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MISREPRESENTATION.

When the leaders and press of a party have to, and do, resort to misrepresentation and fraud, in order to secure party success, it is high time to every honest member of that party to cast about and ascertain if honor and good conscience do not require him to cut loose from it...

The Daily Oregonian of the 8th inst., in an attempt to manufacture capital for the Republican party in general, and for Senator Williams in particular, says: Senator Williams has introduced a bill in the Senate to prohibit the importation of Chinese into the United States...

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We also think that the Chinese would not come here in such numbers as to be injurious to the mass of the population of this country...

This is a sound opinion, and, though Mr. Mills could not well be aware of it, the fact is very apparent here that the Chinese population in America is now rather diminishing than increasing.

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They do not come in families to settle, and were it not for the schemes of southern planters to bring them in and work them under the coolie system, we should see no reason to suppose that their numbers in America would ever be augmented so as to much exceed the ratio they bear at present to our white population.

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lost its power. The Democratic party can make nothing more of it. The action of Southern Democrats, who are the only persons proposed to import coolies, is to completely confound the petty demagogues of that party in the Northern States who have been using this thing as a political weapon.

Were the South now, as it once was, the Radical papers might, with some plausibility, talk about Southern Democrats and the Democratic South. But at the present time the subjugated people of the Southern States, are under the absolute control of the unprincipled and tyrannical carpet baggers and thieves...

And as a further means of ascertaining the political complexion of the ruling element of the Southern States we will take a glance at the Congressional Directory of the Fortieth, or last Congress.

From it we learn that the United States Senators from Alabama are: WILLARD WARNER was born in Ohio, was in the army and was mustered out in 1865...

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three Representatives all of whom are loyal to the corrupt party in power. If Democrats controlled the business or the politics of the Southern States their farms and homesteads would not be advertised for sale by Northern speculators, neither would they send to Congress the kind of men which now misrepresent those States.

Yet, in the face of these facts, the Oregonian, and other Radical sheets, are continually prating about the "Democratic South" procuring Chinese laborers to work their plantations. These things are done for the purpose of deceiving and quelling the people until the 15th Amendment shall be adopted, or reported to be adopted by three fourths of the States...

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A PARTISAN COURT.

On last Tuesday we had an exemplification of Republican honor, honesty and justice, in our County Court. But before giving a statement of the partisan feeling manifested on this occasion it will be necessary to relate another circumstance which occurred some time since.

Last fall some mules were stolen from this vicinity. A warrant was issued and placed in the hands of Mr. Myers who went in pursuit of the thief and stolen property. The thief was arrested and the stolen property recovered, and taken possession of by the Sheriff, and the thief placed on another horse, which he said was his own, and they started for this place.

On the 26th of October, the prisoner managed to slip off his horse, and ran. Pursuit was made, but he managed to escape. The horse was brought into town, and under an order of the County Court was sold to assist in defraying the expenses of the search after, and arrest of, the thief.

At this term of the Court, Sheriff Myers presented for allowance his bill for services as such officer; and, among other things, there was a charge for \$35 for mileage in collecting taxes. This item the Court would not allow.

Mr. Myers then reminded the Court of the fact that it had allowed W. P. Burns, his predecessor, not only mileage for collecting taxes, but had also paid him \$42 for a guard, to guard him while collecting. This the Court doubted, and said that Mr. Burns was an undaunted man as ever lived, and that when he went after a man he brought him.

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For this defending himself, when thus assaulted, the court fined Sheriff Myers fifty dollars, and fined Mr. McCown twenty-five dollars for making the assault.

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The Senator and his friends are guilty of some very silly and absurd political maneuvering. If the law, now in existence prohibiting the importation of coolies, does not prevent them from coming here, a re-enactment of the same or a similar prohibitory law will not keep them away.

DECEMBER IN OREGON.—This is the 11th of December, and we have passed along the streets and noticed Roses, Violets, Daisies, and other flowers in bloom, in the door yards of our citizens.

PERSONAL.—Mr. H. Abbott, Esq., has taken editorial charge of the La Grande Sentinel. Mr. Abbott is an able writer, well known throughout the State, and we are well satisfied that the Sentinel will continue, as it has been since our acquaintance with it, an able and effective Democratic paper.

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LETTER FROM CLEAR CREEK.

Clear Creek, Clackamas County, Oregon, November 27th, 1869. EDITOR WEEKLY ENTERPRISE. As your request corresponds to the various parts of this county, I thought that a few items from this place would be acceptable.

OUR MAIL ARRANGEMENTS. Are in such a wretched condition that we honestly think that forbearance has long since ceased to be a virtue. In the first place, the contract was to let carry the mail from Portland, via Damascus, Eagle Creek, Clear Creek, and so on to Silverton.

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AND FOR DAYTON: ON MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, & FRIDAY, at 7 o'clock A. M.

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