

ROOSEVELT AT HELM

Exultantly Called Saratoga Convention to Order

RESOLUTIONS ENDORSE TAFT

Root Made Permanent Chairman—The Tariff Law Praised—Direct Primary Recommended—Cadets Stand Pat.

(Special to The Evening News.)
SARATOGA, Sept. 28.—Taking their keynote from Roosevelt's speech declaring war on corrupt politicians, the committee on resolutions today presented the party platform for ratification. The report of the committee contains enthusiastic endorsement of the Taft administration, the Payne-Aldrich tariff law, alleging that the high cost of living is not due to the protective tariff law, but rather to world-wide conditions. The features in the report were thrashed out last night and finally adopted by a vote of 22 to 15, and says: "We enthusiastically endorse the statesmanship and progressive leadership of President Taft, and point with pride to the achievements of the first 18 months of his administration. The Payne tariff law has reduced the average rate of duty 11 per cent and turned a deficit in the revenues into a surplus. Unlike the Wilson law the great reductions did not interfere with industries or create any enterprise." The resolutions said that the advanced cost of living is only a reflex of the world-wide tendency and cannot be said to be a result of the tariff law. Roosevelt arrived at the hall and exultantly called the convention to order at 11:20. The regulars are more defiant than ever. Senator Root was elected permanent chairman and in a brief speech said that the people demanded initiative and referendum and the direct primary, and recommended that the party endorse these measures. Cadets Still Stand Pat.

WEST POINT, Sept. 28.—As a result of the Logan incident football practice and the game scheduled for Saturday between the academy and Vermont has been cancelled. The examination called under the direction of General Barry was continued today, but with no better results, as the cadets continued to stand out

refusing to tell why they dislike Logan. Thirty cadets were examined by the general today. It is believed that the cadets will not try to humiliate Logan any more and the matter may be dropped. The platform adopted by the convention somewhat staggered the enthusiastic Roosevelt adherents, who have alleged that the Colonel was the leader of insurgency, and they expected that the platform to be of the extreme insurgent type. Endorsement of Taft and the tariff plainly disgusted the radicals, and they are wondering what has become of all the thunder and noise regarding these issues. To further embarrass them it is openly talked that Taft and Roosevelt have finally reached an understanding and that hereafter progressives of a mild type will be the big factors in national affairs. The president and Roosevelt, recently such as Dooliver, Bristow and Cummins, but refusing to acknowledge insurgents of the LaFollette class. Roosevelt's admirers are considerably abashed at this rude awakening. The Colonel refused to comment on the rumor when questioned.

NEW SLAUGHTER HOUSE.

West Roseburg Correspondent Boasts of Sanitary Place.

Oliver Newheart, proprietor of the market on Sheridan st., is completing his large new barn and slaughter house west of this city. The structure is 54x42 feet and is finely planned and well built for the purpose, with plenty of room for cattle sheds to shelter the stock from the winter rains, and is enclosed with a high board fence. There are special runways to the slaughter pen. A roomy hog shed is also another feature of the improvement, and this building has a strong floor which will insure clean and wholesome quarters for porkers intended for slaughter, and is a decided improvement over the former hog wallows. He is also planning many other improvements which he expects to carry out early next spring. Mr. Newheart intends to raise his own pork, as he claims that at least half of the time he cannot find hogs enough to supply the demand. These buildings are a decided improvement over the former ill-smelling, tumbled down sheds in use, and there are just a few more slaughter establishments that might follow the example set, which would no doubt cause much rejoicing to parties traveling the highly scented Deer Creek road. Must the Oregonians be "shown" by the Easterners?

Facial massage for beauty and comfort—Roseburg Beauty Parlors.

EXPERIMENT ON FRUIT

May Result in Radical Change in Pure Food Law

THE WEST GETS AN INNING

Twenty of Stanford University Enter the "Poison Squad"—Conservationists Get Busy—Urges State Control.

(Special to The Evening News.)
PALO ALTO, Cal., Sept. 28.—A squad of twenty students from the Stanford University compose the "poison squad" on whom the effects of certain chemicals as food are being tested, with a view of learning just what curative chemicals can be used in California fruits without injury to persons using such fruits as food products. These experiments are being watched with great interest by growers in every fruit district of the West, as they may result in the restoration of sulphur dioxide in curing fruit, which the pure food law now prohibits. Prof. Resert has charge of the test now under way and will extend the investigation over a period of four months, at the end of which time reports on the physical condition of the board of five appointed by Roosevelt for this purpose just before he retired from the presidency.

West Has Inning.
PUEBLO, Col., Sept. 28.—The West had an inning at the conservation congress today. Frank Short, of Fresno, Cal., was one of the principal speakers, and he ably presented the question of water equities and the control of the states over the irrigation projects. He also noticed conservation and the development of the irrigational resources. The Colorado delegation, acting along the lines of its support for state conservation today decided to present a resolution urging congress to appropriate a million dollars annually from the reclamation fund to develop water sources in arid districts.

MANIAC CONTROVERSY.

Oregon Must Care For Its Own Lunatics.

SALEM, Or., Sept. 27.—Dr. A. E. Tansley, second assistant physician of the Oregon State Insane Asylum, left last evening with a guard for Lincoln, Cal., to take charge of W. H. Williams, who is being held by the authorities there on the charge of threatening the life of Governor Benson. The California authorities have refused absolutely to send Williams to an insane asylum and the Oregon officials are forced to go to California and take charge of the man. Retaliation is threatened by the Oregon authorities and the large number of insane persons in the asylum at Salem, who belong in California may be sent to that state and turned loose there. Williams, who is said to be a maniac and a desperate man was committed to the asylum for the insane from Tillamook several years ago, and records show that he was a victim of the drug habit. After receiving treatment at the asylum for a period of six months he was released, having been pronounced cured of the habit by the asylum physicians. Four months ago Williams began carrying on a correspondence with Governor Benson in which he charge the chief executive with causing his great mental misery through X-ray waves conveyed to him through spiritualism and continued from time to time to inform the governor of his intention to inflict bodily harm upon the head of the state. The threatening letters prompted the state officials to issue a notice to all railroads leading into Oregon, and to authorities in bordering states, to keep a close lookout for Williams. This notice has apparently had effect, as the last letter received by Governor Benson from the demented man from Lincoln, Cal., resulted in Williams' arrest.

ANOTHER VERSION.

City Man Explains Some Things to Correspondent.

Editor News: In last night's issue of your paper Farmer X complained against the hitching regulations in this city. Fortunately, he was mistaken. The ordinance governing this matter prohibits any horse or mule being hitched in one place longer than four hours at any time day or night. In the months of November, December, January, February and March no horse can be hitched longer than two hours without a blanket of some nature for protection. This ordinance is not to inconvenience farmers, but is purely a humanitarian measure to prevent cruelty to animals. No one is allowed to tie to a lamp post or any post of a decorative nature. Naturally Jackson street is barred, since there is not room for horses to be hitched there. Farmer X's beliefs concerning the

merchants of Roseburg and mail order houses is a matter of pure business. If the farmer can gain by buying from mail order houses he had better do it. However, it is very noticeable that the most prosperous farmers have not the mail order habit in this county. As a matter of fact, mail order houses have lost to the farmers of the United States many millions of dollars through takes and failures. Most of their goods are of inferior quality, so far as I have observed. E. S. STRONG.

SOMETHING UNUSUAL.

We are pleased to announce that Merritt LeRoy, the chalk talker, has been secured to give his famous chalk talk "Making Faces", in our city.

He will appear at the Presbyterian church, Monday, October 3, at 8 P. M. Mr. LeRoy has a national reputation having been before the public for 15 years, and during that time has appeared in nearly every prominent city of the United States. This is his first trip through these parts, and all should avail themselves of



the opportunity to hear him and see his humorous cartoons and beautiful chalk pictures which he draws while he tells the audience the incidents in connection with them. Admission 25 cents.

E. C. Witschy and John Witschy are looking over the Umpuquay Valley with the idea of locating.

Mrs. C. M. McCauley, of Portland, arrived in Roseburg this morning to spend about ten days visiting with friends.

Miss Olive Smithson, of Dunsmuir, Cal., arrived in Roseburg on this morning's train for a visit with relatives.

Hear Hon. B. Eddy Thursday night at the corner of Jackson and Oak streets. Explanation of the Home Rule Bill. s-29

C. L. Beaman, an old soldier who resided in Roseburg about twelve years ago, is visiting friends in the city.

Better step in and investigate our line of famous Eclipse and Charter Oak heaters now ready. Keepings. Large bins both for wood and coal. Rice & Rice, the House Furnishers. dsw

Edward Thornton, a local automobile man, was arrested by Marshal Huffman shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon accused of violating the ordinance regulating the speed limit of automobiles within the city limits. Thornton will be arraigned before the city recorder some time tomorrow. Marshal Huffman says that he intends to enforce the ordinance in question regardless of whom it hurts.

NEW TODAY.

WANTED—Presser; must be first-class workman. Apply Robert Taylor, opposite Harth's Toggery. 01

FOR RENT—House, 6 rooms and bath and furniture for sale. Inquire 514 S. Pine street. 01

WANTED—Competent woman for housekeeper in small family. Address, Housekeeper, this office.

FOR RENT—Three furnished house-keeping rooms, 217 Chadwick street.

SPRING WAGON FOR SALE—Hand made, Norway iron, elm hub, hickory spokes; cost over \$200; will take \$100. Just the thing for farmers or dairy truck wagon. At Farmers Stables, J. W. Tollman, residence at Jas. Newland's 015

Attention Farmer and Fruit Men.

The Douglas County Abstract Company will insure your fruit driers houses and barns.

We have arranged specially to take care of the fruit driers. Call us by phone or write.

Better be safe than sorry. DOUGLAS COUNTY ABSTRACT CO. d.w.-17

THAT HOME RULE BILL.

Hon. B. L. Eddy will speak Thursday night at 7:30 in front of the Douglas National Bank building on the Home Rule Bill. Be sure that you hear him. s-29

SHIPPERS AFTER RATES

Allege That Western Roads Demand Exorbitant Sum

RUMBLINGS SCARE ARIZONIANS

People Flee to Towns—Legislator Did Not Intend Blackmail, Only Wanted Lorimer to Commit Himself.

(Special to Evening News)
LOS ANGELES, Sept. 28.—Resolutions condemning the Western railroads for alleged exorbitant transportation charges on ore, and instructing President Buckley to appoint a special investigation committee to probe into the matter of rates and submit their findings to

the inter-state commerce commission were introduced today at the convention of the American Mining Congress in session in this city. The resolutions were adopted by the convention and a committee of three will be named by the president before the close of the session.

No Blackmail Intended.
CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Cross examination of State Representative White occupied most of the time at today's session of the senatorial investigating committee probing into the Lorimer case. White denied that he had tried to blackmail Lorimer, saying that he wrote to the senator regarding the alleged \$1,000 offer for votes in order to make Lorimer commit himself. Senator Frazier joined the committee today.

Arizona Has Earthquake.
FLAGSTAFF, Ariz., Sept. 28.—Mysterious rumblings accompanied by slight earthquakes continued today, and many people in the country districts have come into this place. The disturbance are believed to have been caused by earthquakes between here and the Grand Canyon of the Colorado. No damage has been reported.

Manhattan Shirts, Stetson Hats, Keiser Neckwear, Staley Underwear, Home of Regal Shoes.

Lest you forget, we Keep every Suit we sell to you Pressed Free.



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Most of the men we know have a way of arguing with themselves about the style of suit they are going to wear for Fall and Winter.

Some of them, (we're told) are strongly in favor of a fairly loose back style, while a great many, especially the Young Men, prefer the semi-form fitting model which we picture here.

It is called the Seabright and is one of a younger generation of clothes which simply is irresistible. Every thing about the Seabright is of such a decisive nature and it illustrates so nicely what remarkable productions "Benjamin Clothes" are, that our enthusiasm over them quite runs away with us.

The Seabright is a Three-Button Sack Suit which has been in great demand in New York for some time, and we predict a flattering reception for it in our city after today. While "Benjamin Clothes" are built by the very best clothes talent which New York can supply, and while the styles are precisely like the most exclusive Fifth Avenue Tailors are putting out, they are moderately priced.

Any Young Man who will come to us and "try on" a few patterns in this Seabright model will be the most enthusiastic fellow outside of New York City. They're all "worked up" over it there.

HARTH'S TOGGERY.

Accidents

Chapin Universal Liniment for accidents—and every day use, too. Best for man and beast. Rubs in easier—pulls the pain out quicker. Indicated wherever a good liniment is needed. Hundreds of satisfied users will tell you that in the all world of medicine there is no application or embrocation like this. Costs 25 cents a bottle

Builder

Wilson's Sarsaparilla Compound is essentially a builder. It renews blood activity and increases volume. It makes healthy flesh. It renovates the entire system and allows full scope of work to individual organs. It increases appetite and corrects digestion. It is best for the stomach, blood, liver and kidneys. And it is best for all ages. There's health in every bottle for \$1.00, 3 for \$2.50.

Liver Ills

Little Liver Pills cure all ills. Normal, gentle, but thorough action—cleansing the bowels completely, giving better freedom to the other organs. Cure headache, nausea, indigestion, constipation and all disorders of hot weather change of food and water. 25 cents a box.

Colera Morbus

Krohn's Diarrhoea Cordial. The natural, safe remedy for colic, cholera, cholera morbus and summer complaints. There's probably not a better remedy for the purpose in the market. An emergency remedy for home or on vacation trip. Don't ever be without it. Krohn's Diarrhoea Cordial stops diarrhoea and dysentery. 25 cents.

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