

JACKSONVILLE:
WEDNESDAY, : : : MAY 1, 1878.

Josephine County Republican Convention.

Notice is hereby given that a Republican convention will be held at the Court House in Korbville on Saturday the 11th day of May, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of nominating candidates to be voted for at the coming June election—for a member of the State Legislature and the various county offices. The different precincts will be entitled to the following representation:

Waldo.....3	Williamsburg.....4
Korbville.....6	Camp Creek.....3
Albion.....4	Jump-off-Joe.....3
Slate Creek.....3	
Total.....26	

Precinct meetings will be held at the several places of voting on Saturday May 4th at 1 o'clock P. M. By order of the central committee.

J. C. ELDER, Chairman.
Waldo, April 12th 1878.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Representative,

H. K. HINES,
Of Union County.

For Governor,

C. C. BECKMAN,
Of Jackson County.

For Secretary of State,

R. P. EARHART,
Of Multnomah County.

For Treasurer,

ED. HIRSCH,
Of Marion County.

For State Printer,

W. B. CARTER,
Of Benton County.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,

L. J. POWELL,
Of Linn County.

To the Independent Voters of Jackson County.

The undersigned, voters of Jackson county, yielding to the general wish, and with the single purpose of promoting its welfare, by a combined and effectual opposition to the one man power, which in the present as in the past asserts an absolute control over its affairs through the machinery of packed party conventions, do hereby call a Citizen's Mass Convention of all the voters of our county who participate with us in the foregoing sentiment, regardless of political differences, to meet at the Court House, in Jacksonville, at 10 o'clock A. M., May 4th 1878, to nominate a full county ticket for the approaching June election.

Let every man come and bring all his friends with him, and the will of the majority determine who shall be our county officers for the next two years.

M. H. Drake
J. H. Penn
George Brown
H. H. Wollers
A. Barneburg
S. P. Hanna
W. F. Courtney
John Hockenjos
F. D. Hull
Adam Schmitt
Chas. W. Savage
J. H. Huffer
Ed. F. Lewis
John Miller
E. B. Watson
James Elliott
J. D. England
G. W. Elliott
J. Q. Willis
Henry Benz
W. C. Greenman
E. B. Caton
G. W. Holt
Wm. M. Turner
Robert Kahler
John Donegan
John Schumpf
John Conley
G. W. Crystal
Frank Kashafer
J. H. Hoffman
Thomas Brown
James Thornton
John Wolters
Ed. G. H. Allen
James G. Birdseye
R. J. Cameron
Samuel Rath
I. Constant
Horace H. Mace
E. C. Brooks
Joe. A. Boyer
M. Caton
Jesse R. Haggis
Tod Cameron
J. W. Bybee
C. M. Monchein
Z. Cameron
E. S. Armstrong
Daul Hopkins

Fol Humphrey
David Cronemiller
Frank Krause
J. T. Rolison
Swan
Wm. Edson
Geo. W. Frey
J. Allison
J. H. Hyzer
J. T. Hunt
J. C. Weiss
C. W. Kahler
E. F. Walker
S. C. Taylor
Henry Lee
Evel Sebring
John N. Bouham
Edwin Smith
A. B. Thomas
Wm. Orders
M. Hanley
J. W. Hill
Joseph Chitt
Mat. Schuchman
O. F. Bice
J. P. Gray
Chas. J. Howard
Joseph Rapp
John Linell
J. A. Carter
J. C. McCully
William Bybee
O. Schellville
Thos. Moe
Silas Draper
T. R. Ross
Thomas Carr
P. L. Carter
H. C. Hill
J. M. McCall
Chas. Goodchild
Geo. Nitley
J. H. Kincaid
P. Dunn
S. W. Obenchain
John A. Obenchain
John Duddies
James Eaton
John A. Greife
And 224 others.

Some of our democratic friends assert that the "primary" in this precinct was not run "straight." They are mistaken—it was as straight as a string. An enterprising collector of antiquities secured the ballots—fifty four in number—twenty eight of which were precisely alike and in the same hand writing. They are preserved as a political curiosity, and afford proof that every thing was straight—as a ram's horn.

The suggestion of the *Mercury* that Mr. Beckman is of Jewish descent, by reason of his name, is of course a strong bid for the Hebrew vote of Portland for Mr. Thayer. Every one must see that point. The next charge will possibly be that he is an aristocrat and that Beckman street in New York was named after him.

Swamp Land Candidates.

Our cotemporary, in the absence of anything else to say against Mr. Beckman, refers to the fact that he is an owner of "swamp land." This is strictly true, Mr. Beckman applied for five thousand acres. Subsequently three thousand acres of this was listed to the State, and Beckman owns it in connection with two other citizens, making him the owner of one thousand acres of land—fairly purchased, and honestly paid for. Is there anything wrong about it? His own money bought it, he uses it and pays taxes on it. If a man is a rascal because, under sanction of a law passed by a Democratic legislature, he purchases land belonging to the State on its own terms, then some of the party friends of the *Times* are deeper in the swamp than Mr. Beckman. According to Grover's report W. W. Thayer is a "grabber" of one hundred thousand acres of swamp. Thayer is the candidate of the *Times* for Governor. T. G. Reames is the democratic candidate for Secretary of State. "Honest John Whiteaker," the democratic candidate for Congress, went in for twelve thousand acres. J. N. T. Miller, democratic candidate for State Senator in Jackson county, has as good a title as the State can give for six thousand one hundred acres. So stands the record. We find no fault with any of these gentlemen. We do not believe that either Thayer, Reames or Whiteaker, were concerned in the shameful lobbying that secured the passage of a bill we never approved of, and we know that Mr. Beckman was not. But we do know, and it is an undisputed fact, that all the democratic representatives from Jackson county were in quite indecent haste to reap the benefits of the bill. So eager were they that they actually run a race to the Governor's office with their applications, only to find that some of their colleagues had "filed" on every valuable tract the day before the passage of the act. Mr. Beckman's application was three months later. We are glad the democratic papers have agitated this question. It shows that their contempt for every decent argument is about balanced by their ignorance and we dare them to publish the official list of swamp land applicants, giving the political complexion of every one and the number of acres applied for. So far they have the advantage on their ticket both as to number of candidates and number of acres. On our side, C. C. Beckman and R. P. Earhart apply for eleven thousand six hundred and sixty six acres. On the democratic side W. W. Thayer, T. G. Reames and John Whiteaker apply for one hundred and seventeen thousand acres, and if they have no title for it the act only shows that they were willing to "grab" more than they could pay for. If it be wicked to buy "swamp land" then the anti-swamp land voters must judge whose crime was the greatest and vote against them. We advise our democratic friends that no silly charges, no untenable argument will injure any candidate on either side, and if they will strike with a two edged sword they must remember that it will cut both ways.

The *Daily Standard* asserts with the utmost confidence "that C. C. Beckman never invested a dollar" in mining or quartz enterprises. When Nolter, its editor, becomes State Printer and runs a "successful business" Mr. Beckman will be happy to have him re-imburse about \$4,000 lost in a single quartz enterprise by himself and Mr. Klippel very recently. Tony should not commence lying so early in the campaign.

We would like to hear from Democratic papers on the squandering of the public school fund by the Grover administration. It is a subject of deep interest to the people and the Democratic press should not be so reticent upon it.

Desperate Journalism.

As soon as the Republican nominations were known throughout the State a vigorous attack was made on the whole ticket by Democratic journals. The *Standard*, recognized as the organ of Democracy, took the lead and its cry was echoed by every penny journal whose owner possessed a few quarts of type or had soaked his doubtful credit for a press. Not able to say a word against the personal character or ability of any Republican candidate they at once attacked their religion. Mr. Hines was denounced as a "howler." Mr. Beckman was alternately characterized as a "Methodist" and a "Jew." The convention, comprised of a large number of respectable citizens from all parts of the State, was burlesqued as a "Methodist conference." The desperation of political journals must be extreme when they are driven to this kind of argument. Christian or pagan, Jew or Gentile, all men are equal before the law. Liberty of conscience is a sacred right that can be taken away only with the last breath of the Republic, and a burlesque on religion is not only an insult to religious people but a common decency. How long is it, we ask the *Standard* and its satellites, since a "Jew" and a "Methodist" were honored by a Democratic nomination? Jacob Fleischer, the late Democratic State Treasurer, was a Hebrew. Was he an unclean man? The editor of the *Standard* was not too good a week since to be on the same ticket with Rev. Joseph Emery—a Methodist, but the latter, an honest man, feeling his religious position, sensibly declined joining Mr. Nolter's company. The Methodists and Hebrews of Oregon will not thank the Democratic press for sneering allusions to their creeds, and if it has no weightier arguments then its party must indeed be in extremis.

Mining Industry.

In a very able article, the *Mining and Scientific Press* urges the necessity of training more of our young men to mining pursuits. This is sensible and timely. Our mineral wealth is developing on a broader and more permanent basis every year. Skilled and scientific labor is becoming more in demand in the mines and the positions filled by mining engineers and assayers are generally occupied by foreigners. No doubt this is partly due to the almost complete neglect of mining education in public institutions; and very materially to the rapid growth of effeminate tastes among our youth. We are too careless of our boys. We are pressing too many of them into professional life, or into already overcrowded trades, while the propriety of fitting them for the development of this most important source of wealth is overlooked. We teach them Latin only to be used occasionally as an evidence of pedantry—Greek, only to rust out of mind with the dusty and forgotten lexicon, and in so doing teach them to sneer at labor. There is an attraction to true manhood in the pursuit that defies natural obstacles, that undermines mountains, that turns rivers from their channels, and guides them as if with a siltken thread, and above all there is a fascination in the knowledge that can determine to the smallest fraction the amount of precious or useful metal contained in a piece of ore, and a consciousness of power in its useful application. This should be the subject of action by Congress. We should have at least one national school of mines on this coast where engineers and assayers could be educated, not only in theoretical but practical mining. It should be supported by the National treasury, and its students might be appointed in similar manner as those of "West Point." Then many of our youth whose tastes lead them into the higher and skilled branches of labor could develop those tastes for the benefit of this important industry. Will the "Press" endorse our views?

Our neighbor is extremely laudatory of Judge Tolman. "His appointment is an excellent one &c." How is it Charles? four years ago when a Republican candidate for Governor, Tolman was a "scrub," a "demagogue" and "ignoramus" and several other bad things, Democratic editors do change sometimes, and we are glad Bro Nickell is paying more attention to truth than to consistency.

MARRIED.

DELMATER—BERRY—At the residence of the bride's parents, April 28th, by Rev. M. A. Williams, N. Delmater of Josephine county and Miss Mary A. Berry of this place.

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—ON—

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE said and signed has purchased from A. J. Walls and Elizabeth Walls a one-half interest in the Jesse Thomas saw-mill, situated on French Creek in Jackson county, a 4d that from and after this date I will have full control of said mill and will be responsible for all debts or contracts made by A. J. Walls, or Elizabeth Walls, or any other person, in connection with said mill, after the date of this notice.

R. S. ARSTRONG.
Esq. Creek March 29th 1878.

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I OFFER MY FARM FOR SALE OR LEASE, situated at the mouth of Jackson Creek, eight miles from Jacksonville, known as the Drake place. The farm contains 160 acres, all under fence, and has a good orchard of about 400 fruit trees. It also has a good house, two barns and several 2000 ft. For further particulars enquire of the undersigned.

SAMUEL PHILLIPS.



B. R. DOWELL,
Attorney at Law,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
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Notice.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO ALEX. Martin, or to White & Martin, either by note or book account, are notified to come forward and make settlement immediately as I am going to remove from the State.

ALEX. MARTIN.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE Bigger estate are notified that settlement must be made immediately as I want to finish up the administration.

C. W. KAHLER, Adm'r.

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