

The majority of the committee on ways and means today agreed upon the full text of the bill prepared by Chairman Springer, to admit wool free of duty, and to reduce the tariff on manufactured woolen goods. It is as follows:

"That on and after the first day of January, 1893, the following articles when imported shall be exempt from duty: All wools, hair of the camel, goat, alpaca, and other like animals, and all wool on the skin, all top waste, slubbing waste, roving waste, ring waste, yarn waste, card waste, bur waste, rags, nells and flocks, including all waste or rags, composed wholly or in part of wool.

"Sec. 2.—That on and after the 1st day of January, 1893, the articles enumerated, described, and provided for in the paragraphs hereinafter named, of 'an act to reduce the revenue' and equalize duties on imports, and for other purposes, approved October 1, 1890, shall, when imported, be subjected to the duties hereinafter provided and no others: That is to say, upon the articles enumerated in paragraph 391 of said act, the duties shall be 35 per cent ad valorem. Upon the articles enumerated in paragraph 392, the duty shall be 40 per cent ad valorem. Upon the articles enumerated in paragraph 393, the duties fixed therein at 30 per cent ad valorem, shall be reduced to 25 per cent ad valorem; the duties fixed at 35 per cent ad valorem, shall be reduced to 30 per cent ad valorem, and the duties fixed at 40 per cent ad valorem, shall be reduced to 35 per cent ad valorem, and no duty per pound, or per square yard, shall be imposed upon the articles enumerated in said paragraph. Upon the articles enumerated in paragraph 394, the duties shall be 35 per cent ad valorem. Upon the articles enumerated in paragraph 395 and 398, the duties shall be 40 per cent ad valorem. Upon the articles enumerated in paragraphs 396 and 397, the duties shall be 45 per cent ad valorem. Upon the articles named in paragraphs 399, down to and including paragraph 408, the duties shall be 30 per cent ad valorem, and all imported articles enumerated, described and provided for in said paragraphs respectively, which may be in public store, or in warehouse on the said first day of January, 1893, shall be subjected to the same duties when withdrawn for consumption and no others, as if said articles had been imported on or after said first day of January, and only the ad valorem as herein provided shall thereafter be levied, collected and paid upon the articles mentioned in said paragraphs.

"Sec. 3.—That the articles mentioned in paragraph 399 of said act, and likewise all mungos, shoddes, garnetted or carded waste, or other waste product, and of, or both, shall on and after the said 1st day of January, 1893, be subjected to duty of 35 per cent ad valorem.

"Sec. 4.—That all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provision of this act, be and the same are hereby repealed. But this section shall not take effect until the 1st day of January, 1893."

COTTON BAGGING AND TIES.

"The following bill to admit cotton bagging and ties of duty, was also agreed upon, that the following articles, when imported, shall be exempt from duty, viz:

"Bagging for cotton, gunny cloth and all similar material suitable for covering cotton, composed in whole or in part of flax, jute or jute butts, cards, roving frames, winding frames, softeners and other machinery purchased abroad and used in the manufacture of bagging for cotton, gunny cloth, and similar materials, suitable for covering cotton; cotton gins and also hoop or band iron, or hoop or band steel, cut to length, or wholly or partly manufactured into hoops, or ties for baling purposes, and hoops or band iron, or hoop or band steel flares, spacers, or punched with, or without buckles or fastenings."

SANDERS IS A DANDY.

One T. N. Sanders of Portland has written a letter to the Oregonian attempting to give reasons why the people of Oregon should elect two republican congressmen next June. He gives nine reasons, all "funny" and flimsy.

The "first" and "sixth" fully characterize the others. The "first" is, that "the signs of the time point to the election of a republican congress at the next election; and a democratic could not truly represent a republican state in a republican congress." No one has yet seen the signs of the times pointing in the direction indicated by Sanders except himself and with him it was merely an optical illusion in which the wish-to-be-father-to-the-thought theory figures largely. Whatever may be the result of the presidential election there is no reason to doubt that the democrats will have a safe working majority in the next house.

Sanders "sixth" is a dandy. He says the "democratic free trade congress proposes to rob the wool growers and producers of the west of their protection under the McKinley tariff and give the rich manufacturer of the east 35 per cent protection for their goods and capital." This free trade congress proposes to take from the wool growers something that does them no good. They also propose to treat the "rich manufacturers of the east" with much less favor than McKinley did. They propose to give him 35 instead of 91 per cent protection on his manufactured wools. Sanders should "try, try, again."

THE PEOPLE'S CHOICE.

The Philadelphia Times: a staunch democratic paper, in reviewing the presidential prospects says:

On the democratic side there is but one candidate whose name leaps up spontaneously from the hearts of the great mass of the people. If the people who are to elect a democratic president, if one shall be elected this year, could express their preference for their candidate, four-fifths of them would declare emphatically for Grover Cleveland, and yet the snap convention politicians in New York are hopeful to-day that they can defeat his nomination. They will not dare to attempt the nomination of Senator Hill. If nominated he might carry Texas, with every other state in the union either deleterious or against him, but the apprehension that New York may be the pivotal state of the contest, and the knowledge that Hill's forces would betray Cleveland in 1892 as they did in 1888, make it possible, although not probable, that Cleveland may be set aside and a new candidate taken.

In that event the nomination would pretty certainly go westward, and to-day there are but two names which would seem to be within the range of presidential possibility. They are Senator Palmer, of Illinois, and Senator Carlisle, of Kentucky. But for the fact that Palmer has braved the frosts of seventy-three winters, he would very likely be nominated in the event of the retirement of Cleveland; but he is a man of wonderful physical vigor, and may be taken despite his advanced years. His nomination would pretty certainly anchor Illinois in the democratic column, and make several of the western republican states more than doubtful. Senator Carlisle occupies a good position to come in for the nomination in the event of confused councils at Chicago. He was a positive Union man during the war, although living in Kentucky, and is confessedly one of the ablest of the democratic statesmen of the day. Governor Boies, of Iowa, who has twice carried his state, is too soft for the east, and Governor Russell, of Massachusetts, who has also twice carried his state, is too hard for the west, although either may make a good second on the ticket.

Such seems to be the presidential situation to-day. It is one of unexampled confusion in both parties, and clearly casts uncertainty upon the issue of the great national battle of 1892.

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Rock Creek, Monday, February 15, 1892.
Fox Valley, Tuesday, Feb 16, 1892.
Jordan, Wednesday, Feb 17, 1892.
Sato, Thursday, Feb 18, 1892.
Franklin Butte, Friday, Feb 19, 1892.
Shelburn, Saturday, Feb 20, 1892.
North Lebanon, Monday, Feb 22, 1892.
Santiam, Monday, Feb 22, 1892.
South Lebanon, Tuesday, Feb 23, 1892.
Waterloo, Tuesday, Feb 23, 1892.
Solaville, Wednesday, Feb 24, 1892.
Sweet Home, Thursday, Feb 25, 1892.
Crawfordsville, Friday, Feb 26, 1892.
N. Brownsville, Saturday, Feb 27, 1892.
S. Brownsville, Saturday, Feb 27, 1892.
Center, Saturday, Feb 27, 1892.
N. Harrisburg, Monday, Feb 29, 1892.
Haley, Tuesday, March 1, 1892.
Shedd, Wednesday, March 2, 1892.
Tangent, Thursday, March 3, 1892.
Orleans, Thursday, March 3, 1892.
Price, Friday, March 4, 1892.
Syracuse, Saturday, March 5, 1892.
West Albany, Saturday, March 5, 1892.
Albany, Monday, March 7, 1892.
Center Albany, Monday, March 7, 1892.
East Albany, Tuesday, March 8, 1892.
Prompt payment will be required. Pay your taxes and save costs.

M. SCOTT,
Sheriff and Tax Collector.
Dated January 21st, 1892.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Building and Loan Association will be held on Friday, February 19th, 1892, at the hour of 7:30 p. m. of said day, in the Bank of Oregon, in Albany, Linn county, Oregon, for the election of nine directors, to serve for the term of one year next ensuing from said meeting, and until their successors are elected and qualified, and to transact such other business as may come before the association. Done by order of the association this 15th day of January, 1892.

JAY W. BLAIN, Secretary.

C. H. STEWART, President.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT JOHN E. CYRUS and W. P. PITCHFORD, partners doing business in Sebo, Linn county, Oregon, under the firm name and style of Cyrus & Pitchford, have duly made an assignment of all the property, real and personal, to the undersigned for the benefit of their creditors. All persons having claims against the said firm are hereby notified and required to present the same under oath to the undersigned, at the office of J. K. Weatherford, in the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon, within three months from the date hereof, Dated Feb. 8th, 1892.

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In addition to the above we will have a general clearance sale of all other lines in stock, and we will give 10 per cent discount on all cash sales until March 1st, on our entire stock of Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Corsets, Ladies and Children shoes, Hosiery, Woolen Underwear, etc.

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