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THE NATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

The first of the regular national delegate conventions for the nomination of candidates for president and vice-president were held in 1831 and 1832, to put up candidates for the election which took place in the latter year. The anti-Masonic party, the first of the "third" parties which have figured in national politics, was the earliest organization to adopt this system. It made its nominations in a convention which met in Baltimore, September 26, 1831, and put up William Wirt for president. The great parties of the day at once adopted the system. In New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey at an earlier date the germ of this plan was seen in operation, but the system was not adopted on a national scale until the campaign of 1832. Previous to that time Presidential nominations were made by caucuses of the parties' members of congress, by expressions of preference by the parties' representatives in the legislatures, or by common consent. These are the opening and closing dates, the meeting places and the candidates of the Democratic national conventions:

1832—May 12-13, Baltimore, A Jackson. 1836—May 20-23, Baltimore, M Van Buren. 1840—May 5-6, Baltimore, M Van Buren. 1844—May 27-29, Baltimore, James K Polk. 1848—May 22-26, Baltimore, Lewis Cass. 1852—June 1-6, Baltimore, Franklin Pierce. 1856—June 2-6, Cincinnati, James Buchanan. 1860—April 23-May 2, Charleston, no nomination. 1860—June 18-22, Baltimore, S A Douglas. 1860—June 22-23, Baltimore, J C Breckinridge. 1864—August 29-31, Chicago, G B McClellan. 1868—July 4-9, New York, H Seymour. 1872—May 1-4, Cincinnati, Horace Greeley. 1872—July 9-10, Baltimore, Horace Greeley. 1876—June 27-30, St Louis, S J Tilden. 1880—June 22-24, Cincinnati, W S Hancock. 1884—July 8-10, Chicago, Grover Cleveland. 1888—June 5-7, St Louis, Grover Cleveland. 1892—June 21-23, Chicago, Grover Cleveland. 1896—June 7, Chicago.

The Charleston convention of 1860 split sectionally without making a nomination, and each faction afterward put up a candidate in Baltimore. Stephen A. Douglas being nominated in the gathering in which the northern end of the party was predominant, and John C. Breckinridge in the one in which the Southern element was in control. This is why three national conventions of the Democratic party appear in the table in 1860. Two conventions appear in 1872, but the first was a liberal Republican gathering, which nominated the ticket that the Democrats two months later endorsed. The following are the dates, meeting places and candidates of the Republican national conventions from the beginning:

1856—June 17-18, Philadelphia, J C Fremont. 1860—May 16-18, Chicago, A Lincoln. 1864—June 7-8, Baltimore, A Lincoln. 1868—May 20-21, Chicago, U S Grant. 1872—June 5-6, Philadelphia, U S Grant. 1876—June 14-17, Cincinnati, R B Hayes. 1880—June 2-8, Chicago, J A Garfield. 1884—June 3-6, Chicago, J G Blaine. 1888—June 18-25,

Chicago, B Harrison. 1892—June 7-10, Minneapolis, B Harrison. 1896—June 16, St Louis.—Globe-Democrat.

MORTON AND PRESIDENCY.

Albany Argus: The people who are most interested in Levi P. Morton's candidacy for president are the people who expect to put their hands into his barrel to help along his cause.

Boston Globe: Now that New York's old man of the sea has leaped on poor old Governor Morton's shoulders, Tom Reed will journey his campaign way with a lighter heart and a cheerier face than ever.

Chicago Record (Ind.): The bee which sings the loudest and most painfully in Tom Reed's bonnet at the present time is the bee of L. P. Morgan, of New York state.

Cincinnati Commercial Gazette: Now that Governor Levi P. Morton is really a president candidate, the dispute as to whether or not he wears a wig will have to be settled. We can't go into this campaign and have a hair-restorer platform flashed upon us at the last minute.

New York Post: The "Morton boom" has acquired more headway than Platt and his crowd ever intended. In their heart of hearts they are not in favor of Governor Morton for president. Mr. Reed is their man, but they would like to play Morton until the time comes to shove him, and then throw the vote of New York like an avalanche for the man of their choice. But the danger is that the boom will get beyond their control.

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Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the Hon. County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco county, administrator of the estate of Solomon Houser, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same to me properly verified, at my residence in Dalles City, Wasco County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated this 9th day of January, 1896.
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