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THURSDAY, -- FEB. 13, 1896.

A PLAIN TALK ABOUT FUSION.

Such a majority as that held by the republicans in the last legislature is dangerous, and from its almost unlimited power to control legislation loses all sense of responsibility, especially when manipulated by a shrewd and unprincipled politician like Jo Simon. Had there been a respectable minority in the legislature, the majority, in all likelihood, would have redeemed their pledges, and the state would not now be suffering from an increase of taxation.

The dominant party is again seeking power and through its clubs and county organizations makes the same pledges that were so shamefully ignored and broken two years ago. Can they be trusted again with unlimited power? The excuse has been made that the unsavory record was the result of the contest over the senatorship. From every indication that contest will be fought over, perhaps more bitterly than before.

The welfare of the state and people demands a minority representation that will hold the majority to a sense of the responsibility resting upon it. Any sensible unprejudiced person who candidly reviews the situation cannot but admit this can only be secured by a union of minority parties. Without such union it is as certain as the sun will rise tomorrow that the membership will be practically republican. Take your choice. The morning after the last legislature adjourned the Oregonian had this paragraph:

"Such a result! A legislature which the people elected to do certain things that were distinctly promised, yet nothing done at all, except that which is wholly evil. There is no reduction of official extravagance; an opportunity to which the people had looked forward for relief was wholly wasted; appropriations exceeding in prodigality and extravagance those of the last legislature, under which the people groaned. Who will have the face to ask the election of another republican legislature?"

The recent war talk seems to have revived war memories to such an extent that some of the participants in the last one are fighting it all over again—in the newspapers.

Mr. McKinley might persuade the Canadian authorities to run a new boundary line that would take in enough of Maine to include Mr. Reed's birthplace, thus making him ineligible as a presidential candidate.

Talk about hard times when San Francisco people paid over \$9,000 to hear a dude pianist pound the ivory for three nights. Men, women and children stood in line all night to get the first chance on the opening of the box office. Tickets commanded from \$1 to \$5 premium.

The San Francisco Chronicle offered a prize of a silver cup to all babies born in the Pacific coast states of California, Oregon and Washington on last Christmas day. The population of these three states was increased by 113 births on that day, and each baby received its cup. The Chronicle did not make a fair offer. It should have been made the first months of the year so there would have been general competition.

The A. P. A. spook is agitating Roseburg.

The Oregonian has never loved Mr. Woodcock with true brotherly affection since he exposed the assessment frauds practiced in Portland.

It would be a very small hole that Spangh could not now crawl into. By his arbitrary act he has got the peoples party into a fine state of confusion regarding times of holding conventions.

The peoples party holds its county convention in Eugene tomorrow. A committee appointed by the democratic central committee will make overtures looking to a fusion of reform and independent forces.

Wall street was surprised that any other section of the country had money to invest in government bonds. There is always plenty of money in the United States to buy anything worth having, and an abundance left over to pay cash for such worthless trifles as titles.

The last authoritative declaration of the principles of the democratic party was made at the state convention held at Astoria in April 1894. That convention passed resolutions favoring the initiative and referendum and free coinage of silver.



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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that W. S. Lee, administrator of the estate of John Taylor, deceased, has filed in the county court of Lane county, Oregon, his final account of the administration of said estate and said court has made an order fixing Saturday, March 1st, 1896, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, of said day as the time, and the Court House in said county as the place for final examination and passing on said final account and all persons interested in the same are hereby notified to present in writing such objections as they may wish to make to said final account on or before said day and hour.

W. S. LEE,
Administrator of the Estate of John Taylor, deceased.

Dated at Eugene, Ore., February 3, 1896.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon,
February 10, 1896.

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 Joel Ware, U. S. C. C. Commissioner, at Eugene, Oregon, on March 25, 1896, viz: Charles C. Holcomb on homestead entry No. 6552 for the SW 1/4, sec 11, Tp 16 S, R 2 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Henry Holcomb, Wesley Davis, Marion C. Davis and Kirk Patrick, all of Roseburg, Oregon.

R. M. VEATCH,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Or.,
January 16, 1896.

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 A. C. Jennings, county clerk of Lane county, Ore., at Eugene, Oregon, on February 23, 1896, viz: Isaac S. Day on homestead entry No. 5747 for the E 1/2 NW 1/4, E 1/2 SW 1/4, sec 12 Tp 18 S, R 2 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Allen Chastain, William T. Cornelius, John Chastain, and Albert Warden all of Iverson Oregon.

R. M. VEATCH,
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the under-
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court of Lane county, Oregon, adminis-
trator of the estate of Mahlon H. Barker,
deceased, and all persons having claims
against said estate are hereby requested to
present the same duly verified to E. R.
Shipworth at his office in Eugene within
six months from the date hereof.

Dated at Eugene, February 8th, 1896.

M. H. BARKER,
Administrator.

E. R. SHIPWORTH,
Att'y for Estate.

CEO. B. DORRIS.
Attorney and Counsellor-
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Attorneys-at-Law.

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Land Office at Roseburg, Or.,
Jan. 31, 1896.

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named settler has filed notice of his in-
tention to make final proof in support of his
claim, and that said proof will be made be-
fore Joel Ware, U. S. C. C. Commissioner, at
Eugene, Oregon, on March 16, 1896, viz: James
Frederick on homestead entry No. 7165 for the
NW 1/4, sec 34, Tp 18 S, R 2 E.

He names the following witnesses to
prove his continuous residence upon and
cultivation of said land, viz:

E. E. Schenck, Alexander McMaister,
Joshua Taylor, Samuel Gerber, all of Fall
Creek, Oregon.

R. M. VEATCH,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon,
January 14, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the following
named settler has filed notice of his in-
tention to make final proof in support of his
claim, and that said proof will be made be-
fore Joel Ware, U. S. C. C. Commissioner, at
Eugene, Oregon, on March 16, 1896, viz: James
Frederick on homestead entry No. 6947 for the
SW 1/4, sec 12, Tp 18 S, R 2 E.

He names the following witnesses to
prove his continuous residence upon and
cultivation of said land, viz:

Alfred Montgomery, Charles Burt, Paul
B. Decker and John Davis all of Lake
Eugene, Oregon.

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