

THE WINNERS.

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Stephen M. White, for all aspirants to that high office to present themselves as candidates before the people so that they may instruct their representatives in the legislature to elect them, and that we endorse and recommend to the Democrats of the ensuing legislature the name of Stephen M. White as the candidate to succeed Hon. Leland Ford in the senate of the United States.

Fourth. That the Democratic party hails with cordiality the young men of the state who are flocking to its ranks, seeing with patriotic abhorrence, the dangers that threaten our institutions by the waste, extravagance, corruptions and centralizing tendencies of the Republican party.

Fifth. That as the supreme court has decided that fruit trees and vines are not included in that portion of the constitution which provides that growing crops shall not be taxed, we are in favor of so amending the constitution as to extend the tax-exemption to fruit and vines until they come into full bearing.

Sixth. That we demand the passage of an additional section to the political code requiring the supervisors and auditors of the respective counties to publish monthly in a newspaper of general circulation in each county a statement of all the bills and warrants drawn against the county treasuries, specifying to whom, amount and for what service and on what fund said bills are allowed or warrants drawn.

Seventh. That we congratulate our Republican friends upon the evidence of repentance manifested by the adoption of the sixth plank in their late county platform, and only regret that they did not go further and promise to prosecute their official delinquents in a more energetic manner than they have done in the past, and that they would not again promote to the chairmanship of their state campaign committee one of the most conspicuous of the said official delinquents.

Eighth. That as under our form of government those who fill the offices of the various departments of government are first recommended by political parties for those positions, and while incumbents of such places are the representatives of and stand for the party who presented them to the people as its candidates, we therefore charge that the Republican party in this campaign is directly responsible for the fraud, corruption and extravagance which during the past two years has prevailed in every department of our county's government.

Ninth. That a party which has presented to the people of this county a lawmaker who has criminally violated the laws of his state; a judicial officer who has broken the laws which he was elected to enforce; a collector of the people's revenues who has been an unfaithful custodian of their hard earned taxes; an auditor who with his chosen deputies stands charged with having perpetrated the very frauds upon the public funds which his office was created to prevent; an assessor who within the space of one year raised the assessed valuation of county property from the sum of \$37,000,000, the Democratic assessment of 1886, to more than \$100,000,000 by his assessment of 1887, and thereby robbed the taxpayers of the county by compelling them to pay on this overvaluation an amount of state taxes equal to nearly one-tenth of all the taxes paid into the state treasury for the year 1887; a public prosecutor who has failed to secure a single conviction against his fellows in office, whose crimes are the humiliation and disgrace of all the honest people of this county, and a county government as a whole which has increased our taxation and bonded indebtedness from a tax rate of \$1.05 on the \$100, to an assessment of \$37,000,000 and a bonded debt of \$400,000, which marked the rule of the Democratic party in prosperous times, to a rate in 1889 of \$1.80 on the \$100 and an assessed valuation of \$93,000,000 and a bonded indebtedness of \$900,000 in times of financial distress, dull markets and when all the people are overburdened with private debts, has forfeited all right to public confidence as a party organization and the nominees of such party do not merit and ought not to receive the confidence and suffrages of the deceived and tax-burdened citizens of this county.

Tenth. That we pledge ourselves to the absolute economy and reform in all the various departments of the county government.

Eleventh. That we extend our heartfelt sympathy and substantial aid to the oppressed people of Ireland, now being evicted from their homes by greedy landlords in the face of an impending famine.

Twelfth. That we extend a like sympathy and an earnest solemn greeting to the toiling people everywhere and in all occupations, overburdened by a war tariff in time of peace by reckless expenditures of public funds, by fraud and corruption in office, unjust and unequal taxation by the centralization of power into rings and combinations of special privilege by a financial policy that taxes the west to build up the east, that makes the poor poorer and the rich richer, that lowers the wages of labor, makes interest high and money scarce, that empties the public treasury for the rich to pay bonds and interest before they are due, but has no measure of relief for the farmer, the mechanic or the laborer whose mortgages are being foreclosed; and we extend to all such a cordial invitation to unite with us in order that a government of the people, for the people and by the people may not perish from the earth.

On motion of Mr. Guthrie of Los Angeles the report was adopted, as read, unanimously.

At this juncture cries of "Del Valle" were heard all over the house, but before that gentlemen made his appearance, Chairman Patton introduced Hon. Walker C. Graves, of San Francisco, as the "next attorney general of the state."

Mr. Graves, who was very warmly received, then addressed the convention as follows: "Mr. Chairman and gentlemen, I am pleased to meet the Democrats of Los Angeles county in convention assembled, although I am more accustomed to addressing courts and juries than political assemblies. I have hitherto had considerable success with juries, probably because I had them at close range. (Laughter.)

It is my belief that the Democratic party should seek to deserve, rather than to possess offices. And to do that, gentlemen of this convention, the best men must be put up. If we do so, we can well afford to go down in defeat, because when there is any roguery perpetrated, or malfeasance in office, we can say with pride to our opponents that we nominated good men and true, but that they defeated them for rogues. (Loud and prolonged cheers.) This body, I am satisfied, will put up good men whose character, public and private, are such as to defy the most rigid investigation and the bitter attacks of their opponents. Such men will command the respect of their fellows, irrespective of party."

A storm of applause greeted the close of the speaker's remarks, but at the sight of the smiling face of Hon. R. F. De Valle, the convention arose en masse and waving their handkerchiefs and hats in the air, the delegates and spectators alike shrieked themselves hoarse in welcoming the nominee for the lieutenant-governorship of the state.

Chairman Patton rapped with his gavel until his arm ached, but without avail, as the audience paid no attention to him whatever. Finally, when the noise subsided, he said: "Gentlemen of the convention, it is evident that Hon. R. F. De Valle needs no introduction to you." The cheering was renewed, but was promptly suppressed as Mr. De Valle commenced speaking. His address was as follows:

"Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Democratic Convention: I am glad that I was not present when you first called for me, although I am grateful to you for so marked an attention. But had I been present at that time I would not have been so encouraged to speak as I am, now that I have heard the truthful, noble and magnetic platform which has just been read to you."

"It is unnecessary for me to state what the result of the present campaign shall be. The papers throughout the state have said a number of beautiful things about the swollen hand and big heart of the magnetic Mr. Marham, of Pasadena, (laughter), but when the fourth day of November shall have arrived the swollen hand will soon be healed, because in spite of the language of those papers, which is colored by the golden hues of poetic license, he'll go down Salt river, never to return. (Loud cheers and laughter.)

I am convinced that it is written in letters of fire that the present campaign will result in a victory, by a majority of over 10,000, for the Democratic nominee for governor. (Prolonged cheers.) The people of the state prefer a man for that office who has the interests of every section of it, vast as it is, at heart, to the man who relies solely upon his faculty for hypnotizing men, for their votes.

While travelling through this state, during the past two months, I have found people in every county who have said, 'we shall vote for the man who will protect our homes from the ravages of extravagant officials, for the man who has shown his remarkable executive ability by his untarnished reputation as mayor of San Francisco.' (Loud and continued cheers.) Since I left here, gentlemen, to perform my duty as a delegate to the San Jose convention, I have seen Republicans join hand in hand in welcoming Hon. E. B. Pond—(cheers)—and have heard them say, 'We shall vote for you, Mr. Pond, because in your hands, as governor, we know that the affairs of this state will be properly looked after.' (Continued applause.)

"I do not wish to dictate to you, but as a citizen of Los Angeles county, a friend, and a candidate, I wish to impress upon you the necessity of using cool and deliberate judgment in putting your vote on the ticket. Do not let it be dictated by friendship or personal feeling, but let it be dictated by that patriotism which was so marked a feature of the convention held at San Jose. Go slow, and you will receive the endorsement of every untied voter in the county, as sure as that the fourth of November shall arrive."

A tremendous burst of applause greeted the close of the speaker's address, and the building fairly trembled with enthusiasm.

The business of collecting the \$1 assessment from each candidate was then proceeded with.

Chairman Patton then announced that the next order of business was the matter of nominating four candidates for the offices of superior judges.

J. W. Swanwick of the Fourth ward moved that the matter be passed for the present and placed after No. 13 on the order of business, for the purpose of allowing the delegates time in which to consider this very important matter. He was greeted with loud cries of "No! No!" from various parts of the house.

Delegate-at-large J. DeBarth Shorb trusted that the convention would bear with him for a few moments. He knew whereof he spoke, when he said that there were great and important reasons which they did not care to publish abroad to the enemy, why this matter should be passed. He hoped therefore that no objections would be raised to this course.

Mr. Bragg of Compton, seconded the motion as one of the committee on order of business, as did also Judge J. T. Bearden, and Judge J. C. Morgan.

F. B. Culver of the Second ward moved as an amendment that the vote by which the report of the committee on order of business had been adopted be reconsidered and then amended in accordance with the former motion.

Mr. Swanwick rose to a point of order and stated that such action was not necessary, as all that was asked was that the matter be passed. The chairman ruled the point well taken, and the original motion being put to the house, carried unanimously.

Chairman Patton then announced that the next order of business was the matter of nominating a man for the office of district attorney.

W. Adcock, of University, endeavored to introduce the "secret ballot" system, but he was yelled down by the whole convention.

Fred Harkness, of the Fifth ward, then arose and placed in nomination Hon. M. E. C. Munday, in the following words: "Mr. Chairman, and Gentlemen of this Democratic convention: I desire to place in nomination for the important office of district attorney, a gentleman of distinguished ability and great popularity, and one eminently qualified to fill the position. He is the peer of any attorney practicing at the bar of this or any other county in the state. He is not only learned in the law, for he will bring with him an experience bought by his practice in the state for over fifteen years; but he is a gentleman of shrewdness, ability, and fairness.

Gentlemen of this convention, Hon. M. E. C. Munday (loud and prolonged cheers) was born in this state of California, and has represented his native state in the halls of its legislature. Like such men as Hon. J. V. Coleman (cheers) and Hon. R. F. De Valle, (cheers and yells) he was always to be found voting for the rights of his fellow men. We pledge ourselves, if Mr. Munday is elected, that the county will not be called upon to expend any money in procuring assistance in prosecuting its cases, (laughter) and if you nominate him, gentlemen, he will certainly be elected on November fourth."

Judge J. C. Morgan, of Santa Monica, seconded the nomination of Mr. Munday.

C. Hannon, of El Monte, caused considerable merriment in seconding the nomination, by saying, "he's a lawyer, and he'll be the first one we've had in that office since Steve White left it."

Col. J. J. Ayers then placed in nomination for district attorney the name of J. Marion Brooks, as follows: "Gentlemen: I ask your attention for a few moments while I place in nomination for district attorney a gentleman who has been a white horse in the Democratic party, a lawyer of recognized ability, and one who has served his state in its senate, a man of solid personal worth, who, if elected, will prosecute not only the criminal in rags but criminals in all ranks of life. I have known him since his years of adolescence, and his manhood has always been a feature of his character. I take great pleasure in placing in nomination the name of J. Marion Brooks."

Judge Richard Dunningan, in seconding the nomination of Mr. Munday, said he did so as a tax payer, in view of the fact that it cost the county \$30,000 to maintain the office under Frank P. Kelly's present administration.

H. M. Mitchell of Glendale also seconded the nomination of Mr. Munday, and stated that there had not been a man in that office who had done his duty since the last Democrat left it.

Delegate Sherman, of Pomona, in an eloquent address, nominated W. F. Heathman, of Los Angeles, eulogizing him as a man of judgment and thoroughly competent to hold the office of district attorney.

Richard Dunningan seconded the nomination of Mr. Heathman.

M. W. Conkling, of the Seventh ward, seconded the nomination of Mr. Munday.

H. J. A. Sturh seconded the nomination of J. Marion Brooks.

J. DeBarth Shorb, in seconding the nomination of Mr. Munday, said that he was the acknowledged leader of the legislature at a time when sacks of money as high as \$5,000 were being passed around, but he never swerved from the cause of the people.

On motion of Chris. L. Hargitt the nominations were then closed, and the candidates were requested to come forward and deposit their \$5 fees. Loud cheers greeted Mr. Munday, who was the first to appear on the stage. He eloquently addressed the convention at some length, and after stating that he had had some little experience in both practicing and making laws, he promised that if elected the board of supervisors should not have to go to his office to get other talent. He was unpledged to a single man for a deputyship. His deputy must be a lawyer and one of experience. He did not want any boys to practice in an office of that kind. It was too important to be trusted to apprentices.

J. Marion Brooks said he felt proud to stand with such worthy competitors as the other nominees before the convention, and he promised to investigate the court house steal, and to run the office for half what it cost the county today. He knew the duties of the office and knew he could fill it with credit to the party and himself.

W. F. Heathman said that in his opinion to be district attorney of the imperial county of Los Angeles was only second to the governorship of the state. He would, if elected, be no respecter of persons, and he would not have a hundredth of the law at criminals of all classes alike, as a brave and fearless man.

At 4:35 o'clock, Chairman Patton having appointed W. Wotkins of Pasadena and M. C. Marsh of Los Angeles as tellers, the roll was called, the chairman of each delegation announcing the vote of his precinct. It was evident from the start that both country and city were almost solid for Munday, and before the vote was announced Mr. Brooks seconded by W. F. Heathman, moved that Mr. Munday's nomination be declared unanimous by acclamation, and it was so ordered.

The vote was as follows: M. E. C. Munday 259. J. M. Brooks 26. W. F. Heathman 10. Total vote cast 295, necessary for a choice of 148.

Mr. Munday was called for repeatedly, but refused to make another speech on the ground that it would be trespassing upon the time of the convention.

Chairman Patton then read the following despatch which had just been handed to him by Delegate-at-large Shorb, from State Controller Dunn: "To Hon. J. DeBarth Shorb: The total amount for 1884, 1885 and 1886 was \$559,164.04; for 1887, 1888, and 1889 the amount was \$1,512,887.35. This refers to the tax on property only, not poll tax, or interest on lands. Orange county paid in last year \$52,301.43."

It was received by enthusiastic cheering.

The next order of business, that of nominating candidates for the office of county superintendent of public schools, was then announced.

Calvin Edgerton, of Vernon, placed in nomination James N. Pemberton of that place, in a short but eloquent speech, in which he eulogized the nominee as a man who had devoted his whole life-time to the profession of teaching.

Harry W. Patton, of Garvanza, placed in nomination Chas. P. Lantz, of Los Angeles, in an equally eloquent speech, in which he stated that if nominated his nominee would strengthen the ticket because all the young men would vote for him.

M. A. Hungerford, of Artesia, in seconding the nomination of Mr. Pemberton, characterized him as one of the most successful educators of the county.

J. H. Brewer of Vernon, in warm words seconded Mr. Pemberton's nomination. He announced that Mr. Pemberton was at work at his school, but would make his address as soon as he arrived.

I. H. Dockweiler of the Third ward seconded the nomination of Mr. Lantz, and on motion the nominations were then closed.

None of the candidates being present, their friends were permitted to pay their fees, and the roll call was proceeded with.

At five o'clock, just as Secretary Stephens commenced to call the roll of the city delegation, he was interrupted by H. W. Patton, who on behalf of Mr. Lantz moved that Mr. Pemberton's nomination be made unanimous by acclamation. It was so ordered.

The vote at that time stood: J. N. Pemberton, 158. C. P. Lantz, 17.

It being after five o'clock, Fred Harkness moved to adjourn until 7:30 o'clock p. m. Richard Dunningan moved as an amendment that an adjournment be had until 9:30 o'clock this morning. Cries of "No! no!" greeted the amendment from the country side of the house, and on being put the motion was voted down by a large majority. The original motion then prevailed and the meeting adjourned until 7:30 o'clock.

The Evening Session. The lobby and the gallery were filled last night to overflowing, so much so that many people could hardly find standing room. There must have been at least one-third more spectators than at any of the most exciting moments of the meeting of the delegates of the g. o. p. At 7:30 p. m. Chairman Patton called the convention to order, and announced that as there were ladies present no smoking could be allowed. Nominating speeches, he stated, should, under the rules adopted, be restricted to five minutes.

Mr. Bullis, of Lynwood, moved that all assessments paid in by delegates should be turned over to the county Democratic central committee and that the sergeants-at-arms be paid \$2.50 a day.

An amendment was offered to this motion that the sergeants be paid \$5 a day. Mr. Bullis again objected and he was almost hooted down.

Mr. Brewer, who supported Mr. Bullis, was not kindly received. Either at that time or later he wanted to be heard on the question pro and con. The matter was laid on the table on a motion of Delegate Crisp, of Pasadena, and ordered referred to the proper committee.

Mr. Furlong, of Pasadena, nominated W. U. Masters for the candidacy of county clerk. J. DeBarth Shorb warmly seconded it and suggested that it be made unanimous. The question being called Mr. Masters was nominated amidst the wildest cheering.

This favored candidate said that the Republican party was willing to endorse anything from their political platform to a piece of commercial paper. He appreciated the great honor done him in this nomination by a nomination made by acclamation. He believed he had the ability to transact the business of the office, and if it was guaranteed that it would be performed to the satisfaction of his supporters, and he could say no more.

The next nomination was that of sheriff. J. H. Dockweiler, of Los Angeles, opened up his nominating speech for Ed Gibson of El Monte, with that splendid quotation from Shakespeare: "There is a tide in the affairs of man, which, taken at the flood, leads on to fortune; Ourselves and our fortunes are then on a very fine address in favor of his candidate, and received hearty cheers when the name was announced. He paid Mr. Gibson a handsome compliment for his honest services while in the employment of the internal revenue department. He was confident that Mr. Gibson would on the 4th of November be the choice of the people of this county."

Mr. A. McNally, who had heretofore been announced as a possible candidate for the sheriffship, fervidly seconded the nomination of Gibson, and moved that it be made by acclamation. This was done, amid yells indicative of the good feeling there was entertained for Mr. Gibson, in the convention and the gallery. The successful nominee thanked the delegates for their kindness in a few brief and well chosen expressions. For county treasurer Delegate T. E. Gibson, in a speech which showed the amount of Republican corruption in public offices, nominated Dr. Joseph Kurtz.

His candidate, he said, was a man who was worthy of the public trust. He had been here for twenty-one years and the utterances of the speaker, he believed, anyone could easily discern to be the absolute truth.

Mr. Dillon, of Cerritos, seconded the nomination of the candidate. On motion the nomination was made unanimous.

The popular physician being called upon for a little speech, said that he had prepared it very carefully, but unfortunately had left it in his office. He thanked the convention for their confidence in nominating him as the keeper of the county funds. The speaker said he wore no man's collar, and if entrusted with the county funds he would guard them as they should be.

J. DeBarth Shorb nominated G. L. Grider for county recorder. Dr. E. A. Brunson and several other delegates seconded the nomination.

Dr. Metcalfe of Azusa nominated J. H. Dodson of San Pedro, whose nomination was seconded by Judge R. A. Ling and Todd Hunter, the delegate of Norwalk. A number of other members of the convention spoke in favor of Mr. Dodson, and the nominations were then closed. Both candidates promised that they would do their whole duty to the people if either of them secured the nomination and eventually the office.

Mr. Grider obtained the nomination, receiving 153 votes, Mr. Dodson securing 144. On motion the nomination of Mr. Grider was made unanimous. Mr. Pemberton of Vernon, candidate for superintendent of schools, who is a teacher, stated that as he was unable to attend the convention. He promised to do his duty faithfully if he was elected.

A communication was read by the secretary from Russell J. Wilson, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, and Irwin C. Stump, chairman of the Republican state central committee, stating that an agreement had been made between them that registration should cease in all counties where registration had been ordered on the night of the 18th of this month at 12 o'clock, and that in counties where re-registration has not been ordered, shall cease on the night of Saturday, October 4th, at 12 o'clock. This agreement does not apply to San Francisco.

The convention then adjourned to meet again this morning at 10 o'clock.

Seventy-Eighth Assembly District. A meeting of delegates from the Seventy-eighth assembly district, to select delegates to the convention to be held at Anaheim for the nomination of a candidate for the assembly next Tuesday, was held at the noon recess. E. Hicklin, of Pomona, was made chairman and R. N. Loucks, of Pomona, secretary. The following delegates were chosen:

Artesia, E. Courtland; Claremont, W. J. Kessler; Downey, Charles E. Smith; J. M. Pitts, J. W. Fox; Long Beach, Matthew Pickles; Lordsburg, Joseph Overman; Los Nietos, Max Schwed, B. Guirado; Rivera, H. L. Montgomery, J. J. McClellan; Rowland, W. R. Rowland; Spadra, K. H. Dorsey; Norwalk, L. W. Houghton, W. C. Sprout; Whittier, S. B. Lane; Pomona, G. Mirande, E. Hicklin, W. D. Morton, E. N. Loucks; Cerritos, H. C. Dillon.

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Mr. Lacy walked on, and Mr. Polaski said: "Seriously that is the fact. You know the new tariff schedule puts a very heavy duty on fine imported goods. We are handling a great many of the very finest brands made. By the new schedule their cost will be much increased. So we have laid in this enormous supply in order to accommodate our customers as long as possible at former prices."

The reporter remarked: "But you seem to have laid in really a very large number of cigars."

"Yes," said Mr. Polaski, "it is a large amount to buy at one time. We have purchased at this time 50,000 cigars, all of them of the very best imported brands. The tariff is highest on the best qualities of tobacco and cigars, and our custom runs largely on these."

"You see here the marks on those boxes. Here are three brands that represent most of the invoice. They are prime favorites here with our smokers, who know their merits. There are the Aristocratic, the Virginia and the Webster. We sell a great many of these high class goods to a long list of customers. They are high priced cigars at best, and the new tariff will make them dearer. So what we propose to do is to let our trade have these brands to which they are so partial at the same cost as heretofore, while this invoice may last."

Thus enlightened the Democratic reporter passed on to meditations on the tariff question, and how he would be able to continue to smoke unless his salary was raised.

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