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### OREGON DELEGATION

Representatives From This State Ready For Business.

PHILADELPHIA, June 18.—The case of the convention finds Oregon represented on the ground by the eight delegates to which the state is entitled. The delegation is snugly housed at the Bingham, corner of Eleventh and Market streets. A large parlor on the third floor is used as headquarters, and the sleeping rooms are on the same floor. The representation is as follows:

Geo. A. Steel, member of the National Committee.

Wallace Matthews, chairman of the delegation.

Representative M. A. Moody.

John D. Daly, of Corvallis.

H. E. Ankeny, of Jacksonville.

Thomas McEwen, of Sumpter.

R. R. Moore, of Klamath Falls.

J. A. Wilson, Deputy United States Marshal, of Portland.

Representative Moody holds the proxy of H. L. Kurb, of The Dalles.

Mr. McEwen holds the proxy of Senator Simon, and Mr. Moore represents John B. David, of Newberg.

Both Mr. Moore and Mr. Wilson are alternates.

The delegation was greatly disappointed at the inability of Senator Simon to be present.

DIED.—Mrs. Row C. C. Sperry died in Brownsville on June 16 after an illness of several weeks. She was a pioneer citizen, a Christian woman who leaves a splendid record of good deeds and pure living. Her death is regretted by many. The family resided here about two years ago.

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## REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION

Greeted by Superb Weather—Chairman Hanna Called Convention to Order at Noon Today.

Taku Forts Silenced—Three Were Destroyed.

BLOOMINGTON, ILLINOIS, DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Special to the Guard.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., June 19—Half the business section of the city was swept out of existence by a conflagration this morning. The failure of the water supply was responsible for the loss. Conservative estimates place the loss at \$2,000,000.

[Bloomington has a population of about 30,000.—E.]

TAKU FORTS BOMBARDED.

Special to the Guard.

LONDON, June 19.—The Taku forts were silenced and surrendered to the combined fleets of the powers after having been bombarded for six hours.

Three forts were completely destroyed. Their Chinese garrisons were almost annihilated. Four torpedo boat destroyers were captured.

The American war ships took no part in the bombardment.

THE CAPITAL ISOLATED.

Special to the Guard.

LONDON, June 19—No news comes from Tien Tsin or Peking.

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Special to the Guard.

PHILADELPHIA, June 19.—Superb weather greeted the visitors and delegates who have assembled in the Quaker city today to renominate William McKinley for the presidency of the United States. The city is in holiday attire, and bunting and flags cover miles of business houses and private residences.

The convention was called to order at noon by Marcus Hanna chairman of the National Republican committee.

Rev. James Gray Bolton, of Philadelphia, opened the convention with prayer.

The entrance of Theodore Roosevelt, of New York, slated for the vice-presidential nomination, was greeted with a magnificent ovation.

### A NARROW ESCAPE

A Farmer Prevents A Bad Accident On The Oregonian R. R.

A Bridge Gave Out.

Special to the Guard.

BROWNVILLE, Oct., June 19—A narrow escape was narrowly averted here today. A farmer coming into town about 5:30 p. m., walking across the railroad bridge over the Columbia river, discovered that the bridge on the upper side of the bridge had broken and let the bridge drop down about five inches and it hung nearly suspended in the air. Had train No. 46, which passed over the bridge, been on time, it would have plunged through the bridge.

It is supposed that the weight of the heavily laden lumber cars on the morning train was the cause of the break. The south bound train of yesterday had been all right, but the north bound train of today was the one that broke. It was a day or so before the train came over the bridge, during this time there will be an extra service south of Brownsville on the branch. A special train of four cars with bridge carpenters and appliances arrived at 8 p. m. last night and work was vigorously pushed all night. Temporary work will be put in and it is possible that train service may begin tomorrow night.

### INDIA FAMINE FUND.

The following receipt was received this week:

The Christian Herald, 91 to 98 Bible House, New York, June 8, 1900.

Mr. John Mansaker, Eugene, Ore.

Dear Friend: We thank you for your generous remittance of \$30.22 to be applied to the India Relief work. May the blessings of God rest upon the giver and upon the gift, as also upon those in whose behalf it is to be expended.

Very cordially yours,  
LOUIS H. BERRY.

Special to the Guard.

SEATTLE, June 19.—A recently reported case of cholera in the city of Seattle has been traced to the city of Seattle.

### TO BEAT RECORD

F. H. Osgood, of Seattle, Imparting Bonded Property.

Daily Guard, June 19

F. H. Osgood, of Seattle, owner and operator of numerous street railways of that city, arrived in Eugene today and will go to Blue River tomorrow. Mr. Osgood is the man who bonded the Chauncey Dale properties last winter and has been doing development work during the winter. Mr. Osgood goes to make a personal inspection of the work done during the winter, and make arrangements for more work. During the winter about 500 feet of tunnel has been driven in the property.

BLUE RIVER MINES.—Geo. Fisher and C. K. Young are back from the Blue River mines. They report that the Holcomb Bros have made a rich strike just above the White claim on Gold Hill.

### HOPS WILL BE WORTH MONEY

The World's Crop Will Be Short, Which Will Make Prices Better This Year.

CHICAGO, June 19.—Hops will be worth money according to reports from sources, based on reports from reliable sources, the world's crop will be short. It is too soon to get a complete list of estimates, says the Portland Telegram, as the reports from England and Germany will be partly given next week in this column.

But a general idea of the situation may be gained, and hops are worth money. Hops have already been estimated for the year 1900, and in some sections growers yield to such from one bushel per acre to 2 1/2 bushels, the yield being about 10 bushels per acre. The yield is not so good as in previous years, but the price is higher. The following table is an estimate of the world's crop of hops in 1900, based on the best available information.

1900 1899

America..... 70,000 77,000

Washington..... 20,000 20,000

California..... 37,000 30,000

Rest of world..... 13,000 27,000

Total..... 120,000 134,000

These results are estimated from reports of six states, including in detail every state mentioned except New York, the output is guessed at. California may increase its yield somewhat. The vines are very backward, but may develop very rapidly under favorable climatic conditions. With the most favorable conditions, however, the crop is bound to be considerably short.

Reports from England say the vines are backward, and not so healthy and will need special fertilizer conditions to bring the crop up to the level it was last year.

Germany and France have also been backward. In most localities the vines are showing a good head, and give promise of a good crop. It is difficult to say, however, as the weather from the sea is the most critical time. Two much worse rains would damage the vines and breed hop vermin, which will greatly reduce the output of hops.

Generally speaking, the world's hop crop is bound to be short. Under the most favorable conditions possible, the yield cannot reach the output of last year. And the fact that such a fraction of last year's crop remains unharmed gives assurance that the price will be high.

### COURT HOUSE ITEMS.

Receivership of the Oregonian R. R. Co. 214 56

Mortgage 275.00

Chattel Mortgage 190.00

Mortgage 104.00

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

N. J. Beattie to George T. Bell Jr., and in Hoffman ad to Kappas, 185.00.

G. R. Fiske to N. J. Beattie, bid 22.

Frazier & Hyland's ad to Eugene 75.00.

The Koenig Five Cents Savings Bonds of New Hampshire to A. J. Job of a lot of 20, 200 in ad to 12 1/2 x 5 to be used for secondary purposes only; 30.00.

M. J. Kaufman to John F. Kelley, 100 acres in sec 28 17 x 1 1/2 500.00.

U. S. to M. J. Kaufman 100 acres in sec 28 17, 1 1/2, 500.00.

### W. J. CROCK, SHERIFF.

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### JULY FOURTH

FOR WAGON—\$800

W. F. Matlock Sells to a Good Advantage in Dawson.

Portland, E. O. W. F. Matlock, according to a letter received by Mrs. Matlock, has been successful in selling the wagon to a good advantage in Dawson, on the coast, and over the ice in spring. As an indication of the value of this wagon, it was sold for a price that was not only a good one, but also a good one for a wagon of this kind. The wagon was sold for a price that was not only a good one, but also a good one for a wagon of this kind.

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