position on the senatorial question entitles them to all the tricks when cheek is trumps.

THE ASSESSMENT LAWS.

Our friend Mr. Hugh Gourlay has written several very able articles recently concerning the assessment laws, his last being perhaps the best. As far as the argument goes it is well made, and there can be no doubt but that the system proposed by him would discover credits, and would remedy the evil of returning fraudulent debts. The main point, and the particular objection to the mortgage tax law, however, escapes him. And that is that the creditor compels the debtor to pay the tax, not directly perhaps, but in the shape of a bonus at the time the debt is created, or in some other way the debtor is saddled with the payment of the tax, and so pays taxes not only on what he owns, but what he owes. Mr. Gourlay has studied the subject thoroughly and we should be pleased to hear his opinion concerning that principal point.

A FINANCIAL storm has been sweeping over the East, equalling in severity the present natural one which has covered the middle Eastern states with from two to three feet of snow. It has been a cold day every way, and the dispatches announce a series of heavy failures. Banks, big business houses, manufacturing firms have gone down and the end is not yet. It is thought though, in financial circles, that the worst is over and that many of the crippled houses may be able to resume. While we are now feeling the tightness of the money market, Oregon is safe and able to ride any financial panic.

A TERRIBLE storm has swept over the East, blockading railroads, impeding and stopping traffic and doing immense damage. While our friends in the East are wrestling with cold and snow, here the good old Webfoot skies precipitate their extra moisture in the well known drizzling way, and the thermometer indicates several degrees above the freezing

REVIEW OF THE HOME MARKET.

The past week's trade has been light compared with former ones. Interior traffic, especially from a distance, has fallen off in a measure, owing to the lateness of the season. Retail trade has been ordinary, with indications of an improvement as the holidays are nearing.

The inquiry for money loans has slackened somewhat, as immediate requirements have been met, and consequently a better feeling is experienced than some time ago.

The wheat market is inactive, with but few transfers, as the farmers who have their crop on storage are holding for better prices. Some more thoughtful ones, or from emergency, sold early in the season, realizing 80@87½c per bushel. The present outlook for better prices is not warranted in the face of reported facts.

The reported world's surplus is 90,000,000 bushels over that of 1889. In view of this statement which has been put before the wheat centres gives unfavorable futures for the producers. There is a reported tonnage on the way to Portland sufficient to move 3,000,000 bushels, and with the expected tonnage to come, the 1890 cereal product will be nearly cleared from the coast by the time the next harvest is ready, provided transportation has been sufficient to move the crop to the seaboard.

Portland's quotation is, for valley \$1.20 @1.22½; Eastern Oregon, \$1.10@1.12½ per cental.

Chicago and European markets are irregular. We quote No. 1 54c, No. 2 53c per bushel.

FLOUR—Extra brands \$4.00 per bbl. Diamond and Walla Walla, \$3.85 @ \$4.00. OATS—The market is firm with an upward tendency. Quote \$1.55 per cental, sacked.

BARLEY—Prime for brewing purposes, \$1.05@1.10 per cental sacked. Feed Barley \$1.00@1.05 per cental sacked.

MILLSUFFS—The trade is not well supplied and is firm, owing to the increased demand, as the winter approaches. Dealers quote bran mixed \$18.00@19.00 per ton, shorts \$20.00 per ton, middlings \$22.50 per ton, rolled barley \$30.00 per ton, ground or chopped, \$28.00 per ton.

HAY—The market is steady and firm, with an upward tendency. Choice timothy is selling from wagons at \$18.00@19.00 per ton. Wheat hay is very firm in the face of a limited supply, best quality quoted at \$14.00 per ton and inferior at \$13.00@14.00 per ton. Oat hay is scarce and sells at \$14.00 per ton. Alfalfa is limited and sells readily in this market at \$14.00@16.00 per ton.

POTATOES—Are plentiful at prices ranging from 0.85@0.90 per cental, sacked.

BUTTER—Gilt edge butter finds a ready sale at 0.60 per roll, while good to choice 0.55 per roll, packed butter in brine, 0.40@0.50 per roll, according to quality. The market is not well supplied with choice or gilt edged.

EGGS—The mild weather has been favorable on barnyard fowls, and the egg supply has been fair, quotations are 0.28@0.30 per dozen with the tendency of an immediate decline as the stocks on hand are increasing.

POULTRY—Spring chickens are selling at \$2.00@2.75 per dozen. Turkeys 0.10 per pound. Ducks, 0.40 each. Geese, \$1.00 each.

WOOL—Eastern Oregon, is quoted at 0.14@0.16 per pound.

HIDES—Prime dry hides are quoted at 0.04@0.05 per pound. Culls, 0.03@0.03½. Salt, 0.03. Green, 0.02. Sheep pelts 0.40@0.60 per pelt. Bear skins \$2.50@ \$8.00.

BEEF—On foot, clean and prime 0.02½ per pound. Ordinary, 0.02@0.02½. MUTTON—Wethers, extra choice \$3.50 per head, common, \$2.75@3.00 per head.

HOGS—Live heavy, 0.04 per pound, medium weight 0.03½ per pound, dressed 0.05@0.05½ per pound. Lard 5lb. 0.55; 10lb. 1.07; 40lb. 0.09 per lb.

YESTERDAY'S dispatches state that the contest for the United States senate in Idaho has been settled; that Shoup and McConnell will be elected, and that DuBois will then be elected for the long term. Claggett, by far the ablest man of them all, will be left in the shade. McConnell, having formed an alliance with Claggett, has deserted him and gone over to the enemy, making terms for himself and leaving his former comrade in the cold. It is not the correct thing among friends, but politics are allowed to cover a multitude of sins, and they generally do.

SHERIFF'S SALE. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco county. D. M. French, receiver, plaintiff, vs. M. A. Chamberlain, defendant. By virtue of an execution to me directed, issued out of the above entitled court in the above entitled cause, in favor of the plaintiff above named, on the 1st day of December, A. D. 1890, commanding me to satisfy the several sums of \$2,538.06, the judgment obtained herein, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent, per annum since November 17, A. D. 1890, and \$200 attorney's fees, and \$13.25 costs of suit and accruing costs, by levying upon and selling in the manner provided by law for the sale of real property on execution, all the right, title and interest of the said defendant, M. A. Chamberlain, in and to the following described real estate: The north-west quarter of section 12, township 4, south of range 12 east, W. M.; and also one-half acre of land situate in the town of Prattsville, commencing at the southwest corner of T. W. Mackee's lot and running thence south 5 rods, thence east 16 rods, thence north 5 rods, thence west 16 rods to the place of beginning, in Wasco county, Oregon, I levied upon said real estate on the 9th day of December, 1890, and to satisfy the aforesaid several sums and accruing costs, I

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