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OREGON CITY, OREGON, FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1900.

17th YEAR, NO. 48

STATE CONVENTIONS.

Good Ticket Named by Populists and Democrats.

Presidential Electors—Walter M. Pierce, of Pendleton; Dell Stuart, of Portland; Ernest Kroner, of Portland; John Whittaker, of Benton.
Congressman, First District—Dr. Bernard Daly, of Lakeview.
Congressman, Second District—State Senator William Smith, of Baker City.
Supreme Judge—W. M. Ramsey, of Salem.
Food and Dairy Commissioner—W. Schulze, of Washington county.
Prosecuting Attorney, Fifth District—Chris Schuebel, of Oregon City.
Joint Representative, Multnomah and Clackamas—J. F. Milner, of Portland.

The following delegates to the national democratic convention were elected:
J. H. Raley, of Pendleton,
J. O. Boothe, of Josephine.
M. A. Miller, of Lebanon.
A. S. Bennett, of The Dalles.
Dr. John Welch, of Portland.
R. M. Vreath, of Cottage Grove.
Charles Nickell, of Jacksonville.
N. A. Peery, of Multnomah.

Alternates—
J. D. McKinnon, of La Grande.
A. J. Knott, of Portland.
W. F. Butcher, of Baker City.
Jefferson Myers, of Salem.
H. Taylor Hill, of Crook county.
Dan J. Fry, of Salem.
Charles N. Wait, of Canby.
E. E. Wilson, of Corvallis.

The delegates to the national people's party convention elected were as follows:
D. P. Blue, Lincoln.
Ernest Kroner, Multnomah.
J. W. Ingle, Clatsop.
W. W. Myers, Clackamas.
D. E. Swank, Marion.
Dunham Wright, Union.
R. C. Brown, Douglas.
M. M. Wyrick, Umatilla.
A. P. Nelson, Multnomah.
E. L. Beede, Harney.
Isaac Swett, Multnomah.
W. H. Merritt, Josephine.
J. D. Lacey, Malheur.
J. W. Marksbury, Josephine.
M. E. Johnson, Yamhill.

The populist and democratic state convention met in Portland last week and put up the foregoing ticket. Harmony and good feeling prevailed throughout and all seemed satisfied.
Clackamas county was represented on the platform committee by George Ogle for the populists and A. W. Cheney for the democrats. W. W. Myers was elected state committeeman for this county for

the populists and T. F. Cowing for the democrats.

Col. Robt. A. Miller, of Oregon City, was put in nomination for congressman for first district but absolutely declined and in a neat speech put in nomination the man selected by convention. Col. Miller could have been selected had he not refused.

The following platform was adopted: We, the democrats of Oregon, in convention assembled, do hereby reaffirm and endorse, in whole and in part, in letter and in spirit, the platform adopted by the democratic convention held in Chicago in 1896. [And the money plank of the democratic, people's party and silver republican parties of 1898.]

We favor amendments to the Federal Constitution, specially authorizing an income tax and providing for the election of United States senators by a direct vote of the people.

Resolved, That we are opposed to government by injunction, as applied to labor troubles and strikes, and the resulting deprivation of the right of trial by jury to men who are charged with criminal acts. We believe in the passage of an employers' liability act, applicable to railroad companies, similar to such acts now in force in other states, by which the doctrine of fellow service, and that an employer is not liable to one servant for the negligence of another, shall be abolished. And we also believe that where an injury is caused by the negligence of the master, the mere fact that he knew of the negligence and continued in employment, should not defeat his recovery. And we pledge our members of the legislature to favor legislation along these lines, and also repealing or extending the limit of recovery for the death of an employee.

We further favor a reasonable supervision and limitation by the state, of the operation of railroad trains, and of the number of cars which may be hauled in a train; and a limitation of the hours which the employes shall work without rest. We further believe that legislative should pass laws by which the books of a railroad corporation should be open to inspection by the proper officials of the state, so that a reasonable rate law may be established, and reasonable wages be secured for employes.

We reaffirm our former declaration in favor of the initiative and referendum and pledge our candidates for the legislature to support the pending amendment to the constitution submitting the question of direct legislation to the people.

We denounce the doctrine that an executive or a congress created and limited by the constitution can exercise lawful authority beyond that constitution, and in violation of it. Believing that a na-

tion can not long endure half republic and half empire, we oppose wars of conquest and colonial possessions.

The Filipinos can not be citizens without endangering our civilization; they cannot be subjects without endangering our form of government, and we are not willing to surrender our civilization or to convert a republic into an empire, we favor an immediate declaration of the nation's purpose to give to the Filipinos, first, a stable form of government; second, independence, and, third, protection from outside interference, as it has for nearly a century given protection to the republics of Central and South America. We favor the expansion of trade by every legitimate and peaceful means, but we are opposed to purchasing trade at the cannon's mouth with human blood, neither do we believe that trade secured and held by force is worth the price that must be paid for it. We are in favor of extending the nation's influence, but we believe that influence should be extended, not by force and violence, but through the persuasive power of a high and honorable example.

We oppose militarism. It imposes upon the people an unnecessary burden and is a constant menace. A small standing army and a well-equipped state militia are sufficient in time of peace; in time of war the citizen-soldier should be a republic's defense, and as an example, we point with satisfaction to the brave and gallant services of the Second Oregon in the late Spanish American war.

We sympathize with the Boer republics of South Africa, in their noble and brave struggle for liberty and national existence.

We condemn the present republican congress for obeying the demand of the trusts for a tariff upon goods imported to Puerto Rico, and inhibiting free intercourse between our people and the people of Puerto Rico in the matter of trade.

We condemn the Dingley tariff law as a trust-breeding and extortion-inviting measure, skillfully devised for the purpose of giving to a few favored trusts that do not deserve, and of placing upon the many, burdens which they should not bear.

We demand that articles controlled by trusts be placed upon the free lists and we favor the enactment and enforcement of such laws as will effectually suppress and destroy all trusts and all combinations of capital that control free intercourse and trade among our people.

We condemn the financial legislation of congress of the United States as tending to the establishment of a money trust subversive of the liberties and rights of the American people.

We favor the immediate construction, ownership and fortification of the Nicaragua canal by the United States.

We are opposed to any and all proposed legislation providing for the leasing to corporations or individuals any portion of the public domain for grazing purposes to the detriment of actual settlers and homeseekers.

We favor government ownership of the telegraph as part of the postal system of the United States, and we observe with approval the movement throughout the country, looking toward the municipal ownership of municipal franchises.

We denounce the extravagance of the republican party of the state of Oregon in its management of state and municipal affairs.

The following resolutions were added to the platform:

Whereas, The United States is indebted to the Pioneer Indian War Veterans of Oregon for the occupancy and conquest of this North Pacific coast, serving in the Indian wars of this coast, from 1840 to 1856, as faithfully and rendering service as valuable as any volunteers ever did in defense of our national domain.

Whereas, After the lapse of half a century they have not received just recognition, though it has been promised at each recurring election for the last 30 years; and

Whereas, The chairman of the House of Representatives has now given out that action must again be postponed;

Resolved, That patience ceases to be a virtue, and in behalf of our aged veterans, whose ranks are so rapidly dwindling a ray, we protest against this unjustifiable neglect and we affirm that no veteran or his friends can longer vote the republican ticket while these pledges often made and long overdue, to pension the tottering old heroes, remain unredeemed by that party.

Resolved, That we denounce and condemn the iniquitous gerrymandering in the last apportionment bill, as depriving many counties of their just and fair representation and as violating the spirit if not the letter of our constitution.

Whereas, The Chinese Exclusion Act expires in March, 1901; be it

Resolved, That our candidates to congress be and they are hereby instructed to use their utmost endeavors to have said law re-enacted with an amendment including immigrants from Japan.

The middle-of the road populist to the number of ten, met and put up a state ticket.

The republicans nominated the following ticket:

For Supreme Judge—Charles E. Wolverton, of Linn.
For Food and Dairy Commissioner—J. W. Bailey, of Multnomah.
Presidential Electors—Timon Ford, of Marion; J. C. Fullerton, of Douglas; O. F. Paxton, of Multnomah; W. J. Furnish, of Umatilla.

Delegates to National Convention at Philadelphia—Henry E. Ankeny, of Jackson; John D. Daly, of Benton; Wallace McCamant, of Multnomah; H. L. Kuck, of Wasco.
Alternates—Lewis Simpson, of Coos; Wallis Nash, of Lincoln; John W. Knowles, of Union; H. L. Holgate, of Benton.

Congressman, Second District—M. A. Moody.
Joint Representative, Multnomah and Clackamas—A. S. Dresser, of Oregon City.

State Committeeman for Clackamas County—Geo. C. Brownell.
For district attorney for fifth district, J. U. Campbell, of Oregon City, was turned down and H. Allison, of Astoria, nominated instead.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Proceedings of Regular April Term, 1900.

Present, S. F. Marks, J. R. Morton and R. Scott, commissioners; Elmer Dixon, clerk; J. J. Cooke, sheriff.

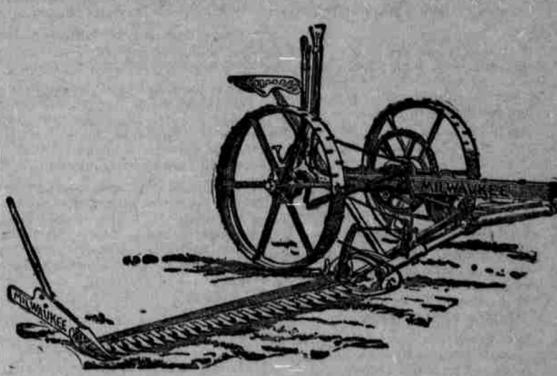
J. P. court fees, State vs. Tracy: C. G. Jacobs, witness \$1.70
Robert Lahny, do 1.70
M. McClellan, juror 1.40
G. W. Grace, do 1.20
F. S. Baker, do 1.20
M. M. Robbins, do 1.20
R. T. Beattie, do 1.40
Charles Gray, do 1.40
J. P. court fees, State vs. Jones: C. Schuebel, J. P. \$4.70
M. F. McCown, constable 3.70
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State vs. Neta Armstrong: Eugene Kennedy, witness 2.40
Floyd Jones, do 2.40
O. H. Jones, do 2.40
C. O. Albright, do 2.20
C. Schuebel, do 2.20
Hiram Straight, do 2.20
Oregon Telephone Co., court house fund \$4.25
J. N. Jones 1.17
H. C. Stevens 2.00
W. H. Connell, road master 60.00
Geo. C. Brownell, insane account 2.20
A. H. Webster, do 2.20
P. I. Davies, do 2.20
E. A. Sommer, do 5.00
W. H. Young, do 4.00
Geo. A. Harding, pauper account 3.50
Good Samaritan Hospital, do 52.00
Peter Nehren, road and bridge account 4.15

Chas. Burns, Boys' and Girls' Aid Society account 7.60
Oscar Jones, do 4.50
Jane Kennedy 2.40
Bert Shucklin 4.50
Hiram Straight 4.43
Mrs. Morris 4.83
A. Knapp 4.40
R. L. Russel 2.20
Eph. Gerguson 4.50
W. A. Holmes 4.80
Mary Walker 4.80
Annie Pankey 4.80
Kate Oglesby 4.80
Louis Noble 4.40
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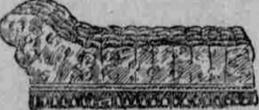
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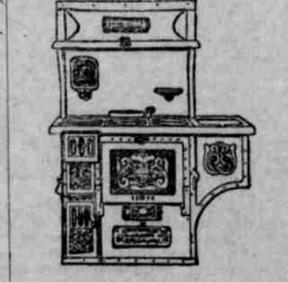
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