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THE TICKET NOMINATED.

The Marion county Republican ticket, nominated by the convention Wednesday, is a strong one—one of the strongest ever put up by the party for this county. It does not often happen that there are no weak points. They are almost unavoidable, on account of compromises, geographical considerations, bad judgment, or accidents.

There are no weak places in this ticket. Every man is qualified for the place he seeks at the hands of the voters. Not one is without claims for consideration that are justly worthy of attention.

There are some disappointments. It was necessary to leave off the names of some good men. They could not all be nominated. There were too many of them seeking the places, or whose friends were urging their claims.

But the delegates may go to their several homes with the satisfaction of having done a very good day's work. Let those whose friends failed of recognition bear in mind that majorities must rule in a Republic—that this is the vital principle of a government of the people, and so submit cheerfully to the will of the majority. We believe this will be the general disposition.

The Statesman hopes to see every man on the ticket triumphantly elected. We believe this will be the result of the campaign soon to open.

SENATOR HANNA SAYS "NO."

There seems to be no apparent reason why the people of the United States shall not accept Senator Hanna's repeated assertions that he is not an aspirant for the Presidential nomination in 1934, says the Toledo Blade. Whenever the newspaper boys at the capital run short of gossip, they are pretty sure to bring out some statement regarding Mr. Hanna and the chief magistracy. There are, too, many Republicans who recognize the Senator's strong common sense, his magnificent executive ability, and his general capability for the exacting duties of the position, and who would be glad to see him in the field two years hence. But all this is without Mr. Hanna's

consent and, in fact, contrary to his wishes. The Washington Times, a day or two ago, contained his portrait, with a very appreciative article, in which there was a strong suggestion of his availability as Presidential timber. This led to his giving an interview to the newspaper men, in which he frankly said:

"I am not a candidate, and have no intention of becoming a candidate. Moreover, I am not thinking of the matter in any way. Scarcely a day passes that my mail does not contain some reference to my becoming a candidate for the Presidential nomination two years hence. My answer to such suggestions is always the same. It is really embarrassing to me to have people talk in this way—embarrassing in more ways than one, but chiefly that it may lead some people to impugn my motive in laboring to prevent contests between labor and capital."

There is no reason why Mr. Hanna's statements should not be taken as absolutely sincere. He never was a man who said one thing and meant another. It is a fact well known to his intimate friends that he never had any Presidential aspirations. Furthermore, he knows the tremendous strain which the office imposes upon its incumbent, and is not desirous of risking his life and health. He is thoroughly in earnest in his effort to arrive at some method of settling labor disputes without strikes; and, should he succeed, he will regard it as a prouder triumph than to have filled the chief magistracy.

STRONG WITH THE PEOPLE.

The failure to renominate Governor Geer would be a mistake that would require years to rectify. Governor Geer, by the greatest perseverance, has worked his way over almost insurmountable obstacles from the plow to the office of chief executive of a great state. He has been intensely loyal to the interests of the state and has discharged his duties fearlessly and faithfully. No charge of mismanagement can be truthfully made against his administration. The people of his home county are for him. His simplicity of manner and zeal for the interests of the rural population have endeared him to them and if he, the only farmer elected Governor, is turned down with his record for efficiency, simply because the politicians of the state do not want him, the result will be demoralizing in the extreme. Geer's ability as a campaigner is recognized not only at home but abroad. His public utterances,

spoken and written, have attracted much attention and favorable comment in nearly every part of the nation, and the state has been honored by having him as its chief executive. Geer's nomination would do more than any other act to preserve harmony in the party and insure its success in the future. He has not identified himself with any faction of the party, and in his appointments to office has made no distinction, appointing men of either faction without question as to what faction in the party the applicant represented.

The unparalleled victory Governor Geer achieved in Marion county shows with what esteem his administration is regarded here, where every act of the executive is watched very closely. The people of this county are a unit for Geer and believe he is the strongest man it is possible for the convention to nominate.

THE HONOR IS OURS.

Says the Oregonian: Nothing has given the Oregonian greater pleasure in a long time than the announcement it makes this morning that Judge Williams has consented to become the Republican nominee for mayor. He does not seek the office; he does not want it; he yields only after much hesitation to the solicitation of citizens and the manifest need of a man who could both unite the party and ornament the office. Whatever sacrifice of business and leisure, law practice, and the good reading which he loves, this acceptance has involved, has been made from a sense of duty, and as such a pleased and grateful community will accept it.

No man in Portland is more fit to be thus honored, more calculated to grace the Republican ticket and elevate the mayor's office, or more certain of overwhelming election, than is Judge Williams. He rises far above party strife. He will be the mayor, and not the tool of factional or personal interests. He will discharge the duties himself and will discharge them fearlessly and impartially. Such a man is sorely needed at this time, for the new charter lodges in the mayor's hands greater powers, authority and responsibility than the office has ever known. The modern charter has come to exalt the mayor's office so that it is worthy the talents and attention of a city's most eminent man. There is no other place where its first citizen may serve the city with more benefit or more distinction.

Many a man who joins in the election of Judge Williams for mayor will feel that his vote is at best a feeble tribute to the worth and dignity of Oregon's Grand Old Man. Who that has watched his benevolent and blameless life among us for so many years; who that has found his addresses upon almost every conceivable occasion a never-failing spring of intellectual delight and moral uplift, has not longed for the day to come when by some word or act he might testify to his gratitude at having been permitted day by day to look upon that kindly face and hear that inspiring voice and follow perhaps afar off his noble example of humble, kindly, dutiful endeavor? Nothing in this world is too good for Judge Williams. No office can add to his dignity or worth. The real achievement of the man who casts his vote for him in the convention or at the polls is to honor himself.

MULTNOMAH'S MUDDLE.

Republicans generally cannot approve of the minority in the Multnomah county convention remaining away from the meeting called to nominate county and city tickets. While we all must admit that the majority was arbitrary in its manner and showed no quarter to the defeated, yet these are the methods that have been established for some time past in that county, and had the other faction been in power the same tactics would have been employed. The "Independents" claimed to despise these methods and made this the excuse for bolting the ticket two years ago and electing a citizens' ticket composed of members of all parties. We naturally expected a different manner of procedure with the "Independents" in control, and with the lesson of two years ago so fresh in their minds. A bolt is never justified, and the "regulars" cannot point to the bolt of two years ago as an excuse for their action yesterday. If they intend such action as a bolt. The feeling in Multnomah county is so bitter that too much care cannot be taken to avoid a split such as was so disastrous to the ticket two years ago. It would seem that the majority would proceed with great deliberation and use its advantage with moderation. High handed proceedings are never conducive to harmony with free citizens, and it is usually resented. The majority is responsible for the outbreak in the convention yesterday, just as the majority was to blame two years ago.

Republicans generally, of the state, regret very much the serious condition of affairs in Multnomah county and would be glad to be exempt from its influence. If the fight in Multnomah was not carried into state politics the Republicans of the state would have less cause for anxiety over the result of yesterday's convention. But all the politics of the state is contaminated with this row, and the future success of the party is clouded by it.

Bad weather yesterday. We can stand several more days of the kind before any one will be calling for more rain, excepting the frogs.

EASTERN OREGON FOR GEER.

Governor Geer will have as many votes in Eastern Oregon as Furnish himself, even though Furnish's only claim for nomination is based on his being a resident of that section.

Governor Geer has the following counties certain:

Malheur.....	4
Wasco.....	11
Gilliam.....	4
Wallowa.....	5
Sherman.....	4
Wheeler.....	4
Total.....	32

The following may be counted for Furnish, although Governor Geer's friends confidently assert that he will have at least five of the Union county delegates:

Umatilla.....	14
Union.....	10
Morrow.....	4
Crook.....	4
Total.....	32

Geer has Baker county, if Johns does not prove a strong candidate, and his chances for Harney and Grant are more likely than Mr. Furnish's. If the fight comes up between Geer and Furnish in Eastern Oregon, Geer will carry it by from ten to twenty votes, which is pretty good for Geer, considering the strong plea that has been put up for an Eastern Oregon man.

Governor Geer showed no disposition to dictate the candidates nominated yesterday, although rumors were sprung from time to time about his interest in offices from Senator down to constable, yet in no instance did the Governor depart from his determination to keep hands off. While his wishes were made known on the candidacy of one or two persons for the Legislature, yet he refused to make a fight for anyone. All he wanted was the delegation to the State Convention. One or two special friends the Governor desired for the Legislature, were defeated, which might have been avoided if he had come out and made a request for them to be placed on the ticket. The men selected, however, are no doubt highly satisfactory to him, as most of them are his warm personal friends. Governor Geer's course in the matter is appreciated by all the defeated as well as the successful, fully realizing the delicate position in which he was placed. One thing the Governor asked was that the ticket show no factional color, and this was carried out.

It is understood that Graham Glass will be a candidate for the office of State Printer before the State Convention. Mr. Glass was for some years a resident of Polk county, where he owned and conducted the Polk County Itinerant at Dallas. He was well liked there, and will be backed by the delegation from that county in the State Convention. Mr. Glass came within a very few votes of receiving this nomination at Astoria four years ago. In fact, there was a question concerning the regularity of the ballot. It was moved that a new ballot be taken. But Mr. Glass arose in his seat in the Convention and asked that this be not done, but that the nomination of Mr. Leeds be declared unanimous. It was remarked on all sides that this generous action on the part of Mr. Glass entitled him to consideration four years hence. He will have a strong following in the coming Convention, and if he receives the nomination it will be found that he has loyal friends in all parts of the state.

HON. N. H. LOONEY CAME WITHIN A VERY FEW VOTES OF BEING PLACED ON THE TICKET AT YESTERDAY'S CONVENTION FOR SENATOR. HE WAS THE THIRD MAN IN THE RACE. NOW, IT WOULD BE NOTHING MORE THAN RIGHT TO MAKE HIM THE NOMINEE FOR JOINT SENATOR FOR MARION AND LINN. Marion county is entitled to this office this time. She gave way to Clackamas on Joint Senator four years ago. This nomination would be especially appropriate and strong for several reasons, among them being the fact that he resides near the Linn county line, at Jefferson, and understands the needs of that county almost as well as Marion's. He makes a good legislator for the whole state.

It would be difficult to find stronger men than Steiwer, Roland, Siegmund, and the rest of the men on the county ticket. There will be no inducement for the Democratic party to bring up much, if any, opposition to these men. Of course, a ticket will be put in the field to keep up the organization, but no one will go on it with any hope of success. One very good reason why the Republican ticket should be elected this time is the splendid condition of the county's affairs. It is out of debt; the roads and bridges are in good repair, and no complaint is heard against existing conditions. An easy victory is before the ticket nominated Wednesday, but this is no reason why any Republican should be less ardent in its support and endeavors to secure a large vote for it in June.

The magnitude of the silk industry of the United States is a surprise to the average citizen not directly connected therewith. The census report upon it, just published, shows in 1930 the total value of its products were \$107,256,258. This is a gain of 22 per cent within the decade. There are 843 establishments in the country, as compared with 472 ten years before. The aggregate capi-



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tal represented is \$31,000,000, employing over 65,000 persons, whose annual wages were nearly 21 million dollars. The cost of materials used was 62 millions, of which about two-thirds represents the cost of raw silk.

The Democratic, East Oregonian, which is fighting the battle for Furnish almost single-handed in Eastern Oregon, goes into a spasm because the Multnomah county delegation does not come to the rescue of Mr. Furnish. Just why Mr. Furnish should expect the nomination at this time is not clear. His limited experience as a Republican hardly suggests the idea of telling the men who have served the party faithfully for thirty years to step down and out for a man who has fought the party harder than any one else. Furnish has absolutely no claim on Republican support.

Supt. J. H. Ackerman has done more for the schools of Oregon than any man who has been at the head of the department of education of the state. He has planned and put into effect a course of study and graded the schools of the state. He has secured school legislation which has given Oregon one of the best public school systems to be found anywhere in the Union. His influence for the good of the schools has been felt in every section of the state, and his renomination will be demanded by the educational interests of Oregon.

There is a disposition by some candidates who know they would be weak before the people to get onto the ticket anyway, and then "lay it onto" Geer. Governor Geer has stood a good deal of unpleasantness in the past few months, and there is such a thing as heaping on the burdens too thick. But such are the methods of professional politicians—some of them. They think of their friends through whom they expect to ride into place once, while thinking of themselves a dozen times.

After several days' consideration, Gen. George H. Williams has consented to become a candidate before the Republican convention for mayor of Portland. Mr. Williams is one of the most highly respected men in Oregon, and his election is absolutely assured. No one can find a single objection to him as a candidate, and the fact that he has never allied himself with either of the Portland factions is a strong point in his favor.

Harmony among political factions calls for mutual concessions. These are the necessary conditions precedent. It cannot exist at all if one side only is recognized or considered. And harmony would be a good thing in the campaign and the election. This cannot be doubted.

If harmony is really wanted, the best way to attain it is by renominating the present state officials who are candidates before the Republicans of the state. They have been efficient and faithful, and there is no good reason why each should not be rewarded with a renomination.

The convention instructed its delegates to support the State Boards. This not only includes Governor Geer, but Secretary Dunbar, Treasurer Moore and Superintendent Ackerman. They are all worthy of the support of the county, and this will be cheerfully given.

Don't load the ticket down with anything smacking of Simonism (or with everything smacking of Simonism). It would be a hard load to carry. The campaign and the election must be kept in view.

Nominate strong men for every office. The convention has a good list of candidates to select from, and no good excuse can be offered for placing weak men on the ticket.

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PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

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Gentlemen, remember there will be an election in June. And there is no fun in getting licked. Don't run the risk of it.
Frank Wrigthman will call the convention to order any way. He is chairman of the central committee.

The delegates are all here—and for each one two candidates and five members of the "third house." There is no dearth of advice, good, bad and indifferent.
There are no particulars obtainable as yet concerning the reaching of oil by the men boring for Banker Hirschberg, of Independence, near Monmouth. Perhaps there will be more news today, or within the next few days.

It is a pity all the candidates cannot be nominated. A composite ticket would be a very good one. But this cannot be. There must be more disappointed than glad, and success is only possible should upon the failure of others.
R. R. Ryan is going to "stay in the fight to the bitter finish—and in the end he hopes to wear the crown of glory." Bully for Ryan! Three cheers and two tigers! What's the matter with Ryan? He's all right. He will get as many votes as any other candidate for Governor on the Socialist ticket. He will get all of them, and no one could do better.

One looking in upon the Marion county Republican convention today might well mistake it for a gathering of Oregon pioneers. The old stagers of the party and the county are very well represented. They will add dignity and wisdom to the deliberations of the convention. The younger element of the party is there, too. But the old timers make up a very considerable part of the list of delegates.

What kind of weather may we expect for the month of April? We know what kind we have had in the month of March, so far, and it has been below the average for excellence, considered either in the light of the experience of "the oldest inhabitant," or by the records of the Weather Bureau. The following is taken from the records of the Bureau at Portland, being the average for thirty Aprils past: Mean or normal temperature, 52 degrees; warmest month, that of 1881, with an average of 55 degrees; coldest, 1872, with an average of 46. The highest temperature was 89 degrees, on the 17th, 1897; lowest 28, on the 7th, 1875. Average date of last "killing" frost in spring, March 17th; in fall, November 17th. Average precipitation for the month of April, 3.14 inches. Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 14. Greatest precipitation, 7.78 inches, in 1883; least, 1.12, in 1885. Greatest amount of precipitation in any 24 consecutive hours, 1.34, on the 2d, 1883. Average number of clear days, 6; partly cloudy days, 11; cloudy, 13.

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