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REPUBLICANS NAME A GOOD TICKET

A Spirited Session, but the Nominees are Entitled to and will Receive the Full Party Strength.

The Ticket

Representative—N C McLeod, Elgin
Clerk—James B Gilman, La Grande
Sheriff—J W Waldon, Union
Assessor—Ben Brown, Island City
Recorder—D H Proctor, Elgin
Commissioner—J M Selders, Cove
Treasurer—John Frawley, Summerville.
School Superintendent—R A Wilkinson, La Grande
Surveyor—T R Berry, Union
Coroner—J C Henry, La Grande
Elgin was the political center of thought and action of the county

Thursday. The opening of the campaign started by the holding of the Republican county convention. At 11:30 county chairman J D Casey called the convention to order and Secretary W B Sargent read the call. On motion of J F Baker, Chas E Cochran was nominated temporary chairman, H C Rinehart moved that the nomination be made unanimous which carried. W B Sargent was nominated temporary secretary which was made unanimous on motion of N C McLeod. In taking the chair Mr Cochran delivered an eloquent address, citing the fact that Oregon would be the first state to open the campaign which would result in placing the greatest living champion of the rights of the public, Theodore Roosevelt in the presidential chair. The chair on motion appointed the following committees:

ON CREDENTIALS
Jasper H Stevens, Chas G Hugg, Cove; C D Goodnough, La Grande; J E Reynolds, La Grande; F W Davis Union

ON PERMANENT ORGANIZATION
E W Bartlett, La Grande; H C Rinehart, Summerville; W O Ryder, Elgin; C W Noyes La Grande; J E Foley La Grande.

ORDER OF BUSINESS
J W Knowles La Grande; L A Wright Union; George Mapey Elgin; J F Baker La Grande; W S McMullen Starkey.

ON RESOLUTIONS
J H Peare La Grande; F Kilpatrick La Grande; J C Bonnett Summerville; S O Swackhammer Union; J L Tucker Island City.

After the chair announced the committee the convention adjourned until 1:30. Upon reconvening the reports of the credential was adopted also the

committee's report on organization which was to make the temporary organization permanent. The report of the committee on resolutions as follows was adopted.

Resolutions Adopted

RESOLVED, that we earnestly endorse the present Republican administration as administered by President Roosevelt and earnestly desire his re-nomination as president.

RESOLVED, that we compliment our present senators and representatives for the earnest work they have done in behalf of our beloved state.

RESOLVED, also that we as representatives of the republican party of this county, realizing that there has been dissension in our ranks in the past, would earnestly favor any proposition that in equity would promote harmony in the party and acceptable to the majority of the republican party.

Com on Resolutions.

Thus far there was not a stir until the report on order of business. The majority report favored one delegation to both state and congressional conventions the minority report favored ten delegates to each. The vote on this question was the first test vote to show the relative strength of the Moody and Williamson supporters resulting in a vote of 33 to 69 in favor of the Moody men adopting the majority report.

Following the adopted order of business the following ticket was nominated.

For representative attorney N C McLeod of Elgin was nominated by J F Baker and on motion of J W Knowles was declared the unanimous choice of the convention.

In response to cries for a speech Mr McLeod certainly demonstrated his ability that when elected he was qualified on the floor of the legislature to maintain and carry out the wishes of his constituents.

James B Gilham of La Grande was nominated for clerk by Lucius Wright of Union. Mr Gilham declined at this time and this order of business was passed, when taken up later Mr Gilham accepted the nomination and his ovation tendered him certainly was such to convince him that he would receive the hearty support of every delegate in the convention.

J W Waldon of Union was nominated for Sheriff by acclamation.

For Assessor Ben Brown of Island City was nominated without opposition.

D H Proctor was re-nominated by acclamation for Recorder.

The first contest was for commissioner the nominees being P A McDonald of Alicel and J M Selders of the Cove the result of the vote being 34 to 55 in favor of Mr Selders.

A Republican ticket would not be complete without the name of John Frawley for treasurer and he was nominated by acclamation.

For School Superintendent R A Wilkinson of La Grande was unanimously chosen.

T R Berry of Union was nominated for county surveyor.

For Coroner J C Henry and Dr Willard Smith were placed in nomination the ballot standing 75 to 15 in favor of Mr Henry.

its delegates in this convention make the selection and that such selection be ratified by this convention.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the delegation to the state Congressional convention, be selected from men of each of the recognized party factions in equal proportions, instructed to cast one half of the vote of this county for congressman Williamson, and one half of said vote for ex-congressman Moody.

Here it was demonstrated what a thoroughly organized minority may accomplish. The Williamson forces under the leadership of J W Knowles, F S Ivanhoe, G M Richey, H S Oayana and others in the interests of harmony pleaded for a divided delegation and the result of the vote on a motion to lay the resolution on the table shows how nearly they succeeded. The vote to lay on table 46, opposed 41, blank votes 6. The leaders on the floor who opposed the resolution were J A Good-brod, J F Baker, and E W Bartlett who took the position that an instructed divided delegation would have no standing or influence in the conventions.

Following the tabling of the resolutions came the election of 10 delegates to the state and congressional conventions resulting in the selection of the following:

C E Cochran, S O Swackhammer, Dr O T Bacon Judd Geer Frank Kilpatrick Jos Nibley J M Craig U G Couch G C Mapey and Charles Hug.

No instructions were made but there is no question but all will support Mr Moody if his name is presented. While the contest was presumed to have been made along the Moody and Williamson lines the prosecuting attorneyship was no small factor. The success of the Moody men was construed to mean anti-Ivanhoe. A divided delegation would mean at least 5 delegates for M. Ivanhoe in this county. The result is now said to narrow the contest for district attorney to Mr Louax of Union and Mr Moore of Baker City.

Chas E Cochran as a result of his ruling on all questions was unanimously elected chairman of the county central committee and the effect of services of the past made W B Sargent's election as secretary likewise unanimous.

After the nominations for precinct officers and committeemen and the vote of thanks for the careful consideration of the convention at the hands of the good citizens of Elgin the convention adjourned. They did a good day's work, placed a good ticket in the field, one that every republican can and will support next June.

THE CONVENTION IN WALLOWA CO.

Moody Forces Were in Control There Too, and Moody Delegates will go to Portland.

Enterprise, April 7—[Special to the Observer]—At the Republican County convention for Wallowa county held in Joseph today the Moody forces were in control of the organization. The delegates to the State Convention are all avowed Moody men and will support Mr. Moody for Congress at the State Convention. The following county ticket was nominated: County Judge, A. C. Miller; Com-

missioner J T Van Camp, Sheriff J O Shackelford, Clerk Ben T Weathers, Assessor G M Lockwood, Treasurer J P Hamilton, School Supt J W Kerns, Surveyor J D Zurcher, Coroner Dr E R Seelye.

The delegates to the State Convention are: Geo Hyatt, J A Rumble, J H Dobbin, E A Holmes, W H Allen and W H Baker.

Convention Chairmen

Washington, April 8—Ex-Secretary Root will be temporary chairman and Speaker Cannon permanent chairman of the Republican National Convention at Chicago. This is in accordance with the conclusions of leading Republican politicians in Washington and it is understood the arrangements meet with the approval of those in other parts of the country who have been consulted.

Easter Party

The Damen Kranz gave an easter party last night at the home of Mrs O S Williams entertained by Mrs James Snodgrass and Mrs Williams. In the bird contest Miss Edna Schilke and Mr Fred Fisher won first prizes. Consolation prizes were won by Mr Gabel and Miss Marie Clark. In uniting the Lovers Knot Miss Emma Clark secured first honors. A delicious lunch was served.

Miss Mortie Aldrich and Miss Beaulie Worstell will be the next entertainers.

A. E. and S. L.

The A E and S L met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs F D Halsten, where they were pleasantly entertained. The evening was spent in playing "Pinch" and "Trix," after which refreshments were served.

Those present were: Mr and Mrs

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Precinct Officers

John E Huff was nominated for Justice of the Peace and J M Frasier for Constable for La Grande.

Following the completion of the ticket came the selection of 10 delegates to the state and congressional conventions. At this juncture the following resolutions were adopted and a battle royal was waged on the floor for over one hour:

RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS, the factional differences in the Republican party of this county, have resulted in the last eight years, in the election of democrats to all the political and important offices; and,

WHEREAS, the majority of the republican party is so small in this county, that it is necessary to have united and harmonious action in the administration of party affairs, in order to be successful at the polls at the coming election; therefore;

BE IT RESOLVED, that it is the imperative duty of the delegates in this convention assembled, to lay aside, for the common party good, all personal and factional differences and ambitions.

BE IT RESOLVED, that we favor electing a state and congressional delegation, selected from the different sections of the county, according to the representation of such section in this convention, and that each locality, by

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