

A BIGGER AND BETTER MAN.

Ellis comes to the scratch at last. The education of the man, out of his ignorance, demagogy and stupidity, has been a long and tedious process.—Oregonian.

Commenting on the above uncomplimentary and uncalled for remarks, the Salem Statesman, one of the best republican papers of the state, says:

The fact is, Mr. Ellis is a better and bigger man than he has been represented by the Oregonian.

He has been firmly on the St. Louis platform, the national platform of his party, ever since it was adopted. He is a very industrious man in the interests of his district and his state and his abilities will compare very favorably with those possessed by any man within the range of choice in that half of Oregon.

WALLA WALLA people are again resting easy, they having assurance from Washington City that the army post will not be removed from their midst. The garrison at Walla Walla is a source of great revenue to the city and its removal meant great loss to its people in a financial way. Aside from this, the army post at Fort Walla Walla is of little use, as we see it, and might just as well be anywhere else so far as its necessity to this section of the U. S. is concerned.

THE question as to whether the heirs of a man who commits suicide when in sound mind can recover on an insurance policy has just been passed upon in the United States supreme court. Justice Harlan, who rendered the decision, decided that they could not. But it seems that it would be difficult, as a rule, to determine as to the soundness of the mind of a man at the time he takes his own life. It has been held that the commission of suicide is evidence of mental unsoundness.

FROM what reliable information this paper can gather, it is lead to believe that among populists, generally, the scheme of fusion with the other so-called reform forces in this state is being opposed. In some localities the idea seems to take pretty well, but among the best element of the populist party it is looked upon with many doubts and misgivings. Of course a large number of free-silver democrats and free-silver republicans are imploring them to come in, it being quite plain that these factions in the state stand no show whatever of winning anything unless aided by the populists, but many populists appear to be in favor of staying out and making the fight on the line of the principles they have so long contended for and which are not fully endorsed by either of the parties mentioned above. There may be a warm time in the camp of the "reform forces" before the fight is over, and should they desire to affiliate in the coming campaign, the populists can rest assured that their share in the spoils, in case of success, which is impossible, will be very small, indeed. These reform (?) fellows are out for the game.

SECRETARY GAGE has silenced the carping critics who have been constantly asserting that he is not in accord with President McKinley is behalf of international bimetalism. In a speech delivered at Philadelphia a few days since he said: "The political head of the republican party has been active to secure bimetalism under the only conditions by which it can be maintained; namely, international agreement with open mints to both silver and gold. In its efforts to inaugurate such method, the president heartily supports the principles of his party's platform, and in his efforts he has the support of all the members of his official family, innuendoes and declarations from various sources to the contrary notwithstanding. Until it can be secured in this rational manner, we propose to maintain the kind of bimetalism we have now, under which five hundred millions or more of silver are kept on a parity with gold. Under this standard practically for sixty years, and according to the democratic candidate's admission, for twenty-seven years by statute law, this country has developed and flourished as no other country has."

THOMAS B. TURLEY, democrat, was on Wednesday elected to the United States senate from Tennessee.

THE execution of Gus Washline will take place at Hillsboro today, the supreme court of the state refusing to interfere.

THERE is a move on foot among the republicans of Pennsylvania to down Boss Quay by putting up John Wannamaker for governor.

THE government has two hundred tons of provisions and forage in readiness for shipment to Alaska for the relief of the starving Klondikers. The provisions go from Portland and Seattle.

THE rush for the Klondike is still on the increase and will soon reach wonderful proportions. We opine the great rush will be coming from the other direction as a great many months have passed.

THE Oregonian seems to have forgotten that it and the crowd the paper represents, bolted the regular republican nominee for congress in this district at the last election, and its words of censure directed at the Mitchell-republicans whom it claims supported and aided the cause of Bryanism, comes with poor grace.

SINCE the opening of the wheat season in September, there has been shipped out of Portland 11,475,241 bushels of wheat, figuring flour as wheat at the ratio of 4 1/2 bushels to the barrel, at a total valuation of nearly \$10,000,000. This makes the largest wheat shipment on record for the metropolis of the northwest.

THE meeting of the republican league in Portland on Tuesday passed off quite harmoniously considering the elements brought together. Republicanism triumphed, and the two factions down at Portland were given to understand that neither is considered as the republican party of this state. This is right. The party is bigger than any man, and it should stand united on its principles alone.

PEOPLE along the coast of New Foundland and Nova Scotia are dying of starvation, being shut in by ice and snow, while in Australia the hot rays of the sun are striking down people and devastating crops. A little of Australia's heat scattered about the North Atlantic coast, and some of the latter's frigidities dispensed about the heated plains of Australia, would have the effect of bringing much relief to both localities.

THE republican state convention will be held at Astoria on April 11, and the convention for the 2d congressional district will be held on the 13th. The former will have 285 delegates, the latter 160. Morrow county's representation will be 4 in each convention. The city of Astoria is greatly elated over receiving the honor and promises royal entertainment of the delegates. A strong effort will be made to have the new railroad completed in time to run special trains from Portland to Astoria during the convention and it will be made an occasion of general rejoicing.

ONE thousand delegates attended the republican league meeting at Portland. Hon. Claud Gatch, of Salem, was elected president; Hon. C. W. Fulton, of Astoria, vice president; executive committee, S. B. Eakin, of Lane, at large; A. M. Crawford, of Lion, 1st district; R. B. Sinnott, of Wasco, 2d district. Delegates to the national league, numbering 14, were also chosen. Ringing resolutions were passed, endorsing the St. Louis platform and the policy of President McKinley and Secretary Gage on the financial question. The meeting was large and enthusiastic, and while a few unpleasant scenes were witnessed, they were much less than had

Consumption. Will SCOTT'S EMULSION cure consumption? Yes and no. Will it cure every case? No. What cases will it cure then? Those in their earlier stages, especially in young people. We make no exaggerated claims, but we have positive evidence that the early use of Scott's Emulsion of Cod-liver oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda in these cases results in a positive cure to a large number. In advanced cases, however, where a cure is impossible, this well-known remedy should be relied upon to prolong life surprisingly.

been anticipated and it seems to be the general opinion that the league meeting has been productive of much good to the party.

THE Teller resolution was buried out of sight when it came up before the house at Washington City on Monday, by a majority of 50 votes. In our last issue we predicted that this would be the result. We believe the lower house of congress represents the sentiments of the people, generally, better than does the senate, and their action in this matter doubtless has the approval of the great masses of the American people. At any rate the fate of the Teller resolution is settled and congress now devote its attention to more important matters.

The Ruined California Grape Crop. The partial loss of the grape crop this year, caused by the heavy rains, is estimated to exceed \$1,000,000. Farmers and vineyardists all over the northern part of the state have suffered. While this is true, it is equally a fact that lost and failing strength may be restored by the persistent, systematic use of the great tonic, Hostetters Stomach Bitters, which renews and tones the activity of the stomach, liver and the bowels, counteracts a tendency to rheumatism and kidney complaint, and prevents malarial disorders. After exhausting diseases have run their course, recovery is greatly accelerated by the use of the Bitters, which improves appetite and imparts renewed vigor to the debilitated physique.

About Prodigals. The prodigal son may return, but how about the prodigal daughter? As far as the world is concerned, there is no mercy for the prodigal daughter. Theason may wallow in the mire and filth of pollution, feed upon the husks of sin and infamy, and he will come back in becoming raiment, and knock at the door of society, he is eagerly received within its portals; marriageable daughters sinner and smile sweetly, and fond mammae are very gracious and kind in feeling it their womanly duty to encourage the fellow to do better now that he has sown his wild oats. But the prodigal daughter—oh, hush! Breathe not her name within the precincts of society. Keep her out; push her to a suicide's grave, appeasing your righteous indignation, return to petting and caressing the "dear boy" who has made a start to get back to the path of rectitude. Ten to one he never comes back. He knows he can sin and still keep his place in society.

Backen's Arnica Salve. The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chillsbains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Slocum Drug Co., E. J. Slocum, manager.

Two days, Wednesday and Thursday, of this week, have been occupied in a rehearing of the Rust-Johnson replevin case before Judge Richardson. This case first came up two weeks ago, at which time the Gazette gave the full particulars, but the jury disagreeing, a new trial was ordered. This time the jury was composed of O. E. Farnsworth, Floyd Thomas, L. N. Hughes, Wm. LeRae, M. S. Driskell, and Sam McBride. The case was submitted to the jury at noon yesterday, and after being out three hours, they brought in a verdict for the plaintiffs. Between \$400 and \$500 has already been spent on this case and the end is not yet.

Everybody Says. Cascares Candy Caramel, the most wonderful medicinal discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, acts gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispels colds, cures headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of O. C. C. today; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Very Rich in Gold. Jack Chambers, of Canyon City, passed through Heppner on Tuesday evening, en route to Portland and the coast. He had with him some samples of dirt, taken from the mine of Isaac Tucker, mentioned in last issue as having made a rich strike on his claim three miles above Canyon City. The samples were very rich in wire gold, and there appears to be any amount of it on the claim mentioned. Some \$500 a day is now being taken out, the gold being separated from the dirt very readily by crushing and washing. Mr. Chambers has a claim just below and adjoining Mr. Tucker's, but has done no work on it yet. This is certainly one of the richest strikes made in Eastern Oregon in a long while, and is bringing Klondike close to home.

FREE SILVER. A meeting will be held at Heppner, Oregon, on Saturday, February 12th, 1898, for the purpose of organizing a free silver club. All those who are in sympathy with the cause of free silver, regardless of party affiliations, are urgently requested to attend. Remember the date, Feb. 12th, at 2 o'clock p. m. BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE. At the M. E. church, North, special music will be rendered next Sunday in connection with the usual services. An energetic man of integrity, ability and good address is wanted to represent the Northwestern Medical Life Insurance Company as District agent with headquarters at Heppner. A good opening for a regular. Previous experience in life insurance not essential. Address with references. S. T. LOCKWOOD & SON, General Agents, Portland, Or. HAY AND PASTURE FOR SALE. I have 20 tons of ryegrass, located seven miles from Heppner, good roads and no hills. Also other hay and bunchgrass for sale. C. N. PECK, Lexington, Or.

Dr. Darrin Will Remain In Heppner Until Further Notice, Owing to the Many Patients Coming for Treatment—Perhaps He Will Remain Until March 1st.

PAIN IN HEART TWENTY YEARS. Mr. Editor: This is to certify that I had a pain in my heart and breast twenty years, and tried many physicians, without success. After four months' home treatment by Dr. Darrin I am restored to health and gladly give my testimony in his behalf. I reside at Silverton, Oregon, where I can be addressed or referred to. C. W. BARKHURST. Dr. Darrin will remain at the Palace Hotel until further notice, and will in future treat all cases with office or home treatment at the rate of \$5 a week, or in that proportion of time, as cases may require. The poor treated free, except medicines, from 9 to 10 a. m. daily. Patients able to pay, from 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. Examinations free to all. All curable chronic, acute and private diseases, treated with electricity, and medicines when required, and makes a specialty of all diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, catarrh and deafness, bronchitis, la grippe, consumption, dyspepsia, constipation, heart, liver and kidney diseases. 619-44.

A VERY USEFUL ARTICLE. Mr. Frank Engelman, of Ione, is the agent for a self-heating flat iron, manufactured by J. F. Casey & Co., of St. Louis. This is one of the best articles in this line that it has been the privilege of this paper to see. Mr. Engelman is now canvassing the county and securing a large number of orders. No housewife should be without one of these self-heating flatirons. Below we give a testimonial from Rev. Henry Barnhart, pastor of the Baptist church, at this place. It speaks for itself: IONIA, OR., Feb. 1, 1898. To Whom it May Concern: This certifies that my wife has in her possession one gasolene self-heating flat iron, manufactured by J. F. Casey & Co., St. Louis, Mo., and the same has been in use for eight months, and has and is still giving good satisfaction. Respectfully, HENRY BARNHART, Pastor 1st Baptist church, Heppner, Oregon.

PERSONALLY CONDUCTED EXCURSIONS TO ALL POINTS EAST. Every Tuesday night a personally conducted tourist car excursion will leave Portland for Dever, Kansas City, Omaha, Chicago, and Boston, without change, via the Oregon Railroad & Navigation, Oregon Short Line, Rio Grande Western, Denver & Rio Grande, Rock Island, Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, New York Central and Boston & Albany lines. The tourist cars in this line will be operated by the Pullman Company, thus insuring to the passengers all of the comforts of modern day travel at half the usual Pullman rates. The route takes the passenger through Salt Lake City, Leadville, Denver, etc., offering the tourist a view of the grandest scenery on the American continent. For additional particulars, printed matter or rates, write Mr. J. Roche, Northwest Passenger Agent R. G. W. Ry., 142 Third St., Portland, Oregon.

Andy J. Cook, of Lena precinct, was a visitor to Heppner several days this week looking after business matters. While in town he made arrangements for the keeping, for a short time, by the I. O. O. F., of Joseph Dupuy, an old gentleman in destitute circumstances, who resides on Butler creek. Mr. Cook will bring the old man to town to be cared for on Saturday.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE. THE partnership heretofore existing between J. F. Engelman and Ed Engelman, doing business at Ione, Oregon, under the firm name of Engelman Bros., has been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts and accounts owing by said firm will be paid by Ed Engelman, FRANK ENGELMAN, ED ENGELMAN. Dated at Ione, Or., Feb. 2, 1898. 619-28.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FOR the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of this county and for state and its diploma, the county school superintendent, Ed J. Whitley, will hold a public examination at the court house at Heppner, Oregon, on Wednesday, Feb. 11, at 10 a. m. School Supt., Morrow Co. 19-21.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT UNDER and by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the county court of the state of Oregon, on the 26th day of January, 1898, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Helen M. Ailly, will on and after the 4th day of February, 1898, proceed to sell at private sale for cash in hand, all the following described real property of said estate, situated in Morrow county, Oregon, to-wit: The north-east quarter of section thirty-five, and the north-west quarter of section thirty-five, in township one, south of range twenty-six east W. M., also the south-east quarter of section thirty-five, in township one, south of range twenty-six east W. M., together with all the taxes, liens, encumbrances and appurtenances thereunto in anywise belonging. Dated at Heppner, Oregon, January 27, 1898. 12-22 F. R. LYONS, Administrator.

NOTICE OF HEARING OF CONTEST. U. S. LAND OFFICE, A GRANDE, OR., December 13th, 1897. Complaint having been made at this office by John B. Manning alleging that Kate Russell who made Timber Culture Entry No. 100 at the U. S. Land Office at Grande, Oregon, January 21, 1895, for the W 1/2 NW 1/4 and NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Sec. 28, T. 1 S., R. 27 E. W. M. has wholly failed to comply with the Timber Culture Law, that she did during the year 1896 wholly abandon said tract and that ever since has continued to abandon the same and has made no improvements upon said tract or any part thereof. Therefore, with the view of the cancellation of the said entry the said parties are hereby summoned and required to be and appear before J. W. Morrow, County Clerk of Morrow County, Oregon, at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on the 15th day of February, 1898, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, then and there to produce such testimony as they may have concerning said allegations. Final hearing to be had at the office of the register and receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Grande, Oregon, at 10 o'clock a. m. E. W. BARTLETT, Register. 19-21

NOTICE OF INTENTION. LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, Jan. 25, 1898. 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 J. W. Morrow, County Clerk, at Heppner, Oregon, on March 12, 1898, viz: WILLIAM R. TILLARD, H. E. No. 7742, for the NE 1/4 Sec. 29, T. 1 S., R. 27 E. W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William Barrett, Edmund Salinger, Miffin J. Devlin and William J. McCarty, all of Heppner, Oregon. E. W. BARTLETT, Register. 618-28.

CITATION. IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, for the County of Morrow. In the matter of the estate of John M. O. Spencer, a minor. To J. B. Sperry, guardian of the estate of said minor, greeting: You are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Morrow, at the Court room, in Heppner, in the County of Morrow, on Tuesday, the eighth day of February, 1898, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon of that day, then and there to settle your accounts as guardian of J. M. O. Spencer, a minor, and show cause, if any exist, why he should not pay over to the said John M. O. Spencer, the funds of money now in his hands belonging to said John O. Spencer. Witness, the Hon. A. G. Bartholomew, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, of the County of Morrow, with the seal of said Court attested, this 25th day of January, A. D. 1898. Attest: J. W. MORROW, Clerk. 618-28.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned assignee of E. S. and S. R. Cox, Insolvent Debtors, has filed his final account as such assignee with the clerk of the Circuit Court of Morrow County, Oregon, and that said account will be called up for hearing, and be passed upon Monday, the 23rd day of March, 1898, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, or as soon thereafter as the same can be heard and passed upon by the judge of said Court. Dated this 21st day of January, 1898. W. P. FELL, Assignee. 616-25.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OREGON, January 17, 1898. 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 J. W. Morrow, County Clerk, at Heppner, Oregon, on February 25, 1898, viz: ALBERT WILLIS, H. E. No. 3900, for the SW 1/4 Sec. 25, T. 2 S., R. 23 E. W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Frank Smith, James H. Willis and James Howler, of Lexington, Oregon, and Thomas A. Driskell, of Heppner, Oregon. JAS. F. MOORE, Register. 615-25.

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SUMMONS. IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, for Morrow County. W. P. Lark, H. E. Kinross, et al., Plaintiffs, vs. the Board of Commissioners of Morrow County, et al., Defendants. Adeline Howell, Henry Howell, Mary Howell, John Howell, Nellie Howell, William Howell, Stanford Howell, Joseph Howell, Thida Howell, Iva Howell, Frank Howell, Thomas Howell, Lily Howell, Hettie Farrer, Rix Farrer, Adeline Howell, et al., Administratrix and Henry Howell and Administrator of Stanford Howell, deceased, Defendants. In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above captioned suit on or before the first day of the next regular term of the court, to-wit: The 7th day of March, 1898, and if you fail to answer or answer without the payment of the costs and disbursements of the suit, and that the mortgage given by you to secure the payment of said note on the following described real property situated in Morrow County, State of Oregon, to-wit: The east quarter of Sec. 26, T. 4 S., R. 24 E. W. M., and the proceeds of said sale be applied to the payment of the amount due on said note. This summons is served upon you in pursuance of an order of the Hon. Stephen A. Lowell, Judge of the above entitled court, made and entered in said suit on the 30th day of January, 1898. BROWN & REDFIELD, Attorneys for Plaintiff. 19-30.

D. A. CURRAY, Formerly of Pendleton. Tonsorial Artist. Shaving, - - 15 Cts. Hair Cutting, - 25 Cents. Shop, Matlock Corner, Heppner, Oregon. J. L. GIBSON, At Our Corner Old Stand. Shaving, - - 15 Cts. Hair Cutting, - 25 Cts. Joe is keeping up the reputation of this shop for the best work and would be pleased to have you call. BENJ. MATHEWS.

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