THE EUGENE CITY GUARD.

SATURDAY...... DEC. 16, 1832.

CAUSES OF DEFEAT.

Soon after the recent elections the leaders of the Republican party began tions, have been kept constantly before to announce to newspaper reporters, and by them through the public press, the causes which led to the defeat of the Republican party throughout the country. These party leaders ascribed various reasons for their overwhelming defeat ; but all of them, with few exceptions, sought through these announcements to conceal from public view the of the Government. That there be no real causes which led to the overthrow of their once powerful party. The leading Republican journals of the country also gave their views as to the by their political jebbery be dismissed question which alienated the Gerwith the Democrats. All these state ments of Republican leaders and of the Republican party could no longer great living facts and causes of this mighty uprising of the people throughout the entire land.

The masses of the people have become convinced that the cry of civil service reform from Republican headquarters was and had been a sham and a pretense. The people heard this cry from Hayes throughout his entire adafter a few investigations, found that to do it. fraud and corruption, political assessments, star route stealing and every manner of political jobbery had been permitted and even encouraged under Hayes' administration.

the laboring, toiling millions of our gress, having made this issue, thus arraigned the Republican leaders for -creating innumerable Federal offices ated, thus drawing the money out of the treasury and using the money realized from these assessments to cor- The people said in thundering tones in rupt the elections of our citizens. The Democrats in Congress arraigned the Republicans for keeping up and maintaining the present infamous tariff sys- But the Democrats went to the countem and for their reckless and extravagant use of the public funds. The headed by such men as Grover Cleve Democrats in Congress arraigned the land, Robt. I. Pattison, the gallant old Republican leaders for originating, ananipulating and upholding the present internal revenue system and asked them to join with the Democrats and able announcement of the people has revise the tariff and internal revenue systems so as to relieve the masses of the people from the heavy burdens imposed upon them by reason of these taciff and revenue laws. The Democrats in Congress begged of the Repub- heard from, and all the cunning of licans to go straight at this tariff revision and give the puople relief at once. But the Republicans, instead of joining with and assisting the Democratic members in this matter of the tariff, evaded it entirely and raised a committee outside of the members of Congress for the sole purpose of delay-ing action on the tariff. The committee was a select one, known to be in the interest of the great corporations who are benefitted specially by our present tariff system. This committee, after traveling around over the country and calling upon all the leading protectionists, .was ready to report months before the present session of Congress. The leading newspapers of the country stated to the public what the substance of the report of this committee would be. These papers informed us that the report of this committee would be adverse to any reduction or modification of the tariff in any material point. But alas for this committee and those Republican leaders who raised the committee and by their speeches throughout the land sought and endeavored to prepare the people for its intended report. The people, tired of and disgusted at the course of the dominant party on the tariff, tired of their abuse of the civil service, alarmod at their extravagant and reckless waste of the public funds, Eugene. Come and see. overawed and frightened at the continued and determined effort of the party to corrupt the free elections of the country, by the use of money stolen from the public Treasury, and unwilling to submit to the unjust internal revenue system, sent thundering in their report. The people forestalled the intended report of the committee, Why does everybody go t

been prepared and sent in more in conformity with the report rendered by the people in the late elections. All these questions of the tariff, of

civil service reform, of the unjust internal revenue system, of the star route stealing, of political assessments, and of Federal interference with electhe people by and through the Democratic party, and the attention of the country has been so closely and continually directed to these questions that the people of both parties have time and again demanded of the party in power that these abases of the civil service be corrected, that there be a stop to this taxing for political purposes the office-holders and employes more of this correption of the people's elections by the use of the nation's treasury. That these corrupt scoundrels who have disgraced the country cause of the universal triumph of the from office and punished according to Democracy in the late elections. But law. That their present system of none of them gave the real causes which public plunder through the tariff and conspired to defeat the Republicans in Ohio Indiana Parasulsania Naw the people have become greatly alarm-Ohio, Indiana, Pennsylvania, New York and other States. These jour-agant use of the public money and nals, too, like the party leaders, were have been demanding a return to first file. wont to conceal the real and leading causes of Democratic victory and Republican defeat. They all joined in saying that it was the prohibition question which alienated the Ger-man and liberal elements of the Repub lican party and counsed them to your instead of promised relief being oblican party and caused them to vote tained, things grew worse and worse,

Republican newspapers are groundless, be hoped for nor expected, and still Eleventh to Twelfth street be graveled forthand divert public attention from the groaning under the heavy burdens of with; granted. taxation so long imposed upon them by the dominant party, rose in their might and by the sovereign power of the hal-

lot, rebuked that party and hurled from build a suitable house. office the men who had so grossly betrayed them. And this victory of the people was a decisive one. Its meaning cannot be mistaken. This was no spasmodic uprising of the masses. It was not the result of any sudden enministration, and although they regard thusiasm awakened by the cry of a ed him as an intruder in the office to demagogue. But it was the result of which he was never elected, yet they a cool, deliberate and well settled conhad hoped that something might be done in the way of reforming the civil by the determined will of the honest service. But when his administration freemen who toil and labor for their had dragged its weary length through living, and who, being convinced of its four years the people of the country, their duty, were ready and determined

To prove and demonstrate the causes of recent Republican defeat, it is only necessary to refer to the utterances and statements of Republican leaders made

During all this time and for years previous the Democratic party, through its conventions and its platforms, its since Congress met a few days ago. orators and its party press, had been refer simply to the President's message arraigning the Republican party for to Congress. Arthur now advises an to draw an order for \$19 in favor of Nightits frauds in elections, for its corrupt immediate revision and reduction of methods and practices in the civil ser- the tariff. Why? Because the people vice department, for its class legislation of this country, by an overwhelming -for its legislation in favor of the cor- majority, on the 7th of Nov. last, so porations of the country and against decided, and the Democrats in Conpeople. The Democrats in Congress warned the Republican party of the property holders to make their sidewalks result should the people not obtain immediate relief in this respect, and the to survey all blocks south of Eleventh street with exhorbitant salaries, then levying Democratic party, unable to obtain this and east of Mill street to the Headerson ad political assessments on the offices cre desired relief, went to the people on the tariff question as one of the leading issues in the November elections these elections that civil service reform must and shall come. Arthur in his recent message to Congress says so, too. try on that issue also, and their tickets Stoneman, Gens. Rosecrans and Slocum, swept the country like a whirlwind, and this powerful and unmistakalarmed President Arthur and has struck terror in the ranks of these Republican bosses, and hence these favorable recommendations to Congress. But the dio is cast. The people have been heard from, and all the cunning of party leaders cannot turn the tide of public sentiment. It is too late for these political manipulators to find rethese political manipulators to find repentance now, for this death-bed re pentance is a very doubtful sincerity. They have sinned away their day of grace, and the voice of the people hath spoken it. Depart, ye workers of iniquity; we have tried you and you have betrayed us Vox populi vox dei.

Council Proceedings.

COUNCIL ROOMS, EVGENE CITY, Dec. 11, 1882. Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present-Councilmen Edris, Lauer, Campbell, Johnson McClung and Mayor Hendricks, Recorder and Marshal, Absent-Conneilman Luckey.

Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved.

Finance' committee reported the following Bills correct, and on motion, warrants were or-Bered drawn on the treasury for the several W. M. RENSHAW, JERRY HORN, Amounts:

Lynch & Pate, \$4 40; J E Attabary, \$2244; B A Ogden, \$15; Abbott Bros, \$25 37; T G Hendricks, \$4 80; Springfield Mill Co. \$110 29; Nelson & Johnson, \$7 25; Springfield Mill Co, \$34 08. Councilman Johnson, from the Judiciary Committee, reported an ordinance regulating

pig stys. Read and indefinitely postponed. Also read an ordinance regulating stables, which was indefinitely postponed. The Judiciary Committee reported progress in regard to codifying the city laws, and asked furter time. Granted. The committee on fire and water reported the arrival of fire engine, and that the cost, including freight, is \$2510.

Report of the Marshal read and placed or Petition of R G Callison, C W Horn and

others for h street crossing on Ninth street across Pearl street; granted. Petition of J B Rhinehart and James Mo-Claren asking for a sidewalk from northwest corner of Willamette and Sixth street to the side track of the O & C K R; granted. Petition of S A Ogden, Robt McGee and Eben Blachley asking that Mill street from

On motion, the livery stable of James Humphrey was leased at \$10 per month for storage of the fire cogine until the city can

The following bills were read and referred to the Finance committee:

R G Callison, \$24 50; S A Ogden, \$4 50; L J Cheveland, \$3; F M Wilkins, \$16.12; Springfield Mill Co, \$13; S H Friendly, \$3; J T Witter, \$5; Robinson & Church, \$26 45. On motion, a warrant was ordered drawn upon the Treasurer for \$631.25 in favor of the committee on fire and water to pay freight on engine.

Councilman McClung offered the following resolution, which was adopted; RESOLVED, That it is the duty of the nightwatchman to light the city lamps. On motion, the lamp at Prof. Bailey's corner was designated a city lamp.

The following resolution was, of motion, adopted:

RESolved, That the city will furnish oil and light a lamp at the northest corner of Eighth and Charnelton streets; also at the southest corner of C W Fitch's lot, if plasts and lantps are furnished by private subscriptions.

watchman J T Witter as balance of psy for this tildenth of November, 1882.

MIN' BILL Great Reduction EUGENE H. & L. CO. NO. 1, WILL give their Annual Ball at LANE'S HALL, on

Friday Evening, Dec 29, 1882

Executive Committee:

Invitation Committee: EUGENE:

J. R. Campbell, J. R. Kestu. T. G. Hendricks, S. H. Friendly, JUNCTION:

Wm. H. Baber, James Huffman. IRVING: J. W. Yates James Luper, VANDUYN: Lucian Ward, James Smith SPRINGFIELD:

Wm. R. Walker, Jas. W. Stewart CRESSWELL: W. W. Scott, Jr. Geeirge Gilfry, COTTAGE GROVE:

Curran Osburn, E. W. Whipple, Aaron Lurch J. W. Crawford, Irv. Henderson,

GOSHEN:-J. W. Matlock Reception Committee:

GEO. W. GILL, GEO. A. DORRIS, GEO. CRONER Floor Managers: H. C. HUMPHNEY, W. H. ALEXANDER, GEO, SMITH, WM. RENSHAW,



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actually defy any house in Oregon. BARGAINS-In mens and Boys Clothing and Hats, 25 per cent lower than usual espe-cially for the Holidays.

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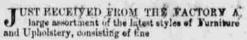
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Local Market Report. Friday, Dec, 15, 1882. Wheat-85 @ 86 cts., on board of cars. Oata-50 cts., nett.

Hops-75 @ 80c. Flour-\$5 per bbl. Eggs-40@45 ets. per doz. Butter-30@33 ets per lb. Sides-15 ets. per lb. Hanns-15 ets. Shoulders-10@121 ets. Lard-15 ets. Wool-90 ets. Park-6@7 ets.

Messrs Jeel McCornack, S M Titus and Isaac Yocum having started in the pork packing business, will pay the highest market price for pork, dressed or on foot. Give that a call

Why does everybody go to the Workingand we are now informed by the press man's boot and shee store? Because they that another and different report has save from 25 to 40 cents on the dollar.

Conneilman Lauer moved to reconsider the motion of November 13, 1882, ordering the straightening of Eleventh street and the

auform to the same; lost. On motion, the City Surveyor was ordered dition

Conneilman Campbell gave notice of an ordinance to protect fire apparatus. Councilman McClung offered the following resolution; which was, on motion, adopted: RESOLVED, That hereafter all ordinances order to pass the same, and shall be signed by the person of chairman of the committee introducing them: On motion adjourned.

R. G. CALLISON, Recorder.

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Notice.

The direct is of the Lane County Mercan tile Association having received a favorable proposition to dispose of the stock of merchandise and good will of the business, desm it important to call a meeting of the stock holders to consider the same.

A meeting of the stockholders will therefore be held at the company's office in Engene on Wednesday, the 3d day of January, 1883, #1 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of the Board of Directors. JOHN KELLY, President.

W. I. COLEMAN, Sec'y Pre tem. d16-3w

Sheriff's Sale.

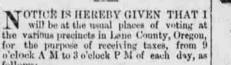
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Look! Look! Look!—The Working-man's store is the place where you can get a present for your wife. Those Pianos and Organs Have arrived at Crais Bros. Also the largest stock of gold and silver watches, gold chains, jewelry, eilver ware and clocks ever brought to Eugene. Come and sec. Hogs Wanted. Messers Jeel McCornack, S M Titus and

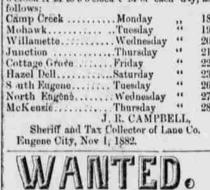
Lane County, Oregon. Now therefore by virtue of said execution, I will sell the above described mertgaged prem-ises to the highest bidder at public suction, for cash is hand, at the Court House door in Eu-gene City, Lane County, Oregon, on

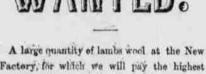
Monday, Jan. 15, 1882,

At the hour of one o'clock P. M. of saul day. J. E. CAMPBELL, Sheriff of Lane Co., Or. Dated this 16th day of Dec., 1882

right to reject any and all TG HENDRICKS. Chairman of Com. TAX NOTICE.



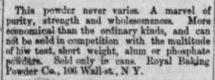




market price, in Cash. We will commence operations on the 1st of November, and will manufacture and keep for sale all kinds of Yarns, Socks, Wool Bed Battings, etc.

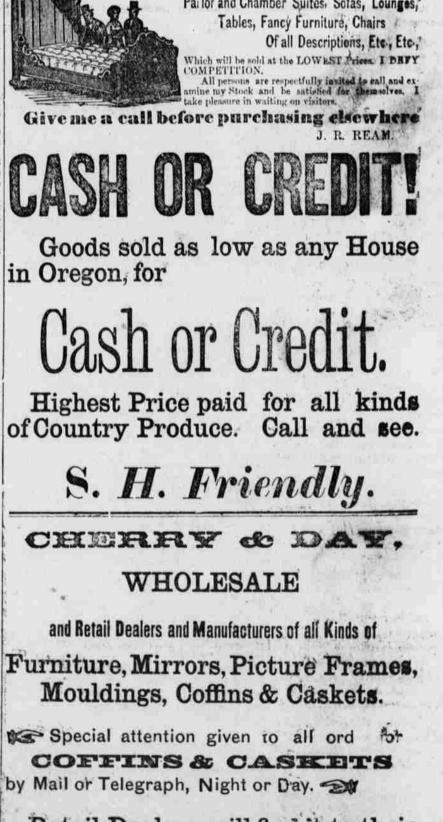
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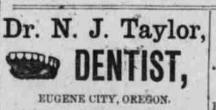


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