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ROOSEVELT-FAIRBANKS PROSPECTING ACTIVE

Standard Bearers of the Republican Party for President and Vice-President. Miners in Large Numbers Are Seeking Treasures in the Sucker Creek Hills

No Other Names Were Presented to the Convention.

Before the roll could be called, Dewey moved that the roll call be suspended and the nomination be made by acclamation. A demonstration scarcely less than that which greeted the nomination of Roosevelt followed.

Senator Dolliver was recognized and offered a resolution providing that Chairman Cannon and Temporary Chairman Root shall respectively lead the committees to notify President Roosevelt and Senator Fairbanks of their nomination. The resolution was agreed to with a will.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Theodore Roosevelt was born in New York City on October 27, 1858, entered Harvard College in 1876 and graduated in 1880; took up the study of law, but was elected to the New York Legislature, and was twice re-elected; was a delegate to the state convention in 1884 to choose delegates to the republican national convention, and was selected as one of the four delegates at large from New York to the national convention; later in the same year he went to North Dakota and engaged in cattle raising for several years; in 1890 was the republican nominee for mayor of New York City; was appointed a member of the United States civil service commission in May, 1893, by President Harrison; resigned this position in 1895, in order to accept the presidency of the police commission of New York City under Mayor Strong; in April, 1897, was appointed by President McKinley assistant secretary of the navy.

Upon the outbreak of the war with Spain in 1898, resigned this post and became lieutenant-colonel of the First United States Volunteer Cavalry; was promoted to the colonelcy of the regiment; was in the fight at Las Guasimas and San Juan; was mentioned with his regiment at Montauk, Long Island, in September, 1898; was nominated shortly afterwards as the republican candidate for governor of New York, and elected in November, 1898; was unanimously nominated for vice president of the United States by the republican national convention of 1900 and elected; succeeded to the presidency upon the death of President McKinley, September 14, 1901.

Upon the outbreak of the war with

pan. All the dirt removed during the work on the ledge was thrown back in the hole to await further treatment. The ditch will probably be completed this week.

Many claims have been located in the vicinity of the strike, one of them by Mr. Banks, a member of the United States Geological Survey. He gave the whole a thorough examination and states that he has definitely traced the ledge 200 feet from the point at which it is being worked. He is confident the vein is this long, and it may prove even longer.

Some excellent prospects have been found on the adjoining claims, and there is no doubt that other discoveries will be made—discoveries that will rival the famous original one, the one found by accident.

C. E. Austin and A. L. Morris have located on the ledge and have also located a townsite to be known as Golden View City. They report that there are already tents on the town site.

Among the mining men who have gone to that country are Ed Wilson, well known in the west as a mining man. I. H. Willett, of Soda Springs, Idaho, formerly editor of the Idaho Chief, W. E. Connor, formerly proprietor of the Hotel, Oregon at Ashland; E. T. Staples of Ashland, interested in the Jessie mine and well-known in mining circles.

The proprietor of the Courier will make a trip to the strike this week, not with a view to picking up gold but to be able to tell the Courier readers his opinion from personal observation and inspection regarding the find. A certain element of our population is inclined to minimize the value of the find, but others whom we have talked with who have visited the place, say nothing like it has yet been discovered here. It may be so for ourselves.

This ditch will be about 4700 feet long and will provide ample water for working the dirt, which, around the strike, will go several dollars to the

OREGON MINING EXHIBIT THE OFFICIAL RETURNS

Mining Industry Will Be Benefited by Display.

A complete summary of the votes cast at the recent election has been compiled by Secretary of State Danbar from the official returns filed with him by the county clerks of the various counties. This summary shows that the total number of votes cast in the entire state was 29,315.

Frank A. Moore, republican candidate for supreme judge, was elected by a plurality of 24,217. His total vote was 52,946, and Thomas O'Day, his democratic competitor, received 28,729. C. J. Bright, the prohibition nominee, received 5,514, and 6,419 votes were cast for the socialist candidate, C. C. Mikkelsen.

J. W. Bailey, the republican nominee for food and dairy commissioner, was elected by a plurality over larger than that given to Justice Moore, though his total vote was some 4000 less. Bailey received 48,821 votes; S. M. Douglas, dem., 24,558; Ira W. Berry, pro., 5,112, and N. Rasmussen, soc., 6,098. Bailey's plurality was 24,288.

Congressman Williamson was re-elected by a plurality amounting to 14,353. His total vote was 27,120, while his democratic opponent, J. E. Simmons, received 12,773. The socialist and prohibition candidates received respectively 5,578 and 3,525 votes.

In the first district Ringer Hermann was re-elected by a plurality of 6,818. His vote was 33,970. Robert M. Veatch, dem., received 17,157, and the socialist and prohibition candidates received respectively 2,800 and 28,967.

The local option law carried by a majority of 3,118. About 80 per cent of the voters who went to the polls voted either for or against the law, showing the widespread interest in the measure. The total vote for the law was 43,374, and the vote against it was 40,128.

The majority in favor of the direct primary law was overwhelming, amounting to 39,851. The affirmative vote was 56,355 and the negative only 16,534.

Quite as decisive was the vote on the constitutional amendment, relating to the state printer's office. The affirmative vote was 45,333 and the negative vote only 1,403, giving a majority of 31,963.

The republican majority in the next legislature will be even stronger than in the last. In the senate there will be 25 republicans and 5 democrats. In the house the republicans will number 50 and the democrats 10.

Cabinet Changes.

A sweeping change in the cabinet of President Roosevelt was announced officially at the White House Friday. The announcement came in the form of a brief typewritten statement issued by Secretary Loeb, as follows:

"The following cabinet appointments are announced:

"William H. Moody of Massachusetts, Attorney-General.

"Paul Morton, of Illinois, Secretary of the Navy.

"Victor H. Metcalf, of California, Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

"The resignation of Secretary Cortelyou and Attorney-General Knox have been accepted, to take effect July 1."

Jud Taylor guarantees all work.



THEODORE ROOSEVELT, RENOMINATED FOR PRESIDENT.

Beveridge. The eloquent Indiana statesman second Roosevelt's nomination in his usual masterful manner. He was followed by George J. Knight of California, who delivered one of the best, if not the most eloquent speech of the day. Theo. followed in succeeding speeches, Harry Stillwell Edwards of Georgia, Ex-Governor Bradley of Kentucky, Joseph B. Collins of Minnesota, and Harry S. Cummings, a colored delegate from Maryland.

A real ovation was given Mr. Cummings as he closed. Mr. Cannon then advanced to the front of the rostrum at 1:19 and announced the roll call for nominations for the president. The clerk began calling the roll by states. When Alabama responded with her entire vote for Roosevelt there was a cheer. The states followed in alphabetical order, and as each responded with the words "Theodore Roosevelt," the cheering was renewed.

An effort was made by New Jersey to suspend further calling of the roll, but the convention protested loudly. Senator Platt, of New York, was on his feet to make the announcement for his state, and when his state was called the convention became enthusiastic at the announcement. Texas also got a cheer, as C. A. Boyett made the announcement for Roosevelt.

Kentucky's response was six votes for the next state on the banner of the Republic.

Chairman Cannon announced at the conclusion of the roll call that Theodore Roosevelt had received the entire vote of the convention, 994, and it only remained for him to announce his nomination for the presidency by the republican party.

The enthusiasm following the announcement of the chairman was of much briefer duration than that which followed the first call, the cheers not lasting over two minutes. Then Mr. Cannon announced: "The clerk will call the roll for presentation of candidates for vice-president."

"Alabama," called the clerk.

Mr. Handley, of Alabama, announced that his state desired to waive its right in favor of the state of Iowa. This meant Senator Dolliver who was to deliver the first nominating speech of Senator Fairbanks.

At 1:30 Dolliver concluded and the mention of Fairbanks name was loudly cheered. Before Dolliver had taken his seat Dewey was on his feet to make the second speech, which was accomplished in his usual smooth, suave style of oratory. He was followed by Foraker, who in turn was followed by Pennekaker of Pennsylvania, and former Senator Carter of Montana.

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W. C. U. Column

Cannot Deliver Spirituous Liquor

For three years we have been trying to get a law prohibiting mail carriers on R. F. D. routes from carrying liquors. Just before congress adjourned I went to the Senate Post Office committee to again urge action before the postal bill should have passed, but I was advised to wait until the bill should have passed and then to see the postal authorities and press my appeal. This I did, and after considerable talk and explanation with clerks and secretaries, it was told that "when General—returns, you would better see him, then perhaps something can be done." But I was not willing to wait until this gentleman returned, and besides, I knew that there were men in that great building who understood what might be done. I insisted that my adviser should call up another department, and the reply over the telephone was a great surprise to him and a delight to me. "Yes," it said, "that order is now going out; just sending it today; good thing, too."

The secretary with whom I had been talking declared, "well, you got out this order before the department themselves knew of it." This is the order: "Carriers are not permitted while traveling their routes to carry spirituous liquors, either for themselves, for sale, or for their patrons."

The secretary asked me to let our women know of this and to ask them to play the part of detectives, and to inform the Washington postoffice if in any way the order is violated.

While this order is not all we desire, as according to a ruling of the Supreme Court beer is not considered "spirituous liquor," still this is a good long step in the right direction, and we shall hope that before long we may have the word "intoxicating" substituted, which will include beer.

New Post Exchange.

I made a visit to Fort Meyer, where, in company with Chaplain C. C. Paxon, I inspected every part of the elegant new post exchange building. The refrain, "Miss eyes have seen the coming of the glory of the Lord," kept ringing in my heart as I passed from room to room and noted the many devices planned for the amusement and the convenience of the soldier, and contrasted this exchange which we helped to establish with the small, dark, ill-scented miserable place known as the canteen. All army posts are to be provided with such places to help the men "overcome the sin which doth so easily beset them."

The granarium, a beautiful room, is fitted up with every conceivable appliance for physical development, while the bowling alley in the basement is one of the finest to be found. President Roosevelt, with his wife and some of the children, were interested and delighted visitors a few days before my visit, the president trying with evident satisfaction the many gymnastic devices, and exclaiming again and again, "This is fine." The boys wanted to try their hands

Ward Grass and arrival.

Account Mardi Gras and Carnival to be held at Portland, June 28th, to July 9th. Inclusive, tickets will be on sale at rate of One and one-third fare, plus 25 cents for the round trip. Sale dates June 27th and July 7th, with limit of six days after date of sale, but not later than July 10th.

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