

PLATFORM ADOPTED BY REPUBLICANS

Important Planks Are Preparedness and Restoration of a Protective Tariff.

The leading planks of the platform adopted by the republican national convention at Chicago are devoted to preparedness, the Mexican situation, our foreign relations, the tariff, merchant marine, suffrage and the Philippines. The platform declares that as it stood for the union of states in 1861, the party now stands for a united people, true to American ideals, loyal to American traditions, knowing no allegiance except to the constitution, to the government and flag of the United States, and appeals to all Americans, whether naturalized or native born, to prove to the world that we are Americans in thought and in deed, with one loyalty, one hope, one aspiration.

The important planks summarized

are as follows:

Declares that we believe in and will enforce the protection of every American citizen in all the rights secured to him by the constitution, treaties and the law of nations, at home and abroad, by land and by sea.

The preparedness plank declares both for military and industrial preparedness, and the increase in the strength of the army and navy to meet any possible foe.

Deplores conditions which exist as a result of the administration's policy with Mexico and speaks of the shame which it has inflicted on the United States, and pledges the republican party to provide for the absolute and adequate protection of American citizens in and near the borders of their country and in Mexico. It charges the democratic administration with failure to fulfill its duty toward Mexico and pledges the aid of the party to the restoration of peace and order.

The restoration of a protective tariff is declared essential to the prosperity of the nation. It is declared that unless a protective tariff is restored serious consequences will follow the close of the war. Possible importation of products of cheap for-

sign labor, if the present democratic tariff is continued, is viewed with alarm. The tariff plank also declares for a tariff commission.

Declares in favor of a merchant marine through the pursuance of a policy which has been productive of ship development abroad, by subvention and such other proper legislation, such subvention to be in payment for services actually performed and the vessels to pass under the control of the government in an emergency, and is utterly opposed to the government ownership of vessels as proposed by the democratic party.

Believes that all who violate the laws in regulation of business should be individually punished. But prosecution is very different from persecution, and business success, no matter how honestly attained, is apparently regarded by the democratic party as in itself a crime. Such doctrines and beliefs choke enterprise and stifle prosperity. The republican party believes in encouraging American business, as it believes this will seek to advance all American interests.

Specifically calls for legislation for protection against child labor and declares for general workmen's compen-

sation legislation and for legislation for compensation to workmen engaged in the federal service.

Reaffirms its faith in government of the people, by the people, for the people, as a measure of justice to one-half the adult people of this country, favors the extension of the suffrage to women, but recognizes the right of each state to settle this question for itself.

Condemns the democratic administration for its attempt to abandon the Philippines, which was prevented only by the vigorous opposition of republican members of congress, aided by a few patriotic democrats.

Declares in favor of national control of transportation agencies through the interstate commerce commission by a constitutional amendment if necessary.

Reaffirms the Monroe Doctrine, asserting its necessity for our peace and safety and for the attainment of our manifest destiny.

Favors the extension of the rural free delivery system and condemns the democratic administration for curtailing and crippling it.

Urges an effective system of rural credits as opposed to the ineffective

law proposed by the present democratic administration.

494 Votes Needed to Nominate.

Chicago.—The total vote of the republican national convention, fixed by the credentials committee at 989, was reduced to 987 because the two Porto Rican delegates failed to qualify. This reduced the number of votes necessary for a nomination to 494, instead of 495, as previously had been announced.

Farsighted.

"Married a cooking school graduate, you say?"

"Yes, but he's no fool."

"No?"

"The first household utensil he bought was a can opener."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Modern Methods.

"Can you alter that gown to fit me, do you think?"

"Certainly not, mademoiselle. That isn't done any more. You must be altered to fit the gown."—Life.

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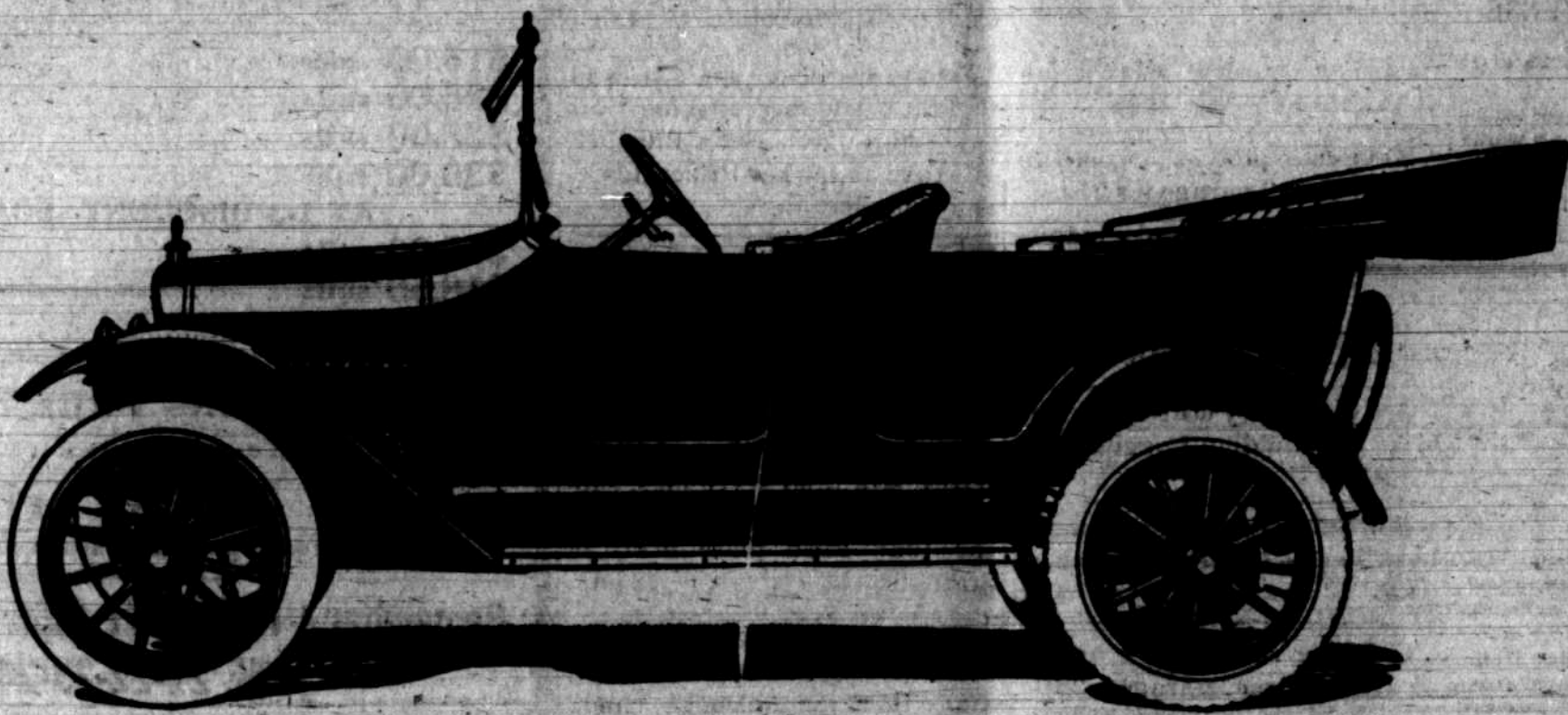
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