

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our regular correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29, 1893.

A specimen of disgruntled republican statesmanship is now being given the country by the administration in the manner in which it is dallying with the critical financial situation. Instead of taking some decided step towards relief Mr Harrison and Secretary Foster are simply doing nothing, being perfectly satisfied if they can stave off the crisis until they have turned the government over to the democrats, thinking thus to escape responsibility for any trouble that may then come. This is worse than cowardly; it is criminal. The people of this country are not idiots; they will know where to place the responsibility should the inaction of this administration result in anything like a financial panic, which heaven forbid.

President-elect Cleveland has now announced all of the members of his cabinet. He has not pleased all of the democrats in congress—no president ever did, or ever will please all of his party in making up a cabinet—but if the dissatisfaction is any greater than it has been in the dominant party when every cabinet for twenty years past has been announced your correspondent has failed to locate it at all. It must be remembered in considering this matter that Mr Cleveland has introduced something entirely new in politics by announcing the members of his cabinet as fast as they are determined upon, thus giving the opposition a chance to appear much greater than it really is, by reason of its being presented to the public in sections, as it were. The objection to Judge Gresham, which at first appeared to be very formidable, is growing less and less, now that its authors have taken time to think of the justice of giving the many thousand independent votes that were cast for Mr Cleveland representation in the cabinet. There is no opposition to Carlisle as secretary of the treasury; Bissell as postmaster-general; Morton as secretary of agriculture, or Lamont as secretary of war, and the little opposition that has been expressed to Hoke Smith for secretary of the interior has mostly come from western men who think a Georgian for that position. And not a single word has been uttered by anybody against the fitness of the gentlemen named for these positions, and after all is not that the principal object aimed at by every president in selecting a cabinet.

Vice-President elect Stevenson will be in Washington this week to remain until after the inauguration.

One man paid \$500 for one hundred seats facing the reviewing stand from which Mr Cleveland will review the inaugural parade, which promises to be the largest ever seen. The treaty annexing Hawaii, sent to the senate last week, has been favorably reported. It is probable, but not certain that it will be ratified at this session. The uncertainty arises from the belief of some of the senators on both sides that it should be left for the next session.

Not a single vote was cast against the confirmation of the nomination of Judge Jackson to the supreme court. It is understood that democratic senators were assured the vacancy made by his promotion would not be filled by Mr Harrison.

Senator Voorhees is strongly in favor of the amendment to the sundry civil appropriation bill, authorizing the secretary of the treasury to issue 3 per cent five year bonds, up to \$50,000,000, whenever in his judgment it may be desirable to do so, for the purpose of adding to the gold reserve. He thinks that the authority will never need to be exercised, because the mere fact that it exists will give stability and inspire confidence throughout the world in our finances. The senator says there is no connection between this amendment and the silver question, notwithstanding the efforts made by some to make it thus appear. The amendment, already adopted by the senate, will, it is believed, get through the house unless the opposition shall conclude to talk it to death.

There will be no pension reform at this session. The only result of the pension discussion was some bad language and an attempt to exchange blows by two members on the floor of the house.

A republican member of the legislature of Nebraska introduced a resolution in that body the other day declaring that J Sterling Morton was well equipped for the position of Secretary of Agriculture in Cleveland's Cabinet and thanking the president-elect on behalf of the state for making the appointment. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

President Harrison has written a pleasing letter to president-elect Cleveland inviting him to dine with him before inauguration and Mr Cleveland will accept. It will be remembered that Cleveland sent a similar invitation to Harrison four years ago.

The house of fate has entered up a decree that McKinley should be driven to the wall financially in endeavoring to force a tin manufacturer engaged in an effort to establish and maintain the governor's political faith.

Carl Hays is to write the authorized biography of J G Blaine. Mr Hays has been quoted by his papers, letters and various historical and biographical memoranda.

The poet laureate is, strictly speaking, an officer of the household of the British sovereign. The name seems to have originated in a custom of the English universities of representing a laurel wreath to graduates in rhetoric and prosody. The Kings' laureate was one of these rhetoricians installed in the service of the king. The last man who received one of these degrees graduated in 1512 and the earliest mention of a poet laureate of the King was in the reign of Edward IV, when the appointment bearing this name was given to one John Key. The first patent of the office was granted in 1630. After some years a salary was affixed to it, which was 100 lb per annum and a tierce of canary wine. Early in the present century, when Southey held the office, this allowance of wine was commuted into a payment of £27. It was at first the duty of the poet laureate to write an ode on each birthday of the sovereign, and celebrate in verse every victory of the national army, but this custom was given up during the reign of George III. At the present time the title is rather honorary than otherwise, and the poet laureate writes only so much or as little as his muse may prompt him, in the service of the reigning sovereign.

Certain democrats in the New York legislature are attempting to amend a large number of charters of cities in that state so as to enable democrats to control their municipal governments. Gov. Flower has given notice that he will veto all such legislation. Good for the governor.

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Will be given away for any case of Rheumatism which cannot be cured by Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedy. The proprietors do not hide this offer, but print it in bold type on all their circulars, wrappers, printed matter, and through the columns of newspapers everywhere. It will work wonders—one bottle curing any ordinary case. If the druggist has not got it, he will order it, or it will be sent to any address by express on receipt of price, together with special instructions. Drummond Medicine Co., 48-50 Maiden Lane, New York. Agents wanted.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the legal voters of School District No. 5 Linn county, Oregon, that the regular annual school meeting of said school district will be held on the first Monday, being the 6th day of March, 1893, at the hour of 7 o'clock p.m. at said day, at the court house in the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon in said district, for the purpose of hearing the reports of the directors and clerk of said district, and to levy a tax for the support of the schools for the ensuing year. Also for the purpose of levying a tax for the purpose of paying interest on the bonds of said school district and paying the third and last installment of the principal of said school bonds due and payable on June 15th, 1893 and for the transaction of any other business that may come before said meeting.

Dated this 21st day of February, A.D. 1893.
JOHN FORBAY, District Clerk.
Chairman Board of Directors.

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HARRISBURG.—Oliver Hyde has purchased the hardware stock of M Svarverud & Co. and rented the store formerly occupied by them, in Mrs. Mendenhall's building.

Fred Brandenburg, one of Harrisburg boys, accompanied by his bride, took dinner with his father, George W Brandenburg, on Sunday. The bride was formerly Miss Della Sutton, of Oakland. The newly married couple will make their home in Portland.

The Messenger is to make regular trips between here and Corvallis until the what is all moved. She transfers her cargo larger boats at Corvallis.—Courier.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Building Association will be held at the store of J Gradwohl, 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.
W C TWEEDALE, President.
F P NUTTING, Sec'y.

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Please deliver me ——— copies of your Linn county map for which ——— agree to pay fifty cents per copy on delivery of maps.

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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.
W C TWEEDALE, President.

E A Parker, Secretary.

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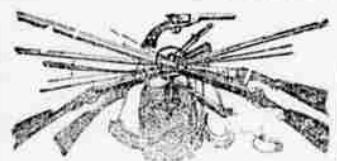
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Notice to Tax-Payers.

NOTICE is hereby given that I or my deputy will meet the tax-payers of Linn county, Oregon, at 9 o'clock a.m. and remain until 4 o'clock p.m. at their respective places of voting in the several precincts, at the following times and places, for the purpose of collecting the taxes for the year 1892:

Shelburn, Monday, February 27, 1893.
Rock Creek, Tuesday, February 28, 1893.
Fox Valley, Wednesday, March 1, 1893.
Jordan, Thursday, March 2, 1893.
Scio, Friday, March 3, 1893.
Franklin Butte, Saturday, March 4, 1893.
North Lebanon, Monday, March 6, 1893.
Santiam, Monday, March 6, 1893.
South Lebanon, Tuesday, March 7, 1893.
Waterloo, Tuesday, March 7, 1893.
Sodaville, Wednesday, March 8, 1893.
Sweet Home, Thursday, March 9, 1893.
Crawfordsville, Friday, March 10, 1893.
N Brownsville, Saturday, March 11, 1893.
S Brownsville, Saturday, March 11, 1893.
Center, Monday, March 13, 1893.
Price, Monday, March 13, 1893.
N Harrisburg, Tuesday, March 14, 1893.
S Harrisburg, Tuesday, March 14, 1893.
Halsey, Wednesday, March 15, 1893.
Shedd, Thursday, March 16, 1893.
Tangent, Friday, March 17, 1893.
Orleans, Saturday, March 18, 1893.
Syracuse, Saturday, March 18, 1893.
West Albany, Monday, March 20, 1893.
Center Albany, Monday, March 20, 1893.
Albany, Tuesday, March 21, 1893.
East Albany, Tuesday, March 21, 1893.
Pay your taxes promptly and by so doing you will have no delinquent costs to pay.
C G JACKSON,
Sheriff and Tax Collector.
Dated February 10th, 1893.

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