

A REPUBLICAN ON PENSIONERS.

We have repeatedly asserted that the demand for pension reform is not a partisan one, that republican statesmen and papers not governed by petty partisan motives are urging a reduction of pension expenditures by a revision of the laws and an investigation of the pension list, and that old soldiers of all ranks are insisting that the pension roll be purged of the names improperly placed upon it.

The Cincinnati Times-Star, whose republican orthodoxy cannot be questioned, is outspoken for thorough pension reform and for this has been made the target of attack by some publicized republicans who, it says, "fail to discriminate between assaults on pension abuses and antagonism to the pension system," although it "may be truly said that the enemies of pension frauds are the special friends and strongest allies of deserving pensioners." Our Cincinnati republican contemporary is not to be turned aside by such attacks but presses on with increased vigor. In reply to one of its assailants it says that "in the presence of the gigantic pension burden resting upon the nation the only safe plan of doing justice to the deserving soldier is to deal out justice to the undeserving."

that abuses must be stopped and the frauds cut off. "If," says this republican organ, "25 per cent of the \$60,000,000 paid to pensioners a dozen years ago went to a multitude of people who made false oaths to get it, as Pension Commissioner Dudley publicly said at that time, under the more liberal and more lax laws subsequently passed how much of the \$105,000,000 may we presume now goes into the pockets of men and women who got their names on the rolls by dishonest and criminal methods? Is it less than one-third? Is nothing to be done to make an end to this colossal imposition, which not only places heroes on the same plane with skulkers and robs the public of untold millions of dollars, but tends in every community to gloss over turpitude and crime, to render swindling somewhat respectable if done in the name of patriotism and the government is the victim, and to demoralize a large element of society beyond reparation by all the religious influences that the churches can exert? is not an exaggerated statement of present conditions. In every city, town, village and rural district the common knowledge that men and women of good social standing have without the slightest apparent compunction sworn to lies and practiced other forms of rascality to secure pensions is today operating upon a considerable class like a moral leprosy."

This is plain language. Had it been uttered by a democratic journal there would have been a yell of "rebel democrat" and "democratic hater of the union soldier" from the republican papers whose chief stock in trade is made up of appeals to passion and prejudice instead of reason and judgment. It is, however, the language of a staunch republican newspaper, better entitled than any other in Ohio to speak for the intelligent element of the party.

Newspaper ridicule of Mr. Hoke Smith, the young democratic statesman of Georgia, because of the peculiarity of his Christian name, is coarse and offensive. Our Atlanta friend has the advantage of a Christian name to distinguish him from the vast army bearing his surname. He has the honor of the family name of his mother, who was the daughter of a jurist of high reputation in North Carolina, Nancy Hanks was the name of President Lincoln's mother before she was married, and the simple-minded son, in all the glory of his greatness, never forgot his mother's name.

The death of General Beauregard leaves but one of the seven full generals of the Southern army living and none of the five men on whom that rank was conferred at the beginning of the war. These five men were Cooper, Lee, Joseph E. Johnston, Albert Sydney Johnston and Beauregard. Bagg and Kirby Smith were afterwards made full generals. Kirby Smith alone survives.

The Washington Post says that Logan Carlisle, son of ex-Senator Carlisle, will be chief clerk of the treasury under his father's administration of the department and will be his father's right hand man in the treasury. Logan Carlisle is thirty years old, has a wide acquaintance with public men and an intimate knowledge of his father's affairs.

A new English work entitled "The Correct Thing" maintains that it is correct for children to remember that, though they may be much better born than their parents, still these inevitable persons are their fellow-creatures. There are many children to whom this will be news.

It will be just as well to let in the rest of the territories now and have done with it. None of them will be as much of a rotten borough as Nevada that was let in solely for the use of the republican party and of two or three millionaire mine bosses.

The Vice-President and Mrs. Morton have issued invitations to a reception to be given in honor of the Vice-President-elect and Mrs. Stevenson Wednesday evening, March 1.

R. M. STONE, Architect and Contractor. Leave orders with Hulbert Bros., Real Estate agents.

TO RESTRICT ELOPING.

Word comes from Milwaukee that the Wisconsin legislature will very probably put in effect, some time during the spring, a law demanding that couples must have resided in that state at least thirty days before they may be married. The invidious intent of this measure will not be lost on Chicago young couples contemplating elopement. To run up to Milwaukee at breakfast time as bachelor and maid and come back to Chicago for supper as man and wife is one thing—easy and expeditious. But to go thither at the beginning of one month and wait listlessly till the beginning of the next is quite another. There is too much of the leisure which brings repentance. And it is expensive. And it invites pursuit and capture.

On the whole, looking at the thing from the view point of the elopers, the measure is a good thing. Rush and hasty marriages are generally unwise—as those who contract them find out soon enough. And at present Milwaukee is a temptation to enter upon the thorny ways of matrimony without pausing to think.

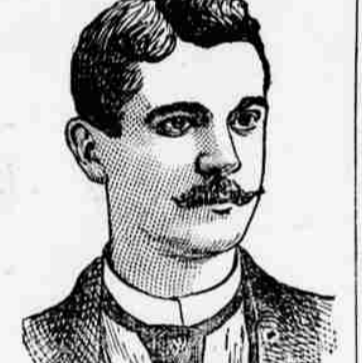
Allen W. Thurman has thought out a plan which he thinks will solve the financial problem and dispose of the currency question to the satisfaction of all. His proposition is that silver dollars shall be the basis for national bank circulation. The banks are to be required to deposit in the United States treasury 90 per cent. in such dollars, upon which they are to be permitted to issue 100 per cent of notes. This would always insure special payments and give the banks a profit on their circulation which they do not now enjoy. Mr. Thurman argues that silver and gold would with free coinage and this amendment to the national banking law be at a parity in twenty years and the strife between the two metals cease.

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It Was a Running Sore Then we succeeded in healing it up, but the disease began to appear in my face, which would swell up and affect my eyes so that every morning they were so inflamed and swollen that I was blind. The swelling would subside in the middle of the afternoon so that I could see a little. Well, I was in this condition for about a year. I went to every physician in my town, all of whom failed to help me and said nothing could be done to cure me. But I began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and when I had used a bottle and a half, the swelling in my face had entirely gone down. I kept on taking the medicine, and gained 33 pounds in weight.

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ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED Administratrix of the 31st estate of S. H. Finney, deceased, has filed with the Clerk of the County Court for Linn County, Oregon, her final account and the court has fixed the 2nd day of April, 1893, at the hour of 1 o'clock, p.m. for hearing objections if any to said account and for the settlement of said estate.

This the 27th day of Feb., 1893. ALICE DUNN, Administratrix.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

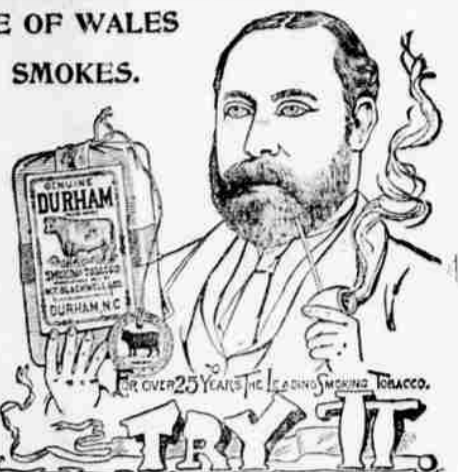
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the legal voters of School District No. 8, Linn county, Oregon, that the regular annual school meeting of said school district will be held on the first Monday, being the 6th day of March, 1893, at the hour of 7 o'clock p.m. in said district, for the purpose of hearing the reports 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 FOSBAY, Chairman Board of Directors.

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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 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 9th, 1893. W. C. TWEDDALE, President. F. P. NUTTING, Secretary.

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A LINN COUNTY MAP

Win G. Obenauer & Co are making a map of Linn county, which should be in every business house, public dwelling and school room in Linn county. The map accurately locates every city, town and postoffice, and rivers and creeks, shows voting precincts, townships, etc., shows the distance of each postoffice from Albany. Cut out the following and mail to Win G. Obenauer & Co., 100 Front street, Portland, Oregon, and they will deliver you as many as you order.

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

STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Odd 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. TWEDDALE, President. E. A. PARKER, Secretary.

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 1893:

- 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. Sodusville, 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. C. JACKSON, Sheriff and Tax Collector. Dated February 10th, 1893.

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