

Daily Capital Journal

BY HOFER BROTHERS,

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JOURNAL "X" RAYS.

Directed Upon the Oregon Politicians and Public Men.

Bryan is already nominated and almost elected for 1900.

It is suggested that "Little Doc Smith" is just about the size of the Statesman's statesmanship.

A very proper effort is being made to have in the new tariff bill a provision to have untaxed alcohol for manufacturers and chemical purposes.

Union County Farmer, (Pen.): Sentences from sixty leaves nothing. At least that is Republican figures relative to the last Oregon legislature.

If big Ike Patterson and little Doc Smith were as good at politics as they are as merchant and surgeon, they would soon be virtual rulers of Oregon.

Perhaps the courts can also levy taxes, and appropriate money, if they can keep all the boards and commissions in office for life? Is Oregon governed by injunction?

Harvey Scott calls Dr. Driver the "Reverend Therapist." This character was the sharp-tongued buffoon and braggart in Homer's Iliad, the Jack Falstaff of Grecian epic.

Mrs. Lord is holding Governor Lord a close second in the public press of the state. After Corbett's fate is settled, Mrs. Lord and the flax industry will lead.

We don't know Ira McFarland at Eugene, but his resort to coarse personal abuse, in reply to Mrs. L. Bilyeu, in the Oregonian, indicates that he must have a weak case, or be a very weak man.

Mr. Dingley: In place of putting on a tariff tax of \$7,000,000 more why not create a surplus by cutting down appropriations \$100,000,000? You hold out an unnecessary inducement for extravagance and prodigality.

Rev. Driver is almost daily committing some outrage on "the genius of our institutions," with whom he pretends to be on intimate terms of familiarity. She needs protection while he is at large.

Vol. 1, No. 1, of the "University of Oregon monthly," is out, editor-in-chief, D. V. Kuokendall. It has well-filled departments, a robust athletic department and "lots" of college personals.

The different state boards and commissions opposed the organization of the legislature because they feared their official heads would fall into the basket. Now, since Governor Lord and Secretary of State Kincaid threaten to not allow their salaries, they are praying for a session of the legislature. It is strange how hard these office holders are to please.—Times-Mountaineer.

Our dear Democratic brother from across the Rhine, Rep. Gratzke, who got into the Mitchell push 24 hours after he reached Salem, says in his paper: "Brother Hofer of the CAPITAL JOURNAL is nervous and anxious for an extra session of the legislature, but notwithstanding his adamant gait he approaches the subject like a sheep-killing dog. The X-ray of public opinion is working on his pocket." Gratzke never loses sight of the "pocket."

As THE JOURNAL refused to support one Dr. Driver for senator last spring, and he was almost defeated for election, it can copy the following from his old time antagonist, H. W. Scott: There is an old blackguard of Lane county, who masquerades under the title of "D. D." All his life he has displayed those qualities that now exhibit their malodorous bloom or perfected fruit in the utterances of the quack doctor of theology turned into a quack doctor of politics, who devoted himself to the methods, morals, and efforts of political and theological Hupple-Mithellism. Driver is tolerated, but merely tolerated, in the church that is so unfortunate as to possess him, for it doesn't know very well how to be rid of him, and therefore endures him, with what patience it can. He is a bawling blackguard in politics, as he is a blatant freak in theology.

Salem special to the Examiner: As president of a bank, associated with corporations, and of pronounced gold-standard views on money questions, it is worthy of note that the Populists

and free-silverites preferred a Corbett to a Mitchell. The latter's equivocation on the money question wrought the result and made possible his defeat. Gold-standard members of the legislature did not hesitate to announce their preference for a pronounced free-silver candidate to Mitchell, and free-silverites preferred an uncompromising gold-standard advocate. Mitchell was a free-silver orator until the late campaign, when he claimed to be in harmony with the St. Louis platform. Gold-standard people have no faith in the ex-senator, and the silver people consider him a traitor to their cause.

In one of his New York addresses, Mr. Bryan said, touching the position of how long the country can stand the financial depression: "If it comes to the farmers of Nebraska can stand it longer than the people of New York, this country cannot favor a financial policy that makes beggars and tramps of the rest of the country. Let them foreclose the mortgage on the farms; they will still have to find tenants, for the farms, for the owners of the mortgages will not work them. The farmer will grow to the extent of his wants. If necessary, the wives and daughters can go back, like the women of old, and make the cloth and clothe themselves. But while the farmer is getting his bare living from the soil, your streets will be filled with idle and hungry men, and it will take all your accumulated wealth to keep the people from starving."

The New Tariff.
CHICAGO, March 15.—The Times-Herald publishes the complete schedule of the new Dingley tariff law from its Washington correspondent, Walter Wellman. The new tariff bill is conceded to be the most complete legislative act submitted to the American congress in a quarter of a century. Boldly meeting the situation, the Republican members of the ways and means committee declare in the title that their bill is "An act to provide revenue for the government and to protect the industries of the United States."

The law, if enacted as given, is expected by members of the committee to produce an additional revenue of between \$60,000,000 and \$70,000,000 a year.

Estimates vary from the highest to the lowest of these figures.

The chief addition to the revenue is expected from the increase of the sugar duties. From this source alone an additional revenue of about \$27,000,000 is anticipated by Chairman Dingley.

Wool is another source of new revenue. It is estimated that the restoration of the wool duties will provide an increase of \$14,000,000 in the receipts of the government. The restoration of the McKinley rates on lumber and timber will add another pretty sum. The flax, jute and hemp and sundries schedule will add perhaps \$4,000,000 or \$5,000,000.

Each of the other schedules, with a few exceptions, is expected to contribute its quota to the increase of revenue, the total increase being so distributed as to fall lightly upon any class of customers, while the benefits to be derived from the protective features of the law are also distributed to all lines of business and to all sections of the country.

It is now expected that the bill will be presented to the house on Tuesday, and that by a week from Monday the house will have taken up in earnest its consideration. By the middle of April, Speaker Reed expects to send the bill to the senate. Republican leaders in the senate believe they can pass the measure there by the 1st of July. If they are not deceived in this, President McKinley will meet with success in his great aim in the early part of his administration, which is to place a new tariff bill upon the statute-books by the end of the fiscal year, or July 1.

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NICARAGUA.

The Canal Project Discussed

By School Children After a Presentation by the Teachers.

"Current topics" are discussed in all the Salem schools in connection with the study of history and geography. In this manner both these studies are made practical and brought up to date.

In some of the rooms the teachers read from the daily papers the telegraphic foreign and domestic news. The children write papers on the current topics presented.

Following are two uncorrected papers from the fifth grade, Lincoln school, J. C. Hall, principal:

LENA MINTYRE—AGED 11 YEARS.

The Nicaragua Country is not rich enough to pay for the building of the canal.

So the country that pays for the canal will have a right to collect a toll from every vessel passing through it and let the ships of their enemies pass through.

United States would like to do this, but England does not appear to want United States to have it. In United States congress this year Senator Morgan in his bill said he thought that the country that paid for it would have the right to own it. As soon as Senator Morgan had said this Mr. Rodriguez minister of the Republic of Nicaragua whom President Cleveland received some time ago said that Nicaragua would not let any such thing be done and Nicaragua would not let it go on if there was not new arrangements made. The Senators are very angry they say England has told them to say this.

The Canal question will not be acted on this congress so the senators will have the treaty worded so that England cannot say anything about it. England already has one of the short water ways to Asia called the Suez canal which brings her in a good sum of money and she would like to have the profits of the Nicaragua and with her great navies might be very dangerous to us.

EDDY J. WINANS AGE 10 YEARS.

The people have long been talking about having a canal because of the long voyage around Cape Horn.

They built a railroad across the isthmus of Panama.

Travelers leave their ship on one side, take the rail-road across the isthmus, and take another ship on the other side, and continue their journey.

Cape Horn is not on the main land of South America but on a group of islands called Tierra Del Fuego which means land of smoke and fire.

These islands are separated from the main land by the straight of Magellan.

After the invention of steam, steamships go through the straight of Magellan because of the fogs and storms around the Horn as it is called by the sailors is much.

Sail-ships can not go through the straight of Magellan because there is not wind enough to keep them a sail. So the people thought they would build a canal so that ships would not have to take the long voyage down the Atlantic coast and up the Pacific coast.

Count Ferdinand de Lesseps who built the Suez canal started a canal across the narrowest part of the isthmus.

The canal which is called the Panama canal was started in 1882 and was said to be done in 1888 and not later than 1889.

The money which was subscribed came not from rich people who would feel its loss very little but from poor people who gave their savings which they had saved for their old age.

Count Ferdinand de Lesseps and the other men found out that it would take too much money so put half of it in their pockets and the other half buying the French newspapers not to let it be known but to tell the people to keep on subscribing money but he was soon found out and the merchants had to run away to save their lives Count Ferdinand de Lesseps was hung and died a wretched life.

The Nicaragua canal was thought

of 2 years before the Panama canal was started because of Nicaragua Lake and San Juan river and other streams.

The Panama canal would be only 50 miles long and the Nicaragua canal 150 miles, 117 miles are through the Nicaragua Lake San Juan river and other streams only 21 miles have to be cut out.

The only objection to having the canal there is that there is a volcano on an island in the center of the lake and there is always fear in the vicinity of volcanoes for an eruption would be likely to change the course of the river and lake so that it would have to be largely remade.

It is said that the Nicaragua canal will cost only 2,000,000.

The country that owns that canal will have to be rich enough to pay for it and the country that owns it has a right to collect a toll on every vessel going and prevent a ship of an enemy from passing through it.

United States wants to own this canal but England don't want her to. England owns the most of the Suez canal and makes such profits on it that she wants to own the Nicaragua canal.

If England owns this canal it will be dangerous for us with her large navy.

There was a treaty made between Nicaragua and U. States, that U. S. should own it and Nicaragua.

In congress at Washington, D.C. Senator Morgan said that U. S. should give most of the money and in return own most of the canal, but before he had hardly finished his speech Mr. Rodriguez a minister from Nicaragua said it would not be so. This made the senators mad because they thought that Nicaragua had been told to say this by England.

So you see we must not let other countries tell us our business.

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Both in Prison.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 15.—Colonel James F. Smith and Joseph Coffey, the attorneys who defied the orders of Police Judge Joachimsen, are serving twenty-four hours in jail for contempt of court.

The attorneys were retained to defend a number of Chinese arrested for gambling. The police were unable to identify the Chinese by name in court, and Smith and Coffey were asked to designate the defendants. They refused, and were fined \$100 or twenty-four hours in jail for contempt. They appealed to the superior court, but Judge Wallace sustained the police court. The attorneys preferred to go to jail in preference to paying the fine, and delivered themselves into the custody of the sheriff.

Smith was Friday night elected colonel of the First Regiment, and while on his way to jail received a telegram from a friend which read: "Accept my congratulations. You are the right man in the right place."

At a depth of 500 feet, the Crystal Palace Mining Company, in the Sparta district, uncovered recently a pocket of rich specimen ore, said to rival those pockets that are occasionally discovered in the Virtue mine. The owners of the claim are jubilant.

A five-year-old son of Mr. Herman who lives on the Cloninger place, near Hillsboro, received an unusual wound a few days ago. The lad had an armful of kindling wood he tripped and fell, one stick penetrated behind the jawbone as far as the root of his tongue.

The snows and cold rains of last week caused serious trouble and in some localities heavy loss of stock in Benton county. In some instances as high as 150 head of sheep were reported and in one instance that of Judge Bryson 15 head of steers. The cold raw wind and the weak condition of stock may largely augment the losses already reported if it continues.

Horst, Lauchmud & Co. filed at Oregon City a contract with E. L. Baker, of Sherwood, for 10,000 pounds of 1897 hogs at 9 cents a pound. Seventy-five dollars were paid on execution of the contract, \$400 are to be advanced for picking, and the balance at the time of the delivery of the crop.

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Director H. R. Miller and Professors Cordley and Pernot, of the Corvallis experiment station, have just returned from an inspection trip in the southern part of the state. A large number of orchards were inspected in the vicinity of Ashland, Medford, Jacksonville and Grant's Pass. They report very flattering prospects for fruit.

School district No. 10, Dilley, had an exciting election at the annual meeting. Since then that neighborhood has been keeping the affair warm and Friday it culminated in the arrest of five persons on the charge of illegal voting. They were brought before Justice Dolstrum, and next Wednesday was set for the hearing. An appeal has already been taken to the county superintendent asking that the election be set aside.

Dawson's Bitters for indigestion.

STATE NEWS.

M. M. Block, of Portland, is suing Washington county for mileage in the Steves case.

There are 282 children of school age in the Bandon school district out of a total population of 515.

Over \$600 in cash has been subscribed by Enterprise citizens to build a Christian church in that place.

The March term of the circuit court of Washington county began Monday. The docket contains 125 cases in equity and in law.

Henderson Simpson has floated 4,000,000 feet of logs from the Kings Valley to boom near the outlet of Locklamute.

The second trial of the Sally boys, for cattle-stealing resulted in a verdict of guilty, the jury taking 30 hours to arrive at a conclusion.

Prof. Lloyd of biology in Pacific University, has resigned his position, to take a like station in the New York Teachers' College.

The Astoria Iron works were the successful bidder for the contract to build the new lighthouse tender. \$18,000 is the contract price.

The little son of Mrs. Wade, of Newburg, disappeared about the time a band of gypsies left that town, and nothing has since been seen of the boy.

Z. E. Lyons, of Eugene recently convicted of larceny of public funds, has been denied a new trial, and was today sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

The framework for the superstructure of the Fishermen's Co-operative Packing Company was blown down by the heavy westerly gale in Astoria last Wednesday.

The Rev. L. D. Beck, synodical missionary of the Cumberland Presbyterian church of Oregon and Washington, has closed a three weeks' meeting in Woodburn and returned to his home in Seattle.

Kola Nies, the hop buyer, was in Seio Tuesday. He completed the purchase of Mrs. Cornell's lot of bald hops, which she has had on hand for one and two years. The price paid was 24 cent per pound.

Curry county authorities seem to defy the opinion of Attorney-General Ideman with reference to the Perry murder; they said that they will not try Melson until a higher authority than the attorney-general forces them to do so.

The Bandon Herald says that a whale forty feet in length came ashore on the beach at Sand Beach last week. The residents of that vicinity tried out 500 gallons of oil and secured a lot of whalebone.

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CIRCULATION.

Of the Daily Journal Increased 75 Per Cent.

Following letters need no explanation:

SALEM, Or., Feb. 25, 1897.

B. F. Bonham, P. M., Salem, Or.: DEAR SIR:—Will you not please to advise us if the weights of mails now received from the DAILY JOURNAL are fully 75 per cent more than a year ago at this time. As we have not increased the size of the DAILY JOURNAL during the past year, we wish to estimate the comparative increase in circulation, by the comparative weights mailed.

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