

For President—GROVER CLEVELAND, of New York
For Vice President—ALLEN G. THURMAN, of Ohio.
For Presidential Electors—
W. R. HILYER, of Linn county.
W. H. EFFINGER, of Multnomah county.
E. H. SKIPWORTH, of Umatilla county.

GRAIN BAGS.

The grain bag traffic on the Pacific coast last year amounted to 33,000,000 bags, and the indications now are that 2,000,000 more will be required for the wheat crop this season. The prospect for a large wheat yield never was better. The entire bag capacity of the California Jute Mill Company is about 1,250,000 per year, and not more than this number can be produced by the double shift prison force at San Quentin. The great bulk of these goods, or over 30,000,000 bags, comes to the coast from Calcutta.—Portland Journal of Commerce.

So, according to this statement which may be relied on, 32,500,000 of the sacks necessary to handle the farmers grain on the Pacific Coast this year comes from Calcutta. The duty on these sacks is 40 per cent of their cost at place of purchase, that is, for every \$100 worth of sacks imported the importer has to pay \$40 duty. This is added to the price of the sacks when sold to the farmer. Then how much duty do the farmers of the Pacific Coast have to pay on the 32,500,000 sacks? That depends upon their cost abroad. If they cost 5 cents a piece the entire cost would be \$1,625,000, and 40 per cent of this amount would be the duty or tax which the farmers would have to pay, which would be \$650,000. Let farmers reflect what a burden this enormous tax is, and then say whether they would have a reduction of taxation or not.

Judge Edson, one of the most prominent republicans of Southern Indiana and a candidate for the Supreme Judgeship before the recent convention, replying to expressions of regret concerning his defeat, said: "I am not to be consoled with, but rather to be congratulated upon my defeat after General Hovey was nominated for Governor by the convention. Hovey's candidacy makes the canvass in Indiana a defensive one on the part of the republicans instead of an offensive one. As you must have been aware, I went before the republican convention as a candidate for Supreme Judge, for the purpose of compelling Bruce Carr, Auditor of the state, and the 'slick six' gang of Indianapolis to show their hands. They were under certain pledges to me, because I held the casting vote of this district, which made the delegation to Chicago solid for Harrison. The convention has lost the state, and probably the National republican ticket."

Probably the most unique petition ever filed in the House in favor of additional protection to American industries was received the other day from Representative Anderson, of Iowa. It reads as follows: "Being profoundly impressed with the gravity of the occasion and the magnitude of the matter at issue, in that all my worldly possessions are invested in two dozen hens, and realizing that there should be no discrimination in regard to the protection of American industries, and being advised that there were some 16,000,000 dozens of eggs imported into the United States in the year 1887, therefore I would respectfully pray your honorable body to pass a law to protect my interest against the infernal activity of the pauper hens of Europe. Your most obedient servant, T. H. B. Miller Cambria, Ia."

Articles of incorporation organizing the Seattle and Southern railroad company were filed with the County Clerk at Seattle Saturday. The object of this organization is to build a railroad from Portland to Seattle. It is said to be simply another name for the Southern Pacific. A contract has been entered into by the company with the Moss Bay Iron & Steel Co. to make 30,000 tons of steel rails. Delivery of rails to commence July 1st next and end Jan. 1st, 1890.

The democratic party is the party of protection, of protection to Americans instead of Englishmen. The war tariff and the shipping laws have destroyed the American ocean-carrying trade and laid us under tribute to England for the carrying of our products to markets for \$200,000,000 a year. Down with the system of protection to Englishmen. Let us give Americans a fighting chance.

The river and harbor bill became a law without the signature of President Cleveland. The President says that it contained items which he could not approve, yet the bill as a whole was of such vast importance to the country at large that he would not be justified in vetoing it.

The tariff demand of the Republican platform is for "such revision of the tariff laws as will tend to check imports of such articles as are produced by our people." This is not a call to stand by protection as it now exists, but a demand for still more ultra-protection, amounting to prohibition

The Oregonian says a new postmaster has been appointed for Oregon City, leaving O'Dell, of Salem, the only republican postmaster in office in the state. It might have added that not a single republican in any paying or presidential post office has been removed in this state since Cleveland became president. He allowed every one to serve his term out. No republican president would have such a broad and liberal policy.

Let the farmers of Linn county reflect upon the fact that the duty levied by the tariff laws upon the sacks necessary to handle their grain this year will amount to between \$25,000 and \$30,000. This is a sheer imposition as the government needs not the money.

Oregon State Fair!

—THE 28th—

Annual State Fair will be held on the fair grounds near Salem commencing on the 17TH OF SEPTEMBER.

And continuing one week. Cash premiums to the amount of

\$15,000

—Will be awarded for—

Agricultural, mechanical and stock exhibits, works of art and fancy work and for trials of speed.

The premiums offered have been increased in many cases, and new classes have been added. No entry fee charged in divisions J, K, L, and Q.

A magnificent field of horses entered, and there will be splendid contests of running and trotting each day.

The different transportation companies will make liberal reduction in fares and freights.

Special attention is called to the premiums offered for county exhibits of grains, grasses and fruits.

Entries will be received in the Secretary's office in Salem, beginning six days before the fair, and on the fair grounds from Friday before the fair. Persons desiring to exhibit in divisions J, K, O, P and Q are requested to make their entries on Friday and Saturday before the fair if possible. All entries close on Monday, September 17th, at 7:30 p. m.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Coupon ticket for men (six days).....\$2.50
Coupon ticket for women (six days).....\$1.90
Day ticket for men.....50c
Day ticket for women.....25c
Tickets to the grand stand at the race track for males over 12 years.....25c
Ladies to the grand stand free.
Those desiring to purchase booths will apply to the Secretary.

Send to the Secretary at Salem for a premium list.
J. T. GREGG,
Secretary.

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House and Carriage Painters,
Decorators and Paper Hangers.
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All work guaranteed.
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The best varieties of machine oils to be had are kept by Stewart & Sox, especially the kinds that have been thoroughly tested by the Linn county farmers. Prices guaranteed.

THRESHERS AND ENGINES.

The celebrated engines, separators and saw mills manufactured by Russell & Co. of Massillon, Ohio, are now sold by us. They are fast taking the lead in the Valley and invariably give satisfaction.
STEWART & SOX.

BINDERS AND MOWERS.

Farmers, remember that we this year have the Osborns Steel Frame Binders and Mowers, the strongest, lightest running, and best made machine in the market. We can give you just as good terms as anyone, and probably a little better; at any rate come and see us before you buy.
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HARVESTING SUPPLIES.

Before you start your mower, binder or threshing outfit come to our store and get your supplies. We keep almost anything you will need, and at prices you will be satisfied with.
STEWART & SOX.

BINDING TWINE.

We start in this season with 60,000 pounds of absolutely pure manilla binding twine, which we will sell at as low a price as the quality of the goods will admit. There is very little of the pure in the market, and a great deal of poor twine is being offered at low prices. We would be glad to fill your orders for the best.
STEWART & SOX.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Samuel T. Harris, deceased, has filed his final account with the clerk of the county court for Linn county, Oregon, and the county court has fixed the

8th Day of September, 1888.

At the hour of one o'clock p. m., of said day to hear objections to the final account if any, and to settle said estate.

J. H. PERRY,
Administrator.

Notice of Removal.

I take pleasure in announcing that I have removed my old Store

TO MY NEW BUILDING,

On the corner of First and Broadalbin Streets.

Thanking my customers for the liberal patronage they have bestowed on me in the past I trust that with

INCREASED FACILITIES

and a large experience I may merit a continuance of it in the future.

Samuel E. Young.

THE PLACE.

By all means call on

Parker Brothers,

Successors to John Fox, for your

Groceries,

Produce, Baked Goods, Etc., Etc.

Their goods are the best and their prices reasonable.

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