

NOT ALONE.

Not democrats alone are protesting against the scheme of the majority of McKinley's committee to increase the tariff taxes. The *Telegraph* of Philadelphia, a very staunch republican paper, has the following to say:

Among the other industries which are absolutely controlled by a close combination or trust, is that of plate and window-glass manufacturers. Last week this trust met and advanced the prices of all its manufacturers 20 percent. A day or two later the committee on ways and means announced through the newspapers that it had agreed to advance the duties on plate and window-glass. If the committee had been a partner with the Plate and Window-glass Trust it could not have done no more than it did. The present ad valorem duty on window-glass is from 66.04 to 131.35; on plate-glass it is from 77 to 144. Such a duty would certainly be thought of any reasonable mind high enough; but the Plate and Window-glass Trust and ways and means committee are resolved that, if possible, it shall be made prohibitory—a thing most difficult to do, as the French article is so much superior to the American as to render its use necessary to picture and mirror dealers. They must have the clearest glass, no matter what it costs.

That the present duty is high enough, or too high, will not be disputed, we think, by any one who has noticed the suit for an injunction heard by Judge McKenna and Acheson in the United States Circuit Court at Pittsburg, the other day, to restrain the Pittsburg Plate Glass Company from issuing \$750,000 capital stock to J B Ford & Co. The evidence submitted to the court showed that at a meeting of the company, held at Creighton on the 29th of January last past, it was officially announced that the net earnings on the capital of \$2,750,000 amounted in 1889 to 35 percent. Regular dividends of 23 percent were paid during the year, and at the meeting of the 29th ultimo a special dividend of 11 1/2 percent was declared, which represents a net profit of \$962,500. Further, the official report stated that the plate glass industry was exceedingly flourishing, the company's several works being pushed to their utmost capacity, and the orders already received for 1890 would make the profits much larger than those of 1889. A year ago the actual value of stock of this company was \$1,424,500, and it was then increased to represent its present value, namely, \$2,750,000, on which dividends of 34 1/2 percent were paid as the earnings of a single twelvemonth.

HINTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

The pie crust of meat or chicken pies should always be perforated before baking, to allow the escape of noxious gases generated within.

A retired plumber thus gives a point for the gratuitous relief of householders: "Just before retiring at night pour into the clogged pipe enough liquid soda lye to fill the 'trap' or bent part of the pipe. Be sure no water runs in it until the next morning. During the night the lye will convert all the oil into soap, and the first current of water in the morning will wash it away and clear the pipe clean as new."

Doorplates should be cleaned by rubbing with a cloth wet in ammonia and water.

If brooms are soaked in strong, hot salt and water before using, the splints will not break in sweeping.

Almonds are blanched by pouring water over them after they are shelled; when they have remained for a few moments in the water they can be rubbed in a soft towel, and the skin will slip off the kernels leaving them white and entire.

A restaurant-keeper says celery wants to be in cold water an hour before it is chewed.

To brighten carpets wipe them with warm water in which has been poured a few drops of ammonia.

To cure hiccoughs, sit erect and inflate the lungs fully. Then, retaining the breath, bend forward slowly until the chest meets the knees. After slowly rising a gain to the erect position, slowly exhale the breath. Repeat this process a second time, and the nerves will be found to have received an excess of energy that will enable them to perform their natural functions.

If you dip the wicks of lamps in strong, hot vinegar, and then dry them, it will do away with most of the disagreeable smell.

If the color has been taken out of silks by fruit stains, ammonia will usually restore the color.

An easy method of removing bits of foreign bodies from the eye is to place a grain of flaxseed under the lower lid, and close the lids. The seed becomes surrounded by a thick, adherent mucilage, which entraps the foreign body, and soon carries it out from the angle of the eye.

Grease spots may be taken out with weak ammonia in water; lay soft white paper over, and iron with a hot iron.

The Best in the Country.

Dr E S Holden: The Ethereal Cough Syrup cannot be excelled in the market for the cure of coughs, colds and bronchial affections. W M Boggs, Napa.

Large size \$1, small 50 cents. For sale by H C Hubbard, druggist.

BUY ALBANY PROPERTY first and last and all the time, yet if men must and will buy Astoria lots and acre property always buy the best and nearest to water front and O R N docks, and that addition is Kinney's addition to Astoria, the nearest by one mile. While we have lots and acre property in nearly all the additions and acre tracts near Astoria, will be pleased to quote prices and terms on all and each of them.

OREGON LAND CO.

The Farmer's Alliance of Kansas has prepared a great number of petitions asking the governor to call an extra session of the legislature. Owing to failure of the crops, the people in the western part of the state are suffering greatly, and are liable to lose their all. Most of the farms are mortgaged to eastern capitalists, and the legislature is petitioned to pass stay laws preventing the ousting of occupants of mortgaged property without giving them two years time to redeem it. Other petitions ask that railroads be compelled to lower their transportation rates.

It has been asserted that chewing wooden toothpicks sometimes produces small ulcers in the mouth, and that even the stomach has been similarly affected by the action of the small particles of wood detached by chewing.

MADE TO CUT.—When buying an axe get the best, one that is durable as well as sharp, and the place to do it is at Frice & Robson's, who also have a fine line of wedges, etc.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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 19th day of February, 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 5th day of February, 1890.
W C TWEDDALE, President.
E A PARKER, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Street Railway Company will be held on Wednesday, March 5th, 1890, at the hour of 7 o'clock p m of said day, at the office of the secretary of said company, the same being at the real estate office of Burkhart & Keeney on First street, in Albany, Linn county, Oregon, for the purpose of electing seven directors to serve for the term of one year next ensuing from said meeting and until their successors are elected and qualified, and to transact such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

Dated February 19th, 1890.
C G BURKHART, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Building Association will be held at the Opera House in Albany on Monday, March 17th, 1890, at 7:30 p m, for the election of directors and such other business as may come before the meeting.

Dated Feb. 18th, 1890.
W F READ, Secretary.
W C TWEDDALE, President.

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 BURKHART, Dist Clerk.
JOHN FORSHAY, Char. Board Directors.

SCHOOL ELECTION.—Notice is hereby given that the regular annual school election in School District No 5, Linn county, Oregon, will be held at the Central school building in said school district, on Monday, the 10th day of March, 1890, for the purpose of electing one director to serve three years and one clerk to serve one year. Said election to begin at 2 o'clock p m, and continue until 6 o'clock p m, of said day.

By order of the board of directors.
Dated February 14th, 1890.
C G BURKHART, Dist Clerk.
JOHN FORSHAY, Char Board Directors.

Partnership Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the late firm of Zaches Bros, composed of Frank L. and John B Zaches has been dissolved, Frank L. Zaches retiring. The business in the future will be conducted under the firm name of Zaches & Son. All parties indebted to the heretofore existing co-partnership will please call and make satisfactory settlement.

JOHN B ZACHES,
FRANK L. ZACHES.

Notice.

The undersigned hereby announces to the public that he has sold his grocery business to Mr. Montague & Son, who come well recommended, and will continue the business at the old corner. Those indebted at the store will please call and settle.

Very respectfully,
J M BARDEE.

Albany Nurseries.

We are permanently located on the old Cline homestead 1/2 mile from Albany on Coryvallis road, and have on hand a large stock of

Choice Fruit Trees

of our own growing, which we sell at the lowest living rates.

Parties contemplating planting should consult their interests by examining our stock and prices before purchasing.
HYMAN & BROWNELL,
Albany, Oregon.

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Conforms to shape of the foot. If you want perfection in fit, with freedom from corns and all discomfort you will always wear the Burt & Packard Shoe. It is acknowledged as the most comfortable shoe ever worn and will give you the most perfect support and relief to the foot. The Burt & Packard Shoe is made of the finest quality of leather, and is guaranteed to last. It is made in the United States, and is sold by all shoe dealers. If you want the best, buy the Burt & Packard Shoe. BURT & PACKARD, Brockton, Mass.

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Mighty growth the last ten years into one of the world's great cities is without a parallel. No one can now portray her resources or the continued prosperity that the years of the future will pour into her.

World Renown Harbors

And her SCENIC shore lines on Lakes and Sound! Never has the HAND of NATURE been so lavish in her gifts to make the

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Rome, on her seven hills, was as nothing to SEATTLE'S SNOW CROWNED OLYMPICS on the North and West; CASCADES on the East and South, and from these mighty bulwarks of health, energy, inspiration-giving there arises the Mighty MOUNT RAINIER, a w-a-y above every competitor on the Pacific, reminding one of

SEATTLE, THE QUEEN CITY,

At the base, which, in another score of years, will pass in POPULATION every city on the Pacific—the World's biggest ocean.

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JUST PUT ON THE MARKET.

LOTS \$200 EACH AND UPWARDS

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SOME OF ITS ADVANTAGES.

Every lot in full view of Mount Rainier and Lake Washington; on railroad; at depot; adjoining Ravenna Park; an electric railway as soon as can be completed to it; half dozen fine residences already under contract on Addition; \$25,000 Female College to be opened September, 1890.

WITHOUT DOUBT

THE WASSOM ADDITION

Is the Place where men and women of MONEY and SENSE and REFINEMENT will make their homes—and why?

BECAUSE

The Collage, the Mineral Springs, Ravenna Park, the view of Mount Rainier [which is grander here than anywhere else on Puget Sound], it for no other reason, would make it most desirable.

In Seattle a Mighty city is building. Take hold of the best while you have a chance at Lowest Prices. To THE PIONEER, a word:

Why did you orcas the plains? Why did you take your life and that of others in your hands and come to the Coast? What pen can write the history? You have conquered this land made the growth of great cities imperative and the amassing of colossal fortunes, almost in a day, possible. Now, by the investment of a few thousand, or hundred dollars, you may reap the harvest that belongs to you. Will you do it? The greatest corporations, the ablest financiers of Europe and America are investing thousands—nay, millions, in Seattle. Will you not invest? Your chance is NOW. Seize it. I have a 60 acre tract, an 80 and two 40 acre tracts. Only a few left—cheap; ripe for plating, any one of which will make you fortune in a short time. Buy quick. I can't duplicate them.

Rev. J. R. Kirkpatrick is among you and the Sole Agent for

WASSOM'S ADDITION

In Oregon. Call on him at once.

I will be in Albany in a few days and will remain only a day. I would be glad to meet you personally and urge you to join us in the majestic upbuilding of Seattle, the Queen City of the Pacific. When in Seattle, be sure and call at Room 348 Seattle Block, where I will take genuine pleasure in showing you the city.

W W BECK