

WASHINGTON.

(From our regular correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26, 1891.

Hon James G. Blaine, the acknowledged dictator of the next republican presidential nomination, has solved a conundrum which for several months puzzled the people of this country, by returning to Washington and resuming his long neglected duties as Secretary of State; but there is another problem which is yet to be solved—does he come as a friend or as an enemy of Mr Benjamin Harrison? Some of Mr Blaine's friends insist that he will again be the nominee of his party and that it is his intention to shape things during the next few months as to compel Mr Harrison to abandon the dearest desire of his heart by announcing that he will not allow his name to go before the next republican convention; but your correspondent does not believe that Mr Harrison has any idea of surrendering the lead he has already secured by barter of appointments for delegates to that convention, and which he hopes to increase by the large number of important appointments now at his disposal, which are undoubtedly being delayed for the express purpose of obtaining additional Harrison delegates. Six months ago could easily have carried out such a plan, but Mr Harrison has made such good use of the absence of the man from Maine that it will be very difficult if not impossible now. One thing is very certain, if appearances count for anything, and that is, that Mr Blaine's health will not interfere with his entering the field as a candidate.

Just around the corner from Mr Blaine's house there was Saturday and Sunday domiciled another man from Maine, who less than two years ago was a rival for popularity in the republican party of Mr Blaine. His name is Thomas B. Reed, more popularly known during the life of the billion-dollar congress as Czar Reed. He did not call to pay his respects either to Mr Blaine or Mr Harrison.

Senator-elect Palmer, of Illinois, has in a published interview, given eastern democrats something to think about. He said: "The fact that the elections next week may change the whole current of speculation, makes it vain to engage in political prophecy now. I am hopeful, however, of democratic success. It appears to be beyond question that we will carry Iowa and in my opinion, success in that state puts another presidential or vice-presidential candidate in the field. Gov Boies is a man of great intellectuality, and he has made a most excellent governor. The democracy has done and could do a great many more foolish things than to nominate Gov Boies. He is admirably situated from a geographical point of view, and this is an important factor to be taken in consideration. He is much better situated than Gov Russell, who I suppose will be a candidate for the vice-presidency if he is re-elected in Massachusetts."

The alleged investigation by postoffice inspectors of the charges made against the employees of the Baltimore postoffice by Civil Service Commissioner Roosevelt, which is now supposed to be going on, will not be finished until after the elections, and the result of those elections will largely determine what, if any action will be taken on the report by Mr Wanamaker. What a blooming lot of civil service reformers these administration fellows are anyway.

It will not be the fault of the administration if the mob in the streets of Valparaiso, Chili, which resulted in the death of one and the wounding of several U S sailors, is not used to bolster up the waning republican fortunes in the state campaigns now rapidly drawing to a close. Ever since official account of the mob's actions was received, the cable has been kept hot with messages between the state department and Minister Egan, and the official atmosphere of Washington has been full of talk about "demands for abject apology," "dignity of the flag," "indemnity for the families of the killed and wounded sailors," etc. And there men who talk about enforcing these demands just as if we had a strong naval force in Chilean waters. We have just two vessels there—the Baltimore and the San Francisco, and the Boston, which sailed from New York Saturday will be there in about sixty days. Had the new vessel which spent the summer in the neighborhood of the fashionable summer resorts been sent to the South Atlantic as Mr Harrison and Secretary Tracy were urged to do, we might be in a position to talk about enforcing demands, but as things are at present such talk is arrant nonsense.

WHERE TO GO.—Go to Parker Bros for fresh fruit and vegetables.

Go to Parker Bros for the best teas and coffees.

Go to Parker Bros for good baking powder.

Go to Parker Bros for fine baked goods. The best bread, cakes, pies, etc in the market.

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The Charles E. Zine kid gloves mentioned at Philadelphia are the best in the market. Call at A. B. McIlwain's and examine them before purchasing.

For bargains in household goods, call at W. W. Andrews & Co., Albany, Oregon.

WHEAT, 82 CENTS.

The East Oregonian claims to have been the first paper in Oregon to advocate the Australian ballot system. Next.

The Lebanon Express certainly is not aware of the fact that the exposition has been out for two weeks, as an advertisement for the same still adorns its pages.—Brownsville Times. That's nothing. A hotel ad in an exchange reads: "General stage office for Corvallis."

The Ashland Tidings says: From W N

Lucky, of this place, the following figures of fruit shipped from Phoenix and Ashland to the Eugene cannery are obtained: From Ashland: peaches, 16,018 lbs., prunes, 23,683 lbs. From Phoenix: 151,658 lbs. peaches, 34,061 lbs. prunes, 5,619 lbs. pears. Total amount of fruit from the two shipping points, 232,040 lbs. net.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

Wm B Gore et ux to Chas T. Walters, 25 5-8 acres in D L C of W B Gore. \$1281

Michael Hogan to Mary J. Clark, E 1/2 of NE 1/4 sec 36 tp 9 S R 2 E. 1500

W J Queener et al to School Dist 75, 1 acre in sec 22 tp 9 S R 1 W. 1

Ceo M Hill to A P Maxwell, 80 acres in D L C of F M Morris. 1

W B Donaca to Geo E Hardy, parcel in Lebanon. 115

Chas Yates to Wm Titus, lots 7 and 8 blk 4 Highland Grove. 150

Marion C Potter to Wm Titus, 1 acre in sec 19 tp 9 S R 2 E. 50

United States to H J C Averill, 324.12 acres in secs 16 and 21 tp 11 S R 4 W. Patent

Total sales \$3008

His CONSCIENCE SMOTE HIM.—A singular case of a guilty conscience accusing itself through many years, finally reproving itself, and in the end making public confession, has just come to light in our own Godlike city. Once upon a time, years and years ago, a man who is still living in this vicinity defrauded the father of Jeweler Downing, of this city, out of a few dollars. Several days ago a rather well-dressed husbandman, above middle age, presented himself before Mr Downing, when he was at work at the bench, and handing over a \$20 gold piece requested him to take \$215 out of it. This was done, the jeweler thinking it was on account of the farmer's at the store, but the farmer said no. It was for the young man himself. Mr Downing said he knew nothing of anyone owing him that sum, whereupon the man made an explanation. He said that one day he cheated the young man's father, now dead, out of a small sum and the irregularity had troubled him ever since and he wanted even at this late day to clear his conscience. He had figured the interest on the amount since the transaction and found that it now amounted in all to about \$16, which would be \$215 to each child of the man whom he had defrauded. Concluding his story, the man with a guilty conscience walked upon the street and was lost in the crowd.—Statesman.

NOTICE TO LADIES.—My cloaks have now arrived and I am enabled to give the ladies of Albany bargains in fall and winter cloaks for a few days only. I will have at my store a sample of every style of seal and cloth cloaks or jackets made by one of the largest Eastern manufacturers. They comprise all the novelties of the season. These goods will be in the store for a few days only and will be sold at wholesale prices. Call early and secure the best selection.

G W SIMPSON.

Klein Bros have a large and choice stock of boots and shoes for sale at reasonable prices. Do not pass in by without you have seen them. At the elegant place at their store.

At Will & Stark's. May be seen the finest stock of gold and silver watches, diamond and other rings, jewelry, silverware, etc, in the city.

The best roast coffee in the city at Coffin's.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—Gent to do general housework in small family. Call at Democrat office.

FOR SALE—House and corner lot in H's 5th add. \$750. Apply to I W Davis.

FOR REST—One or two furnished rooms, sunny and pleasant. Call on J. W. Bentley, corner Calaveras and Sixth streets.

LOST—Near Marion cannery, a gold watch with garnet set. Leave this office and receive reward.

READY TO WORK—Families desiring wood cut in any kind of labor done, can obtain prompt attention by securing the services of Dan's Low, at the Millinery house, Levee on river there.

FOR SALE—Half dozen Plymouth Rock cockerels. Inquire of Rufus Thompson, Albany.

The Road to Wealth.

Cannot be successfully traveled without good health. To reach wealth or any coveted position in life requires the full possession and operation of all the faculties kind nature has endowed us with. These conditions cannot exist unless the physical being is in perfect working order, and this is impossible when the liver and spleen are torpid, thus obstructing the secretions, causing indigestion and dyspepsia, with all of their accompanying horrors.

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A piano
At Klein Bros
Boat and Shoe store.
New cloaks at W F Read's.
Latest styles of hats at W F Read's.
Reduction in summer goods at W F Read's.
Apparel for sale at Stewart & Sox.
S A Hulin, druggist, French's corner.
Fix groceries at Conn & Hendrickson's.
Latest sheet music at Will & Link's.
Parasols and sun umbrellas at less than cost at W F Read's.
Gold spectacles and eye glasses, all styles and prices, at F M French's.

The finest line of pocket knives in the city at Stewart & Sox's.
Bargains in gold watches at French's.
"The Corner Jewelry Store."

A full line of Warner's corsets, best in the world for the money, at W F Read's.

J. W. Bentley, leading boot and shoe maker, just east of Revue House.

C W Cobb, job printer, Flinn Block, does first class work.

See that elegant piano at Klein Bros Boat and Shoe store.

Bernard McArthur, of Grants Pass, has shipped thirteen bear skins in a week.

Old People.

J. V. S. is the only Sarsaparilla that old or feeble people should take, as the mineral potash which is in every other Sarsaparilla that we know of, is under certain conditions known to be enervating. J. V. S. on the contrary is purely vegetable and stimulates digestion and creates new blood, the very thing for old, delicate or broken down people. It builds them up and prolongs their lives. A case in point:

Mrs. Holden an estimable and elderly lady of 80 Union St., S. F. was for months declining so rapidly as to seriously alarm her family. It got so bad that she was finally afflicted with fainting spells. She writes: "While in that dangerous condition I saw some of the testimonials concerning J. V. S. and sent for a bottle. That marked the turning point. I regained my lost flesh and strength and have not felt so well in years." That was two years ago and Mrs. Holden is well and hearty to-day, and still taking J. V. S.

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Notions

Ribbons

Laces

White Goods

Linens

Carpets

Upholstery

Yarns

Corsets

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Tailors' Trimmings

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grained Jersey cow, brown and white, 4 years old, with strap and ring attached, escaped from the subscribers' place near Calaveras bridge. The finder, on return to me, will be paid all expenses.

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