

THE EUGENE CITY GUARD.

SATURDAY, FEB. 10, 1876. EUGENE CITY, OREGON.

Democratic State Convention.

A Democratic State Convention is here-by called to convene in the city of Salem on Wednesday, April 26th, 1876, at 11 o'clock, A. M., to select six Delegates to the National Democratic Convention...

Table listing delegates by county: Baker, Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, Curry, Douglas, Grant, Josephine, Jackson, Lake, Lane, Lincoln, Marion, Multnomah, Polk, Tillamook, Union, Wasco, Washington, Yamhill.

C. B. BELLINGER, Chairman Pro Tem. M. V. BROWN, Secretary.

No Principles.

Those two great newspapers, the Oregon State Journal and the New York Tribune mourn in unison because the Democratic party has no principles. But the party so ably represented by those papers has at least one principle so broad that no Democratic newspaper will ever attempt to deny its existence...

This enormous increase ought to set the people of the United States to thinking. At such a rate of increase how long will the people be able to sustain a "republican form of government"? Not more than twenty years at the longest, and ten to fifteen years will be its probable duration.

It is not at all probable that a conviction will be had in the case of Babcock. All the witnesses on the part of the Government have been examined, but it came too near home to get at much truth.

Andersonville.

The papers are as full of it as they were years ago when the war was in progress. If a Democratic paper says anything about it it accused of defending Andersonville, Jeff Davis, Winder, Wirz, Pomeroy's Democrat, the slaughter of the innocents, the Guy Fawks gunpowder plot, and so on ad infinitum.

So long as he raves around town splashing mud on the City Council, scaring at the old Court House and hiding himself in the saloons to avoid the sight of the horrible old jail and school house, it is nothing to us as clod-boppers, but when he comes out among us tearing up hop-poles and destroying our system of farming with his complicated theories...

What is he doing when he is examining saloons and learning the habits of idlers and loafers—eh? Is he angry because all others are not at work so that he can monopolize the loafing?

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guns at Manassas were, before their real character was ascertained, and just as harmless when exposed to minute inspection.

FLYING CLOUDS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE GUARD: I promised you and myself sometime ago to waste no more ammunition on "New Comer," and would not now if he and his ravings only affected him and his surroundings.

Mr. B's, barn and house were filled, or rather furnished with imported articles, and why? Because our merchants are so close-fisted that they will not risk a penny for a chance to make a pound! Mr. B's, next neighbor used to make cheese—and if he does not yet it is because he cannot sell it.

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He says the old settlers are opposed to improvements. * * * That class never will build anything—not even good fences around their farms—and he is sorry to include Clod Hopper in that class, and Clod Hopper is sorry too, for there is not a cloud of truth in the assertion.

We have always had an abundance of men in Oregon to talk, and talk find fault, and that party—the talkers and growlers—is probably in the majority yet, but I am pleased to know that its numbers are growing less as the working class increases.

But other of his complaints deserve notice, and to explain I will give my own experience. My wagon was made in this county; my plows—all I have owned—have been made in this county; harness, ax handles, barrows, maddock, furniture—in fact everything that can be made at home or in the neighborhood here...

Coffee don't do well on our land so we have to buy the imported article. Tea we have not tried to raise; our farmers sow salt but I've not seen any growing around here. Sugar is also an exotic, but a nurseryman down the valley advertises sugar-apples for sale, so there's a good time coming.

ABOUT THE NEXT thing will be some paper quoting the Oregonian as "a staunch Democratic organ," and the one that does so will be as near correct as is the Oregonian when it quotes the St. Louis Republican as a Democratic organ.

of Oregon, that they import all their groceries—how did New Comer discover that fact? I never knew a farmer to make a threshing machine; is it the fault of the climate or the farmers that machinery does not grow like big potatoes in our soil?

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But here let me drop a hint: the little pork sold by Lane county farmers was shipped to Portland; next summer it will come back, "California bacon," and be sold with double freight charges on it to the consumer in Eugene City.

P. S.—Newcomer is out again, professing profound knowledge in one sentence and extreme ignorance in the next; just as occasion requires. If "nine-tenths of the people have nothing to sell," what do they buy with? In his letter published on the 5th he says "nine-tenths," and in the one dated Feb. 10th he says "not one in fifty"; next time I suppose he will hardly break bulk, but will issue his absurdities by wholesale.

Judge Kelly will reply to Blaine on finances to-day; he proposes to show that the Republicans are not united on finance.

Both branches of the Montana legislature have passed a bill giving three and a half million dollars to aid the construction of the Northern Pacific Railroad from Bismarck westward.

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State Republican Central Committee.

The State Republican Central Committee convened in Portland on the 16th, pursuant to the call of the chairman.

In the absence of the Secretary, Mr. J. C. Moreland was chosen Secretary pro tem.

All the counties were represented. A committee was appointed to prepare a call, consisting of W. H. Odell, J. W. Watts and J. N. Dolph, who brought in the following report, which, after some amendments, was adopted:

Mr. Chairman: The committee appointed to prepare a call for a Republican State Convention have performed that duty, and report the following draft of a call for the consideration of the committee:

A Republican State Convention is hereby called to convene in the city of Portland, Wednesday, May 3d, 1876, at 11 o'clock A. M., to select six delegates to the National Republican Convention, candidates for judges of the supreme court in the second, third and fifth judicial districts, for prosecuting attorneys for the several judicial districts, three presidential electors, and a candidate for representative in congress, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the convention.

In making this call for a Republican State Convention, the State Central Committee realize the fact that too much importance cannot be attached to preliminary operations. This being a "government of the people, by the people, for the people," the agents or officers of the government should be in accord with the people.

REVERDY JOHNSON.—The death of the celebrated jurist, Reverdy Johnson is announced. He died at the place of his birth, Annapolis, Md., at the age of 80 years. He was seized with vertigo, or apoplexy, and fell first against the granite corner of a house and afterward upon a cobblestone pavement.

Those who have heard Hon. W. H. Odell blow his political bugle will recognize the call for a Republican convention as a portion of one of his old thread-bare speeches.

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The huge, drastic, gripping, sickening pills, constructed of crude, coarse and bulky ingredients, are fast being superseded by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets, or Sugar-Coated Concentrated Root and Herbal Juice, Anti-Bilious Granules—the "Little Giant" Cathartic or Maltum in Parvo Physic.

Dr. Ira A. Thayer, of Baconsburg, Ohio, writes: "I regard your Pellets as the best remedy for the conditions for which you prescribe them of anything I have ever used, so mild and certain in effect, and leave the bowels in an excellent condition. It seems to me they must take the place of all other cathartic pills and medicines."

The committee on Territories have under consideration a bill providing for the admission of New Mexico and Colorado, and also one to change the governments of Territories so as to permit the people to elect their own officers instead of having them appointed, as is now done, by the General Government.

FRANK LESLIE, at his Mammoth Publishing House, 537 Pearl Street, New York, issues seventeen beautifully illustrated newspapers and magazines. Mr. Leslie was the first in the United States to undertake the publication of a weekly illustrated newspaper, and to him belongs the honor of being the publisher of The Illustrated Newspaper in America.

The National Gold Medal was awarded to Bradley Rulofson for the best Photographs in the United States, and the Vienna Medal for the best in the world.

Courage! Don't despair when the doctor says your lungs are diseased. The worst cases given up as hopeless have been cured by HALL'S HONEY OF HORSERADISH AND TAR.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Lane. C. W. Young, Plaintiff, vs. G. H. Baker, John Watson and Wm. Watson. To said Defendants: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to be and appear in said Court and answer the motion of the Plaintiff...

Dissolution.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Whitney & Co., is dissolved by mutual consent. Business will be continued by Mr. Atterberry, who will pay all debts and collect all sums due the late firm.

Administrators Sale of REAL ESTATE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRTUE of an order of sale, issued out of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Lane, I will sell at public auction at the Court House door, in the City of Eugene, in said County at 1 o'clock P. M.,

WEDNESDAY, 15th day of March, 1876. The following described real estate belonging to the estate of Henry Hageman, deceased, for the payment of debts, to wit: Lot number two in block number fifteen in Eugene City, Lane County and State of Oregon, and known as the EUGENE CITY BREWERY, together with the tenements, hereditaments and improvements thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Well Improved Farm for Sale.

A WELL IMPROVED FARM of 360 acres, 100 acres under cultivation; all under fence and the improvements in good order, which will sell at a bargain. Situated 2 miles west of town and has a good outcrop for stock. Apply at this office.

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Have formed a copartnership for the purpose of carrying on a general Grocery and Provision Business, and will keep on hand a general assortment of Groceries, Provisions, Cigars, Nuts, Candles, Soaps, Crockery, Wood and Willow Ware, Green and Dried Fruits, Cured Meats, Etc., Etc.

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