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Thus said two customers to whom we had shown our fishing ackle, Further said they-We like your goods, but want to be sure of getting the best value for our money. We'll be back and let you see what we've bought if we like

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Western Oregon About Counted and the Eastern Coming In.

CLORIOUS REPUBLICAN VICTORY

Multnomah, with Majorities and Pluralities Elsewhere.

Several of the counties of Wester do not employ any Chinese Oregon completed their count yesterday tailors either in cutting, sew- affording, with a few estimates an ing, or in anywise in the likely to be far wrong, a pretty goo making of their goods. Full idea of the general result so far as the in Eastern Oregon is still a matter o wires working badly. From the in crease appearing in counties reporting it seems probable that the prohibition strength and the missing precip is will bring the total vote up to \$2,000 or more. The incomplete status in Multnomah county prevents any certainty as to state pluralities, the indications being that Lord's plurality over Pierce will be in the neighborhood, as previously estimated, of 15,000. Returns are remarkably incomplete on the vote for state school superintendent, many places, as vote. At the present showing Irwin cannot have less than 10,000 plurality over Reid, and the Eastern Oregon counties, of which practically nothing is known, ought to materially increase this

The vote of the first congressional district, as returned and estimated, will be somewhat larger than was first supposed, and will probably increase Hermann's plurality. In the second district nearly everything is conjecture. Columbia county is the only one with complete returns, Umatilia being nearly so. The vote of Mulnomah county on congressman is given for its supposed 16,000 the 11,000 counted. In default of reports Main Street, Astoria, Oregon. from many Eastern Oregon counties, the figures on congressman may have to be revised considerably, as Ellis is not given credit for the gains he should make over the vote for Harrison in 1892, upon which the computations are based. The report of Cameron's (Rep.) de-

feat in Jackson is confirmed. For the lower house, M. Davidson Pop., is returned by the completed count from Columbia county, instead of Cleeton, Rep. This change is offset by the election in Jackson county of George For County Clerk-Dunn, Rep., who was reported Tuesday

as defeated by Marksbury, Pop. According to the official returns, sup plemented by the most reliable estimates, the counties of Baker, Coos, Jackson, Lake and Wallowa gave small pluralities for Pierce, and the counties of Crook and Harney small pluralities for Galloway. The remaining counties of the state all went for Lord. with majorities over both Pierce and Galloway in Multnomah of 4,239, Marion 679. Washington 228, small majorities in Columbia, Klamath, Sherman and Wasco, and varying pluralities in the other counties. In the first congressional district Hermann has a plurality over Weatherford of 10,557 and over Miller of 8,682. In the second district Ellis' plur-2 and over perintendent of public war have a plurality of over 11,711. Take it altogether, the victory for the Republicans is more sweeping than any of the so-called landslides in the eastern states.

THE EFFECT IN WASHINGTON.

A dispatch in yesterday's Oregonian from Washington, D. C., says: Full knowledge of the Republican victory in Oregon was not obtained until today, and has been the theme of discussion all over the capitol. Senator Aldrich read the press dispatch giving the facts of the victory. Dolph stated that the Democrats made such a showing in the senate by the fact that seven of them were holdovers. There was general rejoicing on the Republican side. Dolph was warmly congratulated. The Democratic For Constablesenators sat silent and disgusted. Ore- Fred Oberg, Dem...... 675 gon men everywhere were congratulated that the state has repudiated Populism. Even Democrats express some satisfac tion in that. Last night Hermann attended a big Republican meeting in Baltimore, and when he was called to tiny flowers or wheels, stars, raised speak cheer after cheer was given for spots and delicate vines, all being in Oregon and for Hermann and Ellis, the first men elected to the coming Republican congress. Oregon's election has inspired the Republicans to make a make an adornment for the edge of small handkerchliefs, and dark blue as well as an adornment for the edge of small handkerchliefs, and dark blue as well as an hore collected and the small control of the small control spired the Republicans to make a amber color is also seen

tronger fight than ever against the ou ageous tariff bill.

THE COUNTY VOTE.

Wingate Leads the Ticket, With Judge Gray a Good Second.

The following are the corrected offi cial election returns for Clatsop county A careful analysis of the vote will show a good safe Republican majority in the county. G. Wingate, candidate for the state board of equalization, leads the ticket with 1,431 votes, to 724 for his opponent. Following him are Judge Gray, Richard Harry, C. J. Curtis, James W Hare and F. I. Dunbar, in their respec-

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ı	For State Treasurer-	
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For Sheriff-James W. Hare, Rep. ..... 1266 For County Treasurer-Isane Bergman, Dem...... For County Commissioner-

Clement Bradbury, Peo.... Chris. Peterson, Rep..... 951 P. A. Trullinger, Dem..... 794 For Recorder of Conveyances-Dudley R. Blount, Ind...... 32 C. S. Gunderson, Rep...... 1998 P. W. Weeks, Dem...... 688 D. H. Welch, Ind...... 206 For County School Superintendent-C. C. Brower, Rep...... 1052 H. S. Lyman, Peo..... 1180 For County Assessor-Alfred Gibbons, Rep .....

F. M. Gunn, Dem.,.... 36 P. F. Halferty, Peo..... 507 B. S. Worsley, Ind. ..... 430 For County Surveyor-Richard Harry, Rep..... Alfred S. Tee, Dem..... 924 unty Coroner-Johnson, Rep.....

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NEW HANDKERCHIEFS. Handkerchiefs show little borders of

A Further Rise Not Now Expected.

REPORTS FROM FRASER RIVER

The Greatest Flood Since the Year 1876--Immense Damage at Many Points.

The greatest of all Columbia's floods attained its maximum height at midnight. Such was the opinion of Weather Observer Pague, who has watched it closely during the past two weeks. The cific Sunday have returned, having been rise of Tuesday night was but threetenths of a foot, bringing it, at 7 a. m., From points up the river it is reported to the 32.8 mark. Up to a late hour last night the 33-foot mark was still a little above the water line. It is the topmost notch marked on the government gauge at the foot of Stark street, and it looks very much as if it will be the highest notch reached. Observer Pague does not say positively that the maximum point has been reached, but that it is hardly prebable the 33-foot mark will be passed. His opinions are based on the in the way of dikes must be begun with fact that the Upper Columbia and Wil- as little delay as possible. The highest lamette are falling quite rapidly, and water previously recorded was in the cool weather prevails in regions where year 1882, and that record was everyfloods originate. The morning gauge where regarded as the maximum height reading at Umatilla, taken at 11 o'clock, to which it was expected the water was 24.3 feet, showing a fall of .2 dur- would ever reach. This record having ing the preceding 24 hours. On the been obliterated by the experience of Snake river, at Riparia, a fall of 20 this year, the water having risen from inches was recorded.

ette at 9 a. m. yesterday were: Albany, ing these lands must be built higher by 9.9 feet, and alem 9.6 feet, indicating a at least two feet, and the extra height fall of .7 at the former place and .4 at must be strengthened by widening at the latter. Cool weather prevails at least eight feet additional the base of points up the valley, and there is no all the dikes. The general character of

prospect of higher water at present. that the weather bureau first called the possibly in some instances by ma attention of the public to the fact that work. This will involve, before finally river then stood at 25 feet above the many hundreds of thousands of dollars low water mark. While a rapid rise was The work to be undertaken is of such anticipated, the official observer did not magnitude and importance to the counthink that the outlook was at all alarm- try at large that it becomes a matter of ing. Then came an unexpected term of national concern. The various boards of hot weather, which lasted three days trade of the province are at present enand turned every mountain stream into gaged in drawing up petitions to the a torrent. The Columbia and its tribu- federal government at Ottawa, pointing taries rose rapidly, until May 31 the out the absolute necessity of a large 409 river at this point reached a height of and immediate appropriation of funds 694 28.7 feet, the highest on record. Dur- for the prosecution of the new diking For Member State Board of Equaliza- ing the past ewek the Willamette has scheme. stands from 2 to 6 feet deep on Wash-

UNION PACIFIC DAMAGES.

J. H. D. Gray, Rep............ 1371 Three Months Will Be Required to Rebuild and Repair the Track.

It has been estimated by railroad men F. I. Dunbar, Rep...... 1225 at Tacoma that the damage done by Carl A. Hanson, Peo ...... 552 floods throughout the northwest will be Arthur Leberman, Dem ...... 520 in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000. Supt. Baxter, of the Union Pacific's Pacific division, is quoted as saying that it Patrick O'Hara, Peo....... 986 would take 90 days to rebuild the 50 miles of track washed out between 952 Troutdale and The Dalles. It is thought B. L. Ward, Rep...... 1278 it will take the Great Northern and Canadian Pacific a month or so to fully repair their tracks and the Northern Pacific nearly as long.

Supt. Bancroft, of the mountain division of the Union Pacific road, returned to Salt Lake June 6 from the flooded right in it-both flood and business, but regions along the Snake and Columbia principally business. Having several rivers in Idaho, Washington and Oregon. He reports that the damage is simply incalculable. The water cannot be controlled and will continue to rise for some days, as there is an immense amount of snow in the mountains and at the heads of the tributaries to the 961 | rivers named.

THE FRASER RIVER. Tramendous Damage to the Canadian Pacific.

on June 6, from Fraser river points, Be sure to write us before ordering elsesay the waters are receding. At West- where. Thanking you for past favors, minster the Fraser is still rising, owing and soliciting a flood of new businesses probably to prevailing very high tides. we are, yours truly, Palmer & Rey Type Since yesterday the flood had risen an Foundry.

5.43 miles per hour, the swiftest ever known at that point. The swamp district, where all the mills are, is completely under water. The fires under the bollers at the electric power house were put out last night, and a fire engine is employed pumping, in order to keep the water below the furnaces. Many now believe that the farms of the Fraser valley have not been so seriously damaged as at first supposed, and that the ranchers will be able to raise crops this eason in the flooded lands, At Westminster the flow of water still covers the Great Northern along the south side of the river. In the Canadian Pacific yards the tracks are over three feet under water. It is now believed the

Canadian Pacific Company's loss will be nearly \$1,000,000. The passengers who were started east by the Canadian Paunable to proceed beyond North Bend. the flood is recedling at the rate of an inch an hour.

REPAIRING THE DAMAGE.

The people are now bringing their minds to bear regarding the means by which the misfortunes of the settlers may as speedily as possible be repaired Public works of very great magnitude 20 to 18 inches higher than in 1882, it is The readings on the Upper Wallam- manifest that the whole scheme of dikthe dikes, too, must be strengthened in It was on May 28, about 10 days ago, many places by substantial piling, and high water might be expected. The being completed, an expenditure of

been steadily rising, until the entire Methods of communication are in such Al. Lacey, Peo...... 724 wholesale and nine-tenths of the retail a demoralized condition that it is as yet ington, Morrison and Third streets. As bodies have been recovered, and it is the flood now stands it is 4.7 feet higher known that many persons have been than the notable flood of 1876; and 4.3 drowned. Victoria, Vancouver and feet higher than that of 1890, which was Nanaimo are the only towns in British considered the highest on record.-Yes- Columbia not affected by the high

water. The steamer Skagit Chief has been chartered by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to go to Ruby creek and load a cargo of perishable freight and passengers for Sound ports. All the vallable steamers on the Fraser river have been pressed into service by the government to assist the settlers in the flooded district. The straits of Juan de Fuca are full of driftwood brought down by the freshets, making navigation by small craft somewhat hazardous.

### AN ENTERPRISING CONCERN.

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