Albany Register.

ALBANY, OREGON, MARCH 5, 1880.

Republican State Convention.

The Republican State Convention is called to meet at Portland on Wednesday, April 21, 1880, for the purpose of nominating candidate for Congress, three candidates for Presidential Electors, three candidates for Judges of the Supreme Court, Judges and Prosecuting Attorneys for the several judicial districts, and the election of six delegates to attend the National Republican Convention, and to transact any other business that may come before the Convention. The Convention will be composed of 165 delegates, apportioned among the counties in the ratio of one vote for every 100 votes, and one for every fraction of 50 votes and over cast for Secretary of State at the last general election as follows:

Baker	4	Lane	9
Benton	6	Linn	11
Clackamas	10	Marion	17
Clatsop	5	Multnomah	24
Columbia	2	Polk	7
Coos	6	Tillamook	1
Curry	2	Umatilla	7
Douglas	11	Union	5
Grant	5	Washington	8
Jackson	6	Wasco	6
Josephine	2	Yamhill	9
Lake	2		

The Central Committee recommended that the primaries be held on Saturday, April 3d, and the county conventions on Saturday, April 10th, 1880, unless otherwise ordered by the County Central Committees.

The Usury Bill.

Many inquiries having been made regarding the fate of the usury bills introduced into the last Legislature, the *Farmer* furnishes the information required in its issue of February 13th. Two bills were introduced to reduce the rates of interest: House Bill No. 48, by R. H. Tyson, and House Bill No. 87, by Mr. Bradley. The first was withdrawn or postponed indefinitely in favor of the latter. After the second reading of H. B. 87, it was referred to a select committee of five, consisting of Messrs. Bradley, Ramsby, Rinehart, Carter and Fountain. A majority of this committee made a report on the 5th of October, favoring 7 per cent. on special contract, while the minority, consisting of Ramsby and Rinehart, reported in favor of 8 per cent. as the legal rate, with 12 per cent. allowable on special contract. The House by a vote of 16 to 37 refused to adopt the minority report, and then by a vote of 40 to 13 refused to amend the majority report, only seven being absent. Toward the close of the session the bill came up for passage, and received 30 votes out of a total present of 48, thus failing to pass because the State Constitution requires that a majority of the whole Legislature must be obtained to pass a bill. One more vote would have secured its passage in the House. Those voting against the passage of the bill were: Messrs. Bennet, Beckley, Cole, Chandler, Curtis, Campbell, Dorris, Everts, Gates, Gilbert, Hewitt, Lee, Purdin, Rinehart, Reeves, Stearns, Thompson and Wright—18. Absent—Messrs. Acton, Broback, Chadwerth, Caldwell, Fretland, Green, Hughes, Hamilton, Johnson, Mathieu, Stratton and Webdell—12. It is believed that if some of those who were absent had been in their seats on the occasion, the bill would have passed the House. Of the members of Linn county, one of them, C. H. Hewitt, voted against the bill; Mr. Hamilton was absent, and the remaining members voted in favor of the bill. This usury matter was then and is now one of great moment to the voters of Oregon, a great majority of whom are opposed to the present high rate of interest, as, so long as it remains unchanged upon our statute books, just so long will it retard the inaugurating and building up of manufacturing and other industries in our State. Just as long as capitalists can obtain twelve per cent. for their money, they will never invest in enterprises so greatly demanded in developing the resources and wealth of the State, because legitimate enterprises seldom pay so large a per cent. It is well enough to know who is for us and who is against us as we meander along.

On the 24 th of February, M. DeLessops accompanied by a number of his corps of engineers, arrived in New York, where a grand banquet was tendered him. Already, according to the telegram announcing the above fact, he has made sufficient surveys of his proposed canal route to satisfy himself of the practicability of his plan, and he is confident that within the period of eight years, and at an expense not exceeding $160,000,000, he can open communication between the two oceans for the commerce of the world. There can be no doubt of his great executive ability in the line in which he has won a world-wide fame; and as there is just as little doubt of the probity of his character, his matured views on the subject of the interoceanic canal, after he has had full opportunity to test them by personal examination of the proposed scene of his labors, will certainly carry with them great weight.

Representative Hill of Ohio, being exhilerated with champagne and the victory of Cincinnati, lost his head and betrayed the Democratic party at the serenade at Willard's Hotel in Washington. He declared with much unction that whoever the Democrats nominated at Cincinnati that man they proposed to inaugurate next March weather they elected him or not. Longer-headed men who had not absorbed so much "extra dry" tried to explain that Mr. Hill was in a happy mood and that his words must be taken as pure jest. It was very funny—for Republican spectators.

The "glorious climate of California" is getting into disrepute. Isothermal lines are getting out of place, and the apparition of an iceberg in San Francisco Bay would only occasion passing comment. Something is the matter.

The New York *Tribune*, Sherman's organ, does not think the delegation is bound by the instructions for Grant.

Is Our Climate Changing?

In considering the question asked at the head of this article, the *S. F. Chronicle* says:

The consideration of the curious caprices of temperature of which the people of this coast have for two months past been the victims, suggests the query whether the climate is not changing—whether the Japan gulf stream (the Kuro Shiwo) has not broken loose from its old course and determined no longer to give life and warmth to a land which refuses to recognize the virtues of a Mongol race. It is a grave question, which demands investigation. If this sea current has been trifled with by some sportive submarine volcano and induced to alter its time-honored course, then good-by to all future peans on our "glorious climate." We shall be unable to show straw berries in February, even under glass. We shall be foreclosed from bragging about an exceptionally warm day as the usual alleged winter weather. In brief, we shall be completely chopfallen. There is little difference in latitude between this city and St. Paul, Minnesota, or Portland, Maine. At the latter places the mercury is given to the custom of dropping down to thirty or forty degrees below zero. So, if the current has been deflected, this is what is in store for us. The prospect is not cheerful and we await the arrival of special news from some scientific mariner with much impatience.

A Universal Smash.

A gloomy Cincinnati philosopher, who has been sharply observing the stars while the most of his fellow citizens have been killing hogs and packing pork, publishes a startling prediction. He announces what is already well known, that in the latter part of the year 1881 there will occur a conjunction of the four principal planets, "an event that has never been recorded in the history of the world," and he therefore proceeds to prophesy in a diabolical strain that would cost him his life in some countries. He thinks that if the electrical equilibrium of the earth's axis is disturbed by this planetary conjunction, the earth will either "be shattered into infinite space and fall in meteoric fragments," or that all animal or vegetable life will be destroyed by terrible upheavals and other calamities too appalling to enumerate. The San Francisco *Chronicle* comments upon the above prediction as follows: "What he thinks people ought to do about it he neglects to state. If there is any way to postpone that planetary conjunction, the matter should certainly be attended to. Similar predictions have occasionally been thrown out on the same subject, in the past year or two, but in terms more vague, by astronomers who have some regard for peoples feelings, and are backward about scaring everybody to death. There should be immediately organized a Society for the prevention of Planetary Conjunctions, to which should be connected a subordinate Society for the Preservation of the Electrical Equilibrium of the Earth's Axis. If the Cincinnati man's views are correct no time should be lost in organizing."

The progress of Christianity in Abyssinia is in the highest degree encouraging. Not less than 100,000 persons have renounced the Moslem creed and accepted the better faith. It is to be feared, however, that the means of conversion will not command the approval of American Christians. By order of King John, all subjects who refuse to believe and be saved have boiling tallow poured into their ears, and are otherwise ingeniously influenced to acquire a change of heart. It is only occasionally that a really perverse sinner is found. Whatever view may be taken of such methods, the practical results are immense.

A formidable insurrection has broken out at the chief city of Abyssinia, and the King has fled to collect an army. He is too mild a mannered sovereign to please his tumultous subjects. They remember the rollicking days of old King Theodore, who thought nothing of slaughtering a few hundred men before breakfast, and hence, probably, the disturbance. This seems to be a troublesome period for monarchs.

The Eastern papers are full of items showing the reckless freedom with which the Western miner handles coin as well as deringers. The latest fable is of a Leadville miner who attended a ball in Chicago, got drunk, became very warm while waltzing, took off his coat and laid it in a window. A police officer took posession of the coat and found in a pocket $127,000 in bills! As Miss Edgeworth always said when drawing a remarkably long bow: "This is a fact."

The gold value of merchandise imported into the United States for the eleven months ending November 30, 1879, amounted to $433,996,062; the merchandise exports of the country for the same period amounted to $684,306,062. The excess of exports over imports amounts to $250,310,000. This showing is highly favorable to American industries, but, compared with the preceding year, a considerable falling off is apparent. It is probable, however, that when the figures of December, 1879, are included, the difference will not be material.

Many farmers are exceedingly dissatisfied with their profession, and repine at their duties. On the other hand, Socrates, the wisest of ancient philosophers, said of it: "Agriculture is an employment the most w r hy of the application of man, the most ancient and the most suitable to his nature. It is the common nurse of all persons in every age and condition of life; it is the source of health, strength, plenty and riches, and of a thousand sober delights and honest pleasures; it is the mistress of sobriety, temperance, justice, religion, and, in short, of all virtues, civil and military."

It is proposed to establish an Educational Fund for the Territories. It would seem that teh first step toward civilizing the frontier would be to provide ample educational facilities.

The public officials of Russia are said to be the most adroit thieves in Europe. In America, however, they might not amount to much.

If a man calls you a fool pass him by, says the Persian philosopher. That is, leave him lying on the ground.

Late Dates.

Blaine is reported to be the favorite in Indiana.

The Republicans and re-adjusters in Virginia are falling out.

Is the nitrate of silver higher or lower than the day rate?

It takes but little time and space to turn man's laughter into manslaughter.

The bonds of iniquity are looked upon as bad for an investment.

As the grandmother's slipper is bent the youthful boy is inclined.

The census will be taken in a summary manner: the work will not begin until June.

The coal dealers of Pennsylvania have agreed to advance the price of coal 25 per cent. per ton.

Bets have been made in Russia that the Czar would not live a year, and the chaps who made the bets are now living in Siberia.

A Detroit vagrant went into a police station the other day and asked the bluecoats to give him a rest. So they gave him arrest.

J. Lloyd Haigh, wire manufacturer, whose operations mainly caused the failure of the Grocers' Bank, of New York, has been indicted for forgery.

The treasury department estimates the receipts for the fiscal year at $300,000,000, and the expenses at $275,000,000 to $278,000,000, leaving a balance of $25,000,000.

At Auburn, on the 23th ult., Herman Galligher, who murdered a school teacher named Wilson near Penryn, some months since, was found guilty of murder in the first degree, the jury affixing the penalty of imprisonment for life.

The Louisiana senate has adopted a resolution suspending senators Demas, Capon, Stimms and Steward, charged with contempt in signing the Kellogg memorial, and ordering the sergeant-at-arms to keep them in custody until further orders.

The fashionable season is in full blast at St. Petersburg. The Czar has just had a grand "blow out" at the winter Palace His room was more desired than his company, however.

The Greek brigands want a ransom of $20,000 for Colonel Syngo, the British officer, and his wife. This is a neater way of making money than levying assessments, but not quite so safe.

One-third of the gold that is mined goes to wear and tear, one-third goes into circulation, and one-third to the arts and manufactures. All the gold in the world make a pile 5ndy 25 feet wide, 45 feet long and 25 feet high.

An unprovoked murder occurred at marion, Ohio, on the 26th of February. Enoch Young had a fight with two boys in a saloon and was badly punished. He left, threatening vengeance, and soon returned with a knife and twice stabbed Israel Bensley, who was not concerned in the fight, instantly killing him.

Dr. Brandreth, who lately died at his home in Sing Sing, bequeathed his homestead and furniture to his wife, and leaves the Brandreth House, in Broadway, valued at $400,000, to his seven daughters. His stocks, trade marks and remainder of his estate, to six sons, on condition that they pay his widow one thousand dollars per month during her life.

David Hoag died at Port Henry, N. Y., on Sunday, from the effects of morphine and other stimulants given him while walking a 27 hour race at glenn Falls on the Friday before. This is one of the results of the walking mania.

On Sunday morning a fire in Chicago destroyed property to the value of $40,000 or $50,000, on which there was little or no insurance.

John H. Johnson, a negro was hung at Savanah, Ga., on Friday last, for the murder of Daniel McDermot on March 7th, 1879. On the same day a party named Howard was hung at Little Rock, Ark., in the presence of several thousand persons.

The sale of the Jay Cooke estate will commence on the 31st inst. The estate is immense, the list of stocks and bonds alone filling over seven pages, while the descriptions of townships in Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Wisconsin, and Minnesota fills about 180 pages. The sale will continue from day to day until the entire catalogue has been offered.

A very few years ago there were but two weekly papers in Arizona Territory. Now there are several daily publications, many of them issued at places where a wilderness reigned only two years ago. The next census will probably make a very favorable showing for the Territory. Even now ambitious politicians, with Senatorial or more moderate projects in view, are making it their home, confident that it will be knocking at the door of the Union for admission in a comparatively brief period.

The California Assembly unanimously passed a resolution recommending Congress to establish a system of postal telegraphy. Several other State Legislatures have adopted similar resolutions, and a former Postmaster General has pointed out to Congress the profits accruing to the English Government through its control of the business of telegraphing.

The Board of Trade of Helena, Montana, has entered a vigorous protest against the scheme of the stock-grazers to have an immense body of land in that and other Territories declared untillable. The proposition is an iniquitous job, but unfortunately it has its backers in Congress.

Mr. Tilden is reported as expressing himself with great confidence that if the cameron-Conkling plan should prevail at Chicago he could carry New York by 50,000 majority.

The speaker of the British house of commons has $20,000 a year, a house rent free, $5,000 of equipment money, 2000 ounces of silver plate on his election, $500 for stationery each year, and fees amounting to $15,000 a year.

The Virginia Senate has adopted the bill prepared by the re-adjusters. It reduces the principal of the debt to about $90,000,000, and interest to 3 per cent. bonds to be taxable, and coupons not receivable for taxes.

The Blaine boomers are going to work in earnest in Chicago.

The Arsenal street Methodist church, at Watertown, N. J., was destroyed by fire on the 22d.

Rev. Dr. Chas. P. Bush, of New York, secretary of the American board of foreign missions, died on the 22d.

Harriet Hink, a widow aged 30, was found in her room on the 21st murdered, outraged, and robbed of a gold watch and some money.

H. G. Wright, one of the editors and proprietors of the *Chronicle and Constitutionalist*, dieq at Angusta on the 22d, aged 39, at the residence of Gov. Herschel V. Johnson.

Liberia has caught the imperial fever, and annexed the kingdom of Medina. If the step will enable her to pay her debts, her creditors will be delighted.

Howard's stable at Newport, was burned on the 22d, with twenty carriages, ten horses and a large amount of grain. John Shay, a stableman, lost his life trying to get the horses out of the burning building.

The Kings of Spain and Portugal are soon to have an interview. Like romantic school girls they will doubtless register a vow of eternal friendship. Their dominions join, but they are too poor to go to war.

George Sykes, brevet major general and colonel of the twentieth infantry, died at Brownsville, Texas, on the 9th of February. He participated in the Mexican war, and when the rebellion broke out was given command first of a brigade, then of a division, and finally of a corps. He was present at the battles of Antietam, Fredericksburg and Chancellorsville, and commanded he fifth corps at the battle of Gettysburg.

Pacific Slopers.

The U. S. supreme court is again in session, after a recess of four weeks.

The Swedish exploring steamer Vega has left for Lisbon and Portsmouth.

The Tay bridge disaster resulted from defective works. The contractors will likely suffer.

Leading manufacturing establishments at Lowell, Mass., have consented to advance the wages of their employes.

A steamer from Virgola bound for Kurrachee foundered, and five Europeans and 59 natives were lost.

Parole is the favorite with London sportsmen in the great Lanteshire handicap race to take place shortly.

The Borde mills at Falls river, Mass., caught fire, but the flames were extinguished with small loss.

Bedford, Sandy, Penn and Queener, have been found guilty of the murder of Geo. P. Hart on the 7th of January last.

The pork packing season in Cincinnati is at an end; 559,000 hogs packed this season against 623, 000 last, a decrease of 64,000.

The socialists of New York have opened a school for those of their faith, to counteract the teachings of priests. They have a small following yet.

Chinese are going east from San Francisco. Let them go.

There was coined at the mints for the last month $5,129,909.

The American Union Telegraph Company is making it warm for the Western Union.

Rowland E. Trowbridge, of Michigan, has been confirmed commissioner of Indian affairs.

In a brutal prize fight, at Philadelphia, Frank Harris had his skull fractured so that he is not expected to live.

As usual, it is now given out that the Ute murderers and outragers are not to be punished further than imprisonment.

A desperate quarrel occurred at Bates' school house, near Seward, Kansas, in which Wm. Bates was killed and several others mortally wounded.

Thirty-four indictments, in aggregate, have been found against the comptroller, the city treasurer and city clerk for conspiracy to defraud Elizabeth, N. Y.

At Quero, Texas, in a row over a game of cards, on the 29th, between Martin, Holland and Coward, Holland was killed. His mother was mortally shot and Martin seriously injured.

Virginia has done away with the Moffet bell punch system, and re-established the Limse system. The Moffet system proved a failure.

Joseph Nickerson, director of the A. T. & S. F. R. R., and president of the P. and A. Valley road, died of apoplexy at Brewston, Mass., on the 20th ultimo.

The Czar's twenty-fifth anniversary of his accession to the throne will be Celebrated. A dress reception will be held at noon and a mass and military ball in the evening. During the singing of the national anthem 101 guns will be fired.

The German minister of war introduced the army bill in the reichstag, stating that the government had to place itself on a par in this respect with other nations, although it could not be said that reasons of an acute character impelled the government to bring forward the bill.

The senate committee on appropriations will recommend an appropriation sufficient to continue the star mail service under existing contracts for the current fiscal year. The recommendation will be accompanied with a resolution of censure for extravagant expenditure of last year's appropriation. Postmaster General Key asks for a dificiency appropriation of $1,500,000.

The supreme court of Massachusetts has set aside the verdict of manslaughter in the case of Chase, H. Hartwell, conductor of the freight train which it was alleged caused the Wollaston disaster on the Old Colony road in October, 1878.

The secretary of the navy has been cabled from Montevido that the U. S. steamer Marion had arrived there from Rio, and that six officers and fifteen men had been down with the yellow fever. Lieut. Wallis died on the 23d, and Rogers, an apprentice, on the 20th. All the officers, except one midshipman, were convalescing. The officers and men were ashore on Flores' Island. It is supposed that the fever originated at Rio while the vessel was loading.

Above Bonanza, in Lake county, hay sells at $20 per ton.

The Ashland district school is suspended, owing to the prevalence of the measles.

Jacksonville has ten secret societies and at least half a dozen others of various kinds.

In the Jacksonville school district there are 401 persons between the ages of four and twenty—202 males and 199 females.

Jacksonville paid her school tax "like a little man." The total tax was $1330, all of which but $30 was collected by the clerk, J. H. Huffer.

W. L. Potts, one of Jesse D. Carr's vaqueros, informs the *Tidings* that Carr will lose a great number of cattle at Clear Lake, Cal., this season. Out of a hand of 5000 not more than one-half are likely to survive, although he had 800 tons of hay at the commencement of winter. Much of his fine stock will go.

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Farmers report that the hay crop is likely to be short, by reason of the protracted cold weather just ended, volunteer being badly frozen in some instances.

Williams creek's greenback society is a thing of the past. Jackson county clubs have probably gone the same way as nothing has been heard of them lately.

The cold snap ended with last week, and may be the last for this season. Miners are now able to do some substantial work and will no doubt make a good run before water fails entirely.

George Durkee, of Ashland, aged about twelve years, accidentally shot himself with a pistol last week, the ball entering his right breast, glancing upward and coming out at the shoulder, just grazing his head. It was a narrow escape.

Jacksonville *Times*: Stock raisers have been unfortunate in Jackson county this season, especially some of those owning sheep. A large per cent of stock will succumb before spring, and less wool will be exported than for some years past.

The P. M. S. Co., and the Pacific R. R. have compromised. The roads pay to the steamship company, $110,000 per month in consideration of the right of road to fix rates for California passengers and freight. The roads will buy two steamers of the China line, the City of Pekin and City of Tokio.

Reports from Lake county are not of a reassuring nature. Stock raisers have all been feeling for some time past, and many have little or no hay left. Applegate Bros. have 1200 head of cattle up, and Laugell Bros. half as many. Much stock has succumbed and the worst is not over. This season has certainly been the severest ever experienced in southern Oregon, and will cause more or less financial depression.

What Some Presidential Candidates Say in their Sleep.

Hendricks—Once for all, I will play second fiddle to nobody, (Kicks Mrs. H. out of bed.)

Mr. Tilden—It is not good for man to be alone. If I cannot find a wife, I can at least buy a dog.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

A Miss Leers, residing on Capital Hill, Washington, D. C., while on her way to church, was assailed by a negro, who succeeded in outraging her person. She was badly bruised from his abuse, and lies in a critical condition. Tom Smothers was arrested, and recognized as the assailant. An ineffectual attempt was made to mob him.

A new way of dealing with strikers has been found by mangers of coal mines in Northern Illinois. They have imported several hundred negroes from Tennessee. Now if the miners have "Molly Maguire" passion for making things lively for their substitutes, the next move will be to get a company of infantry to protect the colored brethren.

After all their political rant, the Democrats of the South love the colored man exceedingly. When it comes to the point they are not willing to part with him. To contract with colored laborers in Georgia for work to be done outside of the State, or to otherwise induce them to emigrate, requires the payment of a heavy license fee in advance. In Louisiana a similar fee is to be fixed at $500 for every parish visited. Mississippi contemplates a law of the same character. The colored man will appreciate his sudden rise in Southern estimation.

A jury in Dodge, county, Neb., gave a judgment for $2,800 for the plaintiff in a suit where it was plainly shown there was no claim at all. The explanation was that one of the jury had slept during the hearing of the testimony, another had been reprimanded by the judge for eating peanuts and wanted to get even with him; and another advanced and carried through the argument that the defendants being agents of the Pacific Railroad, and the railroad being an object of hostility owned by non-residents, while the plaintiffs were local residents, it was their duty therefore to decide for their own citizens, and defend their homes. This patriotic appeal settled the case.

The army of tramps that has been overrunning the Eastern States for several years past is gradually disappearing. So desirable a result is no doubt due to the improved condition of industrial affairs. Many men follow a vagabond life from choice, and probably as many more from shiftlessness and apparent necessity.

The aboriginal inhabitants of the Indian Territory hold their lands in common. A bill has been introduced in Congress to enable them to hold lands in severalty. The intention probably is to situate the Indians so that speculators can buy them out. Unless the bill can be amended so as to prohibit the alienation of land to white men it would be better to leave the law as it is. It may appear at first thought that the policy of holding lands in common is not calculated to encourage industry and ambition among lately reclaimed savages, but so far it has worked well, and has kept white men out of their country. At present if the Indian residing there is too shiftless to work he occupies no land, whereas if he is inclined to be industrious he may get a farm anywhere by merely reducing it to cultivation.

A rumor prevailed in Yakima during the early part of the week, says the *Standard* of the 14th, that Chief Moses had been killed by a soldier at camp Chelan. The news grew out of the fact that an indictment had been found in an adjoining county against the pet of the Indian Department for murder. The old fox heard of it, probably, and gathering up a few of his men, put for the mountains where he can defy the efforts of the civil authorities to arrest him.

All Sorts of Items.

"Weight for the wagon," observed a farmer, as he helped his three hundred pound wife to a seat in the vehicle.

Notwithstanding most of the quinine comes from their country, the Peruvians can't stop a Chili fever for more territory.

"To call a man rusty is the very oxide of irony."

The man who carries everything before him—The waiter.

A mince pie at bed time is the shortest route to a menagerie.

A suitable texture for a bald-headed person would be mo'hair.

Which is the best of the four seasons for arithmetic? The summer.

A western paper suggests Jack Frost as the author of "Beatiful Snow."

"Re-leaf for Luck, now," said Eve to Adam, as they marched from Eden.

The Turks have a sensible way of suppressing a military revolt. They send the insurgents a small installment of back pay and something to eat, and all is immediately quiet on the Bosporous.

The rush for land in the land office in the Dalles continues.

The population of Kittitass valley is about 1,200. It is expected that the Summer's immigration will double it.

The Mountaineer complains that interior counties foist their paupers upon Wasco by sending them to the Dalles to Winter.

Mr. Lang, the Eastern Oregon cattle king, has purchased at least 40,000 head of cattle in Umatilla county, which he will drive East in the early Summer.

That senile old man in Gramercy Park is causing John Kelly and his band much distress. The list of States that Tilden has "fixed" is very formidable. He is credited with bagging the delegations from New York, all New England except Massachusetts, eight Western States besides California, and four Southern States. His scheme is reported to be to get a small majority of instructed delegates, and should the customary rule of Democratic Conventions to give the nomination to the majority candidates be disregarded in favor of the old two thirds rule, then the Tilden cohorts will "sit on" this rule and abolish it altogether.

New To-Day.

Notice of Final Settlement.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the partnership estate of A. Carothers & Co., A. Carothers being deceased, has filed in the County Court of Linn county, Oregon, his final account in the matter of said estate, and the said Court has appointed TUESDAY the 6th day of APRIL, 1880, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the hearing objections to said account and for the settlement thereof.

JASON WHEELER, Administrator.

March 5, 1880-v12n23.

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Summons.

In the Circuit Court for the State of Oregon for Linn county.

John Conner, plaintiff, vs. Philip Grigsby, defendant.

To Philip Grigsby, the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above plaintiff in the above entitled Court, now on file with the Clerk of said Court, against you, on or before the first day of the next regular term of the Circuit Court in and for said Linn county, Oregon, to wit: the

8th day of March, 1880,

and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as hereby required, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of $500 gold coin, and interest thereon in like gold coin from October 27, 1879, at the rate of one per cent. per month, and the farther sum of $50, attorney's fee, and the costs and disbursements of this action.

HUMPHREY & WOLVERTON, attorneys for plaintiff.

Published by order of the Hon. B. F. Harding, Judge, made at Chambers, January 6th, 1880.

January 16, 1880-v12n16

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by the County Court of Linn county, Oregon, duly appointed administrator of the estate of Francis M. Moore, deceased, late of said county. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same with the proper vouchers to the undersigned, within six months from the date hereof, at Lebanon, Linn county, Oregon.

JOSEPH J. CHARLTON, Administrator.

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Flinn & Chamberlain, attys for adm.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned, has been by the County Court of Linn County, State of Oregon, duly appointed administrator of the estate of R. K. E. Charles deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate, are hereby required to present the same, with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned, at the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

JOHN CONNER, Administrator.

Dated Feb. 7, 1880-v12n22

Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Odd Fellows' Hall Building Association will be held at the office of said Association, in the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon, on Monday, the 8th day of March, 1880, at the hour of 7 o'clock P. M. of said day, for the purpose of electing seven Directors, to serve the ensuing year for said Association.

G. P. SIMPSON, Pres.

J. H. BRUMBAER, Sec.

Albany, Feb. 6, 1880-v12n19