

THE DAILY DEMOCRAT.

From our regular correspondent.
WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3, 1890.
The great Congressional fight is now fairly on, and the democratic members of the House are battling nobly for the right of having a code of rules adopted for the government of the house before going any further with legislation, and they have, in caucus, determined to stand by their guns to the bitter end. Of course they recognize the fact that if the republicans succeed in their intention of seating all the republican contestants before the rules are adopted they can then adopt any sort of rules they may desire, but they will have a hard time before they do it. With all Speaker Reed's unfair decisions it took them three days to get the contested election case of Smith vs Jackson before the House. The fight has been very exciting, and the most dramatic scenes have been frequent on the floor of the House. "Stand by your guns," is what ex-Speaker Randall wrote from his sick-room to the democratic caucus. Representative Bynum, of Indiana, but voiced the sentiment of his democratic colleagues when he said "You sir, (pointing to the Speaker,) have violated more than any man on this floor, parliamentary rules and practice. You may consummate what you have undertaken. You have the power, backed by a mob on the floor of this House. Men have tried to consummate such proceedings before. At the hour of midnight a Federal judge made a ruling which perpetuated the republican party, in power, but his name is now forgotten; and more than that, this proceeding is in keeping with the practice of your party it is in keeping with your action when you stole the Presidency. You have gone forward. You have usurped power. You have mutilated the record of the House in order to carry out the behests of the chairman of the republican national committee to turn out the Representatives of the people elected to seats on this floor. Now proceed in this matter; but in the language of the immortal Emmett we propose to dispute every inch of ground, burn every blade of grass, and the last intrenchment of liberty shall be our grave."

Many republicans openly condemn Speaker Reed's conduct, and at least two members of the Cabinet—Blaine and Rusk—are known to be opposed to it. The democratic Senators are aiding the members of the House in every way possible.

The President and Secretary Noble are greatly alarmed over the condition of affairs in Oklahoma and anxious that immediate action shall be taken on the Oklahoma town-site bill, which has already passed the House, also the bill providing for a territorial form of government for Oklahoma now pending in both House and Senate.

Secretary Windom is said to be very much disappointed at the opposition already developed to the silver bill, and Mr. Harrison has become so badly frightened at the outlook that he has changed his mind about sending a special message to Congress in its favor.

Representative Dibble, of South Carolina, has a bill before the House committee on the election of President and Vice President which provides for two Vice Presidents. In arguing in favor of his bill Mr. Dibble stated that the United States has been without a Vice President twenty-five years during its one hundred of existence.

Representative McAdoo, of New Jersey, thinks his resolution providing for the holding of Presidential and Congressional elections on the third Tuesday of October would accomplish great good by preventing national elections from conflicting with local elections.

Four of the Montana state senators are in Portland. They are democrats and are away from Montana for the purpose of breaking a quorum. This they are compelled to do to thwart the autocratic and outrageous rulings of the lieutenant governor who practically rules that democratic senators have no rights which republican senators are bound to respect. A presiding officer who holds that seven is a majority of sixteen deserves to be held high up to public scorn and contempt. This attempt to break a quorum, instead of being "silly" as alleged by the *Herald* is inspired by the highest considerations of patriotism and public duty.

Gen Alger will visit Arkansas in March for three reasons—to look after his timber lands, to meet the Army boys and to continue his studies in geographical research. Senator Sherman is not studying Southern geography so much as he was.

Baron Rothschild, the Paris banker, lives in fear of the Commune. His cellars are almost impregnable, and his pictures and jewels are protected in such a way that the most grasping mob could not reach them. He lives in a state of constant fear.

Oklahoma seems to have greater attractions for the negro as an emigration field than the banks of the Congo. There are already 22,000 colored there, and by the middle of spring this number will be doubled.

The National Bank of the United States of Brazil was launched recently with a capital of \$100,000,000 and so great was the confidence of the people that every dollar was taken up in four hours.

Secretary Proctor, under authority of the recent act of Congress, has purchased of the heirs of the late General George H. Shield, for \$10,000, the sword worn by the General during the late war. The sword, which is a handsome one, will be placed among the relics at the War Department.

Germany is the only civilized country in the world wherein murderers are still beheaded with an axe or sword. Just before Christmas two were executed. Having been blindfolded, they knelt down in turn before a block and the executioner severed each man's head from the body with a single blow of his broad-bladed axe.

At the late meeting of the democratic editors of Indiana twenty out of twenty-five expressed themselves unequivocally in favor of the nomination of Cleveland for President in 1892. Of the other five one was for Hill and the others noncommittal.

Dr. M. H. Ellis, physician and surgeon, Albany, Oregon. Calls made in city or country.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.—Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No 5, Linn county, Oregon, that the regular annual school meeting of said school district will be held on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1890, at the hour of 7 o'clock p.m. of said day, at the Court House, in the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon, for the purpose of hearing the reports of the directors and clerk of said school district, and to levy a tax for the support of the schools for the ensuing year. Also for the purpose of levying a tax for the purpose of paying interest on the bonds of said school district and for the transaction of any other business that may legally come before said meeting.
By order of the Board of Directors.
Dated February 14th, 1890.
C. G. BURKEHART, Dist. Clerk.
JOHN FOSHAY, Char. Board Directors.

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STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Stockholders of the Odd Fellows Hall Building Association held at their office in Albany, Oregon, on Monday, the 10th day of March, 1890, at the hour of 7 o'clock p.m. of said day, for the purpose of electing seven directors to serve the ensuing year, and for any other business that may come before said meeting.
This the 3th day of February, 1890.
W. C. TWEEDALE, President.
E. A. PARKER, Secretary.

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STRAY NOTICE.—Taken up by the undersigned, living six and a half miles southeast of Halsey, on the 10th day of December, 1889, one bright bay horse, about 10 or 12 years old, with some saddle marks on side and back, black mane and tail, a very dim brand on the right shoulder, which can not be distinguished. Appraised by W. J. Stewart, Justice of the peace, at the sum of \$30.
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Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the name of Deyos & Robson has been dissolved. Mr. L. W. Deyos retiring. The business will be continued by Price & Robson. All accounts should be settled with the old firm, by whom all debts will be paid.
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