THE OREGON SENTINEL.

SATURDAY MORNING, Jan 15, 1870.

The Union Republican State Central Committee of Oregon

Will meet at the office of Hon. J. H. Mitchell, in the City of Portland, on Wednesday, the 19th day of January, 1870, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to designate the time and place for the holding of the Union Republican State Convention of 1870. M. P. BERRY, *Chairman.*

Salem, Dec. 14, 1869.

Chinese Immigration.

The problem of Chinese immigration is now receiving very general and thorough consideration, in all parts of the country. It would be hardly possible to advance anything new on the subject, in speculative theory; it now only remains for the people to test the various and multifarious theories of the philosophers of the quill and forum by their own actual knowledge and experience.

We live in a section of the State more thickly populated by Chinamen than, perhaps, any other. If any part of the State is overrun by "Asiatic heathen," we are.

This fact, however, has furnished us with the opportunity of understanding Chinese character, and judging of the motives which have induced them to settle among us. The primary and main object of their coming here was undoubtedly the large quantity of interior mineral land, which a white man could not work and live like a white man; but which a Chinaman could work, and live as well as he desired to. This kind of mining land will last for many years, and until it is worked out it will be a sufficient inducement to keep several hundred Chinese here. When, however, it is worked out, we may expect to bid them farewell for the "flowery kingdom," and that the original and unsophisticated Chinaman will pass into a novelty rather than a nuisance.

We know of but one Chinaman in this whole county who is a farmer. He rents a farm and raises vegetables for the Chinese miners. It will ruin his occupation when they leave the country, and he must follow suit. There is another phase in the Chinese problem, which ought to be noticed. It is the "Chinese domestic" system. A well ordered household is not deemed complete without a Chinese domestic of all work. Now, this is wrong; but the fault is not the Chinaman's. He asks more wages, wastes more—and in many instances steals besides—than many an American girl who would gladly take his place. The only recommendation he has to the preference is, his obsequious and unquestioning submission. But this system is confined to the mining localities, and frequently the demand for "domestics" is filled, without much room for choice, from the ranks of the unemployed miners. Very few of them will agree to go any great distance from the main body of their countrymen, to fill a menial's place, even for high wages. This branch of Chinese labor must fall and pass away with the working out of the mines, which seem to be the centre of all their aims. We have never heard of a Chinaman expressing a wish for more than protection for person and property during his stay here, and we have never heard of one expressing a wish to make this his permanent home.

The changes are, that, while proper legislation in reference to the coolie system, will effectually check the importation of the cheap coolie laborers, by rich capitalists and companies, the gradual exhaustion of the mines will send more Chinese back to their native land than free immigration will bring hither; and thus, like many other great questions, if left alone, it will regulate itself without the interposition of legislative quackery.

CAUGHT AT LAST.—Wm. M. Hand, a former resident of this valley, and at one time publisher of the SENTINEL, was, on the 12th ult., at San Francisco, married, to Miss M. P. E. Grinnel. May his matrimonial sea run smooth.

THE name of E. L. Applegate, for Surveyor General of Oregon, was sent by the President to the Senate, on the 10th inst.

A new comet has been discovered at Marseilles by M. Tempel. It has no nucleus, and is advancing at the rate of one degree per day in right ascention, and thirty-five minutes in declination.

Letter from B. F. Dowell.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 27, 1869.

DEATH OF E. M. STANTON.

Hon. E. M. Stanton died, in this city, on the 24th inst., and was buried today, with great pomp and ceremony. It is known to the readers of the SENTINEL that in life we were enemies, in the hour of death we say peace to his ashes.

He was a man of rare abilities, and one of the most profound lawyers of the present age. At the time of my criticism on his conduct, I was much annoyed at his decision, as Secretary of War, that the act of Congress, of 1851, paying the expenses of the Oregon volunteers of 1855—6, did not authorize the accounting officers to pay for property lost in that war. I thought, and still think, the decision an unjust and erroneous one. But, the Judiciary Committee of both Houses reported it to be erroneous, and Congress corrected the error in 20 days. Perhaps, Mr. Stanton thought it best to err on the side of the government, rather than against it. No officer or judge should be condemned for one bad decision; and I was more annoyed by his manner than by the unjustness of his decision. On his manners a cotemporary relates the following incident in his life:

"The Secretary of War was, as is well known, so oppressed with the great affairs of the contest between the North and the South, that not unfrequently his manner, even toward his friends, was brusque, if not offensive. A certain gentleman had been on the most intimate terms with Mr. Stanton, and shared his confidence. The latter one day, in answer to a respectful question, responded in a tone and in language which led to an abrupt withdrawel of the former from his presence. The Secretary, on hearing that offense had been taken at his remark, sent word, through a friend of both the parties, that he would be pleased to see the gentleman at his residence, at any time. The gentleman, desirous of showing that he harbored no animosity, accordingly called in the evening, when Mr. Stanton met him with unusual cheerfulness, extending both hands to grasp those of his visitor. The Secretary was then on the eve of going to Secretary Seward's residence, and invited the gentleman to take a seat with him in his carriage, which was waiting at the door. The two entered, and a short time thereafter the following conversation took place:

"Mr. Stanton, I think it to be my duty to say that I was much offended with your curt reply, last Sunday, to a respectful question of mine; and, but for the persuasion of our friend, I would not have called on you this evening."

Mr. Stanton responded: "Really, I do not recollect anything which I said to cause offense, and, if I did so, I am sorry for it."

Then, taking the hand of the gentleman, he added: "There is no secret in my heart that I would not confide to you. Come up to the War Department frequently."

"But," remarked the gentleman, "you are so busy that my presence would be an intrusion?"

"O, never mind that, you come—you must."

The gentleman accordingly called, was instantly admitted by the messenger, and when Mr. Stanton had fastened his door, he asked with much earnestness whether there was anything he could do for him. Although receiving a negative reply, he picked out some of the war telegrams which he had just received, and handed them to his visitor to read. The manner of the Secretary was, throughout, such as to show his great desire to remove even the slightest impression of the sense of offense."

Mr. Stanton was born in Steubenville, Ohio, in 1813. At the age of 13 he was made a clerk in a book store. Afterwards he became a student of Kenyon College. He left college in 1833. After leaving college he was again employed in a book store, at Chambers, Ohio. He afterwards studied law, and was admitted to the bar at Steubenville, Ohio, in 1836. In 1842, he was elected, by the legislature of Ohio, reporter for the State, and he reported 11, 12, and 13 Ohio reports. In 1847 he removed to Pittsburg, Pa., and commenced the practice of his profession. He was appointed by Mr. Buchanan Attorney General, near the close of his administration, and here Mr. Stanton become conspicuous in his opposition to traitors. On the 20th of January, 1862, he was appointed, by Mr. Lincoln, Secretary of War. He remained Secretary of War throughout Mr. Lincoln's administration, and he was untiring in planning battles, and supplying our armies with men and means during the war.

After the war Mr. Stanton supported the following measures of Congress in opposition to President Johnson, while a member of his Cabinet.

1. The Freedmen's Bureau bill.
2. The civil rights bill.
3. The bill giving suffrage without regard to color in the District of Columbia.
4. The bill admitting Colorado as a State.
5. The several acts known as the reconstruction acts, providing for establishment of governments in the rebel States.

For those patriotic deeds Mr. Stanton will forever occupy a prominent place in American history, and he will be honored by the loyal masses of our united country.

The Morford Murder Case—Acquittal of Theodore Burmeister.

The trial of Theodore Burmeister for the murder of R. B. Morford, at Boise City, Idaho Territory, in the early part of November, last, was begun at Idaho City, on the 13th of last December, and lasted until 11 o'clock at night, on the 23d; when the case was submitted to the jury, who, after being out a little over half an hour, returned a verdict of "not guilty." The facts, established on the trial, by the evidence in the case, have not yet come to our knowledge; and to express an opinion upon the justice or injustice of the acquittal, may seem a little hazardous. We certainly would not wrong him by adding the sting of unjust censure to the bitter memory of a terrible deed; and yet there are features in the case which will always expose its final result to the charge of having been brought about more through the finesse and chicanery of legal practice, than to the real merits of his justification. The removal of the trial from the place where the act was done to a distant locality; and the character of the jury, who, we are informed by men who had known most of them personally, were the best selections that could have been made to secure an acquittal in a desperate case, has left a red stain on the name and fame of Theodore Burmeister, which their verdict, alone, has not, and cannot remove. A full and truthfull explanation of the necessity of changing the place of trial in order to secure justice; and satisfactory proof of a fair and impartial formation of the jury alone, can give that verdict the full force and effect which it ought to have; and not only free him from all apprehension of criminal punishment, but also relieve his character from every imputation of indemnified guiltiness.

R. B. Morford was long a resident of this place, and leaves surviving him many of his old friends and associates, who were once admirers of the genial and manly qualities of his character, and who now deeply sympathize with his melancholy and untimely end. They feel, however, that, howsoever little he may have merited his fate, he was the author of his own ruin. It was the "wine cup," which touched never so lightly at first, finally grew into such power over him as to benumb the nobler feelings of a noble nature, and brought, among other afflictions, the greatest of them all, that domestic unhappiness to which his death is attributed.

There is a moral in his fall from which the living may well profit.

A son of Paraguay Lopez is in New York.

The Archbishop of Canterbury's health is improving.

Marfori is about to be married to a young Swiss governess.

Pere Hyacinthe is said to be impecunious as well as impenitent.

Marshal Canrobert is suffering severely from softening of the brain.

The oldest Senator in Congress is Simon Cameron, who was born in 1799.

Lieutenant A. P. Colby U. S. A., committed suicide at Jefferson (Texas) last week.

The battle-field of Chancellorsville has been bought by a Baltimore gentleman for $8,200.

Abbe Bauer received 50,000 francs for preaching the sermon at the inauguration of the Suez Canal.

Paine of Wisconsin, and Wood and Cox of New York, are said to be the noisiest men in Congress.

The American Legation in London has removed to the residence of the Earl of Yarborough.

A Baltimore paper speaks of Henry Ward Beecher as "the great prestidigitateur of the Holy Bible."

Overland railroad travel continues very light.

The fullest liberty has been granted to the French theatrical managers to bring out the plays of Victor Hugo.

A Family Sewing Machine, or a Silver Watch, given to every club of subscribers to ARNOLD'S MAGAZINE. Persons raising half a club have the choice of a set of Silver Forks, Table or Tea Spoons. Agents wanted, male and female. Large wages paid. Send for full particulars. Address FRANCIS & CO., care of Box 2021, San Francisco, Cal.

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DIED.

At the family residence, in Jacksonville, on January 12, 1870, at 6 o'clock, P. M., LILLY ESMILDA, daughter of J. N. T. and Betsy Ann Miller; aged 3 years, 2 months, and 22 days.

On January 14th, 1870, JAMES N. T., son of J. N. T. and Betsy Ann Miller.

At the residence of John Walker, in this county, NATHANIEL MYERS, aged 82 years.

At Jacksonville, NANCY AULETTA, daughter of William and M. Sutherland; aged 1 year and 9 months; on the 14th January, 1870, of typhoid pneumonia.

NEW TO-DAY.

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JOS. WETHERER Prop'r.

THE BEST OF LAGER BEER KEPT CONstantly on hand; sold by the keg, gallon or glass. Seeing is believing, give me a call and judge for yourself.

Jacksonville, Jan. 15, 1870.-tf

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Jacksonville, Jan. 15, 1870.-tf

SAM'S VALLEY, Jackson Co. Oregon.

MR. L. BAUGUESS. DEAR SIR:—This is to certify that on or about the 20th of November, 1869, I was taken sick with a very sore throat, said to be diphtheria in the worst form, my throat was badly swollen, my jaws were set almost equal to the lock jaw; I thought several times I would smother to death. I was confined to my bed about 14 days, and by the use of about five bottles of your *INDIAN VEGETABLE LINIMENT* I was restored to health.

J. A. COOKSEY.

Witnesses,
ELIZABETH COOKSEY,
MARTHA M. COOK.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of January, A. D., 1870.

C. C. GALL,
Justice of the Peace.

SAM'S VALLEY, Jackson Co., Oregon.

This is to certify that I saw Cooksey, and according to my judgment it was the worst case of diptheria that I ever saw to live; I also had two children taken very bad with the same; and I also was taken with the sore throat and hot fever; and we were all cured by the use of two small bottles of your Liniment, and I believe it to be the best liniment now in use, and would recommend it to all my friends.

C. C. McLENDON.

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G. B. BLOOD,
Agent for Oregon.

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Jacksonville, Oregon, Jan. 8, 1870.-tf

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Joshua H. Stone.

THE undersigned having been appointed Administrator of said estate, all persons having claims against said estate, are required to present them duly verified, for payment, and those indebted are required to make payment forthwith, to the undersigned, at his residence, on Jackson Creek, one mile from Jacksonville, Jackson county, Oregon.

T. B. THOMPSON,
Administrator.

Jacksonville, Oregon, Jan. 8, 1870.—w4

Administrator's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF THE County Court of Josephine county, Oregon, the undersigned, Administrator de bonis non, of the estate of John L. Hall, deceased, will on Saturday, the 12th day of February, 1870, at the Court House door, in Kerbyville, in said county, between the hours of ten o'clock, A. M., and four o'clock, P. M., of said day, offer for sale, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, belonging to the estate of said John L. Hall deceased; to wit:

The S. W. ¼ of the S. W. ¼ of Sec. 13, the S. ½ of the S. E. ¼ of Sec. 14, the S. E. ¼ of the S. W. ¼ of Sec. 14, the N. E. ¼ of the N. W. ¼ of Sec. 23, the North ½ of the N. E. ¼ of Sec. 23, and the N. W. ¼ of the N. W. ¼ of Sec. 24, containing 320 acres, all in T. 35, S. R. 6 W., in Josephine county, Oregon.

On the confirmation of the sale of said premises by the County Court, aforesaid, and the payment of the purchase money, a deed will be executed to the purchaser for the same.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M.

Terms cash, in gold and silver coin.

SAMUEL HARKNESS,
Administrator.

Jan. 8, 1870.-4w

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AUGUSTA, MAINE.

Jan8—3m

Notice.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that I am not a partner in running the saw mill known as the Borrough's Mill, near Rogue River, and have not been a partner, either directly or indirectly, since the mill began to run at that place, and will not be responsible for any liabilities incurred by the parties in running said mill.

J. P. PARKER.

Jacksonville, January 8th, 1870.-w4

Guardian's Sale.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE County Court of Jackson county, Oregon made January term, 1870, the undersigned, guardian of the infant heirs of Fanny McCabe, deceased, will on the 5th day of February, 1870, at the Court House door in Jackson county, Oregon, at 10 o'clock, A. M., of said day, offer for sale, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, and interest of said heirs, to and to the following premises, situated in Jackson county, Oregon; to wit:

The S. W. ¼ of Sec. 29, in Township 34, S. R. 2 W., containing 160 acres, and known as the homestead farm of said Fanny McCabe, deceased.

The conditions of the above sale are $100 00 in gold and silver coin, are to be paid down, and a coin note for the balance, with approved security, due at 12 months from date, and bearing 12 per cent. per annum, from date to be given.

On the confirmation of the above sale by the County Court, a deed will be executed to the purchaser.

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Jacksonville, Oregon, Jan. 8, 1870.—tf

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