

STATE RIGHTS DEMOCRAT.

Do not fail to attend your ensuing Precinct Meetings in full force. There is strength in unity, harmony and active zeal. Rally to the Precinct Meetings.

ON TO VICTORY! Lane County Democratic Convention.

In pursuance of the request of the State Central Committee the Democratic Convention of Lane County will meet in Albany, March 23d, 1886, at the Court House, at 11 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of selecting Delegates to the State Convention. The Precincts are requested to hold their meetings on the 17th of March, for the purpose of selecting Delegates to the County Convention. The Precincts are entitled to the number of Delegates, as follows:

Albany... 3 Delegates
Beaumont... 2 Delegates
Benton... 2 Delegates
Clackamas... 2 Delegates
Douglas... 2 Delegates
Folk... 2 Delegates
Hood River... 2 Delegates
Linn... 2 Delegates
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Madras... 2 Delegates
McMinnville... 2 Delegates
Newberg... 2 Delegates
North Bend... 2 Delegates
Portland... 2 Delegates
Salem... 2 Delegates
Seaside... 2 Delegates
Tillamook... 2 Delegates
Waldport... 2 Delegates
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Yamhill... 2 Delegates

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BENTON COUNTY CONVENTION. The Democracy of Benton County are requested to meet in their respective Precincts on SATURDAY, MARCH 17th, evening, for the purpose of appointing Delegates to attend the County Convention to be held in Eugene City on THURSDAY, MARCH 22d, where they will be to attend the State Democratic Convention to be held in Portland on the 31st day of April next.

FOLK COUNTY CONVENTION. The Democracy of Folk County are requested to meet in their respective Precincts on SATURDAY, MARCH 17th, evening, for the purpose of appointing Delegates to attend the County Convention to be held in Eugene City on THURSDAY, MARCH 22d, where they will be to attend the State Democratic Convention to be held in Portland on the 31st day of April next.

DOUGLAS CO. CONVENTION. The Democracy of Douglas County are requested to meet in their respective Precincts on SATURDAY, MARCH 17th, evening, for the purpose of appointing Delegates to attend the County Convention to be held in Eugene City on THURSDAY, MARCH 22d, where they will be to attend the State Democratic Convention to be held in Portland on the 31st day of April next.

CLACKAMAS CO. CONVENTION. The Democracy of Clackamas County are requested to meet in their respective Precincts on SATURDAY, MARCH 17th, evening, for the purpose of appointing Delegates to attend the County Convention to be held in Eugene City on THURSDAY, MARCH 22d, where they will be to attend the State Democratic Convention to be held in Portland on the 31st day of April next.

WASHINGTON CO. MEETING. The Democracy of Washington County are requested to meet in their respective Precincts on SATURDAY, MARCH 17th, evening, for the purpose of appointing Delegates to attend the County Convention to be held in Eugene City on THURSDAY, MARCH 22d, where they will be to attend the State Democratic Convention to be held in Portland on the 31st day of April next.

A HORRIBLE TRAGEDY.

Murder and Suicide near Brownsville in this County. Just as we are preparing to go to press an item of most shocking character reaches us. It is the murder of a wife and the suicide of the husband. The facts, as we learn them, are as follows: Yesterday morning Sidney Smith, whose farm is six miles west of Brownsville, shot his wife. She ran into the orchard and he pursued, with his pistol. His brother witnessed this scene for life, ran to the scene of Mrs. Smith, and succeeded in getting her back to the house and extracting a promise from his mad and delirious brother to refrain from further violence. The brother went to retrace his steps, but was followed by the wife, who, in a fit of desperation, shot him through the heart, and then shot herself. The brother hurried to the house and found the bodies weltering in gore.

The Late Tragedy in Umatilla. Last week we copied a paragraph from the Oregonian which reported the hanging of a man named Slater in Umatilla county by a mob, on pretense of his having administered poison to his brother-in-law, George Fry. During the week no further newspaper report of the horrid affair has come to hand. But last evening we were furnished with a letter from a person who lives near the scene of the tragedy, who first discovered the body of the murdered man hanging from his gallows. He left it in the hands of the sheriff, the oldest being a young lady of about 14 years. The news of the horrid affair was brought to town this morning by Mr. Cunningham, who lives near the Smith farm.

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CORVALLIS CORRESPONDENCE.

CORVALLIS, March 6th, 1886. EDITOR DEMOCRAT:—Perhaps a few jottings political from this quarter would be of interest to your numerous readers. It seems that the war is about to begin in this county. The Abolition (styling themselves the Union) party, "stealing," as is their wont, "the lively of heaven to serve the devil in," have begun to marshal their clan from out all the deep and dark delves of their fastnesses, and last night witnessed their incantations over the seething caldron of Republican politics, into which each officiating cast his poisonous ingredients. In other words, this party held a meeting last night at the Music Hall, presided over by B. W. Wilson, our Circuit Clerk—the object of which meeting was, in the classic diction of the Chairman, to represent the Constitution-loving and law-abiding sentiment of this community.

Col. Kelsey was the first speaker introduced to the audience. He stated by way of peroration—and thereby unmasking his invincible penchant for public notice, that he hoped he should have many opportunities of addressing the people in the coming contest. This gentleman stooped for lack of argument by energy of gesticulation; substituted assertion for proof, and justified the course of his party on the ground of necessity rather than law-abiding sentiment of this community.

A HINT.—Late dispatches indicate that President Johnson and the Radicals will compromise their late differences of opinion. Congress will admit the Tennessee Senators and Representatives, agree not to impeach Johnson, and modify the Freedmen's bill. In return for this, the President will stand by the agreed Radical policy. It will never do for Democrats to trust Johnson. He is neither honest nor firm.

TERRIBLE.—Three days attacked a little girl, the daughter of Mrs. Murray, who lives five miles below Boise City, on the river, a girl, aged about 12 years, who was the poor little creature was so torn and mangled that she died.

JUST MEY.—The expenses of the Corvallis circuit government for the past year were \$1108.33 and the receipts, from licenses, fines and all other sources, amounted to exactly the same sum.

BEVERLY.—A brewery is about to be started in Lafayette, Yamhill county. It will feature a 200,000 gallon and 100,000 gallon. This, he is remembered, is the first operation in 228 establishments. The total number per annum of adulterated aggregate is little over 9,000, of "gay and festive young ones," of the 60,000,000 of drinks which they imbibe costs them \$1,638,000 in greenbacks besides various doctor's bills for repair of health, &c., resulting from said concoction.

IN TELLING all this the Police Commissioners, who are known to wink at abortion, talk very much in the style of Pecksniff, and have a moral religious to very much in the style, though not elegant, as that of the great Beecher that other abuse, or according to the abused, the negro. Messrs. Pecksniff and the Police Commissioners, estimate that a force of "the daughters of perdition" rapidly increasing, which speaks well said Pecksniffian Commissioners, who provided by law with the power, but by nature with the morality, to put down. They say "the philanthropist Christian would be pained, and even a of the world would be astonished at the and character of the cost."

DEMOCRATIC MEETING IN FOREST GROVE, WASHINGTON CO. The Democrats of Washington county met pursuant to call at the Academy in Forest Grove, on March 3d. Mr. J. W. Cain was called to the chair, and C. H. Rafferty chosen Secretary. A committee of three were appointed to draft resolutions, who submitted the following: Resolved, That we recognize the Constitution as the true bond uniting between the States, and that we are opposed to any exercise of power whatever not derived from the Constitution.

PRETTY ROUGH.—The Abolition Senate of California have imprisoned D. O. McCarthy, editor of the San Francisco Flag (Radical Abolition), for having declared that seven Senators had received a bribe of \$12,000 each to vote against the repeal of the Specific Contract law. The bankers of San Francisco are reported by McCarthy as the men who furnished the money. An honest set, all around.

MARRIED!

In Lin county, Feb. 15th, by Elder R. C. Hill, Malinda M. Smith to Miss Nancy Davis. In Benton county, Jan. 24th, by Rev. J. B. Hill, Jesse Brown to Miss Edie Modie. In Benton county, Feb. 25th, by Squire Russell, Henry S. Smith to Miss Martha Smith. At Hunter's Ferry, Rogue river, Feb. 22d, by Wm. Hunter, J. P. Wm. A. Rush to Mrs. Mary Ann Parsons.

DEAD! At Dorkeyville, Idaho Territory, Dec. 29th, 1885, Minnie Cravens, only child of Virginia and Elizabeth White, aged a month and 1 day; also, at the same place, Dec. 28th, the infant daughter of Joseph and Mary Jane Eastman.

Reported by J. Norcross, March 10. Wheat, \$1.00; Oats, 60 cts; Flour, \$6.31; Butter, 35 cts; Eggs, 15 cts; Apples, dried, 8 cts; Potatoes, dried, 15 cts; Peaches, dried, 20 cts; Apples, green, per box, 30 cts; Potatoes, 50 cts; Apples, green, per bush, 45 cts; Apples, green, per bush, 45 cts; Apples, green, per bush, 45 cts.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTIONS. The Park county Democratic Precinct Meetings are to be held on Thursday, March 22d, and the County Convention at Dallas, Saturday, 31st inst. The Washington county Democrats hold a Mass Meeting at Hillsboro, Thursday, March 22d, and elect the Delegates to the State Convention.

STOLEN. A COTTON DUCK CARPET was stolen from a buggy under the front of the California Stage Co.'s stable in Albany on the night of Friday, March 3d. The bag has the name of the undersigned painted on it, and contains accoutrements of the Company of no use to any but the owner.

SELLING OFF! AT H. OLIVER'S! I now offer for Sale the Entire Stock I have of FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS. Ladies' Dress Goods. Trimmings and Bonnets. Ladies' and Children's Hats. Men and Boy's Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats & Caps, Boots, and Shoes, etc.

NOTICE. STOCKHOLDERS TAKE NOTICE that at a meeting held at their office on the 7th day of March, 1886, the Directors of the Linn County Agricultural Association have an assessment (No. 1) of Fifteen dollars per share on each and every share of the Capital Stock of said Company, payable in gold or silver coin to the Secretary of the Company within ten days from the date of this notice.

WAKEFIELD, SETTLEMIER & CO., ALBANY, OREGON. FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRUGS AND MEDICINES, AND CHEMICALS. Paints, Oils, Glass, Kerosene Oil, TOILET ARTICLES! Surgical, Fine Toilet and other Sponges, Hair, Nail, Tooth, and Paint Brushes, of all Varieties, Combs, &c., &c. Tobacco, Snuff and Cigars, of all brands. Candies, Nuts, Raisins, Figs, &c.

PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS. Carefully compounded, and orders attended to with care and dispatch. Physicians in the Interior and Farmers will find our stock of Medicines complete, warranted genuine, and of the best quality. Our store is at the First Floor Brick on First street, near opposite to J. Fleischer & Co.'s store, Albany, February 24, 1886. R. CHEADLE.

GOOD NEWS! GOOD NEWS!

TILE WAR IS ENDED! OUR COUNTRY IS SAVED FOREVER! RALLY! RALLY! ONE AND ALL! AT THE NEW STORE OF L. STERNBACH, OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE, IN ALBANY, OREGON.

BEG LEAVE TO INFORM THE PUBLIC that I have just received one of the Largest and best selected Stocks of Merchandise ever brought to this Market, direct from New York and San Francisco, consisting of every description of LADIES', CHILDREN'S, GENTS' AND BOYS' DRESS AND FURNISHING GOODS.

Delaines, Cashmeres, Mohairs, German Cloth, Chenamho, Scotch Plaids, Winecapes, DeLaine, Poplins, Silks, Jaspers, Parasols, Mohair, Foulards, Peil De Chere, Corsets, Nubias, La Priese, Merinos, Alpaca, Shawls, Cloth Cloaks, Hoods, Kid Gloves, Hoop Skirts, Breakfast Shawls, Balmoral Skirts, Collars and Cuffs, Linen Handkerchiefs, Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Latest Styles Fall and Winter Hats.

CHILDREN AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING, of every pattern and variety. GENTS' CLOTHING AND FURNISHING GOODS, of the latest styles, fabrics and fashions. Hats and Caps. Boots and Shoes. Groceries, Crockery and Glassware, Carpets and Oilcloths, Cutlery and Hardware, Paints and Oils, &c.

PHILIP MILLER'S MARBLE YARD! ALBANY, OREGON. MARBLE MONUMENTS, GRAVE AND TOMBSTONES, OF EVERY STYLE AND PATTERN. PEDESTALS, SLABS, MANTEL PIECES, And Marble Work of All Kinds.

THE MARBLE YARD. In just below Springer's Pacific Hotel, on the west side of the street running from the river. The public are invited to call at my shop and examine specimens of my work. Albany, January 6, 1886.

BANK EXCHANGE! WM. GIRD, PROPRIETOR! THIS POPULAR SALOON IS IN THE full vigor of success. The personal attention of its accomplished Proprietor assures to every guest the most prompt and satisfactory attention in everything which the house affords, to entertain the mind and give cheer to the body. The Billiard Saloon is provided with splendid BILLIARD TABLES, Of the latest approved style, with all the best improvements.

THE BAR. To always supplied with the very best CIGARS, ALE, LAGER BEER, and "SO FORTH." He also has on hand always ready for customers, FRESH OYSTERS! Direct from Yaguin Bay, acknowledged by epigrams to be superior to any oyster-shell elsewhere on the coast.

FOR THE UP COUNTRY. NOTICE TO SHIPPERS. I HAVE A GOOD WAREHOUSE on the River at Albany, from which I can forward Produce for any who wish to ship to Portland, Dallas City, or Umatilla, the coming season. Particular care given to see that freight is properly forwarded to its destination. Albany, Feb. 17, 1886. R. CHEADLE. I. O. O. F. ALBANY LODGE, No. 4. The Regular Meetings of Albany Lodge, No. 4, I. O. O. F., are held at the Hall in Albany, every WEDNESDAY EVENING, at 7 o'clock. Brethren in good standing belonging to other Lodges are invited to attend. G. W. PARRISH, N. G. R. MERRILL, Secretary. Albany, Nov. 25, 1885.

FURS WANTED. AT THE NEW STORE OF L. STERNBACH. 10,000 Pounds Furs, For which I will pay the highest market price. Albany, January 6, 1886.