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DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION

The following is a list of delegates elected at the primary meetings last Saturday to serve the Democracy of Jackson county in the convention which will be held in Jacksonville to-morrow, as nearly as we could obtain them:

Ashland—E. DePeatt, C. Neil, C. W. Logan, J. R. Toler, John May, J. J. Murphy, R. M. Garrett.

Applegate—J. H. Knutzen, John O'Brien, M. Culp.

Big Butte—J. H. Berry.

Eden—S. Furry, J. N. Woody, E. Morgan, J. A. Chastain.

Evans Creek—John Woods, H. Mensor.

Foots Creek—R. A. Cook.

Jacksonville—H. K. Hanna, S. J. Day, R. H. Moore, Henry Klippel, Geo. Hays, F. Elmer, W. Mensor, Geo. Rieve, Charles Prim, T. T. McKenzie.

Little Butte—T. E. Nichols, John Ashpole, C. W. Taylor, E. F. Simons.

Medford—W. Crawford, John Noland, D. H. Miller, I. J. Phipps.

Central Point—W. A. Oxen, George T. Hershberger, J. S. Grigsby.

Pleasant Creek—B. F. Taber, C. Owens.

Rock Point—Ben. Haymond, J. Neathamer, J. W. Masterson.

Table Rock—A. C. Stanley, E. P. Pickens, H. Pelton, Geo. Jackson, J. W. Rodgers.

Trail Creek—J. G. Briscoe, G. W. Lynch.

Uniontown—Alex. Inyart, Jas. McDonagh.

Willow Springs—Jas. McDonough, Thos. Wright, J. W. McKay.

Circuit Court Proceedings.

The following business has been transacted in the circuit court for Josephine county since the last report of the Times:

State of Oregon vs. Andrew Hamlin; indictment for rape. Verdict of "not guilty."

Jas. H. Colby vs. Clara B. Colby; suit for divorce. Decree granted.

R. R. Morris and D. S. Cook were appointed bailiffs for the term.

A. Brown vs. Kerby M. & M. Co.; confirmation. Sheriff's sale confirmed.

S. Daniels vs. H. S. Davenport. Same.

Mary Johnson vs. Henry Cassidy, et al.; to foreclose mortgage. Decree granted.

John F. Kelly vs. J. Bourne, Jr., et al.; suit to quiet title. Mandate from the supreme court in favor of plaintiff entered.

Kubli & Bolt vs. W. W. and Angelina Newman; confirmation Sheriff's sale confirmed.

Eden Yannoy vs. Jas. Lucas, et al. Same.

Clarinda Windom vs. L. C. Windom, divorce. Decree granted.

J. F. Buttles vs. Kerby M. & M. Co.; mechanic's lien. Dismissed as to A. Brown.

Maggie Scranton vs. Jos. Scranton; divorce. Decree granted.

Wm. Lister, a native of Canada, was admitted to citizenship.

A Statement.

The following appeared in the "Sittings" of last Sunday: "An article appeared in the Jacksonville Sentinel a short time ago, reflecting on the character of E. T. Kugler, lately of that place but now of Portland. A Sittings reporter met Mr. Kugler one day this week and interviewed him regarding the charges made against him in the Sentinel. Mr. Kugler denied every charge made against him in that paper. Said he: I have never been exiled from my native country, never had the reputation of being either an outcast or a villain, never was arrested in Jacksonville, or in any other place, never was knocked down in the streets or whipped by a Chinaman, as that vile, blackmailing paper asserts, nor do I owe money to hotels or Chinamen, in Jacksonville. All the charges made in that article are carefully woven falsehoods intending to mislead people in other parts of the State, and I brand the author of the article an unmitigated liar."

Democratic Primary Meeting.

Pursuant to the call, a number of voters of Jacksonville precinct assembled at the town hall in Jacksonville, Saturday afternoon, March 17th, to elect ten delegates to the county convention to be held the 24th inst.

Judge H. K. Hanna, chairman of the Democratic county committee, called the meeting to order promptly at 1 o'clock. On motion he was elected chairman of the meeting and W. M. Blackford secretary. Chas. Prim and R. A. Miller were appointed tellers.

The following persons having received the highest number of votes cast, were declared elected delegates to the county convention: Peter Elmer, 87; Henry Klippel, 83; R. H. Moore, 83; Geo. Hayes, 83; H. K. Hanna, 82; S. J. Day, 82; Chas. Prim, 81; Geo. Rieve, 81; Wm. Mensor, 80; T. T. McKenzie, 80.

H. K. HANNA, Chm'n.
W. M. BLACKFORD, Sec'y.

Facts Some People Here Should Consider.

There is a class of subscribers who think a local paper ought to be afforded as cheaply as a metropolitan paper that possesses half the actual value to the resident of a given locality that the local paper should be cheaper. The home paper is the constant and vigilant promoter of the business interests of the local community and of the business and working men in it. The home paper fights for home interests and is the disinterested champion of every citizen who makes his living by honest work or honest production or exchange of commodities. The farmer perhaps, most of all, but the merchant, manufacturer, and the laborer, each in turn, as comes every issue of the paper, get the benefit of the good words the local paper is saying for them and the place they live.

Trial of Neustadt.

The trial of Walter Neustadt, the half interest swindler, was commenced in the police court at San Francisco on March 19. A jury was secured and the taking of testimony commenced. Parker, the Oregon farmer, took the stand and told how he was duped. The crime for which Neustadt is on trial consists of selling worthless real estate, representing it to be very valuable, to E. B. Dennison, a newspaper solicitor, for $400. Dennison found out that he had made an unprofitable bargain, and sold it back to Neustadt for $200, taking a promissory note, which Neustadt has failed to pay. Neustadt also sold the same property to Parker $750, and when Parker found out his bad investment he had the grand jury indict Neustadt.

Bounty on Cayotes Re-established.

The Times has on different occasions suggested that the county commissioners' court re-establish the bounty on cayotes and panthers, as these pests were playing sad havoc among sheep, hogs and young stock. We are glad to announce that our suggestions have been favorably considered, as far as cayotes are concerned, and hope that it will not be long before panthers will also be included. Stockraising is one of the principal industries of southern Oregon, and it should be protected as much as possible. The bounty of $2 50 on each cayote scalp is not a large one, but still it will pay for the trouble of ridding the country of these animals.

Notice of Fruit Growers' Meeting.

A regular meeting of the Fruit-growers association of southern Oregon will be held at Medford on March 31st at the usual hour. Everybody is cordially invited, especially persons in any way connected with the fruit industry. As important business is at issue, the Association is desirous of making progressive steps.

C. B. MILLER, Sec.

A Funny Recommendation.

The jurors in the Hamlin case, after rendering a verdict of acquittal, recommended that Judge Webster reprimand the defendant. The ideas of mankind are oftentimes as curious as they are inconsistent. The jury having decided that young Hamlin had not committed any crime, why and wherefore the Judge should reprimand him did not appear quite clear to that official.

Piano Tuning.

Paul Schoen of San Francisco, the well-known piano tuner, who has no superior on the coast, is in town and prepared to do all work in his line in the most scientific manner. Prices reasonable. Leave your orders at the U. S. Hotel or Times office.

For Sale.

The undersigned offers for sale, at a reasonable figure, two good work-horses, an excellent 3¼-inch Bain wagon, and a road-cart. For further particulars apply soon to D. A. PRESLEY, Jacksonville.

HERE AND THERE.

Oregon Kidney Tea.

Democratic county convention to-morrow.

Paint your buildings and improve your premises.

J. H. Berry of Big Butte was in town yesterday.

Almond, peach and apricot trees are blooming.

Geo. Grigsby is now a resident of East Portland.

J. H. Caton and wife were here last Wednesday.

We are enjoying the most beautiful spring weather.

Grass is growing finely and stock is fat and doing well.

Considerable improvement is now going on in Jacksonville.

Nature's remedy is what they say of Oregon Kidney Tea.

Frank Poujade is now a resident of Gervais, Marion county.

Bargains in every line may still be found at Newman Fisher's.

Prof. Suttmer, late of Jacksonville, has located in Yreka, Cal.

Roads are improving fast; in fact, are dusty in some places.

Henry Huppert of Applegate made us a call one day this week.

Sheriff Dean is now busily engaged in summonsing the jury.

Handsome croquet sets for sale cheap at the S. F. Variety Store.

Superior babbitt-metal, in quantities to suit, at the Times office.

N. S. Drew elsewhere informs the public what his stock brand is.

For good shingles, shakes and cord-wood apply at the Times office.

Geo. Chastain has returned from Modoc county, Cal., to Phoenix.

Ed. Hendricks of Applegate was in town the forepart of the week.

C. C. Gall and son of Sam's valley made us a call on Wednesday.

L. Bolle and Heckathorn Bros. of Butte creek were in town this week.

Pay your arrearages at the Times office and get one of our premiums.

The jury in the Hamlin case were about 16 hours bringing in a verdict.

Prof. Van Horn of Albany, the piano-tuner, was in town this week.

Henry Klippel made a flying business trip to Grant's Pass this week.

Aiken's mill will soon commence turning out superior lumber again.

N. J. Green, the Central Point painter, elsewhere has something to say.

A large quantity of potatoes and other vegetables are now being planted.

Millet seed, fresh and clean, in quantities to suit, at the S. F. Variety Store.

A May-day party will be given at the Lake creek hall by Randles & Mason.

Superior politoes and onions for sale at the S. F. Variety Store, Jacksonville.

J. T. Downing and family have returned from their trip to Iowa and California.

Sickness has disappeared at Ashland and the public schools are again in session.

Farmers have generally finished sowing grain and a large area has again been put in.

Now is the time to clean your premises and put them in a nice and healthy condition.

Call and see those elegant new goods at the S. F. Variety Store. It will pay you well.

G. L. Mathews has gone to Flounce Rock precinct to look after his land interests.

A neat fence has been built between the residences of W. G. Kenney and P. Boschey.

Misses Julia and Clem. Dodge of Willow Springs precinct are residing at Grant's Pass.

F. M. Ferguson of Willow Springs precinct is engaged in building himself a new house.

Chas. Dora is putting up a neat dwelling-house on his land claim in Flounce Rock precinct.

Butter never was scarcer than it is at present. There is not a pound in this market.

Rev. Father Leonard is holding Lenten services regularly at the Catholic church in this place.

Owing to the low water not as many fish are running up the different streams as usual.

Lines on the death of little Daisy Edfield will be published in the next issue of the Times.

The Misses Linn entertained a number of their friends at their residence last Friday evening.

The postoffice at Willow creek, Cal., is now known as Ager and B. R. Harrington is postmaster.

Better than many letters to your friends elsewhere. A copy of the Times sent regularly. Try it.

Kill the festive cayote. The county clerk will pay a bounty of $2 50 on each scalp brought to him.

A case of smallpox exists in L. H. Wardwell's wood camp, one and a half miles below Sisson, Cal.

Kress & Fischer are engaged in painting the building on the corner of Third and California streets.

Work is progressing on the M. E. church building, which will soon present an improved appearance.

Jackson & Turner bid you good morning and ask you to stop "just a minute" and look at their new goods.

Vegetables and flower seeds, onion sets, millet seed, etc., fresh and pure, for sale at the S. F. Variety Store.

Horse and jack bills printed in the best style and at reasonable rates at the Times office. Send in your orders.

S. C. Carter brought a lot of fine Squaw lake trout to town yesterday, which he had no trouble in disposing of.

Notes, receipts, due-bills, orders and checks, in books, in quantities to suit, for sale cheap at the Times office.

Wanted—authority to paint all the houses in Jacksonville and vicinity—by Cress & Fischer, the scientific painters.

John McDaniel of Trail creek was here a few days since. He expects to go east of the mountains in a short time.

W. J. Plynale is having his stage overhauled by Geo. Rieve and put in first-class condition for the summer season.

A large and elegant line of novelties and notions of many kinds have just been received at the S. F. Variety Store.

Most Reverend Archbishop Gross celebrated the silver jubilee of his ordination to the priesthood last Wednesday.

Judge Tolman of Ashland will be the Republican candidate for county judge; at least it looks that way at this time.

W. H. Parker is already indulging in lettuce and other early vegetables, the product of his garden in this place.

W. K. Price of Tolo was in town this week for lumber, with which to improve his dwelling-house and buildings.

Geo. E. Bloomer is officiating at Nunan's stor during Mr. Nunan's absence, and succeeds in giving general satisfaction.

Miss Hattie Coleman, who has been teaching school in Josephine, has returned to Eden precinct for a short vacation.

The three-stall round-house at Hornbrook, Cal., is up and now receiving its iron roofing. The car repairer's dwelling-house at that place is also under course of construction, says the Yreka "Union."

A. T. Johnson this week trimmed the huge trees in front of Dr. Robinson's residence, something they needed badly.

The cold weather of last winter damaged the grape vines somewhat, and the crop of grapes will not be as heavy as usual.

E. Gale, D. B. Riordon, F. Yocum and Mr. Jamieson of Willow Springs precinct were in Jacksonville during the week.

Fresh oranges, lemons, figs, dates, candies and nuts—the nicest in the market—at the S. F. Variety Store, Jacksonville.

Fish from Bear creek find ready sale in this market. P. W. Olwell's sons find no trouble in disposing of all they bring in.

The peculiar purifying and building up powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla make it the very best medicine to take at this season.

A few copies of the American Settlers' Guide, standard authorities on all land matters, may be found at the Times office.

A large and first-class stock of summer clothing is being displayed at the Post Office Store. It is both stylish and cheap.

Gov. Pennoyer has appointed the following notaries public: L. G. Ross, Lakeview; G. F. Billings, Ashland; S. Sherman, Talent.

A nice line of novelties has just been received by Newman Fisher; also a first-class assortment of new goods. Give him a call.

M. L. Whitsett of Phoenix elsewhere gives notice that he has lost two bay mares and will pay a liberal reward for their return.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Russell of Yreka, Cal., fell and broke his arm at the residence of Geo. H. Peck last week.

Cress & Fischer are executing some handsome carriage painting, to which we call attention. They are experts in this work.

Now is the time to publish your announcement, if you are a candidate for office. The columns of the Times are open to all.

A carload of potatoes were shipped to Gold Hill from the Willamette valley a few days since and are being sold at 1¾ cents a pound.

Circuit court commences one week from next Monday. The docket is a lengthy one, but not many criminal cases are likely to be tried.

"Subscribe for the San Francisco "Examiner" and New York "Star," the two best papers published. Subscriptions taken at the Times office.

Southern Oregon is putting on her mantle of green and presents an elegant appearance. There is no prettier spot on earth than this.

Call and see those new goods just received at the Postoffice Store, Woodville, Or. Henry says that he will not be undersold by anyone.

Nearly every precinct will be represented in the Democratic county convention to-morrow, which will no doubt be enthusiastic and harmonious.

School clerks who wish to make an assessment of their district, will find schedules and other blanks at the Times office. Our rates are reasonable.

George W. Rockfellow, one of the pioneer residents of southern Oregon, died at at his home in Ashland last week, after a long illness, in his 73d year.

Everybody should call and see that magnificent stock of goods being displayed by Newman Fisher. Great bargains in every line are being offered there.

The columns of the Times are crowded with advertisements, showing that its value as an advertising medium is appreciated by true business men.

H. Mensor of Woodville, Or., will pay the highest price for deerskins and furs of all kinds. If you have any to sell, call and see me. I mean what I say.

Fresh oysters and smelt are the latest luxuries sold in this market. They are received direct from Portland at the express office and packed in ice.

Wm. Pernoll, the well-known Applegate merchant, was at the county-seat Wednesday. He is doing a good business and never fails giving satisfaction.

District Attorney Colvig is having a neat fence built about his premises and will make other improvements. His example could well be emulated by others.

Fred Grob, an experienced miner, will soon leave for Wagner creek, to take a position with the Golden Spike Mining Co. His family will accompany him.

The firm of Douglas & Co., real-estate agents, doing business at Ashland, Medford and Central Point, has been dissolved. See notice to that effect elsewhere.

The Telegraph Variety Store will be opened next Monday by Jackson & Turner. They have a new and fresh stock of everything kept in a variety store.

Wm. Baughman, lately of this county, has located a land claim near Grant's Pass has taken a contract to clear 90 acres of the Di mick place for Smith & Conklin.

Rev. I. D. Driver, who is said to have had six wives, natu[illegible] ...e his ski[illegible] ...y plumes himself on ...ity to speak from the depth of experience on the subject of "Woman."

Capt. Saltmarsh has purchased George Yaudes' farm in Sterlingville precinct, paying $1,000 for it. Mr. Y. will remove to Medford soon. His health is not good.

Deeds, mortgages and every description of real-estate and legal blanks for sale at the Times office at Portland prices. Give us a call, if you need anything in the blank line.

J. Nunan has gone to San Francisco to lay in a large and first-class stock of merchandise for this market. He will no doubt order the latest styles and nicest goods.

The timber belt on Rogue river is attracting attention and will be utilized sooner or later, as it has no superior, quality considered. Several parties have been examining it lately.

Newman Fisher has one of the most complete and best stocks of general merchandise in southern Oregon, and everybody acknowledges that he cannot be undersold.

Chas. Prim has moved into the residence which he purchased of the Priest estate, and Dr. Gill has taken up his abode in the Solomon dwelling-house, just vacated by Mr. Prim.

Doctors Robinson and Gill, the well-known physicians, have removed to Ryan's building, upstairs, where they will be pleased to meet their numerous customers hereafter.

Preparations on a grand scale are being made by the people of Pendleton to receive and entertain the delegates to the Democratic State convention, soon to assemble at that place.

Richmond & Co., of Little Butte, formerly of Michigan, and thorough masters of their business, are busily engaged in grafting fruit trees. They never fail in giving satisfaction.

Willow Springs postoffice, one of the oldest in southern Oregon, is no more, we are sorry to say. No one seemed willing to act as postmaster, and the department discontinued the service.

The plans and specifications of the new hotel at Ashland have been received. If the structure is built according to them it will certainly be a handsome and first-class one in every particular.

Rosella Berry, administratrix of the estate of W. H. Simpson, deceased, will sell some real property belonging thereto at the court-house door to-morrow. See notice on the last page of the Times.

Doug. Morgan, of Pine valley, Union county, formerly of Phoenix, had the misfortune to lose his house by fire, on the 6th inst. His loss is quite heavy, but an insurance policy of $650 comes in good play.

FITS: All fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvelous cures. Treatise and two trial bottles free to fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch street, Philadelphia.

W. H. Atkinson and others, a few days since, sold 24 acres of comparatively unimproved land near Ashland to the superintendent of the railroad division between that place and Dunsmuir for $200 an acre.

Although about 100 witnesses were subpoenaed, the Hamlin case, tried at Grant's Pass, cost this county less than $180. It is estimated that the four trials of the defendant cost the people about $800.

There are two ways of becoming noted in a town. One is to mind your business and behave yourself; the other to mind other folks' business and make a tool of yourself. Jacksonville has a number of the latter class.

The produce market is quite dull. Wheat, especially, is a drug, there being very few sales. At the warehouses there is no movement either, prices being below 50 cents a bushel, at which our farmers decline to sell.

Read our grand clubbing inducements published elsewhere, and if you want the leading journal of southern Oregon and the best newspaper or periodical in the United States for the price of one, call or send to the Times office.

Have you a cough? Sleepless nights need no longer trouble you. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral will stop the cough, allay the inflammation, and induce repose. It will moreover heal the pulmonary organs and give you health.

Many of our stockmen are now publishing their stock brand is and where their horses and cattle range. This is the usual method in stock countries, and is a great convenience, often preventing mistakes and trouble, also.

Some vandal, who ought to be punished severely, upset the stove belonging to the Sam's creek district school and broke it into several pieces. 'Squire Gall was in town Wednesday and bought a new stove to replace the old one.

St. Patrick's Day (last Saturday) was appropriately observed throughout the world. In this place there was a repeat display of the symbolic green, and impressive services were held at the Catholic church by Rev. Father Leonard.

Some rascal has been putting out poison in the neighborhood of J. S. Grigsby's residence, and, as the party is known, it is likely the matter will be brought before the next grand jury. Jen. had a fine dog poisoned by this fellow.

Democratic primaries were held in nearly every precinct in Jackson county last Saturday, and considerable interest was manifested, which shows that the Democracy is alive and will make a good showing in the coming campaigns.

Stanley & Cryder, the new Sam's valley merchants, have a complete and well-selected stock of goods for sale, which they are disposing of at the lowest prices. They are reliable and accommodating, and deserve a liberal patronage.

There is practically no opposition to District Attorney Colvig, and he will no doubt be renominated by acclamation and triumphantly elected. He deserves such treatment, for he has made a safe, painstaking and efficient official.

Capt. A. D. Helman was elected director and John May clerk of Ashland school district at the late meeting. We are informed that a change in school affairs has taken place there since then and that some of the teachers have been removed.

"Dear Mamma," said a smart little cherub of five or six summers, "do get some of Frese's Hamburg Tea—I don't like to take any other medicine—I always feel so well after taking a cup of it. It never makes me sick like those nasty pills."

So great has been the demand for fruit trees that nurserymen are out of goods, and much land that would otherwise have been utilized must necessarily remain unplanted until next season. Southern Oregon is fast becoming one vast orchard.

The "Sunday Welcome" is authority for the statement that Carrie Bradley and Sullivan, the hackman connected with her in the Brown murder, were married in Sacramento and are running a lodging-house at Sissons, at the base of the Siskiyou mountains.

If you require a spring medicine, if you are suffering with languor, debility, pimples, boils, catarrh, chronic sores, scrofula, or loss of appetite, or any disease arising from impure blood, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla—the safest and most economical of all blood purifiers.

It is a noteworthy fact that the "Oregon Sentinel" was issued for the last time from the same spot where it was first brought into existence over a third of a century ago. The building in which the initial number was issued by Col. T. Vault burned down in 1873.

For the best turnouts for all occasions call at the Excelsior livery stable in Jacksonville. Plynale's prices are quite reasonable and he never fails in giving satisfaction. You will also do well to patronize his stage line running between this place and Medford.

The best southern Oregon potatoes are being retailed at 1½ cents a pound, and there are plenty of them. A good quality can be obtained as low as 1¼ cents. There is no necessity of shipping potatoes from elsewhere, for they are no better and cannot be sold as cheaply.

Geo. Stephensen of Ashland is buying several carloads of horses for the S. P. R. R. Co., and has shipped quite a number to California already. He will be in Jacksonville to-morrow (Saturday), and those wishing to dispose of good animals can then be accommodated.

Attention is called to the advertisement of Smith & Conklin, the wideawake real-estate agents of Grant's Pass. They have a large list of first-class property in both Jackson and Josephine counties for sale, and offer superior bargains. Give them a call and see for yourselves.

A correspondent of the Times, writing under date of the 18th, says: "Woodville is hot to-day and spring fights have opened out. Elder Peterson held services to-day and baptised Mrs. J. H. Whipple in the presence of 200 people. Services will be held at Stanley's hall this evening."

George Dimmick, of Happy Camp, Cal., informs the Yreka "Union" that small-pox prevails among the Indians at Witchpeck, at the mouth of Trinity river, 18 miles distant from Orleans Bar. It is thought that the disease was imported from Eureka, Humbolt county, some 75 miles distant.

J. C. Durkee reports that the fall wheat in the upper end and elsewhere in the valley was injured more by the unusually cold weather of the past winter than at first supposed. He has been farming here for many years, and only twice has he known wheat to be injured by winter weather.

Those who are successful in business freely advertise in their local newspapers. Others do not believe in printer's ink and lag behind, as they deserve. They expect the newspapers to do them benefit, but they contribute no benefit in return. The city or community which neglects to fairly and judiciously advertise, neglects its surest road to name, importance and wealth.

Jake Kennedy, son of J. M. Kennedy, the old Siskiyou hunter, shot a monster panther within about a quarter of a mile of his father's house Tuesday, says the Ashland "Tidings." The panther was treed by Kennedy's dogs, and Jake made a center shot with his unerring rifle, sending a bullet through its brain. The skin was the largest ever brought to town, measuring nine feet from tip to tip.

The March term of the supreme court is now being held. There are only two cases on appeal from this district at present—Klamath county vs. District Attorney Colvig and H. C. Wise vs. C. A. Cogswell, appealed from Lake county. These cases will not be taken up for several weeks.

Jos. T. Dole, the Lake creek merchant, has sold his stock of goods to Geo. Maxon and Jos. Randles, who have already taken charge. The new firm will keep a well-selected and excellent assortment of general merchandise, and may be relied upon to sell cheap and give satisfaction. Give them a trial.

The Democratic convention that meets to-morrow will choose delegates to the Democratic State convention which meets at Pendleton on April 3d. Very little other business will be transacted. No doubt the delegates will be instructed to cast their votes for W. M. Colvig, our efficient district attorney.

Elder Peterson, clerk of Mound district, is engaged in assessing the same. The citizens have levied a five mill tax for the purpose of paying the debt hanging over the school-house, making some improvements and maintaining a public school for six months. We are glad to see such enterprise manifested.

Moore's Revealed Remedy is made from the barks of trees, on Puget Sound, by the Moore Mfg. Co., of Seattle, W. T. Positively cures dyspepsia, asthma, fevers, rheumatism, etc. Read the strange manner in which it was discovered. Circulars free at E. C. Brooks' and City Drug Store, Jacksonville, Oregon.

A communication reaches the Portland "Welcome" to the effect that if a grass widow and her daughter, who room in the vicinity of Morrison and Third streets, do not correct their conduct and take apartments with some quiet and respectable family, their reputation will be as bad as it was in southern Oregon.

All subscribers to the Times who pay their arrearages will be presented with a year's subscription to the "Farm and Fireside," a first-class journal for the farm, stockraiser and household, published semi-monthly at Springfield, Ohio, also Doctor Kendall's celebrated treatise on the horse, standard authority on the subject.

One of the best managed establishments in southern Oregon is the Union livery stable of Jacksonville. Here may always be found new and comfortable vehicles of all kinds and the fastest and safest teams. The proprietor, W. G. Kenney, spares no pains to give his customers their money's worth and succeeds well in giving satisfaction. Give him a call.

J. A. Chase of Tolo has written a plain, unvarnished statement of facts concerning southern Oregon, its climates, resources and advantages, etc., of which 10,000 copies have been issued in pamphlet form. It is one of the best and most reliable descriptions of this county that has yet been written, and will be printed in the Times at an early date.

The Barlow House at Gold Hill is now open for the reception of guests. It is a fine, large hotel, its rooms being hard-finished and comfortably fitted up, and it will be conducted in first-class style. Mr. and Mr. Barlow will spare no pains to please the public, and we have no doubt but what they will give entire satisfaction. Give the Barlow House a trial.

Pond's Extract is used and recommended by leading physicians in both Europe and America. We may add also that Pond's Extract was the only proprietary medicine accepted by the French Medical College (appointed to examine applications) and received admittance to the Exposition at Paris. It is invaluable for Inflammation, Hemorrhages and all kinds of pain.

PERSONAL MENTION.

L. Bolle of Antelope made us a call a few days since.

Hon. J. D. Whitman of Medford visited this place Sunday.

Judge Webster and wife paid Ashland a visit last Monday.

Capt. Kelly has been in the Willamette valley on business.

Messrs. Prim and Hanna are at Grant's Pass attending court.

M. G. Clemmens, who has been quite sick is able to be about again.

Owen Keegan is in Butte creek precinct improving his land claim.

Jas. Pelton is now near Prineville, looking after his stock interests.

Gen. Ross' health is much improved and he will soon be about again.

Messrs. Purcell of Little Butte were in Jacksonville a few days ago.

C. W. Taylor and family of Eagle Point were in Jacksonville last Friday.

Judge DePeatt was at the county-seat last Monday, on official business.

C. O. Bigelow and wife of Williams creek called at the Times office Tuesday.

L. L. Jacobs will succeed Ernst Benz as salesman at Reames & White's store.

Theo. Cameron started for Gaitce creek Wednesday, and will be gone several days.

W. H. Leeds, editor of the Ashland "Tidings," was in Jacksonville Tuesday.

L. Bellils has returned to Roseburg, where he will permanently reside hereafter.

Alex. Martin arrived from Linkville Wednesday evening and will remain a few days.

Thos. Collins has returned to Klamath county, where he is engaged in stockraising.

S. S. Aiken and Chas. Dora of Flounce Rock precinct were in town during the week.

Howell Bros., who have been afflicted with the measles, are able to be about again.

A. H. Maegly will return to-day from his trip to Washington Territory and Portland.

Wm. Nanary left for Washington territory during the past week and will be gone sometime.

Anton Rose of Josephine county, the well-known miner, made us a brief visit Wednesday.

Judge Webster went to Grant's Pass on Tuesday, to finish the March term of the circuit court.

C. W. Logan of Ashland, the efficient deputy U. S. Marshal, made us a pleasant call last Friday.

John Gill, representing the stationery house of J. K. Gill & Co., Portland, was in town yesterday.

A. W. Presley is now in Seattle, W. T., and has telegraphed his family to join him as soon as possible.

Jesse Dodge, Jas. McDougall, and J. W. Johnson of Willow Springs precinct were here a few days since.

H. E. Ankeny has gone to Marion county, to bring his family to Sterlingville, where they will reside hereafter.

W. H. White, representing the well-knon manufacturing house of H. E. Bucklen & Co., called at the Times office last Tuesday.

Mrs. C. T. Payne and daughter of Eden precinct were here last Saturday. We regret to learn that Mr. Payne's health is quite poor.

John Wells of Josephine county was in Jacksonville this week on business. He is one of the energetic farmers of that section and is in a flourishing condition.

Bishop Morris and Rev. J. W. Sellwood, Episcopal ministers, paid Jacksonville a visit one day last week. They preached at Ashland on the 18th inst.

J. Y. Todd, who has been in Crook county for several weeks past, looking after his stock interests, returned home a few days since. He reports a fair winter in that section.

C. C. Beekman, one of the regents of the State University, started for Eugene city Wednesday to attend a meeting of the board. He will extend his trip to Portland.

W. W. Walters of Scott river, Cal., has been in the valley on a short visit. He will return in a few days, accompanied by one of the belles of Phoenix. We tender congratulations.

J. C. Whipp of the Jacksonville Marble Works returned from a trip to Josephine and Douglas counties a few days since. He was quite successful, taking orders to the amount of about $1500.

Geo. Brown of Eagle Point made us a visit one day this week. We are sorry to learn that his health is not the best, and that he will be compelled to go to San Francisco for medical treatment.

Ernst Benz, one of our promising young men, left for Anaheim, Cal., this week, where he will enter the employ of his brother and brother-in-law, who are conducting a large butchershop there. We wish him success.

John Arnold, who has been paying relatives in this section a pleasant visit, started for his home in Iowa this week. He left with a good impression of this section, and we hope he may conclude to locate permanently among us in the near future.

J. A. Chase, who has permanently located at Tolo, made us a call last Monday. He has recently issued a neat pamphlet, presenting the advantages of southern Oregon, which is to the point and reliable. We hope to see it thoroughly circulated.

LOCAL NOTES.

R. Mavity of Williams creek was in town this week.

A heavy crop of candidates are coming to the surface.

Travel is increasing and strangers are be coming abundant.

Thos. E. Nichols of Little Butte precinct was at the county-seat one day this week.

J. A. Larsen and P. E. Hazglund, the tailors, are now residents of San Francisco, Cal.

There are still a few cases of measles about town, though otherwise health is generally good.

Mr. Carter, who is looking after spoliation claims for the U. S. Government, is here on business.

John Robinson has purchased Ben Owens' property on Evans creek, paying $100 for the same.

Messrs. Chaffee, Welch and Bailey of Medford precinct were at the county seat this week on land business.

Geo. Yaudes of Sterlingville has purchased Mr. Carnithers' property in Medford, paying $1000, and will take up his residence there in the near future.

The trains from the south were delayed several hours the two last nights on account of the cars jumping the track.

Dr. H. M. Gill has removed his residence to the Solomon dwelling on California street, lately occupied by Chas. Prim.

L. C. Hill of Yankee creek and A. A. Booth, a relative of J. E. Smith of Ashland, made us a call one day during the week.

A large area of hill land near town is being cleared, and it will not be long ere our foothills will present a handsome appearance.

McKenzie & Chafe will vacate their premises about the 23d inst., and Jackson & Turner will open their variety store there about the 24 of April.

We are sorry to announce that Myrile, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mitchell of Little Butte precinct, who has been ailing for sometime, died at this place last week. She was 5 years, 2 months and 14 days old.

DEMOCRATIC MASS MEETING.

All citizens of Josephine county who favor the principles of the Democratic party are requested to meet at the court-house in Grant's Pass, on Saturday, March 24, 1888, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing three (3) delegates to attend the State Convention to be held at Pendleton, Oregon, on April 3, 1888, and to transact any other business that may properly come before the Convention.

By order of the County Democratic Central Committee.

E. F. HATHAWAY, Chm'n.

Grand Jury Report.

The following is the final report of the grand jury empaneled for the March term of the circuit court for Josephine county: "We are glad to state that after diligent inquiry we have not found any violation of law committed in the county since the sitting of the last grand jury. The various county buildings are all in good repair. We have not heard any complaints from the patients in the county hospital, and have reason to believe that that institution is under good management.

NEW THIS WEEK.

HORSES LOST,

STRAYED, FROM PHOENIX, ON MARCH 15th, two small, bay mares, shod all around. One of them has but one eye and neither has any brands. The undersigned will pay a liberal reward for their return.

M. L. WHITSETT Phoenix.

Dissolution Notice.

THE FIRM OF DOUGLAS & CO., DOING business at Ashland, Medford and Central Point, has this day been dissolved. Mr. Douglas will have his office at Medford, Luckey & Co. at Ashland and Fred. Hansen at Central Point.

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PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF AND MUTTON.—HEADQUARTERS DEPT. OF THE COLUMBIA, OFFICE OF CHIEF COMMISSARY, VANCOUVER BARRACKS, W. T., Feb. 24, 1888. Sealed proposals in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office and at the offices of the Acting Commissaries of Subsistence at the following-named posts for the fresh beef and mutton (named at those posts only) until 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, March 24, 1888, at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of bidders, for furnishing and delivery of fresh beef and mutton during the year commencing June 1, 1888: Boise Barracks, I. T.; Fort Sherman, I. T.; Fort Klamath, Oreg.; Fort Spokane, W. T.; Fort Townsend, W. T.; Vancouver Barracks, W. T.; Fort Walla Walla, W. T. The government reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bidders will understand that contracts made under this advertisement, and proposals made in response thereto, shall not be construed to involve the United States in any obligation for payment in excess of the appropriation granted by Congress for the purpose. Blank proposals and printed circulars, stating the kind of beef and mutton required, and giving full instructions as to the manner of bidding, conditions to be observed by bidders, and terms of contract and payment, will be furnished on application to this office, or to the A. C. S. at the several posts. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked, "Proposals for Fresh Beef or Mutton at _____," and addressed to the undersigned or to the "Acting Commissary of Subsistence" at the several posts. C. A. WOODRUFF, Captain and C. S., U. S. A., Chief C. S. D. C.

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