

READY FOR JUNE 19

Arrangements for Republican National Convention.

HALL WILL SEAT NEARLY 16,000

Preparations for Entertainment of Delegates and Visitors in Philadelphia—The New Facilities.

PHILADELPHIA, June 10.—The Republican convention of 1900 has everything ready, practically, for the quadrennial gathering of the Republicans of the United States, 16 days in advance of the date fixed for the opening session.

The preparations for the coming gathering were carried on in appearance committees. One had charge of the arrangements for the serious work of the convention, while the other committee was assigned the task of properly entertaining the visitors.

The largest hotel in the city, the exclusive apartment houses have been booked to their capacity. Quite a number of state delegations have rented houses entirely for all of next week.

The meetings of the National Committee will begin next Wednesday. The National Convention will also be the stamping grounds of the Maine, Connecticut, New York, Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin, and Minnesota delegations.

The convention hall is located in West Philadelphia, close to the University of Pennsylvania's group of buildings, and is one and one-half miles from the hotel district. Transportation to and from the hall is made by the city and suburban cars.

Back of the delegates' seats are the alternate seats. On all four sides of the hall running from the main floor well to the roof are rows of seats. There is only one gallery which runs the entire width of the hall at the rear.

Back from the stage and away from the noise of the crowd are located the numerous committee-rooms. The telegraphic facilities are ample, the Western Union and Postal telegraph companies and the Associated Press having spacious rooms close to the stage, and which are reached by tunnels under the seats.

The committee of citizens having charge of the arrangements has raised nearly \$100,000 for the convention. No committee has a harder task than that assigned to the press committee. It had 500 seats in the press section at its disposal to be awarded "to newspaper men actually doing work for the daily papers and magazines."

The National Committee will hold its first session in this city on Wednesday, when the organization of the convention will, in all likelihood, be taken up and passed upon. The greatest task assigned to the National Committee will be the matter of committee assignments.

THROWING THE LASSO.

An Expert Tells Something About the Various Methods of the Art.

Denver Republican.

A lasso is about 40 feet long— seldom exceeds 50 feet— one end of that must be deducted the amount taken in making the noose and the part which is retained in the hand.

The lasso is a creation of a certain environment and need. Its place is on the broad prairie and the grazing lands. It is almost useless in a wooded country by reason of the obstructions afforded by branches and bushes.

There are three general methods of throwing, with many minor variations of individual habit. The rope is held in the right hand, the left hand is used to guide the rope, and the right hand is used to throw the rope.

The aim is somewhat to the right of the object to be roped— say a foot and a half to the right. The rope is thrown in a curve, and the hand is kept steady.

The lasso's greatest effectiveness as a weapon is when the wielder is mounted. When both adversary are afoot its value is very slight.

Dr. Richard S. Storrs. Chicago Tribune.

In the death of Dr. Richard Salter Storrs the American pulpit has lost one of its most distinguished preachers.

The social program for the convention week will be about as complete as it can be made. All the Republican clubs in the city have formed a general organization.

What Platform Will Contain. CHICAGO, June 10.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says: Republican leaders have already turned their attention to the platform to be adopted at Philadelphia.

LEFT COLLINS TO DIE

DOCTOR SAYS HIS LIFE COULD EASILY HAVE BEEN SAVED.

Story of Shooting and Preceding and Succeeding Events as Told on the Witness Stand.

ARLINGTON, Or., June 10.—The preliminary examination of L. L. Cook, charged with the murder of James Collins, was held before Justice Ehl, yesterday afternoon.

Coroner Ruddy, who is a doctor, testified positively that had Collins' wound been treated with a rifle and a revolver, he would have lived.

According to Cook's own testimony at the coroner's inquest he went to the field where Collins was at work mowing rye, Cook being armed with a rifle and a revolver.

Mrs. Ashbaugh testified that she saw Cook go to the field where Collins was at work mowing rye, and that she saw him shoot at Collins.

BACCALAUREATE AT EUGENE. Inauguration and Commencement for the State University.

EUGENE, June 9.—Commencement exercises at the State University of Oregon were held this morning under most favorable auspices.

Bought into the Brazos Mine. BAKER CITY, Or., June 10.—Albert Geiser has purchased a half interest in the Brazos mine from Edward and Ralph Hewett.

Verdict for \$500. VANCOUVER, Wash., June 10.—As a result of the suit of John Vogel against The Dalles, Portland & Astoria Navigation Company for \$500 damages, on trial in the United States court here, for the past two days, a verdict was rendered by the jury last night, awarding Vogel \$500.

CITY SHARE PROFITS

SIGNIFICANT DEPARTURE AS TO FRANCHISES IN SALEM.

Innovation in the Matter of Domestic Heating Also Proposed to Be Carried into Effect.

SALEM, June 10.—The bond filed last evening by F. R. Anson to guarantee to the City of Salem that he will comply with the terms of the franchise granted to him, appears to the city to be a departure from the franchise.

But the new enterprise is to be an experiment in manufacturing that will improve the interests of Salem. In addition to the electric light and power plant, Mr. Anson has also put in a 12-inch heavy steam boiler, which is almost complete, from the power-house to the reservoir.

There are several large steam engines in operation in this city. The steam from the exhaust pipes is piped into the air and is thus a total loss. The success of Mr. Anson's experiment depends upon whether he can lay pipes and furnish the machinery to make use of the steam.

INVESTIGATING OREGON FORESTRY. Special Agent Johnson is Now at Work in Eastern Oregon.

BAKER CITY, Or., June 10.—A. J. Johnson, forestry agent of the United States Geological Survey, is in the city, having just returned from the Cornucopia district. Mr. Johnson is compiling statistics on the forestry resources of Oregon for the Interior Department, and has been engaged on the work since early last fall.

FEW SUPPORTERS OF MARTIN. Conservative Government Probable Without Another Election. VANCOUVER, B. C., June 10.—Returns from all the constituencies of British Columbia, except Cassiar and South Victoria, which are remote from telegraph lines, have been received at the government office here.

TACOMA'S SPANISH GUN. Governor Rogers Did Not Make the War Department Was in Communication with Him on the Subject. There seemed to be some hesitancy about ordering the cannon to either of the three leading cities of the state.

Oregon Notes. The Grant County grand jury reported that the case of Edward and Ralph Hewett, who were charged with the murder of John Vogel, was closed.

MARRIED ON THE RUN

ELOPEMENT OF YOUNG COUPLE OF RATHDRUM, IDAHO.

Caught Limited Train, and Judge Tied Knot in Haste—Threats of a Rich Father.

SPokane, Wash., June 10.—O. B. Masterson, a young business man of Rathdrum, Idaho, eloped this morning with Clara, the youngest daughter of W. A. Hart, a wealthy banker of that city.

The bride is of the approximate age of 20. She is of the wealthiest men of Idaho. The bride is 19 years old, handsome and talented. Both she and her husband are deviously popular in their home town.

BROUGHT HALF A MILLION. Gain of \$100,000 Between Port Townsend and Seattle. SEATTLE, June 10.—At 2 o'clock this morning the steamship City of Everett arrived from Port Townsend.

Encampment at Forest Grove. FOREST GROVE, June 10.—Committee of the Washington County Veteran Association are actively at work preparing for the annual encampment, which will be held here for four days, June 30 to July 3.

Idaho Notes. Almost \$5000 have been subscribed for the proposed wagon road to the Buffalo Hump country.

Washington Notes. It is estimated that during the past month various railroad corporations have placed orders for 20,000,000 to 30,000,000 feet of lumber.

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