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The People Demand it of the Present Legislative Assembly.

THE MUSTARD-SEED MEMBER.

What the Oregonian Should do—Were it the Friend of the People What it Would do.

SALEM, Jan. 31.—[Special.]—The Capital Journal produces the following list of OPEN RIVER SENATORS.

SMITH, RALEY, DENNY, WILLIS, HIRSCH, FULTON, STEIWER, MATLOCK, WOODARD, BLACKMAN, McALLISTER.

Then comments as follows: "The above senators showed themselves to be friends of the people, and in favor of open rivers and water competition to the seaboard for Oregon products. "The senate has made a serious mistake in voting down the Raley bill for a second portage railway at the dalles. "The state has built one portage at the cascades, and there is urgent necessity to complete the opening of the river with a second state portage. "This bill should not be allowed to be killed by a few corporation lawyers in the senate, and a few, who for political reasons follow the recommendation of Governor Penneyer. "It is a well known fact that if Eastern Oregon has to wait for the general government to open the Columbia that section will be at the mercy of the corporations for generations to come. "The objection that Idaho and Washington would be benefited by a state portage built by Oregon is futile, for the more they ship over it the less it will cost the people of Oregon to ship their own products. "The senate should reconsider the vote on the Raley bill. If it does not there are several appropriation bills for Willamette valley institutions, the opening of the Willamette locks, that will suffer serious inconvenience in passage. "Open the rivers is the demand of the people of Oregon."

Demand an Open River.

PRINDLETON, Jan. 31.—[Special.]—Each citizen of Eastern Oregon personally acquainted with members of the legislature should write letters to them, suggesting the E. O. before Raley's portage railway bill comes up again, demanding and imploring the passage of the bill and the opening of the river. The increase in the value of property tributary to the river would provide the state with a tax fund that would more than meet the interest on the \$400,000 required to make the improvement. Eastern Oregon people are entitled to an open river and the legislature which fails to provide it is an enemy of the people, of the state, of progress, and of freedom. The desert lands now lying idle along the Columbia river would be fruit farms, truck patches, wheat fields, happy homes, if the river was open from Pasco to the sea. Men who are now denied access to natural opportunity would be enabled to secure land which would give them and their families a competency. The "open river" would insure them reasonable freight rates on the produce and the traffic which would spring up along the river would gradually build towns and encourage settlement of all the barren tracts of land, which, with water, and there is plenty of both in the vicinity, would blossom as the rose and increase Oregon's taxable wealth from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000.

Some mustard-seed member of the legislature has the audacity and stupidity to claim that an open river would benefit Idaho and Washington more than it would Oregon. We are willing to wager our life against his that that fellow is small and selfish enough to let his wife cut and bring in the stove wood and milk the cows while he wastes his time discussing politics from his narrow standpoint and securing a levelhood by his ability to secure something for doing nothing. These are the fellows who always stand in the way of greater freedom. Both of the great political parties of the country are over-burdened while the people are oppressed by them. If the Oregonian would earnestly advocate an open river, show beyond a doubt that Portland was not opposed to it either in the spirit or to the letter, for a week or ten days without abating warmth or fervor, it would help much to secure the passage of Raley's bill providing for a portage railway between The Dalles and Gillio. Portland and the Oregonian can aid and secure the passage of this measure and give the people of Eastern Oregon an open river. It is a public enterprise that ranks far ahead of jute mill construction, a world's fair exhibit, state school books and a state militia. It would make commerce freer. When that is done the people will become more prosperous and progressive.

BATTLING WITH BOREAS.
Arctic Relief Expedition in the Waters of Maryland.

CAMBRIDGE, Md., Jan. 30.—[Special.]—The steam tug Gredgun finally landed supplies for the inhabitants of Chincoteague Island yesterday, after battling with the ice for 12 hours. It was a life and death struggle. Had communication with the island been cut off a day or two longer, the consequences would have been disastrous. As it was, many persons had suffered for food and fuel, and milk cows had been killed to meet the pressing necessities. Some persons had not eaten a mouthful for two days, and a number of others had subsisted for several days upon bread alone. Three thousand islanders have been cut off from all communication with the mainland for over two weeks. The steamer was badly damaged by ice. Nearly all the people of the island were gathered at the wharf to welcome the supply boat. During the freeze-up, when the demand for oysters was so great in the cities, it is probable that 1,000 barrels a day would have been shipped from Chincoteague island if the oystermen had not been prevented from working; their stock will now reach a full market. The Rev. George J. Jones was holding revival services during the freeze-up, and the church was crowded day and night with frightened, but patient people.

The Vote for Senators.

BISMARCK, N. D., Jan. 30.—The ballot for United States senator is: Casey thirty-five; Mrs. M. L. McCormack, thirty; Mrs. Walter Muir one, others scattering, no choice.

CHEYENNE, Jan. 30.—The vote for United States senator, distributed among all candidates, is as follows: Okie sixteen, New ten; highest of others five.

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 30.—A joint ballot for United States senator is: Sanders thirty; Clark twenty-one; Dixon eleven; Collins two.

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 30.—The vote for United States senators is without material change.

OLYMPIA, Jan. 30.—The 37th and 38th ballots show no change.

Snap Shots.

M. Eiffel is to build a bridge at the Neva at St. Petersburg with a structure to cost \$14,000,000. This, however may prove much easier than to bridge over his Panama difficulties at Paris. A dispatch from London says that "the man who broke the bank at Monte Carlo is in jail." Now, then, where's the man who wrote that song about him? Jerry Simpson, who has had a falling out with his fellow-populists in Kansas, must be seeking the sphere of aristocracy. The hoop-skirt will probably come. But we will keep out the cholera.

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EMINENT MEN SURROUND THE BIER

A Marked Air of Decorous Solemnity Attended the Throng on the Outside of the Mansion.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—[Special.]—James G. Blaine was buried on the 63d anniversary of his birth yesterday. It was unfortunate that the arrangement for having the funeral public and at the capitol could not be carried out, as a private funeral was simply impossible. The magnetism of the man clung to him in death, and overcame all conventionalities. The surging wave of public interest swept over the barriers and made his private funeral the most impressive public demonstration. The most eminent men in the nation stood around the bier. All business in the national capital was suspended during the service. The presence of President Harrison, the cabinet, the supreme judges, the high officials of congress and the diplomatic corps, was not more significant than the homage of the waiting crowds who, in respectful silence, lined the streets through which the funeral cortege passed. The parlors were not able to contain all who received invitations. Even the house was too small, and many perforce remained in their carriages, which filled the adjacent streets, standing along Pennsylvania avenue in front of the treasury, the war, the state and the navy buildings. A marked air of decorous solemnity attended even on the outside. As the hour for the services arrived, the members of the family were grouped around the casket, the remainder of those present standing, as there was no room for chairs. A simple service of prayer constituted the rites. Rev. Dr. Hamlin, standing beside the casket, delivered in a low tone the Presbyterian service for the dead. Walter Damrosch meantime touching the keys of the piano to the notes of a slow dirge. Dr. Hamlin thanked God that life had ended only that immortality might begin; he besought the Almighty for comfort to the members of the stricken household. This ended the brief, impressive service; the casket was closed, tenderly borne to the hearse, and the procession wended its way slowly to the Church of the Covenant. The services at the church were as simple as at the house, consisting of the service for the dead, selections from the scriptures and prayer. Then the funeral procession re-formed and the body was conveyed to Oakhill cemetery and laid to rest.

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The threatened hoop skirt revival is now agitating New York, as well as Paris and London. Already Sorosis, the leading ladies club, says the movement must not triumph, while anti-crinkoline leagues are beginning to whoop up vigorous opposition.