RETRIBUTION.

Respectfully dedicated to the 268 politicians who didn't get a custom

house job. (Bloomington Paragraph.)

How well I remember lasht fall at the rally, I marched in the line wid the workin' min, sure, And felt just as proud as a king at be The fall of the rich and the rise of the

Sure that's what they tould me was mint by the victory, And no wonder that I was elated at

As I stipped to the music just like an old sojer, And wore a big rooshter on the top o' me hat.

I invied the boss wid his riches and omforts, o share of the profits I'd git if a dir I voted to kape up the tariff that only Protected the bosses and burdened the

I'll vote, just as sure as my name is For Grover, and thin, at the ratifica-I'll wear a big rooshter on the top o'

I done it, bad luck to the day and the I'd like to recall that same vote if I

And once agin hear the old sthame whistle soundin'
That called me to work when the times they were good, The boss he looks worried, the foreman

is sour. The old mill's deserted and gloomy at And all I have left for my share of the glory Is the old battered rooshter I wore on me hat.

I mustered up courage one day to spake to him And ask him how long we'd be idle.

You see The mill had been closed for a fort-night, an' loafin' Wid not a cint comin' was tellin' on me. He sez to me, "Pat, you and I will both suffer; Me bizness is crippled, me credit is

But if yez git hungry, yez know," he said slyly, "Yez can ate the ould rooshter yez wore on your, hat."

So there's the whole story, and none can deny it, The truth must be told though the heavens should fall, We made a mishtake in defeatin' the

party That gave us protection, good money and all, In four years from now yez may talk till you're spachless, An' argify till you're as gray as a rat, But if that party is again triumphant, The divil a rooshter yez'll see on me

ABOUT THE NEHALEM.

School Work-Improvement in Schools -A Graded Course Nahalem in General-Things that Grow There - Road Connection.

(By H. S. Lyman.) A recent trip through the Nehalem

valley to see the schools renews former impressions of the importance and value of that part of our county. If things in this corner of the state are ever to go, that is one of the feet that they must go on.

As to schools, with which the superintendent is more immediately concerned, there is much interest shown by the people. In general the school clific to Missouri river and intermediate points, effective Sunday, August 20th. Rates to all Eastern points correspondingly reduced. For full information, call at Ticket office, Union Paamong the best in the community. The cific dock, schoolhouse at Jewell, and that at Elsle-which goes by the name of Clover -are especially neat and well furnished. At Vine Maple there is a remarkably handsome site, in a grove of both kirds of maple trees, and by a clear At Vesper improvements in brook. the buildings are going on, and at Medley some talk of a new building is heard. Jewell and Clover are well furnished, and much intelligent interest is shown in all the districts in further improvements, such as more apparatus, a library for each school, collecting cabinets of natural curiosities, ornamenting the school grounds, and in such other things as make the school house and grounds pleasant to gaze upon, and by silent influence as well as by apoken words bring out the faculties and form the character. The real league which exists between knowledge -to which the education of "drawing out" of the faculties must be attended to-and cleanness, order, and even beauty and right, must be made to appear in the school house and its ar- TIME OF CLOSING THE MAIL AT rangements before it meets the demands of education. Things shabby, ugly, neglected, dismal, and disorderly in and about the school house repeat themselves in disorderly schools, dis mal recitations, neglected hours and days, and a narrow mind, and a shabby morality; or if they don't, it is due to better home influences which poor schooling cannot altogether spoil. Surely, school influences ought in no respect, either as to such as touch the mental or moral, or even physical life. to fall below the best average of home

the broader view is realized.

They have had good teachers in the Nehalem valley this summer. Miss Annie Belknap, Miss Sephia Groenel, Miss Jewel Wheeler, Miss Mand Bales, Miss Ruby Poster, Mr. H. A. Powell, and Mr. Wm. Bear, all having given good ratisfaction and done good work. A teacher, met last year at Vine Maple, Miss Nettle Jones, who was married during the winter to Mr. J. R. Wherry, of Elsie, but died this year in June, was much missed from the number. Her death is greatly regretted, and casts a shadow over more than one home; a shudow, however, that, as in the case of all who like her were cheer

ful and faithful and hopeful, while leaving the earth darker, makes the

But have to so

ky brighter and more truly discerned. The children in the Nehalem country are good stuff; not one invalid, or deformed, or non compis child, being seen in any school or home. So far as observed all are well-behaved, kindly and good-tempered. The country children labor under one great disadvantage in school work; their work is not graded. The difficulties in the way of grading the country schools, or supplying each a graded course, are great but the benefits ought to over-balance the difficulties, and there ought to be no rest until the graded system is adopted. Twelve hundred dollars a year invested in an efficient superintendent of grade work in the county schools, who should devise and enforce a practical graded system, uniform throughout the county, even though taken from the school fund, would just double the efficiency of the county Ah, sure I'll get even now wid ye, my schools. By wisely spending twelve hundred dollars, the ten thousand dollars or so that goes to the county schools from the county fund, would accomplish the work of .20,000. The organization, classification, and standing of the pupils in each school would be under the direction of such a superintendent. The loss of time and the destruction of interest which the pupil suffers from wrong classification, or noing over and over the same ground, or from the different notions of different teachers, would cease. All motive, which frequently affects good teachers, to merely "put in the time," when they work wholly alone, would be end-So far as appears, the districts ed: would favor a uniform graded course. It is certainly not fair to leave them

> (To be continued.) THE CHARLESTON AT RIO.

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Washington, Sept. 27.-The cruiser Charleston arrived at Rio Janeiro lest

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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have been appointed administrator of the estate of James P. Metz, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate, are notified to pay the same to me, at Astoria, Oregon, forthwith; and all persons having claims against said estate, are hereby notified to present the same to me, at the above place, within six months from the date hereof.

JAMES W. HARE.

Administrator of the above estate.
Dated at Astoria, Oregon, this 7th, day of July, 1893.

The Date of Concept Server with the same to me, at the above estate.
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Notice is hereby given that I have been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mary Ann Adair, de ceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to call at my of fice at No. 112, Genevieve street. Asto ria, Clatsop county, Oregon, and pay the same. And all persons having claims against said estate must pre sent the same to me. with the proper youchers, at the above named place, within six months from date of this notice. Dated, Astoria, Oregon, July 25, 1893.
B. VAN DUSEN.
Administrator of said estate.

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Astoria Building & Loan Association THE REGULAR MERTINGS OF THIS ASSO ciation are held at 8 P. M. on the first inesday of each month. Office on Genevieve et, south of Chenamus.

W. L. ROBB, Secretary.

RGULAR MERTINGS, FIRST AND at shired Tuesday evenings of each month at so'clock.

Fersons desiring to have matters acted upon by the Council, at any regular meeting. the Council, at any regular meeting must ent the same to the Auditor and Clerk, before the Friday evening prior to the lay on which the Council boids its regular K. OSBURN, Auditor and Police Judge.

Board of Pilot Commissioners. THE REGULAR MEETINGS OF THIS BOARD will be held on the first Monday, of each wouth at 10 s. m. at the office of Robb & Parker. W. L. ROBB. See NOTICE TO POLICY HOLDERS

Notice is hereby given to all persons in the State of Oregon holding policies in the State Investment & In-surance Company, of San Francisco,

Of the withdrawal from the state of Of the withdrawal from the state of Oregon of the State Investment & Insurance Company, of San Francisco, California, and to all other persons interested, that the said company has reinsured its business in the State of Oregon, in the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, of San Francisco, California, and has filed notice thereof with the secretary of state, of said state, and proposes to withdraw its securities on deposit with the treasurer thereof, and to cease doing business in said state.

state.

Any policy holder in the State of Oregon, or any other person having claims against said insurance company, are hereby notified to file the same with secretary of tate of the state of Oregon, within six (6) months from the date of the publication of this notice.

This notice is given pursuant to the provision of an act of the legislative assembly of the state of Oregon, entitled. provision of an act of the legislative assembly of the state of Oregon, entitled "An act to amend Sections 3564, 3568 and 3580, of Chapter L, of the Miscellaneous Laws of Oregon, as Compiled and Annotated by W. Lair Hill." Approved February 25, 1889.

THE STATE INVESTMENT

AND INSURANCE CO., By George I. Brander, President.

Attest; Charles M. Blair.

Attest; Charles M. Blair, Secretary

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the Circuit court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clatsop. Astoria Iron Works Plaintiff vs Dean Blanchard Defendant.

Dean Blanchard Defendant.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of and under the seal of the above entitled court, in the above entitled cause, on the 22nd day of June, 1893, upon a judgment duly made and rendered therein on the 19th day of June, 1893, which said execution and order of sale was to me directed and delivered, I did on the 8th day of opt., 1893, levy upon all the right, uitle, claim and interest of the within named defendant in and to the follownamed defendant in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: Beginning on the meander line 30.23 chains, westerly from the NE corner of the S. C. Smith Donation Land Claim, thence N 65 deg. 30 min., E 300 feet, thence N 24 deg. 30 min., W to ship's channel of the Columbia River, thence westerly along the said channel to a point 24 deg. 30 min. W. from the point 24 deg. 30 min. W. from the place of beginning, thence S. 24 deg. 30 min. E to the place of beginning, in Section 7, Tp. 8 N, R 9 W, of the Willamette Meridian, Clatsop County State of Oregon. And notice is hereby given that I shall on Saturday, the 7th day of October, 1893, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, in front of the Court House door, in the City of o'clock a. m. of said day, in front of the Court House door, in the City of Astoria, in said county and state, proceed to sell the same or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the sum of \$530.58, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent, per annum from June 19, 1862 the rate of ten per cent. per annum from June 19, 1893, together with the further sum of \$16.90 costs and disbursements and accruing costs of this suit, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand in U. S. Gold

coin at the time of sale.

H. A. SMITH,

Sheriff of Clatsop County, Or.

Dated, Astoria, Or., August 14, 1893.

SECOND STREET GRADE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the compose to establish the grade of Second street, in the City of Astoria, Oregon, at the following heights above the base of grades as established by or-dinance No. 71, entitled an ordinance establishing a base of grades for the streets of the City of Astoria as folstreets of the City of Astoria as fol-

lows, to-wit:
At the crossing of Welker ave., 68.4 ft
Wooden 47.4

" " Ogden 47.4

" " Polk 43.4

" " Polk 47.4 of Welac.
" Ogden "
" Polk "
" Mendell "

" " Mendell " 25.

" Lane " 24.

And unless a remonstrance signed by the owners of three-fourths of the property fronting on said portion of said street be filed with the Auditor and Police Judge within ten days from the final publication of this notice, towit: On or before Thursday, Sept. 14. 1893, the common council will establish said grade.

tablish said grade.

By order of the Common Council.

Attest: K. OSBURN,

Auditor and Police Judge, City of Astoria, Oregon, Aug. 22, 1893.

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