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ANNOUNCEMENTS.
Probi County Convention—March 16.
Second Regiment Band—March 21.
Republican Primaries—March 21.
Republican County Convention—Mar. 25.
Annual Horse Show—March 31.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION

For Marion county will be held at the opera house in Salem on Thursday, March 20th, 1888, at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing 14 delegates to the state convention to be held in Portland the 15th day of April 1888, and to nominate five candidates for the legislature, county clerk, sheriff, recorder, treasurer, school superintendent, two commissioners, assessor, surveyor and coronator, and to transact any other business that may properly come before the convention. Primaries will be held on Saturday, March 24th.

APPORTIONMENT.

The several precincts are entitled to the following number of delegates:

Salem	15	Howell Prairie	4
East Salem	22	Silverton	11
North Salem	8	Garfield	2
South Salem	9	Abiqua	5
Jefferson	7	Lalish	3
Marion	2	Gervais	5
Mechama	5	Woodburn	6
Hubbard	5	Hubbard	4
Mayton	5	Amos	3
Sublimity	5	Butteville	4
Lincoln	5	Champoog	2
Turner	4	St. Paul	4
		Fairfield	4
Total	138		

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An injustice which we are sorry to say is practiced right here in Salem is that of sending to Portland for many of the articles of household use, when the fact is that, taking time, expense and trouble into consideration, they can be had just as good and just as cheap here at home. There are too many people who will patronize the home merchant when they want credit and have to be carried from time to time, but when they get a little cash, they rush off to invest it in big cities. Don't do it. Buy everything you need right here if you can find it, and it will not be many years before Salem will be in a position to compete with Portland or any other city.

The Italians of Abyssinia are making war by modern methods. Small balloons, with incandescent electric lamps, will be used for night signaling, and big balloons will hover by day over the scene of operation, communicating to the army by flags the whereabouts and movements of the foe.

Some one is trying to get a bill through congress to prohibit the conveyance in the mails of any package weighing more than eight pounds. The packages sent out by the newspapers, to say nothing of magazines and other periodicals, habitually weigh more than this amount. The bill is a blow at the newspaper business and the people ought not to tolerate it.

The Canadian Government has determined to grant no further aid to immigrants.

HE FOUGHT WITH LOGAN.

TO THE EDITOR:—In your issue of March 9th appears an extract taken from the Vidette and your just and pertinent remarks thereon. This old lie in regard to Logan is an excrescence which rotted more than twenty years ago, but seems still to retain a putridity which is exceedingly sweet to the perverted taste of the editor of the Vidette. The facts are these. At the breaking out of the war Logan was a member of Congress from Southern Illinois. Just before the first battle of Bull Run he made a speech there which was a masterly defense of the government and a bitter denunciation of the traitors and their northern allies. On the morning of the battle many Congressmen in their carriages followed the army to witness the battle. Not so Logan. On foot with a musket in his hands, on that fatal morning he joined the ranks of the 2nd Michigan Infantry and through that long and terrible day stood with the soldiers of that regiment, which had the honor, with the 3rd Michigan, of covering the retreat of the army from that disastrous field. A few days after the battle, Governor Yates arrived in Washington. He met Logan, who, in the very first words he addressed to him, asked for a commission to raise a regiment of volunteers from his own district. The request was instantly granted. Resigning his seat in Congress he hurried home. He then lived in Marion, a small town in Southern Illinois and distant some twenty-five miles from the nearest railway station. His wife procured a horse and buggy and drove to the station to meet him. He did not come and she returned to Marion. The town was full of rebel sympathizers and copperheads, of whom the editor of the Vidette is a degenerated specimen. They had read Logan's recent speech in Congress and had heard of his conduct at Bull Run, and now they openly threatened her life and that of her husband should he dare say a word for the Union cause on his arrival. With great anxiety the noble woman turned around and retraced her steps to the station. Late that night Logan came. Leaving their tired horse they procured another and set out for Marion, where they arrived a little after sunrise.

The mob was still there and immediately surrounded their carriage. Rut Logan did not falter. Standing up in the buggy with matchless eloquence he pleaded the cause of the Union, and called upon loyal men to come forward and enlist in its defense. And there, without leaving the carriage and his wife by his side, he began the enrollment of that splendid regiment the 1st. Ill., at the head of which he soon after marched away for the scene of conflict. These facts were known and are remembered by hundreds living in Illinois to-day. Now I am aware that the man who vomits his bile through the columns of the Vidette is ignorant and liable to be imposed upon, and led to publish falsehoods in his paper through excessive ignorance, but in this instance I believe he knew all the facts in the case and knew when he wrote and published the article it was an infamous falsehood, and he did it to insult the living and dishonor the memory of the noble dead. He wrote it with malice prepense; with studied malignity and damnable purpose. While there may be no law to punish this maligner of the dead soldier and statesman, yet I believe there is a sentiment in this country which will regard him as the vile defamer that he is, and will hold him up to the public scorn and execration.

S. B. ORMSBY,
KNIGHT (Ord.), March 11, '88.

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS.

St. Paul Pioneer Press: But while the bill has its good features, it has so many bad ones that it is quite certain never to become a law. It will probably not command a majority even in the House, and the democratic party will have to accept both the odium of introducing a bad bill and of defeating whatever there is of good in it.

Indianapolis Journal: With malice toward none, but with charity for all, the Journal will go its way in pursuit of the right, doing all it can, honorably and fairly, to secure the nomination of General Benjamin Harrison for president; but above all—for above all else—to contribute to the defeat of the democracy by the success of the republican nominee next November, whoever they may be. In that work we challenge competition and invite co-operation.

New York Sun: Cleveland's majority over Blaine in New Jersey was just 4,412. The narrow margin of democratic safety in that state is made still narrower by the return to the republican ranks of thousands of temperance republicans who have been acting temporarily with the prohibitionist organization; and that a man is a fool who cannot foresee the inevitable result of any attempt to force upon the democrats of this great manufacturing and protectionist state a free-trade platform and a free-trade candidate.

DIED.

GRAY—At Chemawa, March 15th, 1888, Jessie, daughter of John Gray, aged 2 years and 8 months. The funeral will be from the 11 o'clock train to-morrow. Services at the L. O. O. F. cemetery. Friends of the family are invited.

WEDDLE—Died at her home near Jefferson, Wednesday, March 14, Mrs. A. Weddle, aged 72 years.

BOND—At the farm of M. L. Jones, near Gervais, on Thursday, March 15, 1888, Mrs. V. S. Bond, aged about 40 years. Deceased had been married only twelve months when carried off by that dread disease consumption. The body will be taken to Eugene for burial.

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SOUTH SALEM PRIMARY.

The republicans of South Salem Precinct will meet in primary convention at the school house in South Salem on Saturday, March 24, at one o'clock p. m.
By order of
A. O'HMAIT,
Precinct Committeeman.

SALEM PRECINCT PRIMARY.

The republican primary for Salem precinct will be held at the Opera House, on March 24, at one o'clock p. m.
L. E. PRATT,
Committeeman.

EAST SALEM PRIMARY.

The republican primaries in East Salem precinct will be held at the old Court House, on March 24th at one o'clock p. m.
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COUNTY DEMOCRACY.

Primaries, Conventions and Precinct Clubs.
The Marion County Democratic Central Committee met in Salem, February 11th, 1888, and set the time for holding the primaries on March 17th, at 1 o'clock p. m., and the county convention on Friday, the 23rd of March, at 10 o'clock, a. m., in Salem.

APPORTIONMENT.
The different precincts are entitled to the following number of delegates:

Salem	10	Gervais	9
South Salem	11	Howell Prairie	6
North Salem	12	Marion	2
East Salem	17	Garfield	2
Abiqua	7	Silverton	10
St. Paul	5	Butteville	5
Woodburn	5	Champoog	3
Amosville	5	Amos	1
Jefferson	4	Fairfield	2
Sublimity	6	Lalish	4
Mayton	5	Mechama	2
Turner	4	Total	145
Hubbard	2		

We, the committee, would recommend the formation of democratic clubs in each precinct, and the names of the officers in each club be sent to the chairman of the county central committee at Salem.
T. L. GOLDEN, Chairman.
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