

REPUBLICAN



NOMINATIONS FOR 1872.

For President, U. S. GRANT, OF ILLINOIS.

For Vice-President, HENRY WILSON, OF MASSACHUSETTS.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS. A. H. Meacham, of Umatilla County, W. D. Hale, of Washington County, Jas. P. Gutzey, of Douglas County.

I would sum up the policy of the Administration to be a thorough enforcement of every law; a faithful collection of every tax provided for; economy in the disbursement of the same; a prompt payment of the every debt of the nation; a reduction of taxes as rapidly as the requirements of the country will admit; reductions of taxation and tariff, to be so arranged as to afford the greatest relief to the greatest number; honest and fair dealings with all other people, to the end that war, with all its blighting consequences, may be avoided, but without surrendering any right or obligation due to us; a reform in the treatment of Indians, and in the whole civil service of the country; and finally in securing a pure, untrammelled ballot, where every man entitled to cast a vote may do so, just once, at each election, without fear of molestation or prosecution on account of his political faith, nativity, or color.—U. S. Grant.

The Lesson Taught.

The lesson taught by the late defeat of the Democratic party should not pass unheeded by the party now about to assume control of the public affairs of the State. So long as a party works for the interest of the people, so long will the people sustain them. When they become recreant to their trust and unworthy of support, they may expect that defeat which their actions merit, and which will surely come. The Democratic party have, in their administration of State affairs, been reckless and improvident. Bent upon making the most out of a short lease of power, they legislated for the benefit of the few at the expense of the many. Cliques and rings held supreme sway, and the wishes and wills of the State had to be sacrificed to theirs. The Republican party comes into power at a time when great interests are at stake, when prompt and efficient legislation is demanded, when the prosperity of our State for years to come depends upon its immediate action.

The grant of lands known as the Swamp Lands, should be looked after in a manner which should carry out the intent of the grant and secure the settler in his legal rights. The canal and locks at Oregon City should be built in such a manner as to open transportation on the Willamette river, and prevent any opportunities for a monopoly of the carrying trade. The railroad interests of the State should be fostered and protected, and the railroad companies should be required to fence their roads and take all precautions to avert all danger to the life and property of each and every citizen. We need a school law which shall secure to each and every citizen, whether rich or poor, an opportunity to secure a common school education. These and many other matters of importance will demand the attention and require the prompt action of our Legislature. Well will it be for them if they answer promptly and efficiently to these requirements, and thus secure to the party the lease of power in the State which the Democracy had, and might have held if they had not been weighed in the balance and found wanting.

In our country, more particularly in this western part of it, the people are jealous of their rights and privileges, and the party which works the hardest to secure and perpetuate the rights of each and every citizen, is the one which will remain the longest in power—as we have evidenced that whenever a party becomes recreant to trust it takes but a short time to create a revolution and secure its defeat.

THE "PIONEER."—This valuable journal comes to us this week in a new form and dress. It has been very much enlarged and is now published in eight page form. Devoted to the cause of human rights, its field of labor is extensive, and we wish it the success it richly deserves.

Not Much.

It is amusing to see how some of our Democratic contemporaries are endeavoring to distort facts, in order to endorse the Cincinnati nomination, and at the same time appear consistent. They seem willing to stultify their own record provided they can do it in such a way as not to be detected by the great mass of their own party. The Herald of the 8th inst., deludes itself, and endeavors to delude its readers, into the belief that any step taken in the Republican party, which tends toward reform of abuses and corruptions, begets a necessity to "resort to the principles of the Democratic party." That in all the political ills of which the country complains, a resort is forced to the Democracy for a remedy. Now let us see if in accepting the Cincinnati platform, the Democracy have made any endorsement of Republican principles: The first resolution of the Cincinnati platform reads:

"We recognize the equality of men before the law, and hold that it is the duty of the Government, in its dealings with the people, to mete out equal and exact justice to all, of whatever nativity, race, color or persuasion, religious or political."

Is there anything in this which savors much of the Democratic sentiment which has been taught by the press of that party, denunciatory of those persons who for years have been the butt of ridicule for their advocacy of universal suffrage and "nigger" equality. Who has forgotten the torrents of abuse which has been hurled at the advocates of the doctrine of "equal and exact justice to all, of whatever race or color?" Is there any return in this to the "principles of the Democratic party," as indicated by the Herald? Again, the second resolution is no less antagonistic to the "old principles" of Democracy than the first:

"We pledge ourselves to maintain the law, the union of these States, emancipation and enfranchisement, and to oppose any re-opening of the question settled by the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, and Fifteenth Amendments of the Constitution."

Now, we ask in all candor, how can any party, after denouncing the Amendments as "frauds upon the people, conceived in fraud and brought forth in iniquity," now have the audacity to claim that the endorsement of these doctrines is in any way a "resort to the principles of the Democratic party?" No, Mr. Herald, you may blind some of the more ignorant portion of your party to the belief that the endorsement of the Cincinnati ticket is a "resort to the principles of the Democracy," but the more intelligent portion will look upon it as a clear abandonment of all the "time-honored" principles of Democracy, and a complete surrender to that portion of the enemy who have not been acknowledged as leaders, but who, as hangers on have endeavored to lead, but failing in it, have now, seeing the desperate straits to which the Democracy was thrust, made a bid for their assistance. "When the blind lead the blind"—both will merit and receive a certain defeat.

Notes.

The Amnesty Bill is said to extend to 150,000 persons.

Only four Republican papers of New York State support Greeley.

John McKeon and John Graham, the legal advisers of Stokes, the murderer of Fiske, are denounced by the New York papers for rascality and impudence. The trial is fixed for the third Monday in June.

Every State in the Union was represented in the last Congress. The admission of Rogers of North Carolina, made the roll complete.

A rain storm of unprecedented violence swept over central Illinois, last week, destroying vast amounts of property. Houses, bridges and culverts were washed away, and many lives lost.

Andrew Johnson has been nominated for Congressman by the labor reform party of Tennessee.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE CONVENTION.—A call has been issued by the Board of Control, for a Pacific Coast Woman Suffrage Convention to be held in San Francisco, June 18th, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose, as the call says, of consultation, mutual understanding, and organization, and for the adoption of plans for future operations.

Election Returns.

The following table shows the official vote of Polk county at the last election. The returns show a marked increase in the Republican ranks in the last two years. Two years ago the county went overwhelmingly Democratic, but this time the ticket is mixed, a portion being from each party.

Table with columns: NAMES, AMTS, MAJ. Rows include Congressmen (J.G. Wilson, John Burnett), Dist. Attorney (N.B. Humphreys), State Senator (R.S. Crystal, R.J. Grant), Representatives (R. Clow, H. White, J.C. Allen, J.B. Stump, A. Stephens, I. Leveas), Commissioners (J. Tatom, S.D. Gibson, John Vernon, J.M. Scott), Clerk (D.J. Holmes, J.C. Cooper), Sheriff (S.T. Burch, Isaac Tatom), Treasurer (R.M. May, B.F. Nichols), Assessor (H.C. McTimmonds, H. Lyons), School Superintendent (J.C. Grubbs, L. Vineyard), Surveyor (T.L. Butler, A.G. Roberts), Coroner (J.R. Sites, G.W. Berry).

This gives the Republicans the State Senator, and one Representative, Assessor, School Superintendent, and one County Commissioner. Surely, this is quite a contrast from the 100 majority, which the Democracy were going to show in Polk county.

Grant as a Statesman.

We have several times within the last few weeks referred to the acts of President Grant, and produced his record, to refute charges which were brought up against him to the effect that he is no statesman. While we would not be presumptuous enough to claim that he far transcended the brightest stars among the constellation of statesmen of this great country, yet we do affirm, that he lays claim and justly too, to at least a modicum of statesmanship. We have not the space to devote now to any lengthy dissertation upon different matters of national importance which have been referred to by the President, but will simply refer to his annual message for his recommendation concerning the shipping of the country and leave other points for another time. Concerning the shipping of the country and the steps necessary to its protection, Mr Grant says:

"Our depressed commerce is a subject to which I called your special attention at the last session, and suggested that we will in the future have to look more to the countries south of us, and to China and Japan, for its revival. Our representatives to all these Governments have exerted their influence to encourage trade between the United States and the countries to which they are accredited. But the fact exists that the carrying is done almost entirely in foreign bottoms, and while this state of affairs exists we cannot control our due share of the commerce of the world.

The cost of building iron vessels, the only ones that can compete with foreign ships in carrying on trade, is so much greater in the United States than in foreign countries that, without some assistance from the Government, they cannot be successfully built here. There will be several propositions laid before Congress in the course of the present session looking to a remedy for this evil. Even if it should be at some cost to the national Treasury, I hope such encouragement will be given as will secure American shipping on the high seas and American ship building at home."

THE NEW YORK CONVENTION.—Mrs. Woodhall and her special adherents, seeing there was no show for getting her special views adopted by the Convention which met at Steinway Hall, quietly drew off, and "Vic" and Fred Douglas were nominated candidates for President and Vice-President. This is too ludicrous for a serious comment, and too serious a matter for a joke, so we give facts and let it go.

THE LEGISLATURE.—As near as we can learn from the returns of the late election; the Legislature at its next session will stand, Senate 12 Republicans to 10 Democrats. House, 31 Republicans to 16 Democrats. This insures a Republican U. S. Senator, and unless the Governor should become too anxious to exercise the veto power, will, we trust, secure some healthy legislation.

State Items.

[Gleanings from State Exchanges.] Jacksonville is preparing to celebrate the 4th of July.

Attorney Gen. Williams has left for Washington City.

Wheat is selling at 75 cents a bushel in Albany. Oats 40 cents.

The increase of the vote in the State the past two years is about 3,000.

Oregon grown green peas have made their appearance in the markets.

Two Japanese students are attending the Pacific University at Forest Grove.

Joseph Ilite, aged seventy-nine, a citizen of Linn county, died on the 6th inst.

The Lane County Teachers' Institute will meet in Eugene on the 25th of this month.

From present appearances the fruit crop of Lane county will be above average.

The body of Peter Roberts, drowned near Milwaukie, June 2d, was found Tuesday.

Wm. Ray, of Jackson county has a colt two months old that weighs 381 pounds.

The track of the Oregon & California Railroad is laid to Smith's Hill, seven miles this side of Oakland.

A man named J. C. Wilson died of heart disease on the steamer Ajax last Sunday in Portland.

Judging from the local papers Salem is trying to outstrip Portland in the number of runaways.

A new ferry has been established on the North fork of the Santiam on the direct route from Scio to Marion.

A son of Judge Bonham, of Salem missed three of his teeth after attempting to catch a base ball in his mouth.

St. Joseph is the name of the town being built on the Yauchill river, at the terminus of the Oregon Central Railroad.

The funeral of Harvey J. Meachen, at LaGrande, on the 31st ult. is said to have been the largest ever held in Eastern Oregon.

The Dalles paper says that the Columbia river continued to rise last year until the 21st of June, after that it gradually receded.

The "big ditch" near the town of Eldorado in Eastern Oregon conveys about 1200 inches of water to the mines through which it passes.

Wm. Morgan of Linn county, aged about 20, had a leg broken below the knee, one day last week by being thrown from a horse.

Mr. E. Wyatt, of Benton county, has purchased a number of Durham cattle, and started for the carter side of the mountains with them.

C. M. Lockwood of Oregon has been to Texas stocking some stage lines on routes upon which he has the contract for carrying the U. S. mails.

M. S. Hart, convicted in the U. S. District court, of fraud, was sentenced to six months in the Penitentiary, the motion for a new trial having been denied.

The report of Superintendent of Public Schools of Marion county, shows 4,312 persons over 4 and under 20 years of age. No of legal voters, 2,688.

Mr. J. B. Newby, son of W. T. Newby of Yauchill county, died with small-pox in Portland last Monday. He was a practicing attorney about 30 years of age.

The town of Cornelius on the O. C. Railroad, contains 4 stores, 1 saloon, a large warehouse, 1 livery stable, 3 hotels and another under way. The future prospects of the town are flattering.

Dr. E. B. Stone of Salem is suffering severely from the effects of the bite of a big black spider. It bit him on the hand causing a small speck which gradually extended to a large sore, and the swelling extended throughout the entire arm.

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