

The Coast Mail.

SATURDAY, - - - MARCH 13, 1880.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

A Republican Convention for the State of Oregon is called to meet at Portland, Wednesday, April 21st, 1880, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress, three candidates for Presidential Electors, three candidates for Judges of the Supreme Court, Judges and Prosecuting Attorneys for each of the several Judicial Districts, and the election of six delegates to attend the National Republican Convention, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the Convention.

Baker.....	4	Lane.....	9
Benton.....	6	Linn.....	11
Blackman.....	10	Marion.....	17
Cleaton.....	5	Washington.....	5
Columbia.....	2	Wasco.....	2
Coos.....	2	Yamhill.....	2
Curry.....	2		
Douglas.....	11		
Franklin.....	5		
Jackson.....	6		
Josephine.....	2		
Lake.....	2		

The same being one Delegate for every 100 votes, and one for every fraction of 50 votes and over cast for Secretary of State at the last general election.

The Committee recommend that the primaries be held on Saturday, April 3, 1880, and the County Conventions on Saturday, April 10, 1880, unless otherwise ordered by the proper County Central Committee.

Expense of Living.

Samuel J. Bridge, formerly United States Appraiser-General at San Francisco, was requested on behalf of the "Bulletin" to talk about the prices and comforts of living in other countries. He possesses a reservoir of knowledge on such subjects, having traveled nearly all over the world, and touched many sources of inside information.

Said he: "Sweden is a most delightful country. The scenery is charming, especially during the summer months. The women are handsome, the men kind and the boys and girls polite. One can live at the best hotels for \$2 a day, or get a good room for 50 cents a day. The servant girls get \$2 a month—\$24 a year—but they manage by wearing cheap and durable garments to clothe themselves comfortably."

"Coming down to the question of cheapness and comfort," said Mr. Bridge, "I believe that the island of St. Michael, the pearl of the Azores group, is about the best in the world. The climate is soft and agreeable, the scenery lovely and the people noted for their simplicity and kindness. Labor is very cheap, and consequently the roads leading from the town of St. Michael are of the finest character. The streets are kept marvelously clean. The island is about thirty miles square and picturesque. One can buy five eggs for 2 cents, a chicken for 12½ cents, beef for 3 cents a pound, and hire a good house for seven dollars a month. You can live well for \$600 a year; handsomely on \$700, and live in superb style, keeping horses and carriages, for \$1,000. The gardens are beautiful features of the island. In one garden there are four thousand plants of different varieties. The land is owned by a few rich people, and rents very high. A quarter of an acre brings \$15 a year. The peasants or laboring people go barefooted and live very economically. Probably \$100 a year supports a small family.

The fashions in dress have not changed within a hundred years, and this applies to the best society. The women wear copakes, a garment reaching from the neck to the feet, and bearing some resemblance to the "ulster" which the ladies of San Francisco wear. The head covering is called a "capilla," and is like one of the old-fashioned New England bonnets, but it is attached some way to the copake. A girl, seeing a stranger approaching, conceals her face with the capilla. The native people recognize their friends by their feet.

Mr. Bridge observed that it was getting quite the fashion in Boston to go to the Azores to spend a winter. Recurring to the topic of cheap living in San Francisco, he said: "I do not consider San Francisco a cheap place to live, except in comparison with other large cities of America and the great cities of Europe. In India a peasant can subsist for 3 cents a day. That much money will buy food enough to sustain him. The negroes along the wharves of Boston say they can get along if they earn 25 cents a day."

"In France," said Mr. Bridge,

"living is reduced to a science. Nothing is wasted. Everything is utilized. This accounts for the wonderful recuperative power of the nation. The calculation is made that an acre of land supports a man; two acres a man and wife. It is a rule in France that people unable to support children have none, and the same idea begins to prevail in the New England States of this continent. When I was at my old home not long ago, the Assessor who took the valuation of the town thirty years ago, then found from five to eight children in a family. Last year he took it and found only from one to three. The aversion to children prevails among the fashionable classes also."

Again coming back to the cost of living, Mr. Bridge said: "In Paris I met a lady whose acquaintance I made in San Francisco, when she and her husband were living at the rate of \$15,000 a year. I knew that her income had been reduced to \$800 a year, and asked her how she managed to get along. She occupied a flat in a respectable and pleasant but not fashionable quarter of Paris, for which she paid \$160 a year. She had a parlor, two bedrooms and a kitchen on one floor, an attic room for her maid and a place in the cellar for fuel. She spoke of the convenience of buying the smallest quantity of provisions for a sou or two, thus being enabled to buy considerable food for a franc.

The Isle of Malta is a cheap place, and many people go there to spend a winter. You can get a superb house for \$400 a year or live at the best hotels for \$2 a day.

Venice is only a place to visit. One can live cheap, but there are not many attractions. Florence, once the cheapest place in Italy, is now the dearest. Constantinople is an expensive place, especially for tourists, who are required to pay four dollars a day at the hotels. The city presents a beautiful spectacle from the Bosphorus, but the vision of beauty is dispelled when one gets ashore and sees the filthy streets, and notes the squalid condition in which many of the people live.

Speaking of his travels abroad, Mr. Bridge said: "When I went to Europe in 1858, it cost me \$5 a day during my absence from this country. This included all expenses on land and sea. I expended \$2 a day for food, lodging, omnibus hire, and visits to the galleries, and \$3 a day for locomotion. I generally traveled second or third-class, and found it quite comfortable. Now it costs me \$6 50 a day to travel in Europe. One who so desires can see England, Ireland and Scotland in three months of one year, return home, and the next year visit France, Belgium and Switzerland, for less money than it takes to visit Saratoga one season. As a rule, Americans who travel abroad spend money lavishly, and indulge in all sorts of extravagance.—S. F. Bulletin.

Length of Mourning.

Visitors to this country are greatly surprised at the long period during which people wear mourning and remain in seclusion. The custom must be purely American, for it does not obtain elsewhere. In England a widow or widower may, with perfect propriety, divest themselves of mourning attire at the end of twelve months, although in most cases they must retain it, in some degree a while longer. Mourning is worn for parents one year, but changed to lighter mourning after six months, and the same as regards the mourning of parents for children. Except in case of widows and widowers it is not deemed at all obligatory to abstain from society for more than six months, although in the case of parents who have lost children it would be unusual to go to large entertainments before the expiration of a year. When a parent has died well stricken in years, and quite in ordinary course of nature, it would excite no remark were the children to go to quite dinner parties after three months. A two years' mourning seclusion would, in such a case, be deemed affectionate. Mourning is here carried to such lengths that some people really pass a large part of their lives in weeping and seclusion, the death of a father, mother and sister or brother making an aggregate of five years. It is a question whether we are not carrying the thing too far. Life was surely not made to be spent in permanent seclusion on account of bereavement, more especially for those who, in the ordinary course of nature, must precede us. Thousands of persons would gladly cut short their mourning but for the tyranny of fashion, which arbitrarily rules in this as in so much besides.—New York Times.

Dr. H. H. Toland, of San Francisco is dead.

Afghanistan Government.

The Civil and Military Gazette says that the following is the programme the Indian government will enforce, unless some unforeseen accidents occur: First, that Herat and Afghanistan are to be placed under Persian rule; second, that Southern Afghanistan, with Candahar as its capital, is to be a dependency under British protection; third, that Eastern Afghanistan is to be a dependency under British protection, with the capital at Cabul, these two dependencies to be garrisoned by Hazira Kazi Bakh and other native levies under English officers; fourth, that portions of Afghanistan territory is to be annexed to Khelat and Cashmere; fifth, that India retain Kurth Khostrand Khyber to Jellalabad; and, finally, there is a strong inclination to form Merc into a State under Anglo Persian guarantee.

Shipwrecks.

The steamer Alexandria arrived at New York on the 29th ult., from Mediterranean ports, bringing intelligence that the Wilson line steamer Hundo, bound from New York for Hull, was abandoned on February 23d in lat. 51 50 lon. 41 09, on her beam ends, with her funnel gone and decks swept. The first and second officers and quartermaster had been washed overboard, and the remainder of the crew and passengers, 53 in number were taken on board the Alexandria and brought to this port. The Alexandria also on February 16th fell in with the brig Julia from Port Cabello for Swansea, in a sinking condition, and took off her crew, 8 in number.

GENERAL NEWS.

A WASHINGTON City girl is suing Senator Hill of Georgia for \$10,000 damages for seduction.
Hon. and Mrs. H. H. Gilroy, now in Washington, were recently made happy by the arrival of a girl baby.
DENNIS KEARNEY has been lobbying at Sacramento and will be prosecuted, as it is an offense under the famous New Constitution.
Two silver bricks, valued at \$9000, were brought into Pendleton from Granite creek by Sam Parish recently.

In New York municipal elections, the Republicans and Democrats are about evenly divided. In Iowa, the Republicans are successful.
DR. BRANDRETH, of Sing Sing, has left \$400,000 to seven daughters, and the remainder of his property to his six sons, providing they pay his widow \$1,000 per month for life.

SETTLERS between Pendleton and the Columbia find great difficulty in striking water, digging wells from 20 to 80 feet deep, at a cost of about \$8 per foot.
THE Times says: Stockraisers have been unfortunate in Jackson county this season, especially some of those owning sheep. A large per cent. of stock will succumb before spring and less wool will be exported than for some years past.

THE Republicans carried the city election in Maine on Tuesday. Last year, in Portland, the Fusionists had 40 majority in a total vote of 5,841. This year the Republicans have 1,234 majority in a vote of 5,370. This is regarded as a rebuke to the Fusionists.
WALLA WALLA Watchman: Henry Tebeau and Thomas Hawkins have invented a wheel, driven by steam, which, if successful will do away with engines altogether. Those who looked upon the project as a foolish undertaking, were surprised when they saw it work.

CORVALLIS Gazette: The Alsea bay would be a splendid location for a cannery—salmon of the choicest varieties being abundant in their season. There is also a fine location for a store. A good man with a small stock of general merchandise would do well there.
THE private Secretary of Leland Stanford, president of the Central Pacific Railroad Co. and of the Occidental and Oriental Steamship Co., confirms the report that the Pacific Mail gives up its China line to the Union and Central Pacific railroads, including the steamers City of Peking and City of Tokio.

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