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### CONVENTION CALLS.

A republican convention for the state of Oregon is called to meet in the city of Portland on WEDNESDAY, THE 11TH DAY OF APRIL, 1894.

At 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of supreme judge and all state and district officers, except congressmen, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention. The convention will consist of 268 delegates, chosen by the several counties, as follows:

Baker	6
Benton	6
Clackamas	13
Clatsop	9
Columbia	6
Coos	5
Crook	3
Curry	2
Douglas	10
Gilliam	4
Grant	5
Harney	2
Jackson	7
Josephine	4
Klamath	3
Lake	3
Lane	14
Linn	12
Lincoln	3
Malheur	3
Marion	21
Morrow	4
Multnomah	55
Polk	7
Sherman	3
Tillamook	5
Umatilla	11
Union	8
Wallowa	3
Washington	12
Wasco	8
Yamhill	11

The same being one delegate at large from each county and one delegate for every 150 votes and one for every fraction over one-half thereof cast for the republican presidential electors at the election in November, 1892.

The committee recommends that the primaries be held on Wednesday, March 28, and the county conventions on April 4th, unless otherwise ordered by the proper county committees.

All voters in favor of the republican principle of protection to American industries and labor and the upbuilding of the home market, are cordially invited to unite with us.

W. L. BOISE,  
Ch'n state republican central committee,  
E. P. McCORMACK, Sec'y.

### THE CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

The republican convention for the first congressional district of the state of Oregon is hereby called to meet in the city of Salem on

MONDAY, NINTH DAY OF APRIL, 1894.

At 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress for the first congressional district. The convention will consist of 138 delegates, chosen for the several counties, as follows:

Benton	6
Clackamas	13
Coos	5
Curry	2
Douglas	10
Jackson	7
Josephine	4
Klamath	3
Lake	3
Lane	14
Linn	12
Lincoln	3
Marion	21
Polk	7
Tillamook	5
Washington	12
Yamhill	11

The same being one delegate at large for each county and one for every 150 votes, or fraction over one-half thereof, cast for the republican presidential electors at the election held November 9, 1892.

The committee recommends that the primaries and county conventions be held in accordance with the recommendation of the state central committee. The committee further suggests that each county convention use its discretion whether to elect separate delegates to attend the congressional convention from those elected to attend the state convention or to send the same delegates.

By order of the congressional committee

for the first congressional district of Oregon.  
THOMAS H. TONGUE, Ch'n.  
C. A. SEHLBREDE, Sec'y.

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

Notice is hereby given to all voters who believe in the policy of the republican party and who believe that the industrial system of this county should be upheld and not destroyed, and who believe that the affairs of the county, state and nation should be administered upon safe, sound, conservative and economical principles, and who believe that the interest of the tax payer should be jealously guarded by those fortunate enough to be placed in power by the people, and that every public servant should render a direct account to the people for his official acts, and to those who believe that the financial system of this government should be so managed and conducted as to meet with the approval of honest and conservative men of all classes, and to meet the requirements of the business and laboring world and to those who intend in this year of depression to vote for a change from democratic politics to republican politics, and to those who intend to support the ticket nominated by the republican convention this year, and they are invited to participate in the republican primaries to be held at the usual voting places in the different precincts in Clackamas county, State of Oregon, which are called for March 31st, A. D. 1894, for the purpose of choosing delegates from their respective precincts to attend the republican county convention which is hereby called to meet in Oregon City, on the 4th day of April 1894. That said convention is for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices: One state senator for Clackamas county, three representatives, county judge, county commissioner, county clerk, county recorder, sheriff, county treasurer, county assessor, county school superintendent, county surveyor and county coroner and for the nomination of justices of the peace and constables for the several judicial districts of the county; and for the further purpose of electing thirteen delegates to represent Clackamas county in the republican state convention to be held in Portland on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1894; and thirteen delegates to attend the republican congressional convention of the first congressional district to be held in Salem, Oregon, on Monday, April 9th, 1894. The convention will consist of 121 delegates apportioned to the different precincts as shown below, and being based on one delegate at large for each precinct, and one delegate for every twenty votes or fraction of ten or over cast for the Hon. Binger Hermann in the said precincts at the election held in June, 1892.

PRECINCTS.	NO. OF DELEGATES.
Abernethy	3
Barlows	4
Beaver Creek	3
Boring	3
Canyon Creek	2
Cascades	4
Canby	4
Clackamas	4
Cherryville	2
Canemah	3
Damascus	3
Eagle Creek	3
Ely	2
Garfield	2
George	2
Hardings	3
Highland	2
Lower Molalla	2
Upper Molalla	3
Milk Creek	2
Marquam	5
Milwaukie	7
Needy	5
New Era	4
Oswego	6
Oregon City No. 1	7
Oregon City No. 2	7
Oregon City No. 3	3
Pleasant Hill	4
Seviers	2
Soda Springs	3
Springwater	2
Tualatin	3
Union	2
Viola	2
West Oregon City	3

Total number of delegates..... 121  
Said parties for the purpose aforesaid are called to meet at their respective voting places at the hour of two P. M., on Saturday the 31st of March, 1894, excepting in Oregon City, Oswego and Marquam precincts, where such primaries will be held between the hours of 2:30 and 7 P. M. on the same day.

For Marquam precinct the following have been selected as judges by the county central committee: J. E. Marquam, G. F. Myers, R. Thompson and John Labour.  
Oswego precinct, J. C. Haines, D. B. Rees, Wm. Dyer, sr. Clerk, A. J. Walling.  
Oregon City precinct No. 1, Judges, Thos. Ryan, J. E. Rhoads and M. E. Willoughby, Clerk, J. W. O'Connell.  
Oregon City precinct No. 2, judges Geo. Caffif, Charles Babcock and A. W. France, Clerk, S. S. Walker.  
Oregon City precinct No. 3, judges, J. N. Harrington, J. L. Swafford and Ezra Hutson. Clerk, George L. Story.

By order of the county central committee,  
THOMAS RYAN, GEO. C. BROWNELL,  
Secretary. President.

SPARE THE ROD AND SPOIL THE CHILD is as true today as when King Solomon first uttered the words, and it applies to school life as well as to home training. It would be better for the public schools and for such pupils as wilfully disobey or are especially intractable if instead of turning them out of school or suspending them for a time to roam the streets they should be dealt with in a summary manner and kept at their studies in school. The pupils who were suspended last week and two weeks ago for truancy, might better have been made to suffer the disgrace and pain of corporal punishment since the effect on them would have been more wholesome and the example to the school more impressive. Pupils who play truant or cut up in school, and who employ their time in inventing and perpetrating mischief, are not as a rule so desirous of getting an education as to care whether they are retained in school or not, so that suspension is after all not a real punishment.

### FOR FIRE LIMITS.

Relative to the ordinance recently introduced repealing ordinance No. 123, which fixes the fire limits by prohibiting the erection of frame buildings within certain limits along Main street, and permitting the council to regulate the erection of buildings adjoining the prescribed limits, there seems to be a strong feeling on the part of many interested property owners that the present ordinance ought to stand. The property owners and tenants within the prescribed limits are the ones chiefly interested and many of them urge with good show of reason that so long as frame shacks can be erected there will be but comparatively few good buildings erected, as adjoining frame structures will endanger the good buildings to such an extent as to prevent owners of property from putting them up. Brick buildings are a protection against fire, and upon at least one occasion the spread of fire was prevented in the city by the presence of a brick building strong enough to resist the heat.

One of the elements of a fine business street is almost in sight in the shape of the improvement of Main street, and it seems too bad that the city should at this time be inclined to take a step backward by removing all restrictions upon the erection of buildings within the business part of the city. The time is likely to come when brick buildings capable of resisting fire from without will prove of incalculable benefit to property in the city by preventing the spread of a conflagration.

If the city council really desires to pass an ordinance that will result in ultimate good to both city and property owners let it extend rather than abolish the fire limits.

At the last meeting of the council a vote was taken as a preliminary expression authorizing the committee on streets and public property to have prepared an ordinance granting to the Oregon City Manufacturing company the right to use Third street for the purpose of laying a street car track into their yard. The ground upon which they base this request is that it will enable the company to benefit the laborers of this community by enlarging their works. The EXTRACT has no hesitancy in asserting that this ordinance ought not to pass so long as the condition and management of the mill remain as they are. The management of the Oregon City Manufacturing company actuated by a desire to benefit labor; God save the mark. Where is the laboring man in this city who will rise up of his own free will and claim a single instance where the company was actuated by such a noble motive? No such sentiment ever found a moment's rest within their utterly selfish breasts. They are for self and self alone. If the council would learn the true reason for this application they will find it in the gain which the company expects to reap for themselves and not for the employees. With the electric line built to the door of their furnace they would not only send their freight to Portland on the cars, but they would secure their wood at a distance from the city and have it hauled on the electric cars thus driving Oregon City men out of the cutting and hauling. There are other ways in which the franchise would injure labor, and until the Oregon City Manufacturing company shows some consideration for labor and a disposition to look in at least a small degree to the interest of Oregon City, it ought not to be favored by the city, more especially when labor is to suffer for it.

The New York Sun in discussing the road question in that state in speaking of the use of convicts says: The experiment of employing at the work of roadmaking a portion of the convicts in state prisons has resulted satisfactorily, as we learn from the report of superintendent Lathrop. The experiment was begun only last year, and only upon a small scale, with seventy-eight of the men in the state prison at Clinton, who entered upon the construction of a macadamized road leading to Plattsburgh, and completed the greater part of a mile of it. The work is to be continued in case it shall meet with the approval of the legislature, as it has received that of Governor Flower. It appears that the road, so far as made, is a first-class one, that the prisoners worked well eight hours a day, that only three of them attempted to escape, and that the residents of the locality favor the experiment which has been conducted at slight expense chargeable to state account. We are pleased with that part of the superintendent's report which deals with this subject. We are of opinion that it would be desirable and profitable to employ a very considerable proportion of the able-bodied convicts in our state prisons at the useful work of roadmaking, a part of the cost of the work to be borne by the localities which are to be benefited by it.

From the fact that the populists are only theorists as to what they would do if accorded power, it is not surprising that their utterances are at variance concerning the financial question, thus leading the Hillsboro Independent to remark: Funny people these populists. Mr. Hare at his protracted meeting asserted that no more than fifty dollars per capita in treasury notes would be issued, while Mr. Luce in his exhortation said they would issue fifty dollars, and if that was not enough they would issue fifty dollars more; but if the people should show a disposition to contract the currency by hoarding, he would continue to issue currency till they showed a disposition to let go. So, after all, the caricature of the farmer who sold his load of produce for treasury notes, which he carried home on a hay rack and unloaded into his barn with a hay fork, is not so far out of the way after all.

PERHAPS the mayor can successfully explain how under an ordinance fixing the compensation of the city recorder at \$10.00 per month, which under ordinance No. 47 was made "full and complete compensation for any and all services," he drew from the city treasury as high as \$35.00 in a single month while serving as recorder. If it be wrong to allow the city recorder \$25.00 per month under a resolution fixing that as his compensation, it certainly was not right for Mr. Straight, while serving as recorder, to draw as high as \$35.00 in a single month without even the sanction of a resolution. "O! consistency, thou art a jewel."

### AGAINST FUSION.

Here's Editor Flagg, of the Democrat, preaching against fusion, but with an order from headquarters to sell his birthright for a mess of pottage or less and meekly bow down and howl for fusion. He now says: "A portion of the democratic party in the state of Oregon appears to be willing to sell itself to the devil for a mess of pottage. It appears that a large faction of the party favors fusion as a means of securing a portion of the spoils of office, and they are willing to sell their principles in order to secure the defeat of the republican nominees in the coming campaign."

"We see the names of such men as L. L. McArthur, (ex-U. S. District Attorney), Judge Thayer, W. D. Feuston, John Burnett, E. C. Russell and A. Noltner, mentioned in connection with the disreputable scheme, and as they have heretofore been prominent in the democratic councils, it is evident that the idea has taken deep hold."

"We wish to warn these gentlemen that the scheme will not work, and the sooner they bury it beyond resurrection the better for all concerned."

"It is an abandonment of principles for the sake of spoils, and while the office seekers may be willing to adopt such a course the voting rank and file will not follow them."

"No matter where the orders come from, there will be no effective fusion in June, and if it is attempted the democratic vote will be divided, the probability being that the republican ticket will be the gainer by the division."

"Several papers have intimated that the congressional race in this district will be between Senator S. B. Huston, democrat, and Hon. T. H. Tongue, republican, both of Washington county. This would leave Mr. Hermann out and make a very pretty race." So says the Salem Statesman. But Hermann is not out, and he is as good as nominated and elected his own successor.

The Portland Chronicle says that Oregon democrats will be asked to become deputy populists this year. It will be a bitter dose but most of them will swallow it. If they cared more for the country's welfare than they do to defeat the republican party they would not do it; but the sentiment of most of them is anything to beat the republicans, and the country may go to the dogs.

Roseburg Review: We understand that the nomination of Prof. Henry S. Strange, formerly a teacher in the Roseburg public schools, and an old Douglas county boy, is being urged for superintendent of public instruction on the republican ticket. No more worthy person could be selected, and if a republican is to occupy that position we know of no one more acceptable to his many friends in Douglas county.

### PRESS POINTERS.

Polk County Observer: With thorough organization the republicans need not fear but that they will win next June.

Tillamook Advocate: Democrats call Governor Pennoyer a crank. Republican characterize him as a bigoted ass. Populists say he is a maniac. With so many pronounced manifestations from all sides, it is difficult to see from what source he expects his support for the United States senate.

Mercury: It is reported that the Portland smuggling cases are to be used for democratic campaign thunder this spring. They are to be called up again just before the election, and several leading republicans not hitherto arrested are to figure as defendants. The Mercury believes that if this program is carried out it will prove a boomerang. No one desires the escape of the guilty, but the public will revolt at persecution for political purposes.

Arlington Record: Mr. Kincaid is in every way qualified for Secretary of state, has been a republican first, last, and all the time, has edited and published a republican paper through evil as well as through good report, and if the republican party owes any man in Oregon, that man is Kincaid. Let Oregon show her appreciation of a true and worthy man by nominating and electing him.

Portland Chronicle: Hon. Binger Hermann comes out frankly and states that he is not a candidate for governor, but that he will run again for congress. Mr. Hermann has worked faithfully in congress for the best interests of his state, and thoroughly knows the ropes. He has our cordial support.

Register: Editor J. R. Whitney, of the Albany Herald, was in the city yesterday on business connected with his paper. More than likely his Linn county friends will present his name to the state convention for the position of state printer. Mr. Whitney has many friends in the valley who would appreciate his promotion to that office.

### Letter List.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the post office at Oregon City, Oregon, February 21, 1894:

Davis, W H	Miller, Jas T
Greenhaugh, Jas (2)	McGrath, E
Hamilton, W E	Opdycke, H E
Hostetter, Geo	Parker, T C
Mayer, S J	Pierce, Jennie
If called for state date when advertised.	
E. M. RANDE, P. M.	

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