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FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 1898.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVEN-TION.

A republican convention for the state of Oregon is hereby called to meet in the city of Astoria on Thursday, April 14, 1898, at the hour of 10 'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for state and district offices, except congressmen, and to transact such other business as may properly come before said convention. The convention will consist of 285 delegates, apportioned among the several counties of the state as follows:

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county and one delegate for each 200 votes and fraction thereof of 50 votes or over as east for Wm. McKinley at the presidential election held in November, 1896.

The committee recommends that the primaries be held on Saturday, April 2d, and the county conventions on Wednesday, April 6th, 1898, unless otherwise ordered by the several county committees.

SOL HIRSCH, Chairman.

O. N. DENNY, Secretary.

Portland, Feb. 2, 1898.

FIRST DISTRICT CONVENTION.

A republican convention for the first congressional district of Oregon is hereby called to meet in the city of Eugene, on Monday, April 11th, 1898, at the hour of 2.30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress for the first congressional district of Oregon, and to transact such other business as may properly come before said convention. The convention will consist of 145 delegates, apportioned among the several counter of the first district as follows:

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Benton 7	Lincoln
Clackamas 15	Lane
Coos 7	Linn
Curry 3	Marion
Douglas	Polk
Jackson 8	Tillamook
Josephine 5	Washington
Klamath 3	Yamhill
Lake	
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The same being one delegate at large for each county and one delegate for each 200 voters and fraction thereof of lifty or over, as cast for Wm. McKinley, at the presidential election held in November, 1896.

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R. J. HENDRICKS, Chairman, J. A. WILSON, Secretary.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVEN-

A republican convention for Yambill county, Oregon, is hereby called to meet at McMinnville, Oregon, Wedre-day, April 6th, 1898, at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing ten delegates to the republican state convention to be held at Astoria, Oregon, on Thursday, April 14, 1898, and also ten delegates to the republican district convention for the first congressional district of Oregon, to be held at Eugene, Oregon, on Monday, April 11th, 1898. The convention of the conv

follows:	Data Carat
Amity 8	Baker Creek 8
Bellevue 4	Carlton 8
Checowen 8	Dundee 5
East Dayton 11	West Dayton 8
Fairlawn 8	Lafavette 9
North McMinnville, 9	Lafayette 9 South McMinnville 11
North Newberg 12	South Newberg 11
North Yamhill 7	North Sheridan 9
South Sheridan 7	Willamina14
Willamette 5	West Chehalem 6
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gates. JAMES	McCAIN, Chairman.
J. W. HOBBS, Secretar	у.

KEEP your shirt on, your powder dry, and your eye on President Mc-Kinley; he's all right.

SENATOR PROCTER'S plan is to divide Cuba. Let the Cubans take all they have won; Spain all she holds.

Oregon will not be ruled by a King .- Statesman No, but she capable of demonstration that the

lection of his speech against the Teller resolution as one of six to be reprinted as a campaign document.

With the prospect of a foreign war gold is flowing into the country at the rate of a million a day. The alleged cowardliness of gold was a fiction, like the theory that the gold standard kept down the price of

THE Youth's Companion, which is non-partisan, says there are two general symptoms of increased business which are worth noticing. One is the gain in railway earnings. In January, taking the railways of the country together, the earnings of the roads were fifteen per cent larger than in January of last year. The other symptom is the amount of the bank clearings at the chief centers of trade. These measure, roughly, the amount of trade done. In February, they were fifty-one per cent larger than in February, 1897. Sometimes speculative influences swell the washing and guarantee work cheaper clearings, but the noticeable thing and better than you can gen it done any-

Yamhill County Reporter that, with three or four exceptions, there was an increase at all of the eighty or more cities from which rediffusion of the increased activity. February was an encouraging month also in the national finances. The dollars in excess of the expenditures. What is more important, the average daily receipts were larger than the daily expenditures required for the year. If they could be kept up must come. at this rate, the government would have solved the problem of "making both ends meet.

> good deal like a mask ball-rather mixed company.'

> THE Clatskanie Chief puts it uniquely when it says: "If the republicans join hands and eircle to the right, they will reach the per-

REPUBLICAN primaries tomorrow. See that you are there with a heart full of love for every other republican brother and every man who sees so long as the conclusion reached a new light and wishes to become brings termination of the war and one. We are headed for victory.

Local populists have our sympathy for all it is worth in their disap- that will take up arms for her. pointment with the nominations made in state convention last week. King, a young fellow only 34 years of age, was put forward for the highest state office, and such men as J C. Cooper, who is really the organizer and originator of the "union of forces," and who has spent half his life in Oregon, coming by ocean voyage before the construction of transcontinental railroads, and who has reared a family in his adopted state, was sidetracked. Kincaid, a renegade republican for spoils, while still house owned by D. A. Brown. holding on to the pap which came to him through the party which he now repudiates, was made to forestall such men as C. W. Talmage, who had reached the responsible position of state chairman of the so-called silver republican league. Veatch, who isn't half the talker Watkins is, and who holds the lucrative position of receiver of the Roseburg land office, took precedence to the populist presidential elector and delegate to St. Louis. Of course, there is many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip, but there were so many down at Port-

od rather than accident. THE Dayton Herald comes forward folks here last Friday. with a strange proposition. It is locks at Lafayette, they should be put in at the mouth of the river, because it says, "If the locks and dam are placed above the mouth of the river, it may be that a part of the year-during low water-boats will be unable to cross the bar at the mouth of the Yambill river, Every one almost, in Yambill county knows that it is with difficul- to escape the severe climate of Iowa, ty that the mouth of the river is and could not have come to better kept open so that boats can run up to this place. This is done every season by dredging the mouth of the tention." If the writer of this will Mrs. Bennett as "Queen of Fame, and attention to this subject, he will learn that it is a mathematical truth will be high-Geered, and win the act of damming a stream does not reduce the volume of water below the dam. The dam simply creates a CONGRESSMAN TONGUE'S abilities reservoir and accumulates a body of have been complimented by the se- water. The overflow of the dam is equal to the inflow, just as you might pump a tank full of water, and by continuing the pumping the overflow must equal the amount pumped in. Or you might illustrate it, Brother Conover, by the old swimming hole. The shallow outflow below represents the current bulk of the stream. and it is not diminished by passing over a deeper body of water so long as the supply is continuous from above. The Herald also adds: "The vice government would make money to Home Insurance Co. vs Taif; non suit build a road from Dayton to McMinn- by plff on case being called for trial. ville, and lease it to an individual or company to operate, and not build settled. locks and dam." Even if this were true, how much cheaper for the great agricultural region above you, would the railroad and the transfer charges fact and conclusions of law by first day make the rates of transportation and of next regular term. freight? Does the Herald really want navigation made possible for

I will make special rates on family Are m about the February clearings was where else in the city. WM. LAMBERT. The

McMinnville and the large territory

surrounding her? It doesn't look

LATEST FROM WASHINGTON.

The vital point in the Cuban situports were given. This shows a wide itself from Spain to Madrid, where the Spanish government is now giving grave and earnest consideration to propositions presented by the gov-ernment of the United States. On receipts were more than a million the answer to these propositions depends the future course of the relations between Spain and the United States. It is believed that it is now but a question of an exceedingly short time before an inevitable crisis

The propositions submitted by this country contemplate a complete and immediate cessation of hostilities in Cuba, the return of the reconcentrados to their usual avocations THE Polk County Observer ob- and the independence of Cuba, this serves: "The fusion of principles is a last feature to be secured probably on an indemnity basis by which the island would pay a substantial sum for its freedom from Spanish rule.

It has been made perfectly clear to Spain by President McKinley that nothing less than a close of the war and the independence of the island will suffice as an adequate settle for want of prosecution.
ment. Such lesser methods as have Latourette vs Wilher been contemplated from time to time are now put aside for these more advanced and positive positions. It is now for Spain to accept or reject these tenders. There is no disposition to urge one more than another, Cuban independence. Spain's reply will be forthcoming in a day or two. She is showing marked signs of weakening, and is without a European ally

WHITESON.

Robert Fox went to Portland Wed-

Don't forget the primaries next Saturday at two o'clock.

Several of our citizens were in Mc-Minnville attending court this week. Everyone is too busy with their spring work to do anything worth writing about.

A family by the name of Brown, from Sherwood have moved into the

Married, March 26th, by Rev. Turner of McMinnville, Mr. H. M. Tolson and Miss M. Kneedler. They will probably reside in Carlton.

A. M. Barks of Dundee has purchased 40 acres of land from Marion Glover. There being no house on the land he rented one in town and last week the family moved in.

NEWBERG.

Miss Bertha Allen of Aurora is visiting Miss Hendershott.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Fletcher spent Sunday at Dr. Littlefield's.

Spring term at the college began land last week that they show methlast Tuesday with quite a large attendance.

Miss Clara Williams visised her

Miss Ben Wiley went to Corvallis that instead of putting in dam and Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. School was commenced at Cheha-

> McCann at the helm. The Sunday school convention was well attended by delegates but it

lem Center on Monday with Prof.

showed a lack of interest by outsiders. Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Hatch of Iowa are in town visiting Mrs. Hatch's sister, Mrs. J. C. Sawyer. They come

climate than is found in Oregon. The "Temple of Fame" given here Tuesday evening by the Epworth league was far above the average enriver. It is certainly well to give tertainment. The parts were well this matter serious thought and at- sustained, and do great credit to all. himself give a little serious thought could not have been better. By request the entertainment will be re-

peated on Friday next. Rhenmatism Cured.

My wife has used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism with great relief, and I can recommend it as a splendid liniment for rheumatism and other household use for which we have found it valuable.-W. J. CUYLER, Red Creek,

Mr. Cayler is one of the leading merchants of this village and one of the most prominent men in this vicinity.-W. G. PHIPPEN, editor Red Creek Herald, For sale by S. Howorth & Co.

Proceedings of Circuit Court. ACTIONS FOR MONEY.

Spencer and Irvine vs Manu et al; non suit as to defendant C B Mann.

Tongue vs Allen: continued for ser

Multnomah Box Co vs Jones & Smith

Martin vs J M Rossell Co; continued for service.

Goodrich vs Hall; referred by agreement to B F Rhodes to report findings of

Hendrick & Co vs Munkers; settled.

Holt vs Spaulding; judgment of \$201

Wisecarver vs Wisecarver; jury trial, verdict for plff for \$2,688.66.

Farmers & Traders' National Bank vs A G Smith; default and judgment. Goulding vs Spencer; settled.

Cain vs Duvall; default and judgment with order to sell attached property.

Thomason vs Gregerson; settled. Stout & Martin vs Yambill County; motion by plff for change of venue

granted. Goes to Hillsboro, First National Bank of McMinnville vs Redmond; settled.

Cain vs C E Duvall; Default and judgment with order to sell attached property. Savage vs Buel; default and judgment with order to sell attcahed property.

Kinney Bros vs Conrad; default and judgment. Kinney Bros vs Mendenhall; default

and judgment. Balmer vs Hauswirth; default and judgment.

Sweet, Orr & Co vs Oberdorfer; action to recover personal property; dismissed

Latourette vs Wilbern and Linn; confirmation, sale confirmed.

Goodrich vs Exon; ejectment, settled. State vs F Isaacs; assault; arraigned and plead not guilty; withdrew and plead guilty. Fined \$100 and committed until

State vs J Lehman; selling liquor. Indicted on two counts. One count dismissed, and acquitted on the other.

LOCAL NEWS.

Dr. Nelson, dentist, in Union block. King and Queen bicycles; first class wheels made by the Monarch Cycle Co.,

at Racket store. We now have a few thousand dollars to oan on farm property, at good terms. McCain, IRVINE & VINTON.

New music every week direct from publishers-special discount-at C. Gris-

The district meeting of the Epworth league convened at the M. E. church in this city yesterday, with a good attendance. It will last over Sunday.

Spring is here and if you want your carpets, quilts and blankets washed, send them to the McMinnville Steam Laundry or send in your order and the wagon will call for them. 15m1

The Bynum boys went up to Jones' mill yesterday to prepare for the construction of a long log chute. Mr. Jones expects to go up on Monday, and will set to work quite a crew of men in building this improvement. The demand for lumber is going to be large this season.

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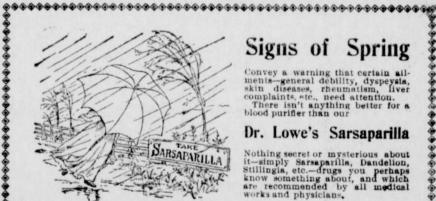
Seed Potatoes, Staple Groceries, Crockery,

> Queensware, Glassware

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James E. Durham, who for the past 12 years has been in my employ, has decided to go to that land, and while I regret that he has done so, yet I wish him unbounded success in his new venture. May his fondest and wildest dreams of gold be realized. To the people of Yambill County I wish to say, that as in the past 18 years I will at all times have GOOD, COMPETENT MEN in my lines of business, Tinning, Plumbing, Roofling, Guttering and Galvanized Cornice Work. Thanking you for past favors and asking a continuance of the same, I will be at all times prepared to fullfil them.

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