#### INDEPENDENT

SATURDAY, SEPT. 8, 1883.

The Political Cauldron.

Public attention is centered upon the great States of Obio and Pennsylvania Should the Democracy succeed in carrying either of those States it would presage a certain victory in 1884. The Democracy can count, with good occupant during his life, or by his ad- Jackson Street, chances of success, without either of those States. But the Republicans will have to be assured of both or their possibility of electing the next Presi- does not stand in the way to prevent a dent is out of the question and their third party from filing a pre-emption chances for success are hopelessly lost claim for the same land. The setting In Pennsylvania the stalwarts and half breeds are badly divided. In Ohio the fight for Governor waxes warm and at In this case one Alhoff entered upon a present both sides seem confident of piece of unsurveyed government land, success; with the Republicans the issue is assuming national proportions. Their leaders feeling that a defeat in that State in October will be a Waterloo which they cannot withstand, have imported their ab'est speakers from adjoining States, armed with the munitions of political warfare, and will spare the widow and two sons. This was in neither money nor means to elect their | 1867. In May, 1869, the defendant, candidate for Governor, who seems Robert Chalmers, was appointed guarto lack the personal popularity and dian of the sons, who were then mimagnetism which characterize great leaders. The action of the late Republican Congress upon the tariff question has incensed the farmers of that great wool-growing section who, in public meetings all over the State have condemned the action of Senator John Sherman and the majority of their R .. publican congressmen in voting to increase the tariff on wool and at the same time increasing it upon manufactured woolen goods. At the same time they have unanimously endorsed the stand taken by Senator Pendleton upon this question. The Republican leaders seeing the disintegration of the farming community from their ranks, will resort to their old method of carrying brought to foreclose that mortgage and elections by the use of money in large cities. It is only a question as to who will win. October will soon roll round claimed that the United States patent and by the result we will be enabled to determine what effect the tactics resorted to by Dorsay to carry Indiana in 1880 will have apon the election in

#### The Chinese Question.

The decision recently rendered by Judge Nelson of the United States circuit court of Massachusetts in the case of the United States vs. John G. Douglas, is regarded with much alarm and serious apprehension by the people of the United States. Especially is it so regarded on the Pacific coast.

This case was one wherein Douglas was accused of violating the congres sional act of May 6, 1882, by landing within our borders one Ah Hong, a Chinese subject. The court reviews this act, prohibiting Chinese immigration, and gives to it a judicial construction conformable to Massachusetts sentiment on this question; dismisses the action and holds that Douglas has not cffended against the laws of this country. The manner in which he evades the letter and spirit of the law, is by saying that Ah Hong shipped from Hong Kong and that he is a resident of a port of the British government, and therefore the act of Congress prohibiting the immigration of Chinese laborers does not apply to him.

If such a construction as this is to prevail then the "Chinese act," which was procured after such a struggle, is without any force whatever. By this extremely technical decision the protection which was sought for and the benefit to be realized by the people is taken away from them.

The decision makes at least 100,000 Second Grade Junior Class. Chinese persons resident in Hong Senior Class. Kong eligible for emigration to the United States; it opens the gateway to fraud, so that the act is impracticable and easily avoided by every Chinaman who wishes to emigrate to this country. The same spirit of sentimentality which prompted President Arthur to veto the first anti-Chinese bill, passed in 1882. has again found expression through the medium of the Massachusetts court.

The New York Times expresses the feelings of our people when it says: "It will fill with dismay those who have attempted to set up a bulwark on the Pacific coast against the influx of cheap Chinese labor. If the customs officers of the United States are to be required hereafter to discover among the intending immigrants which of them are Cantonese, and therefore entitled to be classed as Chinese laborers prohibited by law, they have an arduous task to County, Oregon as administratrix of the estate of J.

perform." It remains to be seen how the courts duly verified, within six months from date hereof, to will finally determine this question be, fore it can be definitely known whether our net the Chinese restriction act of or J. E. Page, of Oakland. or not the Chinese restriction act of 1882 is a dead letter.

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a new paper-the Curry County Recorderin the woods of Curry county, at Denmark. The paper looks and reads well. Success, Brother Upton.

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#### Pre-empted Lands.

The following decision that mere oc-

and others, the Supreme court decides that the bare occupancy of government land, no other step in the direction of pre-emption having been taken by the ministrator or heirs after his death, notwithstanding that the probate court may have set apart the land as homestead for the family of the deceased, apart by the probate court does not give title, nor dispose of the steps requisite to obtain a pre-emption title. extending his occupancy over about 23 acres. He put on it a dwelling house, barn and wine cellar, and planted a

vineyard, and lived on it till his death, a period of twelve years. He left a widow and two sons, the widow appointed administratgix. In the same year that Alhoff died the probate court set apart the tract as a homestead for nors, but filed no inventory or report. In July, 1869, the widow married Robert Chalmers, who took her and her two sons to live with him in his house on the opposite side of the road which ivides his from the Alhoff place. No steps had yet been taken by the admin istratrix or any one else toward complet'n; Alhoff's pre-emption, In July, 1871, the United States survey was completed. Robert Chalmers then filed a pre-emption claim including his own residence and also something over nine acres of the Alhoff tract, being the portion upon which the Alhoff dwelling, barn and wine cellar were sit-

had obtained a patent. The suit was the two sons, who in the meantime had | W. T. PEET, attained their majority, were admitted | W. S. HUMPHREY, as intervening defendants. They obtained by Chalmers, so far as it related to the Alhoff tract, was held by him in trust for their use. They also relied on the action of the probate court in setting the tract apart as a homestead. The Supreme court de-

cided against them on both points.

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ettlement of said estate. This notice is published by order of Hon, J. S. Fitzhugh, County Judge, THOMAS F. LEVENS, Dated at Roseburg, Oregon, August 18, 1853. HERMANN AND BALL, attorneys for estate.

#### Administratrix Notice.

TOTICE IS BEREBY GIVEN TO WHOM IT M. M. Venable deceased, and has regularly qualified as such; now, therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same,

Oakland, Oregon, August 25, 1883.

JANE VENABLE, Administratrix.

HERMANN AND BALL, attorneys for estate. [81-5]

#### Dissolution Notice.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXIST. ing b stween R. T. McCulloch and M. A. I rentano of the firm of R. McCulloch and Co., is this day dis-solved by mutual consent. R. T. McCulloch remains in the busine's and will settle all liabilities, and collect all out tanding accounts due the firm, M. A. Brentano retiring from the business. Bo oburg, August 13, 1883.

Administrator's Notice of Final Settlement.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERcupancy of public lands without residence gives no title, may be of value to pre-emption settlers in this State:

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In the case of the Stockton building the control of the state of C. F. Kulman, deceased, and the Judge of said County Court by an order duly made and entered, has appointed and fixed Monday September 3d, 1883, for the hearing of objections, if any there be, to said final account, and the seitlement of said estate. By order of

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