

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

Proceedings of the Marion Adherents of Jefferson, Jackson and Cleveland.

The delegates that constitute the Marion county democratic convention met at 10 a. m. to-day at Reed's opera house. A large attendance was present and an adjournment was taken to 11:30 to await the arrival of delegates on the Eugene express.

TEMPORARY ORGANIZATION.

The re-assembled hosts met promptly at 11:30 and proceeded to effect a temporary organization, as follows:

Chairman, J. F. Brown.

Secretary, Napoleon Davis.

Assistant Secretary, Rout. Downing.

On motion, the chair appointed the following committees:

On credentials: Geo. La Roque, Wm. Kaiser, F. A. Mangolt.

On permanent organization and order of business: G. E. Allen, Jas. Coleman, Chas. Miller.

On apportionment: P. H. D'Arcy, Ed. McAfee, T. C. Davidson, Dr. Weaver, Mr. Murphy.

On resolutions: M. J. McKinnon, Dr. Jeffries, Wm. Parker.

The convention adjourned to 1:30 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The convention met at 2:30.

Every precinct in the county was reported represented except Champeos.

On motion, the temporary officers were made permanent. An order of business was adopted. Messrs. Thompson, Coleman, Dodson and Dearborn were appointed tellers. The convention proceeded to make nominations for a county ticket.

The convention nominated Hon. L. C. Griffith, of Waldo Hills, and W. H. L. Waters, of Salem, for senators.

As the JOURNAL goes to press balloting is in progress for representatives. Editor Holmes is likely to be one of the five nominees.

The Fruit Outlook.

It is said by fruit men that the prospects are very favorable indeed for the biggest crop of the finest quality of all kinds ever known in Oregon. It is true the season is late, but the outlook is dimmed none by that fact. There have been a good many cold nights in succession, with direct sea breeze, chilled to frost in the valley by passing over the snows of the Coast range, but they have done no injury to the buds, which were not far advanced. It is something unusual to have so much cold wind from the west at this season, but this is an off year in everything else: it is not to be expected the breezes will be of the accustomed kind. The frosts have been light, but they could be readily observed on the roses and tender garden plants. At this time a year ago the gardens were all made and pretty well advanced, but mid-April this year finds but little work done on the garden plots. This section of the valley banishes its fruit crops and a failure would be something never before known. But instead of a failure this year there will be one of the heaviest yields known for years, unless some heavy frost should play havoc later on.—Albany Herald.

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To Home Seekers.

The Capital City railway company is prepared to tell home-seekers something to their advantage. Mr. David Simpson has taken charge of their real estate department at 115 State street. Call and see him.

PLENTY ON HAND.—George D. Goodhue has now a full supply of large fir wood. Persons sending in orders will be promptly supplied.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shurt, Pastor Church, Blue Mount, Kan., says: "I feel my duty to tell what Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My lungs were badly diseased, and though I could live only a few weeks, I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and I am sound and well, gaining 25 lbs. in weight."

Arthur Love, Manager Love's Combination, writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence, I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Cough, Croup, and all the greatest ailments, can do my friends is to urge them to try it. Free trial bottles at Fry's Drug Store."

FREE SUGAR.

The New Tariff Bill a Peoples' Measure.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The tariff bill was finally reported to the house yesterday, and the most encouraging feature of it is that it places sugar on the free list. This, of course, brought out a protest from McKenna, of California, who insists that sugar should be protected. There was another strong effort made to place lead mixed with other ores on the free list as at present, but the lead men made a strong and determined fight and finally won the battle.

Of sugar the report says the committee recommend that sugar up to and including No. 16, and molasses, be placed on the free list, with a duty of 4-10 of 1 per cent. per pound on refined sugar above 16. A bounty of 2 cents per pound shall be paid from the treasury for a period of fifteen years for all sugar, polarized at least 85 per cent., made in this country from cane, beets, or sorghum, produced in the United States. In 1888 the consumption of sugar in the United States was 1,469,097 tons, or 53.1 pounds per inhabitant. Of this only 189,814 tons were produced in the United States, so that a large proportion of the sugar is imported. The home production of sugar does not materially affect prices and the duty is therefore a tax which is added to the price, not only of the imported but of the domestic product. In 1889 the duties collected on imported sugar and molasses amounted to \$55,785,610. Add to this the increased price of domestic sugar arising from the duty, and it is clear the duty on sugar and molasses made the cost of sugar and molasses at least \$64,000,000, or about \$1 for each man, woman and child in the United States, more than it would have been, if no such duties were levied and the domestic product had remained.

Even on the assumption that with proper encouragement we shall eventually be able to produce all, or nearly all, the sugar required for the consumption of our people, this encouragement can be given much more economically and effectively by a bounty of 2 cents per pound, involving the expenditure of but little more than \$7,000,000 per annum, with the present production of sugar in this country, than by the imposition of a duty involving the collection of \$55,785,610 in duties in the last fiscal year, not to mention the amount indirectly involved. In providing that not only raw sugar, but also sugar including No. 16, be admitted free of duty, opportunity is given for the free introduction of yellow sugars suited to family use, an arrangement which will secure to the people, sugar at the lowest price existing in the markets of the world, while even imported white refined sugar will be subjected to a duty of only 4-10 of 1 per cent. per pound.

The majority report begins with a statement of the financial situation. It estimates that the surplus at the end of the present fiscal year will be \$92,000,000, and deducting the sum required to make the payments of the sinking fund, the net surplus of receipts over expenditures will be \$43,679,000. The estimated surplus of the next fiscal year will be \$43,570,000, which, with the amount of cash on hand and available, reaching \$50,000,000, will justify a reduction of the revenues in the sum contemplated by the bill as reported, of \$30,937,000 and probably more, from customs, and say \$10,525,000 from internal revenue or a total of \$41,250,000.

The report further says that the bill as proposed will result in decreased revenue; that in all cases the increased tariff will result in decreased revenue; and therefore decreased revenue; that the committee aimed to put an increased rate on manufactured goods and farm products producible in this country, in order to develop a home market, and that the committee was not so much concerned about the prices of the articles we consume as to encourage the increase and diversification of home products, and giving fair returns to the producers and fair wages to American workmen, believing that home competition will regulate prices. The committee admit that free trade would cause a temporary reduction in prices, but argue that it would be at the expense of domestic product, and that prices would advance with the country at the mercy of foreign syndicates and manufacturers, and the ultimate result would be disadvantageous to both capital and labor. The committee says that the country is least prosperous in which low prices and low wages prevail, and point to the present agricultural depression as a sample. The committee believes it better to raise the \$40,000,000 necessary to run the government by taxing foreign imports than to take it from domestic products. The bill is based upon the idea of full protection to American industry, but at the same time recommends

no duty above the point of difference between the normal cost of production here, including labor, and the cost of like production abroad.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Boiled Down for Reading by Busy People.

July wheat in Chicago has fallen off 2 cents.

Five hundred carpenters are out on a strike at Portland.

The wages of U. S. express employees will be cut 10 per cent May 1st.

The Chicago clock-makers have secured an advance of 15 per cent in wages.

Strikes are taking place all over the Union and monster labor demonstrations will take place May 1st in all the large cities.

John L. Sullivan is under treatment for obesity, and will try to get a good share of his obesity reduced by the time Peter Jackson meets him.

The 25th anniversary of emancipation from slavery was celebrated by the colored people at Washington with an immense parade Wednesday.

William G. Bradley committed suicide early Wednesday morning in the hotel at Portland, by cutting his throat with a razor. Bradley came here about ten days ago from Albany.

Owing to the great carpenter strike in Chicago, a great majority of the bricklayers, plasterers, laters, painters and plumbers were laid off indefinitely, there being no work for them to do without the assistance of carpenters.

Stanford and Huntington, the California railroad king's, are said to be reconciled. When it comes to stealing more millions from the people they can always agree.

The Oregonian says the land grant forfeiture bill that is to pass the republican congress is "sweeping as it is unjust." It must be a pretty good bill for the people.

FEELING BADLY.—We continue to receive eastern papers with exaggerated statements running down Oregon and lying about floods, weather, etc. One St. Paul paper says: "Since Nov. 15th last, we have had just six days of clear, sunny weather, that was clear and cold." The best answer to this is the record of clear and cloudy days, as furnished to the JOURNAL by the government weather bureau. As our of the statements it is asserted that flour is \$1.50 a sack. Our market reports show that the best patent flour is sold at \$1.05 to \$1.10 per sack the year round at Salem. People never bought it for less than \$1.50 to \$1.65 in Iowa or Minnesota. In conclusion the paper referred to says: "I pity a man here with a family and without means, looking for a job, but a man with plenty of money can sit under a porch and enjoy the climate. The Pacific coast is like Florida, where they live on sick Yankees and fish. Everything is high here but fish."

We are prepared to admit that Yankees as a rule are a little lean and shabbily, and not inclined to competency. But as for fish, every market here has fresh Columbia river salmon at 10 to 12 cents a pound, sliced in steaks ready to cook. Columbia river salmon, sea bass, flounders, smelt, shad, etc., are delicacies that only the millionaires can afford at Chicago at from 30 to 40 cents a pound. But such stuff is not worth answering. For climate and good living, with fruits in superabundance, Oregon is ahead of any country in the world.

THE PRIZE.—Safe and Reliable is the brand of the new baking powder at Farrar & Co's. Every buyer gets a prize.

Chocolate cream caramels, and other new dainties that will make your mouth water and your teeth ache, at Jones & Bernard's.

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The Bon Ton restaurant is setting the best 25 cent meals in the city now.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CHEMERETTE HOTEL.

G. W. Costello, J. M. Bowman, C. T. Cunningham, J. Reynolds, W. Newton, Jack Smith, W. S. Weyner, S. Bur, Eugene, F. A. Higgins, J. C. Fowler, Portland; J. W. Harris, Canton, O.; H. C. Maurice, Vancouver, Wa.; G. W. Culling Grant's Pass; D. Quaverly, H. S. Moyer, Oregon City; W. W. Thayer, Milwaukee Wis; John Voss, Canyon City Ia.

COOK HOUSE.

A Cohen, Mrs. A. A. Reynolds, D. C. Lewis, Portland; Wm. Neill, J. McNab, C. S. Perry, S. Moses, Joe McDonald, Butte; G. M. Mitchell and wife, St. Louis; T. A. Statton, Statton; N. G. Mickle, N. G. Mickle, Portland; A. W. Thorneburg, Gervais; A. Cayle, Hubbard; J. F. Moser, Silverton; Tim McArthur, Ashland; J. Q. Williams, S. F.; Jas. Stish, Mapleton, N. H.; F. J. Newton, N. Y.

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