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The Republican Convention.

The republican convention was called to order last Thursday at 10 o'clock A. M. and A. W. Waters elected chairman. Committees appointed on credentials, permanent organization, order of business, platform, etc., and then adjourned until afternoon. The chairman again called the convention to order at 1:30 P. M. Committee reported and was accepted. Pine creek, vivard, W. H. Kille and Pueblo precincts were not represented. J. J. Donegan, J. L. Sitz and Ed Bulkley were elected delegates to the state convention which meets at Astoria April 14.

On the first ballot for clerk, G. W. Young and H. K. Ley tied, on the second Keley was nominated. E. H. K. and H. C. Turner were up for the nomination for sheriff, King was nominated on the first ballot the vote being 33 to 14.

J. A. Sparrow had no opposition for county judge.

Three names were presented for the office of commissioner, J. Hamilton, A. Venator and R. R. Sitz. Venator nominated.

W. S. Waters was nominated for assessor by acclamation.

J. C. Welton was nominated by acclamation to succeed himself for treasurer.

J. M. Peebles and Chas. Cochran were up for school superintendent. Cochran nominated on the first ballot, 33 to 14.

Geo. Whitig received the nomination for county surveyor.

Dr. Marsden was placed on the ticket for coroner, D. Jamison for justice of the peace, and Geo. Tregaskis for constable.

Their platform indorses the present administration, declares for "sound" money.

A. W. Gowan was recommended for a second nomination as state senator, C. W. Parrish for circuit judge and G. W. Hayes for district attorney.

There is much dissatisfaction in the ranks. The fight for delegates to the state convention, clerk, sheriff and commissioner, was bitter and did not tend to harmonize matters in the least.

The Times-Herald made a mistake in stating that Chas. Newell was a candidate for the office of county school superintendent. Mr. Newell was not wanting the nomination for any county office.

The name of C. H. Leonard did not come before the convention for school superintendent. He withdrew from the race last Wednesday upon learning that his father in law, W. C. Byrd would come before the democratic convention for that office.

Our Demands Refused.

Washington, April 1—There is little doubt that the president and the members of his cabinet now regard a conflict with Spain as almost inevitable. In his message to congress, which in all probability will be sent in next Monday, and certainly early next week, it is understood that the president will review at some length the record as it stands between this government and Spain, but will not insist upon further time in which to continue negotiations looking to a peaceful solution of the Cuban problem.

The cabinet meeting this morning was unquestionably the most important held in many years. It resulted in an answer to the ultimatum of this government and, finding it unsatisfactory, practically decided upon a policy which, at this hour, seems certain to involve hostilities.

The whole record will be laid before congress, and the question now under earnest consideration is what shall be the particular form our policy shall take in bringing to an end the horrors in Cuba and securing the independence of the island.

Spain's Reply.

The reply of Spain is said in effect to be: The independence of Cuba means the parting with or cession of Spanish territory, which cannot be done without the consent of the Spanish cortes which is not in session and will not be in session until April 24, and consequently no definite answer can be returned to the demand of the United States until the cortes assemble.

Then a counter proposition is submitted that Cuban matters shall be settled upon a basis equitable among nations.

The United States is asked to give Spain time to treat with the insurgents and ascertain what can be done in the matter in the nature of a peaceful settlement.

Senators who know the nature of the reply say it is a very shrewd piece of diplomacy and made for its effect upon the world at large. It is said the reply is unsatisfactory to the president and that he does not believe it will be satisfactory to congress.

Administration officials feel that after Monday congress is likely to take matters into its own hands.

READY TO FIGHT.

Madrid, April 1—The most important comment on the situation this afternoon is that of the ministerial journal El Liberal, which may be looked upon as undoubtedly reflecting the position of the Spanish government, the paper says:

We have done all we can to remove a pretext for a rupture. If President McKinley refuses our concessions we, with a quiet conscience, will await any trials which may come and defend our honor all through.

By order from the government all breweries in Alaska have been closed. This is a hard blow to W. F. Matlock, who recently went up there and established big a brewery at Skagway, and has just got the same in operation. He has expended a large amount of money, and was in a position to make big returns when the government order cut him off.—Eugene Register.

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