

FALLACIOUS,

Editors Democrat

Every argument made to sustain the bill in that the Mills' bill puts nothing on policy of protection for protection's sake by the free list that comes in competition with protectionists is based in some sort of fal- like articles produced in this country, not lacy or false assumption. We are told even wool. Intelligent republicans know Am't from last report...\$38707.42 \$865.38 that protection regulates wages, making this to be the truth. The fact stated so Am't from licenses...... 5.10 them high. This statement is untrue as often by republican leaders-Grant, Blaine, Am't from J P Galbraith, an example, wages in the same line of in- is that which the Mills' bill recognizes. dustry in the same town are sometimes Now, the republican tariff bill confronts Am't from D S Smith, delower and sometimes higher under the us with a free list containing flaxseed and same protective tariff law. It happens quite linseed oil, in other words there shall be frequently that manufacturers in all parts no flax-linseed oil, or hemp industries in Am't from interest from of the country post notices in their mills our own country, but there shall be free that on and after a given timewages will be trade in these things. We are a flax raising Am't from Dist. Attorney reduced to per cent. when there has been country, and foreign flaxseed and linseed that manufacturers may regulate wages, ductions in that line. Linn county, in our but no one can point to an instance where state, under contract, showed that flax raiswages were ever increased on account of ing was more profitable than wheat culture an increase of tariff rates. If protection in this county. And where can better flax. regulates wages, then, wages would be the be raised than in Linn county. In that same in all localities where it is in force, region around Colfax, extending to Lewis that is, the coal miner would receive as on, Idaho, there are extensive flax fieldsmuch for digging coal in Pennsylvania as Already there is a contest for that excellent in Washington territory, but the fact is market between the new oil company of that while the miners in Pennsylyania Portland and the Pioneer oil company of Am't paid on school receives So cents to \$1.25 per day, the miner California. What will these: flax raising in Washington territory receives \$2.50 to communities say to this proposed destruc-\$3.50 per day. Another significant fact tion of the flax industry, at one blow, by is that wages in improtected lines of indus- the republican party. What excuse can be tries in this country are uniformly higher given for this step in the free trade directhan in protected industries and generally tion by these republicans, many if not all the higher the protection the less the wages of whom have heretofore cherished the as shown in the woolen and iron industries doctrine regarding wool mentioned by of the east. It is an indisputable fact that General Grant.

manufacturers who are protected pay just The cry of free trade by republicans has such wages as they have to pay, and that is been carried on to deceive and mislead, but determined by the matter of supply and de- when they come forward with their tariff mand. If there are few laborers and much bill, this shows that deception is their only ing on hand, in the County Treasur / of work, wages will be high, and on the con- virtue. Can they not tell the truth and said county for the six months ending on trary, if there are many laborers and little practice it? They have advocated, through work, wages will be low. This is the im- their leaders in Congress, and by those who perial law of supply and demand and no have been their presidents and their candi- D., 1888. protective law, can nullify its effect. It is dates for the executive office, free wool, as a favorite argument with protectionists to General Grant said in his message: "Those sustain their theory, that wages are much articles which enter into our manufactures lower in England than in the United States and are not produced at home, it seems to and this is credited to the fact that England me, should be entered free. These articles money and warrants received for taxes and has free trade and this country protection, of manufacture which we produce consti- money paid to the County Treasurer by the But this argument is unsound for there is a tute a part of but do not produce the whole. Sheriff of Linn county, Oregon, for the greater difference in the wages of the coal That part which we do produce should be three months ending on the 30th day miner of Pennsylvania and that of Wash- entered free, also. I will instance wool," etc. ington territory than there is between the I have mentioned General Grant, in his land, If protection makes higher wages, ciple fairly, and the republican party then why are they higher in free trade Eng- endorsed his message. The fact which then land than in Germany, France, Russia, existed and which led General Grant to say protective tariff taws? Surely if protection not come in competition with foreign wool. overrules the law of supply and demand He saw, as democrats now say, that the In the United State and makes wages high, fine wool from abroad we need to mix why does it not have a similar effect in the with our wool, and so with the coarser European countries above named. It is grades, none of which compete with ours all fallacy. «It has no more to do in secur- in this country, as our grades abread con- do hereby certify that the foregoing stateing good wages than the laws of gravita, clasively show by the fine prices they ment is correct and true. tion. We are told that under protection bring. The flax seed case is murder of that the protected article becomes cheaper and industry in the first degree. England can A. D., 1888. we are gravely informed that woolen and give us linseed oil at her mills at from three many other kinds of goods are cheaper in to ten cents per gallon. Her flax seed will the United States than in England, and produce oil cake from the sale of which this argument is made to make consumers she makes her money, as it is used as fodcontended with protection. Now if p.o- der, and it is indispensible for that purpose. tection makes the wages that they manu- What will those republican flax raising the amount and number of claims allowed facturer has to pay higher and the price of states say to this destruction of this indus- by the County Court of said county, for the product of his mill lower, how in the try? Will they take part in this great what allowed, amount of warrants drawn name of common sense is he benetfited Jans. faced act now being performed by and how could he be ruined by the repeal the republican party, and say, amen? We of such a law? And why do their manu- submit, as our head is on the block. facturers put forth such herculean efforts Up to this year the republican doctrine clusive : to defeat tariff reduction? The truth is was as General Grant stated it to be on the manufacturers are just like any one else subject of the tariff; and also as President

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. REPUBLICANS ARE FREE TRADERS. Of the County Treasurer of Linn county, Oregon, for the six months ending on the And now comes the republican new 31st day of Sept. A. D., 1888, of money re-

tariff bill, providing for free trade in sev- ceived and paid out, from whom received eral things, among which are flaxseed and and from what source, and on what account linseed oil. This bill differs from the Mills' paid :

AMOUNTS RECEIVED. General School Fund Fund

436.00 linquent tax, 1886... 344.80 137.92 linquent tax, 1887 4896.58 Am't from Co School Supt Teachers permits.... 67.50 Marion county..... 112.74 bond forfeited 45.00 tax of 1887 27573-45 Am't from fines..... 45.00 Am't from sale of estray ...

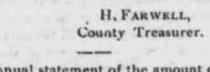
> \$44665.14 \$28628.65 AMOUNTS PAID OUT.

Am't paid out on Co. warrants..... \$16966.61 Am't paid prop school fund tax of 1887. 21335.16 \$27532.25 Supt's warrants. Am't paid State Treas. bal. tax 1886 2151.00 Balance general fund on hand 4212.37 Balance school fund on hand..... 1096.40

\$44665.14 \$28628.65

State of Oregon, 2 ss. ounty of Linn. 5 I, H. Farwell, do hereby certify that the

foregoing is a true and correct statement of the amounts received, paid out and remainthe 31st day of Sept. A. D., 1888. Witness my hand this 1st day of Oct. A.



Semi-annual statement of the amount of



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the their taxes I will keyy upon the goods

JOHN SMALLMON, Sheriff and Tax Collector.

and chattels of such delinquent taxes. Yours Truly,

160.70

120.00

200.60

52.00

678.05

454.80

222.70

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I would especially call the attenticu of pa ties laying in their Fall supplies to my large stock of



I ato better prepared than over to meet their wants. In all departments I am prepared to meet the



New Goods

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The Democratic State Committee of is to be enforced, but where free trade Il.inois is greatly elated over three recent accessions to the Democratic ranks in Illinothing nois that will be of great importance in the coming election. A joint meeting of the Grievance Committees of the Brotherhood ing it, in a non-partizan manner, it seems Roads, bridges and lumber...... 4633.67 insry medicina in Albany and country of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen, the as if it would be impossible for an honest switchmen and brakemen has adopted a republican to be deceived or to vote the resolution to support Gen. Palmer, the ticket of his party. Democratic candidate for Governor, and has requested the cooperation of all the of this tariff question and they say no flax Witness before grand inty subordinate lodges of each order in the or linseed oil shall be duty free, because On account bailiffs 96.00 brotherhood men in the State who will vote country. almost unanimously for Palmer. The em ployees of the Union Steel Works, the largest institution of the kind in ('h.cago,met Sunday and also voted to support Palmer. Last night the United Labor party met in its Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains headquarters and unanimously passed a Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and post-

resolution pledging the party to vote for Primer. The United Labor men have about six thousand votes in Cook. County alone. The H-Disseminator says, the Brownsville

Mills signed the protest against and several other state papers ame statement and enlarga do the work of the Mills. Ve have the heat authority for saving that these statements are pure farbrications. The truth is that every stockholder but one in that corporation is a democrat, a Cleveland man Cress goods. Call early and secure barga n

Sept., A D. 1888 AMOUNT RECEIVED. Total received \$536.74 AMOUNTS PAID. State of Oregon, } county of Linn. } ss

Total paid Treasurer \$287.00 I, John Smallmon, Sheriff of said county Witness my hand this 1st day of October, JOHN SMALLMON,

Sheriff of Linn county.

Semi-annual report of the County Clerk of Linn county, State of Oregon, showing and amount of warrants outstanding and Produce, Baked Goods, Btc., Etc., unpaid, from the 1st day of April, 1888, to the 30th day of September, 1888, both in-

county of Linn, state of Oregon, do here-

by certify that the foregoing is a true and

correct statement of the number and

amount of claims allowed by the County

Court of said county, for the six months

ending on the 30th day of Sept., 1888, on

what account the same were allowed, and

ACCOUNT ALLOWED. They favor the law that is beneficial to them | Garfield stated it-tariff reform even "to | County Judge's salary \$ 450.00 and that is the reason they oppose tariff re- free trade," but this year the other face is County Treasurer's salary 500.50 in front and there must be no reduction of County Clerk's fees 1709.05 County Sheriff's fees 1073.71

the tariff. It is not high enough where it County Sherin a ters diem County School Superintendent ... County Coroner If our people could review this principle District Attorney

and the position of the two parties regard- Paupers and poor 1401.76 Court House and jail 41.00 6th and Washington Sts. Stationary and printing Insane..... Incidental expenses.....

Witnesses in criminal cases The democrats have the right argument Witnesses before grand jury 318.10 Viewing and surveying roads..... VERITAS.

Becklen's Arnica Salve lest salve in the world for Cras

Sruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Engum, Fever Outstanding unpaid county war-rants on the 30th day of Sept. 1888..... \$672.70 State of Oregon, { County of Linn. } ss I, E. E. Montague, County Clerk of the

L. Vinene a batan Bargains! Dargains! 1 Bargains! []! Remember we are closing out our stock ig that Chinese are employed of boots and shoes and have yet some very desirable styles. Come and see for yourselves and you will not regret it. BROWNELL & STANARD.

the amount of warrants drawn, and the amount of warrants outstanding and un-I am now receiving my o ring and summer paid as the same appear upon the records of my office in my official custody. W. F. READ.



tion, that those who have used them or seen them work can not say enough in their praise. We furnish them with or without seat attachment. Seat attachments are extra. DEERE POWER LIFT SULKY PLOWS. BUCKEYE SHOE PRESS GRAIN DRILL. * * * linekeye Hoe Press Grain Drill, Buckeye Seeders, Buckeye Spring Tooth Harrow, Superior Grain Drills, Superior Seeders. CORBIN'S DISC HARROW AND SEEDER. * * The latest improved implement for sowing summer fallow. The most complete and uccessful tool for this purpose in use We also have a full line of Buggies, Carriages, Phaetons, Mountain Wagons, Platform and other Spring Vehicles.

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