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THE NEW YORK CONVENTION

The New York Republicans did a good day's work yesterday in the preparation of the party platform. The position that state occupies in the business and political world attracts to the actions of its deliberative bodies wide attention throughout the country. While the hand of Platt can be seen controlling, to a large degree, the sentiment of the convention, and while this fact in itself is unpleasant to the people who object to the species of bossism with which Platt's name is connected, yet the platform as adopted will meet the hearty approval of Republicans throughout the country.

The protection resolution is foremost and makes a strong presentation of the need the country has for the reenactment of the protective policy. The convention declares its "firm and unyielding adherence to the doctrine of protection to American industries, protection to the products of the American farm and protection to American labor. We are in favor of a tariff, which, while providing an income sufficient to meet the expenses of the government honestly and economically administered, at the same time secures home labor and home capital from unequal foreign competition."

The reciprocity idea is set forth and the pledge of the party given that the extension of American trade through this means will be a first thought of the next Republican administration.

Upon the coinage question the platform is free from evasion and sets forth the belief of Republicans upon this issue with an honesty and distinctiveness that settles once and for all the course the leaders of the party in New York can be counted upon to pursue. The coinage plank declares:

The agitation of the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 seriously disturbs all industrial interests, and calls for a clear statement of the Republican attitude upon this question, to the end that the trade of this country at home and abroad may again be placed upon a sound and stable foundation. We recognize in the movement for the free coinage of silver an attempt to degrade the long-established standard of our monetary system, and hence a blow to public and private credit at once costly to the national government and harmful to our domestic and foreign commerce. Until there is a prospect of international agreement as to silver coinage, and while gold remains the standard of the United States and of the civilized world, the Republican party of New York declares itself in favor of the firm and honorable maintenance of that standard.

The national convention can well consider the action the New York Republicans have taken and pattern after them in being plain and unequivocal upon this question, which is one that can bear no straddling.

As could be expected the convention was a Morton meeting and the antiquated governor was given a good start towards a presidential boom. This action will do little harm and serve to make the declining days of Governor Morton brighter because of the recognition so enthusiastically given him. Morton's candidacy is not seriously meant and if it were, it would be the height of rashness for the New York statesman to attempt to stem the McKinley tide that threatens to carry all before it. Morton is an able man. His record as foreign minister, vice-president and governor is good and he can retire from public life followed by the commendation "Well done thou good and faithful servant." He is not the man the Republican party wants at the head of the ticket and outside the state of his adoption, little will be heard of his candidacy.

The officers and trustees of the Commercial and Athletic Club are to be congratulated upon the successful manner in which they have performed their duties. The many expressions of praise given by those who attended the opening last evening can operate as part payment for the labor the trustees have undergone. The consciousness that every day many young men and older ones are enjoying the benefits of good healthy amusements and exercises will be a source of pleasure to those who have worked for these ends. The city has reason to feel proud of its new acquisition. Let us all strive to make it fill the needs for which it was created, and make the club an indispensable adjunct to the commercial, social and athletic interests of the town.

The business outlook in The Dalles was never brighter than it is today. Not only is the amount of building and improvements going on large, but a feeling of confidence exists which augurs well for the city's future. Now is the time to expand our trade relations and increase our commercial influence. A good road to Fossil, with telephone facilities, will bring to The Dalles a trade that it does not now possess. The time to strike is when the iron is hot, and the road should be built while the citizens of Gilliam county are willing and eager to assist in the enterprise.

McKinley smashed another favorite son boom yesterday. Senator Davis of Minnesota, who had been looked upon as a possible presidential candidate, has concluded the air is too much charged with McKinley electricity to make it safe for others to venture out. This secures to McKinley eighteen votes from Minnesota and makes him distinctly the candidate of the West. Things will have to change greatly between now and June to prevent the easy nomination of the Ohio statesman.

The Grant statue in New York has been finished at last, and will be formally unveiled April 14th. It were well for New York if she did not make too great a fuss over the event, for by so doing she emphasizes the unseemly delay in providing this memorial, due, in a large measure, to the selfishness and sloth of the citizens of the metropolis. Chicago would have completed the work long ago.



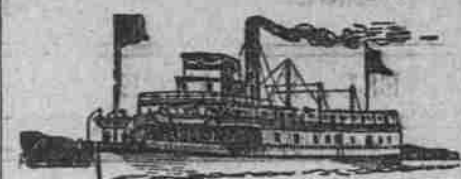
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