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LAST NIGHT'S SPEECHES.

(Concluded from first page.) coinage. During the wheat years of 1885-6 there were exported from Oregon 8,869,100 bushels of wheat...

FAVORS TO RAILROAD CORPORATIONS.

The Congress of the United States, true to the policy it has presented for nearly thirty years past, of favoring the rich at the expense of the poor, has given magnificent grants of lands and money to railroad corporations...

POSTAL TELEGRAPH.

I have thus mentioned some of the sins of commission of the federal congress in behalf of the rich, and will now allude to one or two of its sins of omission in the same behalf.

the whole people appears to be a lost art in the federal congress.

AN INCOME TAX.

The most flagrant sin of omission on the part of the Federal Congress in behalf of the rich and in its oppression of the poor is its total exemption of the wealth of the country from federal taxation.

CONCLUSION.

Can it then be denied by any one that the federal government has become an immense engine for the oppression of the poor, for the benefit of the rich.

Fellow citizens of Umatilla county, there are two paths before the people and the government of this country. The one already pursued by the unjust methods of taxation, its favoritism of the rich and its oppression of the poor...

MILLER'S SPEECH.

Mr. Miller, the Prohibition candidate for Congress, was then introduced. He said he was a Miller, and that the Republican party was throwing enough cold water on the Prohibition movement to run a mill.

both parties in the cities were largely held in saloons. The cities governed the parties, and the saloons governed the cities.

If a hostile German army were encamped in our country, and its presence should be ignored by both political parties, there would soon be a third party which all patriots would join to repel the invasion...

The speaker cited Macaulay's prophecy that not later than the twentieth century the Republic would fall, not from encroaching hordes of thieves and vandals, but by enemies engendered in our midst.

The Democratic party was married to the liquor traffic. In the marriage ceremony it had promised not only to love and cherish, but to obey, and the vows were faithfully kept.

GEARIN'S REMARKS.

Mr. Gearin, on being introduced, said he first desired to thank the ladies and gentlemen who had given up the hall a part of the evening and postponed the military ball until the speaking was over.

It was said that if the tariff on wool was reduced wool would be cheaper. But who knew this? What reason was there for saying so?

on the proposed free list as milk, fresh vegetables, figs and dates, and asked how American farmers were to be ruined by allowing these things to come in free.

Mr. Gearin then quoted from editorials in the Oregonian declaring the protective tariff laws a bundle of iniquities, and the lumber tariff the greatest iniquity of all...

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