

THE DAILY DEMOCRAT.

WORSE THAN SHOT GUNS.

Republican papers just at this time are engaged in showing up what they call unfair congressional representation in the south. If they will inquire into the figures below, they will find that republican gerrymandering is more effective than the so-called intimidation in the south; Congressional Vote, 1888.

State	Rep. vote.	Dem. vote.
California	124,816	117,759
Connecticut	74,584	74,929
Iowa	211,598	179,887
Illinois	379,473	348,478
Michigan	236,379	213,459
Minnesota	142,492	104,285
Massachusetts	183,892	151,855
Nebraska	108,425	80,552
New York	648,759	653,757
New Jersey	141,214	151,103
Ohio	416,054	309,455
Pennsylvania	526,094	446,633
Rhode Island	21,968	17,530
Wisconsin	176,533	185,432
Totals	3,386,389	3,074,165

14 States poll 6,460,554 votes.
14 States elect 173 congressmen.
3,385,399 republicans votes elect 120.
3,072,165 democratic votes elect 47.
312,234 republican votes elect 79.
3,092 votes elect a republican.
65,107 votes elect a democrat.
The gerrymander is more effective than a shot-gun.

REWARD OF MERIT.

Some two months ago, or more, an effort was made by the citizens of Portland, by a subscription of \$2,000,000 in bonds, a new railroad enterprise which would be of great benefit to that city. W. S. Ladd esq. liberally subscribed \$5,000 while Mr. D. P. Thompson esq. did not subscribe one dollar. They each have received their reward. Ladd has been removed from the vice presidency of the N. P. Railroad Co., an office with a salary of \$5000 per annum, and Thompson has received that fat sinecure. This leads us to remark, in the language of the preacher, "that there be just men unto whom it happeneth according to the work of the wicked; again, there be wicked men, to whom it happeneth according to the work of the righteous; I said this is also vanity." Ecclesiastes 8 chap. 14 verse.

IT WILL NOT DO IT.

The proposed federal election law causes bitter denunciation in the south. An honest man need never fear the law. The storms of protest would seem to indicate that an honest ballot, which is all the bill aims at, is not desired there.—West Side.

But past experience shows that such a law would not secure an honest ballot or a correct count. The object of this law is to take the management of elections in the south out of the intelligent, property-holding citizens and put it into the hands of such men as composed the infamous returning boards of Louisiana and Florida in 1876. Every body knows what such boards would do. No the concoctors of this new election scheme do not want an honest ballot. They are determined, right or wrong to perpetuate themselves in power.

The farmers alliance in Kansas is assuming such proportions as to cause republicans much alarm. They held a public demonstration the other day at Emporia. There was a procession five miles long, and 20,000 people were in attendance. No such turn out of farmers was ever witnessed in this part of the state. The speakers were L. L. Polk, president of the national alliance, Ralph Beaumont and other prominent members. This is the outgrowth of dissatisfaction among republican farmers in the west at the way the administration carries on its government.

David P. Thompson is out in a long letter in the Eugene State Journal attempting to explain why he was defeated. It were better to crop the subject. David adds nothing to the general estimate in which he is held by saying that certain classes of men who voted against him were ignorant. The truth is that he was beaten mainly because the people feared he would lack in official integrity.

We are regaled with another tale of Southern outrage. A postmaster in Florida, appointed by President Harrison, has been arrested on the charge of compounding a felony. He was shot by some criminal or other, and was glad to take \$50 in consideration of refraining from prosecuting his assailant. Possibly if he had demanded \$100 he might not have been made a postmaster, in which event his arrest would not have been an outrage.

In one of the leading locomotive shops there is now building an engine with an enormous driving wheel, nine feet in circumference, which will be fixed in the center, in front of the boiler. Instead of ordinary axles the truck wheels will have bicycle spindles, and experts claim that the large driving wheel will carry along the train at over ninety miles an hour.

SPINAL WEAKNESS.

Henry J. Gallagher, 56 Prince Street, N. Y., writes: "Having been troubled with pains in back and chest during the last winter I was compelled to remain at home unable to attend to business, until I was advised by a friend to try one of Alcock's Parous Plasters. After applying one to my chest and one to my back, in three hours I found relief which I have not got in over three months. I cheerfully recommend them to persons having spinal weakness and lung trouble."

"CONFUSION WORSE CONFOUNDED."

Last week the Oregonian said: "Nobody denies the right of the states to elect their own officers in their own way, but the states have no right to do as they please in the election of congressman and president."

This means, if it means anything, that congress has the right to prescribe the manner of electing presidential electors. In Monday's issue it says:

Presidential electors, it ought to be understood, are purely state officers. They perform all their functions within the states, and send the sealed results of their deliberations to Washington. Congress has no more control over the manner of their choice than it has over the election of governors of states.

Here that paper forcibly lays down the rule that states alone can determine the manner of electing presidential electors. That paper seems to be utterly in the dark on this subject and makes "confusion worse confounded" of the whole subject.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING - NOTICE
It is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Capital Gold and Silver Mining Co., consolidated of the city of Salem, Oregon, will be held at the office of the company in said city, on the second Thursday the 14th day of August, 1890, at 3 o'clock P. M. for the election of directors and for such other business as may come before the meeting.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT under the provisions of an act of the Legislature of Oregon entitled, "An act to incorporate the City of Eugene and to repeal all acts and part of acts in conflict herewith," filed in the office of the Secretary of State, February 20th, 1889, the common council of the City of Eugene will issue and dispose of the bonds of said city at par value of from \$30,000 to \$50,000, in denominations of from \$100 to \$1000, as the purchaser may desire, payable 30 years after date of issue the same, with interest thereon at the rate not to exceed 5 per cent per annum, payable semi annually.

Sealed proposals to purchase said bonds will be received by the undersigned at Eugene, Oregon, until Sept 1st, 1890, and all proposals received will be opened and considered on the 5th day of Sept, 1890, and said bonds will be disposed of to the person or persons making the best offer or offer therefor.

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May 21st, 1890.
B. F. DORRIS,
Recorder for the City of Eugene

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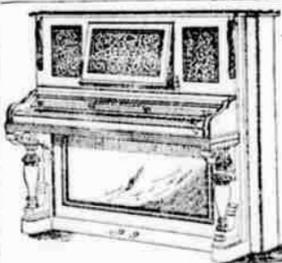
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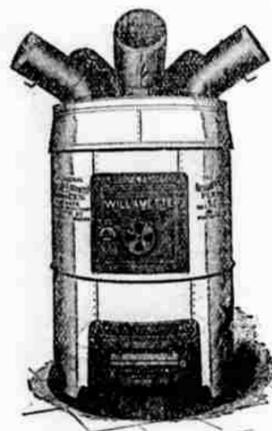
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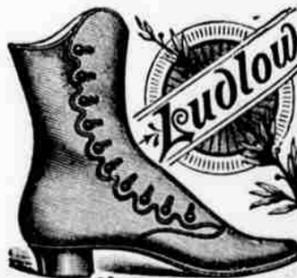
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