

Public Meeting.

A large meeting of the citizens of Jackson county met at the Eden school house, on Friday, the 23d of May, 1856, to express their indignation at the course pursued by John Beeson, of Rogue river valley, in writing letters to the editors of the several newspapers in Oregon and the United States.

Rev. S. P. Taylor was called to the Chair, and W. G. T'Vault appointed Secretary. The Chairman explained the object of the meeting, in a brief and appropriate manner, whereupon the reading of a manuscript letter, signed by John Beeson and directed to the editor of the "Herald" (San Francisco) was called for and read. Capt. Smith, H. Culver, Esq., and Maj. Cranmer made appropriate speeches, whereupon W. G. T'Vault moved that a committee of five be appointed to draft resolutions expressive of the views of this meeting—passed. Messrs. Hays, Smith, Rice, Cranmer and Taylor were appointed said committee. After a short deliberation they reported the following preamble and resolutions: