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LOCAL RECORD.

Lebanon.—There is talk of a Chatauqua literary circle being organized in town. Such a society affords excellent means for home culture.

Mr and Mrs Clay Marshall, of Albany, spent Sunday with Dr Foley and wife.

W J Turnidge will open a stationary store in the new postoffice building.

Ben Kirk is working in I R Borum's shaving parlor. Ben is a good workman and Mr Borum is fortunate in securing his services.

George Washington Stillwell was born in Virginia, on the 28th day of April, died in Lebanon, Oregon, Sept 5, 1891, being 80 years, 4 months and 7 days old.

J R Smith, who started across the mountains this week, was taken ill at Jerry Shea's. Dr Foley was summoned Thursday morning. Norman Smith accompanied the doctor.

Mrs J K Charlton has been very ill during the past few weeks, but is now improving

Mrs Brown, of Albany, was in the city Monday trying to organize a class in elocution.

Ellsworth Barzee, a nephew of Prof Louis Barzee, died at Sodaville, Sunday, Sept 8. He was 21 years of age, a graduate of the normal college at Monmouth, and was a promising young man.

At an election held by the Waterloo Development company, in Albany last week, our fellow townsman, E E Montague, was elected one of the directors of said company. Elmer has faith in the future development of the immense water power at Waterloo.—Advance.

Some Difference.—During the month of May 709 pieces of baggage were received at the Southern Pacific depot, in this city, and 725 pieces were sent out. In June 751 pieces were received and 635 sent out. In July 680 were received and 764 sent out. In August 645 were received and 692 sent out. More pieces were sent out than received, but during the next three or four months it will be the reverse.—Eugene Register. A very good showing for a small village like Eugene. In Albany such a record is not known. Mr Barker, the baggageman, informs us that the smallest number of pieces of baggage handled the past year was between 2300 and 2400 a month. The highest a few over 3700. The general run is about 3000 pieces a month, over twice that of our lively little neighbor up the road. This was all S P baggage. Besides this the S P agent handles several hundred pieces of O P baggage every month.

A Peach Country.—This year particularly has demonstrated the fact that this part of Oregon can raise as fine peaches as any country in the world. No peaches brought here surpass ours in size and flavor. It is to be hoped that their cultivation is pushed and that we have some fine peach orchards in this and Benton and Marion counties. The Salem Journal says: Many interesting facts as to the capacity of this country for fruit production are being brought out by the fruit palace idea. For instance, it leaks out that in Mr Beardsley's orchard 54 trees four years old bore 300 bushels of peaches that sold for $2.50 a bushel. This wou'd be $750 from less than one-fourth of an acre.

A Miraculous Escape.—A Munsell, who lives a few miles from Corvallis, relates an episode in which he narrowly escaped. The accident occurred near Cottage Grove where he had been and was hauling a load of slabs at the time. He had just started to drive his team across the railroad track, when a special train rounded a sharp curve and came immediately upon the outfit, and before he had time to jump, the locomotive struck the horses and knocked the wagon completely from under him and he fortunately fell along side of the track and rolled off the graded road bed, and the train passed on without doing him any personal injury more than he was rendered unconscious by the shock. Both horses were killed outright.—Cor. Benton Leader.

Probate Matters.—Estate of Wm H McBride, bond of admr filed and approved, and Matthew Acheson, John Barton and James McCune were appointed appraisers.

Estate of Rebecca Vernon, order made to sell personal property, as prayed for in petition.

Estate of F F Croft, inventory filed.

Estate of Chas Cusick, inventory filed.

Estate of Peter Halfpenny, bond of admr filed and approved, and Harvey Shelton, Geo Devaney and G W Hunsaker appointed appraisers.

Estate of Charles H Spencer, final account approved and admr discharged upon filing receipt of Eliza Spencer for $882 04.

A Live Place in Albany is the vicinity of the S. P. depot at noon. Within half an hour four passenger trains leave the depot in four different directions, and shortly after another in still another direction. There are so many trains that farmers coming in from the country find it difficult work to get into the city. This suggests that both Montgomery and Ellsworth streets should be extended in a direct line until reaching the main country road.

Feelings Hurt.—It hurts the feelings of Crook county people wonderfully to have immigrants go through that county into this unsurpassed valley, the land of fruits and cereals. The News walls like this: "Scarcely a day passes that emigrants from Nebraska and Kansas cannot be seen passing through Prineville toward the Willamette valley. When these deluded people learn that government land in Wehfoot is not to be had they will come back to eastern Oregon and settle down, satisfied to stop and remain in a country better suited to the wants of people of their class."

Washington Cities.—The census shows the following population for Washington cities with over 1500 population: Seattle, 42,837; Tacoma, 36,006; Spokane, 19,922; Walla Walla, 4,709; Olympia, 4,698; Port Townsend, 4,558; Fairhaven, 4,076; Whatcom, 4,059; Vancouver, 3,545; Ellensburg, 2,768; Centralia, 2,026; Snohomish, 1,993; Dayton, 1,880; Puyallup, 1,732; Sprague, 1,689; Colfax, 1,649; Aberdeen, 1,638; Montesano, 1,632; Blaine, 1,563; North Yakima, 1,535. Several of them now do not contain much more than half the figures given.

Without a Bottom.—A gentleman recently from South Bend, Wash, says the bottom has dropped out of the boom over there, and that real estate agents are now compelled to wash their own spittoons, not being able to hire a small boy or Chinaman to do the work. They use their offices for club-rooms in which to spin long boom yarns and play solitaire with old maps and plats.—Guard.

A Cute Elephant.—Sells' circus train was a couple hours late at Redding, Calif. The elephant, Jumbo jr, reached from his car above Delta and pulled out the coupling pin with his trunk, cutting the train in two, and the engine and part of the train went twenty miles before anything was found to be wrong, and had to go back, thus causing the delay.

A Bad Boy.—Mr J R Crosby, who resides on Upper Crooked river, says the Prineville News, lost his barn and about twenty tons of hay by fire a few days ago. The fire was set by a little child who "wanted to see it burn." Mr Crosby's loss is a severe one to him, as it would be to any poor man. A horse escaped from the barn after being somewhat scorched.

A Good Bird.—Judge Denny says the Chinese pheasant is the friend rather than the enemy of the farmer and deserves protection. They are a great insect destroyer. The truth is that the cry against the Celestial bird has been principally as an excuse for shooting him contrary to law, sort of a conscience saver.

A Canvassing Swindler. — Deputy Sheriff Cochran, last evening about 6 o'clock, arrested a man by the name of J R McDonald, on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, near Smithfield. He has been canvassing in that section for the New York Delineator, Harper's Bazaar, Portland Oregonian, S F Examiner, and many other papers, and signed all receipts C W Lewis, while he registered as A J McDonald, at the hotels here. The Delineator has a standing reward of $100 for his arrest and conviction, and the publishers of that paper have been notified of his arrest by telegraph. From stub receipt book found on his person it appears that he has taken about $1000 worth of subscriptions for papers in this and adjoining counties. He was brought to Eugene and placed in jail.—Guard.

Another Accident.—From a private letter from Rev H S Shangle, who, for sometime, was pastor of the M E church south, in this city, but who is at present stopping near Oakland, Douglas county, we learn that while his two little boys were playing under a tree a broken limb fell and struck the oldest boy, Bruce, on the back of the head, rendering him insensible, and up to the time of writing—sixteen hours—he had not regained consciousness. Physicians say the skull is not broken, but a dangerous pressure on the brain exists. Mr and Mrs Shangle have the sympathy of many friends here.

After a Darkey.—The colored ex-convict who tried to kill a white waiter at Strong's is believed to have gone to Albany on a night freight soon after the assault was committed and is there hiding. The police are after him keenly and if he ever shows up he will be dealt with and given a chance to prove whether he is a would-be murderer or not. Later: The police have advices that Haselwood is not at Albany. Another ex-convict who was released about the same time is there, but his colored friend has not put in any sort of a tangible appearance yet.—Journal.

A Prominent Man Insane.—The many friends of B J Pengra, of Springfield, will regret to learn that his mental condition is such that an examination on the charge of insanity has become necessary. Complaint was filed with the county court today, by O A Eccleson and S W Condon, and it is probable that an examination will be held this afternoon. For several years he has been a firm believer in spiritualism, and his mental abberations are characterized by extravagant talk on the subject. His property at Springfield and the building of railroads are themes that betray his mental incapacity.—Guard.

What a Photograph Did.—Geo. H. Edwards has been in Ashland for about a week. He is a pugilist who was here in the spring of 1886 and had a prize fight about 3 o'clock one morning on the outskirts of town with a painter from Medford named Lewis. Lewis was badly bunged up in two rounds and "squealed." District Att'y Thos. Kent took hold of the matter, Edwards skipped, was brought back, tried and put in the county jail. Several others implicated left town until the excitement blew over. A railroad passenger conductor who was backing Edwards lost his position and was fined. A photographer was on the ground and had photographs of the whole business, which proved that blocks by the score were there, though they thought they weren't when the limb of the law got into operation.—Record.

S. P. Night Operators.—F W McKechune, of Oregon City, has been appointed agent of the S P here, and G M Isham, of Harrisburg, has been appointed night operator. The additional force is rendered necessary by a change of time in freight trains. Night operators are also put on at Oregon City, Salem, Albany and Eugene.—Woodburn Independent.

Enormous Yields.—Wm Scanlin, of Beaver creek, harvested 99 bushels of wheat from one acre; Jas Tracey, of Logan, 400 bushels of oats from four acres; Enos Cahill 67 bushels per acre from a field of wheat. In each instance it was machine measure, which, as is well-known, is in the Willamette valley always considerably below the actual number of bushels.—Oregon City Courier.

Need Assistance.—The Dalles Chronicle of Tuesday says: Mayor Mays had a telegram today from the Mayor of Portland asking what help the people of Portland could render to the sufferers by the fire. Mayor Mays answered that contributions would be thankfully received and that our necessities were very considerable.

The editor of The Dalles Chronicle calls the editor of The Dalles Times Mountaineer "the anglomaniacal Cornishman."

WORTH CONSIDERING.

F. M. French keeps railroad time.

Buy your groceries of Parker Bros

New cream cheese just received at Conrad Meyers.

Smoke the celebrated Havana filled 5 cent cigar at Julius Joseph's.

A large stock of wall paper, with late designs, at Fortmiller & Irving's, just received.

Have you seen those parlor suits that T Brick has just received? They are nice.

J W Bentley, best boot and shoe maker in city, three doors north of Democrat office.

E W Achison & Co handle the celebrated Portland cement walls for cemetery lots. These walls can be furnished at half the cost of any other and are far superior.

Dr M H Ellis, physician and surgeon, Albany, Oregon. Calls made in city or country.

Ladies can do their shopping in San Francisco without visiting the city, and without extra commission. Miss E J Barrows Purchasing agent, 1659 Grove St, Oakland.

Patronize home industry and buy handmade harness, warranted, from O C McFarland, at Dubruille's old stand.

To Tea Drinkers.— Probably three fourths of the teas consumed are "Green Teas" Unpleasant as the fact may be, the bright, shiny green so familiar to us all is not the natural color, but is due to the facing or glazing of the tea with Prussian blue, Indigo and other mineral colors.

That coloring hides the effects of poor teas is undoubted; but is it healthful, and does it not call loudly for the importation of a brand of pure, uncolored, unmanipulated tea?

It was this condition of affairs that prompted the placing of Beech's Tea before the public, Being the absolutely pure, uncolored leaf it is different in color from any you ever used. It draws a canary color of a delightful fragrance that is a revelation to tea drinkers, and its purity makes it more economical than the artificial teas, less of it being required per cup. Sold only in packages, 40 cents per pound. Ask for Beech's Tea, pure as childhood, for sale by Allen Bros., Flinn block, Albany.

Dyspepsia for Sixteen Years.

M P Holland, Postmaster, Rockaway Beach, Long Island, N Y, was entirely cured of dyspepsia and rheumatism of sixteen years' standing, by taking two Brandreth's Pills every night for a month. During the month he took them, he gained eight pounds in weight.

Brandreth's Pills are purely vegetable, absolutely harmless, and safe to take at any time.

Sold in every drug and medicine store, either plain or sugar coated.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

THURSDAY

Dr J T Tate is home from a professional trip through Washington.

Miss Pauline May, of Harrisburg, is in the city, the guest of Mr L Senders.

Mr Virgil Parker and family and Mrs Clifton are rusticating at Breitenbush.

M C Bingham has brought a suit for divorce against his Eastern wife, Elizabeth Bingham

John Morrison went to Yaquina Bay today for a sojourn of a week or two in his Nye Creek cottage

Mr Jason Wheeler and Frank Wheeler and wife have just returned from a trip to Fish Lake and vicinity.

Collins Elkins left today for his Santiam fruit farm, on the line of the Oregon Pacific, for a two weeks vacation.

Prof Condon, of the State University, returned home today, with his family, from their summer sojourn at Yaquina Bay. Among other things the Prof had a fine specimen of the head of a Eumetopias stelleri, which the Man About Town had the pleasure of inspecting. As it was over a million years of age it was rather an aged looking sea lion's head; but it would take gold to get it from Oregon's leading geologist.

FRIDAY.

Sheriff Sloan, of Eugene, passed down the road this noon.

Mr Shupp returned today from a long summer sojourn at Upper Soda.

W H Baber, a well known citizen of Junction, was in the city today.

I N Bruce, a republican ex-treasurer of Linn county, is in the city.—Salem Journal.

Are you going to the Y M C A sociable tonight? You are welcome; everybody is invited.

Hon J N Dolph passed through Albany this noon for Portland. He has been doing the Bay among other places.

E Barnes, of Crook county, once a resident of Linn county, was in the city today, and went from here to Salem.

W H Price and Mr Skaggs, two prominent business men of Albany, were in the city yesterday, transacting business.—Corvallis Gazette.

Mr J M Nolan, Corvallis' leading merchant, was in the city today on his way home from a sojourn at Sodaville. He was accompanied by his son.

Cavender & Calder, proprietors of the Brownsville Times, were in the city today. The young men, as well as their paper, have an appearance of prosperity.

Miss Benna Kirkpatrick, Asa Baker and Charley Ralston entered the Albany Collegiate Institute this week. Misses Lizzie Reed and Abbie Fry will also enter this school soon.—Lebanon Advance.

Mr W J Henderson, deputy city treasurer of Oakland, Calif., is in the city, where Mrs Henderson has been several weeks, visting friends and attending to business interests here. Mr Henderson is also proprietor of the leading orchestra of professional musicians of Oakland, with a large list of patrons, and is meeting with considerable prosperity.

Mr Charles Nickell, whose biography appeared in our July issue, was the only representative to the national editorial association, held at St Paul, from Oregon, as well as the first to represent the press association of that state in any convention. He was one of the youngest, wealthiest and most successful of those who attended the convention.—National Journalist.

SATURDAY.

W R Graham went to Salem on business today.

Mr Perry Read and family, of Crook county, are in the city.

H M Hopkins opened the dancing season at the opera house last evening by giving a social party.

Prof McClure, of the state university, was in the city today on his way home from Yaquina bay.

E C Pentland, recently of Independence, has located in Portland, where he will go into business.

Jerry Shea, of Sweet Home, brought a load of onions to Albany yesterday and returned today with a load of manufactured eatables.

Dr W H Davis and D B Monteith left this noon for Halstead, where they will join Judge Strahan and spend Sabbath, returning Monday.

Mr and Mrs W C Tweedale returned last night from a trip to Vancouver, where they had been with their Sacramento school teacher friends.

Riley Thomas and Irv Schneider visited Lafe Thomas, of Albany Praire, Monday evening. Lafe has been very low with typhoid fever, but they report him better.—Stayton Times.

The botanical party given last evening by the Y M C A at their rooms was a pleasant affair. A short program was rendered, songs sung and games played, among others being the botanical contest. The first prize, an elegant boquet, was awarded Miss Candis Conn, and the booby prize, a cabbage head, was divided among F H Roscoe, E L Quinn, J McChesney and Dr F Ball. It is proposed to have a public social every quarter.

Dr Maston, W F Read and N H Allen, who returned from the Santiam mines yesterday, brought the same favorable reports all bring from that golden region. It is an interesting fact that there is not enough ore out or in sight to run the new mill—which will no doubt pound out twenty-five to thirty tons a day—for a year. As both the upper and lower tunnels are equally rich the running of the mill will be greatly facilitated. A cross cut in the upper tunnel shows a rich eight foot lead.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

LARGEST -:- ASSORTMENT
—OF—
HEATING STOVES.
—AT—
MATTHEWS & WASHBURN'S

Blain's Tailor.—A large and elegant stock of suitings has just been received for L E Blain's tailoring department, under the expert Mr Schiffler. Those desiring stylish suits made in a first-class manner should examine these goods and be satisfied that Blain's tailoring department is the best place in the county for securing them. Mr Schiffler's long experience is a guaranty of good work.

Go to Julius Gradwohl's for Golden Rule Savon soap. He has received 100 boxes full weight Savon soap, expressly put up for the trade. It was bought for net cash and will be sold with a large discount.

Albany, Aug. 26th 1891.

Important to Housekeepers.

It gives Julius Gradwohl great satisfaction in selling his fine Golden Rule tea and baking powder, with elegant prizes or without them, that his customers who have purchased invariably return and say they are well pleased, that the tea is No. 1 and the baking powder is as good as the best. All his teas and baking powder bears the name of Julius Gradwohl's Golden Rule Bazaar, and are expressly put up for his business, and he still continues to give with each pound of tea or baking powder an elegant piece of glassware.

Fortmiller & Irving have some Renaissance lace curtains for $18 a pair, as fine as anything ever seen in the city. They range down to $7 a pair. Other lace curtains down to $1 or less a pair.

THE DEPLETED TREASURY.

The indulgent public, and that part of it particularly that is inclined by reason of its great faith in the truthfulness of its party leaders to accept without question the reports of the secretary of the treasury, may believe fully the explanations that are being sent out today to supplement the scanty debt statement of yesterday.

That debt statement was intended to show that the government has, as available assets, the large sum of more than sixty millions of dollars with which to meet all demands upon it. As a matter of fact, wherever that impression has been made there has been a deceived person. If the treasury had at its command sixty millions of dollars, or even half that amount, Secretary Foster would at once and with a great deal of satisfaction call in and redeem the 4½ per cents., amounting to about $27,000,000, that became due and payable today.

It has been seen for months that there would be difficulty in satisfying the appropriations of the billion dollar congress and the bondholders at the same time. In order to meet demands that could not be evaded the treasury has been declining to pay many of the appropriations, some of which were of large amount, the secretary finding it convenient to say that, as the appropriations were made out of "money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated," and as there was no money "not otherwise appropriated," he could not pay the money called for. Several Indian appropriations, aggregating probably $3,000,000, were included in this category. The chance of their being paid soon is very slim indeed.

Instead of calling upon the creditors of the government who hold 4½ per cents to come forward and receive the face value of their bonds, as the secretary would do if he had the money, he announces, as if he were conferring a great favor upon them, that the time for continuing the 4½ per cents. at 2 per cent. will be extended indefinitely. That means plainly enough that he has not the money with which to pay them; that he desires to be allowed to pay unauthorized interest, and that he must have time in which to save millions necessary to discharge the indebtedness.

This situation makes the parade of figures to lead people to believe that there are $60,000,000 of available assets in the treasury seem like a very cheap and demagogic trick. So near the end of his tether has the secretary gone that he is considering whether he shall not draw from the depositories the sum of $3,000,000 with which to meet the immediate demands for redemption for the 4½ per cents. Should he get the $3,000,000 he wants, he will still have several millions less than the amount of the bonds outstanding. If the whole amount of the bonds outstanding should be presented at once, he would be embarrassed. Some reliance is undoubtedly placed upon the forbearance of the bondholders to come in until Mr Foster is in better financial condition.

The unofficial statements of the available cash make it to be $18,000,000, but to those who do not hold on to odds and ends of a doubtful character, as do the statement makers of the treasury, it appears to be little more than $13,000,000. This would not be so bad, perhaps, if the income of the government were as good as it was a year ago, when Reed's "business" congress was passing the bills that are bringing the treasury into awkard straits. As it is, the income for the two months of the present year, with its inflated expenses, is far behind that of a like period in the last year. Already it is intimated that Mr Foster does not intend to attempt to pay all the appropriations made by the "billion" congress, but to let them go over to be taken out of the revenues of the next year. The democrats of the fifty-second congress would be obliged to be economical for the sake of contrast and good example, but with the remnants of the republican debt facing them, it begins to look as if they would not be in position to make generous provision for many undertakings that need to have continuous support.

Until the congress meets, and some member shall call upon the treasury to render an account that will be intelligible, it will not be possible to tell how much short of funds the treasury was in August, 1891, but it is plain that if all obligations now due were paid there would be a deficiency. Trickery has served to keep from the public the true state of affairs, in the hope, probably, of averting that proper indignation that would be felt against the "billion dollar" congress and its managers if the exact truth were known about the effect of its extravagance.—New York *Times*.

In continuing to denounce cheapness President Harrison either wilfully or ignorantly overlooks the fact that cheapness is a relative matter. When everything is cheap nobody suffers. When some things are dear and some cheap those who have the cheap things to sell and the dear things to buy must suffer. The farmers and workingmen, for instance, who have to sell their products and labor at competitive prices and buy necessary articles at artificial prices fixed by a protective tariff are heavy sufferers, and their sufferings are due entirely to the discriminating policy of the president's party.

Twelve New York *World* reporters attended the New York republican convention the other day.

They had been instructed to ask each delegate questions as to whom they would support as a candidate before the national convention. Before the state convention was called to order their work had been completed. The result was: Blaine, 639; Harrison, 16; Charles Foster, 2; William McKinley, Jr., 1; Alger, 1; absent, 6; non-committal, 106. Fifty-six of those marked non committal admitted that they favored Blaine, but did not wish to be quoted.

Speaking of the laboring man's tin pail, it will not hold all the sugar that he can get for a dollar under the McKinley tariff law.—[*Globe-Democrat.*

After the aforesaid laboring man has paid the Niedringhaus-McKinley tax on his tin pails he will be mighty lucky if he has a dollar left to buy sugar with.

The old moss covered protoplasm is being again brought to the surface by the democracy of "why were not the bondholders paid in the same currency as the soldiers?.—*Mountaineer.*

Well! well!! well!!! Whoever heard of the like before. Protoplasm; protoplasm; protoplasm.

Attention.—The very latest news is that you can buy of Julius Gradwohl's Golden Rule Bazaar, for net cash, 15 pounds granulated sugar for $1.00 and 18 pounds Extra C. sugar. All goods sold for net cash from 10 to 25 per cent less the regular price, as I intend to run a strict cash store.
Albany, Or., July 21.

WASHINGTON.

(From our regular correspondent.)

Washington, Sept. 7, 1891.

Secretary Rusk appears to be about the only republican in Washington who did not "lose his head" over the removal of the restrictions upon the importation of American hog products into Germany. While others were indulging in foolish talk about the "triumphs of American diplomacy" Secretary Rusk, who knows that it was the meat inspection law and not diplomacy which carried the day in our favor, was giving the credit where it belonged—to a democrat, by writing a letter to Representative W H Hatch, of Missouri, which closed with the following paragraph that tells the whole story: "The thanks of the farmers of this country are due to you for your efforts in their behalf, and especially your advocacy before the House of Representatives of the fifty first congress of the meat inspection bill, without which the above result (removal of the restrictions) could not have been obtained."

Representative Mills, who is now in Washington, will make his first speech in the Ohio campaign on the 17th inst. Tariff reform will be his subject.

Ex-Senator Mahone's scheme of regaining power by the aid of the Farmers Alliance of Virginia, is not relished by all the members of his party in that state, as is evidenced by a well-attended meeting of republican county chairmen held here several days ago. Col. Parsons, a warm personal friend of Secretary Blaine, is at the head of this movement, which has for its object the dethronement of Mahone as state chairman and the control of the state delegation to the national convention. Mahone is to be asked to call a mass convention, and if he refuses the county chairman will call it and elect a new state committee.

Representative McMillin has decided to join the distinguished missionary party of democrats in its tour to the state of Washington, but owing to his campaign engagements in Massachusetts and elsewhere, he will be unable to remain with the party through the whole trip. He will make a tariff reform speech at Spokane Falls to the representatives of the democratic clubs of Washington.

A story is told here which shows the opinion privately entertained by prominent republicans of the pension law. Secretary Foster, as the story goes, said to a personal friend: "If it were not for the pension grab, we would have an abundance of money; but I suppose that is about as good a way as any for scattering the money around among the people."

The "niggers" won the fight over the appointment of a successor to Fred Douglass as Minister to Hayti, notwithstanding men close to Secretary Blaine had stated that a white man was to be sent. The new minister, John S Durham, of Philadelphia, who has been for some time U. S. consul at San Domingo, was recomended by Mr Wanamaker, ex-Senator Bruce and ex Representative Lynch, all federal office holders, and his appointment shows very plainly that Mr Harrison feared the threats of the negroes more than he did the displeasure of Mr Blaine.

And that isn't the only recent anti-Blaine appointment. Webster Flanagan, of Texas, who obtained a national notoriety in 1889, while in attendance upon a republican national convention, by asking significantly when some speaker had been talking of the evils of scrambling for office, "What are we here for?" and who has always been a strong anti-Blaine man, has been made Collector of Custom at El Paso, Texas, in place of Clark, who was recently whitewashed by the treasury department in an alleged investigation of numerous charges, including under-valuation and other skulduggery. This does not bear out the story that Mr Harrison is prepared in certain contingencies to retire in favor of Blaine, it looks more like he was preparing to contest the field against Blaine or anybody else.

THERE IS LACK OF HARMONY

The New York platform is new proof of the absolute harmony of the republicans upon the silver question. The republicans all stand together upon the platform of purchase of the product of American mines. Half the democrats are on the republican platform and the other half want free coinage.—*Oregonian.*

On the contrary; it is absolute proof of a serious lack of harmony in that party. The The republican platform of New York is just what wall street wanted it, in fact it is the product of Wall street dictation. Compare that with the latest authorized utterances of that party in many of the states and see where the lack of harmony prevails.

The republicans of Arizona say:

We must insist as a party that an enlarged financial and industrial prosperity shall further be secured by the free coinage of silver.

In Indiana they say:

It will add more than $50,000,000 annually of sound currency to the amount in circulation among the people, and is a long, yet prudent step toward free coinage.

In Kansas they say:

But we the republicans of Kansas, demand free coinage of silver.

In Michigan they say:

We favor the *unlimited* use of gold and silver bullion as a basis for legal tender paper currency interchangeable with coin.

In Nebraska they say:

The effort to fully remonetize silver should be continued until it is on a perfect equality as a money metal with gold.

In Oregon (right under the nose of the *Oregonian*,) the republican party in state convention say:

We declare ourselves in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver and denounce any attempt to discriminate against silver as unwise and unjust.

In Wyoming:

They favor the passage of the law that would result in the free coinage of silver.

Senator John H Mitchell and quite a number of other senators are in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver, and among the masses of republicans in all the agricultural states there are hardly two opinions among them. All of which shows that there is great diversity of opinion and lack of harmony among republicans on the silver question. The same is true among democrats.

In the course of an investigation part of which has already been communicated to the Royal Society, Prof. Roberts-Austen has discovered the most brilliantly colored alloy as yet known. It has a rich purple color, and bright ruby tints are obtained when light is reflected from one surface of the alloy to another. It contains about seventy eight per cent. of gold, the rest of the alloy being aluminum. The constants of the alumnium-gold series of alloys are now being examined and will shortly be published.

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