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ASTORIA, OREGON:

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 18, 1885

CLEVELAND AND SILVER.

PRESSURE is being brought to bear upon President-elect Cleveland in regard to what some eastern people are pleased to call "the silver crisis." York contractors have insured the As the time for his inauguration is at decorations for \$50,000. The balhand he is waited upon by delega- conies will be hung with dark tions who ask him to state in his in- red velvet, spangled with gold. Each augural his views regarding silver; of the 144 pillars will be hung with and other delegations, who, in touch. ing terms implore him to say nothing about silver on that occasion.

Under the law of 1878, silver standard dollars and subsidiary silver coin flags. The president will enter the INTEREST are a legal tender, the same as gold room by a door draped in crimson But when specie payments silk curtains. The entrances are were resumed the New York sub. really carriage-ways so their size may treasurer applied to become a member be imagined. The Sun, which prints On Time Deposits. of the New York clearing house and the above, adds: President Clevewas admitted on the condition that the clearing house should never be asked to receive from the sub-trens. on a dais during the ceremonies of nry silver certificates representing the ball. The Tammany Democracy silver coin. In other words the are going to the inauguration cerebanks imposed on the government, as monies 500 strong. Several of the the condition of enjoying the entry leading braves have agreed to pay of their clearing-house, a covenant that silver should be discredited and through in fine shape with a band the Bland bill practically nullified, of music of 100 peices. The county This unwise step has led to the con. Democracy will be similarly represequences which might have been expected. In cities outside of New York the sub-treasuries receive and pay out far more silver than gold. Moody reported a surplus of \$300,000 They compel the banks to take silver in the state treasury. The legislature certificates by offering them the op- has provided for a state tax of four tion of taking them or silver coin. mills for the next two years, which But when country banks come to will give \$312,000 a year to run the make their exchanges with New York, state government. All sorts of little they find that all their payments must be made in gold. This rule drains their gold reserve, and Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago have gone to the secretary of the treasury for

All this has had the natural conseouence of making gold bear a slight premium over silver. It can be reble property at four mills on the dolceived at the New York clearing house while silver cannot. . Hence people county would get \$7,500, which would are naturally paying their debts in the cheaper currency and silver coin is becoming more abundant in the hands of the people: Sho,-keepers strongly to the average legislator for demand of their banks that they shall his vote that its passage is among the receive silver on deposit the same as probabilities of these closing days of gold or legal tender. The banks dare not refuse, for silver is a full legal tender. But they are embarrassed by being compelled to receive as money ture is fooling away its time like a Send for Your Friends. that which is not money at the New York clearing house. They foresee not agree what to play. Two years that their coin reserve is likely to con- ago the minority held out; this year sist hereafter more largely of silver it is the majority that is stubborn. than of gold. And they declare, in The best thing that can be said of the eastern fashion, that the end of the present situation is that if there the world will come in consequence. be anything in the rule of the major-

The situation does not look so very ity whether at Chicago for president alarming at this distance. A cure for or at Salem for senator, the majority the trouble can easily be found. All candidate should have it. The Bethat is necessary is for the New York publican party seems to be adopting clearing house to repeal a rule which Democratic tactics both in state and is inconsistent with the laws of the land. Let the banks clear either in gold or in silver at their option Then gold will cease to command any premium, silver will cease to suffrage. be discredited and future secretaries of the treasury will have no occasion to bewail the difficulty of storing great blocks of silver coin. It is as impossible to get it through the head of an eastern banker that gold is only made a standard of value by a law which may be amended or repealed as Sydney Smith said it was to get a good joke through the head of a Scotchman. If such financiers as Edward Atkinson of Boston, had lived in the early colonial days they would have insisted that the colonies were going to ruin when they demonetized cowry shells. It is not so easy to ruin a country like this; nor does the national prosperity depend on the conceits of the New York clearinghouse or the whims of the bank of England. Silver was the currency of THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE Garabald Packing Co., levy an assessment of \$30 upon the capital Stock, payable in ninety (90) days from date.

CHAS. WICKSTROM, the world for centuries before the Dutch landed on Manhatten Island. It answered all the purposes of money before the Scotchman Patterson, founded the bank of England, and it will continue to do so until McCauley's New Zealander makes his appearance on the ruins of the Brook- PLUMBER AND GAS FITTER. lyn bridge to sketch a site of the once tamous New York clearing-house.

In the meantime the politicians would make it appear that Cleveland will take a decided stand against the present condition of affairs, demand the repeal of the Bland bill and stop the coinage of silver. What he proposes to do in the matter can only be guesswork, but the feeling of con- Orego gress, which is far more important, is pretty generally known, and a majority of that body is in favor of letting well enough alone.

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sion building will hold about 59,000.

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land will return to the custom of

Washington and Jefferson, and stand

\$150 to \$150. The expedition will go

games are on to get away with that

surplus. Perhaps the most compre-

hensive of the whole lot is that intro-

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