

The Democratic News

SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 2, 1870.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS:

JAMES H. SLATER.

FOR GOVERNOR:

L. F. GROVER.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE:

S. F. CHADWICK.

FOR STATE TREASURER:

L. FLEISCHNER.

FOR STATE PRINTER:

T. PATTERSON.

FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY:

1st District—H. HANNA.

Oregon Democratic Platform.

The following are the resolutions adopted by the great Democratic Convention at Albany, embodying the principles of the party in this State:

1. That they are unalterably attached to the principles of our Republic as expounded by its founders, and the paramount object of their organization shall ever be to uphold and maintain these principles inviolate.

2. That they hold those political partisans, who, occupying positions of trust, claiming to be representatives of the people, have usurped the authority, vested in them, maliciously trampled under foot our sacred bill of rights, made civil law subordinate to military rule, perverted the functions of government, and endeavored to concentrate its powers in the hands of an oligarchy, wholly disregarding the will, and wishes of their constituents, and insidiously endeavored to disparage, debase and stigmatize the proud, noble title of American citizenship, as enemies to the best interests of this commonwealth.

3. That the so-called reconstruction measures attempted to be carried out by the present party in power is a nefarious scheme, revolutionary in design, reasonable in execution, one which if acquiesced in as a rightful exercise of authority will establish the most dangerous precedent and imperil the liberty and prosperity of our form of government, and that the present Senators in the Congress of the United States from this State in supporting those measures have misrepresented the wishes and outraged the sentiments of the people of Oregon.

4. That the systematic efforts made by that party to extend to the African, the Indian, and the Chinaman all the civil and political rights and privileges enjoyed by the white race, evinces a design on the part of its leaders to destroy the high estimate placed upon that invaluable heritage and render despotism less objectionable and more easy of accomplishment.

5. That the ratification of the recently proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States extending the right of suffrage to the benighted negro and Indian, and which opens the door for its enjoyment to the heathenish, Chinaman, is irregular, arbitrary and unlawful, and they most earnestly protest against the passage by the United States Congress of the pending act designed to enforce this obnoxious and illegal provision.

6. That they urge and entreat a repeal of the recent treaty concluded between the United States and China which guarantees to the latter nation such extensive privileges and immunities without corresponding benefits to American citizens, and offers to its hordes of semi-barbarians such favorable inducements to swarm in upon us, occupying our mineral and agricultural districts, create competition with our laboring masses, establish immoral pursuits, disgusting rites, ceremonies and practices in our towns, discourage and repel the immigration of our own race, decrease the white population, retard thrift, impede the advancement of education and enlightenment, abstract from our resources and send away our valuable mineral wealth, and demoralize and apostatize our community, and they resolve that a party who will sustain a policy so unwise, ruinous and ruthless as that which upholds such an infamous bargain, is unworthy the support of white men.

7. That in the management of municipal affairs they urge a judicious application of the principles of sound political economy, a laudable encouragement to agricultural, mineral, manufacturing and commercial interests; a just and equitable protection to the laborer and capitalist, and the faithful exercise of a system of rigid retrenchment; that the government should be administered for the people and not against them, in protecting their rights and interests and not in fostering monopolies to prey upon them and despoil them of their substance; that a system of taxation which has for its object the establishment of privileged orders under the Government, either by preferring one class to another or by imposing grievous burthens upon the taxpayers, while conferring favors, exemptions and immunities upon the holders of Government securities deserves no other name than legalized public plunder.

8. That the continued payment of the semi-annual interest on the bonded debt of the United States without abatement, together with other enormous expenses for which the people are taxed, make a burden too intolerable to be borne without an effort to find some speedy means of relief; that

the amount of the bonded debt was increased more than two-fold by the venal, illegal and unjustifiable terms of its contraction, and there is neither justice or wisdom in the repeated payment of the principal by the continued payment of the interest; that it is no part of good policy or good government to embarrass the energies of labor and business enterprise by excessive and oppressive taxation for the exclusive benefit of a combination of untaxed capital, that to relieve the country and to restore prosperity we favor an equitable adjustment of the bonded debt of the United States.

9. That the desire of the present Congress, as manifested by the proceedings, to require of the wealthy bondholders payment in coin on account of indebtedness growing out of loans to the United States, of Treasury notes when worth less than one-half their coin value, after the holders thereof have received exorbitant interest thereon, and at the same time leaving the pensions due unfortunate soldiers, their wives, children or other kindred to be paid in a depreciated currency, exhibits a spirit of injustice unsurpassed in the history of class legislation and fully demonstrates the existence of a design on the part of the monied aristocracy of the country to influence the establishment of a policy favoring the aggrandizement of the rich at the expense of the poor; a policy which has for its object the aggregation of wealth, opulence and power on the one hand, and misery, poverty and slavery on the other; a policy fitted only to a monarchical form of government.

10. That the Democracy of this State now, as heretofore, are strenuous advocates of a tariff for purposes of revenue only; that the principle of protection for the sake of protection is at war with the diversified interests of the people of the States, and experience has shown its tendency to aggrandize a class in the community at the expense and to the injury of the producing and laboring millions, taxing their industry equally, in violation of the authority of the Constitution, and of the great principles that should govern this people in their intercourse with the family of nations.

11. That we favor the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, rescinding the 14th and 15th amendments.

12. That we are in favor of a liberal policy being pursued by the Legislature of this State, in the bestowal of the land grants to her for the purpose of public improvements.

13. That the Governor and resigning members of the Legislature, in engaging in a conspiracy to overthrow the State government, collect large amounts of coin as revenue, to be drawn from the business and hard earnings of the people, to be idle in the treasury, or to be the subjects of gambling speculations in warrants, bonds and other securities, were guilty of a high crime against the Government of Oregon, rendering them unworthy the respect and confidence of the people, or of being further entrusted with the administration of the government; and while we thus condemn the action of the Governor and resigning members, we unhesitatingly approve and endorse the conduct of the Democratic members in earnestly and faithfully striving to restore and maintain the organization of the Legislature, and provide for the due administration of the laws.

Coming Squarely Out.

In the preliminary meeting of Caucus of the Massachusetts Republican Party at Worcester yesterday, Hon. George B. Loring, who presided, came out squarely in favor of Chinese suffrage. This is square dealing, and Mr. Loring is entitled to thanks for his honesty. That this result is anticipated and intended by many of those who advocate Chinese immigration, and who believe the Fifteenth Amendment is one of the necessary steps in effecting it, there need be no doubt. Many, doubtless, who do not look beneath the surface of questions, consider it absurd to suppose that Chinamen are ever to be naturalized or to vote. In a few years, if Chinese immigration progresses as it promises to do, there will be no need of naturalization, since the native-born, who will be citizens by right of birth, will be plenty enough. Congress will expunge the word "white" from constitutions, and we shall then have the benefit of this mania for degrading citizenship and depreciating the franchise of the ballot, when black, yellow, copper-color, speckled, griff, coffee, John, Hole-in-the-day, Malay Joe, Hottentot Jim, Caffre, Nena Sahib, Susan, Phillis, Ah Kum, and all the rest shall be citizens and voters.

With proper management the ratification of this amendment will give us in Oregon 200 colored votes, and elect the entire Republican ticket at the June election. At the Presidential election Grant only lacked 144 votes of getting the electoral vote of Oregon. There are, upwards of two hundred colored voters in Oregon. Nine-tenths of this class vote the Republican ticket throughout the United States.

This is the reason why Democrats howl for a "white man's government" and this is one reason why we favor the Fifteenth Amendment. Our colored population show they deserve to be enfranchised by voting against rebels and democrats.—Dawell's Washington Letter to the Sentinel, January 17th.

Forward is the motto of the present day. Old stereotyped opinions which have nothing but their antiquity to recommend them, are fast giving away as their absurdities are proved, by the investigations of science. The old notion that bleeding must be resorted to in every case of sickness, has long ago exploded, and the dangerous and indiscriminate use of calomel, blue mass, and kindred mineral medicines, is fast giving way to the safer and more effectual vegetable medicines, of which Dr. Walker's Vegetable Purgative Pills contain the most perfect and scientific combination.

The Ticket.

People looked to the Albany Convention with confidence so soon as the list of gentlemen who were delegates was announced. Composed of picked men of the party from all parts of the State, it was not doubted but that the result of its deliberations would be for the best, and every Democrat was prepared to acquiesce in the judgment of the Convention both as to men and measures. The outcome justifies the most flattering predictions that were made. Our Standard Bearer in the coming contest are men upon whose names no just reproach can be brought. Hon. J. H. Slater and Hon. L. F. Grover, are gentlemen of distinguished integrity. In all the parts taken by both before the people of this State no record has been made by either in which even an ardent enemy can show a speck of fraud. They go before their fellow citizens bearing the Democratic colors aloft in clean hands. No man of either party will say that he fears corruption in offices administered by J. H. Slater or L. F. Grover. In addition to the repute of unimpeachable honor and honesty, they are known as eloquent speakers in defense of the right. Believing in the truths which are the foundation stones of this great Republic, they have the nerve and ability to talk plain to the people of the usurpations of Radicalism and the danger of Imperialism. When their voices are heard the people will listen, and the result cannot be otherwise than that many honest Republicans will turn away from the dangerous propositions of Radicalism.

As a coalition on the stump the leaders will have Hon. S. F. Chadwick, whose strong and eloquent voice is familiar to the people. He is a gentleman whose fame has long since risen above the reach of calumny. Always advocating his convictions from a thoroughly honest standpoint, he has won the regards of those he defended and the respect of those he attacked. Democrats say of him, he is our firm and powerful friend; and Radicals say of him, he is our fair and brave and uncompromising enemy.

Of Mr. Fleischner, the nominee for Treasurer, and Mr. Patterson, the nominee for State Printer, both are known throughout the State, and favorably—the one as an old resident Democrat and enterprising merchant, whose interests have been identical with those of Oregon; and the other, as the business manager of the OREGON HERALD from shortly after its inception through most of the dark days, until his tact, devotion and energy has established it on its present firm foundations.

We close by saying that we firmly believe a change has come in the tide of affairs which will float the advocates of right on to success and wash Radicalism down to perdition. Humbuggery and fraud cannot prevail in Oregon in the coming campaign like it did four years back. The people have regained their old love of fair play, and whoever tries a swindling dodge or rests his chances on appeals to base prejudice, will lose the day. Let the people of Oregon hold open their ears to what is said on both sides, and weigh all arguments in the balance of fair judgment. If they do this we are satisfied that what the Democracy did two years ago will be doubled this time.—Herald.

It is creditable to the Democratic party, and shows the idea which its opponents really entertain of it, that when a man like Mr. Dawes rises up in the House of Representatives and denounces extravagance, and fraud, and corruption, he is immediately denounced as either having turned Democrat, or as doing something to give that organization aid or comfort. It seems to be taken for granted that the moment a Republican finds fault with the administrations or the corruption in his party he can no longer be trusted by the faithful. Gen. Butler is the beau ideal of a Republican. His cheek never blushes at anything, and the more corrupt and rotten the Administration is proved, the closer he adheres to it.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

THE BRIGHT SIDE.—The March number of this popular children's paper, just received, presents an unusual variety of contents. There are over twenty different articles, all original, and some of quite superior merit. Its success has been very remarkable, 25,000 circulation being already secured; the publishers say they intend to make it 100,000 by the time it is one year old, which will be next July. They offer to send the four numbers for March, April, May and June, free to all who subscribe before July first. Terms, 50 cents a year. Specimen copy free. John B. Alden & Co., Publishers, Chicago, Ill.

Why don't the Republican papers publish the infamous bill to enforce the Fifteenth Amendment which provides for the appointment of Federal Commissioners of Election, and for the stationing of troops adjacent to the polls in every precinct of the country? They are afraid to even mention its provisions. Such humbuggery and suppression of facts won't win next June. The people are getting their eyes open, and will condemn the party of false pretences.—Press.

OREGON MEDICAL AND SURGICAL REPORTER.—The March number of this journal has been laid upon our table. It is replete with reports of cases, and valuable suggestions, not only to the Medical but to the general reader. It is well worth the attention of Physicians and Surgeons, who should bear in mind that it is the only medical journal in the State, and it is for their interest that it should be liberally supported.

Following is a list of delegates from Jackson county to the Republican State Convention, to be held at Portland on the 7th inst. Max Muller, B. Wrisley, J. M. McCall, T. Cameron, Wm. M. Turner, U. S. Hayden, J. N. Bell, John Bilger, C. Nye, Wm. Bilger.

State News.

Salem.

Workmen again resumed operations on the excavation for the new hotel yesterday. This week we are to have two socials—the Baptists, at the Opera House, to night, and the Methodist, at the Legislative Hall, to-morrow evening. Value of common school buildings in the county, \$30,000. Total amount expended for the interest of the common schools during the year, \$16,904.34.

Dallas.

Republican, March 19.]

Samuel Brown has not sold the Dayton flouring mills, as reported, though there were some negotiations pending. Several of our farmers in the immediate neighborhood have pruned and otherwise dressed their orchards this spring. An Indian boy, who has been living with Mr. Sanford Harris, of Salt Creek, as we are informed by that gentleman, a few days since, helped himself to Mr. H.'s gun, ax and dog, and departed, since when nothing has been heard from him. The heaviest storm we have had during the present year occurred last Monday night, Tuesday and Tuesday night. During Monday the weather was cold and the sky was overcast with murky clouds. About dark of that day fine particles of snow began falling, and continued until about half-past 2 o'clock of Tuesday morning. At that hour the snow lay on the ground to the depth of one inch. Rain succeeded snow and the dripping continued until some time Tuesday night. By noon of Tuesday the snow was gone and the ground was flooded with water. The rain gauge indicated that during the thirty-six hour's storm two inches of water fell. The most remarkable feature of this storm was its coming from the north.

New, Co-Pay.

JOHN MILLER,

JACKSONVILLE.....OREGON,

MANUFACTURER AND DEALER

SADDLES, HARNESS, BRIDLES, WHIPS, SPURS, SADDLERY, HARDWARE.

And everything in the Saddlery line. I keep also on hand a large assortment of Rifles, Shot-guns, Derringers and other pistols, and all kinds of ammunition to suit.

Persons wishing any of the above articles will do well to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere; as times are hard and money scarce, consequently I am bound to sell cheap. REPAIRING done with neatness and dispatch. April 2d, 1870. ap2-1f.



ODD FELLOW'S BALL

—AT THE—

U. S. HOTEL,

—ON THE—

Evening of April 26th, 1870.

A GRAND BALL WILL BE GIVEN AT THE U. S. Hotel, Jacksonville, Ogn., on the evening of the 26th of April, 1870, in commemoration of the Fifty-first Anniversary of the introduction of Odd Fellowship within the United States. All Lodges and members in good standing, and the public generally, are invited to attend.

Committee of Arrangements:

John Bilger, Ike Sachs, Henry Klippel.

Committee of Reception:

Silas Day, James Sutton, William Bilger.

Floor Managers:

H. Helms, Jacksonville; M. Mickelson, Ashland; William Bilger, Willow Springs.

TICKETS, \$5.

April 2d, 1870. ap2-1f.

FOLLOWED OFF,

ON THE EVENING OF FEBRUARY 26th, 1870; from the ranch of Wm. Bybee, a bay mare colt 12 months old. Any information of said colt will be thankfully received by WM. BYBEE. March 26th, 1870. ap2-1f.

EXTRAORDINARY DISPLAY

—OF— FINE GOODS!

SACHS BROS.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED A THOROUGH assortment of FALL and WINTER GOODS, consisting of the very latest styles of

FRENCH DRESS GOODS,

CLOAKS,

HATS,

SHAWLS,

BALMORAL

SKIRTS,

TRIMMINGS,

NOTIONS,

&C., &C.

Also a complete assortment of GENTS and BOYS' clothing of the very latest

CUT AND FASHION.

—OUR—

BOOTS AND SHOES

are of California manufacture, far superior in quality to Eastern make, and we guarantee to fit the most exquisite foot.

OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT

has been replenished and prices reduced to meet the times. Queensware, Crockery, and the like, in abundance; in fact, all kinds of goods to supply the wants of the people.

IT IS

NOT "OUR NOTTO"

to advertise prices, but will assure you that you can buy goods of us, FOR CASH, at astonishing low prices.

Call and see us; we are well supplied with goods, and are bound to sell them for cash lower than any other house in the county.

SACHS BROS.

UNION

LIVERY & SALE STABLE

Corner California and Fourth Sts.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform his friends and the public generally that he has purchased the above establishment of Mr. Dan. Cawley, which will be henceforward conducted under his constant personal supervision, and he guarantees satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage. These stables are centrally located, and within convenient distance of the various houses of public entertainment. Horses or mules will be boarded and cared for, by the day or week, at moderate charges. He has the largest stock in Oregon, south of Portland, of

BUGGIES AND CARRIAGES

with single or double teams, for hire on reasonable terms; also,

GOOD SADDLE HORSES & MULES.

Which will be hired to go to any part of the country at moderate rates. Animals bought and sold, and horses bred to saddle or harness.

T. G. Reames.

Nov. 6th, 1869. nov6-1f.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE firm of Caro Bros., Ashland, Oregon, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, M. Caro withdrawing from the firm.

All debts due the late firm at Jacksonville must be paid M. Caro within forty days, or they will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection.

M. CARO,

I. CARO.

March 4th, 1870. mch5-1f.

DR. W. JACKSON,

DENTIST.

Dental Rooms in Horne's Hotel, Jacksonville, Oregon. All styles of Dental work done on short notice, at reduced prices. Particular attention given to the regulation of children's teeth. Teeth extracted without pain by the use of the late method of local anaesthesia. All work warranted. Satisfaction guaranteed. Nov. 20th, 1869. nov20-2m.