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All Repairing entrusted to
my care will be PROMPTLY and
carefully done.
PRICES REASONABLE.
Give Me a Call.

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—THE—
RUSTLER
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—Does Up—
ALL COMPETITORS!
We are always in the Lead, and mean to
keep there.
The Golden Harvest is upon us, and farm-
ers are smiling because Woodward
looks to their interest.

BUGGY HARNESS
—Full Trimmed—
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These are all Leather and Warranted.

SADDLES
At Reduced Prices.
Consult your purse and be sure and see
Woodward before buying.
W. G. WOODWARD
To the Public.
On and after this date, I wish it under-
stood that my terms for all undertaker's
goods are cash with the order. I find it
impossible to do business on a credit
basis, and believe that I can do better by
my patrons and myself by selling strictly
for cash. P. BERNDICK, Undertaker.
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WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, AND FANCY GOODS.
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A COMPLETE STOCK OF
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The Best Stove is Always the CHEAPEST.
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The City Meat Market,
And Dealer in
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AND FRESH MEATS OF ALL KINDS.
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to any part of the City.
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Goods delivered free to all
parts of the city. Leave
your orders with me and
save money. Roseburg, Or.
Flour, Feed,
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Blacksmiths and Machinists
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Machine Work a Specialty ROSEBURG, OR.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

The convention was called to order by
the chairman of the central committee,
F. B. Waite, at 10:22.
On motion of J. W. Hamilton, F. B.
Waite was made chairman of the conven-
tion.
Joe Lyons and Joseph Micelli were
chosen secretaries.
The chair announced a committee of 5
on credentials, consisting of Peter Nel-
son of Gardiner, W. R. Smith of Cala-
pooia, J. L. Boyle of Canyonville, J. T.
Goodman of Looking Glass, Rob Hutchin-
son of Elkton.

A committee of 5 was appointed on or-
der of business: L. Hall of Oakland, J.
B. Cawfield of Roseburg, Wm. Thiel of
Yoncalla, J. T. Thompson of East Ump-
qua, C. McMeekin of Drain.
A committee of 5 was appointed on
resolutions: C. H. Fisher of Roseburg,
Robt. Powell of Myrtle Creek, C. D.
Drain of Drain, Frank Gorrell of Oak-
land, J. R. Dean of Riddle.
Convention adjourned until 1 p. m.
AFTERNOON.
Convention called to order at 1:12 p.
m.

Report of committee on credentials
was adopted as follows:
Calapooia—A. J. Dear, J. H. Grubbe,
C. A. McNabb, Cap. Hall, W. A. Leeper
and Frank Gorrell. Thomas Turner,
justice; Robert Medley, constable.
Civil Bend—S. C. Miller, W. L. Cobb,
H. R. Challenor, justice; S. S. Bolsinger,
constable.
Canyonville—J. L. Boyle, J. L.
Clough, by J. L. Boyle, proxy; L. L.
Pende, J. W. Puckett, Alfred Wollen-
berg, justice; James R. Puckett, con-
stable.
Cow Creek—Doug. Dyer, John Hobbs,
by J. L. Dewey, proxy; F. W. Carroll
and J. N. Gilmore.
Coles Valley—Wm. Callahan, Ed.
Diller.

Camas Valley—B. J. Trowbridge, by
John Stanley, proxy. Henry Denn,
justice.
Comstock—Francis Bolton, by Wm.
Hollandsworth, proxy; Wm. Hollands-
worth, Joe Richey, justice; W. Hol-
landsworth, constable.
Deer Creek—D. C. McClallen, J. B.
Cawfield, J. A. Wiles, H. F. Starmer, E.
M. Parrott, by N. N. Chapman, proxy;
V. C. London.

Roseburg—B. W. Strang, I. Wollenberg,
F. R. Coffman, F. B. Waite.
Riddle—L. Dyer, A. W. Cornett, John
Yocum, J. R. Dean. W. A. Weber, justice;
Fred Sanderson, constable.
Ten Mile—T. J. Williams, W. L. Short,
by T. J. Williams, proxy.
Umpqua—J. B. Waite, S. K. Sykes, A.
Salzman, E. C. Puket, C. H. Fisher, P. C.
Ream, Jos. Micelli, Gus Linsler.
Wilbur—J. R. Chapman, James Ewart,
Lee Love.

Elkton—R. C. Hutchinson, F. F. Wells,
R. C. Hutchinson proxy, A. J. Howard, I.
M. Stark. A. M. Young, justice; W. H.
Stark, constable.
East Umpqua—W. A. Bohart, S. D.
Chapman, J. F. Thomson, E. B. Chap-
man, justice; Geo. Shirum, constable.
Glendale—J. L. Dewey, W. H. Redfield,
Frank Plotner, D. B. Redfield, justice;
R. H. Welch, constable.
Gardiner—Pete Nelson by James Du-
lan proxy, J. L. Harding by Pete Nelson
proxy, James Hutchinson, Arthur
Smith by Jas Hutchinson proxy, John
Cowan by Peter Dolan proxy.

Looking Glass—J. T. Goodman, J. E.
Williams, Bose Williams, Mart Smith
by J. T. Goodman proxy. B. Cave justice;
Jeff Williams Jr., constable.
Lake—A. Miner by J. W. Hamilton
proxy, W. T. Carle by S. F. Flood proxy.
Mt. Scott—J. J. Thornton, R. H. Cox,
T. E. Singleton, justice; Owen Atterbery,
constable.
Myrtle Creek—John Hall, H. Dyer
by John Hall proxy, A. S. Chaney, Jas. Hut-
son, W. N. Moore, James Danivan, Robt.
Powell,
Millwood—E. Stephens by F. Dillard
proxy, A. T. Thompson, S. A. Garney by
F. W. Dillard proxy.

Oakland—C. L. Cbenoweth, J. H. Ma-
honey, J. A. Davis, W. R. Smith, W. T.
Turner. W. T. Turner, justice; Robt.
Medley, constable.
West Roseburg—R. B. Houston, Thos.
Hinkle, R. B. Houston by N. J. Richards,
proxy.
Yoncalla—Wm. Harmon, R. W. Levy, A.
J. Pitner by R. W. Levy proxy, Wm. Thiel.
Pass Creek—F. A. Clemens, Joe
Lyons, C. C. McMakin, Ira Wimberly,
C. D. Drain, J. G. Hefty, by C. D.
Drain, proxy.

Following is the report of the commit-
tee on
RESOLUTIONS.
We, the representatives of the demo-
cratic party of Douglas county in con-
vention assembled, believing it to be
only the province of county conventions
to deal with county and state affairs, do
hereby pledge the party and the nomi-
nees of this convention, to earnestly
work for and support by ballot and all
other honorable means, the following
measures in the interest of the people.
1. To place all state and county offi-
cers upon salaries, such salaries to be
commensurate with the salaries paid by
individuals for like talent and services.
2. The abolishment of all unnecessary
commissions and officers and especially
the railroad commission, the domestic
stock commission, the first commission
and the office of attorney-general.
3. That the scandalous action of re-
cent legislatures in the employment of a

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our own correspondent.]
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 21, 1896.
Many years ago, when I was in Cali-
fornia, upon a Sunday evening, for want
of other pastime, I wandered with a little
barefooted boy, into a church. It was
not an old time meeting house or we
would have been invited, and welcomed
to good seats. As it was we took places
near the door where we well off, per-
haps, as if we had been "up front." So-
rely we were easier in mind for in case
of fire or earthquake, we could have
gotten out into the open quicker.
Sitting where we did the words of the
apostle James came to me: "For if
there come unto your assembly a man
with a gold ring, in goodly apparel, and
there comes in also a poor man in yile
raiment, and ye have respect to him
that weareth the gay clothing, and say
unto him: Sit thou here in a good
place; and say to the poor: Stand thou
there, or sit here under my feet; and
ye are not then partial in yourselves,
and are become judges of evil thoughts?"
The sermon of the preacher was based
upon the parable of the rich man and
Lazarus. The picture of the comforts of
dives and the sufferings of the pauper,
while they were both in this world, was
highly colored and formed, as it were,
the backbone of the discourse. The
simple statement in the word, sufficed
to contrast the reversed positions of the
personages after death. Time has
effaced almost every word of the sermon
and left only a general recollection but I
shall never forget one sentence of the
reverend sir, it was so emphatic, it
seemed to be so well suited to the com-
prehension of the auditors: "Now my
brethren, in Abraham's bosom we are
sure Lazarus was blessed, but I'll bet
that, when on earth, he was happier
than the rich man."

If these godly christian statesmen who
will assemble themselves together, this
week, in the national and several state
legislatures, will forget some of the dif-
ferences which separate them into con-
flicting sects and also bear in mind the
course pursued by the Divine Master,
while he was manifest in the flesh, they
may perhaps arrive at the conclusions
taught by him and modify their self im-
posed contract of christianizing the
world by parliamentary proceedings it
will be better for all concerned. The
question, "Is it lawful for us to give tribute
unto Cesar or no?" was speedily an-
swered: "Render unto Cesar the things
which are Cesar's and unto God the
things which are God's."

The prevailing vice of the times appears
to be the same as it has been for years,
a great haste to get rich. Surely the
state could manage to scrub along, in its
old fashioned heathenish way, if our
good folks could only invent some meth-
od of making and keeping men, espe-
cially public servants, honest. If they
could only do away with the thin ve-
neering of religion which seems to be
the fashion now and give us genuine
good goods. Honest pine or oak or
whatever else, instead of a sham. Hon-
est brick and mortar, without a flimsy
film of brown stone which is but a delu-
sion and a snare. Then the world, in
time, might grow better and happier,
then there might be a decrease in the
numbers of defaulters filling our news-
papers with scandal and covering them-
selves with shame. Public sentiment
appears to be debauched upon this mat-
ter of money-getting and in the modern
struggle to join the ranks of the wealthy
it is no cause for wonder that devious
methods should be resorted to. Let a
halt be called along the line and let us
get back to honest methods and we
shall have honest men. When the fol-
lowers of Christ pay more attention to
the poor and less adulation to the rich,
when they make less parade and encour-
age modesty and temperance in respect
to the practical affairs of every day life,
when they base their philosophy upon
the proposition of sixteen ounces to the
pound and thirty six inches to the yard,
and then live up to that philosophy all
the other things may be added by Heav-
en, and although we may not bet that
the beggars will be happier than the
wealthy doubtless the millennium will
be nearest at hand.

Notice.
To poll tax payers of Douglas county,
Oregon. The law regarding poll taxes
is: The assessor shall require every
person to pay his poll taxes at the time
of assessing the same, and in default of
such payment the assessor shall immedi-
ately give to the sheriff a list of such
poll taxes.
And as the county court requests the
law be strictly carried out, my deputies
and self will demand all poll taxes, and
those unpaid will be returned to the
sheriff at once for collection and mile-
age.
JAS. A. STERLING,
Assessor of Douglas Co., Or.

Notice to Stockholders.
Stockholders are hereby notified that
the annual meeting of the stockholders
of the Douglas County Building & Loan
Association will be held at the council
room in city hall, in the city of Roseburg,
Douglas county, state of Oregon, on
Wednesday, April 15, 1896, at 7:30 p.
m. of said day, for the purpose of elect-
ing seven directors and three auditors
for the ensuing year, and for the tran-
saction of such other business as may
legally come before the meeting.
M. F. RAY, Secretary.
Roseburg, Or., March 25, 1896.

Special Notice.
The Busby addition in North Rose-
burg, consisting of 200 acres of choice
land, having been platted into large
residence lots and acreage property, is
now placed upon the market at cut rates,
payable in yearly installments, bearing
six per cent interest per annum. The
title is perfect and every parcel sold will
be released by the mortgagee from the
operation of a certain mortgage now up-
on the property. To examine plats and
learn prices, etc., call upon
D. S. K. BUICK, Agent.

Teachers' Review Class.
Those not wishing to take either of the
regular courses in the Normal, can now
enter a class for the Review of the com-
mon branches and methods. Drills in
elocution and reading daily. Address,
ASHLAND NORMAL.

PAUPER IMMIGRATION.

Every native born American voter,
white or colored, is compelled to wait
twenty-one years before he can vote,
while an ignorant foreigner can become
a citizen before he can read or write or
have the slightest knowledge of our in-
stitutions. Let Americans assert them-
selves and determine that hereafter our
country shall be ruled only by Ameri-
cans, native and naturalized. The
United States should no longer be the
"jumping ground" for the crimina-
classes and cheap pauper labor of
Europe. This subject should be forced
to the front until the pressure of public
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Our courts should strictly enforce the
present materialization laws, and our
legislative assemblies make a longer res-
idence and reasonable education and
proof of good character obligatory before
citizenship.

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THE OREGONIAN RABIES.
The Oregonian has the silver rabies
and has it bad. When Cleveland called
congress together in special session for
the sole purpose of repealing the Sher-
man silver purchase act of 1890, prom-
ising that, if the act be repealed, all our
financial ills would vanish like the
morning dew before the sun, the Ore-
gonian endorsed that move and turned
on the calcium light of its mighty edi-
torials, trying to show that Cleveland
was right and that the Sherman act
was only "a makeshift," a compromise
between that and a worse condition.
Well, what has been the result? Why
the depression continue unabated, nay,
it is going from bad to worse all the
time. Money is tighter today than ever,
though the Sherman silver purchase act
has been repealed for more than two
years. Now the Oregonian is pouring
out the vials of its wrath upon every
man who dare say silver; while it treats
the real issue, protection, with almost
silent contempt. Nothing so arouses the
Oregonian's ire as does the tinkle of a
silver bell or a vote in congress favoring
silver.

While the PLAINDEALER is not in favor
of free and unlimited silver coinage, it
regards protection by well arranged pro-
tective tariff duties on foreign imports as
the question of questions now demand-
ing solution. Give us protection and
the business of the country will adjust
itself to the satisfaction of all with the
present currency laws unchanged.

The ticket made Friday is a good one,
made by the largest and most harmoni-
ous convention that has been held for
years. The candidates are all good reli-
able and able republicans worthy of the
support of every voter in the county,
whether republican, democrat or popu-
list. It is not expected however, that
every one will vote it. The democrats
and populists will fight our ticket, as a
rule, but there will be many of each
party who will support the ticket made
Friday by the republican convention. It
will be elected, too, mark the predic-
tion.

The K. P. A. editor of the Review says
that at the democratic primaries "no one
known to be a democrat or claiming to
be one was challenged." How about
Mr. Hershey? He claims to have been
a democrat all his life, yet he was not
allowed to vote. Perhaps the color of
the ticket had more to do with a man's
right to vote in Roseburg than his poli-
tics, for in the next paragraph the Re-
view says a well known republican
offered his vote at one of the polling
places. He had a "blue ring" ticket in
his hand and was allowed to vote.

A Literary Family.
The wife of a certain bookseller pre-
sented him with 11 sons, one after an-
other.
The good man carried his professional
spirit in family life, says a London
paper, so he named them "Primus,"
"Secundus," "Tertius" and so on to
"Decimus."
He concluded it was time to stop at
the 11th, so he named him "Finis."
But this was not finis.
There was yet another to come—a
daughter this time, so he called her
"Errata."

Boys MAY BE HAD (and sometimes
girls) for—(1) ordinary service at wages;
(2) upon indenture, [to work, attend
school, and be brought up somewhat as
your own]; and—(3) children may be
had for legal adoption. Address, W. T.
GARDNER, Supt. Oregon Boys' and Girls'
Aid Society, Portland, Or.

Scientists say the time is coming when
we shall be able to talk with the planets.
The necessity for more talk is not urgent,
but any improvement in the quality will
be thankfully received.

England's decision to spend \$100,000,
000 in building new war-ships this year
would be more formidable if the fact
were not known that the ships already
completed are decidedly short of sailors.
A landsman transferred at short notice
to a modern battle-ship is about as effec-
tive as a Spanish infantryman on a Cu-
ban mule.
The supreme court of Massachusetts
has decided that a school teacher has no
right to require a scholar to tell tales on
a companion. Such a decision is cer-
tainly in the interest of honor and mor-
ality, whatever the teachers who try to
promote treachery among their pupils
may think about it.
For Sale.—Old papers, at this office,
at 25 cents per hundred.