

The *Mountaineer* is a true-blue robber-tariff organ. When the question comes up of taxing the many for the benefit of the few, it can always be relied upon to take sides with the few against the many, to stand up and boldly do battle for the robber-tariff barons against the great mass of consumers who are compelled, *volens volens*, to eat and wear taxed food and clothing. The injured-innocence attitude of opposition to the Springer free-wool bill which it assumes, is grotesque and novel. With heart and soul it endorsed the McKinley bill which puts a duty on wool of 41 per cent and on woollens of 91 per cent. As McKinley said, the difference between the duty on wool and woollens was to compensate the manufacturer for the difference in foreign and home wages. So says the *Mountaineer*. But the fact that consumers who constitute the great mass of the people of the country had been completely ignored by McKinley, is entirely overlooked by our cotemporary. By their endorsement of the high tariff law of McKinley, republicans are committed to the position that the duty on woollens should be 50 per cent more than on wool. But as before remarked the placing of the duty on woollens at 91 and on wool at 41 per cent was a complete ignoring of the rights and interests of nine-tenths of all the people of the country—we mean the consumers. Now, Springer proposes to provide for the interests and rights of the consumers by placing wool on the free list and reducing the duty on woollens to 35 per cent. The republicans gave the manufacturers 50 per cent more than the wool growers and the democrats propose to give them only 35 per cent. In the face of this fact and with the evident design and purpose to conceal it from its readers, it tries "to pull the wool" over their eyes by saying: "We are glad to see the democratic press falling into line in favor of New England corporations" (manufacturers.) Indeed, who is the friend of these corporations, the republicans who gave them 91 per cent protection, or the democrats who propose to give them 35 per cent. Why does the *Mountaineer* studiously conceal this fact from its readers when it says that the democrats propose to put wool on the free list and retain the duty on woollens. But the *Mountaineer* is not alone in this. The *Oregonian* and other monopolistic organs uniformly so word their statements that the impression is made upon the mind of their readers that the Springer bill makes no reduction on manufactured woollens. But these organs and defenders of the war tariff have been driven from post to pillar on the tariff question until they have not left a foot of ground upon which to stand and they are compelled to resort to aspersion, demagoguery and misrepresentation.

Since the sugar trust a few days ago, quired control of all the refineries in the country, steps have been taken to arrest the threatened monopoly. Efforts are being made to build an independent refinery on the Delaware river, near the Speckles refinery, but the projectors had not met with much success. They, therefore, have sought relief in the preparation of a bill for a repeal of the duty of 1 1/2 cent per pound on the refined grades of sugars, which, they claim, serves only the purpose of allowing the trust to control absolutely the entire refining trade of the country. A draft of the bill, it is understood, has already been prepared by Samuel Gustine Thompson, a friend of ex-President Cleveland, and this has given rise to the impression that the bill is favored by Cleveland, with the idea of forcing the republican party into the attitude of defending a monopoly if they resist the passage of the bill. Since the combination acquired control of the business, the price of refined sugar has advanced 1 1/2 cent per pound. Raw sugar has declined, from the fact there is but one buyer—the trust.

Just at this time, when the free-wool bill is pending in the house, and when the republicans are pretending that the McKinley bill was a great blessing to the sheep owners, and that free wool would ruin them, it is an opportune time to recall the fact that last summer Mr. Dolan, president of the Manufacturer's Club of Philadelphia, and the personal and political friend of Mr. Wauamaker, said this in a letter published in the New York World: "It is an interesting fact, deserving much emphasis of statement, that the prices of wool are lower now than they were one year ago. This decline was distinctly promised by protectionists during the discussion which accompanied the framing of the McKinley tariff." So, according to this eminent republican authority the wool schedule of the McKinley bill was arranged for the purpose of reducing the price of wool, a result which has undoubtedly been accomplished. This is worth the attention of the sheep owners.

The democracy that will assemble at Chicago next June will nominate a democratic ticket, and a united party will triumphantly elect that ticket. The ticket will not be a Cleveland ticket, nor a Hill ticket, nor a Gorman ticket, nor a Boies ticket, nor a Palmer ticket, but it will be a democratic ticket, without any adjectives.

But there will be adjectives, and if our cotemporary wishes to know what they will be, we will name them.

DRESS TRIMMINGS.—The latest novelties in dress trimmings can always be found at SAMUEL E. YOUNG'S.

AS TO TRUSTS.

Some time ago there appeared a carefully prepared article in the New York *Tribune* in which a defense is made of corporations generally against the charge of being trusts. These corporations are said to be necessary to the development of the great possibilities of our country as regards commerce and manufacturing, and that these great concentrations of capital are not trusts and winds up by saying that the National Cordage Company that is engaged in the manufacture of rope and twine is not a trust at all. This article has been republished in many republican papers all over the country. Read between the lines it is apparent that the article was inspired by republican leaders with a two-fold purpose in view. One of these purposes is a hint and reminder to all the great corporations of the country, that the republican party is, and for a long time has been, the friend and defender of corporations, and that soon a presidential contest will be on hand and that these corporations will be expected to show their gratitude by liberal contributions of money and other means to elect a republican president. The other object that inspired the writing and publication of this article is to prepare the mind of the republican farmers of the northwest for the defeat which the republicans in the senate have determined to compass of the bill now pending in the lower house to place binding twine on the free list. That the Cordage Company is a trust, and on several occasions has increased the price of twine simply because it had control of the whole twine business of the country, is well-known among all farmers who use twine. The democrats have determined to exercise all the power they have in congress to break up this trust by putting twine on the free list and protection leaders in congress, as is their wont, have determined to defeat that effort, as they are abundantly able to do having control of the senate and the presidency. We trust every farmer in the country, whether he be republican, third party or democrat, will watch closely the progress of the battle for cheap twine.

Canon, Joseph G. who said some bad words in the House a couple of years ago and was defeated by Col. Bussey, expects to come back to congress. He is to have no opposition for re-nomination, and he thinks the district will return to the republican side of the line. The district was always republican till Col. Bussey carried it in the tidal wave of 1890.

The legislature of Ohio has districted that state for congressional purposes giving the democrats six and the republicans fifteen members. Consistency on the part of Harrison now requires that he should send a message to congress heaping denunciations on this scheme to cheat the democrats out of four or five congressmen. But the crime is committed in the interest of the republicans and Harrison will remain mute.

Spring Millinery.

I have my full stock of spring millinery and all the latest styles and cordially invite customers and friends. Ida M. Bussey, Blumberg Block, Albany, Or.

A It is a big privilege to be able to get what you want when you go to a grocery store. Allen E. Brothers keep such a variety of goods that they can always accommodate their customers. This is a saving running around. If it is fruit season they have the goods. If in produce their stands are full of the latest and best. Their stock of standard groceries is always large, of the best to be secured in the market.

LADIES OXFORD.—I now have a complete line ranging in price from \$1.25 to \$4.50 a pair. Good value and every pair warranted. SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

Pride of Albany syrup can't be beat. Try it. C. E. BROWN.

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WANTED.—A girl to do general housework. Call at store of Conn & Hendrickson.

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

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 Broadalbin and Ferry street. Miss WHITEHEAD.

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CIVIL ENGINEER
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TREASURER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, County Treasurer, has money in his hands for the payment of all outstanding county warrants bearing interest and that interest on the same ceases with this date.
March 30th, 1892.

W. E. CUHL,
County Treasurer.

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

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

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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.
Go to J. W. Cobb, successor to Paisley & Smiley, Flinn Block, for your printing of all kinds.

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Nervous debility, Mrs. Fred. Loy, 327 Ellis St., S. F.
General debility, Mrs. Belden, 510 Mason St., S. F.
Nervous debility, Mrs. J. Lamphere, 735 Turk St., S. F.
Nervous debility, Miss R. Rosenblum, 222 17th St., S. F.
Stomach troubles, Mrs. R. L. Wheaton, 704 Post St., S. F.
Sick headaches, Mrs. M. B. Price, 16 Prospect Place, S. F.
Sick headaches, Mrs. M. Fowler, 327 Ellis St., S. F.
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STOCKHOLDER'S 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 qualified, 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.

STOCKHOLDER'S 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
C. H. STEWART,
President.
J. W. BLAIN,
Secretary.

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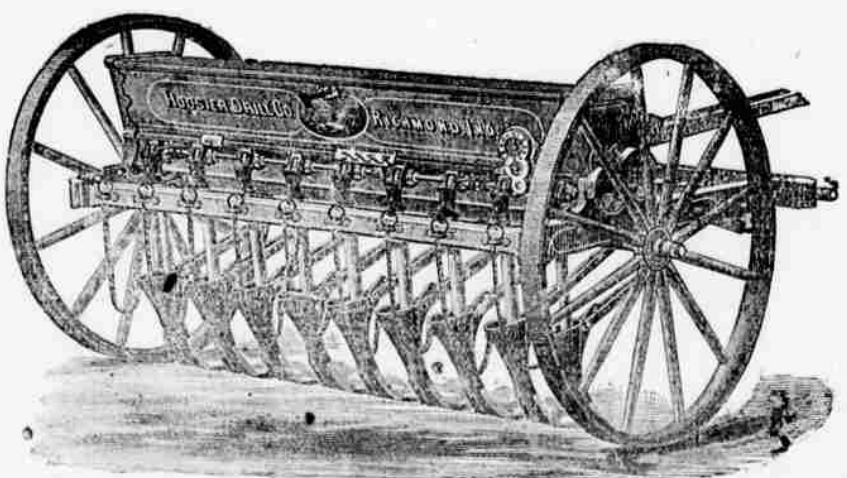
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In addition to the above we will have a general clearance sale of all other lines in stock, and we will give 10 per cent discount on all cash sales, on our entire stock of Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Corsets, Ladies and Children Shoes, Hosiery, Woollen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

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

—MEN'S SUITS—		—YOUTH'S SUITS—	
Worth, :	\$ 6.50 for \$ 4.50	Worth, :	\$ 5.00 for \$ 3.25
"	7.50	"	6.00
"	9.00	"	7.50
"	10.00	"	10.00
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"	20.00	"	10.00

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

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I will conduct a strict cash store, and all goods will be sold for net cash from 10 to 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, lamp and fixtures is complete. I make a specialty of fine tea, coffee and baking powder, and always please my customers.

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