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not deemed sufficient for all the possibilities of such a transaction. It will take 10 days or so to get this detail covered. The company has no anxiety about the completion of this matter, for another bidder stands ready to take the bonds. On the terms offered, these bonds are deemed very desirable and capitalists are glad to get hold of them, particularly capitalists who may desire access to large tracts of valuable timber.

This railroad will start from Portland, over a route not yet made public. Whether the main line will go to Nehalem Bay or to Tillamook Bay has not yet been fully determined, and it is not a matter of much importance, for in either case a branch line will be built to the other point. The 88 miles will build the main line to either of the coast terminals. The country has been thoroughly reconnoitered and the accurate locating of the railroad line is not now a question of much difficulty. It will be built where it will serve the greatest volume of traffic to the best advantage.

The agent of the bondholders said last night that arrangements had already been made to let the construction contract, and that the work would be pushed with unusual vigor until the first 20 miles should be completed. But the times allowance of two years for building the entire line will not permit of much lagging at any stage of the enterprise. A number of details are withheld because of the embarrassments that publicity might bring in the matter of securing right of way and in other particulars. But the contract is closed, and proceedings under it have already begun. The Nehalem Railroad is about to become a reality.

Commenting editorially on the railroad situation, the Oregonian on Monday had this to say:

GOOD NEWS, TRULY. The best news The Oregonian has printed for many a day as related to that which gives assurance that means are provided for the construction of the Nehalem railroad. The importance of this fact relates not more to the project immediately in view than to the other and similar projects which are seeking ways of getting themselves executed. It is in the view of the world of capital, the Nehalem scheme is a sound business venture—and this is manifestly the fact—there is reason to hope that means will be found for other enterprises of similar kind. The example of success in the case of Nehalem will not fail to stimulate other localities to renewed efforts to attract capital, and it will naturally go far toward making these efforts effective. The Nehalem is but one of several districts close about Portland where a great and profitable development waits upon transportation, under conditions which promise large rewards for capital invested in railroads. For example, the country about the headwaters of the Clackamas River, like the Nehalem, is only a few miles from Portland, but practically is as remote from market as it was in pioneer days; and at the same time it is as fruitful in its opportunities as any other part of the Willamette Valley. This and other districts are certain to gain attention in connection with the Nehalem enterprise.

The Nehalem is almost an unknown country, in spite of the fact that it lies right at Portland's door. No navigable water-course penetrates its interior; there are no easy or natural roads through its dense forests; geographically it lies apart from any settled district, and it is established in communities. Under all these conditions, and in view of the further fact that its resources are largely of a kind valueless without transportation, it is hardly surprising that it has so long been neglected. Such settlement as has been made is the result of conditions which have naturally clung about its skirts. There are many ranches on that margin of the Nehalem country which lies nearest the Columbia River, and at the mouth of the Nehalem River there is a mill of large capacity already busily employed in working up the fine timber with which the country abounds. Thus there are already outlined special industries to which the district is adapted, and with the coming of transportation these industries are bound to go forward with prodigious strides. There is room for 20,000 people in the Nehalem, and we venture the prediction that within five years from the completion of the projected road the country in its general development will be equal to many parts of the Willamette Valley where the settlement is half a century old. Proximity to Portland, with the convenience to market implied in this fact, will attract settlers at once; and, in connection with the favorable climate and the general fruitfulness of the soil, it is certain to make them prosperous. Under the special conditions, gardening, dairying and stockraising on a domestic basis are likely to employ the energies of the Nehalem to a great extent and something like the recent development of the Willamette Slough country in Columbia County may be looked for.

Oregon ought to be a field of special attraction to railroad investors for two reasons. First, because of the many opportunities for short profitable lines of road as above suggested; and, second, because of the rational and liberal sentiment here respecting property in all forms. There is here none of that vicious spirit which seeks to "cinch" property because it may happen to be in large or unusual forms, or because it may chance to be in the hands of a corporation. We had a day of that sort of thing, to be sure, but it is a day now happily past. There is among our people general recognition of that fact that the future of Oregon is largely dependent upon fair and liberal treatment of capital, as well as all other interests. This has been especially demonstrated in connection with the fact that the future of Oregon is largely dependent upon fair and liberal treatment of capital, as well as all other interests. This has been especially demonstrated in connection with the fact that the future of Oregon is largely dependent upon fair and liberal treatment of capital, as well as all other interests.

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Weather Report for February.

Table with columns: Day, Max. Temp., Min. Temp., Mean, Rain-fall. Rows 1-28.

Sum. 1492 ... 1152 ... 1328 ... 21.53

Mean 53.8 ... 41.4 ... 47.4 ...

SUMMARY.—Mean temp., 42.7; Max. temp., 64.0; date, 21st. Min. temp., 34; date, 21st. Total precip., 21.53 inches; snowfall, 0 in.; number of days clear, 1; partly cloudy, 3; cloudy, 24. Date of frost—Light, 21st. Killing, 0. Dates of hail, 7th, 26th and 27th; sleet 9; th. storms, 6th, 9th and 26th. Solar halo, 18th. Prevailing wind—Direction, S. W.

Remarks.—We have had June temperature this month, but cold rain and but little frost, not enough to damage anything.

17th, low ground robins and meadow larks returned to-day. 26th, plum trees sprouted, gooseberry and honey suckles also.

Lunar halo, 22nd.

CAPT. JOSEPH J. DAWSON, Voluntary Observer.

Real Estate Transfers.

Mary E. Allen to Louis Olsen, two acres in sec. 25, tp. 1 S, R. 10 W.; same to T. H. Goyno. Claude Thayer to G. B. Allen, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, of block 36, Thayer's 4th add. to Tillamook. J. A. Monroe to T. H. Goyno, various lots. R. D. Peckham to Mary L. Hays, lots 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, block 1, Miller's add. to Tillamook; same to C. Ben Riesland. Henry Tohl to The Astoria Co., lot 4 and Sw 1/4 of Nw 1/4, sec. 3, and lots 1, 2 and 3 of sec. 4, tp. 2 N, R. 9 W. Goran Munson to Mary E. Daily, Sw 1/4 of Ne 1/4, S 1/2 of Nw 1/4 and Ne 1/4 of Sw 1/4 of sec. 11, tp. 2 S, R. 10 W. J. S. Lamar to T. H. Goyno, 50 x 148 feet in block 1, Thayer's add. to Tillamook. E. G. E. Wist to W. D. Steele, lots 1 and 2 in block 13 and lots 3 and 4 in block 14 in Nehalem. Wilber F. Gleason to William J. Roehmer, lots 3 and 4, in block 11 in Nehalem. Cicero L. Hogan to Ellen A. Hogan, various lots in Tillamook City and Bay City. F. R. Beals to Clarence and Albert Tilden, 200 acres in sec. 11, tp. 1 N, R. 10 W. State of Oregon to John H. Hickman, lots 1 and 8 and S 1/2 of Ne 1/4 of sec. 13, tp. 3 N, R. 6 W. William Sturgeon to Marion A. Cady, various tracts. U. S. to John T. Hendrick, S 1/2 of Sec. 18, and N 1/2 of Ne 1/4 of sec. 19, tp. 1 N, R. 6 W. P. D. Shickelford to D. C. Pearce, lots 7 and 8, in block 2 of Hay's add. to Tillamook. Felix Roy to Louis Luitka, lots 13 and 14 in sec. 35, tp. 3 N, R. 10 W.

The real trouble with the Democratic party is that most of its best men are either openly or secretly Republicans. Gen. Funston is a very small man, but there is entirely too much of him to die under a surgeon's knife. A man who not only can but dares to tell the truth and gets the public ear is liable to do some good.

Republican County Convention.

Notice is hereby given that the Republicans of Tillamook county, Oregon, will meet in convention on the 22nd day of March, 1902, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating the county officers to be elected at the coming general election; to elect delegate to state and congressional conventions, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention; and that the convention will be composed of eighty member apportioned among the several precincts of the county as follows:

- Bay 6 Hebo 4
Bearnegat 2 Hoquarton 8
Beaver 2 Little Nestucca 4
Blaine 3 Nehalem 6
Carnahan 2 Netarts 3
Dolph 1 Sandlake 2
Fairview 7 South Prairie 3
Foley 2 Tillamook 15
Garibaldi 4 Union 5

And that the primaries in the several precincts will be held on the 15th day of March, 1902, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., and to be held at the regular polling places in each precinct.

By order of the Republican County Central Committee.

A. W. SEVERANCE, Chairman.

W. H. COOPER, Secretary.

Socialists' Convention.

The Socialists of Tillamook County will meet in mass convention at the Court House in Tillamook City, Saturday, the 8th day of March, at 10 a. m.

1st.—To organize the Socialist Party.

2nd.—To announce our political and economic creed.

3rd.—To devise a just system of assessment and taxation.

4th.—To nominate a set of honest men for County Officers; and transact any other business which may properly come before the convention.

The taxpayers and general public are invited to the convention on Saturday, the 8th of March.

There will be Socialist speaking on Friday and Saturday evening, and a general invitation is extended.

Stops Canal Deal.

PARIS, Feb. 28.—At an extraordinary meeting of the shareholders of the new Panama Canal Company today, the president read a message from the Consul-General of Columbia at Paris setting forth that the company could not transfer its concession to another nation without first, with the assent of Columbia, modifying the stipulation of articles 21 and 22 of the agreement. After a discussion, during which it was urged that effort should be made to keep the concession for France, the meeting adopted a resolution expressing approval of the attitude of the board of directors and deciding, in view of this fact, to postpone entering into any engagement.

The dispatch of the Columbia Government was a complete surprise to the shareholders of the Canal Company, who met in expectation of merely ratifying the action of the board of directors in offering the Panama Canal Company property to the United States for \$40,000,000, which offer was to remain good until March 4, 1903, and authorizing the board to carry out all the measures for the property, and to accept all modes and terms of payment, if the United States accepts the offer. The consternation, therefore, was general when the president read Columbia's telegram, and a heated discussion broke out. The majority of the speakers concluded that the telegram meant the utter collapse of the negotiation with the United States, and resentment against Columbia was expressed.

Finally, M. Marquis, the official representative of the shareholders, brought his hearers to the remarks were utterly wide of the mark. All discussion at the present moment was out of place and probably damaging to the company's interests. The best course was to adjourn until explanations of Columbia's action were forthcoming. This proposal was adopted and the meeting adjourned.

It is understood that the United States will take steps to obtain a reimbursement of the sum (\$72,000) paid to brigands as a ransom for Miss Ellen M. Stone and Mme. Tsilka, holding Turkey responsible, inasmuch as the capture of the missionaries was affected on Turkish soil. This question of responsibility may have serious developments, since Turkey emphatically disclaims responsibility and lays the blame on Bulgaria.

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