

national domestic councils it would disfranchise every New England State, New York, Ohio, Michigan, Iowa, and Wisconsin, in 1860, for the reason that not one of them cast an electoral vote for President Buchanan in 1856.

The system is against all precedent in Oregon; it is fruitful with discord to the democracy. It is therefore clearly the duty of every National Democrat in Oregon to oppose its consummation, and to disregard the call made under it. This we pledge ourselves to do, by every honorable means within our ability.

But, fellow-citizens, it is not enough that we rise in opposition to these wrongs sought to be put upon us, and that we shall merely assert our rights as freemen, and as democrats. The elements of this growing centralizing power are still in our midst. With both fear and sorrow have we witnessed the tyranny which has been exercised by this faction—the persistence with which they have urged their designs toward supreme control—and the tenacity which has marked the grasp of that already so insidiously obtained, during our residence at Salem as your Representatives. It is because we have seen these evils perpetrated that we deem it of pressing, paramount importance to address you before we depart for our respective homes. We would be recreant to party fealty, recreant to our distinctive constituencies, and to every principle of representative or individual duty, were we to conceal these facts from utterance. It rests with you, fellow-citizens—Democrats of Oregon—to redress these great wrongs, and to re-establish among us the practical benefits which democratic doctrines and received democratic usages must ever endow a country with.

Prescription is antagonistic to our faith; it cannot be made conformable to proper party rule. It is alike the offspring and instrument of Federalism, unfit for democratic application under any exigency whatever. It strikes at the liberty of conscience: the freedom of speech and action. Let it never dominate in Oregon, to taint our party purity—to corrupt its administration. And with its abolition, it is the duty of every good democrat to see that none who might desire its restoration be clad with the power to accomplish so dire an object.

We hope fervently that this appeal to our democratic brethren will be as fervently received and endorsed. We feel assured it will be. For it is only by the means herein proposed, that harmony and unity of action can be restored in the democratic masses of Oregon. It is our chiefest wish to see this gratifying result brought about, and we will ardently, manfully labor to achieve it. Believing that our suggestions will receive almost universal approbation, we now append the measures proposed, by which this harmony and unity can be obtained. This is, according to the established apportionment, (before the innovation,) and by elections of Delegates upon established democratic usages.

We respectfully suggest that the democracy in each county shall disregard the call of the Central Committee, and will hold their precinct meetings and county conventions in the accustomed manner. Let the Delegates to the State Convention be chosen agreeably to the previously received apportionment, so that no injustice will be done to any. After consultation with democrats from every portion of Oregon, the undersigned have deemed it advisable that the State Convention should be held on the 8th day of April, 1858, at Eugene City. The county conventions will, therefore, please to hold their meetings in accordance with this. The following is in conformity with the apportionment last sanctioned by the democracy:

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SOCIAL PARTY.
On Tuesday Evening, 16th inst., Professor BROWER will give a Social Party at McCully's Theatre, it being the last evening of his dancing school. The ladies and gentlemen of Jacksonville, Phoenix, Sterling, and Rogue River Valley, are respectfully invited to attend, without further notice.

MEDICAL.
DRS. GANUNG & M'CAULISH.
DR. L. GANUNG HAVING ENTERED into partnership with an able English Physician, of extensive European and California experience, would inform the citizens of Jacksonville and vicinity that they will promptly attend to any who may require their professional services, either near or remote.

Dissolution Notice!
THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name and firm of Stafford & Bolter, in Illinois Valley, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the firm will be settled by N. D. STAFFORD.

NOTICE!
TRIAL SITTINGS will be held in the Third Judicial District for the trial of issues of fact at the following times:
In the County of Douglas, on the Third Monday of March.
In the County of Josephine, on the Second Monday of April.
In the County of Jackson, on the Third Monday of April.

SOCIAL BALL.
A SOCIAL BALL will be given at the **FORT HAYS HOTEL** (On the main road from Jacksonville to Kerbyville and Crescent City.) on Thursday Evening, March 25th, 1858.

MANAGERS.
ALEX. CARTER, THOMAS PYLE, Kerbyville.
WM. M. BALLARD, W. J. MATHEWS, Jacksonville.

PHELAN'S
MODEL BILLIARD TABLES.
Patent COMBINATION CUSHIONS. Acknowledged by the best Professional and Amateur Players.

MISERABLE IMITATIONS.
Get up in this city, made from PASTEBOARD and old HORSE BLANKETS, and peddled off on the unsuspecting as **PHELAN'S PATENT.**

In Justice's Court.
TERRITORY OF OREGON, COUNTY OF JOSEPHINE, ss: To Xile Tyler:
You are hereby notified that a writ of attachment has been issued against you and your property attached to satisfy the demand of Knight & Whitmore, amounting to sixty-eight dollars.

Bill for Divorce.
Mary Collins, Plaintiff, vs. William Collins, Def't.
William Collins, said defendant, will take notice that the said plaintiff has filed her bill and petition, praying a divorce from said defendant, in the District Court for the 3d Judicial District of the Territory of Oregon.

Bill for Divorce.
William Collins, said defendant, will take notice that the said plaintiff has filed her bill and petition, praying a divorce from said defendant, in the District Court for the 3d Judicial District of the Territory of Oregon.

Clothing of all kinds
For sale low, by J. W. STEARNS.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

JACKSON COUNTY NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.
The National Democrats of Jackson County are requested to meet in Mass Convention at Jacksonville, on Saturday, the 20th of March, at one o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of electing four delegates to attend the Territorial Convention, which meets at Eugene City on the 8th of April next, and nominate candidates to be supported by the National Democracy of Oregon at the June election for State officers.

Western Star Lodge U. D. A. F. & A. M.
Regular Meetings held at their Hall in Kerbyville, Saturday preceding full moon. All members in good standing are invited to attend.

CONSULTATION GRATIS.
The extensive practice which Dr. J. C. Young has acquired in California is to be attributed in a great measure not only to his skill and experience, but to his liberality. Persons afflicted with any disease cognizant in his branch of pharmacy, may consult him at his office, any day, free of charge.

DR. GUYSON'S
Improved Extract of Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla.
THE ORIGINAL AND GENUINE IS PUT UP IN QUART BOTTLES.

DR. GUYSON'S
Improved Extract of Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla.
Which is acknowledged to be the best Sarsaparilla made; and is certified by the wonderful cures it has performed.

Best Female Medicine Known.
The Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla is peculiarly adapted for females of delicate health, resulting from the irregularity of menstrual discharges, and other diseases peculiar to their sex.

COLE'S
MOUNTAIN HOUSE
ON THE CALIFORNIA & OREGON ROAD, South side of Siskiyou Mountain.

EAGLE MILLS.
THE subscribers now having their Mill and Distillery in excellent repair, would respectfully inform their patrons and the public generally that they are now prepared to do all kinds of Merchant Mill business, and are also furnishing a choice lot of Liquors, consisting of Gin, Brandy, Whiskey, Lager Beer, &c.

Umpqua Academy.
THE FIRST QUARTER OF THE Year will commence its term on the 15th day of February inst.

15 KEGS EXTRA BOSTON SYRUP
For sale by J. W. STEARNS.

"PROSPECT RANCH,"

Applegate Creek, O. T.
THE undersigned wishes to inform his friends and the traveling public that, having improved the above Ranch, (half-way between Kerbyville and Jacksonville, formerly known as Barkwell's ranch,) he is now prepared to accommodate all who may patronize him.

NOTICE!
ALL those indebted to the subscriber are requested to make payment on or before the First day of February next, as the accounts must and shall be settled.

MEDICAL INFIRMARY.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING FITTED up an establishment of the above description in **KERBYVILLE, O. T.,**

R. D. MORFORD.
Auditor, and Deputy DISTRICT CLERK FOR JOSEPHINE COUNTY, O. T.

BONDS, DEEDS, MORTGAGES,
Powers of Attorney, &c., drawn up on shortest notice, and for reasonable fees.

COLD SPRING RANCH.
THE Subscriber wishes to lease the "Cold Spring Ranch," together with the Furniture in the House, also the crop now growing.

The Exact Time o' Day.
JOHN NEUBER,
Watchmaker and Jeweller

JOHN HERBOLD.
SURGICAL AND MECHANICAL DENTIST.

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"CHIEFTAIN"
Drinking Saloon.

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LAUGHLI & KLIPPEL'S
"NEW STATE"
BILLIARD AND DRINKING SALOON;

THE "NEW STATE" IS A
cool and elegant Saloon, and is fitted up in a style of elegance. The Billiard Tables are new, and from one of the best makers.

Notice—Settle!
ALL PERSONS HAVING UNSETTLED Accounts with the Phoenix Mills are requested to call immediately and SETTLE THE SAME, as I am desirous to close all the present accounts.

Mo! There, Every body! Face the Music and read!

Do you wish to patronize a house conducted on strictly temperance principles? Do you want to stop at a house favorably known throughout California, Oregon, and all other places, for its moderate charges, good fare and best of beds, together with order, comfort, convenience, and superior accommodations?



87, 89 and 91 Leidesdorff Street—119 and 121 Sacramento street. SAN FRANCISCO.
This establishment is centrally located in the principal business part of the city, and in the immediate vicinity of the Steamship Co.'s office, the Express Co.'s office, and the United States Branch Mint.

THE HOUSE IS OPEN ALL NIGHT.
Travelers will please remember that there are no Runners connected with this establishment.

METROPOLITAN HOUSE.
Fronting the Plaza, Corner of Lane and Fourth Streets. YREKA, Cal.

T. F. RYAN
OFFERS FOR SALE a large and well selected assortment of STAPLE & FANCY DRY-GOODS, BOOTS & SHOES, HATS, CLOTHING, Mining Tools.

HARDY ELLIFF
HAS ERECTED A NEW AND Commodious tavern stand at the South End of the Canyon, Douglas County, O. T.

JESSE ROBERTS
HAS erected NEW BUILDINGS and refitted the old tavern stand at Canyonville, NORTH END OF THE CANYON, Douglas County, O. T.

JACKSONVILLE BAKERY.
CONFECTIONERY,
OREGON STREET, NEXT TO "EL DORADO," Jacksonville, O. T.

MIKE HIENT
HAS OPENED A SALOON for the transaction of the above business, and will keep on hand and manufacture to order all kinds of Bread, Cakes, Crackers, Pies, Pastry, CONFECTIONERY, &c., &c.

WILLOW SPRINGS HOUSE,
BY N. C. DEAN.
THIS well known stand, situated five miles north of Jacksonville, on the Ore on Road, has been refitted and new buildings erected, and also good stables.

NEWMAN FISHER.
CALIFORNIA STREET, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in CIGARS & TOBACCO Books, Stationery, &c.

OREGON BAKERY
&
CONFECTIONERY,
RICHARD WIENEBACH, ALBERT BANHARD, WEINBACH & BANHARD, (Truckee's Old Stand.)

W. FISKE, M. D.
Physician and surgeon. OFFICE—At his Residence, in Winchester, O. T.

TWO HORSE WAGON FOR SALE
Apply to the subscriber. W. G. T'VAULT.

"BAGLE HOTEL,"

KERBYVILLE, O. T.
THE Subscriber having LEASED the above large and commodious Hotel in the flourishing town of Kerbyville, on the road from Jacksonville to Althouse, Sail or Digging, and Crescent City, solicits a share of Public Patronage.

THE TABLE
Will always be furnished with the best market affords.

SLATE CREEK HOUSE.
Oliver J. Evans.
THIS well known stand, situate fifteen miles from Kerbyville and thirty-four from Jacksonville, has been erected suitable to accommodate the Traveling Public.

THE TABLE
Furnished with all the country affords. Good Stables, well supplied with Hay and Grain.

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PAY UP! AND SETTLE UP!! ANY PERSON HAVING CLAIMS against me, will please present them and receive their pay.

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