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### NOT SUPPORTING CHAMBERLAIN BECAUSE HE IS A DEMOCRAT.

The Salem Journal has quit printing editorials. Is this confirmation of the rumor that the colonel aspires to be governor?—Portland Journal

The Oregonian has matter on the same line but is not complaining that the editor of this paper IS NOT WRITING ANY EDITORIALS.

The Capital Journal editorials are too square and flat-footed to suit the Oregonian just at present and IT WOULD LIKE TO CHANGE THE SUBJECT.

It refers to the editor of this paper as a candidate for governor, and conveys the idea that he is selfishly supporting Governor Chamberlain for senator to secure the support of the Chamberlain Republicans.

If there are any such persons as Chamberlain Republicans we have not heard of it, AND WOULD NOT CATER TO THEIR SUPPORT FOR ANY OFFICE if there were some of that kind of Republicans.

This paper is not supporting Geo. E. Chamberlain for United States senator BECAUSE HE IS A DEMOCRAT.

It did not support him in April at the primaries nor in June at the election.

It supported Republican candidates both at the primary election and at the June election, and ITS EDITOR VOTED FOR REPUBLICANS AT BOTH ELECTIONS.

Governor Chamberlain knows this to be a fact and so does every other man who took the trouble to ascertain the truth.

But we are supporting Chamberlain as the People's Choice for United States senator, NOT BECAUSE HE IS A DEMOCRAT BUT BECAUSE HE IS THE PEOPLE'S CHOICE ACCORDING TO LAW.

We are supporting the proposition that men who signed Statement No. One are legally and morally and politically under obligation to fulfill the pledges they made to the people to vote for the People's Choice.

If that is catering to the Chamberlain Republicans the Oregonian is welcome to make the most of it. But it is not. IT IS CATERING TO A FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLE and is what the Oregonian ought to do out of "a decent respect for the opinions of mankind."

If there are any live subjects that the editor of this paper can express himself on and has not done so he will be glad to have them called to his attention.

No alleged candidacy for any office will prevent him telling just where he stands and JUST WHAT HE THINKS ABOUT ANY SUBJECT.

The Portland Journal has done us an injustice by the above item because The Capital Journal is the ONLY REPUBLICAN DAILY THAT IS OUTSPOKEN in demanding that members of the legislature keep their pledges, even though it result in making Gov. Chamberlain, a Democrat, United States senator.

It believes THE SUREST AND QUICKEST WAY to make the Republican party a minority party in Oregon is to go upon record as a party of pledge breakers in a matter so important. That would end its glorious career in short order.

Of course, as an independent newspaper, DEVOTED TO NO PRINCIPLE AND LOYAL TO NO PARTY, the Oregonian has a perfect right to engage in a course destructive to Republicanism.

It is fighting a losing battle and knows it and has the people against it upon this issue.

It is seeking to involve individuals in personal controversies AND RAISE FALSE ISSUES.

It flatters one man and slanders another to divert attention from the main issue.

The people of Oregon have determined that United States senators shall not be chosen by the legislature BUT BY THEMSELVES.

They will not be diverted from their intention to secure and rivet this reform upon our political system.

Use DeWitt's Carbolic Witch Hazel Salve—It is healing, cooling and cleansing. It is especially good for piles. Sold by all druggists.

### THE EMMANUEL MOVEMENT.

The American Magazine for December has an elaborate article on "The Spiritual Unrest," by Ray Stannard Baker, in which he discusses the Emmanuel Movement, WHICH SO MANY CHURCHES HAVE TAKEN UP. They are conducting "religious clinics" in forty Protestant churches, not to speak of hundreds of Christian Science churches. It will go hard with Mrs. Eddy, but these new advocates of Christian healing WILL STEAL HER THUNDER. But as she claims no monopoly of doing good in the world, she will not object to any good that other churches may do along this line. What was at first scoffed at and preached against IS BECOMING ACCEPTED AND POPULAR IN THE ORTHODOX CHURCHES AND RELIGIOUS PRESS. But at best the Emmanuel movement will have to struggle for an existence as a proposition of spiritual truth. It is based upon mental suggestion and hypnotism, if the American Magazine describes it right. Out of the MIXTURE OF MATERIA MEDICA, HYPNOTISM AND ORTHODOXY may come progress or chaos. Which it shall be for the churches time alone can tell.

### THE POLICY OF PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS.

The city council made a mistake in voting down the proposition to build a permanent bridge on South Commercial street.

Mayor Rodgers and Aldermen Low and Radcliff deserve commendation FOR VOTING AGAINST THE RESOLUTION TO KILL THAT IMPROVEMENT.

The people remember distinctly when the old narrow masonry-covered bridge stood there 20 years ago.

The non-progressives made a fight against removing that old unsightly obstruction and yet it had to go.

If it were made an issue in this city today, whether South Commercial street should have a permanent bridge or not, THE PEOPLE WOULD VOTE FOR A PERMANENT BRIDGE.

The present bridge has served long and well, and has not been a bad looking bridge, but it should go.

The Board of Trade advertises to bring strangers here to invest their money in our city and they SEE THAT BRIDGE AND LEAVE THE CITY IN DISGUST.

More than one home-seeker has been driven away from our city in the past two years by the appearance of that bridge.

Two almost fatal accidents have happened there, and any day an accident may occur that MAY COST THIS CITY THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS.

The concrete steel structure that had been agreed upon would have been a step of progress for the Capital City.

Under the popular loan the people would have taken the bonds and the interest would have been less than it would have cost TO MAINTAIN A WOODEN BRIDGE.

But even a full-width wooden bridge, properly built, and mounted with iron railings, to get rid of the Sneezy Hollow effect would be a good thing for the city.

It is the spirit and disposition to have a fine looking city that must be cultivated IF WE ARE TO HAVE A CITY HERE.

The man who does not care how things look, who would put up with a narrow wooden structure, with wooden railings, suitable for a country road, but to save a few dollars, is making a mistake.

A wooden bridge could be built that would look well. It would not be objectionable IF IT WERE FULLY BUILT AND FINISHED RIGHT.

But a policy of permanent improvements must be forced upon this city some time, and might as well be done now as any time.

Concrete piers and steel girders, reinforced concrete or as granite or masonry and cast, AND THERE IS A LARGE MARGIN OF PROFIT.

All modern cities and railroads are using that kind of bridges, and Salem should get out of the rut of old and plank bridges.

Building this city for such improvements is not a crime. It is a sound business policy. IT IS A POLICY TO DO OTHERWISE.

All property interests in South Salem have been injured by the defect of the permanent bridge on South Commercial street.

That ward have more taxes than any suburban ward, and yet ALMOST NONE OF THE TAXES PAID IN THAT WARD HAVE BEEN EXPENDED THERE.

The citizens from that ward were told to ask for nothing and they would get the South Commercial street bridge.

At the last moment before election the people ARE DEPRIVED OF EVEN VOTING ON THAT IMPROVEMENT.

# The Kidneys

When they are weak, torpid, or stagnant, the whole system suffers. Don't neglect them at this time, but heed the warning of the aching back, the bloated face, the sallow complexion, the urinary disorder, and begin treatment at once with

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

which contains the best and safest curative substances.

In usual liquid form or in chocolate tablets known as Sarsatabs, 100 doses \$1.

How much longer will three-fourths of the money taken from the suburban wards be spent in the old parts of the city, and all improvement in the suburban wards be killed? No wonder the suburbanites are sore.

The business men of Salem are very emphatic in declaring that THE CITY COUNCIL MADE A MISTAKE in turning down the South Commercial street bridge. They consider that the city has been given a black eye by the line of action taken. The present bridge is not only unsightly and dangerous BUT IT HAS BEEN SO FOR TWO YEARS. One side has been closed and the other side out of repair. Several accidents have occurred and the bridge is practically condemned and liable to fall down at any time with traffic on it.

Under all these circumstances the movement to put in a permanent structure was popular with the RABLE AND WITH BUSINESS MEN GENERALLY, because there is more traffic over that bridge day and night than over any other public thoroughfare entering the city.

If the old bridge falls down travel will be interrupted for several weeks and possibly heavy damage suits against the city will follow. All business interests will suffer. The opposition to a permanent improvement in place of that old wreck HAS THIS RESPONSIBILITY TO FACE IF IT HAPPENS.

The opposition to a permanent bridge at that place offer another temporary wooden bridge. They contend for a 60-foot wide bridge, which would not leave room for two loaded wagons to pass. SUCH A BRIDGE WOULD BE ONLY ANOTHER EYSORE.

What will the business men of Salem do about it? The council could still meet and re-consider its action of the other night. It could still allow the matter to be brought to a vote and THAT IS WHAT THE BUSINESS MEN OF THE CITY SHOULD DO IN THE MATTER.

No one has given a good reason so far for side-tracking the South Commercial street improvement. It would not disarrange city finances. It would not prevent any other improvement being made that is now contemplated. THERE IS NOT A GOOD REASON FOR STOPPING.

The argument is made that if the city votes the \$30,000 bonds for this concrete bridge, there will be danger THAT THE CITY MAY VOTE FOR WATER bonds. This is a childish proposition, when it is considered that the water bonds will be floated on the earnings of water sold.

Looked at from every standpoint, the city council has made a mistake, and yet IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO RESCIND ITS ACTION.

That is what it should do in fairness and justice to a growing city.

### Products of the Isle of Samos.

Wine constitutes the chief source of wealth of Samos. There are something like 7420 acres of vintage, and the renowned muscatel grape is a specialty of the island. At present the total output is 1,580,000 gallons, but with the substitution vines free from phylloxera the natives hope to increase the output to 3,400,000 gallons, the quantity which was produced as far back as 1894. American ships are used, for the reason that they must successfully oppose the phylloxera. Two thirds of the muscatel wine produced is exported to France and Germany for mixing purposes.

The culture of tobacco is a great source of wealth to the island. Not only does it furnish a means of living to a goodly number of peasants, but it also provides labor for many who would otherwise be compelled to leave the island to seek employment.

The tobacco of Samos has a medium-sized leaf, is highly aromatic, and is rarely smoked pure, for the reason that it is one of the chief mixtures which are rendered Turkish tobacco so famous. The principal exports are to Germany, Russia and the United States, although the cigarettes find their way to every part of the world. While standing on the quay of Vathy I saw several hundred cases being shipped to China, Corea and Japan. The best quality can always be recognized by the color of the leaf. Upon the color depends the price, which varies between 20 and 30 cents per cask (2,820 pounds). It is said that an American company bought nearly the whole of one season's output of Samos tobacco a few years ago. The tobacco harvest this year will amount to about 848,000 pounds.

The carob tree grows wild in the island of Samos and the fruit serves as a food for cattle. It is also used in mixing with chewing tobacco. The annual production amounts to 3,384,000 pounds, nine-tenths of which finds its way to Italy and the rest to Germany.

The annual production of olive oil amounts to 423,000 pounds, of which very little is exported. It is nearly all sold in the island for alimentation and for making household soap.

Consumption Statistics prove that a neglected cold or cough ruts the lungs in so bad a condition that consumption germs find a fertile field for fastening on one. Stop the cough just as soon as it appears with Ballard's Horehound Syrup. Soothes the torn and inflamed tissues and makes you well again.

# Reduced Prices on Everything in the Store During This GREAT CONSOLIDATION SALE

OF OUR ROSEBURG AND SALEM STORES

### If You Need a Lady's Coat Now Is the Time to Buy It

We very seldom carry a coat over from one season to another because we believe in cutting the prices away down before the season is over so we have plenty of time to clean up.

We now have 82 ladies' coats, all this fall's latest styles in blue, brown, red, black or tan, and by the time the season is over we will not have a coat left, because our reduced prices will move every one of them. Reduced prices from \$3 to \$10.00

### Large Assortment of Xmas Handkerchiefs

The best 25c values in neatly embroidered handkerchiefs during this sale, only ..... 19c

### FURS

\$1.25 new furs, Now	75c
\$1.50 new furs, Now	\$1.00
\$2.00 new furs, Now	\$1.40
\$2.25 new furs, Now	\$1.65
\$3.00 new furs, Now	\$2.15
\$10.00 new furs, Now	\$6.00

### Umbrellas For the Whole Family

Our assortment is complete in all qualities of cotton, gloria silk or silk covers, and in all size frames, from 22 to 34 inches.

Our sale prices are liberal reductions from the regular prices. Sale price from ..... 40c up

### Drummer's Sample Line of Knit Shawls

We have purchased at a large reduction the entire line of over 500 shawls, no two alike.

This gives us an opportunity to offer you the largest assortment and the best values in shawls you have ever seen for the prices we ask. Prices ranging from 10c up to \$3.50

### Boys' Suits

\$1.50 boys' suits, Now	\$1.00
\$2.50 boys' suits, Now	\$1.75
\$3.00 boys' suits, Now	\$2.10
\$3.50 boys' suits, Now	\$2.50
\$4.50 boys' suits, Now	\$3.40
\$5.00 boys' suits, Now	\$3.75

# Rostein & Greenbaum

240-246 Commercial Street, Salem

## WARNED POTATO CONDITIONS BAD

Conditions in California Revealed—Millions of Sacks on Hand.

(Eugene Guard.)

The following correspondence in regard to the potato situation is self-explanatory:

Portland, Ore., Nov. 20, 1908. "E. Dodge, Esq., Eugene, Ore.

"Sir: Being your California representative and you our representative in your district, I want to make you the following report on the potato situation, which I want you to study very carefully, as we must be careful in not making a loss in handling potatoes this year.

"I want to advise you that we have still on hand in California three million sacks, and quality of our tubers this year are much better than the potatoes in your district. Consequently it will be before you to judge how long it will take California to use up this supply. I do not see any prospects of handling potatoes from your point before February or March, and as Colorado has shut California out of Arizona and Texas business, the following letter will speak for itself, written me by the general freight agent of the O. R. & N. and S. P. R. R. Co. of this city:

Nov. 4, 1908. Mr. J. H. Grande, 209 Stark St., Portland.

Dear Sir: Referring to our conversation in connection with potato crop of Idaho, Utah and Colorado, wish to advise that our representative at Salt Lake informs me that there has been no weather trouble in Utah or Idaho that would injure the crop. He anticipates the harvesting of the largest crop ever had. Our Denver representative estimates that in the vicinity of Greeley, Colo., the crop will amount to 13,000 cars. Loss by frost will not exceed at the outside, 2 per cent. Yours truly,

—R. B. Miller, Agent.

"So, my dear Dodge, Colorado will freeze us out of Arizona and Texas business, consequently with Califor-

## LEBANON ALSO HAS BURGLARS

Three Robberies Monday Night—Safe Is Opened by Cracksmen.

(Lebanon Critter.)

Lebanon was visited Monday night by a series of burglaries in which at least three places were entered and some one who apparently only needed money. The Southern Pacific depot office was entered and the safe broken open. No money was found, as the coin of the realm was not left there over night. The safe thief entered the building, prying open the freight room door. The combination of the safe was broken and the lock forced and the coin box opened with a "jimmy." The work was of so avail so the securing money was considered.

The Hazelwood cream station near the depot was broken into, but nothing is kept there except cream nothing was disturbed.

The other place entered was the drug store of Blackburn & Woodward, on Main street. In the store of the business section of town, the drawers in the counters taken and the search for money, but none was found, and nothing was taken, so as the proprietors could ascertain.

No clew has been discovered by the officers as to who the guilty parties are. The work seems to be that of some one who understands the business.

Lebanon has been very free from crimes of this kind in late years and the business men of the city have taken considerable interest in the matter and may ask the city council to increase the police force for the winter months.

A Peculiar Wrench of the foot or ankle may produce a very serious sprain. A sprain is more painful than a break. It is sprains, cuts, burns and scalds. Dr. F. J. Cheney's Snow Liniment is the best thing to use. Relieves the pain instantly, reduces swelling, is a perfect antiseptic and heals rapidly. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. For sale at Dr. Stone's drug store.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney make oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY, Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.

(Seal) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

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