

The Woodburn Independent is going after the republican ring at Salem with a very hot poker. If the Independent shall have the pluck and perseverance to hunt out the secret history of the doings of the court house ring in that town republicans and democrats alike will be astounded.

The full returns of the vote cast by the Alliance or people's party in Ohio in the late election show 23,400 votes. Careful investigation shows that nearly 16,000 of these were cast by democrats. Most of the republican alliance men were driven back to the support of McKinley. The republicans are using the alliance for all it is worth to them.

The Texas State Farmers' Alliance met at Corsicana the other day and adopted a resolution appointing twenty-five delegates to represent Texas at the Memphis, Tenn. convention next month. Resolutions condemning the action of the supreme council at Indianapolis, and proposing to sever all connection with the de facto national alliance for separate organization, with entirely new officers were adopted.

The Portland Dispatch very forcibly says:

It is true many manufactured articles are cheaper now than when the tariff on the same was lower, but that fact is not due to the result of the tariff, whose tendency always is to raise the price of goods but to the improved facilities of manufacturing. Inventions, labor-saving machinery and skilled workmanship have all contributed towards lowering the price of manufacturing articles which even the high McKinley tariff cannot bring down to the old price. To claim that a high tariff reduces the price of goods is a flat contradiction of facts—an absurdity that cannot be reconciled with the objects of protection. Notwithstanding the inconsistency involved in the plea some republican advocates of protection claim that by increasing the price of goods, so as to keep out foreign competition, the price to the home consumer is actually made lower than it was before the act was passed. It is not this kind of consistency that is a jewel.

WASHINGTON.

(From our regular correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23, 1891.

Is Secretary Blaine in revolt against the administration ukase regarding the reelection of Senator Sherman? Appearances indicate that he is, and ex-Gov. Foraker, who is here in attendance upon the meeting of the republican national committee, held today, while he refuses to talk for publication, loses no opportunity to let his personal friends understand that Mr. Blaine has promised him his aid in the fight he is making against Sherman. In consequence of the effect of the free champagne which was plentiful all day around the hotel at which the republican committee held its meeting, one of Foraker's friends related the following as the Blaine-Foraker program: "You know, of course, that Blaine dislikes Sherman and will be glad to see him end his public career by being defeated for the senate; but you probably do not know that there is yet a stronger incentive for Blaine to combine with Foraker, and that is to prevent Ohio sending a McKinley delegation to the republican nominating convention next year. McKinley is Blaine's pet aversion and however the senatorship contest may end, Foraker has undertaken, in exchange for Blaine's influence against Sherman to control the state delegation to the national convention and to prevent the name of McKinley being presented to that convention."

Chairman J. S. Clarkson, of the republican national committee, has always rather prided himself on being known as a "practical politician," and if the story that is being told of his action concerning the decision of the committee as to the next meeting place of the republican national convention be true, he is certainly the most "practical" politician ever at the head of a national committee. The story is that Mr. Clarkson let it be known to the leading men in the delegation from the competing cities, that he would like to know in writing, how much their delegation could guarantee as a republican campaign contribution next year, and that he also informed them that he intended using his influence, which they well knew was all powerful, to have the committee decide in favor of holding the convention in the city which promised the largest campaign contribution. It is further said that was actually done by the several delegations or parts of them, and that the decision made this afternoon was really in favor of the city which had through its delegation given a written guarantee of a larger cash contribution to the republican campaign fund than was offered by any of its competitors. What think you of that "practical" politics? And the man from whose "practical" brain this very "practical" plan was evolved was elected by unanimous vote of the committee to succeed to the vacancy in the chairmanship made by Senator Quay's resignation. A worthy successor, indeed.

The cares of administration may be great and pressing, but Mr. Harrison does not forget to "cast an anchor to windward" in the propitiation of the Indiana "higgs" vote. One of them—D. P. Roberts, of Evansville—has been appointed recorder of the General Land Office, to take the place made vacant by the resignation of the negro preacher who went back to Indiana for the openly avowed purpose of

aiding to get a Harrison delegation from that state.

All sorts of improbable stories concerning the speakership contest are being told here for the purpose of aiding or injuring this or that candidate, but there has really nothing occurred here during the week to either encourage or discourage any one of the candidates or his friends, although it is believed that something may have taken place in New York city during the latter part of last week, when several of the candidates were over there, that may later on have an important bearing upon the result; but even that is supposition, for the conferences which took place in New York were secret and none of those who attended any of them care to say at this time what was done. It is now apparent that the majority of the members of the House will not arrive in Washington until after Thanksgiving day; therefore that the speakership fight will have to wait until the turkey, etc., is disposed of before it can get down to business.

It is said that some of the republican representatives will make a strong protest against giving ex-Speaker Reed the republican nomination for speaker. When they do, it will be time enough to believe it. There was not a single republican in the last House who was not afraid of Mr. Reed, and if there is one such elected to the new House he has not been heard of here. Mr. Reed will rule the handful of republicans in the House with a rod of iron. See if he does not.

Gov. Hill spent Friday and Saturday in Washington arranging for quarters for the congressional session.

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NOTICE TO STOCK-HOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the annual stockholders meeting of the Farmers & Merchants' Insurance Company of Albany, Linn county, Oregon, will be held at the company's office in the city of Albany, Oregon, on Wednesday, January 6th, 1892, at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m. of said day, for the purpose of electing nine directors of said company, to serve for one year, and to transact any other business as may regularly come before said meeting. By order of the President.

Dated December 1st, 1891.

J. O. WRIGHTMAN.

Secretary.

LOST.—A dark brown bird dog. Wore a collar with tag No. 108. Answers name of Trick. A liberal reward will be paid for his return. ED ZYER, Fourth and Lyon Sts., Albany.

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DEMOCRATIC CITY CONVENTION.

A mass meeting of the democratic voters of the city of Albany will be held in the Circuit Court room at the Court House on Saturday evening, December 5th, 1891, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Mayor, Marshal, Recorder and Treasurer, to be voted for at the regular annual city election to be held on Monday, December 7th, 1891.

WARD MEETINGS.

The committee would recommend that ward meetings be held on Friday evening, December 4th, 1891, at 7 o'clock at the following places:

First Ward—Up stairs in the Circuit Court room at the Court House.

Second Ward—In the County Court room at the Court House.

Third Ward—At the office of the Farmers Warehouse.

Each ward will nominate a candidate for councilman and select a member of the City Central committee.

J. O. WRIGHTMAN,
C. H. STEWART,
T. J. SITTER,
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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the firm of Burkhardt & Keeney, doing a real estate, insurance and collecting business in the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon, is this day by mutual consent dissolved. Geo. H. Keeney, of said firm retiring. The business will continue to be conducted by C. G. Burkhardt, of said firm, who is authorized to collect all outstanding accounts and pay all debts of said firm. Dated this 25th day of October, 1891. C. G. BURKHARDT, GEO. H. KEENEY.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE OF A CHATTEL MORTGAGE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by virtue of a chattel mortgage duly executed by Thomas Price to Martha Laird, on the 11th day of May, 1891, to secure the payment of the sum of \$1000, with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from May 27th, 1891 and cost of foreclosing said mortgage which said sum became due and payable on July 11th, 1891; that the terms of said mortgage was broken in this that said sum of money was not paid when the same became due as therein provided.

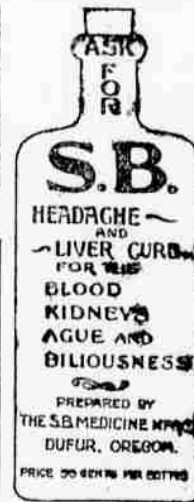
I did on the 24th day of November, 1891, take into my possession the personal property described in said mortgage, to foreclose the same according to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and will at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 3rd day of December, 1891, at A. Dodge's barn, situated in the town of Lebanon, Linn county, Oregon, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, to satisfy the amount of said mortgage the following described personal property to-wit: One pair of grey horses about ten years old one pair of horses, one a roan and the other a black, eight years old; one pair of horses, one a dark brown and the other a sorrel horse, seven years old; five span of mules, the property of Thomas Price from seven to eleven years old all colors five lumber wagons; five hundred dollars worth of tools, consisting of drags, scrapers, wheeled scrapers, plows and slip scrapers, and any and all tools and teams, forming one complete gradin outfit, and all now in the possession of, the said Thomas Price.

Dated this 25th day of November, 1891

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