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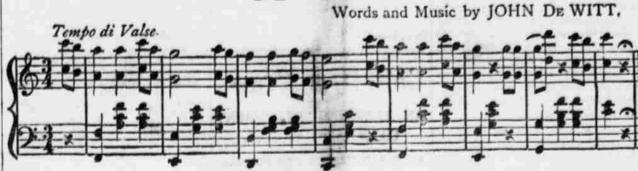
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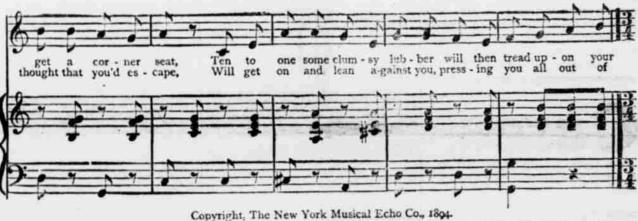
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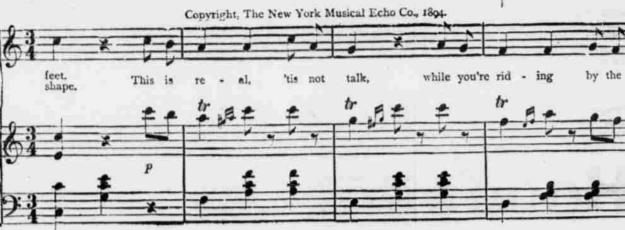
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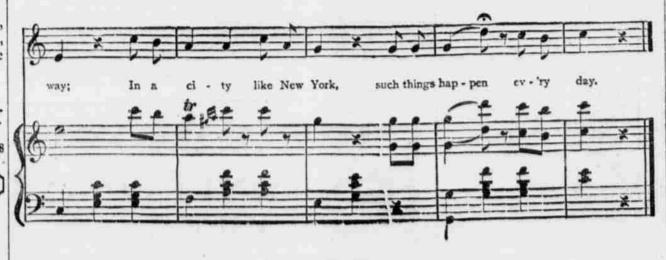












Or a very stately matron will get on at a side street, And remark to some one near her: "In that corner there's a seat." Or a woman with a baby will do all that she can do To draw from you loudest praises, while it wipes its feet on you.

Chorus-This is real, &c.

Or a lovely elder maiden, clutching at a hanging strap, Is somehow precip'tated in your unoffending lap; Or a (hic) fellow, razzle-dazzle, will get (hic) on to the same car And insist (Aic) that you shall listen to a (Aic) member of the bar.

Chorus-This is real, &c.

So that you will dream of future, hoping for some kind of car With compartments that are private, place to smoke a good cigar; Rack, to hold your paper handy, place to put your feet upon-But, you bet, you'll never get it till your work on earth is done.

Chorus-This is real, &c.

A FREE TRADE BODIE.

The following from the Daily Astorian so clearly and forcibly put the case, that we give it to our readers with our endorsement:

The New York Herald, the leading organ of the rich importers of that city, has always been a zealous advocate of free trade. Its face is set against protection in any form. Hence it bitterly opposes an extra session of congress next spring to pass a republican protective tariff measure. It says:

"An extra session of congress would be close to a positive affliction. Ask the merchants, who are looking forward to a period of prosperity, what they think of it. -It may do very well, for the politicians, who have their own little axes to grind, and who don't care, who turns the grindstone, but so far as the rest of the people are concerned it would be dis- St astrous. It would sandbag business and Surrendered stock. so daze our merchants that new enterprises and ventures would come to a Printing standstill."

The Herald is disingentous. What caused the stagnation in commerce and Court fees..... industry after the election of Cleveland in 1892, whereby it became certain that democratic tariff tinkering would come to pass?

Every importer stopped importing, and devoted his energies to disposing of the stock of foreign goods he had on Delinquent dues hand. He wished to wait until the new tariff went into operation, so that he could import at a low rate of duty. Every manufacturer whose products

would be affected by the importation of similar foreign goods at lower duties, Safe stopped manufacturing goods for a market six months ahead. To avoid loss he had to wait until the new tariff law was enacted, so that he could ascertain how far his interests were affected.

Wholesale and retail merchants bought only those goods for which there was an immediate demand, and reduced their stocks as low as possible, to avoid loss from the new and lower scale of prices which the lower tariff would make in-

Hence the business stagnation was induced by the reduction of the tariff on competing goods. The threat hanging over all was a reduction of duties-a reduction which was so great that, even with increased imports, the revenue derived from duties has never equalled the expenditures of the government.

The extra session of congress will be called to enact a tariff law on opposite lines. It is to give adequate protection to the domestic manufacture of goods with which imported goods compete.

There will be nothing in this procedure to cause any importer to stop importing, or manufacturer to cease manufactoring, or merchant to let his stocks run down. The enactment of a protective law will improve the conditions of domestic industry and commerce, not cripple them.

This is not a mere theory; it is proved by facts. Look back to 1890, when the the year ending December 31, 1896, and McKinley bill was being debated in congrees. Business was brisk, the mills and factories were all working. The revision of the tariff on protective lines did not injure any business interest. It is the threat of a removal of adequate protection which is injurious.

The Herald's argument is fallacious and insincere. The extra session will bring none of the evils which it predicts. It will promote prosperity, not hinder it.

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Notice to Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Douglas County Agricultural Association will be held at the court house in Roseburg on Monday, February seven directors for the ensuing year and other business that may come before the F. A. McCALL, meeting.

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tion of Roseburg, Oregon: Your secretary respectfully submits this, the eighth annual statement of the association, for the year ending Decem-

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Cash on hand..... LIABILITIES. 367 shares of stock for 96 months..... \$35,232 80 Unearned interest

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Now on roll..... Actual cash value per share, Jan, 1, 1897. \$114 8514 Cost value, 1897 148 1516 No. of share holdere No of loans made, 1896 No of loans made toddate Highest No. months advance interest

Largest loan \$1,000 80 Smallest.... Average H. MARKS, Sacy. Roseburg, Or., Jan. 11, 1897.

To the officers and stockholders of the Roseburg Building and Loan Associa-We, your auditing committee, hereby certify that we have examined the books, vouchers and reports of the secretary for

find the same correct. K. L. MILLER, M. F. RAPP, Auditing Committee

A CAUCUS LAST NIGHT.

SALEM, Jan. 15 .- A caucus was held at the capitol last night and John H. Mitchell was unanimously nominated for senator. There were present 43 republicans and one populist, the latter being Nosler.

When the caucus convened and it was found that only a minority was present and second hand pianos, we will offer there was considerable objection to acthem at cost. It is our intention to close tion of any sort being taken, but the obout our business as quickly as possible, jectors were silenced by the reading of a and in order to do this we will be com- letter from Senator Carter, in which he pelled to sell at a very low figure and on | declared that he would abide by the causuch small installments that it will not cus, and a statement from Patterson of pay you to rent. Therefore we will call in Marion that his colleague, Geener, would

you the benefit that we have received as The caucus was called to order by rent. We have in all sixteen planes Brown of Morrow. There were present which we will sell from \$100 to \$400; \$5 | 15 senators and 29 representatives, as

Johnson,

Lake, Langell, Marsh, McClung, Calbreath. Morrill. Chapman, Mitchell, Conn. Nosler, Craig, Palm, Patterson of Marior Price, Reed, Rigby, Smith of Marion. Somers, Stanley. Haseltine. Hobson, Taylor,

Thomas, Hogue, Thompson, Hudson, Vaughn, Hughes, Jennings, Veneze, The result of the caucus is not thought

1st, 1807, for the purpose of electing to have increased Mitchell's chances for re-election, and the opposition emphatically declares he is beaten. At the close of yesterday's session,

Bourne still held the key to the situation in the house with the probability that organization would not be effected

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