

**THE DAILY DEMOCRAT.**

**DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.**

Congressman—R A Miller, of Jacksonville.  
Governor—Sylvester Pennoyer, of Portland.  
Secretary of State—W M Townsend, of Lake Co.  
Treasurer—G W Webb, of Pendleton.  
Supreme Judge—B F Bontha, of Sam.  
Supt. of Public Instruction—A LeRoy, of Brownsville.  
State Printer—J O'Brien, of Portland.  
Prosecuting Attorney 3rd Dist—J J Whitney, of Albany.

**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 Rumbaugh.  
COUNTY RECORDER—E E Davis.  
SHERIFF—Matt Scott.  
COUNTY CLERK—N F Payne.  
COUNTY TREASURER—W E Cull.  
ASSESSOR—H S Williams.  
SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT—G F Russell.  
COUNTY SURVEYOR—E J O'Conner.  
COUNTY CORONER—Frank Farwell.

**WHAT HIS REASONS WERE.**

**Why an Eastern Man Wanted a tariff on Hides.**

The following is an open letter from a prominent Massachusetts shoe manufacturer to a congressman:

Boston, Mass., March 21, 1890.  
To Hon. Elijah A Morse, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.

DEAR SIR:—You are reported as opposing the levying of a tax on imported hides; you have said that the duty, if imposed would work injury to your constituents in Brockton.

I am not one of your constituents, but I have had my factory in Brockton for a good many years, and I have paid taxes there ever since 1878. On the strength of this, acting for myself alone, I write to ask you not to oppose the duty on hides. My reasons for making this request are the follows.

1. Because wool is the keystone of your protection arch, and if we can knock that out your whole flimsy structure tumbles down.

2. Because "consistency is a jewel," and if you protectionists wish to be consistent you ought to put a duty on hides as long as you keep a duty on wool.

3. Because the people of this country do not yet fully appreciate the fact that a duty on wool is an oppressive burden upon them all, and this fact will be appreciated when it is taught by a proper object lesson. Such an object lesson will be furnished by a duty on hides; this duty, if imposed, will demoralize the whole shoe and leather industry for about six months, and thus expose in its nakedness the mischief-working scheme which your party choose to call "protection for American labor."

4. Because the thing which you call protection has been and is nothing more or less than a government pudding. The pudding-seekers swarm to Washington, each one trying to see how he can get. The pudding distributors are vainly trying to satisfy the seekers. The impossibility of harmonizing conflicting interests will make it impossible for you to continue the distribution of favors to those who come to Washington falsely claiming to represent the people.

5. Because I have been taught by practical business experience to believe that our country cannot attain the highest possible industrial prosperity until every particle of the protection element is eliminated from our tariff schedule, and because I believe that the placing of a duty on hides will quickly bring about this result.

6. Because I believe in a tariff for revenue only while you believe in a tariff for politics only, and because I would like to see you and your protectionist friends commit political suicide by an act of supreme folly.

7. Because it is beautiful to see the advocates of a tariff for politics only tying themselves up in a knot, and the tighter you tie the knot the better it is for the interests of the people.

8. Because you protectionists have it in your power to make the hide an instrument for the salvation of our industries. If you put a duty upon it, we shall struggle and suffer for a few months, and after that American industries and American labor will be able to entirely throw off the burden of all oppressive tariff taxation, and will enjoy the prosperity your party now denies them.

I remain, dear sir, respectively yours,  
JAMES MEANS.

BUT OF ME.—Owing to my superior facilities for delivery I desire to say that it will be an object for every person in town to buy his meat of me. If you make an order of me in the morning you will not have to wait until half past nine or ten o'clock for its delivery. Try my shop and see for yourself.  
J C MYERS.

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**MORE SQUALLS.**

The Mountaineer says: "Hon Binger Hermann has a heavy weight to carry in this campaign. Two years ago the counties east of the Cascades gave him 1500 majority over his democratic competitor; but this year they are carefully watching his course. The mouth of the Columbia has received \$75,000 as a special appropriation to continue the work at the jetty. The locks at the Cascades is of greater importance, because the river is completely useless to the people until boats can pass through, and the funds have been exhausted for some time and the machinery at a plant have to lie idle until congress has time and inclination to pass the River and Harbor bill. Portland will receive \$500,000 for a new public building and \$500,000 for Salem \$100,000. The bill for \$1,000,000 for a structure at The Dalles—and the necessity is greater than at either of the other two cities—slumbers soundly in the house. In the senate a bill was passed appropriating \$2,864,000 for the construction of a boat railway between this city and Celilo, and the people are anxiously watching what Mr Hermann will do for this bill in the house. Of course the amount is so large that little hope was ever entertained that it would pass in that shape; but it was expected that it would be so amended by Mr Hermann that, by combination with the south and west, he might secure its passage. All these weights are attached to Mr Hermann's congressional race in Eastern Oregon, and he must be active and alert if he secures a majority this campaign.

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J S McNEIL,  
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**Board of Equalization.**

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 1889.

By order of the Council made to April 22, 1890.  
Dated at Albany, Oregon, this 23rd day of April, A D 1890.  
N. J. HENTON,  
Recorder of the City of Albany.

**Notice to Stockholders.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Farmers' Co., will be held at the office of said Company, in Albany, Oregon, on May 20, 1890, at 10 o'clock a m of said day, for the purpose of electing seven (7) directors to serve for the term of one year, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. Done by order of the Board of Directors,  
M H WILDS,  
President.  
PRES B MARSHALL,  
Secretary.

**Notice to Contractors.**

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of Directors of the Albany Farmers' Co. up to May 12, 1890, for the furnishing and placing, by the perch, of a stone foundation under the old warehouse building, situated in Albany, Oregon. The right is reserved by the Board to reject any or all bids.  
M H WILDS,  
President.  
PRES B MARSHALL,  
Secretary.

**L. E. BLAIN,**

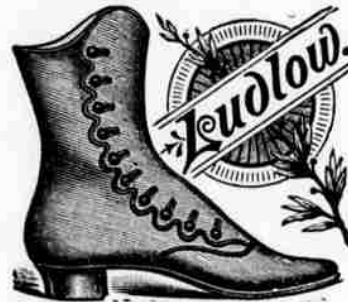


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