

THE OREGON SEN INEL

JACKSONVILLE.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY, 30, 1878.

Republican State Central Committee

The members of the Republican State Central Committee are hereby notified that a meeting of the Committee is called, to be held at the city of Portland, on February 20, 1878, at the hour of 1 P. M. A full attendance is desired.

DAVID GOODSELL, Chairman.

Portland, Jan. 23, 1878.

Another Election.

Only the short interval of five months will elapse until the people of Oregon will be again called on to assert their supremacy at the ballot box. It will then be seen whether the will of a majority is subservient to that party, which has so long been preying upon the vitals of this great State, or whether they will support with their suffrages the complaints which for years past have gone up from almost every fireside in this rapidly increasing commonwealth. Democracy here as elsewhere where it has had control has violated with unblushing audacity the sacred rights of almost every branch of our State government.

OUR SCHOOL FUND, that which should be held most sacred as the basis of future progress and enlightenment, as a treasure sacredly set apart not for this generation alone, has bowed to the sacrilegious hand of avarice. The children of the poor have been robbed of that which is peculiarly their own, to assist in the increase of the riches of the wealthy.

The State has been taxed to keep open

EXPENSIVE AND LUXURIOUS ESTABLISHMENT

For the insane to, increase the avaricious corpulency of a political pet. The money wasted in this shameful scheme would have built an asylum or contributed largely to it in which every taxpayer in the State could with pride have claimed an interest.

Twenty thousand dollars are annually spent on the boasted

STATE PENITENTIARY,

The direct taxes of the people, when that institution it is declared by good authority could be made self-sustaining.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars have been spent on a

STATE CAPITOL BUILDING,

that stands to-day a damaging and decaying monument of Democratic extravagance and perfidy, half completed, though the appropriations therefor, and which should have completed a substantial and commodious building that would have satisfied the pride and necessity of Oregon for a half century to come has been exhausted. Every year that this building stands in its present state the taxpayers lose by the destructive influence of the elements and other causes at least two and one half per cent. of the money already expended. Another source of great discontent and just cause for the resentment of the people, is the wicked, wanton and unrestrained oppression of hundreds of our frontier settlers who have braved the terrors of a frontier life to secure homes for themselves and their families, who have marched into the wild west with their small herds and flocks, praising the government which gave them the assistance of a homestead or pre-emption, if only they would reclaim it, and who, after years of toil and expense, when they are just becoming endeared to their new homes by the many little advantages and objects of comfort secured by labor and self denial, their fears are aroused by an adverse claim of the State of Oregon to their homes, based upon the

SWAMP LAND GRANT.

With the manipulators of capital ready to proclaim in acts that "to the victor belongs the spoils," and who, backed by the State and their money, follow with relentless cruelty their advantage, which in many cases includes land that under any circumstances or construction

of the act of 1860, could not be claimed with any shadow of justice by the State, yet officials, deaf to entreaty, and even supplication, allow these human harpies to prey upon the citizens whose protection it is their sworn duty to secure. And the facts here related are supported by the oaths of many of both parties, who are personally disinterested, and who are of unquestioned integrity. These are some of the many acts which the Democratic party will be called upon to account for in June next, and in the absence of a satisfactory explanation, will be forced to quail beneath the frown of a wronged and enraged people.

Shall we have more of this disgraceful business, or will the people assert their supremacy and consign this party to a place among themselves and elect others who shall transact the business of the people?

Editorial Notes.

Our Democratic brethren begin to show considerable anguish of spirit at the rapidly weakening of ties that have hitherto held them the triumphal car in this State. And it is with evident nervousness that they are now faintly urging the political ball to motion.

From the People of Jackson County

Comes "a small still voice," which every day is growing stronger and louder, demanding that the administration of affairs be rescued from the hands of a ring and be placed again in the control of the people where it belongs. This is a laudable wish of the people, and justice is on their side; all that is necessary is discretion, a definite method, well understood, a fixed purpose and a determination to withstand all designs to divert your attention, or beguile you from your purpose, which will only insure defeat. Democrats show their fears in this state by the industry exhibited in their futile efforts to create a breach in the Republican ranks by falsely representing the relations of our efficient Representative in Congress and Hon. J. H. Mitchell, whose ability, popularity and courage they fear, and whose strength they know will be fatal to a longer continuance of Democratic supremacy.

Telegrams from Europe of January 20th, state that the Turks have abandoned Adrianople, and that it is now occupied by the Russians. Before leaving the place the Turks blew up their ammunition. The Turkish place delegates were on their way to the Russian headquarters, with full power to make and sign the armistice at once. A Pera special says the negotiations have commenced. It is stated the Turkish plenipotentiaries have been instructed that they may offer to make Batoum a free port, cede territory on the Asian frontier nearly as far as Kars, and dismantle the fortifications of Kars and Erzeroum. They may also propose the following programme for discussion by the European conference. The Blankans to be considered the southern limit of Bulgaria; Roumania to be independent; the Dardanelles to be open to men of war of all nations, and the settlement of the Montenegrin and Serbian question to be temporarily deferred. Difficulties have already arisen. It is reported Russia had demanded that Adrianople be included in Bulgaria; also the cession of Batoum and opening of the Dardanelles to Russian and Turkish men of war.

Admiral Rogers has prepared and sent to President Hayes an interesting paper on the Chinese question. The paper is based on his personal observations, study and investigation during his residence in California, and takes the ground that Mongolian immigration should be checked and that it can be checked by Congressional legislation.

The Chinese have a strong and well organized lobby at Washington

General News Items.

The armistice between Russia and Turkey will be signed immediately.

The Woman's Rights petitions at Canyon City, received 47 male and 67 female signatures.

Thirty bushels to the acre is the usual yield of the wheat fields on the South Hills near Salem.

There is a run on the Odd Fellows' Bank, and on the Clay Street Savings Bank in San Francisco.

Those farmers who planted broom-corn this year are in luck. It is worth \$200 a ton in the market.

The Servians have captured Pristina and reoccupied Cershumli. Turks lost 400 killed and 450 prisoners.

M. Kirchum, of Clackamas county, recently sold Chas. Logus, of Oregon City, three hogs weighing 1,088 pounds.

William M. Tweed has made application to the Supreme Court for his discharge under the poor debtor act.

It is rumored in Washington that Stanley Matthews will, on his retirement from the senate, have the mission to Berlin, which has been kept open for him.

There is an old German proverb to the effect that a great war leaves the country with three armies—one of cripples, an army of mourners and an army of thieves.

While growing at her husband last summer, a New York woman was struck by lightning and instantly killed. If you wish your wife to see this paragraph, cut it out and paste it on the looking glass.

The remains of a man supposed to have been one of those killed by the explosion at Unatilla Rapids two years ago, have been found two miles above the Dalles. There was nothing by which the remains could be identified.

The Congressional Directory shows that out of 363 members of congress only 139 are natives of the states they represent. Only one state, North Carolina, is represented entirely by native born citizens, while the delegations of ten states do not contain a single native.

The Seattle *Intelligencer* says that Capt. J. J. Gilbert, of the U. S. coast survey, who was stationed last summer on the lower Columbia river, has been ordered to Puget Sound with his party. Next summer he will survey flood's canal. He will be provided with a steam yacht, now being fitted up at Mare Island.

The O & C. R. R. has a party of surveyors in the field making surveys for extension of the road south from St. Jo. Some of the people of Yamhill are somewhat suspicious of this activity and are inclined to regard it as a bluff for the purpose of stopping operations on the Dayton and Sheridan narrow gauge. The men along the line of the Dayton and Sheridan road have the money and they are thoroughly in earnest.

His ONLY JOKE.—Sitting Bull never perpetrated but one joke. That was one day last autumn, when he sat down on a cluster of clover, in which there was the bumble bee of all bumble bees. The petulant insect prodded the warrior with a sting that marked on hundred and ninety degrees in the coolest place, and with a mighty howl the chieftain rose up in the air and felt round for his tormentor. "Now is the Winter of our discontent," he said, holding the writhing bee up in his thumb and finger. "This is the Indian's hummer." And no one laughed, and no one said anything, nor asked him to say it again, and say it real slow, and the forest monarch withdrew his card from the paragon's association, and never joked again.

COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED.—Edgar Mills, Jacob Neff and Christopher Green yesterday received notification from Carl Schurz, Secretary of their reappointment as Railroad Commissioners for the line of the California and Oregon Division of the Central Pacific Railroad Company.—Ree.

The new steamship State of Oregon, designed to ply between Portland and San Francisco on the O. S. S. Co. route, did not leave New York as anticipated, and probably will not until the 25th.

The National Gold Medal was awarded to Bradley & Rolston for the best Photographs in the United States, and the Vienna Medal for the best in the world.

429 Montgomery St. San Francisco.

Table Rock Encampment No. 10, I. O. O. F. Holds regular sessions in the Hall, Odd Fellows' Building, in Jacksonville, Oregon, on the 2d and 4th Tuesday evenings of each and every month. All surrounding Patriarchs are cordially invited to meet with us.

SILAS J. DAY, C. P.

KANAN KUBEL, Scribe.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LAST CALL!

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY GIVE notice to all those indebted to them, either by note or book account, to come forward at once and settle their accounts before the 15th day of April next, or their accounts will be placed in the hands of an attorney for forced collection. A word to the wise is sufficient.

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Jacksonville, Jan. 22, 1878.

To Whom it may Concern!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE PLACED their accounts and notes in the hands of James H. Neff for collection, with instructions to collect without delay. Parties interested take notice, and pay soon.

SACCH BROS.

Jacksonville, Sept. 12, '77.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

A BLACK HEAVY SET INDIAN PONY, white eight feet tall, white around right hind foot, white in its forehead, in good condition, strayed or stolen from E. F. Dowell's residence about October 30th.

Notice!

ALL PERSONS HAVING ACCOUNTS against me are hereby requested to present them at once. And all persons knowing themselves indebted to me are hereby notified that they must settle immediately, or they will be called on by the Sheriff. I am pressed by an execution on a security debt and must have money to pay it.

B. F. DOWELL.

Stray Notice.

TAKEN UP BY J. W. PLYMIRE, LIVING six miles north of Placerville, on the Butte Creek county road, one dark bay horse about seven years old and 14 1/2 hands high, both hind feet white to the pastern-joint, and a small spot in the forehead. No brands to be seen. Also one bay mare and colt. The mare is about three years old, 14 1/2 hands high, and has no brands to be seen.

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N. FISHER.

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Howe Machine Co. " 109,240

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B. F. DOWELL,

Attorney at Law,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

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Jacksonville, Dec. 19, 1877.