

Daily Democrat.

THE TARIFF DEBATE.

The debate on the tariff was opened up in congress Wednesday by McMillin of Tennessee on the democratic side and Dingley of Maine for the republicans. The following is from McMillin's speech:

This congress was sent here, to correct both evils by imposing less taxes and by spending less money. The tariff law has now been in operation for a year and five months. Where are the beneficial effects that were to follow from it? Where are the increased wages the laboring man was to receive? Where are the magnificent prices the farmer and woolgrower were to realize from it? The farmer realizes from 2 to 3 cents less on a pound from his wool than he did before, and I challenge any representative here to point to a single line of manufactures in which the laborers' wages have been increased by law. The bill was passed under a pretense of a desire to benefit the laboring man, but what benefit has it been to him?

The whole matter may be summed up in the fact that after two years' experiment of high rates of duty on wool the result has been a reduction of one-half in the number of sheep in states east of the Mississippi and Missouri rivers and a reduction of about one half in the price of wool. Nor have the results been encouraging to wool manufacturers. They have been restricted as to the quality of wool they could afford to buy in grease by reason of the tariff. They have been restricted in markets substantially to their own country. They have been forced to use shoddy as a substitute for woolen goods and the sheep husbandmen derived no substantial benefit.

The authors of the McKinley bill take much credit to themselves for having placed sugar on the free list. They did. It is true, place some and most grades of sugar on the free list, but the finer grades are still taxed heavily for the benefit of the manufacturer, and he is left with no more protection by that bill than by the rates imposed in the Mills bill. It is true fifty odd millions of dollars were taken off the sugar tax, but this was not a free will offering, for the same measure provided for the payment of \$12,000,000 to the producers of sugars as bounties. Again, while the fifty odd million dollars tax was taken off sugar an increase of duties, amounting to about \$66,000,000, was put on other things, and generally on the necessities of life. They removed the sugar tax which yielded eight-ninths of its benefits to the treasury and but one-ninth to the sugar manufacturer, only to place many millions more than the sugar tax on other things where but one-fourth of the law's exactions went into the treasury and three-fourths went into the private coffers of favored manufacturers. It will be seen that this tax is still a burden of \$48,000,000 indirectly to the people, and instead of their obtaining \$60,000,000 relief by this change of taxes, they hardly obtained \$10,000,000 net benefit. The whole bill is characterized by unrelenting favoritism for the few and merciless oppression for the many. In the consideration of the bill the manufacturer alone is favored, but the consumer is never considered. The exigency preceeding the campaign had required a vast amount of money to carry on the elections. It was raised by rousing the apprehensions of some and promising a benefit to others. The promises of that campaign were put into a statutory form, and every class except those who need it most have been benefited by the various laws passed by our opponents on the subject of taxation since 1895.

If no other good resulted from the McKinley bill, it has taught the American people that the tariff is a tax and a law upon the people who consume the article upon which it is levied. With the tax removed from sugar the price is down in all American markets to an amount about equal to the duty removed. On the other hand, when an additional tax of 1.2 cents a pound was imposed on tin plate, tin plate went up in price all over the country. So on pearl buttons, upon which the duty was vastly increased, so on linen goods. Whatever may have been the situation before, the American people have come to know that the tariff is a tax and have dealt with those who increased the tax in the last congress accordingly by administering to the authors of the high rates we now have to pay, the greatest rebuke that was ever administered to any party in this country, turning the republican majority into a democratic majority of almost three-fourths. There is another provision of the present law which should be amended, the one allowing those who are opulent enough and have leisure to go abroad to bring in free of duty quantities of clothes as wearing apparel.

The Oregonian tries hard to show that the foreigner pays the duty upon goods imported into this country. If this be true, then there is no "protection" in the duty levied, and McKinley and his "robber gang," as that paper used to call protectionists, are guilty of deception, in promising protection where none is given.

Robert Shaw of Snow's Falls, Me., went to sleep in a field the other day, and when he awoke he was minus a good pair of trousers. Field mice, which swarm in Oxford county, had gnawed the garment in to shreds and carried it away.

An "inch of rain" means a gallon of water spread over a surface of nearly two square feet, or a fall of about 100 tons on an acre of ground.

One state has selected delegates to the national democratic convention. Forty-three other states are to be heard from. David B Hill is the choice of the machine in New York. Grover Cleveland is the choice of four-fifths of the democrats in the country. The convention that named Hill delegates in New York was elected by 3 per cent of the democratic vote of the state. The total vote at the primaries in New York City was only about 5000. The protest against the snap convention was signed by more democrats than voted at those primaries. The chances are that not another one of the forty-three states will instruct its delegates for David B Hill. The New York machine will not name their democratic candidate for president this year.—Atlanta Journal.

At the conclusion of a week's session in Kansas City, Kans., the Methodist General Conference of the state adopted a resolution denouncing as farcical and ridiculous the attempts made by Governor Humphrey and his subordinates to put down the illicit liquor traffic, and serving notice upon the republican party that unless the next state platform contained a radical prohibition plank it could not expect the support of the Methodist church. The conference represented 800,000 Kansas communicants. The situation as regards the liquor traffic was stated by the speakers to be appalling, disgraceful to republicanism and utterly offensive to morality.

A dispatch from Washington City, says: Senator Palmer arrived in Washington this morning from Illinois. He told the World correspondent frankly today that his Springfield speech, in which he said he would accept the presidential nomination if offered to him, had been correctly reported.

"My first choice," he added "is Cleveland. I think he is the choice of a large percentage of the Illinois democrats. I favor his nomination over everybody, myself included; in fact I do not desire the nomination if the support of Mr Cleveland is strong enough to nominate him. If, however, two-thirds of the delegates could not unite on Mr Cleveland I should expect to see the choice fall on a western man and would feel honored if the nomination came to me."

A dispatch from Indianapolis says: The thirteen districts in the state held republican conventions today to elect delegates to the Minneapolis convention. Harrison apparently carried everything. The Allen county delegation in the convention at Auburn bolted because Harrison resolutions were adopted. It is claimed that the county, which is usually democratic by 4,000, will give the democratic candidate a majority of 10,000 if Harrison is nominated.

The ship canal from Paris to Rouen is to be about 114 miles in length and 23 feet in depth, and the estimated cost is \$39,000,000.

In Japan there are apple trees growing four inches in height, which bear fruit freely about the size of currants.

An ounce of turnip seeds contains between 14,000 and 15,000 single seeds.

CHILDREN ENJOY
The pleasant flavor, gentle action and soothing effects of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be active or laboring, the most gratifying results follow its use, so that it is the best family remedy known and every family should have a bottle.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

EGGS.—Pure bred S C Brown Leghorn eggs \$1 per 13. Address, W W Crawford, Tallman, Oregon.

FOR RENT.—New dwelling, five rooms, hard finish, central part of city. Inquire of Ed R M Carter.

S. N. STEELE & CO., Albany, Oregon. Loan money on good real estate security in Linn and adjoining counties.

FRESH COWS FOR SALE.—One-half and one-fourth Jersey cows for sale. Also imported early and late potatoes. Price, 75 cents per bushel. Call on me 2 miles east of Albany. F O HOPKINS.

WANTED.—A girl to do general housework in a small family. Inquire at this office.

MONEY TO LOAN.—Home capital to loan, in sums to suit on Albany and Linn county real estate or good personal security. W E McPherson, First Street opp. Masonic Hall, Albany, Or.

PLAIN SEWING.—The undersigned will take in plain sewing which will be done in first-class order and on reasonable terms. Leave order at residence of Thos Jones, 307th street, between Broadway and Ferry street. Miss WHITEHEAD.

BIRDS FOR SALE.—Mrs. Wm Meyer has some one canary birds, genuine Scotch whistlers, for sale. Call on her at her home on Water street, between Hill and Maine streets.

FOR SALE.—House and corner lot in R R 3d add. \$750. Apply to W Davis.

WANTED.—20 shares Albany Building and Loan Association stock first series. Inquire of Jay W Blain secretary.

ARE YOU GOING TO RIDE A BICYCLE
this summer? If so, call on Van Wilson, at Stewart & Sox's, and see a New Mail, which always gives satisfaction.

E. J. O'CONNOR.
CIVIL & ENGINEER
And Surveyor,
ALBANY, - - - OREGON.

SEE HERE
Parker Bros, grocers.
F. M. French keeps railroad time.
Buy your groceries of Parker Bros.
Apple papers for sale at Stewart & Sox.
Fine groceries at Conn & Henderson's.
Latest sheet music at Will & Link's.
New cream cheese just received at Central Meyers.

C W Cobb, job printer, Elin Block, does first class work.
E W Acheson & Co are selling monuments at Portland prices.

Stewart & Sox sell the very best patent shears and scissors.

The finest line of pocket knives in the city at Stewart & Sox's.

Smoke the celebrated Havana filled 5 cent cigar at Julius Joseph's.

G. W. Cobb, successor to Paisley & Smiles, Elin Block, for your job printing of all kinds.

Dr. M. H. Ellis, physician and surgeon, Albany, Oregon. Calls made in city or country.

At the name indicates, Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer is a renewer of the hair, including its growth, health, youthful color and beauty. It will please you.

Samples of Delveta corsets with a brace at Mrs. Peterson's over French's jewelry store. Mrs. Talt sole agent for Linn county.

E W Acheson & Co handle the celebrated Portland cement walls for cemetery lots. These walls can be furnished at half the cost of any other and are far superior.

With his new bakery Conrad Meyer is able to offer old and new customers everything first-class in baked goods.

Bad Blood.

Impure or vitiated blood is the cause of many times out of ten caused by some form of constipation or indigestion that clogs up the system, when the blood naturally becomes impregnated with the elements of disease. The blood purifier attempts to reach this condition by purifying the blood with the drastic purgative "Cathartic." The potent theory is of olden times. Dr. J. C. Williams' "Cathartic" is a natural, it goes to the root of the trouble. It cures the blood, and thereby the system, and it is the only remedy that can be trusted to reach the condition of the blood and purify it. It is the only remedy that can be trusted to reach the condition of the blood and purify it.

Try it and you will be convinced of its value. It is a natural, it goes to the root of the trouble. It cures the blood, and thereby the system, and it is the only remedy that can be trusted to reach the condition of the blood and purify it.

Joy's Sarsaparilla
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Opposite St Charles Hotel

Bed clothing and lace curtains well attended to.
Starch work a specialty.
Branch office at Moses' barber shop.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT John E. Cyrus and W P Fitchford, partners doing business in Seio, Linn county, Oregon, under the firm name and style of Cyrus & Fitchford, 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. 2nd, 1892.

J H PEENEY, Assignee

ANNUAL MEETING.
NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Building Association will be held at the office of W C Tweedale, on Ferry Street, in Albany, on Monday, March 21st, 1892, at 7:30 p.m. for the election of directors, and such other business as may come before the meeting. Dated Feb 12th, 1892.

J. JOSEPH, Secretary.
W C TWEEDALE, President.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Odd Fellows Hall Building Association held at their office in Albany, Oregon, on Monday, the 14th day of March, 1892, at the hour of 7 o'clock p.m. of said day, for the purpose of electing seven directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may come before said meeting. This the 25th day of January, 1892.

E A PARKER, Secretary.
W C TWEEDALE, President.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of the stockholders of "The Willamette Real Estate Company," of Albany, Oregon, will be held on Thursday, March 30th, 1892, at the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the office of Geo W Wright, in Albany, Oregon, for the purpose of electing officers and directors of said company for the term of one year next ensuing from said meeting, and to transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. Dated February 23rd, 1892.

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CLEARANCE SALE!

A LARGE NUMBER OF REMNANTS have been left over in our various Departments, and we will close the same out at considerable less than cost. They consist of Dress Goods, Woolen Hosiery, in Infant Misses and Ladies, Embroideries, Velvets, Plushes, Satin Silks, Corsets, and Ladies and Children Underwear, Etc. These Goods are arranged on our Bargain Counters, and examination of the same will be of interest to buyers who have an eye to a good bargain.

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.

ON THE SECOND FLOOR we carry a complete line of Men's, Boy's and Children's clothing, Furnishing Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Etc., on which we have made the following reductions:

—MEN'S SUITS—
Worth, : \$ 6.50 for \$ 4.50
" 7.50 5.50
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" 10.00 8.00
" 12.50 9.50
" 15.00 11.00
" 20.00 15.00

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A SPECIAL OFFER
—OF A—
Boy's Wagon, Worth \$2

To be given away with each and every Boy's Suit, with short pants, which we sell before March 1st.

TAKE NOTICE that these offers are good only until March 1st, as we positively withdraw this proposition that date.

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The very latest news is that you can buy at JULIUS GRADWOHL'S BAZAAR, for net cash, goods as follows:

Arbuckle's Coffee, Per Pound..... 25c.
17 lbs. Granulated Sugar..... \$1.00
20 lbs. Extra C Sugar White..... 1.00
No. 1 Kerosene, per single gallon..... .25
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5 Gallons Good Pickles..... .90
20 lbs. No. Savon Soap..... .90

Wholesale price of sugar—100 lbs extra C, \$4.75; 100 lbs granulated, \$5.75.

I will conduct a strict cash store, and all goods will be sold for net cash from 25 per cent less than regular price. My stock of Chinaware, fancy goods, and all the desirable styles of dishes, as well as a general assortment of groceries, crockery, lamps and fixtures is complete. I make a specialty of this trade, coffee and baking powder, and always please my customers.

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