

HILLSBORO INDEPENDENT.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

A republican convention for the state of Oregon is called to meet in the city of Portland, on Thursday, April 9, 1896, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for presidential electors and state and district offices, except congressmen, and of electing four delegates-at-large to the republican national convention, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

- Baker.....5 Lane.....11
Benton.....5 Linn.....10
Cass.....12 Lincoln.....3
Chilton.....7 Marion.....13
Columbia.....3 Multnomah.....18
Cook.....3 Morrow.....13
Crosby.....3 Polk.....18
Curry.....3 Sherman.....18
Douglas.....9 Tillamook.....13
Grant.....3 Union.....13
Harney.....2 Yamhill.....9
Jackson.....7 Washington.....11
Josephine.....4 Wasco.....11
Klamath.....2 Wheeler.....11
Lake.....3

The same being one delegate-at-large from each county and one delegate for every 200 votes and one for every fraction over one-half thereof cast for the republican candidate for governor at the election held in this state on June 4, 1894.

The committee recommends that the primaries be held on Saturday, March 21st, and the county conventions on Saturday, March 28, 1896, unless otherwise ordered by the proper county committees.

All voters in favor of the republican principal of protection to American industries and American labor, the upbuilding of a home market, a sound financial policy and a patriotic enforcement of the Monroe doctrine are cordially invited to unite with us.

GEO. A. STEEL, Chairman.

WILLIAM KAPUS, Secretary.

Portland, Or., February 5, 1896.

REPUBLICAN DISTRICT CONVENTION.

A republican convention for the first congressional district, of the state of Oregon, is hereby called, to meet in the city of Albany on Tuesday, April 7, 1896, at 3 p. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress and two delegates to the national convention.

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Cook.....4 Lincoln.....3
Curry.....2 Linn.....10
Clackamas.....12 Marion.....13
Josephine.....4 Polk.....18
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The committee recommends that the primaries and county conventions be held in accordance with the recommendation of the state central committee.

THOS. H. TONGUE, Pres.

J. A. WILSON, Secretary.

It is reported that Germany has invited Russian and other powers to inaugurate a movement to end the English influence in Egypt.

The new woman is not yet getting and in Germany. So firmly is the idea of masculine superiority fixed in the popular mind that nobody thinks of questioning it.

All Europe is going wild over some new discoveries in photography. By the new process, substances that have heretofore been supposed to be opaque are proven to be translucent to certain chemical or actinic rays.

A VICTORY THAT IS NOT VICTORY.

The republicans organized the senate by conceding the balance of power on the finance committee to the populists, and now, just in the pinch, they are thrown down.

Promptly on the assembling of congress, the house, which is fresh from the people, and overwhelmingly republican, passed an emergency tariff bill intended to increase the revenues of government to a point equal to the expenditures.

There the bond bill was first taken up and amended so that instead of its being a bill to authorize the sale of bonds to meet an emergency, it was changed to a free silver coinage bill providing for the unlimited coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1; providing for the immediate coinage of the sealings lying in the vaults resulting from silver purchases under the Sherman bill; providing that national banks shall not be permitted to issue bank bills in denominations less than \$10; providing that the secretary of the treasury may redeem greenbacks, in either gold or silver, at his option, and providing that such redeemed greenbacks may be again issued.

This bill disposed of, the senate took the tariff bill in hand and referred it to the finance committee. This committee reports back to the senate, not the tariff bill, but an amendment which is the identical silver bill already passed. This was done by the democratic members of the committee, assisted by Stewart, populist.

There is one useful purpose shown in this incident. Republicans favor measures for the relief of the country, while the democrats and populists are obstructionists. For ten months it has been plainly shown that the Wilson tariff bill cannot produce revenue sufficient for the needs of the government.

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Again, it was stated that our population doubled every twenty-five years, while the sinners double every ten years, from which statement it appears there is much backsliding in this world of ours, and that Christianity is "not in it."

BE A GENTLEMAN.

Some days ago, a student of the State University at Eugene, wrote the Oregonian offering an anonymous manuscript, wildly criticizing the management of the college.

THE CASE OF BAYARD.

It will be remembered that shortly after the convening of congress an inquiry was set on foot looking to an explanation from Minister Bayard for un-American words and sentiments uttered before an English audience.

The correspondence between Ambassador Bayard and the state department with reference to his partisan and unpatriotic harangues does not present his case in a favorable light, to say the least.

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The Salsbury party, in England, has active opposition, which condemns the government for abandoning Armenia, and for refusing to arbitrate the Venezuelan boundary dispute.

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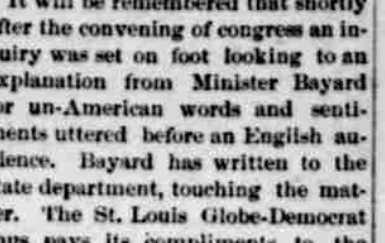
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The Statesman and Oregonian publish a table showing the standing of every legislator in voting for appropriations. The man who heads the list in the house is Representative Hofer, who voted for every appropriation before the house save one.

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CLOSING OUT! OF MILL BUSINESS. In Washington County, Oregon. All persons having Grain in my Mill will please get their Flour before February 15, 1896.

Remember THE AUCTION FEBRUARY 15, '96 PACIFIC UNIVERSITY THREE COLLEGE COURSES CLASSICAL, SCIENTIFIC, LITERARY

The Academy prepares for College and gives a thorough English Education, the best preparation for teaching or business. All expenses very low. Board and rooms at the Ladies' Hall \$3 to \$4 per week, including electric light and heat.

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SUNSET LIMITED SEASON OF 1895-1896. WILL RUN TWICE A WEEK BETWEEN San Francisco and New Orleans OVER THE GREAT SUNSET ROUTE LEAVING SAN FRANCISCO TUESDAYS & SATURDAYS From Tuesday, November 5, 1895.

FOR SALE OR TRADE. A DESIRABLE BUILDING LOT, 100 feet square, in the city of Hillsboro, Oregon, is offered at a low price for cash, or for acreage property outside the city limits.

Teachers' Quarterly Examination. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of this County, the County school superintendent thereof will hold a public examination in the Court House at Hillsboro, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., on February 12th, the second Wednesday of the month.

Excutor's Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the last will and testament of Jacob E. M. M. M., late of Corvallis, Washington County, Oregon, has been duly admitted to probate in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County.

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