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WEDNESDAY - - DEC. 20, 1899

THE HOUSE DOES BUSINESS.

The house of representatives has made an excellent and almost unprecedented record, says the Telegram. It has passed an important bill before the holiday recess, something seldom done. It was enabled to do this by the rules invented and put into use by ex-Speaker Thomas Brackett Reed. It is easy to frame a high-sounding argument against these rules. It is true that to a certain extent they gag a minority, but this has become absolutely necessary in order to do the business of the country, especially at such a time as this, when a great deal of legislation is necessary. The party in power is responsible to the country for legislation. And there is this to be said in commendation of the Republican party-it sticks together in a solid mass, and legislates. Good or bad, wise or foolish, it accomplishes something. If the people don't like it, they can express their disapproval after not to exceed two years' time by electing a Democratic house, as they have done on many occasions.

The currency bill passed by the house is a Republican measure. A majority of the well-informed business people of the country believe that something of the kind is necessary, and will be beneficial. So strong is that belief, especially in the far Eastern states, that eleven Democrats from that section of the country voted for the bill. Now it goes to the senate, and it is to be regretted that it cannot be pushed through that body as speedily as it was through the house. A long debate will influence nobody, enlighten nobody. But it will not be passed by the senate for several weeks, perhaps not till spring, and then probably with amendments. So it may be late next spring before any currency reform bill becomes a law.

After one of the longest ocean races on record the Brooklyn, American-built cruiser, reached Manila four days ahead of the New Orleans, an English-built war-ship of the American navy. The speed test must afford gratification to American shipyards, for the New Orleans is rated faster than the Brooklyn by the English experts.

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PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

She-"I wouldn't be silly, Algy, if I were you." He-"Of course not, but, not being me, you can't help it."-Moon-

to Miss Beaconhill. "Excessively warm, and I put on my heavyweight eyeglasses this morning, too."-Town Topics.

Time to Stop.-Jack Bachelor-"I suppose you will name him after Dewey?" Ned Newlywed-"Well-erno! You see, Jane and I both think that Dewey has had honors enough."-Puck. Cause and Effect,-Mr. Dukane-"The sultan of Sulu came in promptly out of the wet." Mr. Gaswell-"Yes; he wished to prolong his reigny season."-Pittsburgh Chroniele-Telegraph.

Oh, Dread Disease!-"Bickersniff's doctor has ordered him to cease riding in his horseless carriage for awhile." "What's the trouble?" "He's used it so constantly that he has become automobilius."-Philadelphia North Ameri-

Dr. Squills-"That young doctor doesn't use any judgment. He prescribes trips to Europe for his poor patients and advises the rich ones to take long walks in the park." Dr. Pills-'That's a very clever idea. He gets rid of the poor patients and keeps the rich ones."-N. Y. Journal.

No Equity About 1t.—"Fate doesn't order these things with any degree of equity," said the young man with the up-and-down collar. "Why not?" said fraid central Station, Fifth and Irving streets the girl. "For instance," said the youth, "the ovster retires for four months, but ice cream has an open season all the year round."-Cleveland Plain Dealer. Being Careful. - "Leonidas!" ex-

claimed Mr. Meekton's wife, on his return from a journey, "I am at a loss to understand your conduct when we parted. I said good-by to you." "Yes, Henrietta." "Why didn't you say goodby in response?" "I was just about to do so, Henrietta, but I checked myself. I was afraid you would accuse me of trying to have the last word again."-Nashville Star.

THE SUPPORTING ARM.

Women No Longer Cling to Their Escorts on the Streets or at Public Functions.

Of course it is no news to state that it is no longer fashionable for a woman to take the arm of her escort upon the street. That custom, in vegue for centuries, has gone, never to return. It is still customary for a woman to accept the arm of her masculine companion when going to dinner at a fashionable function, but this, too, will soon doubtless pass away. Indeed, there are aiready signs of decadence. For some time past the lunch party has resolved tself into an indescribable scramble to find one's place, and a seat between two unknown persons to whom you are afraid to make a remark lest something untoward should ensue. This season the same lack of ceremony decrees that our ingenues must march about a ballroom without taking their partners' arm, and our downgers go down to supper without any more masculine support than is afforded by the proximity f a black coat.

The support of a gentleman's arm was once considered indispensable to the ladies. In the '40s and '50s husbands and wives not only walked the streets and appeared in the park inexorably linked, but it was the proper thing for them to enter a drawing-room arm-inarm at a dinner party or a rout. You may still, now and again, see very quiet, old-fashioned people doing so. The wife, whatever her character or ienperament, was held by society at large to be a gentle, helpless, dependent ereature, too modest to be capable of entering a crowded party by herself. Those were the days, to be sure, when wives never accepted a dinner invitation alone; if the husband could not go for any reason the wife meekly stayed at home. We have changed those drastic conjugal laws considerably during the last few years, and nowadays a woman has not only learned to make her appearance in society without any male belongings, but you will occasionally find a whole table filled with guests who none of them belong legally one to the other. Who shall say if the change is for the better? It is, perhaps, too early to decide, but that we shall never go back to the old manners and the old ideals is tolerably certain.-Chicago Chron-

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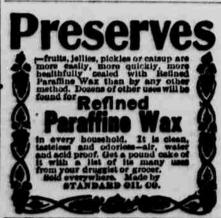
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NOTICE.

STATE OF OREGON.
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SALEM, NOV 21, 1899.

In accordance with the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act Submitting to the Electors of the State of Oregon at the General Election to be held on the first Monday in June, 1960, the pending Proposed Constitutional Amendments, approved February 18, 1899, 1, T. T. Geer, Governor of the State of Oregon, do hereby cause the following proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of Oregon, as certified to by the Secretary of State, to be published for five consecutive weeks in The Dalles Chronicle, a newspaper published in the Seventh Judicial District of the State of Oregon.

Done at the Capitol, at Salem, Oregon.

Done at the Capitol, at Salem, Oregon, [SEAL] this 21st day of November, A. D. 1899.
T. T. GEER, Governor.

By the Governor: F. 1. DUNBAR, Secretary of State.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION, NO. 4. Be it resolved by the Senate, the House con-curring: That the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Oregon be and is That Section 10 of Article XI. of the Constitu-tion of the State of Oregon be and the same is hereby abrogated, and in lien thereof Section 10 of Article XI. shall be as follows:

ARTICLE XI. Section 10. No county, city, town, school district or other municipal corporation shall be allowed to become indebted in any manner or for any purpose to an amount including present existing indebtedness in the aggregate exceeding five per centum on the value of the taxable property therein to be ascertained by the last assessment for State and county taxes previous to the incurring of such indebtedness.

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Adopted by the Senate January 30, 1893. C. W. FULTON, President of the Senate Concurred in by the House, February 2, 1893. W. P. KRADY, Speaker of the House. Adopted by the Senate January 31, 1895.

JOSEPH SIMON, President of the Senate

Concurred in by the House, February 4, 1896, CRAS. B. MOORES, Speaker of the House SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION, NO. 13.

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House con-curring: That the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Oregon, in lieu of Section Ten of Article Seven (7), be and the same is hereby proposed, to-wit: SECTION TEN.

The Legislative Assembly may provide for the election of Supreme and Circuit Judges in distinct classes, one of which classes shall consist of five Justices of the Supreme Court, who shall not perform circuit duty; and the other class shall consist of as many Circuit Judges as may be deemed necessary, who shall hold full terms without allotment and who shall take the same each at the Supreme Judges. oath as the Supreme Judges.

The Legislative Assembly may create as many circuits as may be necessary.

Adopted by the Senste, February 15, 1893.
C. W. Fulton, President of the Senste.
Concurred in by the House, February 15, 1893.
W. P. Keady, Speaker of the House.

Adopted by the Senate, January 31, 1895. JOSEPH SIMON, President of the Senate Concurred in by the House, February 6, 1895. CHAS. B. MOORES, Speaker of the House

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION, NO. 10. Resolved by the House, the Senate concurr-ing. That the following amendment to the Con-stitution of the State of Oregon be and hereby is proposed: That the Constitution be amended by adding Article XIX. as follows, to wit:

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Section I. The necessary use of lands for the construction of reservoirs or storage basins for the purpose of irrigation or for rights of way for the construction of canals, diches, llumes or pipes to convey water to the place of use for any useful, beneficial or necessary purpose, or for drainage, or for drainage of mines or the workings thereof, by means of roads, milroads, tramways, cuts, tunnels, thaffer, hoisting works, dump or other necessary means to their complete development or any other use necessary to the complete development of the natural resources of the State or preservation of the leath of its inhabitants, is hereby declared to be a public use and subject to the regulation and control of the State.

Section 2. The right to appropriate the unappropriated waters of any natural stream to beneficial uses shall never be denied.

Section 3. The use of all waters now appropriated for sale, rental or distribution, also of all waters originally appropriated for private use, but which, after such appropriation, has hereby fore been or may hereafter be sold, rented or distributed, is hereby declared to be a runlie use and subject to the regulation and control of the State in the manner prescribed by law. But the right to use and appropriate ruch waters shall be subject to the 1 por visions of law for the tak-ARTICLE XIX.

state in the manner prescribed by law. But the right to use and appropriate such waters shall be subject to such i rovisions of law for the taking of private property for public or private use as provided in Section 18, Article 1 of the Constitution of the state of Oregon.

Section 4. The right to collect taxes or compensation for the use of water supplied to any county, city, town or water district or inhabitants thereof, is a franchise, and count be exercised except by authority of and in a manner prescribed by law.

Adopted by the House, February 15, 1803,
W. P. KEADY, Speaker of the House,
(Signed March 7, 1893,)
Adopted by the Senate, February 17, 1893,
C. W. FULTON, President of the Senate,
(Signed March 28, 1893)

Adopted by the House, February 6, 1895. CHAS. B. MOGRES, Speaker of the House. Concurred in by the Senate, February 13, 1895, JOSEPH SIMON, President of the Senate.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2. proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the state of Oregon, by repealing section 35 of Article 1.

Resolved by the House, the senate concurring that Section 35 of Article 1 of the Constitution e and hereby is repealed.

Adopted by the House, January II, 1895.

W. P. KEADY, Speaker of the House.

Concurred in by the Senate, January 30, 1803. C. W. FULTON, President of the Senate Adopted by the House, January 30, 1895. Chas. B. Moores, Speaker of the House Concurred in by the Senate. February 12, 1895 JOSEPH SIMON, President of the Senate

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7. Be it resolved by the Senate, the House con-curring: That the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Oregon be and is nereby proposed:

The elective franchise in this State shall not creafter be prohibited to any citizen on account

Adopted by the Senate, Februray 6, 1895. JOSEPH SIMON, President of the Senate Adopted by the House, February 6, 1895. CHAS. B. MOORES, Speaker of the House.

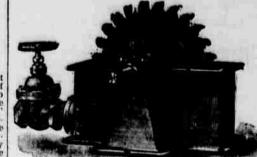
Adopted by the Senate. January 31, 1899. T. C. TAYLOR, President of the Senate Adopted by the House, January 31, 1809. E. V. CAETER, Speaker of the House UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

STATE OF OREGON, Office of Secretary of State. Office of Secretary of State. State of Oregon and Consodian of the Seal of said State, do hereby certify that I have compared the preceding copy of Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, of the Legislative Assembly of 1893,—"Municipal Indebtedness amendment:" Sonate Joint Resolution No. 13 of the Legislative Assembly of 1893,—"Judiciary Amendent:" House Joint Resolution No. 10 of the Legislative Assembly of 1893,—"Judiciary Amendent:" House Joint Resolution No. 0 of the Legislative Assembly of 1893,—"Irrigation Amendment:" House Joint Resolution No. 2 of the Legislative Assembly of 1893,—"Repealing Amendment:" and Senate Joint Resolution No. 7 of the Legislative Assembly of 1893,—"Equal Suffrage Amendment." with the original copies now on file in this office, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and the whole thereof.

In Trestimony Whenreof. I have here-

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have here-unito set my hand and affixed hereto the seal of the State of Oregon. Done at the Capitol, at Salem, Oregon, this Third day of November, A. D.

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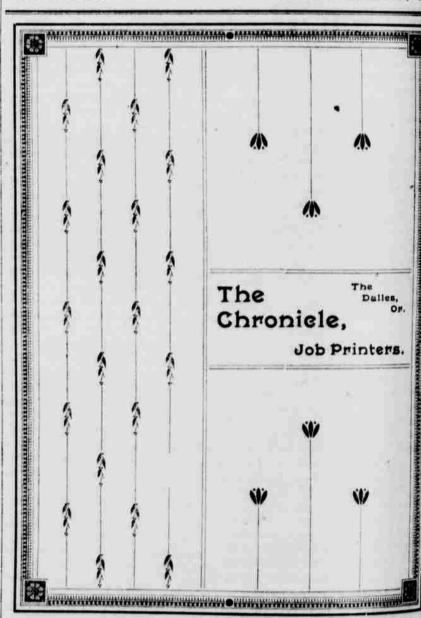
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Sheriff's Sale.

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P Meinerny, as administrator of the estate of Phillip Brogan, deceased, Piaintiff,

J. P. McInerny, as administrator of the estate of Phillip Brogan, deceased, Plaintiff, Vs.

N. W. Wallace and S. F. Wallace, Defendants.

By virtue of an execution, decree and or der of sale, duly issued out of and under the seal of the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Wasso, to me directed and dated the 28th day of November, 1829, upon a decree for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage, in favor of plaintiff and against said defendants, and judgment rendered and entered in said court in the above entitled cause, in favor of plaintiff and against the defendant N. W. Wallace, as judgment rendered and entered in said court in the above entitled cause, in favor of plaintiff and against the defendant N. W. Wallace, as judgment tendered from the 8th day of September, 1829, at the rate of ten [10] per cent per annum, and the further sum of one hundred dollars [190] as attorney [see and the further sum of the hundred dollars [190] as attorney [see and the treater of the full per cent per annum, and to 100 dollars [120 20] and the costs of and upon this writ, and commanding me to make sale of the real property embraced in such decree of foreclosure and hereinafter described: said decree and judgment having been rendered and entered on the 24th day of October, 1829. I will on the third day of January, 1909, at the hour of 20 clock in the afternoon of said day and at the front door of the county court house, in Dalles City, Wasco county, Oregon, sell at public suction to the highest hidder for oash in hand all the right, title and interest which the defendants horein, have since acquired or now have in and to the following described real property situated and being in Wasco county, Oregon, to-wit: The southorst quarter of the southeast quarter, the south harf of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight, in township seven south, of range seven see, or so much of said property will be sold subject to confirmation and redemption as by law provided.

Baid property will be sold subject to confirmat

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE

In the matter of the guardianship of Gergeou, for Wasse county.

In the matter of the guardianship of Gergeout, Frank Klimt, Annie Jordan, Katie Jordan and Mary Jordan, minors.

Now on this with day of December, 1809, cms William Jordan, the duly appointed, qualish and acting guardian of the above named minar and presented his petition praying for an edeauthorizing and directing him to sell the interior of said minors in certain real property heris of said minors in certain real property heris after described, and it appearing to the form said petition that it is necessary and less ficial to said wards that their interest in he south half of the southeast quarter of seeks like south half of the southeast quarter of seeks like the mother and next of kin ordered that Theres Kin sold: therefore it is ordered that Theres Kin and next of kin of Annie, Katie and Frank Klimt and said William Jordan, fabrand next of kin of Annie, Katie and Jordan, and all persons interested in said study appear before this court at the court roombre appear before this court at the court roombre of in Dalless City, Oregon, on the did by Jenuary, 1900, at the hour of two octock a then and there to show cause why a lise should not be guanted for the saie of such said and that this order be published at less the should not be guanted for the saie of such said and that this order be published at less the should not be guanted for the saie of such said said that this order be published at less the successive weeks in The Dalles Grosica weekly howspaper printed in said county.

Dated this 9th day of December, 1889.

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