

The Kansas senate on the 9th inst. passed the house joint resolution...

The recommendation for the colonies in favor of the acceptance of proposals of the United States government...

It is estimated that the members of the next congress will stand for protection as follows: New members for protection, 79; re-elected members for protection, 88; total, 167.

A snow storm of great violence is raging in Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska, Michigan Indiana, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

The bill to submit a prohibitory amendment to the vote of the people passed the house last Monday without debate on a vote of seventeen to six.

Mr. Cable, novelist and social reformer, who is catching it hot and heavy from the southern press because of his recent article on the condition of the freedmen...

It is asserted that in that broader sense in which Webster interpreted the duties of the office of United States Senator, as the "representative of the whole people and the whole United States," there is no republican...

The Chicago Herald says: The determination of the most northern states to send only very wealthy men or their agents to the United States senate is fittingly supplemented in some cases by a desire to turn a man out as soon as he loses his property.

FEEES FOR CITY OFFICERS

For some time past it has been thought that since our tax-payers all want it done there would be ordinances introduced and passed to take effect after the next city election making the pay of Recorder and Marshal salaries and repeal the present fee system.

Since the Board of Regents of Corvallis College signified their desire to do so and tendered the State Agricultural College back to the State, a bill has been introduced in the legislature and passed, locating the State Agricultural College at Corvallis, Oregon...

value on the Agricultural farm. The people will, without doubt, respond to this, because it would be a disgrace to any county for so valuable a school to be taken away from any county and especially for lack of enterprise in her citizens.

THE PRISON CONTRACT SYSTEM

Like every other question that of convict contract labor has two sides, says the Portland Evening Telegram. It is urged on the one hand that it helps the state to make its prison system partially self-supporting and to that degree relieves the taxpayers from the burden of the support of convicted criminals.

That the Nicaraguan treaty is a wise national measure is strongly indicated by the fact that it lacked but four votes of the constitution majority. It is defeated, not upon its merits, but upon the issue of mere partizanship, and it is upon this issue that the country must look to see the legislation of the country conducted by a democratic administration.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS. To all persons notice is hereby given that the undersigned, A. R. Pygall, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Joseph Howard, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Benton county.

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ADMINISTRATORS SALE OF REAL ESTATE

In the matter of the estate of Geo. P. Wrenn, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale, duly made by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Benton county, on Saturday April 7th 1885 at the regular April term of said Court, directing and commanding me, F. A. Chenoweth, administrator of said estate, to sell at public auction all the right, title, interest and estate that the said Geo. P. Wrenn had at the time of his death, in and to the following described premises to-wit:

REFEREES SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County. A. G. Hovey and H. C. Humphrey Plaintiffs. vs. Mary Luena Starns, Robert M. Starns, Oliver Jones Hawley, Frank Hawley, Ora Ellen Potter, S. W. Potter, Harriet Abbie Wadsworth, Nancy Wadsworth, Alice L. Mounis and G. W. Mounis, Defendants. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree of partition and order of sale duly made and entered in the above entitled cause in the above entitled court on the 24th day of November A. D. 1884, and by virtue of a commission duly issued thereon to me, out of said court, as sole referee directing and commanding me as such referee to sell the hereinafter described real property in the manner provided by law, I will on Tuesday the 10th day of February 1885, At the hour of one (1) o'clock P. M. of said day at the Court House door in Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand the following described real property, to-wit: The North half of the Donation Land Claim of Elisha Wadsworth and Harriet Wadsworth his wife, being Certificate No. 1008, Notification No. 5030, being the South half of the Northeast quarter and the Southeast quarter of Section three (3) and the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section ten (10) and lots one (1) and two (2) in Section two (2) and lot (1) of Section eleven (11) all in Township fifteen (15) South Range five (5) West Willamette Meridian, containing 159 20/100 acres more or less, in Benton County, Oregon.

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