The Democratic Times.

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A Ludicrous Imbroglio.

The Portland papers are from time to time filled with effusions from Hon. B. F. Burch, Superintendent of the Penitentiary, and Wm. H. Watkinds, the ex-Superintendent, in which they attack each other quite savagely, remuch of two great boobies quarreling and having nothing in particular to fight over. First, Watkinds, upon retiring, is exceedingly anxious to have know with what toil I labored for the Wade Hampton, of South Carolina, for Vice the people know that he has managed the l'enitentiary economically and made a good Superintendent, and, for fear nobody will know it, volunteers to publish the fact himself. Then that Watkinds will get too much credit, and throws a damper on Bill's pronunciamento of his own excellence by declaring it substantially incorrect. Of and of course Mr. Burch will not forego his chance to come back. It is purely a personal matter, in which only they have a particular interest, if any reduce their condition infinitely worse at all can be attached to it. It is, however, amusing to see how the Repub- feel that to have emancipated those lican press distorts the affair and endeavors to make a point against the Democracy because of it. Its forebodings of a party quarrel because these this to the men who, at the hazard of morning and evening in the churches here. CALL and SEE FOR YOURSELF. DRY-GOODS, FANCY GOODS, doughty warriors see fit to assail each their lives, gave him votes without The part of the Democracy while Mr. other with their own peculiar weapons are wholly gratuitous and will prove

Tilden's Tactics.

D. M. Dickinson, Chairman of the Democratic State Committee of Michigan, told a story in the State Convention at Lansing the other day, says an exchange, which is very much to Mr. Tilden's credit. He said that just before the October election he was called to New York to consult with forty gentlemen from all parts of the Union. Some of these gentlemen said that the Republicans were importing voters into Indiana and Ohio. They urged that money must be had—that corruption must be met with corruption. than his highest competitor. Polk rep-Republican frauds. So far as Gov. Fillmore, and yet he had half a milchairmen. He sat bolt upright and were thrown against him, was still import do not vote; but, when you by fraud, you make a grand mistake."

Swamp Land Decision.

The following decision has been made by the Secretary of Interior. As it has bearing on the swamp land question in our State we give it in full:

WASHINGTON, April 26th.—Some months ago the General Land Office declined to certify lands to the State of California as swamp, for the reason that sundry pre-emption claims were appeal has reversed this decision, and lays down the following new and very important rulings for the future guidance of the department: The swamp land act of 1850 was a grant in presenti, actually swamp. The act of July, 1866, to quiet land titles made no new grant titles to land which had been regarded by the State as swampy, although perhaps not actually swamp land. Consequently, the saving clause in favor of the pre-emption rights of 1866 does not apply to lands which were actually swamp, and all pre-emption settlements on such lands conceded to be awamp are absolutely void, unless made prior to Sept. 28, 1850.

War Commenced.

Turkey and Russia finally concluded to fight and encounters have taken place between them during the past few days. So far the Turks have been successful every time, but Russia will soon get to business and cleau out her opponent on short notice. The prevailing strife has developed the fact that the Turks are better warriors than they have been given credit of being. However, Russia's supertority in the number of troops and the state of her finances will tell in time.

Wby They lament.

With four years' good stealing yet left in South Carolina, and no chance to get at it, Patterson and Chamberlain are inconsola-

TRIBULATIONS OF A RADICAL WAR-RIOR.

Ben Wade is one of the many ultra Republicans who does not approve of Mr. Hayes' Southern policy, and is Carolina. not slow about letting the public know it in an unmistakable manner. He

JEFFERSON, O., April 9, 1877.

U. H. PAINTER, Washington, D. C .: My Dear Sir: Your letter of the 5th of this month is duly received. You ask whether I remember what I said in favor of President Hayes in do remember it after what has trans- | war. pired with indignation and bitterness of soul that I never felt before. You emancipation of the slaves of the President. South, and to procure justice for them Congress; and I supposed Governor Hayes was in full accord with me on this subject. But I have been deceived, comes Burch, who is evidently afraid betrayed, even humiliated by the which I have not the language to express. During the first month of his administration we watched him closely with two of the worst and most macourse the ex-Superintendent retorts, lignant enemies of the colored race that can be found in all that slavecursed region, and then consulting with those malefactors how best he can put those colored people under iron, in great luck. The rise is equal to a gain of than before they were made free. I to have a few thousand tons on the way out. people and then leave them unproto have them reduced to slavery when they were free And for Haves to do erance from the grasshoppers. All busithey were free. And for Hayes to do ness was suspended, and meetings held power to do this terrible injustice! No doubt he meditates the destruc- led the grizzly-namely, neither to help the tion of the party that elected him. A hunter nor the bear, but "to sit on the fence contemplation of this fills me with and see the biggest bear fight recorded in amazement inexpressible and indignation. My only consolation is that history informs me that better men out against Hayes. The leaders of the linthan I ever pretended to be have in perial party are not fond of Constitutional like manner been deceived. Some ing that he means well, but hell is and therefore acts Democratic. paved with just such good intentions. Yours truly, B. F. WADE.

Minority Presidents.

There were five minority Presidents before Hayes, Andrew Jackson did not receive a majority on the popular vote, but he had 50,000 more votes The next day Gov. Tilden met the resented a minority, and so did Taylor, forty gentlemen at his house, and the but both were many thousand votes three or four men who had previously ahead of the next highest candidate. spoken again broached the subject of Buchanan fell nearly 400,000 behind money and means to counteract the the combined votes of Fremont and Tilden knew, these men spoke the lion more than either one. Abraham sentiment of the entire body of State | Lincoln, with a million less votes than listened, and when all had finished he half a million ahead of Douglas. But said: "Gentlemen, I have an abid- Returning Board Hayes, who now ing faith in the integrity of the Amer- occupies the office, held honestly by tean people. An election cannot be all of these minority Presidents, had carried by corruption. Let your or- neither a majority of the electoral vote ganizations see to it that the men they nor of the popular vote. More ballots were cast for Tilden than for Hayes, come to me and ask me to offset fraud Cooper and Smith combined, with nearly 150,000 to spare. Hayes is neither the President of a majority, nor honestly of a minority. He is the President of a returning board and of a conspiracy.

Just How They Feel.

The state of mind of the average Republican Congressman at Washington since Mr. Hayes has announced his intention of being a law unto himon record covering them. Schurz on self in the matter of appointments reminds one of the negro who fell into the Mississippi. Thrice they tried to rescue the drowning man as thrice he came to the surface exclaiming in and under it the State of California agony, "Save dat yere pocket-book !" was entitled to all lands at that date At a fourth attempt they fished him out, unconscious, but his pocket-book of such lands, but only quieted the had sunk to rise no more. When, after half an hour's arduous exertions, they brought him to himself, the poor African's first words were: "Did you sabe dat yere pocket-book ?" They explained to him that they had been unable to do so without risk of losing him, whereupon, in a voice of anguish, he exclaimed: "If yer didn't sabe dat yere pocket-book, what de debble was the use of sabing me?" That is just how the Republican Congressman feels. If he hasn't saved the patronage, what the devil was the use of saving the party ?"

A Republican Admission.

Wayne McVeigh, one of Mr. Hayes' Louisiana Commissioners, says that after all Tilden and Hendricks really and honestly carried that State. This comes very late; but still it is some satisfaction to the millions that believe same. Those indebted are requested to set-Mr. Tilden elected to know that many leckson. leading Republicans are of the same opinion and are openly expressing it now that the stubborn truth is finally 3d Mondays in each month, at 7½ o'clock coming to the surface and cannot be P. M. Companions in good standing are inaverted.

GENERAL NOTES AND NEWS.

Wheat was sold at San Francisco last Saturday at \$3 15 per cental. Hampton's message is said to be a step towards repudiating the State debt of South

Oregon wheat is quoted at 64 shillings per quarter in London, against 40 shillings last September.

Our Government will probably send two or three officers abroad to observe the military operations between Russia and Turkey. Packard received 600 more votes in Louisiana than Hayes did; and yet Hayes was declared elected by Louisiana's vote while Packard is incontinently booted out.

The Secretary of the Navy proposes to fit out several United States war vessels to be minding a disinterested outsider very my endeavor to procure his nomina- in readiness for any emergency which may tion at the Cincinnati Convention? I arise in connection with the Turco-Russian

> A West Virginia paper has already printed its ticket for 1880. It is made up of James D. Williams, of Indiana, for President, and

Governor Hartranft, as Commander-inbefore and during the time I was in Chief of the national organization of the Grand Army of the Republic, has issued a general order designating May 30th as Memorial Day.

Four of the Chico incendiaries have been sentenced to the Penitentiary: H. T. Jones course he has taken, to denounce for twenty years, James Fay and Pleasant Slaughter, ten years, and Adam Holder-

> The Republican's lament: Dearest R. B. H. has left us, And his loss we deeply feel, For of spoils he has bereft us,

Gone over to the enemy!

And no longer can we steal.

The wheat bonanza is now just the biggest thing going. Several Oregon shippers are twenty or twenty-five dollars a ton; and you can see yourself how nice a thing it is Chicago, April 26th .- The Inter-Ocean's St. Paul special says there has been a gentected would be a crime as infamous as eral observance of to-day throughout the which he never could have had the Hayes and Mr. Blaine are settling their little difficulties is that which the bear hunter asked Providence to play when he tack-

Blaine, Banks, Wade, Garrison, Phillips, Cameron, Packard, one after another, come government; but the people are. Haves, who is a fair lawyer, understands that he is have attempted to excuse him by say- holding the Presidency in trust for Tilden,

> Colorado has abolished the Grand Jury in name but not in principle and practice. Instead of a Grand Jury, a Court of Impeachment, consisting of the County Judge and two Justices of the Peace, has been established. This Court will investigate all charges of felony and other crimes, and determine whether a bill of indictment shall

Portland, April 28th.-A most shocking and fatal accident occurred yesterday at Dennis' sash and door factory, Salem. J. Verdier, proprietor of the coffee and spice mills on State Street, while engaged in grinding some spices at a burr run by a belt connecting with the water wheel of the factory, was PERFUMERY and TOILET ARTICLES. caught and carried over the shaft, mangling him fearfully and tearing one of his legs completely off. He survived only half an

A Washington dispatch to the New York World says at a conference of Southern Republicans at the Ebbitt House, it was agreed that the South hereafter would be unitedly Democratic. In the course of the conversation, which reached a high temper, threats of exposure of certain dispatches and documents in connection with the declaration of the result in Louisiana and Florida for President were made. It was even declared that if Packard was abandoned in Louisiana the most startling exposures of the means by which the Republicans counted in Hayes there would be published.

Report of the Louisiana Commission.

The Louisiana Commissioners' report recites the state of affairs they found in New Orleans, on their arrival there, and the necessity of first securing a common Legislature of undisputed authority. Having accomplished this, they considered the removal of troops the next thing in order to obtain tranquility as regards legal questions in dispute between the AT VEIT SCHUTZ' HALL Nichols and Packard parties as to the constitutionality of the acts of the Legislature creating the Returning Friday Evening, May 11th, 1877. Board. The Nichols party admitted there was nothing in the Constitution opposed to the creation of the Board, James Birdsey, John Cimborsky, A. Fisher, as far as Federal elections were concerned; but, that in respect to Governor and members of the Assembly, the Constitution clearly devolved upon the Secretary of State and the Assembly the duty of receiving and counting votes. As matters stood on the arrival of the Commission, legal title of the respective claimants to the office of Governor depended upon this question. There was no judicial tribunal acknowledged by both parties by which it could be settled; consequently the only hope of a practical solution was in the union of the undisputed members of the rival Legislatures. This was effected, and matters being thus put in train for legal adjustment are hereby summoned to appear at this moval of troops was recommended, and the Legislature adjourned to the State House.

To Whom It May Concern.

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY GIVES I notice that he has placed his notes and Jacksonville, accounts in the hands of J. Nunan, who is authorized to collect and receipt for the P. DONEGAN. Jackson ville, April 16, 1877.

Oregon Chapter No. 4, R. A. M., Holds its regular meetings on the 1st and | teed. J. R. N. BELL, Priest. J. H. Hynson, Secretary.

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-on-

Committee of Arrangements: David Cronemiller, L. Solomon. Floor Managers:

Committee on Reception: E. B. Watson, H. K. Hanna, H. Pape.

E. D. Foudray, C. W. Savage, Sol. Sachs.

GOOD MUSIC AND SUPPER WILL be provided. Tickets, (including supper) \$3.00. A general invitation is extended.

NOTICE.

U. S. LAND OFFICE. LINKVILLE, Oregon, April 8, 1877. COMPLAINT HAVING BEEN EN- WAGON AND CARRIAGE PAINTING tered at this office by Quincy A. Brooks, Agent and Attorney for the State of Oregon, against Andrew Webb for abandoning his pre-emption filing No. 160, dated April 9, 1874, upon the N. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4, Sec. 7, W. 1/2 of N. W. 1/4 and N. W. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4. Section 8, Township 40 south, Range 8 east, in Lake county, Oregon, with a view to the eancellation of said filing: the said parties by the people of the State, the re- office on the 25th day of May, 1877, at 1 o'clock P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandon-ment. S. B. CRANSTON, Register. GEO. CONN, Receiver.

New Boot and Shoe Store, CALIFORNIA STREET,

HAVING PERMANENTLY LOCATED in Jacksonville, the undersigned respectfully informs the public that he is prepared to do all kinds of work in the boot and shoe making line. Satisfaction guaran-M. CATON.

TF you want a No. 1 home-made Rifle or first-class Shotgun, go to JOHN MILLER.

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NOTICE.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

Estray Notice.

MOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

N an estray has been taken up by the

undersigned, living near Willow Springs,

Jackson county, Oregon, viz.: One dark

bay or brown mare, branded O. C. on the right shoulder, white spot in forehead, left

hip down, eight or nine years old. Has been running in this neighborhood some

Estray Notice.

MOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

I the undersigned has taken up and

posted an estray horse of the following

description, to-wit: A brown horse about five years old, no marks or brands. My

residence is on Little Applegate, in Jackson

county, Oregon. The owner will please call

and pay charges and get his property. CHAS. L. THURMAN.

Estray Notice.

TAKEN UP BY THE UNDERSIGNED,

I living three miles northeast of Jack-

sonville, one bay mare, about fifteen hands

high, black legs, mane and tail; with a

small white spot in torehead. Supposed to

Also one roan steer, about six years old,

The owner or owners will come forward

and pay charges and take the animals away.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon,

In the matter of the estate of George H.

Erb, deceased.

L'LIZABETH ERB, EXECUTRIX OF

Said estate, having filed in said Court

her final account for settlement, and also

praying for an order for setting the time for

hearing the same, therefore notice is hereby

given that said final account will be heard

June 5, 1877, at which time all persons hav-

ing any objections to said final account and tlement must then and there make the

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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER AND

license of the County Court of the Stato

of Oregon, for Jackson county, sitting for

the transaction of probate business on

April 3d, 1877, the undersigned, Administra-

tor of the estate of Lavinia Stow, deceased,

will sell at public auction, for eash in U.S.

gold coin, at the Court House door in Jack-

Saturday, May 12, 1877,

at 1 o'clock P. M., the following described

real property, situated in Jackson county,

Oregon, belonging to the estate of said de-

Beginning at a post 20.90 chains east, 8.60

chains south, from the corner to sections 4.

5, 8 and 9, in township No. 36, thence west

80,50 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence

east 80 chains; thence 40 chains north to

place of beginning-the same being the

west half of donation land claim No. 51,

the whole of which claim contains 321 acres,

and is situated in township 36 south, range

1 west. Together with all the appurte-

Administrator of the estate of Laviria

HERMAN V. HELMS,

E. D. FOUDRAY, Clerk.

and determined in said Court on Tuesday,,

for the County of Jackson, sitting in pro-

or they will be sold according to law.

bate Tuesday, April 24, 1877.

Silas J. Day, County Judge

sonville, in said county, on

nances thereunto belonging.

Jacksonville, April 7, 1877.

ceased, to-wit:

Stow, deceased.

crop off the right ear and crop and slit in

be four years old. Unbroke.

three years.

April 3d, 1877.

March 31, 1877.

J. BROWN.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, Linkville, Oregon, April 7, 1877. COMPLAINT HAVING BEEN E :tered at this office by Quincy A. Brooks, Attorney for the State of Oregon, against John H. Butts for abandoning his pre-emption filing No. 114, dated October 10, 1873, upon the S. E. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4, S. W. A FINE STOCK & LOW PRICES 4 of S. E. 4. and lots 6 and 7, Sec. 17 and lots 15 and 16, Section 20, Township 39 south, Range 9 east, in Lake county, Oregon, with a view to the cancellation of said filing: the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 23d day of May, 1877, at 1 o'clock P. M., to re-

NOTICE.

spond and furnish testimony concerning

S. B. CRANSTON, Register.

said alleged abandonment.

U. S. LAND OFFICE. LINKVILLE, Oregon, April 3, 1877. COMPLAINT HAVING BEEN ENtered at this office by Quincy A. Brooks, Attorney for the State of Oregon, against A. C. Modie for abandoning his pre-emption filing No. 209, dated October 20, 1874, upon the S. ½ of N. E. ¼, N. W. ¼ of N. E. ¼, and N. E. ¼ of S. W. ¼, Section 14, Township 40 south, Range 13 east, in Lake county, Oregon, with a view to the cancellation of said filing: the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 19th day of May, 1877, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. S. B. CRANSTON, Register.

NEW BAKERY.

IN MASONIC BUILDING, OREGON ST.,

JACKSONVILLE, OGN.

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY DEsires to announce to the public that he is now prepared to fill all orders for cakes of every description, such as wedding cakes, cakes for parties, wine cakes; also brown and rye bread, ginger snaps and crackers. Takes orders on exchange. Prices reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed. Fresh bread every day. WM. KREUZER.

TO THE PUBLIC.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT all persons traveling and crossing the bridge on Rogue river, at Rock Point, that Jackson county is in no wise responsible for any accident or loss that may be sustained while crossing said bridge, as the same is not standing upon any public highway. Published by order of the County Court, this 9th day of April, 1877. Attest: E. D. FOUDRAY, Clerk.

MINING NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned have purchased the interests of Wm. Irwin, W. F. Brown and DAINTS (patents or other,) Oils, Var-W. W. Smith in the Courtney, Irwin & Co. nishes, Shelac, Window Glass, Emery, mine in Josephine county, and will pay all debts of said company up to this date. D. C. COURTNEY, W. M. MURPHY.

Picket creek, April 16, 1877.

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