

ANOTHER RAIL ROAD To Terminate at Coos Bay

INCORPORATED FOR
TEN MILLIONS

Goulds Thought to be Behind
it and Looking for Outlet
to the Sea-board

Portland, May 3—Articles of incorporation have been filed for a railroad connecting Salt Lake, Coos Bay and several important points in Oregon, Idaho and Utah, to be called the Great Central Railroad. The capital stock is ten millions.

No definite statement has been given out as to what road is behind it. It is thought to be the Goulds working for a Missouri Pacific outlet.

LAUNDRY WORKERS GAIN THEIR POINT

Portland Strikes Endorsed by
Federated Trades and Boy-
cott to be Started

Portland, May 3—The Federated Trades have endorsed all the strikes now on, and a boycott will be instituted. The union laundry started up today, owned by union men.

The laundry workers, planning mill and saw mill employes still hold out. The laundry strike will be settled this afternoon. The proprietors are signing the increased wage scale.

MOROS FIRE UPON AMERICAN OUTPOSTS

Our Troops Capture one Fort
After Spirited Resistance
and Attack Another

Manila, May 3—General Davis in command of the American forces in Mindanao reports that fighting with the Moros began this morning, the American out-posts being fired upon.

After a messenger, who did not return, had been sent to the Moro camp with an American ultimatum, the troops shelled the Moros' fort.

Later they captured it. The fort was strong and well defended by about 300 men.

The fort of Pando Padto was next attacked, and heavy firing was continuing when the dispatch was sent.

"IMPOSSIBLE" for you to enjoy motherhood," says the doctor. Sometimes he qualifies the statement, and says: "Impossible without an operation." Yet both these "impossibles" have been made possible by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Many times the hindrances to motherhood are to be found in womanly diseases or weaknesses, which are perfectly and permanently cured by "Favorite Prescription."

This great medicine for women cures irregularity and dries debilitating drains. It breaks inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

"I wish to add my testimony to hundreds of others as to the value of Dr. Pierce's medicine," writes Mrs. Ida M. De Ford, of Latona, Hubbard Co., Minn. "Have doctors with a great many physicians—some specialists—have twice been in a hospital for treatment. My case has been regarded as a hopeless one, and they knew not what the trouble was. Heart was bad; stomach all out of order; tired out; severe pains in all parts of the body; sinking spells and nearly every ailment a woman could have. I took many a bottle of 'patent medicines' without effect. I began taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and ten months afterward I gave birth to a ten-pound boy. All physicians had stated as a fact that I never could bear a child. Both the baby and myself were strong, and I got along splendidly—thanks to your medicine."

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ADMISSION BILLS TO BE KILLED

Fear That Territories Might go
Democratic if Admitted
to Statehood

Washington, May 3—One of the first measures to be considered by congress in the bill admitting New Mexico, Oklahoma and Arizona to statehood. There is much opposition to the bill from the Republican side, because of the fear that two of these territories, if admitted to statehood, would send Democratic senators. It is expected that the bill will pass the house, but the senate is expected to hold it up, quietly but effectively.

Whooping Cough

A woman who has had experience with this disease, tells how to prevent any dangerous consequences from it. She says: Our three children took whooping cough last summer, our baby boy being only three months old, and owing to our giving them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, they lost none of their plumpness and came out in much better health than other children whose parents did not use this remedy. Our oldest little girl would call lustily for cough syrup between whoops.—JESSIE PINNEY HALL, Springville, Ala. This Remedy is for sale by John Preuss.

ITALIAN KING OF- FICIALLY THANKED

Rome, May 5—Ambassador Meyer had an audience with the king today and thanked him for pardoning the officers of the cruiser Chicago, whose disgraceful conduct caused their recent incarceration in a Venetian jail.

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured After Fourteen Years of Suffering

"I have been afflicted with sciatic rheumatism for fourteen years," says Josh Edgar, of Germantown, Cal. "I was able to be around but constantly suffered. I tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured, and I am happy to say it has not since returned." Why not use this balm and get well? It is for sale by John Preuss.

How Are Your Kidneys?

Dr. Hille's Kidney Pills are all right. They are for sale by John Preuss.

ANTHRACITE STRIKE MAY YET BE CALLED

New York, May 5—Mitchell, president of the miners federation, said today that the situation in the anthracite field depended entirely upon the meeting of the miners executive committee.

Asked if this was a favorable time for a strike, he said any time was favorable when right and justice were on the men's side.

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY FINANCES

Schenectady, N. Y., May 5—At a special meeting of the stockholders of the General Electric Company held here today it was voted to increase the capital stock of the company from \$19,757,803 to \$45,000,000. Out of the new issue of stock it is proposed to pay what will practically amount to a scrip dividend of 63 2/3 per cent.

BUILDING OPERA- TIONS THREATENED

Union Must be Recognized or all
Men Called out—Laundry
Owners Yield

Portland, May 5—The sawmill strike is growing more serious and threatens building operations, as union carpenters refuse to handle the material.

The union will call out the men from all the mills unless it is recognized by the owners.

The planing mill employes still hold out, but the laundries opened business today, all proprietors having signed a higher wage scale.

Another complication of the mill strike has been added to the situation by the refusal of all union engineers to go to work because non-union men were employed, the non-union men also quitting.

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QUEEN'S CONDITION VERY SERIOUS

Hetloo, May 5—At 7 this morning the Queen was still alive but her condition had been so serious that none of the physicians left the palace in the night.

An official bulletin confirms the statement of a miscarriage, but declares that the situation is satisfactory. An afternoon bulletin reports the Queen's condition still satisfactory, but does not deny that she is very weak.

Won't Follow Advice After Pay- ing For it.

In a recent article a prominent physician says, "It is next to impossible for the physician to get his patients to carry out any prescribed course of hygiene or diet to the smallest extent; he has but one resort left, namely, the drug treatment." When medicines are used for chronic constipation, the most mild and gentle obtainable, such as Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets, should be employed. Their use is not followed by constipation as they leave the bowels in a natural and healthy condition. For sale by John Preuss.

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For Infants and Children.
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WASHINGTON LANDS OPEN FOR SETTLEMENT

Spokane, May 5—Parts of four townships, embracing 41,708.76 acres of surveyed lands in eastern Stevens county were thrown open for settlement today. The new lands border on the Peard d'Oreille river and are about 30 miles south of the town of Newport. The tract can be reached by several routes, the easiest of which is via the Great Northern from this city to Newport and thence by steamer.

Blood.

We live by our blood, and on it. We thrive or starve, as our blood is rich or poor.

There is nothing else to live on or by.

When strength is full and spirits high, we are being refreshed, bone muscle and brain, in body and mind, with continual flow of rich blood.

This is health.

When weak, in low spirits, no cheer, no spring, when rest is not rest and sleep is not sleep, we are starved; our blood is poor; there is little nutriment in it.

Back of the blood, is food, to keep the blood rich. When it fails, take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. It sets the whole body going again—man woman and child.

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POLITICAL NOTES FROM VARIOUS SOURCES

Not many more days left to register. Don't neglect this matter too long.

Mr. Furnish spoke in Roseburg last night. State senator, Fulton made the principal speech of the evening.

W. J. Furnish, C. W. Fulton, J. H. Ackerman and A. M. Crawford were in Southern Oregon last week to open the Republican campaign.

The Republican campaign was opened at Astoria Friday night by a speech of John P. Cavanaugh of Portland to the Young Men's Republican Club.

J. N. Williamson, the Republican candidate for Congress from the Second district started his campaign from Heppner May 3. He and Judge Caples will tour the district.

The acceptance of Chas P. Rutherford of Burns, candidate for supreme Judge on the Socialist ticket has not been filed with the Secretary of state. The time for this has expired, and Mr. Rutherford's name will not be on the official ballot.

In November, 1900, old Benton county endorsed the policies advocated by William McKinley by a majority of 188 votes. These same policies advocated by William Furnish will be as strongly endorsed on the 2nd of June.—Corvallis Gazette.

The spirits of Bryanism and Simonism have been made one by Oregon Democrats and his satanic majesty has flung wide open the gates of Hades and calmly awaits the coming of June 2d.

SCUTTLE

The worst thing that ever happened to the Democrats of Oregon was the adoption of this policy (of scuttle) by their party with respect to the Philippines. It may be possible that in some eastern states there is support for this Democratic party, but in the west, and particularly among those people whose states are washed by the waves of the Pacific ocean, there is no toleration for the programme marked out by the Democrats in congress and followed by the convention of the party in our neighboring state. When the vote shall be taken in Oregon in June it will be shown what the people think of the flag-furling policy of the Democratic party.—Eolis Statesman.

WHAT COURSE IS BEST

On June 2d the voter will again be called on to decide whether Democratic principles or Republican principles are in his judgment the better for the country. If he votes the Republican ticket it will show that he is in favor of things continuing about as they have in the last six years. If he votes the democratic, it will be just because he wants a

BAD BREATH

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change. Just what the change will be is not certain. It may result in opening up the silver question, it certainly will if the Bryan theories prevail, and Bryan is still the strongest man in the Democratic party. It may bring free trade legislation such as led to the disastrous years from '92 to '96—it surely will if the Democrats have the nerve to enact their own platform into law.

It probably would lead to the withdrawal of our flag from the Philippines if certainly would if they do what their platform favors.

It is now for the voters to say what they want. In one case there is likely to be little change in business conditions or political principals. In the other case there will probably be a change and a radical one at that which will as usual affect every avenue of trade and commerce as well as all of the great industries and manufacturing institutions throughout the state. This question is now up to you. Which course will you choose? Remember you must decide one way or another on June 2d.

Educate Your Households With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cures constipation forever. Write, H. C. C. Co., Chicago, for sample.

W. J. Furnish, Republican candidate for Governor is in Southern Oregon campaigning this week.

Secretary Harbert C. Smith of the Republican State Central Committee, has furnished to different parts of the state 25,000 Furnish buttons. The orders continue to come in.

W. E. Yates, a Corvallis lawyer and Republican politician, says that the candidacy of Mr. Furnish is well received in Benton county. He claims that Mr. Chamberlain will get very few Republican votes in that county.

The Republicans of Coos county should endorse the good and efficient service rendered the state by Dunbar, Ackerman and Moore by rolling up a full Republican vote. Such service should receive the voter's first consideration.

The leading Republicans in the state have tendered their services to the Republican state Committee and will speak at whatever places and times that the committee will arrange. The program has not yet been mapped out.