

The Democratic Times.

Official Paper for Jackson, Josephine & Lake. FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1878.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

His Fraudulency was installed one year ago last Tuesday. There is some consolation in knowing that his seat has been kept quite torrid since he planted himself in it.

THE Democratic strength in the Senate was amply shown the other day, when the election of President pro tem. came up. Senator Ferry, the Republican candidate, was elected over Senator Thurman, the choice of the Democrats, by a vote of 28 to 27—a majority of one. This slight ascendancy will be effectually wiped out one year hence.

THE Republican press finds especial pleasure in its attempt to break down the Hon. Samuel J. Tilden. Its attacks on him are as virulent as they ever were, even though that gentleman has not appeared publicly since the Presidential contest. Do they fear his prospective candidacy in 1880? Their concern is certainly ominous, to say the least.

THE Republicans find much to say about spathy of Democrats in place toward Union soldiers, yet, when a bill comes up for pensioning veterans of the Mexican war, they array themselves against it for a Confederate may receive a pittance under its provisions. There is self-abnegation and liberality evinced in this action most fearful to behold.

THE House Banking and Currency Committee has smothered Gen. Ewing's inflation bill, a fate we fondly anticipated for it. This indiscriminate method of inflating our paper currency is inexpedient, for it cannot prove beneficial to the masses and will become a nuisance generally. If we are going to grind out money ad libitum, we may as well cease paying taxes to keep the Government afloat.

THE Oregonian is much displeased with the action of the House of Representatives in reviving the income tax. It is not at all probable that the measure will ever become a law with such a Senate and so hide-bound an individual wielding the executive veto; but it affords us great amusement in observing the grasping Skylocks of the Union wince under the possibility of it becoming operative. The nearest way toward touching their hearts is via the pocket.

Passed Over the Veto.

Mr. Hayes evidently did not consider the large majority by which Congress passed the silver bill as ominous of a stern determination on its part to restore the "dollar of our daddies." He preferred to act in the interests of the money-sharks and against the desires of the masses. His veto of that measure is a matter needing no gratuitous explanation. Perhaps he was susceptible enough to believe that his disapproval of the act would be sustained. His culpability is none the less notwithstanding. He deliberately sought to play into the hands of the money oligarchy, and then, with smooth-sounding platitudes, attempted to justify his course. But the prompt action of both branches in overriding his veto by a decisive two-thirds took the wind out of the pretender's sails. Now, let the resumption act be repealed and John Sherman's insane financial policy superseded. It is idle to talk of resuming specie payments without some thing to resume with. This ought to be self-evident. Forced resumption at so early a date as 1879 would be disastrous to the interests of the country. None are more desirous of resumption than we; but it must not be done prematurely.

Newspaperial.

The Oregonian has entered its eighteenth volume. Although not sanctioning its political fallacies, we cannot but accord it the virtue of being a first-class journal.

The Land Register is the name of a new publication issued from Portland by D. H. Stearns. It is a publication Oregon has felt the need of, and its success ought to be assured.

Solid Facts.

The political chronology of 1876 denotes that while Maine consented to keep Blaine in our National councils the Cincinnati Convention declined nominating him as the Republican standard-bearer through fear of his vulnerability and the apparent weakness of his candidacy, growing out of the Mulligan and other damaging charges against him.

THE SCHOOL FUND.

This is a favorite topic in which Republican orators and their press grow wondrously interested about the time the biennial campaign rolls around. It is their greatest pleasure to frequently bring the matter up, of course never forgetting to picture the Democratic conservators of this fund—under whose management it first assumed shape and afforded benefit to the school children of the State—as demagogic and flimsy incarnate, who are robbing it continually without remorse of conscience.

The Salem Mercury has taken pains to obtain the facts and figures in the premises, which we present below. They put a new face on matters and cannot but have their weight with the most prejudiced.

The animus of these charges is apparent. Little know or care they about the real condition of the school fund. Their only mission is to manufacture political capital, and they choose this subject as one capable of affording them the most buncombe.

The Radical organs howl piteously about the University fund of the State, and charge all kinds of things against the Democracy; but they do not tell the people that while the Republicans had charge of the State from 1862 to 1870 the University fund only amounted to about \$9,000; that it had been mixed in with the school fund, the agents of the board in many of the counties not knowing the difference between what was school fund and what was University fund. These organs do not tell the people that during seven years of Democratic administration this fund has increased from \$9,000 to over \$70,000, and a University built that is an honor to the educational interests of the State. They do not speak of the University grant being unapproved during the administration of Gibbs and Woods, and that pre-empted, railroad and wagon-road grants, and applicants under the homestead law were continually securing title to the University lands that had been selected but not approved, until more than 5,000 acres of the most valuable lands of the grant were lost to the State, and other lands, not so valuable, had to be taken in their stead, because none so valuable that were vacant could be found.

What is said by the organ-grinders about the school fund being dissipated and lost, is equally false and without foundation. When the Republicans went out of power in 1870, the common school fund amounted to \$312,385 10, and, although the law made it the duty of the Board to distribute the interest accumulating annually on this sum among the different school districts of the State, not a dollar was so distributed. The first benefit derived from the fund was after the Democracy came into power, and since that time more than \$200,000 has been distributed as interest, as provided by law, to assist in maintaining free schools in the districts throughout the State. The fund now foots up \$600,000, or about \$300,000 more than when the Democracy came into power, besides the distribution of \$173,048 59, as interest up to and including the distribution made in February last, there will be near \$70,000 more to add to the above amount, making a grand total of interest distributed since 1871 of \$243,048 59. Had this sum been added to the principal instead of being distributed according to law, the total amount of the common school fund would be \$843,048 59, or an increase of more than half a million of dollars during the continuance of the Democracy in power. Yet our Radical cotemporaries, in the face of truth, facts and figures, are trying to mislead the public mind and make people believe that the school fund is being squandered. But, as the sins of the Radicals are so great and so numerous, we must expect that they will try to divert the attention of the public mind from their many shortcomings and iniquities by lying about the truth.

Extravagant Letter-Writing. Somebody from this place, signing himself "Democrat," unobscured himself in a recent number of the Oregonian, the plaint of his communication being the gubernatorial candidacy of our friend, C. C. Beckman, which he favors. We recognize the ear-marks of a well-known citizen of Jacksonville, who has developed a proficiency in writing letters from the "dear people" on opportune occasions, but his Democracy antedates several years.

GENERAL NOTES AND NEWS.

Ben. Butler voted for the silver bill because he wanted his spoons at par.

"Silver threads among the gold" is what the Democracy are now singing out to our law-makers.

Dan Holton, of Portland, has compromised with his creditors by paying 25 cents on the dollar.

The celebrated break in the Southern Democracy, for all man can see, as far off as the millennium.

The President has nominated Bayard Taylor to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Germany.

Mr. Hayes is reported as saying that whatever the result of the trials, he cannot afford to keep the Louisiana Returning Board people in office.

J. Madison Wells in jail, and Rutherford B. Hayes in the White House! Packard an unprovoked political tramp, and Hayes in the highest office in the land!

Deacon Duncan, the great bank robber, was captured at 509 Kearney St., San Francisco, on the morning of the 27th of February. He stated that it was his intention to give himself up in a few days.

Harper's Weekly tells the whole truth when it says the Democratic party opposes demoralization and forced resumption, while the Republican party is resolutely committed to both these projects. Let Greenbackers remember this fact.

The August Constitutionalist wants a solid South in 1880, and thinks that the most effectual way to get it and keep it is to encourage the rant of Blaine, the roar of Conkling, the bellowing of Chandler, the carping of Nast, and the lying drivel of Lawrence. They are all valuable adjuncts, and their aid is not to be despised.

Preparing for War.

England is arming in hot haste, and it is significant that her great preparations are unchecked by any of the current rumors to the effect that Russia will consider all that British interests require, and so forth. It is evident that faith in Muscovite professions has come to an end. The terms of peace proposed to Turkey have operated as a disagreeable disillusionizer. It is now indisputably apparent that nothing less than the dissolution of the Ottoman Empire is contemplated, and that the Czar intends, if he can, to gain in 1878 all, and more than all, his predecessor strove for in 1854. But the crisis has been reached at which it becomes necessary for England to fight, as she threatens to fight four-and-twenty years ago, single-handed, and against whatever odds might be opposed, rather than abandon her just claims. The selfish demerit that the Egyptian revenues, already pledged for the payment of interest upon Turkish bonds, should be appropriated to satisfy a Russian indemnity, has no doubt intensified the war-feeling; but it is steadily rising against all opposition, says the Record Union, and it is evident that at last the English people have made up their minds. Unless Russia modifies her terms very considerably, she must make her account with an English war.

The Accomplish' Lament.

Anderson, the returning board scoundrel, can now go to jail with a light heart, for have not Garfield, Sherman & Co. sent him their sympathy? But that is not going to release him from the punishment he so richly deserves, and we suppose he appreciates this fact. Those worthies have placed themselves in a ridiculous, not to say disgraceful, position. The annexed is a copy of their message:

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6, 1877. To Gen. Thomas G. Anderson, New Orleans, La.: The undersigned feel it due to you, under present circumstances, to assure you of our unhesitating belief that, in the matter where you stand charged, you are altogether guiltless of any offense against law; that you are falsely accused and maliciously persecuted; that the proceeding against you, though in the form of law, is without the substance of justice; that we hereby tender our earnest sympathies, and express our hope that the sense of justice and love of peace of the people of Louisiana will protect you, and not permit the best interests of the whole country to be disturbed by a revival of sectional animosities. In any event, we are confident that the American people will redress any injustice of which you may be made the victim. EUGENE HALE, JOHN SHERMAN, STANLEY MATHEWS, HENRY WHITE, & A. GARFIELD.

Let the United States Show Herself.

There is a rumor prevalent in Washington that negroes have been kidnapped in Florida and sent to Cuba, there being sold into slavery. Mr. Hayes has appointed Congressman Leonard of Louisiana to ferret out the facts in the matter. This sensation is liable to waste in thin air and end in the United States having her trouble for her pains. We are quite interested in knowing what the Administration will do in case the story is confirmed. This government has of late years gained a reputation for tamely submitting to the eccentricities of foreign powers, and decisive, dignified action on such occasions would be a noteworthy deviation from the general rule that obtained under General Grant.

DURING the closing years of his remarkable career, the late Emperor Napoleon III. was a martyr to that dreadful malady, stone in the bladder or gravel, and his days were shortened by the painful operation to which he submitted in order to its removal. Had he known of the old, simple and popular remedy, Fress's Hamburg Tea, he might be sitting on the French throne. It is an effective agent for the cure of this distressing complaint, if taken in season—before the formation becomes too hard.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

A Democratic Convention for Jackson County is hereby called, to be held at the Court House in Jacksonville on

Saturday, March 30, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing eight delegates to attend the State Convention, to be held at Portland on April 10, 1878, for the nomination of a Congressman, State and District officers; and for the further purpose of nominating one State senator, two Representatives, together with a county ticket, and for the transaction of all other business that may properly come before it.

The several precincts will be entitled to at least one delegate, and one delegate additional for every 25 votes, or fraction thereof of 15 votes, cast for Hon. L. F. Lane in 1876, to-wit:

Table listing precincts and delegates: Ashland, 50; Big Butte, 5; Eden, 5; Evans Creek, 1; Pines Creek, 1; Florence Rock, 1; Grant's Pass, 1; Jacksonville, 10; Little Butte, 2; Manzanita, 1; Rock Point, 1; Sterling, 1; Table Rock, 1; Uniontown, 1; Willow Springs, 1. Total number of delegates: 50.

NEW THIS WEEK.

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STRAYED FROM HIS HOME, ON OR about the first of December, my man, well known and much beloved, Heisabout nineteen or twenty hands high, fair, very attractive, and answers to the name of John L. Morrison. When last seen he was winding his way in direction of Jeffrey's, and as he had no bed or board to take along, I greatly fear he may suffer on the way. Any information of his whereabouts will be thankfully received and 35 cts. cheerfully paid by his afflicted wife, Eveline. He is a native of Missouri. Missouri papers please copy. BY ELINE (ELLEN) MORRISON.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL whom it may concern that I, Cyrus H. Pickens, Sr., have made, constituted and appointed my son, E. P. Pickens, my lawful agent and attorney, with full power and authority to manage and transact all my business for me, and with full control over my property and credits, and to execute as to all persons having unsettled accounts with me at this date to come forward and make settlement of the same with my said agent and attorney.

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Endorsement by the Central Committee: Resolved, That we, the State Central Committee of the Independent Greenback party, at a regular meeting held in the city of Salem, Oregon, on February 27, 1878, do hereby constitute and designate the LABOR WORLD, a weekly paper published in Portland, Oregon, as the official party organ for the State of Oregon, and do hereby authorize and request all persons having unsettled accounts with me at this date to come forward and make settlement of the same with my said agent and attorney.

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Guardian's Sale of Real Estate.

In the matter of the guardianship of the minor heirs of the estate of Joshua Patterson, deceased. THE PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER AND IN obedience of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County, sitting for the transaction of probate business on March 5th, A. D. 1878, the undersigned, guardian of the minor heirs of Joshua Patterson, deceased, will sell at public auction, for cash in U. S. gold and silver coin, at the Court House door in Jacksonville, in said county, on

Saturday, April 6, 1878,

between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. all of said minor heirs' interest in the following described real property, being a part of Sec. 9, in T. 35, S. of R. 1 west; Commencing at a stake placed on east side of the stage road passing through the village of Phoenix, and running thence on the east boundary of said stage road northwardly 8 rods to a stake; thence easterly by right angles with said stage road 20 rods; thence in a southerly direction parallel with said stage road 8 rods; thence in a westerly direction at right angles with said stage road 20 rods, to the place of beginning, lying and being in Jackson County, State of Oregon. CATHARINE PATTERSON, Guardian of said minor heirs.

Citation to Heirs.

In the County Court of Jackson County, State of Oregon, sitting for probate business on the March term, 1878. In the matter of the estate of Joseph Cox, deceased. To C. E. Cox, Franklin Cox, I. W. Cox, Malina Jane Moon, Joseph E. Cox, Mary E. Cox, Edward M. Cox and Lydia Ann Caldwell, heirs of Joseph Cox, deceased, and all others interested therein: YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT Y. M. A. Houston, administrator of said estate, has filed a petition, praying for an order of said Court to sell the following described real property belonging to said estate, to-wit:

The S. W. 1/4 of the S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 1, and the W. 1/2 of the N. W. 1/4 of Sec. 12, and the S. E. 1/4 of the N. E. 1/4 of Sec. 1, in T. 35, S. of R. 2 west, containing 169 acres; also the S. 1/2 of the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 2, and the N. E. 1/4 of the N. E. 1/4 of Sec. 11, all in Township 35, south of range 2 west, containing 129 acres and situated in Jackson County, Oregon.

Therefore, notice is hereby given that the prayer of said petition will be heard and determined at Jacksonville, in said county and State, on Tuesday, the 7th day of May, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time all parties interested are notified to appear and show cause why an order of sale should not be made as prayed for in said petition. By order of said Court, J. DAY, Judge. Attest: E. D. FOUDBRAY, Clerk.

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