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count meeting Dist. Conference Ger-
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THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

The nomination of William Jennings Bryan for president by the Demo-
cratic national convention at Denver last week, was expected, just as
was Taft's nomination by the Republicans. The Denver convention dif-
fered in this respect from the gathering at Chicago. There were few
elements hostile to the nominee, and the personal following of Bryan
was not only more numerous but more enthusiastic than the friends of
Taft. This is not premised from the degree of noise made by the shout-
ing nor the respective lengths of the ovation when the name of the candi-
date was mentioned. The "heart of things" was revealed in the entire
absence of "kicks" or "complaints" from leaders in hotel lobbies, commit-
tee rooms and other places where the big men congregated between ses-
sions. This in spite of the fact that a hundred reporters were listening
intently for hostile remarks. It was vastly different at Chicago.

This acceptance of Bryan by all factions and leaders of the Demo-
cratic party, marks the change in him from the Bryan of 1896 and 1900
Bryan has grown. He is no longer the man of one idea, and he also
knows now that all truth is not lodged in one skull. In 1896 he acted
as if the destiny of mankind hinged on free silver. In 1900, free
silver took a back seat and imperialism was the curse that threatened to
cut us off in the very flower of our youth. In 1908, there is no "para-
mount issue." He is content to stand for progress in all lines and is
willing to believe that other great Democrats can differ from him on de-
tails and still have the same honesty of purpose that he has.

In 1896, Bryan was sometimes called the Black Eagle of the Platte
John M. Thurston, an eloquent Omaha lawyer who did yeoman service
for McKinley, used to refer to that and said the title was appropriate, as
the Platte river was two thousand miles long, two miles wide and two
inches deep. The simile does not fit today, for the course of Bryan dur-
ing the last 12 years has worn a deep channel and no man in public life
is deeper and wider in his political belief and expression.

John Worth Kern of Indiana, the nominee for vice president, at least
does not weaken the ticket, as Sherman does the Republican ticket.
Without meaning a pun, it can be said that from all accounts he is a
worthy man.

Unlike the selection at Chicago also, the nomination of Kern was
good politics. The Democrats have little or no chance to win a state
east of Ohio. New England solid, New York, New Jersey, and Pennsyl-
vania were and are practically sure for Taft by big majorities. Ohio,
Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota and all the West is the debat-
able ground. Indiana was already doubtful, so the best political forecast-
ers say, and the insult to Fairbanks when Governor Hanley placed the
vice president in nomination, the attitude of Fairbanks' friends, and fi-
nally the nomination of Kern, whom the people of the whole state re-
gardless of politics, respect and admire, takes Indiana out of the doubt-
ful column and makes it as sure for Bryan as New York is for Taft.

Bryan and Kern have a far better show of being elected than any
Democratic nominees since 1892.

THE SPLIT LOG DRAG.

A Portland Commercial club letter says "Good Roads" has become
in recent months the subject of almost every conversation when a group
of citizens get together. There has been a demand from every section
of the state for the club to call a representative meeting to discuss a
practical plan whereby all Oregon may have better highways. As a re-
sult it has been determined to hold an "Oregon Good Roads Conference"
in the convention hall of the Portland Commercial club, Tuesday, Au-
gust 11, with morning, afternoon and evening sessions. All railroads have
made a rate of a fare and a third for the meeting. The basis of repre-
sentation will be announced within a few days, but all commercial and
industrial bodies, county judges, county commissioners, editors and may-
ors will be authorized to appoint delegates and urged to have a good rep-
resentation present.

Wallowa county is as much interested in good roads as any county
in the state. Before the railroad was a certainty, the subject was not of
vital importance, or rather the task and cost of making good roads was
greater than the seeming benefit. But with railroad connection to grain
and produce markets, the situation changes. It becomes a matter of
economical importance that farmers can haul large loads to Enterprise,
Joseph, Lostine and Wallowa.

Wallowa county has her own peculiar grade problems, but in the mat-
ter of hard surfacing our needs are the same as in all communities, with
this difference—there is an abundance of excellent surfacing material
convenient to all highways free for the taking.

The first cost of stone roads is high under the most favoring condi-
tions, therefore their construction will be slow. There are many miles of
roads in Wallowa county that could be greatly improved by the cheap
but wonderfully efficient log drag. This simple device is making a
marvelous change in roads wherever it is used. Every landowner owns
a drag, which can be home made, costing but a few dollars, and drags
the road along his farm. Ruts disappear at once and roads that former-
ly were impassable in the spring become after a year or two's dragging
real highways the year round.

It would not be a bad idea for the road-powers that be in this county
to investigate the cheap but efficient split log drag.

PLUMS FOR THE DOUBTFUL STATES.

History repeats itself. In 1880 and 1908 the Democratic vice presi-
dential nominee was from Indiana and the Republican from New York.
In 1880 the Republican nominee for vice president was from Ohio as it
is this year, but Hancock, who lead the Democratic host was from Penn-
sylvania while Bryan, as everybody knows, resides at Lincoln, Neb.
In the last nine presidential elections, beginning with 1876 and in-

cluding next November, the Republi-
cans have gone to New York no less
than six times for their nominee for
vice president, as follows: Wheeler
in 1876, Arthur in 1880, Morton in
1888, Reid in 1892, Roosevelt in 1900
and Sherman in 1908. In 1904 New
York contributed the nominee for
president.

For the same nine elections the
Democrats have gone to New York
or Indiana (long considered doubt-
ful states) no less than seven times
for either the presidential or vice
presidential nominee, and twice, 1876
and 1884, for both candidates.
Politics, thy name is expediency!

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that the
undersigned has been duly appointed
Administrator with the will annexed
of the estate of R. James Beard, de-
ceased, by the County Court of Wal-
lowa County, State of Oregon, and
has duly qualified as such adminis-
trator. All parties holding claims
against said Estate are hereby notifi-
ed to present the same, duly veri-
fied and with proper vouchers as re-
quired by law, to the undersigned
administrator at his residence at Far-
adise, Oregon, within six months
from and after the date of this
notice.

All parties knowing themselves
indebted to the said estate are here-
by notified to make prompt settle-
ment.

Dated this 9th day of July, 1908.
W. B. APPLEGATE,
Administrator with the will annexed
of the estate of R. James Beard,
deceased.
BURLEIGH & BOYD, Attorneys for
the Estate.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that under
and by virtue of a writ of execution
issued out of the Circuit Court of the
State of Oregon, for the County of
Wallowa, under the seal thereof,
dated the 17th day of June, 1908,
and to me directed and delivered, up-
on a judgment and decree rendered
and entered in said court on the 23rd
day of July, 1906, in favor of S. E.
Miller as plaintiff, and against H.
Achurch and James L. Hammack,
partners as Achurch & Hammack,
Gertrude Hammack, wife of James
L. Hammack, B. T. Hammack, and
Effie Hammack, his wife, and the
First Bank of Joseph, as defendants,
whereby the plaintiff did recover a
personal judgment and decree
against the defendants, H. Achurch
and James L. Hammack and each
of them for the sum of \$2713.49
with interest thereon from the 23rd
day of July, 1906, at the rate of
ten per cent per annum, and the fur-
ther sum of \$229.00 as attorney's fees
and his costs and disbursements tax-
ed at \$29.40; and whereby the de-
fendant, the First Bank of Joseph re-
covered a personal judgment and de-
cree against the defendant, B. T.
Hammack for the sum of \$225.00 with
interest thereon from the 23rd day of
July, 1906, at the rate of 10 per cent
per annum, the further sum of \$40.00
as attorney's fees and its costs and
disbursements taxed at \$...; and
whereby it was adjudged and de-
creed that the mortgage executed by
H. Achurch in the name of Achurch
& Hammack to the plaintiff, S. E.
Miller, dated March 23rd, 1904, upon
the following described real property,
to-wit: Lots Six, Seven, Eight and
Nine in Block Ten in the original
town site of Joseph, Wallowa County,
Oregon, should be foreclosed and
whereby it was further adjudged and
decreed that the mortgage given by
B. T. Hammack and Effie Hammack
to the defendant, the First Bank of
Joseph, dated the 13th day of April,
1905, upon the following described
real property, to-wit: Lots Six,
Seven, Eight and Nine in Block Ten
in the original town site of Joseph,
Wallowa County, Oregon, should be
foreclosed; and whereby it was ad-
judged and decreed that the said de-
scribed real property, be sold by the
Sheriff of Wallowa County, Oregon,
to satisfy said judgments and de-
crees and all costs.

Therefore, I will on Saturday, the
25th day of July, 1908, at the hour
of ten o'clock in the forenoon of that
day, at the front door of the County
court house in the City of Enter-
prise, Wallowa County, Oregon, sell
all the right, title, interest and estate
which said defendants or either of
them and all persons claiming or to
claim by, through or under them or
either of them had on the 23rd day
of March, 1904, or since have had,
or now have, in and to the above de-
scribed real property, and every part
thereof at public auction to the high-
est bidder for cash in hand, the pro-
ceeds of said sale to be applied in
satisfaction of said execution and all
costs and accruing costs in the man-
ner as provided by said judgment and
decree.

Dated this 20th day of June, 1908.
J. M. BLAKELY,
Sheriff of Wallowa County, Oregon.
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