

The Enterprise.

OREGON CITY, THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 1878.

Republican State Convention.

The Republican State Convention is hereby called to meet at Salem on Wednesday, the 17th day of April, 1878, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various State offices...

Table listing names and numbers of delegates from various counties: Baker, Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, Curry, Douglas, Grant, Jackson, Josephine, Lane, Lincoln, Marion, Multnomah, Polk, Tillamook, Union, Umatilla, Wasco, Washington, Yamhill.

It is recommended that primary conventions be held in the several precincts...

W. C. JOHNSON, Chairman. Secretary.

Chinese Immigration.

The House Committee on Education and Labor has submitted a report on the Chinese immigration question which discusses the question with unusual impartiality.

The report lays special stress on the fact that these Chinese immigrants do not assimilate with our people, nor become citizens.

There are other reasons why these people are undesirable as immigrants, but these are the chief reasons, and they are sufficient.

On the 31st of this month, in all probability, there is to be a grand congress of the European powers at Berlin for the purpose of settling the territorial differences between Turkey and Russia.

It may be according to a new foreign code that when a nation gets whipped the other nations are to settle the penalty, but we are very much of the opinion that had England strengthened herself by conquering a neighbor she would not permit other nations to dictate how she was to treat her fallen foe.

The Standard thinks there is nothing in Watkins' resignation. Just wait until our next Republican Legislature investigates Chadwick & Co's management of the State finances, and it will be forced to admit that there was something in it.

The Greenbackers are not taking much stock in the professions made by Democrats to draw them into the Democratic ranks.

The Milwaukee News warns the Democrats in Congress that "there are breakers ahead for their party" if they continue the policy of ousting every Republican in Congress whose seat is contested.

What Is Wanted.

Croakers are as plentiful in Oregon as the Biblical frogs. They say we want more capital to lubricate the machinery of advancement or we are ruined.

We want more contentment. Contentment is the pillar of human happiness. We want more men as willing to continue soiling their hands with honest labor as to blacken their hearts with dishonest tricks.

Who would restore the feverish days of the good times? Who would darken the heavens again with a Black Friday, and make the grandest market in the world hideous with the moans and yells of men tumbling in delirium from delusive heights to ghastly depths?

We want more men of brain and heart. McCracken's trade or Corbett's wealth never nourished the life springs of Oregon like the grit of Whitaker and the philosophy of Applegate.

In conclusion, the fresh hope given the country by promise of an abundant harvest confirm the statement that more men are needed at the plow than in the city; more skilled men elsewhere, and more contentment and brain and heart rather than more money.

Some of the German citizens of Portland have sent the following complimentary words of approval to Hon. Carl Schurz, Secretary of the Interior, at Washington, D. C.:

We, the undersigned citizens, are prompted to express to you our sincere thanks and great admiration in unreserved recognition of your eminent services for the public welfare by your disinterested adherence to duty, the efficient, faithful and successful management of your department, and also by the energetic and incessant war on corruption, to establish in your department, at least an honest, economical administration and set a good example to others.

The intelligence is received from Rome that Pope Leo XIII has evinced an unmistakable intention of discouraging Mariolatry, or the virtual worship of the Virgin Mary in place of the Deity.

Watkins' Resignation.

That mysterious and long-talked-of document—Watkins' resignation—has at last been given to the public by the author, for his own vindication, and it will now be in order for Gov. Chadwick to come to the front and explain.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF OREGON STATE PENITENTIARY, SALEM, JAN. 21ST, 1877.

To His Excellency L. F. Grover, Governor of Oregon.—Dear Sir: I herewith tender my resignation as superintendent of the Oregon State Penitentiary, to take effect as soon as the property in my charge belonging to the State can be inventoried and the safety of the prisoners will permit a change in the officers in charge.

Three years ago last September you appointed and commissioned me to the office of superintendent of the Oregon State Penitentiary. At that time the field assigned me was entirely new, and after thanking you for the confidence reposed in me, I assumed the position of great importance to your administration and to the people of the State of Oregon to my keeping, I said to you that my management of the penitentiary should be no disgrace to your administration.

At each session of the legislature since 1870 committees have been appointed to investigate and report to me of some dishonest transaction. So far they have failed, as may be seen by referring to the reports of the committees at each session of the general assembly.

In conclusion permit me to say that for seventeen years, to some extent, we have been associated together in the public service. I have known you since this time I have listened to your wise advice and sound judgment, when at times we may have differed in matters of political economy and public policy.

My State constitution provides, in case of a vacancy in the office of governor, the secretary of State shall act as governor. Such a vacancy will exist when you take your seat in the United States Senate on the 4th of March, 1877, and therefore the duties of governor will devolve upon S. F. Chadwick.

For the reasons above stated and for many others I might state if I felt called upon to do so at this time, I have determined upon this step.

Dr. Mary Walker now appears in a new role. She demands that she be appointed a policeman, so that she can arrest our hoodlums who hoot at her and her sister of the befurcated garment persuasion.

The House Judiciary committee on Tuesday authorized Chairman Knott to prepare a report to the House on the bill repealing the bankrupt law, to take effect as to involuntary proceedings immediately after its passage, and as to voluntary proceedings from and after July 1, 1879.

Washington Letter.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1, 78.

Everybody is happy here now that we have remonetized silver. But as one of our ablest advocates of such policy utters a warning voice that the passage of the bill will not give the people out west, who put up their hands in hopes of catching big white dollars, all they wish of them, we fancy those addresses will be so disappointed as not to share our happiness.

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Telegraphic News.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—The subcommittee of the Senate railroad commission to-day made a unanimous report to the full committee in favor of Senator Mitchell's bill extending the time for completion of the main line of the N.P. railroad to eight years.

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NOTICE.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, OREGON CITY, Oregon, March 6, 1878.

COMPLAINT HAVING BEEN ENTERED at this office by John P. Gage, of Clackamas county, Oregon, against Geo. W. Roark for abandoning his homestead entry, No. 2773, dated March 13, 1875, upon lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 15 and 16 of section 5, township 34 north, range 2 west, in Clackamas county, Oregon, with a view to the cancellation of said entry: the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 14th day of April, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

THE GOOD SAMARITAN HOSPITAL.

Board of Managers. Rev. B. Wistar Morris, D.D., President. Hon. M. P. Deady, Vice President. Gen. J. M. W. Lewis, Secretary. Mr. George Gage, Treasurer.

This Hospital is in a high and beautiful place in the north end of the City of Portland, and commands a beautiful view of the valley and mountains.

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429 Seventh Street, Washington, D. C.

Patents and Inventors.

We secure Letters Patent on Inventions. No attorney fees in advance in applications for Patents in the United States.

Arrangements of Pay and Bounty.

Officers, Soldiers and Sailors of the late war who have not received their full pay and bounty are entitled to receive the same.

Land Warrants.

We pay and redeem Land Warrants and Additional Homestead Scrip. We invite correspondence with all parties having any of the above mentioned securities.

Final Settlement.

In the County Court of Clackamas County, State of Oregon. In the matter of the estate of Mary Prosser, deceased.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Clackamas County. Eugene Demont, plaintiff, vs. T. J. Mallock, Joseph A. Demont, George W. West, and L. H. Allen and C. H. Lewis, defendants.

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