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Call for Democratic Primaries and County Convention.

At a meeting of the Democratic County Central Committee held in Pendleton on February 22, 1900, it was decided to ask the Democrats, and all those who voted for W. J. Bryan in 1896, and those who now favor the cause of democracy to assemble in their several precincts, at the voting places, on Saturday, March 31, 1900, at 8 o'clock p. m., and elect delegates to the Democratic County Convention to be held in Pendleton, Oregon, at the court house, Saturday, April 7, 1900, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. Precincts are allowed the following representation in said County Convention:

Precinct	Del.	Precinct	Del.
Pendleton	2	North Albion	2
South Pendleton	2	South Albion	2
North Pendleton	1	Cottonwood	2
East Pendleton	1	Hotchkiss	2
McKay	2	Weston	2
North Milton	1	East Weston	2
South Milton	1	Adams	2
Unadilla	2	Juniper	2
Vanoy	2	Mountain	2
Ugillville	2	Encampment	2
Hogie	2	Valley	2
Encampment	2	Willow Springs	2
Valley	2	Pendleton	2
Willow Springs	2		

Chairman Democratic Central Com. Atty: GEO. F. ROSENBERG, Secretary.

County and State Conventions.

The dates of assembling of the several state and county conventions are as follows:

- Oregon state democratic convention, at Portland, April 12.
- Umatilla county democratic convention, at Pendleton, Saturday, April 7.
- Oregon state republican convention, at Portland, April 12.
- Umatilla county republican convention, at Pendleton, March 29.
- Oregon state peoples party convention, at Portland, April 12.
- Umatilla county peoples party convention, at Pendleton, April 7.

Mrs. Calvin Zimmerman, Milesburg, Pa., says: "As a speedy cure for coughs, colds, croup, and sore throat One Minute Cough Cure is unequalled. It is pleasant for children to take. I heartily recommend it to mothers. It is the only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. It cures bronchitis, pneumonia, grippe and throat and lung diseases. It will prevent consumption. Tallman & Co., leading druggists."

Pendleton Brass Band Going.
The members of the Pacific will be accompanied by the Pendleton brass band on the excursion to Walla Walla Saturday evening. Owing to so many going to Walla Walla Saturday evening, the Cactus Club will postpone its dance for that evening. The train leaves at 5 o'clock sharp and returns Sunday afternoon.

When you want something to heal a burn, or a sore, or a cut, why not try Bannan Salve, which is guaranteed the most healing ointment in the world. For sale by Ula State.

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You can always find the latest papers and periodicals.

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Drugs, Perfumes, Novelties.

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To Clean Matting

New things can be used to clean matting; safe and sure have been used, but experience has taught that the best way is to have the matting thoroughly swept, and then go over it with a solution of warm water with

Gold Dust Washing Powder

dissolved in it. It is best to use a wooden cloth; a tablecloth of old dust washing powder is a quart of water in the proportion, wring the cloth almost dry and rub quickly, wring the matting out and then change to fresh water. Follow the wet cloth with a dry one. This will clean it perfectly.

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BREVITIES.

Squirrel rifles for rent at Stillman's. Try Dutton's peppermint creams. First-class creamery butter at Demott's.

Early Rose seed potatoes. White House.

Go to Demott's for early rose seed potatoes.

Have you tried Dutton's ice-cream chocolates?

Early prolific and early Ohio potatoes for seed at Demott's.

See our display of preserves and jams. White House.

Finest line of canned vegetables in the city at Demott's.

Creamery butter, the best in the market. White House.

Fresh oysters, mackerel, white fish and Holland herring. White House.

Wanted—A girl; must be an experienced hand. A. Gerrard Ladies' Tailor.

Green beans, cauliflower, cabbage, asparagus and spinach. White House.

Elegantly furnished rooms to rent at Pontland Bros., over Tallman's drug store.

Spinach, green onions and all kinds of green vegetables from now on at Demott's.

If you want the best steaks, roasts, bacon, ham and lard go to Schwarz & Greulich.

Bicycle bells 25c up; "full moon" lanterns, \$1.00; \$3 Torch saddles, \$1.08. Frederick Noll.

A few more of these elegant pattern hats at popular prices just received at La Mode millinery store.

Agent for the Walla Walla steam carpet cleaner. Carpets taken up and cleaned and laid. Jesse Failing.

Salisbury predicts for tonight fair and cooler weather, with frost, and fair weather for Wednesday and Thursday.

Chas. Lane has received his first shipment of a part of a load of wallpaper. All the latest colors and designs.

For sale—Cheap, a good pair of second hand six-ton Fairbanks wagon scales. Enquire Neagle Bros., blacksmith shop.

La Grande Chronicle: Bryan will speak in Pendleton on Thursday, March 29. It is possible that a large delegation of La Grande people will go to hear him.

Mrs. Campbell is still in the lead with all grades of millinery. From Paris patterns to the cheapest grades of street hats. You can find anything you want at her beautiful parlors.

The firm of Honser & Miller having dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Honser will continue the business at the old stand where he will be pleased to see all old customers and friends.

Grand display of new carpets, rugs, draperies, sewing machines, couches and lounges, etc., etc., on Friday and Saturday, March 16 and 17. Come and see something new. Failing's Carpet Store.

Engene J. Hall, the poet and publisher, says that one dose of Foley's Honey and Tar restored his voice when hoarseness threatened to prevent his lecture at Central Music Hall, Chicago. For sale by Ula State.

In the circuit court, the case of Brinker against Brinker was dismissed; default was entered in Bush against Bush; and Joseph Mahe, Henry Baumgardner and Fred E. Marsh were given final papers as citizens.

W. M. Howard, a pioneer of the Cactus Valley, was in town today. Mr. Howard is in the stock business and says the conditions are exceedingly favorable. He has fifteen or twenty head of beef cattle on hand which he is holding for higher prices than those now prevailing. He went to Canada in 1877, and is perhaps the oldest pioneer of the Cactus Valley.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrane and does not dry up the secretions but changes them to a natural healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

BICKERS' ALASKAN TRIP.

He Was a Stampeder Many Years Ago. Went to Cassian.

Harry E. Bickers, superintendent of the state reform school, is a guest at the Hotel Pendleton today. He will remain in town until Wednesday evening or Thursday morning. Mr. Bickers quite a good many years ago, before the excitement of the past years broke out, was an Alaska adventurer, and made a trip of 110 miles over the Stikine river trail to the Cassian bar diggings. He left the coast of Southern Alaska with a pack on his back and walked the 110 miles over a country then much less explored than it now has been.

Mr. Bickers can tell some truthful stories about the hardships of the northern trails which are interesting even to those who have never seen that country. When he tells about four selling at \$100 a sack and sugar at \$5 a pound, the assertions of recent Klondikers concerning the high prices of supplies are the more easily believed.

Mr. Bickers believes Cape Nome to be as wonderfully rich as he reports make it, and that there is lots of gold for stampedees who go there.

ANOTHER INDIAN DELEGATION.

Big Paw Waw Elets Envoys Extraordinary to Visit Washington.

Umatilla reservation Indians held a big pow wow Monday at the agency and appointed a delegation to go back to Washington, D. C., to interview the great father on the issues of state lands which are now agitating the aboriginals of the reserve. There are already

two delegations at the national capital, Paul Shawaway, hereditary chief of the Cayuses, who is accompanied by legal counsel in the person of Col. William Parsons. Shawaway left several weeks ago and has not yet returned.

Later, Peo, chief of the Umatillas, went to Washington. He, too, has not yet returned at the ancestral hunting grounds here on the reserve and is supposed to be yet in Washington "seeing the sights and hearing the sights," and incidentally calling on the commissioner of Indian affairs.

Now another delegation will go, or, at least, has been authorized to go, Young Chief, ruling chief of the Cayuses, and No Shirt, chief of the Walla Wallas. No Shirt, by the way, will be clad in such garments as to give the lie to his name.

The pow wow of Monday was of the opinion that the Indians of the reserve here should have the money distributed to them and not held in Washington as at present.

It is understood that the commissioner of Indian affairs has already said that he will favor the Simon bill for the sale of reservation lands which were appraised but not sold in 1891 at the general sale.

The bill proposing the bill referring to the halfbreeds and their lands, the bill proposing to give them power to dispose of their allotted lands under certain restrictions as to fitness which was to be determined by the presiding judge of the circuit court.

Young Chief and No Shirt will probably leave, although the date for their departure has not yet been set.

PRECINCT MEETING HELD.

Names Selected to Be Voted on at Primary for County Delegates.

Monday evening the republicans met in three of the Pendleton precincts to nominate names to be voted for at the primaries tomorrow, which will be open from 1 o'clock p. m., until 6, and at which delegates to the county convention will be elected. The county convention occurs in Pendleton next week Thursday. North Pendleton did not meet, but the three other precincts held meetings. The number of delegates to which each ward is entitled is: Pendleton, 3; South Pendleton, 3; East Pendleton, 3; North Pendleton, 2. The men nominated Monday evening were:

East Pendleton—J. A. Bore, J. V. Tallman, Ed C. Allen, J. P. McManis, W. H. Hawley, C. J. Ferguson, I. L. Ray, Geo. F. Minger, H. H. Hallock, E. E. Baize, J. P. Walker, P. A. Anderson, J. W. Miller, E. J. Judd, H. Flickner, B. F. Kenn, J. S. Kees, G. W. Brown, Robt. Forster, P. Peterson, H. L. Carl, H. Kruger.

South Pendleton—L. G. Frazier, Roy W. Ritter, Chas. Dutton, C. S. Wheeler, Arthur Gibson, Frank Sutherland, C. A. Lippinger, W. T. Boynton, C. E. Bunk, J. M. Watson, T. J. Blair, Benj. Selling, Tom B. Swearingen, C. E. Roosevelt, Joe Klein, John Bryant, et.

Judges for Democratic Primaries.

County Chairman Pierce has named the following judges for democratic primaries in Pendleton to be held on Saturday, March 31, the judges to appoint their own clerks.

Pendleton precinct—Henry Schoenke, chairman; E. T. Wade, C. C. Hendricks.

North Pendleton—J. M. Bentley, chairman; T. J. Tweedy, Eric Simp.

South Pendleton—T. F. Howard, chairman; Geo. Armstrong, David Coffman.

East Pendleton—Geo. O'Daniel, chairman; Wm. Hilton, R. J. Slater.

Wireless Telegraphy.

The recent wonderful accomplishment in wireless telegraphy bring to mind forcibly the value of electricity. It is probable that much work will be saved by means of this subtle fluid. There is no limit to its possibilities. Applied to material objects, it causes them to move with life, while without it the human body cannot be strong and healthy. The best means of filling the body with vitality, is by the use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Lack of life in the stomach causes indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, biliousness and malaria. Any of these symptoms means the Bitters is needed at once. Just now, when the seasons are so variable, it is particularly valuable, and a regular dose will keep the bowels active and healthy.

MACCABEES' ENTERTAINMENT.

Program Which Was Rendered Monday Evening in Pendleton.

Pendleton Macabees had an entertainment Monday evening which was very enjoyable, and at which the following program was rendered:

Male quartette.

"Speech by Prof. Gansington Manchester." Miss Edie Parkes.

Song, "Bells of Life," Prof. Karl Guitt.

"Reading by the Unknown," H. A. Faxton.

Orchestra.

Cake walk—Miss Ambrosia Snow, Claude Medley; Miss Euphemia Washington, Ed Dupuis; Mr. Napoleon E. Jones, John W. Craig; John Wesley Underhill, Sam Edinboro; led by the famous Mr. Rastus Rathbone Twister, A. L. Carden.

Orchestra.

"A Surprise," J. E. Krause.

Male quartette.

"Nothing but a hole," Miss Phyllis Parkes.

"I want with him," Prof. Karl Guitt.

Male quartette.

"Our Ired Girl," Miss Greenwald.

"How Ired joined the Macabees," G. A. Robbins.

Closing march (900) by orchestra.

You Try It.

If Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure, which is sold for the small price of 25c, 50c and \$1, does not cure, take the bottle back and we will refund your money. Sold for over fifty years on this guarantee. Prices 25c and 50c. Brock & McComas.

CHICAGO MARKET.

Reported by I. L. Ray & Co., Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers.

March 20.—Wheat was steadier today and while foreign were lower Chicago closed higher. Liverpool closed 1/2 penny lower, 5-9 5-8.

Chicago opened at 50 1/2, today sold at 50 1/2 and closed at 50 5-8. Stocks all higher. New York reported good investment buying and predict higher prices for Grangers and Pacific. Money, 5 per cent.

Closed yesterday, 66 3-8 to 66 1/2. Open today, 66 1/2.

Range today, 66 1/2 to 66 5-8.

Closed today, 66 5-8.

San Francisco, March 20.—Cash wheat, 97 1/2.

Going Down Hill.

People suffering from kidney diseases feel a gradual but steady loss of vitality. They should lose no time in trying Foley's Kidney Cure. It is guaranteed. For sale by Ula State.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. H. Curtis, of Athena, a lumber dealer, is in town today.

J. C. Mackinnon of the Great Northern Co. is at the Hotel Pendleton.

C. J. Millis, livestock agent of the O. R. & N., is registered at the Hotel Pendleton.

H. E. Bickers superintendent of the state reform school is a guest at the Hotel Pendleton.

John Bell, who bought the T. P. Page ranch near Athena, on Wild Horse creek, is in town today.

"Doc" Mansfield, of Athena, a veteran democrat, is in town today. He came down to Pendleton on Monday.

Ben S. Burroughs, county clerk, was taken sick on Monday, and is not able today to be at his desk at the court house. He will be out in a day or two to resume his duties.

Warren L. Gazzam, of Seattle, one of the best known insurance special agents on the coast, is in town today. He expects to return to the Sound tonight, going on to Victoria, B. C.

J. W. Gannon, one of the O. R. & N. passenger brakemen, came up from Portland this morning and went to Walla Walla on the 2 o'clock train. He is enjoying a vacation of a few days.

James W. Maloney, county recorder of conveyances, is in Milton today. He went on an official visit to the Milton Knights of Pythias lodge as grand master at arms of the grand lodge of Oregon.

H. Baumgardner, of Echo, is in town today. He has lived in the United States fifty-four years and has just found that he is not a citizen, consequently he took out his papers today at the county clerk's office.

La Grande Chronicle: Miss Hallie Strickland arrived this morning from Portland, where she has been for some weeks past on a visit to friends. Miss Strickland is on her way east and remained over a few days to visit friends in this city.

Wm. Fraker, who spent two months at Hot Lake in Union county, has returned home and will go out on his Birch creek ranch. He has now a section of his land on Birch creek, four miles from Pendleton which he will operate hereafter.

W. D. Chamberlain, a prominent and highly esteemed young man from Athena, is in town today. Mr. Chamberlain aspires to the democratic nomination for the county clerkship. He is a well known grain buyer of Athena and many friends there and elsewhere in the county he is known.

J. W. Minto, deputy internal revenue collector for this district, accompanied by Robert Town, of Washington, D. C., special revenue agent, is in town on official business. These officials are engaged in checking up the county offices, banks and stores in general. They will look out for any possible errors which may have been made in affixing internal revenue stamps to instruments and all articles upon which such stamps are required by the war revenue law.

WALLA WALLA ENDORSES ARCHER.

"Contented Woman" Receives Flattering Criticism from the Union.

Miss Belle Archer and the "Contented Woman" company were very flatteringly endorsed by the Walla Walla Union this morning, in which appears the following criticism of last night's performance:

"A Contented Woman," as played by the Belle Archer company, always leaves a contented audience after the performance. This drama was produced at the opera house Monday evening in this city. From the first raising of the curtain till the closing good night, the evening was one of good feeling and merriment. The leading lady, Miss Belle Archer, sustained her reputation as being one of the leading stars of the American stage. Her appearance in this play, as she is both a handsome and beautiful lady. The entire company is composed of excellent actors. It is needless to write specifically of this entire troupe for it can be expressed in a few words. A splendid play, performed by a cultured and experienced company of actors whose desire is to please their audience. If Miss Archer and her excellent troupe should visit Walla Walla again they will meet with as hearty a reception as on Monday evening."

The company appears this evening at the Frazer in the same play.

MYSTERY CLEARED UP.

Why Congress Made Citizens of Persons Born in Oregon.

A short time ago, under the caption of "Here is a Curiosity," an extract from the Walla Walla Statesman was published making inquiry as to the reasons for passing the following law, which formed section 4 of the general deficiency bill, approved by the President May 18, 1872:

Section 4. That all persons born in the district of country formerly known as the Territory of Oregon, and subject to the jurisdiction of the United States at this time, are citizens of the United States in the same manner as if born elsewhere in the United States.

Judge Gilbert of the United States circuit court, says the Portland Oregonian, says, at one time, Judge Deady, in the case of McKay vs. Campbell, an account of which can be found in 2d Sawyer, page 319, decided that children of British subjects born in Oregon Territory within the time of the joint occupation thereof by the British and Americans, did not become American citizens when the territory became a part of the United States. This was in the nature of a hardship on such persons, as, although they had been born in the territory and continued to reside in it after it became part of the United States, they did not enjoy the privilege of United States citizenship, and to enable them to do so the law in question was enacted.

EVA BOWMAN'S DEATH.

Died at Milton from Abscess Caused by Typhoid Fever.

Charles Frazier received a telephone message Monday evening from Milton announcing the death of Mrs. Frazier's niece, Miss Eva Bowman. Mrs. Frazier and Mrs. W. D. Chapman left this morning for Milton to attend the funeral which will be held tomorrow at 2 o'clock p. m. Mr. and Mrs. G. Lightfoot, of Vinson, relatives of the young lady, have been summoned and will probably arrive in Pendleton this evening and leave in the morning for Milton.

Miss Bowman was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Bowman of Milton. She had typhoid fever in December and never recovered from the effects, an abscess forming and causing death.

PRATT PRESTON'S FUNERAL.

It Will Take Place at Watsburg, Wednesday, March 21st.

Watsburg, Wash., March 20.—The funeral of the late Pratt A. Preston, of this place, will be held here Wednesday, the 21st inst., at 1 o'clock, under



the auspices of the most worshipful grand lodge of Washington, Free and accepted Masons. A special train will leave Walla Walla at 9 o'clock a. m., over the O. R. & N. Free transportation will be furnished to Masons in good standing and their wives from Walla Walla.

CUBA'S GOVERNMENT.

Four Weeks More and the United States Surrenders Control.

Four weeks hence the year allowed by the treaty of peace with Spain for the Spanish inhabitants of Cuba to decide whether they will be Cuban or Spanish citizens will expire. Immediately after that date, April 11, according to the program laid down by the administration at the opening of the present session of congress, preparations are to be made for the holding of municipal elections, and ultimately for the election of a convention which will decide upon the Cuban form of government. To that government, according to the original program, the United States was to surrender the control of the island.

Whether that program will be carried out in its entirety cannot certainly be said. The senate committee on Cuban affairs has the subject before it. The plan was Senator Foraker's, and he secured the consent of the administration to it at a time when powerful interests were contending for a different policy, and when they had progressed so far that the plan had been announced to the public as the president's plan. Senator Foraker is confident that it will be adopted, and it is understood that this is the reason why he is so anxious for the immediate adoption of a civil government for Puerto Rico, with or without a tariff annex. He wants Puerto Rico out of the way, it is said, in time for the bigger Cuban problem to have a free field.

Senator Platt, of Connecticut, has started for Cuba with Senators Aldrich and Teller. Mr. Platt is chairman of the committee on relations with Cuba, and he, with Messrs. Aldrich and Teller, form a subcommittee which has been delegated to go to Cuba and study the situation. Nothing has been said about the duration of the stay the three senators will make. It is understood, however, that their visit relates to the plebiscite of April 11.

Moving a House.

Andrew Allen, a Portland house mover, is preparing to move a \$12,000 residence, at Walla Walla, for Banker Baker, of that city. The building is a two-story and attic structure, occupying a space of 60x100 feet, and the distance to be moved is a mile and a half. Two creeks are to be bridged and crossed on the route, and the chimneys and plastering have to be landed intact. Several carloads of heavy timber and tackle will be shipped from Portland to Walla Walla for the work.

Local Market.

Pendleton dealers are paying the following prices for ranch and farm products:

Butter, 25 to 50c per roll.

Eggs, 15c per dozen.

Potatoes, 60c per sack.

Parasols, 50c per sack.

Cabbage, \$4 per 100 pounds.

Turnips, 75c per 100 pounds.

Chickens, \$2.50 to \$3.50 per dozen.

Ducks, \$4 per dozen.

Live turkeys, 10c per pound.

Geese, \$10 per dozen.

Rev. W. E. Sitzer, W. Caton, N. Y., writes, "I had dyspepsia over twenty years, and tried doctors and medicines without benefit. I was persuaded to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it helped me from the start. I believe it to be a panacea for all forms of indigestion." It digests what you eat. Tallman & Co., leading druggists.

White Bicycles...

hold every important Road and Track Record, from 1/4 mile up to 100 miles, both amateur and professional.

For sale by

Owl Tea House

Ride a "White" and keep in front.

Byers' Best Flour...

To make good bread use Byers' Best Flour. It took first premium at the Chicago World's Fair, over all competition, and gives excellent satisfaction wherever used. Every sack is guaranteed. We have the best Steam Rolled Barley, Seed Rye and Beardless Farley.

Pendleton