

**ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING OF REPUBLICANS.**

**Platform Adopted and Candidates Nominated.**

It was a large and representative gathering of Republicans who attended the Republican State Assembly in Portland last week, which did much to reunite the party, and although there were those who were opposed to the assembly, it proved a great success, for it brought the members together, all working for the success of the Republican party.

During the hour or more required to select the three committees, representative Republicans from various parts of the state were called to the platform to address the assembly. Party principles were outlined and stirring appeals were made for party loyalty. The list of speakers included Charles W. Fulton, Wallace McCamant, George W. Stapleton, Judge R. R. Butler, E. W. Connors, Walter L. Tooze, George M. Brown, Theodore Cameron and D. Solis Cohen.

Walter L. Tooze was first called and he spoke in rousing fashion of the purpose of the assembly and the evidences at hand of the reunited Republican party. He pleaded for harmony and urged that all stand together in working for the best interests of the Republic.

Wallace McCamant spoke in an eloquent strain. He urged that the assembly name a Republican of strict party principles for every office from Governor down to State Engineer. "As soon as this assembly is adjourned every candidate that has been named is my candidate, regardless of any preference I may have," said Mr. McCamant.

George M. Brown, of Douglas County, was next called for. Mr. Brown was introduced as "the little giant of Douglas." Mr. Brown said he never felt so respectable before in his life as on this occasion, when he acted as a delegate in a reunited Republican party.

**Right to Organize is Clear.**

Charles W. Fulton was greeted with enthusiastic cheering as he stepped forward at the call of Mr. McArthur, who was in the chair. Senator Fulton opened his remarks by a summary of the purpose of the gathering. "You are members of the Republican party because you believe in the principles of the party, and believing these principles, you believe it is your duty to do all in your power to carry them on to victory," said he. "You are not here for the purpose of annulling or in any manner circumventing any provision of the primary law or otherwise. You are not here to oppose either in spirit or letter the fundamental law of this state, the constitution itself expressly providing that no law shall ever be enacted restraining the inhabitants from coming together for the purpose of consulting for their own good."

That you are here in a similar manner, required by the constitution, all will admit, unless bias may be considered a hindrance. You are not here for your own good but for the good and commonwealth and to effect a victory for the Republican party. I can think of no higher honor that can be brought to the name of this state than that. We are today for the purpose of reorganizing the organization of the Republican party. I believe that the most potent influence which appeared to cause you to assemble here is the growing conviction in the minds of the Republicans of Oregon that reorganization is necessary to success.

**Principle is Necessary.**

I am glad to see this spirit, for the members of the party are united, when they act unitedly, they act as an organization, success is sure to follow their lead and crown them, and that we are going to have victory for the Republican party. It is my conviction that the representative principle observed through the assembly provides the best possible system of government, and that principle is just as necessary to party success and party success and government as it is in the organization of society. You cannot have an organization unless you have a principle or some similar principle charged with the duty of organizing a platform and recommending nominees to the great voters throughout the state. I state that we believe in government by political parties, or to be governed by men of their own and selfish purposes. We will either march under the banner of some political organization or we will uphold a platform. We are going to have a popular leader in our party who they think they see the realization of their political ideals.

No one man can be entrusted with the liberties of a great people.

"In making our nominations and adopting our platform, in determining upon the methods we will follow, we are only to consult Republicans; it is only important to know what Republicans have to say. We care not whether it pleases the enemy or not. It is pathetic to observe how profoundly concerned is the opposition press lest the Republicans shall make a blunder. They are deeply distressed lest we make some mistake that shall lead ourselves into defeat. I know they are sincere in this concern. I know they are wrought up to a high pitch lest we make this fatal error. Not until warfare is a peaceful procedure, when commanders shall counsel together as to how each may reap a victory, will one political party take advice from another party as to its methods or procedure."

**Party is Reunited.**

In closing, Senator Fulton paid a touching tribute to the late Judge George H. Williams. "Let the heathen rage," said he, "and let the insurgent surge, if he will; the Republican party in Oregon, reunited and reinvigorated, shall, as in the past, march on to victory."

D. Solis Cohen, of Multnomah County, followed Senator Fulton on the stand. Mr. Cohen spoke in a stirring way on the assembly and the impetus it leads the Republican party in the march towards new success.

R. R. Butler, of Gilliam County, Circuit Judge for the 11th judicial district, spoke briefly. He said he was born a Republican, was now a Republican and always intended to be a Republican, and was proud to see such a gathering of Republicans united again in the interest of party. He predicted the complete success of the Republican party at the polls in the election to come, from Governor down.

George W. Stapleton, of Multnomah County, took occasion to make a detailed refutation of the charge that he once supported Bryan, and made clear his position as a staunch Republican, loyal always to Republican principles. Referring to the direct primary, he urged that the assembly is in accordance with that law and asserted that it in no way withholds from the people their rights at the polls.

E. H. Belknap, of Benton County, urged a general getting together among Republicans for the success of the Republican cause at the coming election. "Unite our forces and carry the Republican banner to victory," was his advice to the assembly. He placed himself on record as in the assembly wholly to support Republicans for all offices and said he would not for one instant countenance a non-partisan ticket.

**Statement 1 Hard to Swallow.**

E. W. Connors, of Columbia County, who voted for President Zachary Taylor in 1848, was the next speaker. Mr. Connors went into the history of the olden days of the Republican party in Oregon. With reference to statement No. 1, he took occasion to say that, although he was not a user of tobacco, he would as soon swallow two or three chews of tobacco as Statement No. 1.

Todd Cameron, of Jackson County, was introduced by Mr. McArthur as "the grand old man of Southern Oregon." The speaker said the Republican party could not do any worse than it had been doing for the past six years. He wanted to see a getting together of good Republicans and expressed the hope that everyone would go out and work for the candidates named by the assembly.

**Greetings Sent to Taft.**

While the judicial and water districts were holding separate meetings to determine on recommendations for the Circuit Bench and Water Commissioners, it was decided by the assembly to send its greetings to President Taft. The following telegram was drafted and dispatched to Mr. Taft's Summer home at Beverly, Mass: "Hon. William H. Taft, Beverly, Mass. 'The Republicans of Oregon in assembly convened send greetings and indorsement of your Administration. With a reunited, rejuvenated Republican organization in this state, we will continue to rally to your standard as our chosen leader. (Signed) 'W. C. BRISTOL, Chairman.'"

The assembly also paid its respects to Harvey W. Scott, a committee being selected to await on Mr. Scott at his home, where he is ill, and express the condolence of the assembly upon his ill-health, together with sincere best wishes for his early recovery and appreciation of his endeavors in behalf of the Republican party. W. C. Bristol and S. B. Hudson were named as a committee of two to carry out the will of the assembly in this respect.

**State Ticket Indorsed by Republican State Assembly.**

Representative in Congress, First District—W. C. Hawley, of Salem. Representative in Congress, Second District—W. R. Ellis, of Pendleton.

Governor—Jay Bowerman, of Condon.

Secretary of State—Frank W. Benson, of Roseburg.

State Treasurer—Ralph W. Hoyt, of Portland.

Superintendent of Public Instruction—L. R. Alderman, of Eugene.

State Printer—William J. Clarke, of Gervais.

Attorney-General—J. N. Hart, of Baker City.

Justices Supreme Court (six-year term)—F. A. Moore, of Columbia (present incumbent), George H. Burnett, of Marion.

Justices Supreme Court (four-year term)—Wallace McCamant, of Multnomah; Thomas A. McBride, of Clackamas (present incumbent).

Railroad Commissioner (at large)—Frank J. Miller, of Linn.

State Engineer—John H. Lewis, of Multnomah (present incumbent).

Commissioner of Labor Statistics—O. P. Hoff, of Multnomah (present incumbent).

Delegations composing the second Judicial District, made up of the counties of Yamhill, Polk, Marion, Linn and Tillamook, engaged in one of the hottest contests of the assembly in naming two candidates for Judges for the primaries. Percy R. Kelly, of Albany, and I. H. Van Winkle, of Linn, received the indorsement. They barely defeated James McCain, of McMinnville, P. H. D'Arcy and N. H. Newport. H. A. Littlefield, of Newberg, was chairman of the caucus. The total number of votes cast was 353.

A. G. Beals received the nomination for joint representative for Tillamook and Yamhill counties.

**Republican Platform.**

The Republicans of Oregon, in assembly convened, reaffirm their faith in the principles of the Republican party, and with pardonable pride point to the record of its achievements.

We reaffirm our faith in the principles of representative government and in the maintenance of political parties, believing that no party can maintain its identity or exert its proper influence for good government without organization.

As the representatives of the Republican voters of Oregon we find our warrant for this assembly in the express provisions of the preamble of the direct primary law, which read as follows:

Political parties are useful and necessary. The method of naming candidates for elective public offices by political parties and voluntary political organizations is the best plan yet found for placing before the people the names of qualified and worthy citizens from whom the electors may choose the officers of our Government.

Every political party and every voluntary political organization has the same right to be protected from the interference of persons who are not identified with it as its known and publicly avowed members, that the Government of the state has to protect itself from the interference of persons who are not known and registered as electors.

We commend as the sentiment of this assembly the words of Governor Charles E. Hughes:

I believe in party organization and I desire to see it strong, efficient and representative.

And the expression of Theodore Roosevelt that:

Voters should be guaranteed the right to determine within the ranks of their respective organizations who the candidates of the parties shall be.

**Organization is Essential.**

We reaffirm our faith in the principles of representative government and the maintenance of political parties, believing that no party or association of men can maintain its identity or exert its influence for the principles it expresses without organization; we believe in the wisdom of counsel, and as free citizens of a free Government we enjoy the constitutional right as members of the Republican party to assemble for the purpose of adopting a platform, considering the fitness of candidates, making recommendations to the people and performing such other duties as may be deemed wise and expedient and that any infringement upon such right is a denial of the wisdom of the founders of our Government, both state and National, and against the rights guaranteed by our constitution and a violation of the real spirit of the direct primary law, with the fundamental principles of which we are in hearty accord, and believe it should be supported and obeyed.

We favor the creation of the office of Lieutenant-Governor of the state, who shall perform the duties of the Governor in case of his inability to act.

We favor the abolishment of all useless and unnecessary officers, boards, commissions and clerk-

ships and for a just and economical expenditure of public moneys.

We are opposed to the pending bill providing for the election of delegates to National conventions of the Republican and Democratic parties at the expense of the taxpayers. These delegates are not public officials, but are representatives of their respective parties and the taxpayers of the state should not be called upon to pay their railroad fare, hotel bills and other expenses on these trips.

We favor an appropriation by Congress placing the Indian war veterans of the Pacific Northwest on an equality with the veterans of the Civil War in the matter of pensions.

We favor only such conservation of the public resources as will best develop and settle the country.

**Administration is Indorsed.**

We unqualifiedly indorse the Administration of President Taft and point with pride to the fulfillment by the National Republican party of the pledges contained in its last platform. We point with pride to the history of the Republican party and to the capacity of the party, so often demonstrated, to solve public questions and to legislate and administer the Government in the interest of the whole people. We affirm our continued loyalty to the principles and policies of the party, and we mutually pledge ourselves to the effort necessary to strengthen the party organization and to put into office men who are loyal to its principles.

**Notice**

Notice is hereby given, that the County Court of Tillamook County, Oregon, will receive bids for the construction of a bridge across the North Fork of Nehalem River, at what is known as the Zweifel place, according to plans and specifications on file at the office of the County Clerk.

A certified check equal to 5 per cent of the amount of the bid must accompany each bid as a guarantee that the bidder will execute a bond for the completion of the contract if awarded the same.

All bids must be filed in the office of the County Clerk of Tillamook County, Oregon, on or before 9 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, the 3rd day of August, 1910.

The County Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the Court.

J. C. HOLDEN, County Clerk.

**Notice.**

Notice is hereby given, that the County Court of Tillamook County, Oregon, will receive Bids for driving seventy five piling, capping and planing the same, at what is known as the Erickson place on Wilson River. County to furnish all material, and said work to be done under the supervision of the Road Supervisor of said district.

All bids to be filed with the County Clerk on or before the 3rd day of August, 1910. Court reserving the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the County Court.

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**The Remedy That Does.**

"Dr. King's New Discovery is the remedy that does the healing, others promise but fail to perform," says Mrs. E. R. Pierson, of Auburn Centre, Pa. "It is curing me of throat and lung trouble of long standing, that other treatments relieved only temporarily. New Discovery is doing me so much good that I feel confident its continued use for a reasonable length of time will restore me to perfect health." This renowned remedy is sold at Chas. I. Clough's drug store, 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

**Just Exactly Right.**

"I have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for several years, and find them just right," says Mr. A. A. Fenton, of Harrisville, N. Y. "New Life Pills relieve without the least discomfort. Best remedy for constipation, biliousness and malaria. 25c. at Chas. I. Clough's drug store."

**It Can't Be Beat.**

The best of all teachers is experience. C. M. Harden, of Silver City, North Carolina, says: "I find Electric Bitters does all that's claimed for it. For Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles it can't be beat. I have tried it and find it a most excellent medicine." Mr. Harden is right; it's the best of all medicines also for weakness, lame back, and all run down conditions. Best too for chills and malaria. Sold under guarantee at Chas. I. Clough's drug store. 50c.

**A Few Short Weeks**

Mr. J. S. Bartell, Edwardsville, Ill., writes: "A few months ago my kidneys became congested. I had severe backache and pain across the kidneys and hips. Foley Kidney Pills promptly cured my backache and corrected the action of my kidneys. This was brought about after my using them for only a few short weeks and I can cheerfully recommend them."—For sale by C. I. Clough.

**"Foley's Kidney Pills Have Cured Me."**

The above is a quotation from a letter written by H. M. Winkler, Evansville, Ind. "I contracted a severe case of kidney trouble. My back gave out and pained me. I seemed to have lost all strength and ambition; was bothered with dizzy spells, my head would swim and specks float before my eyes. I took Foley Kidney Pills regularly and am now perfectly well and feel like a new man. Foley Kidney Pills have cured me." For sale by C. I. Clough.

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