

THE DAILY DEMOCRAT.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

FOR STATE SENATORS—Hon J K Weatherford and Hon Jeff Myers.
 REPRESENTATIVES—C J. Shedd, Hon F C Hansard and Dr J F Henry.
 COUNTY COMMISSIONER—William Rumbach.
 COUNTY RECORDER—E E Davis.
 SHERIFF—Matt Scott.
 COUNTY CLERK—N P Payne.
 COUNTY TREASURER—W E Carl.
 ASSESSOR—H S Williams.
 SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT—G F Russell.
 COUNTY SURVEYOR—E J O'Conner.
 COUNTY CORONER—Frank Farrell.

SOUND AS A DOLLAR.

Some time ago Governor Pennoyer wrote an article for *Public Opinion*, (a new paper started in Portland) on the subject of the Portland water bill vetoed by him during the last legislature. The governor in his veto message said:

"This legislature, however, should not adjourn without heeding the demand of the city of Portland for the privilege of issuing bonds for the procurement of pure water, and without heeding the equally strong demand of the people of the whole state that in the authorization of such issuance no special privilege shall be granted."

To fortify this position the governors in the article above referred to says:

"No argument will be attempted, for none is needed, in defense of the veto of any and all bills which provided for the issuance of municipal bonds exempt from taxation. That such bonds, when purchased, become the private property of the purchaser, and that no private property can be exempted under our State Constitution, from taxation, was the position assumed in each veto, and it is absolutely impregnable."

"I have been unjustly charged with preventing Portland from securing a good supply of water. The fault lies not with me but the legislature. The people of Portland failed in having authority to procure Bull Run water, not by the obstinacy of the governor, but rather by the obstinacy of the legislature, which refused to pass any water bill unless the bonds were exempted from taxation. The constitution of the state and my oath of office in its support, as well as the demand of simple justice, prevented me from approving a bill which exempted from taxation any class of private property, while there were none of the obstacles to prevent the legislature from passing a bill which would have provided for the issuance of water bonds which, when they became private property, would have been like all other private property, subject to taxation."

"There is an universal and well-grounded complaint throughout the entire state at the irregularity of taxation. As our assessment law now stands the wealthy evade their just share of the state burden. If either of the bills heretofore mentioned had become a law, the inequality of taxation would have been increased. And yet, as has been seen, the change of one single vote would have passed the House bill over the veto. And the purpose to exempt bonds from taxation is not dead, but sleepeth. It will manifest itself at the next session, and will, undoubtedly, augment to itself strength by alliance. During the discussion of the water bond question in the last legislature, one of the most prominent senators, and who is yet a senator, declared that he was not only in favor of exempting all municipal bonds from taxation, but also money itself. In our state, under our present laws the bulk of taxation falls upon the poor. Under the federal government it is still worse; there not only is all wealth exempted from taxation, but in addition to this grievous wrong, the capitalists of the country have been permitted through its tariff, banking and subsidy laws to directly rob the poor by such governmental machinery for their own enrichment. The result of this policy can be read all over the country, and it is the same everywhere as in San Francisco, where a half dozen millionaires are perched on Nob Hill, and twenty-five thousand idle and starving workmen are crowding its streets. It is high time that there was a radical change of policy, not for the worse, but for the better."

The troubles, trials and tribulations of the republicans in congress are just beginning. So long as their duties consisted in sustaining the autocratic speaker in his arbitrary rulings, or turning out of their seats democrats who had been fairly elected, to make room for republicans who had been defeated, their task was a pleasing one. But, now, when they come to the question of tariff they find themselves confronted with a complete array of the selfishness which alone can maintain such a vicious system of taxation. Even on the sugar question upon which the *Oregonian* so triumphantly said "we are all agreed that sugar must be free," divisions are springing up that will defeat all tariff legislation. But then it should not be forgotten that the tariff is in the hands of its friends.

Our Alaska possessions are very likely to have value for mining for tusks of mammoths which once roamed those Northern regions on both sides of the Pacific ocean, in a geologic era when Alaska and Asia were joined where Behring strait now separates the two continents. Mammoth tusk hunting has been very profitable in Siberia, and it is likely to be so in Alaska when prosecuted with system and vigor.

In experiments recently made for the substitution of electric lights for the oil lamps at present in use for lighting the compasses of vessels at night, it was found that by bringing an incandescent lamp close to the compass a deflection of the needle was produced.

Bargains at Read's.

RIGHT.

The Republicans are bent on self destruction and the Democrats should not interpose an obstacle to their doing so. The tariff bill is now made up will, if passed of which their is great doubt, be the greatest political boomerang that that party ever saw. It is soon to be reported in the house; and the Democrats should not attempt to amend it in any particular. It would be better for them to offer a bill of their own modeled after the Mills bill, and let the Republicans reject it. Then refuse to vote upon the Republican bill and let a Reed quorum pass it. *R I Democrat.*

COMING EVENTS.

April 23. Celebration of 71st anniversary of Odd Fellowship.

April 28 and during week.—Caroline Gage Dramatic Company at Opera House.

June 2. State and County elections.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Common Council of the city of Albany, Linn County, Oregon, will sit as a Board of Equalization at the Council Chambers of the city of Albany, Tuesday the 6th day of May, 1890, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of equalizing and correcting the assessment roll of said city, for the year 1890.

By order of the Council made April 12, 1890.
 Dated at Albany, Oregon, this 23d day of April, A D 1890.

N. J. HENTON,
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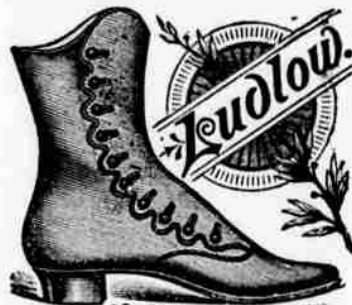
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