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of Klamath Falls, at Klamath Falls, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, July 15, 1908.

RESOURCES	DOLLARS
Loans and Discounts	\$ 83,876 31
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,004 37
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	10,000 00
Bills, securities, etc.	11,364 25
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	5,109 05
Other real estate owned	640 50
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	611 82
Due from approved reserve agents	25,005 71
Checks and other cash items	1,086 48
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	309 60
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: Specie	20,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas. (5 per cent of circulation)	200 00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund	880 00
Total	\$160,038 20
LIABILITIES	DOLLARS
Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000 00
Surplus fund	5,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	3,402 48
National Bank notes outstanding	10,000 00
Due to other National Banks	365 00
Due to State Banks and Bankers	7,390 60
Individual deposits subject to check	96,548 58
Demanded certificates of deposit	12,221 54
Verified checks	110 00
Total	\$160,038 20

STATE OF OREGON, ss.
County of Klamath, ss.
I, W. A. Delzell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July, 1908.
P. L. FOUNTAIN, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest: G. W. WHITE, J. W. SIEMENS, Directors.
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SECOND CHOICE VOTING.

At the election in June the people of this state adopted a constitutional amendment which was and is commonly called a proportional representation amendment. If asked what the purpose of this amendment is, the ordinary voter would say that it is designed to give minority parties representation in proportion to the number of voters. But the amendment contains other provisions, of which we shall perhaps learn much as time passes. The first part of the amendment provides for proportional representation. The amendment also says that "provision may be made by law for the voter's direct or indirect expression of his first, second or additional choices among candidates for any office. For an office which is filled by the election of one person, it may be required by law that the person elected shall be the final choice of a majority of the electors voting for the candidates for that office. These principles may be applied by law to nominations by political parties and organizations."

This provision for an expression of second choice is now in effect in the direct-primary law in the state of Washington and in September we shall see a practical demonstration of how it works. The purpose of this portion of the amendment, and of a law which may be enacted under the amendment, is to prevent the nomination of persons who are the choice of a small minority of the voters. Such a system of voting would have made a great difference in the result of the nomination for Senator in this state in 1906. In the primary contest in that year there were five candidates, Mr. Bourne winning over Mr. Cake by a few votes. As everyone knows, it was a Bourne and anti-Bourne fight. Mr. Bourne had a certain definite support, but the opposition to him was divided among four candidates. As a result, Bourne received more votes than any one of his opponents. He was the first choice of those who voted for him, but he was not the second choice of any considerable number of voters. Those who wanted him nominated, voted for him; those who did not want him scattered their votes and wasted them. Under a plan which permitted the expression of a second choice, Mr. Cake would have received many second-choice votes from the supporters of Lowell, Smith and Watson, while Mr. Bourne would have received very few. The vote at the primary election stood thus:

Bourne	12,877
Cake	12,252
Lowell	7,655
Smith	6,383
Watson	4,241
Total	42,808

Mr. Bourne was nominated by about 30 percent of the Republicans of the state. It was a fight with Bourne against the field, and the field votes would have been distributed among the field candidates for second choice, and would not have been given to Bourne. Cake, presumably, would have had the larger number, but in Eastern Oregon both Smith and Lowell would have been the second choice of large numbers of the voters who made Bourne or Cake first choice. There was no particular objection to these candidates, or to Watson, so that they and Mr. Cake could reasonably expect to receive second choice votes from all sources. Mr. Bourne could not expect to get any considerable number of second-choice votes, for those who did not vote for him were against him. It is quite possible that if second-choice votes had been added to first choice votes, Smith and Lowell, as well as Cake, would have had more votes than Bourne, for, where a second choice is permitted at all, it is made compulsory. This is necessary in order to make the system effective. The Bourne supporters would have had to distribute their second-choice votes somewhere, in the field. Under the second-choice system a ballot upon which no second choice is marked cannot be counted at all.

These figures and circumstances are set forth as an example of how the second-choice plan of voting might and probably would work. Whether it is a desirable plan or not remains for experience to determine. It is designed to permit voters not only to express themselves in favor of certain candidates, but, to some extent, against certain others. It increases the chances of defeating a candidate who may be particularly objectionable. Under the Washington law, a candidate must receive 40 per cent of the votes in order to be nominated by the first-choice votes. If no candidate receives 40 per cent, the second-choice votes are added to the first, and a comparison again is made, and the person receiving the highest number of votes is declared the nominee. The Oregon amendment permits enactment of a law which will provide for a third choice as well as a second, and permits a requirement that the successful candidate shall be the choice of over 50 per cent of the voters. The amendment does not require that such a law shall be enacted, but it permits it to be placed upon the statute books.—Oregonian.

At the present time there are 37 school houses in the county, three of which were built during the past year. Superintendent Wight has all of his records in excellent condition and turns the office over to his successor in first class condition.

Klamath Crop Possibilities

What will Klamath grow? This has for some time been a very pertinent question. It has received the consideration of many of the agriculturists and horticulturists and also of W. H. Heileman, of the Reclamation Service, who has been carrying on extensive experiments with a number of varieties of trees, grains and grasses. Despite that actual production has demonstrated that many highly remunerative crops may be grown here there are those who still hold to the old belief that Klamath was made for stock and nothing but stock. There is no doubt but what this section was made for stock and it produces the best horses, cattle, sheep and hogs that are found on the Pacific Coast, but the experiments of recent years show conclusively that the livestock industry is not the only thing that will pay big profits in this section.

Mr. Heileman, through his series of experiments in which he has had the assistance of a number of the farmers in the valley, has demonstrated that the Klamath country produces a sugar beet of superior quality; that the various kinds of grains do remarkably well in this climate; that with proper care and cultivation all varieties of trees will thrive, making it unnecessary for farms to be without shade and firewood; that the tame grasses grow abundantly here and yield enormous hay crops, and that all of these things can be grown without the intense cultivation that is necessary in many other parts of the country where their production is highly profitable.

While Mr. Heileman has been demonstrating these things by a series of experiments carried on under the canal, others have been cultivating orchards on some of the dry lands, and still others have engaged in truck farming on irrigated lands. The fruit industry is perhaps the one that has been most neglected. This may be due to the fact that it has, ever since the white men first settled in the Klamath basin, been the belief that fruits cannot be grown here. The few scattering orchards throughout the county have long since proven the fallacy of this belief, for in years past the apple yield has been such as to make the orchards paying propositions. Fruit growing is to receive a thorough test in the next few years as there are a number of parties who will put out large orchards and give them the care and attention that is required in altitudes and climates similar to Klamath, where fruit growing has been made a success.

It has long since been demonstrated that truck farming will become one of the most profitable industries of this section as soon as the transportation facilities are such that the produce can be marketed. Numerous asparagus beds are being planned for next year and several parties expect to raise celery on an extensive scale. Both of these vegetables have been grown very successfully for several years and the producers have found their production quite remunerative. Already hundreds of answers can be given to the question, "What Will Klamath Grow?" and it is a well known fact that the country is still in the experimental stage and the half has not yet been learned.

COMIC OPERA PINAFORE.

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The most elaborate musical event ever attempted by the people of this city will be the production of the comic opera Pinafore, the most popular of the Gilbert and Sullivan operas. It will be given on next Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

For the past two weeks many of the best singers in the city have been engaged in the preparation of the music and the dramatic action of the opera and all of the parts are in the hands of competent people who are interested in making it a success.

The choruses are snappy and are filled with bright melodies that make Sullivan's music so popular. The costumes are correct to represent the nautical scene, and the stage will be arranged, as far as it is possible, to represent the deck of the ship Pinafore. The following is the cast:

- Josephine, the Captain's daughter.....Mrs. Don Zumwalt
- Buttercup, a Bumbo woman.....Mrs. E. B. Henry
- Hebe, the Admiral's first cousin.....Miss Leta Nickerson
- Sir Joseph Porter, the Admiral.....T. W. Zimmerman
- Captain Corcoran, commanding Ship Pinafore.....Roy Walker
- Ralph Rackstraw, able seaman.....Burge Mason
- Dick Deadeye, able seaman.....W. H. Mason
- Boatswain.....Geo. T. Pratt
- Boatswain's Mate.....Dr. R. A. Heritage
- Sergeant of Marines.....Mr. Jones
- Midshipmate.....Archie Moore
- Sailors, Marines, Sisters, Cousins, Aunts, etc.
- Accompanist.....Mrs. Geo. T. Pratt
- Director.....Martin E. Robinson
- Scene: Quarterdeck of H. M. S. Pinafore.
- Act I—Noon. Act II—Night.

Mazama Strikes Rock.

The steamer Mazama struck a rock Sunday morning as she was leaving the landing. No damage was done to the boat according to the report brought in by Admiral Alex. Noster. The boat made a trip up the lake yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Oscar Gates as pilot.

Potatoes Our Best Crop

"Give me transportation facilities and I will make a fortune every year out of potatoes," said O. Short, the well known potato grower of Klamath county, when asked about the industry. He then gave the following interesting information about the production of potatoes in this county:

"I have been growing potatoes in Klamath county for fifteen years and in all that time I have harvested a full crop with the exception of two years when I got about a three-fourths crop. Experience has taught me that the foot hills are the best for the production of potatoes and I have been putting in from 10 to 80 acres every year. For the past five years I have never planted less than 80 acres and the average yield has been about 150 bushels to the acre.

"The lowest price that I have ever received for potatoes in this country was fifty cents per hundred pounds and the highest was \$4 per hundred. The latter price was paid me last year. I can clear \$40 an acre above all expenses by growing potatoes in Klamath county.

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"The crop as a whole will not be up to the standard this year, but mine will be as good as usual. I have grown as high as 350 bushels to the acre and will get a full crop this year."

Barbers Will Close Earlier.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, July 20, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Samuel H. King, of Ft. Klamath, Oregon, who, on April 23, 1905, made Homestead Entry No. 4067, Serial No. 0196, for lot 22, section 10, and lot 9, section 15, T. 33 S., R. 7 1/2 E., W. M., has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before County Clerk Klamath county, at his office, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on the 14th day of September, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses:
L. Hessig, G. S. Hoyt, W. D. Kingdon, C. C. Jackson, all of Ft. Klamath, Oregon.

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