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The following is a list of persons paying taxes on $2000 and over in Klamath county, as per the assessment roll of 1888:

S Cunningham	$ 2237	Louis Land	2200
C Cunningham	2490	Arthur Langel	12534
J Kahn	2735	Geo McDonald	2909
John Loosely	2093	J R McClellan	4290
C K Smith	2042	J H Oatman	2400
W O Vaughn	2340	W J Paul	2200
J Bevans	4280	David Vinson	5505
Casebeer Bros	3765	G B Van Riper	2815
W W Finley	2222	Baldwin & F.	8430
Fink & Waters	4970	Mrs L Brooks	2728
A A Fink	8110	F A Cogswell	2470
L Leonard	6225	Henry Conn	2161
M Obenchain	5270	M D Childers	3150
G Obenchain	4769	S B Cranston	3505
Owen, J & Son	2032	J T Forbes	3200
E S Tuli	2164	John Friese	4600
James Taylor	3321	J D Fountain	2700
Walker D & W	11317	P R Fuson	3310
Wells & Co	15664	D J Ferree	5505
H Ammerman	4566	John Gleim	10721
O T Brown	6164	J L Hanks	10679
R A Emmett	3508	J H Hazzard	2160
Stewart & R.	10850	J W Hamakar	3487
E Skaggs	4031	Heidrick est	2772
J Thompson	4260	J K Ingalls	2326
Kasson Bros	2500	L A Lewis	2275
Edgar Ball	6676	W S Moore	5100
Jesse D Carr	14512	W P Miller	15245
Dan Colwell	6124	E M McCord	2073
W C Crawford	2428	John F Miller	18592
R Hutchinson	3590	Chas S Moore	5120
Kester L & Son	4980	Thos Martin	4212
Stephen Stukel	4336	Rnus M & Co	14550
D Vanbrim'er	4144	" (old firm)	5064
L B Applegate	9300	Sergent Bros	6840
I D Applegate	9350	G W Smith	16576
N Hildebrand	2421	James Tobin	6009
Shook Bros	18291	B F Vanbrimer	8356
Wm Roberts	5747	Thos Wilson	5714
C C Beekman	7184	Mrs E E Wise	2535
L Broadsword	2080	O C Applegate	7795
Jas Bryan, Sr	2500	Mike Hartery	3855
Clopton&Poter	3617	C B Boyes	5780
Geo Deal	3430	Jas Colahan	10443
Frewer & King	5113	Graves, K&W	2257
Gerber Bros	8930	J Hunsaker	2063
Gross & Gwinn	2800	Mills & Rider	9516
N S Goodlow	3606	F D Swingle	3280
Hamakar & H.	5100	Jos Swingle	6550
C P Hughes	2286	Henry Vinson	4185
Benj Hall	3025	G G Anderson	2980
J O Hamakar	2026	Wm Steel	4350
W H Hoagland	3526	J M Engle	3200
S W Kilgore	4745	W S Runyon	3597
Mrs M Land	2850		

THE MARKETS.

PORTLAND.

Hay—$10@13 per ton.

Hops—Quote 12@16c per pound.

Eggs—27c per doz.

Potatoes—30@40c per sack

Lard—Kegs, or 5 gallon tins, 8½@9½c per lb.

Oats—Market quiet. Quote 32@33c per ctl.

Wool—Quote Valley, 15@18c; eastern Oregon, 9@15c.

Provisions—Bacon, 10@14½c; hams, 15@16c; shoulders, 11½c

Wheat—Valley, $1 27½@1 30; Walla Walla, 1 35@1 37½ a ctl.

Barley—Brewing per ctl, $1 00; ground, per ton, $25@27 50

Flour—Valley standards quoted at $4; Walla Walla brands, $3 50@3 75.

Feed—Bran, $13 50@$14 50; shorts, $15 50@16 50; chop, $18@20; chopped barley, $24@25 per ton.

Butter—Quote extra choice creamery, 25@30c; fair to choice, 22½a25c; store, 18a20 per lb.

Meat—Steady Beef, wholesale, 2½a3c; dressed, 6c; sheep, 2¾c per lb; dressed, 6c; hogs, dressed, 7½c; veal, 7@8c.

Sugar—Golden C. 7¼c; extra C, 7½c; dry granulated, 7¾c; confectioners A, 7¾; cube crushed, fine powdered, 8¾c per lb.

Poultry—Quote chickens, $3@4, for young, and $4@5 for old; old ducks, $5@7; geese, $6@8 per doz; turkeys, 12½c per lb.

Fresh Fruits—Sicily lemons, $6@6 50; Oregon peaches, 75c@$1 25 per box; Oregon apples 60@$1 25 per box; grapes, $1@$1 25 per box; pears, 75@$1 25 per box; tomatoes, 75@85c per box.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Wheat—No. 1 shipping, $1 58@$1 60 per cental.

Barley—No. 1 feed, 80c for new and 77½ for old; brewing, 92 a 97c.

Oats—Good feed, $1 10@$1 15 per cental.

Potatoes—Peerless, 30a50; Burbanks seedlings, 50a90c; Garnet Chile, 45a55c; Early Rose, 35a60; Sweet, 75ca$1 25 per cental.

Wool—Humboldt and Mendocino, 16a20; San Joaquin and Southern, 9a13c; eastern Oregon heavy, 9a12c; eastern Oregon light, 13a17c; Valley, Oregon, 16a20c.

Onions—35a40c per cental.

MINING NEWS.

Considerable prospecting is being done.

Miners are getting ready for the coming season.

The best and cheapest mining blanks for sale at the TIMES office.

Ennis & Cameron will open their Galice mines next season, and are now making preparations.

Walter Simmons has rented his hydraulic mine in Galice creek district to Del. Osborne for the ensuing season.

The American Mining Code, best authority on all subjects relating to mines and mining, for sale at the TIMES office.

Orme, Mee & Bailey's quartz mill will soon be running, and will be operated by steam. They have a large quantity of excellent quartz on the dump.

Jas. Mabee of Medford, accompanied by his son and two other persons, are in Applegate district on a prospecting trip and think they have struck it rich.

Rogue River Valley Land for Sale by Scott Griffin, of Tolo.

UNIMPROVED LANDS:

40 acres near Central Point. $600.
80 acres north of Medford. $1200.
120 acres southwest of Eagle Point. $2000.
160 acres 5 miles east of Tolo. $2500.
240 acres a few miles from Jacksonville $3000.

IMPROVED FARMS:

120 acres east of Central Point.
160 acres south of Tolo.
200 acres on railroad.
320 acres three miles southeast of Tolo.
480 acres 55 minutes' drive from Jacksonville
530 acres two miles southeast of Tolo on the railroad.

For price and terms call on Scott Griffin

New Corporation.

The Tolo Townsite and Milling Co. was lately incorporated by F. H. Rowe of Bellevue, Idaho territory; Marion Griffin, Cottonwood, Shasta county, Cal.; J. F. Ragsdale, C. C. Ragsdale and Scott Griffin, Tolo, Jackson county, who have subscribed to the entire amount of the capital stock of $20,000 in shares of $10 each. The object of the incorporators is to acquire, by purchase or otherwise, lands and tenements in Jackson county, Oregon; the selling and disposing of the same; the borrowing and loaning of money by mortgage on real or personal security; the building and maintaining of dams and booms; the building and operating of mills for manufacturing purposes of all kinds; the buying and selling of personal property; the transportation of grain, produce, merchandise, etc. The principal office of the corporation is at Tolo, Jackson county.

Fruit Growers, Attention.

A convention of the Southern Oregon Fruit Growers' Association will be held at Heber's grove, near Medford, Sept. 29th, 1888. An excellent programme for the entertainment of both ladies and gentlemen is being prepared. All members are requested to bring specimens of the finest fruit they can secure for exhibition. A basket dinner will be served on the ground and everybody is invited to attend and bring baskets well filled. C. B. MILLER, Sec.

Superior Fruit Boxes.

We are prepared to furnish any quantity of extra-fine fruit boxes, of any style, size or weight desired, at prices that defy competition. Our boxes are all made of thoroughly seasoned sugar and yellow pine lumber. They are lighter, brighter and stronger than any other box made on the northwest coast. Boxes stamped with any brand desired. Prices, laid down at all points, furnished upon application. SUGAR PINE DOOR & LUMBER CO., Grant's Pass, Oregon.

S. S. Convention.

The fifth annual Sunday-school convention for Jackson, Josephine and Klamath counties will be held in the Baptist church at Medford, Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 2 and 3, 1888. Able Sunday-school workers will be present. The programme will be issued soon. All are urgently invited to be present at the convention. G. F. BILLINGS, Pres. Ashland, Sept. 15, 1888.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

FROM A FARMERS' STANDPOINT.

A cohort of orators, under the orders of the Republican State Central Committee, says the *Examiner*, are ravaging the several counties and informing the farmers of California that the Mills bill, which imposes a duty of 42.59 per cent. on foreign manufactures, is in reality a British free-trade measure, devised by Cleveland for the destruction of American agriculture in the interests of John Bull. Well, this is a harmless pursuit; we do no know that it hurts anybody. Farmers do a great deal of quiet thinking by their own firesides after their day's work is done, and they are apt to reckon out their own interests more accurately than orators who deal in flowers of speech. A farmer figures up what his farm and improvements cost him and what he pays for help and sets the total down in his mind; on the other side, he figures what he got for his crop; the difference between the two represents the value of his own labor. If that difference is so small that he does not seem to have made wages, all the oratory in the world will not convince the farmer that there is not something wrong somewhere.

When the farmer pays his bills, as he does, he is apt to remember the amounts he pays, for, after all, the proceeds of a few thousand bushels of wheat, or a few tons of alfalfa, or a few cart-loads of vegetables, or a few boxes of pears, or a few tons of grapes, do not amount to any very monstrous sum of money, while the cost of a house and barn, fencing and machinery, farm tools, furniture and clothing makes a hole in a good-sized check. So the farmer is very apt to carry in his head the sums he pays out. If he is thoughtful and well informed, he is likely to dissect his bills, so as to determine the exact share which he paid for the articles he bought, and likewise the share which he had to pay by way of protective duty on those articles. In this way he learns what the war tariff costs him. Thus, for instance, if he has put up a cheap house to live in, his account will stand something like this:

	Price with the war tariff.	Price without the war tariff.	What the war tariff costs the farmers.
6 M joist and scantling	$120 00	$108 00	$12 00
5 M flooring	140 00	120 00	20 00
1200 feet boards	30 00	28 75	1 [illegible]
3½ M siding	77 00	70 00	7 00
12 M shingles	28 00	23 8[illegible]	4 2[illegible]
25 doors and windows	150 00	130 00	20 00
450 feet base-boards	12 60	11 6[illegible]	1 00
Front stairs	45 00	35 00	10 00
Plaster, lime, hair, lath	161 00	131 00	30 00
182 feet cornice	92 00	85 50	6 50
Paint	50 00	30 00	20 00
Glass	25 00	18 00	7 00
Total	$930 60	$791 [illegible]	$1[illegible]

Let us say that his barn will cost him 1400; he will find on examination that about $20, or 10 per cent. of this, went for tariff duties, and lodged in the pocket of the lumber ring and the manufacturers. If his ambition reaches a fence, his fencing costs him let us say $1000; of this the lumber ring and their friends take $150. Another thousand will go for wagons, header, mower, cultivators, drills, harrow, plows, harness, spade, rake, hoes, scythe, saddles, pump, saw, hatchet, trace-chains, bags, ax, shovel and other farm utensils. Here the infant industry in agricultural implements will need his support against the pauper labor of Europe to the tune of about $250. He may spend about $325 in furnishing his house; here the trust in house furnishing goods will let him off cheap for a bagatelle of about $35. But when he comes to figure on his own clothing, and the clothing of his wife, and say four children, the war tariff men get even with them. On $375 worth of clothing, the manufacturer takes $125.

When he prepares his crop for market, the farmer has another pleasant taste of the tariff. If he has had a good year, he may spend $200 for sacks, of which $150 go for the sacks and $50 for protection to Mr. Drexler's Chinese-American labor.

When that farmer comes to figure up what it costs him individually to maintain a war tariff for the "protection of native industry against European pauper labor," he finds the amount to stand thus:

The tariff costs him on his house	$137
The tariff costs him on his barn	140
The tariff costs him on his fencing	150
The tariff costs him on his implements	250
The tariff costs him on his furniture	35
The tariff costs him on his clothing	125
The tariff costs him on his sacks	50
Total cost of the tariff to the farmer on an investment of $4,238	$780

It is odds but that farmer thinks as he reflects that his alfalfa and his wheat and his fruit and his grapes and his vegetables are not enhanced one cent in value by the war tariff; that his industry is not one of those native industries which congress undertakes to protect or advantage in any way; that he has to sell his produce in the open markets of the world in competition with all comers; that whoever may get a share of the promiscuous plunderings that are going on under the guise of protection, he gets none; it is odds, we say, that that farmer will conclude that, so far as he is concerned, the blessing of a war tariff comes pretty high.

To other men it may be an abstraction requiring study to understand. To him it is a reality. It represents $780 of hard earned money dexterously filched out of his pocket by rings and trusts and confederated monopolies. He has no need to listen to orations on the subject or to read books on political economy. He knows that he had $780 and that they are gone, and he sees where they are gone. He sees that if there were no war tariff, he would be $780 richer than he is. That is a plain fact evident to his senses, palpable in his purse. To say to that farmer that he has not been robbed is to try to fool him. He knows he has. To tell him that he has got his money back in some roundabout way through an improved home market is to slight his intelligence. He knows that he hasn't.

To induce him to vote for the war tariff, Mr. De Young's eloquent orators must do a bit of preliminary work. They must convince him that it is pleasant to be robbed.

THE Maine returns grow better and better. The clear Republican majority over all is only 14,545—a great falling off from 1884 and even from 1876. The Republican percentage has declined and the Democratic has increased. The Democratic vote is larger by 10,000 than that cast for Cleveland in 1884.

Ladies, Beware

Of those cosmetics which give to the face a ghastly (yes, ghostly) whiteness. Such preparations contain lead or some other equally injurious and dangerous substances, the use of which, if long continued will, besides giving the skin a rough and leathery appearance, ultimately produce paralysis of the nerves. This statement is no "bug-a-boo," but facts, well-known to chemists and physicians, based on the well-known physiological effects of such substances whose presence in preparations for the complexion are indicated by such outward signs as before stated. If you would use an article which will at once produce natural activity and beautiful complexion try Wisdom's Robertine, which is guaranteed under a forfeiture of $1000 to be absolutely free from all poisonous and injurious substances. Pronounced by leading ladies of society and the stage superior to anything ever produced for beautifying and preserving the complexion.

Consumption Surely Cured.

To THE EDITOR:—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above-named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy free to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and postoffice address. Respectfully, A. Slocum, M. C., 181 Pearl street, New York.

INDIAN DEPREDATION CLAIMS.

During the past week the committee on Indian depredation claims, has reported to congress separate and favorable reports from that committee for the passage of the following bills now pending before congress:

For payment of George Engle of Ashland, Or., $2967, for sheep driven off and destroyed by Bannock and Piute Indians during the Indian war of 1878 in Umatilla county.

For payment to Rev. J. W. Miller, Methodist minister of Jacksonville, Or., $817, for books and household property destroyed by the Rogue river Indians in 1855.

To the heirs of George W. Harris and Mary A. Harris, of Jackson county, $3862, for farming implements, cattle and horses stolen by the Rogue river Indians in 1855. This is the Geo. W. Harris who was massacred, and while dying in a barricaded house on the Oregon & California overland road, instructed his wife how to keep the assembled Indians at bay with her rifle until rescue appeared.

For Green Arnold of La Grande, Or., $7596, for property destroyed in Washington territory during the hostilities of 1855-56, and which the interior department allowed.

For Veit Schutz of Jacksonville, Or., $195, for property destroyed by Rogue river Indians during the war of 1855-6.

For Abel Morrison of Malheur county, $3492, for dwelling and house destroyed by hostile Puyallup Indians in Washington territory in 1855.

For Hardy Elliff of Douglas county, $1715, for cattle and other stock driven off and killed, and for hay, oats and fencing destroyed by Rogue river and Cow creek Indians in 1855.

For E. J. Northrup and Bros. of Los Angeles county, Cal., $5450, for horses and cattle driven off and house and property destroyed by hostile Rogue river Indians in 1855. This claim has heretofore been allowed, and also by the interior department.

For Joseph Russell of Coos county, $4310, for property destroyed by Cow creek and Umpqua Indians in 1855-6.

For Mrs. Kate Hatton of Linkville, $4297, for property carried off and destroyed by Modoc Indians during the battle of the lava beds, in Klamath county, in 1872.

For P. C. David of Baker county, $600 for property destroyed by Piutes and Bannock Indians in the hostilities of 1878, in eastern Oregon. This claim was allowed and recommended for payment by the Interior department.

PERPLEXING DISAGREEMENT.—When the Republicans of Oregon, in state convention assembled, declared in favor of "reducing the annual surplus revenues of the government by admitting free of duty such articles of general use as cannot be largely produced or manufactured by our people," they spoke in advance of the national Republican convention, which declared "in favor of the entire repeal of internal taxes rather than the surrender of any part of our protective system."

Here is a direct issue between the Republicans of this state and those of the nation, as announced by the politicians who assumed to speak for it last June. But here come the Minnesota Republicans, also speaking through a state convention, who pronounce emphatically in favor of the "modification, re-adjustment and reduction of the tariff." The platform reiterates the views of Garfield and Arthur, as well as the recommendation of the commission appointed by the president last named, and urges "placing on the free list articles of prime necessity which enter into the ordinary consumption of the people." And the Republican senators, too, have been busy for several weeks formulating a bill to revise our present tariff, by placing some articles now taxed on the free list, and reducing the duty on others. This divergence leads to the natural inquiry whether the vociferous crowd of delegates who thronged the convention in Chicago are to be regarded as authoritative; or, whether the teachings of such statesmen as Garfield, Arthur, Allison, Henry Wilson, Folger, McCulloch and a host of other such worthies still have prevalence. President Garfield says: "I am for a form of protection that leads to free trade." Our Chicago hoodlums dare us to touch our war tariff list on pain of flooding the country with free whisky. This discrepancy in Republican counsels is causing damaging perplexity in the present campaign. —*Salem Journal, Rep.*

REPUBLICAN PAPERS BOLT.—The Minneapolis Evening *Star* and Duluth Industrial *Age* have bolted the Republican ticket. The *Star* says: "This paper will support Mr. Wilson because he and the platform which he stands upon represent, without equivocation, the principle of tax reduction and tariff reform; because we protest against the principle virtually proclaimed in the Republican nomination that only rich men are fit to hold important office in this commonwealth." The Industrial *Age* says: "Contrary to every expressed hope of the industrial element the Republican state convention nominated W. R. Merriam for governor. Mr. Merriam represents everything that is vicious in politics and opposed to the working classes. With the limited time to review the nomination and the ill-temper the *Age* finds itself in at the result of the convention, nothing can be said this week further than whatever aid is possible will be extended to E. M. Wilson, the Democratic nominee, between now and election day." The feeling against Merriman is particularly strong in the cities, and it is believed the labor and German vote will oppose him almost unitedly. Wagers are being placed that Wilson will be the next governor of Minnesota.

Startling Discovery.

The discovery by the inhabitants of a locality hitherto unvisited by the pestilent scourge of fever and ague, that it exists in their very midst, is decidedly startling. Such discoveries are made at every season, in every part of the Union. Subsequently, when it is ascertained, as it invariable is at such times, through the valuable experience of someone who has been benefited and cured, that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a thoroughly efficacious eradicator of the malarial poison, and a means of fortifying the system against it, a feeling of more security and tranquility reigns throughout the whole neighborhood. Besides the febrile forms of malarial disease, dumb ague and ague cake are removed by the potent action of the Bitters, to which science also gives its sanction as a remedy for rheumatism, dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaint, debility, kidney troubles, and all diseases impairing the organs of digestion and assimilation.

An Explanation.

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown—to-day it is as common as any word in the English language; yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and malaria are intended to cover what our grandfathers called biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the Liver, which in performing its functions, finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channels is compelled to pass it off through the system, causing nervous troubles, Malaria, Bilious Fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous.

Here is Your Chance.

There is considerable difference of opinion as to what majority Oregon will give in November. To give everybody a chance to test their "guessing" powers, and also to make it somewhat of an inducement to do so, the S. F. Variety Store will give an elegant album to the person guessing the nearest and a fine hat to the second best "guesser." Every person buying 50 cents worth of goods will be entitled to a guess.

The Democratic Times.

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