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Every building now put up in every city is comprised in large part of structural iron and steel.

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And with all this nobody will be hurt. The few great firms that manufacture structural steel will still be fully protected.

All this applies with equal force to structural steel used in railway and other bridges.

It is to be hoped that the democratic congress will pass an income tax law.

If Speaker Crisp is to be re-elected he should be required to give assurance that he will appoint a ways and means committee that will frame a tariff bill on the lines laid down in the tariff plank of the national platform.

At the time Shakespeare wrote his plays there were not in all the world as many English-speaking people as there are now in New York and New Jersey.

Cotton growing is contrasted with fruit growing in Georgia by the Southern Cultivator, in showing that of Moreland, in that State, 25,000 acres of cotton produced a value this year of \$97,500, while 675 acres of fruits, mostly peaches and grapes, yielded \$170,750.

The Kansas Republican county clerk who trifled to the election of a member of his own party to the Legislature when a Populist had 36 majority has fled before the wrath of the angry farmers.

Concurrently with President Harrison's glorious war over reductions in wages as the result of knocking the monopoly party out, we the news of a 7 per cent. advance in wages in nearly all the mills in Rhode Island.

THE BEST PLACE.—Would you buy your Holiday goods from the finest stock in the city, then call on Blackman & Edges. They have a large and select stock of Follet Cases, Albums, Pictures, Perfumery, etc., etc.

MOVING OUTFIT.—The undersigned is prepared to do all kinds of house raising, house moving promptly and in first-class order.

ON THE HOLIDAYS.—Miss Mattie E. Stein will take orders in painting for holidays at her studio, at the residence of Rev. G. W. Hill on 5th street.

AN INVITATION

wedding is hailed with delight, so an invitation to a money is listened to with attention, and if needed should guide you to the town of C. E. Brownell.

LEAD, OTHERS FOLLOW.—New prints are less, Navels and Japanese goods. Ask about City Directory. He's come to town, at Bookley's B. B.

IN THAT REGARD.—To be the best in the land and stand for low prices and quality and largest stock to select from, cannot be equalled in Albany.

HAVE PLACE

Set it down that a democrat that wants tariff reform postponed is not a true democrat. He may vote for its candidates, but he is treacherous to the party's principles and hostile to its spirit.

The party did not single Grover Cleveland its candidate and declare republican protection to be a fraud with a purpose to delude and betray the people.

It did not adopt tariff reform as a cry merely to enable it to get possession of the offices. It adopted it as a principle and a faith and pledged itself, if intrusted with power, to re-construct the tariff so as to relieve the people of unnecessary taxation.

The party can not delay entering vigorously upon that work without exciting disgust and contempt. The people whom we have educated to renounce the policy of republican protection and to depose its just claims cannot be fooled. They demand action. And so do democrats who are demagogue in very truth.

Nothing else is honorable. Nothing less is possible if the party would not be unfaithful. We must show that we have the courage of our principles. We must respect our pledges. We must act boldly and bravely. Treachery and delusion will be fatal.

Pluck in defiance has won us a great opportunity. Pluck in using the opportunity will win the admiration and the full confidence of the nation.

History shows no more contemptible political trick than in the treatment of deserving old soldiers by the Republican party. The frauds and humbug, under cover of a corrupt pension system, have made almost impossible a liberal treatment of those really entitled to a bounty from the government.

Tom Carter and Mike De Young must be spoiling for a fight, for they are actually quarrelling over the office of Chairman of the Republican National Committee.

LATEST NEWS

Stella Claus Makes an Important Pronouncement

JULIUS GRADWOHL informs us that he will sell all of his Dolls at cost. Instead of glass ware he will give dolls and books as prizes with his tea and baking powder during the holidays.

KID GLOVES from \$1 a pair up. I carry a full line of leading brands in black and colored. Will receive novelties for the holidays.

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A Complete Cure by HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA.

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Fourteen years ago I had an attack of the liver, and have since been troubled with my

Liver and Kidneys

gradually growing worse. Three years ago I got down so low that I could scarcely walk.

I looked more like a corpse than a living being. I had no appetite and for five weeks I ate nothing but gruel. I was badly emaciated and had no more color than a marble statue.

Hood's Sarsaparilla was recommended and I thought I would try it. Before I had finished the first bottle I noticed that I felt better, suffered less, the inflammation of the bladder had subsided, the color began to return to my face, and I began to feel hungry.

I had taken three bottles I could eat anything without hurting me. Why, I got so hungry that I had to eat 5 times a day. I have now fully recovered, thanks to

Hood's Sarsaparilla

I feel well and am well. All who know me marvel to see me so well. D. M. JORDAN.

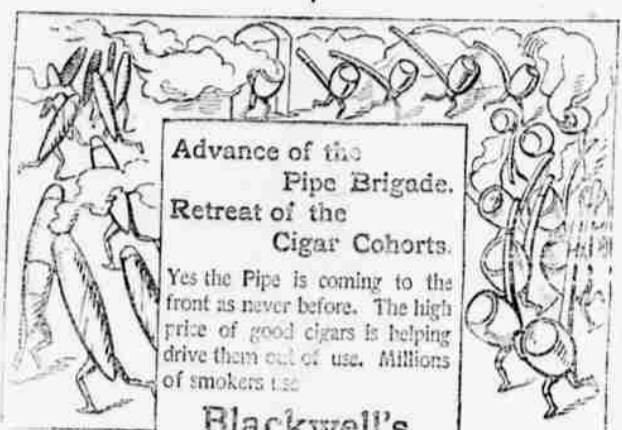
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FOR SALE CHEAP.—A new and well built house, 4 rooms, 2 1/2 baths, with all modern conveniences. Call on Dr. W. H. Amos.

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MISS ANNIE STRASBURG during the coming season, will teach classes in oil painting at her rooms in the Mellin Block. Instructions given on Tuesdays and Thursdays to general classes, and on Saturdays to school children. Orders taken for the holidays. Call and see work and obtain particulars.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual stockholders meeting of the Farmers & Merchants Insurance Company, of Albany, Oregon, will be held at the company's office in the city of Albany, Oregon, on Wednesday Jan 31st, 1893, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for the purpose of electing nine directors of said company to serve one year, and to transact such other business as may regularly come before said meeting. By order of the President, Dated Nov 24th, 1892.

J. W. WRITSMAN, Secretary and Manager.

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