

WASHINGTON.
(From our regular correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, March 21, 1892.

Senator Hill returned from his southern trip yesterday, and whatever effect it may have had upon his presidential prospects, one cannot doubt after hearing his enthusiastic description of the hospitable reception he met with everywhere he went that it was one of the most enjoyable trips he ever made. The senator says that the sensational stories about his having attempted to dictate to the democratic members of the House Committee on elections how they should vote in the New York contested election case of Noyes vs. Rockwell, which has been reported in favor of Noyes, the republican contestant, are absurd. Personally he would like to see Mr. Rockwell keep the seat, but he has no doubt that the committee acted on the evidence produced before it in deciding against him, and he has no criticism to make. This knocks a big hole in one of the most sensational stories of the session.

The free wool bill will be laid aside in the House until after the free coinage bill is disposed of, which will be this week, according to the original resolution. There was considerable talk several days ago of an extension by agreement of the silver debate, but nothing came of it, because a majority seemed to think such an extension entirely unnecessary, as it is not probable that any amount of debate would result in the change of one single vote.

There is another slash between Secretary Noble and Commissioner of Pensions Raum, and a report is current that Mr. Noble informed Mr. Harrison that he must choose between his resignation and the removal of Raum, and that Mr. Harrison told the secretary that he would have asked for Raum's resignation long ago were it not for the congressional investigation now being made of the pension office, and requested him to be patient. The immediate cause for the secretary's anger was a recommendation made by Raum, which he found on his desk when he returned from Washington last week, for the appointment of his daughter to be his private secretary. Mr. Noble sometimes uses "cuss words," and it is said that he said of Raum when he read that recommendation almost identically what the late William M. Vanderbilt said upon a certain occasion of one of his sons-in-law, Col. Elliott F. Shepard. Commissioners Raum had a very humiliating time before the investigating committee, Saturday. He was compelled to acknowledge that Secretary Noble had turned down his attempt to make his daughter his private secretary, as well as that his son, the young man who made such a gorgeous failure as an office-broker, had been refused permission to practice before the Interior department, notwithstanding his personal appeal in his behalf to Mr. Harrison.

The river and harbor bill, which was reported to the House today, contains a number of new and important projects, among which are the Hudson river improvement, the ship channel connecting the great lakes, the improvement of Mobile harbor and of the Savannah river. It carries in round figures twenty and a half millions.

Gen. Nelson A. Miles, at present here, has added his quota to the usual war scare which is always produced when the appropriations for the Army and Navy are being considered by congress, by a newspaper interview in which he enlarges upon "our defenseless condition" and the danger of war.

Treasury officials—minor ones—for the first time acknowledge that the department finds it difficult to meet current payments, and others say that it does not meet them, but postpones them from day to day by every means in its power.

Secretary Foster returns to his department just in time to find a nice little family row on between Assistant Secretary Nettleton and the Immigration Commissioner, over the question of allowing pauper immigrants to land upon the guarantee of some society or association that they shall not become a public charge. Assistant Secretary Nettleton, while acting secretary, wrote the New York Superintendent of Immigration a very sharp letter asking why he had followed such a practice, to which that official replied by quoting from a letter from the Commissioner of Immigration authorizing him to do so. Then Mr. Nettleton wrote "another," stating that the commissioner had exceeded his authority, and that no one could grant such authority, except the secretary. The trouble with the Commissioner of Immigration is that he imagines himself an independent official instead of the subordinate of the treasury department. He has been in hot water ever since the office was created.

Mr. Harrison is reported to have attempted to read the riot act to the five republican senators who were absent without being paired when his protégé, Judge Woods of Indiana, just slipped through by a majority of one. Senator Stewart who was one of the absentees, is said to have remarked dryly: "Had we been present and voted the majority would have been the other way." Then Mr. Harrison was sorry he said anything.

Herrmann voted for free silver Thursday and Mitchell will do the same if the bill ever reaches the senate. Oh! these horrid democrats. The indignation of the Oregonians will know no bounds.

BAD FAITH.

It seems that the friends of Judge Boise were mistaken in concluding that they had carried the primaries for him in Marion county when they "downed" the Mintoring which was openly pledged to support delegates favorable to Burnett. It is now said that Burnett has all the delegates from Salem to the state convention and some from the country also. Verily appearances are deceitful when the ring has its "mailed" hand at work. It is said that Burnett is the candidate of the State Insurance Company and of the corporations generally. Republicans in Salem say he knew who his friends were when he recommended Joe Simon for U. S. circuit judge. They say he stands in body and soul with the Joe Simon Ring.

Our total exports for 1891 were \$993,424,452 and our total imports \$881,175,643. The difference, \$112,258,809, the American exporters invested in foreign mills and ships because they could not, on account of our exorbitant tariff, purchase anything abroad that could be brought back at a profit. They could not afford to bring gold, because it exchanges here for less than in Europe. Were it not for the high tariff, our foreign commerce would be far greater than it is and the price of our wheat and cotton higher. Our entire foreign commerce, last year—on which the president in his annual message dwells with so much satisfaction, reached the sum of \$1,729,000,000, or about \$27 per head of our population, while that of the United Kingdom was \$3,600,000,000, or \$100 per head of population.—Oregon City Courier.

A dispatch from Washington says: Silver advocates were badly demoralized by the weakness their cause betrayed by last evening's proceedings in the house. They have all along been confident of a majority of thirty or forty. Bland will at once appeal to the committee on rules to set apart a day and hour for further consideration of the silver bill, thus cutting off all intervening motions and forcing a vote. The anti-silver people will also appeal to the committee on rules for permission to offer motions—first, to substitute an international congress; second, to recommit; third, to postpone till December next; fourth, that a vote be taken first on the minority international monetary congress. The opponents of the bill claim this would be simply protecting the rights of the minority.

During the week just closed a large number of leading democrats from all parts of the county have been in the city and from them we learn that the prospects of a democratic victory at the coming June elections in this county are good and growing brighter every day. Energetic work of thorough, efficient organization is going on in nearly every part of the county. Let every democrat take hold and push the work. If all do so success is beyond question.

The Capital Journal says the democrats are divided on the silver question and that the republicans are united on Harrison. Let's see. The Journal favors free silver, the Statesman opposes it. The Mountaineer opposes and the Herald of this city favors. Mitchell and Hermann favors while Dolph and Harrison oppose. Well, well, well, what harmony.

Rev A. Lefroy, of La Grande, made our office a pleasant call Monday. Mr. Lefroy is a prominent candidate for school superintendent on the democratic ticket. He is a very popular man and an enthusiastic supporter of education and will no doubt receive the nomination. Two years ago he was the nominee for state school superintendent on the democratic ticket.—Scout.

The democrats of North Dakota held their state convention Thursday and elected delegates to the Chicago convention favorable to the nomination of Cleveland. The republicans of South Dakota on the same day elected delegates favorable to Harrison.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST.—Last week at the Book social at the opera house or on the street a ladies pocket book with some silver. Finder please leave at this office.

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

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, on 7th street, between Broadbald and Ferry street. Miss WHITEHEAD.

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

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C. W. Cobb, job printer, Flinn 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.

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Samples of Delmar's toilet soaps and brushes at Mrs. Peterson's over French's jewelry store. Mrs. Tait sole agent for Linn county.

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

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J. V. S. is the only Farmerville that old or feeble people should take, as one mineral potash which is in every other Farmerville that is known of, is under certain conditions known to be emulating. 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 810 Mason St. S. E. 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.

If you are old or feeble and want to be built up, Ask for

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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 28th, 1892.
GEO. W. WRIGHT, Secretary.
A. HACKLEMAN, President.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Building and Loan Association of Albany, Oregon, held at their office in the office of the Bank of Oregon, on Tuesday, the 19th day of April, 1892, at 7 o'clock p. m. of said day, for the purpose of increasing the capital stock of said association from \$200,000 to \$300,000, and to increase the number of shares from 1000 to 1500.

Dated at Albany, Oregon, March 18, 1892
J. H. 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 Seilo, 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. 3rd, 1892.
J. H. PERRY, Assignee.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT sealed bids will be received at the office of the United States Banking Co. in Junction City, Oregon, until Saturday, March 26th, 1892, for the erection of a bank building in said city. Plans and specifications can be seen at the bank office or be forwarded to contractors on application. The right reserved to reject any or all bids.

UNITED STATES BANKING CO., Junction City, Or.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Mining & Milling Co. will be held on Monday, April 25th, 1892, at the hour of 4.30 p. m. of said day, at the office of the secretary in Albany, Or., for the purpose of electing seven directors, to serve for the term of one year next ensuing from said meeting, and until their successors are elected, and to transact such other business as may come before the company. Done by order of the company this 24th day of March, 1892.

J. V. PIPE, Secretary.
J. L. COWAN, President.

E. J. O'CONNOR.

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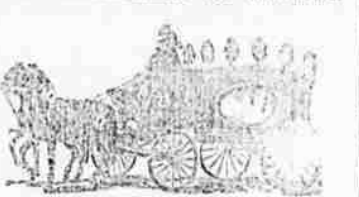
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In addition to the above we will have a general clearance sale of all other lines in stock, and we will give 10 per cent discount on all cash sales, on our entire stock of Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Corsets, Ladies and Children Shoes, Hosiery, Woolen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

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