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SATURDAY, JAN. 13, 1872.

Moeting of the Republican State Central Committee.

There will be a meeting of the Republican State Central Committee of Oregon, at Salem, on the 1st day of February, 1872, for the purpose of fixing the time and place of holding the next State Convention, and transpoting other business. The personal attendance of each member of the Committee is requested.
T. B. ODENEAL, Ch.

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S. S. Mann Cook.
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Samper's One Term Bill.

Senator Sumner's bill to limit the occupancy of the Presidential chair to one term, is one of those spiteful measures, which grow out of a determination to gratify a feeling of personal hatred at all hazards. His personal hatred to General Grant is only equaled by his arrogance in supposing that he, like Karl Schurz in his imagined influence over German Republicans, holds the balance of power in the Republican party in his Secatorial fist. He has yet to learn, it seems, that the Republican party is composed of elements a little too wise in the faculty of discrimination to be drawn into the support of a man purely on personal benefit of the Indians, which were grounds. Should General Grant unusual in their promises of leaddepart in faith or practice from the ing the Indians into channels of civestablished principles of the Repubilization. This exhibition of Mr. can party, its adherents would re- Erunot's judgment, is certainly a pudiate him as quick and emphati- pretty good indication that he is cally as they did Andrew Johnson. out of his "normal sphere," In what The popularity of Gen. Grant in we have said, we wish it distinctly the party is based upon his zeal and understood that no reflection of disactivity in maintaining and develop- qualification is intended to be cast ing the cardinal principles of the upon the suncessor of Mr. Meacham. organization. He is known and From what we have heard, he is a appreciated by his fruits; and no gentleman well worthy the position. effort of Summer, or any other indi- Our position is, that a good officer vidual, by means of measures based should never be removed, simply to ashere on Henry's Island on the on personal envy, or hatred, or am- gratify the whim or caprice or prej. 22d during a heavy snow storm. nition, can mislead the party to any udice of individuals. great extent. A man who makes his disappointments or grievances the basis of political action, is unreliable as a leader, and unworthy to be ranked among statesmen. This,"one-term" principle is a legitimate measure of legislation, but sprung at this time by Senator Sumper, it is properly regarded as a movement intended to defeat Gen. Grant. The Democratic party so sceept it, and are promptly wheeling into line to give it a most enthusiastic support. Like dying men, they catch at every straw, absorb every plan, or measure, which promises in the least to aid in the defeat of President Grant, and save the organization from perishing. They seem to forget that Jefferson and Madison, Monroe and Jackson were two-term men, and Van Buren would have been had they possessed votes enough to elect him. Jefferconjunism must give way here, as it has in other things, to the exigencies of the present desire. They rush into the arms of Senator Sumhis enemies.

A cook (negro) employed on the bark Casarewitch, lying at Seattle, built a ceal fire in an iron pan, placed it in his stateroom, went to bed and contracted a severe and lasting cold. Notwithstanding it was mid winter, there was a black burying party the next day.

lyn, New York.

The dispatch conveying the in formation of the removal of Mr. Meacham from the Indian Superintendency of Oregon, has elicited feeling of general surprise, and, we may say, mgret. Mr. Meacham has given general ratisfaction in performing the duties of that office. He has shown a more than common zeal and activity in striving to elevate the physical, intellectual and moral condition of the Indians, and bas managed the affairs of his superintendency skillfully and faithfully. These superintendencies, in many instances, have been most recklessly managed. They have been conducted in the inferest of self, rather than to promote the welfare of handsomest women in the State. the Indians. Much neglect and abuse and waste has been the result. Good superintendents are not so numer- liest men. ous as to justify taking their heads off with impanity on slight provocations. A good reason, no doubt, has and who made it, and is it cor- "Why is it," asks the Bulletin. rect?

Since writing the above, we have read in the Salem Statesman that-

It has transpired that Mr. Brunot, late here examining into the affairs of the Indian Department, and who is known to be greaty in General Grant's confidence in carrying out his Indian policy, be-Mr. Meacham was not disinterestedly working for the good of the Indians. His prejudice seems to have grown out of the fact that at the matilla Council Mr. Meacham set forth forcibly the reasons in favor of their removal from the Umatilla Reservation. Brunot there became impressed with the idea that the aperintendent was personally in terested in their removal.

Mr. Brunot has evidently acted in too much haste. His zeal has overtoppied his good sense. By his ed to the Court-house and extinuntempered zeal, he has prevented the consummation of plans for the

Frozen to Drath,

A party of emigrants were passing through Selino county, Nebraska, during a Sunday of last month. The cold increasing they concluded to camp and light a fire. They were on a piece of high prairie sev. in the United States. eral miles from any house, but three miles from them was a piece of tim- has been appointed policeman of ber. After unhitching their teams Portland. He will look after the the men started for this timber to procure fuel. Not returning for several hours, the women left their children and started to hunt for them. This is all that is known, save that the next day the bodies of seventeen persons, who perished from the intense cold, were found. The children who were left in the wagons were the only survivors of

Ma Miux Outrages in Missouri,

At Marshalland vicinity, in Saline county, Missouri, the Ku Klux have been giving an exhibition of their inner, and will fawn and flatter, lick humanity and bloodthirstiness. Proand beslobber him, so long as he concertedly, on Christmas day last. exerts himself in the way of deteat- a large number of them, well armed, ing Gen. Grant. All this, howev- turned out at that place for the purer, but shows the strength of Gen, pose of slaying the negroes. Patrols Grant, and the utter desperation of were placed near the town, and every ful boys-for the penitentiary. traveler was halted or questioned. All business was suspended and mob violence reigned supreme over the Geyserville and Healdsburg, by place. The number of negroeskilled by these blood thirsty wretches is not at present known; but a Mr. Wilson, who left Marshall at 11 o'clock, sald that he saw the dead

a growd had started out swearing that they would kill every negro in the country. Dispatches on the 28th ult, confirm the above, post office last year. and state that the negroes are panicstricken, and great excitement exists. Efforts have been made to suppress the facts.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

The Multnomah county hospital has twenty-seven patients.

The West Side Railroad is prononneed "better as goot" by the Government inspectors.

The Portland city treasury contains \$32,860,95.

East Portland, through one o her journals, claims to have the As things generally go by contraries, we suppose she has the home-

In San Francisco, porter-house steaks sell from 15 to 18c per pound, while in Portland the price been represented, but what was it, is from 20 to 25 cents per pound,

> The Catholic church of Salem is going to erect a new school building during the coming summer.

In Marion county the farmers are resuming their plowing, and many of them are breaking up their pasture lands in their desire to produce a monster crop.

Salem is afflicted with a lot of chronie grumblers - refuse work when it is offered, and yet complain that there is no work.

On Sunday night before New Years, a citizen of Eugene sat up inst. to ring out the Old and in the New Year, and when he commenced ringing all Eugene turned out with buckets to extinguish the fire. As they couldn't find any they proceedguished the bell ringer by pouring water on bim.

The commercial editor of the Port Townsend Argus was presented with a magnificent gold watch and chain on Christmas day.

In a squaw fight at Eugene recently, one cut the other badly with

On last Saturday, Mr. Bush, of Lane county, accidentally shot himself with a revolver. Not danger-

The bark Shooting Star, from San Francisco to Nanaimo, went

The stages between Portland and Hillsboro have been drawn off, the railroad doing the business.

A man ninety-six years of age, named McEween, from Astoria, was placed in the Insane Asylum at East Portland, last Sunday. He is probably the oldest insane man

John D. Yates, a pioneer printer, bad "cases."

Mr. Foudray, in company with Hon. Samuel E. May, has arrived

The Salem Statesman thinks the bed water of the Willamet, where an active current prevails, more healthful than the average of well

The population of Forest Grove is 200. They have no "gin mill." Rev. Clinton Kelly has Intil off an addition to East Portland, which he calls Kelly's Addition.

Real estate speculators at Steilacoom have not made their "everlastin fortin."

About forty San Francisco boys amused themselves recently by pelting a Chinaman with stones. Hope-

The Cloverdale, Cal., stage was Wells, Fargo & Co's box, but it judgment, not granted. contained no treasure.

The East Portland City Marshal employs the little boys about the hodies of five; two hanging by the city to catch the swine which are ly. Small pox is still bac in Brook.

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Money orders amounting to \$13,-879 were issued from Oregon City him to reconsider his resignation.

"Cynics," was the subject lectur-Oregon city, last week.

The average attendance of the M. E. Subday school at Salem is stiff. 225. Whole attendance for the year 11,000.

On Union Island in Sacramento river a band of 2,000 sheep were drowned.

Thieves are robbing churches in an Francisco.

The little town of Nicolaus, Sutter county, Cal., was submerged to a depth of four feet, in the recent rains, by the overflow of Ecar

Oyster farmers about San Franciseo bay were apprehensive that terials. the recent copious rains would injure the oy-ters.

San Jose, Cal., experienced an earthquake last mouth.

A female Chinese minstrel is giving performances throughout California. She is usually attired in gorgeons blue enshmere, and in consequence of the extreme smallness of her feet, she has to be transported in a palanquin. She plays on a harp, and her finger nails are said to be near three inches in length. The rustics are delighted with her.

Extensive preparations are being made in San Francisco to receive the Japanese noblemen, who are expected to arrive about the 18th

We learn from the Eugene City Journal, that Mr. Bush, residing near the city, was accidentally shot in the breast by two balls, from a pistol in the hands of Bud Edmond. son, the latter being intoxicated at the time. The wounds, though extremely dangerous, are not necessarily fatal.

Eugene City has been divided into two election precincts, called North and South Eugene.

County orders in Lane county are and trains pass over it, at par.

Eugene City has four select

Springfield has a skating rink and a minstrel troupe of its own getting up.

The elitor of the Yreka Journal has been elected Assistant Engineer of the fire Department of that City, and feels highly honored.

A gentleman in a hotel in San Francisco, discovered his Macassar oil in its place. It proved effectual -a servant girl wore a bandage car. on her head for two weeks, and now is totally bald.

EASTERN NEWS.

The Grand Duke was at Cleveland on the 26th ult.

It is reported that General Sickles will be a candidate for the U.S. Conkling.

It was reported in Chicago on publican, and will place it under repealed in 1870. the charge of Sydney Howard Gay, the Chicago Tribune.

President, was much improved on the 28th ult. Case hopeful.

plead guilty at Columbia, S. C., were sentenced as follows: one to five years imprisonment and a fine of \$1,000; eleven to eighteen months and a fine of \$100; one to a year and a fine of \$100, and one to three stopped Christmas night between months and a fine of \$20. John F. Miller was found guilty, and a motwo highwaymen. They obtained tion for a new trial and arrost of

Gen. Butler made a speech at Princeton, Mass., on the 28th ult., criticising the fishery treaty severe-

Solicitor General Eristow has resigned. The President has asked

roughs committed suicide by poison, on the 10th of December. His ed upon, by Rev. P. S. Knight, at on the 10th of December. His body remained in the room till the 28th, when it was discovered frozen

> Edward Power, a civil engineer causes. He requests the use of 300 pieces of United States ordnance, 20,000 black cartridges, 10 miles of insulated wire, electrical batteries, it good pies only the under crust will

> Rev. Robert J. Breekenridge died at his residence in Danville, the flowers are coming up beautifully, on the 27th ult., after a long fully in the back garden. We sowed

The Board of Indian Commissioners have prescuted their report to the President. It gives a cheer- it is. Orlando frightens me by talking ful view of the present policy, and about weeds, but weeds always come ful view of the peace policy, and states that by the parchase of Indian supplies and other measures they have saved about one million dollars.

Monov was stringent in New him saying and record and the girls to marry as including like mine.

Thave but one trial—larsiness takes

Money was stringent in New York on the 28th ult.

The total amount of currency of all kinds outstanding to Dec. 28th, was £399.290,740.

The mail service on the Central Patended from Chico to Tehama,

Bors Tweed after hiding away for some time was discovered and arrested on the 29th ult.

Comfolly's bondsmen went back on him, and he had to spend New Year's day in limbo,

pointed Commissioner of Public Works by the Mayor of New York, in the place of Tweed,

The new bridge across the Hudson river, New York, is completed,

A dispatch from Cheyenne, dated Dec. 27th, says there were 547 passengers laid up there by the snow blockade. The enting houses improved the opportunity by charging

The Russian flect has been ordered to remain at New York for the present.

but declined.

The President of a Boston street Oil disappearing very fast. He railroad company has been fined thereupon substituted some croton \$20 for permitting forty-seven passengers to be crammed into one

There has been paid out of the United States Treasury the sum of \$58,000,000 to indemnify States for money advanced in equipping troops during the late war. There are claims of this character which have been suspended by the Secretary of the Treasury amounting to \$4,300,-Senate from New York against 000, no money being available for the purpose of meeting the payment, the law authorizing the Secthe 28th ult., that J. Young Scam- retary of the Treasury to use money mon and several prominent citizens for this purpose in the Treasury not brick. I. And over he fell fast have purchased the Chicago Re- otherwise appropriated having been

formerly of the New York Tribune from that of Colombia one hundred his lat. I took that off first. And I and more recently connected with and seven thousand dollars, being managed to divest him of his coat. the balance of awards under the

There is great excitement in England upon the subject of oysters. The price charged for good ones is five times as great per bushel in 1871 as it was in 1862. The beds have been dredged to death, and cannot restock themselves. Formerly, the price was from saxpence to one shilling per dozen, now it is from half a crown to three

An Exhausted Husband

The following bit of charming unophistication, purporting to have been written by a young wife in New ed reader :

Ma Dear Ana! :- Although you told me, when I invited you to my wedding, that I was too young to marry, and not capable of choosing a mato for life properly. but with due consideration, I know that you may now of Chicago, Las petitioned Congress fiel that I was wiser than you thought. for permission to make experiments for producing artificial rain by means in selecting dear Orbitalo I have gained a most affectionate and attentive har-band, one who may neither a fault of gunpowder and cannon. He cites nor a vice. Heavens! What must a girl suffer who finds herself matted to many instances in which rain has a dissipated person, neglectful of her, and dissipated person, neglectful of her, and disposed to seek the seekety of unworthy people, who drinks sinck sinck and do all sorts of dreadal things! Thank Heaven, Orlando is perfec

To-day is my eighteenth birthday, and we have been married a year. We keep house now, and I can made pretinsulated wire, electrical batteries, and such men as may be needed to make the transportation of the materials.

Rev. Robert J. Breekenridge

ity good pies, only the materials add damp. However, I think that must be damp. However, I think that must be the even. Once I put peppermine the pushing state instead of lemon flavoring; but then Orlando was trying to kiss me right before the girls, who didn't much like either of us go-

> a great many seeds, but harvily expected so many plants. Among the most numerous is one variety with a very large leaf, that so atches one's fingers, and don't smell alee. I wonder up, don't they.

> Dear Orlando! I come back to him

him so much away from me. A law-yer must attend to business, you know; and sometimes they carry on the case mail two at night. Often and often he has examined wirnesses until halfpast twelve, and come home perfectly exhausted. And the rasty things will smoke, so that his dear coat quite smells of it. And so it makes him as ciffe Branch Railroad has been ex-ill as it does me. I have to air it, and sprinkle the lining with calegoe water, efore he dares to out it on again.

I had a terrible fright the observable —dreadful. Orbitals had told me that business—I think he shi it was a case of live or death - would detain blin hite. So I sat up, as usual, with a book, and did not worry until one ear's day in limbo,

G. W. Von Mort has been apwindow bluds; for dear aunt, it was not until three o'clock that I heard a cab driving up the street and saw it stop at our door; then I thought I should faint, for I was sure some dreadful accident had happened to

Orlando. I ran to open the door; a friend of Orlando's, who is not, I confess, very much to my ta-te-meh a red-face, noisy man-was just supporting my

dear hoy up the steps.
"O, what has happened?" cried L.
"Don't be frightened, Mrs. White!"
said Mr. Smith. "Nothing at all;
only White is a little exhausted. Application to business will exhaust a man, and I thought I'd bring him

"All right, Belle," said Orlando, "Smith tells the truth—I'm exhaust

And, dearest aunt, he was so much Alexis was politely asked to go so that he spoke quite thick, and out on the plains for a buffalo hunt,

Mr. Smith was kind enough to help him up stairs; and he lay upon the bed so pro-trated that I thought he was going to die. Then I remembered the French brandy you gave me in ease of sickness. I ran to get it off. "Have a little brandy and water,

dear?" I said.
"The very thing, Smith is exhausted, too. Give some to Smith,"

And so I reproached unyself formet baving thought of it before Mr. Smith was gone. But I gave a glass to Or-lando, and, under Providence, I think it saved his life; for, O, how bad be " Belle," said he, faltering in his

speech, 'the room is going around so fast that I can't catch your eye. And besides, there's two of you, and I don't know which is which." I knew these were dreadful symp-

"Take a drink, dear," said I, "and Filtry to wake Mary, and send her for the doctor." "No," said he, "I'll be all right

asleep.

O, why do men think so much of

There is due our Government than anything else.

Of course of the last lain down in

But ween it came to his boots-dearest be Chicago Tribune.

Jesse Grant, the father of the President, was much improved on the 28th ult. Case hopeful.

The Ku Kiux prisoners who plead guilty at Columbia, S. C., were sentenced as follows: one to dive years imprisonment and a fine case 1000 colors are impressed as follows: one to small pox.

The Convention of 1847 and 1864. No payment has been made since 1868. The Colombian Minister at Washington asks an extension of time of the four years, as his Government is gain, and at last one came off so suddenly, and over I went on the floor, and into his lat, which I had put down there for a minute. I could have cried. And the other came off in the same way, just as hard and just as sauden aunt, did you ever take off a gentle-And the other cline of in the said way, just as hard and just as sudden at last. Then I put a soft blanket over Orlando, and sat in my sewing-chair all night. O, how heavily he breathed! And I had as you may fancy, the most dreadful tears. He might have killed himself by his over application to lusiness for all that. application to business for all that I