

THE DAILY DEMOCRAT.

THE PEOPLE FALLING INTO LINE.

Editors Democrat:

I frequently see reports of the proceedings of the Patrons of Husbandry published in your paper, and as a general rule the greater part, and seemingly the most important of their work is devising ways and means to reduce the price of such things as they have to buy, by working together, and purchasing from whole sale dealers direct through an agent of their own selection. Like-wise, contending for a similar course of procedure to enable them to obtain the best price for what they have to sell. This is proper, just and business-like so far as it goes, but they do not seem to appreciate the fact, that there is a great underlying agency established by law, and continued in operation in part by the votes of the grangers that fixes the price of everything they have to buy or sell, and where they save to themselves, one dollar through their business agencies, they lose or contribute two dollars to the mammoth legalized agency just referred to, in taxes, interest, low prices and shrinkage in values. Recently some of the subordinate granges of this state, it appears, are waking up to a realization of the situation and are taking prompt, efficient and correct measures to put a stop to the legalized process of spoliation that has been going on for the last twenty years, fleeing the farmers all the time, so that, now, as a class they are burdened with debt and poverty. At a recent meeting of Turner grange, Marion county, some vigorous resolutions were passed against the continuance of our overriding veto railroad commission, also, against the state issuing nontaxable bonds, and the crowning merit of these resolutions is, the members of Subordinate grange No. 18, declare they will not vote for any man for the legislature who is not in favor of these resolutions. Good.

Then comes, Oak Plains grange and endorses and adopts the same resolutions and more, it goes further and demands:

"The establishment of a national monetary system by which a circulating medium in necessary quantities shall issue direct to the people without the intervention of banks, that all money so issued whether gold, silver or paper shall be a full legal tender in payment of all debts public or private, and the government shall not charter, guarantee, recognize or permit any bank, private or corporate for the issue of money."

To attest their sincerity the members of Oak Plains grange further resolves that they will vote only for such men for congress and the legislature as will carry out these principles.

Likewise, comes the Harrisburg grange at its last meeting, unanimously adopted the following:

1st That we demand the abolition of national banks, and that the government shall issue legal tender treasury notes, direct to the people in sufficient quantities to transact the business of the country on a cash system. The volume of money to be regulated up, on a per capita basis. That the government shall loan money to the people at one per cent. per annum, secured by a lien on real estate.

2nd That the government nor the state or and municipality corporation or individual shall ever issue interest-bearing, nontaxable bonds under any pretext what ever.

3d That the legislature of Oregon shall amend the law creating the railroad commission so as to give the commission full power to regulate freights and fares on the railroads of this state, or to repeal the law.

4th And we do further agree, that in order to carry out these objects, we will vote only for such men for the legislature and congress as can be depended upon to enact these principles into statute law, uninfluenced by party or party caucus.

From the action of these granges it appears they have adopted the only practical and effectual course, that is to secure the objects of their just demands, to relieve them and the people from the wrongs of party class legislation from which they have so long suffered at the hands of the state and general government. The act of the last legislature in foisting upon the people that useless, impotent railroad commission proves the necessity of the people coming together and putting aside party differences and select their lawmakers, solely upon the ground of their fitness and the certainty of subserving the people and thereby protect themselves against party spoliation. The Portland water bill of the last legislature that sought to issue a large amount of interest bearing, non-taxable bonds, had it become a law, would be much more obnoxious, far reaching and oppressive than the ornamental railroad commission. And, it would be the law to day, were it not that we have an honest, firm, and fearless governor that bravely stood up between the party pirates and the people and prevented the consummation of the plundering scheme. The noble and manly course enacted by Governor Penneyer should endear him to the people, and entitle him to their gratitude and fullest confidence, and if he desires, or is willing to be continued in the governorship of this state he should receive the united support of the tax payers, uninfluenced by party as he can be depended upon to carry out

their expressed objects and see that their principles are enacted into statute law uninfluenced by party, or party caucus.

A PATRON.

MAKING CLOTHING DEAR.

The Republican Tariff bill is intended to make clothing dearer and tobacco and alcohol cheaper.

"The woollen duties are arranged," says a Protection organ, "to give the manufacturers compensation for the new [higher] duties on wool and 40 per cent on goods and 60 per cent on clothing."

When in the history of government was it ever before proposed to diminish the burdens of the people by increasing the taxes on their clothing?

The duty on wool is raised, to delude the farmers, though the price of domestic wool has steadily declined for twenty five years under the highest tariff in the world, and is lower today than it was under the "Free Trade" tariff thirty years ago. The manufacturers, struggling under competition with foreign mills which get their material untaxed, are offered "compensation" in the form of higher duties on imported woolsens which the people of this country persist in buying despite their tariff enhanced cost.

But where does the "compensation" come in for the great body of the people? Their clothing is made dearer or they are compelled to wear shoddy. Is it "compensation" enough for this and other exactions, reaching from the hat on the head to the shoes on the feet, to have a Republican spoilsman distribute the offices through the Platts and Quays?

NEW ADDITION.—"Wright's addition" to Albany is now on the market and comprises 165 large, level and beautiful building lots. The blocks have eight lots to the block, each lot being 60 by 100 feet. The streets are 60 feet wide, with two large avenues, one of 100 feet, the other of 90 feet in width. There will probably be a motor or electric line to this addition before long. For terms of sale apply to any real estate agent in the city.

Good cooking stove only \$10 at Hopk. & Saltmarsh's.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Contractors' and Builders' Notice.

Sealed proposals will be received by the cashier of "Bank of Oregon," at Albany, up to 12 o'clock, noon, of Saturday, April 5th, for furnishing material and labor necessary to erect "Bank of Oregon" building in Albany. The building is a combination of pressed brick and cut sand stone. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the architect, C. W. Ayers. Room in First National Bank building, Albany, Or.

TOWNSEND & WILSON.

The following is a partial list of city and farm property for sale by us.

A new cottage with six rooms, large lot Price, \$1600.

1 unimproved lot on 5th Street. \$375.00.

Several tracts of 5 and 10 acre lots, one and a half miles from Albany. \$300 per acre.

1 lot with two story house on Water St. \$1500.

2 lots with two story house, Chamberlain & Maston's addition. \$1350.

1 lot with 5-room house on 1st St. \$1500.

House with x rooms, two lots, Elkins addition. \$850.

1 lot 2d and Main. \$950.

1 lot with house two stories on 4th St. \$2200.

1 lot on Washington St. \$850.

Lots 4 and 5, block 10, Bryant's addition. \$600.

A good stock farm, 1500 acres, 3 miles from R. Station. \$8 per acre. A bargain.

Farm 3 miles from Shedd, first-class wheat and fruit land, 140 acres. Price, \$5000.

825 acres 4 miles from R. R. \$30 per acre. Can be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

Insurance Brokers.

TOWNSEND & WILSON,

Real Estate Brokers.

TWO TAXPAYERS.—Notice is hereby given that County taxes will become delinquent on April 1st. All taxpayers are therefore warned to call and settle for the same before that time and save costs.

JOHN SMALLMAN, Sheriff.

MONEY, CHEAP MONEY.

We have made arrangements to supply money to all on long time at low rates of interest on improved farms and city property. Those who contemplate building brick blocks or good brick business houses can get money. See us.

WALLACE & CURICK.

BUILDING PERMITS.—Residents of the city of Albany desiring blanks for applications for building permits within the city limits, can secure the same of the city recorder without cost.

FARM FOR SALE.—Two hundred acres of good farm land all in cultivation, with good two story house, good barn and other outhouses. Good water for family and stock. Good pear and apple orchard, as well as other kinds of fruit. Would make two good small farms. Situated four miles southwest of Albany. Inquire at this office.

LADIES, ATTENTION.—I am prepared to do dress-making on short notice. Perfect fit and satisfaction guaranteed. Thanks for past favors. Give me a call.

MRS. H. BARNES,

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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

The Wassom Addition TO SEATTLE

JUST PUT ON THE MARKET.

LOTS \$200 EACH AND UPWARDS.

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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 College, the Mineral Springs, Ravenna Park, the view of Mount Rainier [which is grander here than anywhere else on Puget Sound] if 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 cross 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 material upbuilding of Seattle, the Queen City of the Pacific. When in Seattle, be ure and call at Room 348 Seattle Block, where I will take genuine pleasure in showing you the city.

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