

WORLD'S FAIR BILL VETOED.

The governor sent in the following veto to the senate Wednesday:

"I herewith return senate bill No. 21 with my dissent. This bill proposes to take \$30,000 collected from the people through the taxing power of the state, and place it in the hands of a commission to be expended in making a show at Chicago. The legislature has the undeniable right to levy taxes for the general benefit, but a well defined line of limit is clearly established between those benefits that are practical and those that are merely speculative. It is unquestioned that the legislature can authorize expenditures for works of utility, necessary for the general welfare, but it is more than questionable if it has the right to levy taxes upon the people for intangible and uncertain benefits, such as are supposed to accrue from advertising their products either in Chicago, Japan, or elsewhere. To tax some people for the benefit of others or to tax the people for any other purpose than for the frugal administration of government in the full exercise of its undoubted prerogative may not be specifically inhibited by any constitutional provision, but it is so repugnant to right as to be equally condemnatory, for the precepts of justice should be as binding upon the conscience of the legislator as are the restrictions of the constitution. Let it be conceded that the legislature can exercise the power of levying taxes at its own will and for any purpose, and the taxpayer will become at once the prey of the schemer, and corruption and extravagance, through duly enacted statutes, clothed with all the forms and sanctity of law, will hold high carnival over the spoliation of the citizen. A departure from the one safe rule that the taxation of the people by the government should be strictly limited to its honest administration in the exercise of necessary governmental functions would open wide the door for public speculation at the expense of private thrift, and, if once sanctioned, our state government would soon become what the federal government for more than a quarter of a century has been—a most effective instrumentality for the robbery of the taxpayer for the benefit of the boodler. I veto the bill."

ONE PHASE OF THE CONTEST

That the republican party is an organization wholly devoid of political principle, held together, as has often been tersely said, "by the cohesive power of public plunder," and held together very badly by that even, is patent to the most casual observer of public events in this state. In the disgraceful scramble for the highest position in the gift of the state now going on at Olympia, the leaders of the two factions have apparently lost, if they ever had any, all sense of personal decency in their relations with one another. If an intelligent foreigner, an Englishman for instance, could be set down in Olympia today and be told that the republican beer garden there was an organization of citizens for the purpose of carrying out certain political ideas in the commonwealth, he would certainly receive the statement with incredulity and surprise.

Nor is this all. If half the republican press says is true, there is not a prominent man in that party worthy the political support of any reputable community. Senator Allen figures as all that is bad in public life. If one might believe the reports of his enemies in his own party, Judge Turner fares no better; Governor McGraw figures as a meddling busybody who has pushed his operations to the verge of legal liability while poor Representative Ladden is pilloried with unlimited abuse for having changed his vote to Allen, after several weeks of futile effort to elect Turner.

The Chronicle is charitable enough not to believe all that the republicans say of one another. At the same time it rather discredits the veracity and reliability of their organs to find what was white before the election made so very black after it. Their party newspapers have done much to discredit the character of the republican organization in the eyes of all right thinking people in this state during the past few weeks. In this regard their missionary work, though lacking in dignity and honesty, may yet make for the ultimate advantage of the state.—Spokane Chronicle.

STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Building and Loan Association will be held on Friday, February 17th, 1893, at the hour of 7:30 p.m. at the Bank of Oregon, in Albany, Oregon, for the purpose of electing nine directors and three auditors, to serve for the term of one year ending 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 said association this 17th day of January, 1893.

JAY W. BLAIN, Secretary.
CHSTEVART, President.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned have been appointed executors of the last will and testament of Joseph H. Barry, deceased, late of this county, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same with proper vouchers to the undersigned executors at Robert H. Barry, claim agent, within six months from this date.

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SALIENT POINTS.

The following are some of the salient points of an article on the tariff question by David A. Wells and published in the February Forum. The low tariff period is the golden age of our national history, when foreign commerce and American standing increased as never before, and when domestic manufacturers did not perish as predicted, but made steady and genuine progress. In 1861 when tariff duties were largely increased such action hinged almost entirely upon the demand for more revenues with which to prosecute the war—not upon protection. Another more striking illustration is to be found in the fact that although the United States and Canada have united in building up a double tariff wall, one on one side of the border and the other on the other side, which all trade between the two countries has to climb over, yet more than one half of the trade of Canada is carried on with the United States. An illustration of the absurdity of tariff legislation which frequently obtains, may be found in the fact that the United States imposes a duty of 15 cents a pound upon imported hops to protect American hop growers against the cheap hops of Canada, while Canada imposes a duty of 5 cents a pound upon imported hops to protect Canadian hop growers against the cheap hop product of America. If the hop growers of the United States need protection against the hop growers of Canada, then certainly, the hop growers of Canada do not need protection against the hop growers of the United States.

A Washington dispatch says: There is no longer any hope among the republican employees of the senate, telegraphs a Washington special, that they will be able to hold their places.

The election of the populist-democrats in Kansas and Nebraska removes all doubt about the ability of the democrats to reorganize as a body.

Now, of the holdover and newly elected democrats in the next senate, there are 43 members; there are five populists, all of whom will undoubtedly vote with the democrats on reorganization.

The republicans will have 43 votes if the minority in Montana prefer, rather than W. A. Clark as a democrat, to allow the governor to appoint Colonel Sanders.

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N. J. HENTON, Recorder of the city of Albany, Albany, Oregon, February 4th, 1893.



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ANNUAL MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Building Association will be held at the store of J. J. Grubbs, in Albany on Monday, March 20th, 1893, at 7:30 p.m. for the election of directors, and such other business as may come before the meeting. Dated Feb 6th, 1893.

F. P. NUTTING, Secretary.
W. C. TWEEDALE, President.

STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Old Fellows Hall Building Association, held in their office in Albany, Oregon, on Monday, the 6th day of March, 1893, 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 to transact any other business that may come before said meeting. Dated this 6th day of February 1893.

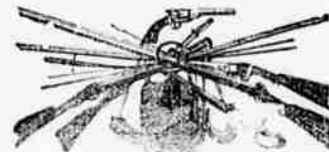
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