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M'KINLEY AND ROOSEVELT.

The nominees of the Philadelphia convention present the strongest ticket that could have been chosen. The nomination of William McKinley, for the first place, for months has been an assured fact.

In Theodore Roosevelt the younger element which has enabled the republican party to put into execution on the battlefield the plans and principles carefully thought out by its maturer minds, will find its ablest and most popular representative.

THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

The platform adopted by the Republicans at Philadelphia, while not as emphatic and unequivocal as was hoped it would be, is, nevertheless, a fairly comprehensive statement of party doctrine.

The financial and territorial expansion planks, however, could have been more explicit with greater honor to the party.

Now that the work of the missionaries in China is suspended by military operations they are, temporarily, at least, out of a job.

Lazy Livers

Baldwin's Health Tablets

With this knowledge in view, therefore, there was no just or reasonable cause why the Republican platform should not have come out boldly and unequivocally for sound and honest money.

Then, too, there should have been more vim and positiveness in the declarations concerning the question of "expansion."

It was, indeed, a most interesting decision which was delivered by the United States district court in New York concerning the political status of Puerto Rico.

Acquisition of territory, the court holds, does not constitute incorporation with the Union.

It will be observed that this opinion of Judge Townsend is in accordance with the position assumed by the republican majority in congress in the debate on the tariff for Puerto Rico.

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LEGAL NOTICES. NOTICE OF FILING SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL NO. 32. Notices is hereby given that the board of assessors has completed the special assessment roll for the improvement of Seventeenth street from the south line of Franklin avenue to the north line of Irving avenue.

NOTICE TO STREET CONTRACTORS. Notice is hereby given, that up to the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., on Saturday, the 22nd day of June, 1900, at the office of the auditor and police judge of the city of Astoria, in the city hall thereof, the committee on public streets and public ways of the common council of the city of Astoria, will receive bids for the improvement of Thirty-eighth street, from a point 15 feet south of the north line of Duane street to the south line of Harrison avenue.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, June 16, 1900. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Clatsop County at Astoria, Oregon, on July 30, 1900, viz:

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the county court of Clatsop county, Oregon, duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Eveline Siferde, deceased, and that said will has been duly proven and admitted to probate by said court.

FINAL ACCOUNT. Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of J. W. Minaker, deceased, has filed in the county court of the state of Oregon for Clatsop county, his final account as such administrator, and the same has been set for hearing Monday, the 19th day of July, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the county court rooms at the court house in the city of Astoria, in Clatsop county, Oregon.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE. Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order made and entered in the county court of the state of Oregon for Clatsop county on the 30th day of April, 1900, the undersigned administrator of the estate of J. W. Coleman, deceased, will on Monday, the 9th day of July, 1900, at the hour of two o'clock p. m., in front of the court house door at the city of Astoria, in Clatsop county, Oregon, offer for sale and sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash, all of the following described real estate situated in said county, to-wit:

LEGAL NOTICES. RECEIVER'S SALE. In the Circuit Court, State of Oregon, County of Clatsop. The Security Savings & Trust Company—Plaintiff vs. The Astoria Street Railway Company—Defendant.