



REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

A Republican State Convention for the state of Minnesota will be held on Wednesday, May 10, 1888, in Market Hall, in the city of St. Paul, Minn., at 10 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing delegates at large, and four alternates to the National Republican Convention to be held June 19, 1888, and for the nomination of seven Republican Presidential Electors and an equal number of alternate electors; and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

Table listing names and counts for the Republican State Convention delegates.

St. Paul, Minn., March 29, 1888. JOHN S. PILL-BURY, Chairman.

Chief Justice Waite died on Friday last at his home in Washington and will be buried today at Toledo, Ohio, his former home. Mr. Waite was a prominent lawyer of Toledo at the time the Geneva Commission was appointed, and he was fortunate enough to be chosen one of the attorneys to represent this country, along with Wm. M. Evarts. He made his mark, and it was so deep, when Chief Justice Chase died, Columbus Delano, then Postmaster General and a friend of Mr. Waite, suggested his name to the President and he was sooner said than done. A local lawyer was suddenly lifted to the highest judicial position in America. This is a bit of history familiar to Toledoans.

The St. Paul Globe, in an article on the candidacy of Judge Gresham, says that the discussion is fruitless, as the next President is already selected. This is very doubtful. Cleveland was elected before by the aid of mugwumps and disgraced Republicans, and what has he done to hold the support of this element, or draw to him the tens of thousands of men of all parties who are sick of the class legislation, and the hundred and one unconstitutional acts of the Republicans? What has Cleveland done to enforce Civil or "Snivel" service? What has Cleveland done to correct the abuses of the Postal Service? Is not the system of espionage, and of unconstitutional interference with active under Cleveland as under the Republicans? Is not inefficiency and corruption in the Postal Service greater than under Republican rule? What has Democracy done to remove from the statute books that infernal "Blue Law," that Man-Trap, set by bigotry to catch and strangle free speech and free press, known as the Comstock Postal Law.

The printers and stationers throughout the country are up in arms against the attempt of the government to establish a monopoly of the business of furnishing envelopes to private citizens. The government not only furnishes stamped envelopes, to which there is less objection, but it undertakes to print thereon the card of the sender, and it is thus building up a gigantic monopoly of this branch of the printing business which is driving out all private manufacturers. It is no legitimate part of the functions of the government to go into the printing business.—Pioneer Press.

It has taken the printers and stationers a long time to find it out. The ADVANCE has been "up in arms" frequently on this very matter for years, but the thunder has been too remote to reach the government. Now, if it begins to thunder all around the sky, something may be done to stop this gigantic monopoly.

Rev. M. Schneider, a Lutheran minister of Cottonwood Co., has been arrested on a charge of being the father of an unborn child, the mother being Mrs. Mary Rupp, whose husband has been in the insane asylum.

COUNTY NEWS.

ELK. Spring don't continue to advance worth a cent. Some have been hunting for help to wear at the weather.

A family from Ill. has moved into Mr. Brown's house, and Mr. Brown will move into Worthington.

Mrs. Estes was so unfortunate as to be taken down with the measles after the rest of the family had recovered from them.

Diat. No. 6 had, among its numerous applications for the summer school, one from Central Illinois.

Those who have been claiming, for sometime, that spring was coming, must be gifted with a greater power of seeing into the future than usually falls to the lot of mortal.

Mr. Coullage spent last week on his farm helping his tenant, Mr. Kindall, to get ready for spring work and fix up generally.

Mrs. E. C. Ward's family have recovered from the measles.

Mr. Foster daughter Lydia left school at Worthington and returned home to stay on account of the measles.

Thomas Watson finished his engagement with Mr. Bond in Lorain and returned home to be ready for school.

People are lured to speak of the ground hog as Vanderbilts of the public.

DEWALD. Winter seems to be lingering in the lap of spring.

Minor arrival at Frank Suedberg's, a boy, Thomas Little, age 10, who is about two months old now.

The prominent citizen that left this neighborhood some time ago on account of a scandal that he got into with, has been heard from.

There was a merry festival at Chas. Suedberg's last Friday night for the benefit of Rev. J. W. Lewis. There were fifty thirty present, \$62 was the amount realized. They had a very pleasant time, as guests always do at Mr. Suedberg's.

GRAHAM LAKES. Miss Minnie Livingston, of St. Peter, closed her school in District No. 4 March 23rd, on account of 5 months. No-with-standing blizzards, snow storms, drifts and cold weather, only a half day was lost during the whole term. Miss Livingston has given entire satisfaction.

ROUND LAKE STATION. If you hear of a good blacksmith who wants a good location, send him to Round Lake Station, Minn., where a good living room attached for small family, for sale cheap on easy terms, or very large tract. Lot will be given away when shed has been operated one year.

O. S. Jones took in cattle and distributed about 100 lbs. recently.

Miss Lillie has engaged to teach the school in Blue Jay district.

Miss Cora Johnson teaches in Wm. Moshier's district.

The entertainment Saturday night, the 17th, was a complete success. The unanimous verdict was, "a good play, well rendered." Do so again.

Mr. Moshier went to Minneapolis Friday, the 16th, for treatment of his eyes.

Miss Minnie Dege Sunday in the burg.

A. M. Watson has rented "Hill" Barrett's place and has moved his family there.

LORAIN. One week more of school in District No. 47 if the weather holds good.

Wm. Travis, of Adrian, has been visiting his uncle, R. Smith.

The wild geese laid up last week owing to the lack of food.

Jackson Thayer has the hay presser at his place again.

Literary Society meets every Friday night at the school house. Question next Friday, "Who was the greater man, Washington or Lincoln?" Come everybody.

UNION LABOR PARTY.

PREAMBLE AND PLATFORM. The delegates of various industrial and reform political organizations have assembled from thirty-one States and Territories on this anniversary of the birth of "The Father of His Country," to view the situation of public affairs and advise proper action.

A general discontent prevails on the part of the wealth-producers; farmers are suffering from a poverty which has forced most of them to mortgage their estates, and prices of products are so low as to offer no relief except through bankruptcy. Laborers are sinking into greater and greater dependence upon the wealthy class.

Business men find collections almost impossible, meantime hundreds of millions of idle public money, which is needed for relief is locked up in the United States Treasury in idle hoards.

The distress, land monopoly flourishes as never before, and more and more owners of the soil are daily becoming tenants. Great trusts and corporations still succeed in exorbitating their profits upon watered stock through unjust charges.

The United States Senate has become an open scandal, its seats being purchased by the rich in open defiance of the popular will.

A trifling fisheries dispute is seized upon as an excuse for squandering public money upon unnecessary military preparations which are designed to breed a spirit of war to avenge national despotism, and to empty the Treasury without paying the public debt.

Under these and other alarming conditions we appeal to the patriotic organizations who are to come out of the old organizations whose indifference to the public welfare is responsible for this distress, and help us to organize a new political party not sectional, not national, which shall be called the Union Labor party, whose object shall be to repeal all class laws in favor of the rich and to relieve the rest of the people by establishing the following principles:

LAND. Every human being possesses a natural inalienable right to sufficient land for self support, and we desire to secure to every industrious citizen a home, as is the highest result of free institutions. To this end we demand a graduated land tax on all unearned land grants; the immediate opening of Oklahoma to homestead settlement; the purchase of all unoccupied Indian lands, and the settlement of the various tribes upon lands in severalty; also laws preventing corporations from acquiring real estate beyond the requirements of their business, and the ownership of land.

The system of irrigation in States and Territories, where necessary, shall be under such public control as shall secure the free and equitable use of the water and franchises to the people.

TRANSPORTATION. The means of communication and transportation should be owned or controlled by the people, as is the postal service, and equitable rates everywhere established.

MONEY. The establishment of a national monetary system in the interest of the producer, instead of the speculator and user, by which a circulating medium in necessary quantity and full legal tender shall be issued directly to the people, without the intervention of banks, or loaned to citizens upon ample security at a low rate of interest to relieve them from the extortions of usury, and enable them to control the money supply. Postal savings banks should be established. While we have free coinage of gold, we should have free coinage of silver. We demand the prompt payment of the national debt, and condemn the further issue of interest-bearing bonds, either by the National Government, or by the States, Territories, counties, or municipalities.

LABOR. Arbitration should take the place of strikes and other injurious methods of settling labor disputes; the letting of contracts by labor to contractors should be abolished; the contract system be abolished in public works; the hours of labor in industrial establishments be reduced, and the contract system be abolished; production in labor-saving machinery; employees be protected from bodily injury; equal pay being given for equal work to both sexes, and labor, agricultural and co-operative associations be fostered and incorporated by law.

The foundation of a Republic is the franchise of its citizens; the rights of who are driven into workshops, mines and factories, are deprived of education which should be secured to all by proper legislation. We demand labor organizations extended throughout all civilized countries until it shall be impossible for despots to array the workmen of one country against their brothers of another country.

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS. In appreciation of the services of United States soldiers and sailors, we demand for their justice be charity. The purposely depreciated money paid them during the war should be equal in value to the gold in the hands of the holders. The soldier was promised coin or its equivalent, and paid in depreciated paper. The bondholder loaned and contracted to take it back but was paid in gold.

INCOME TAX. A graded income tax is the most equitable system of taxation, placing the burden of Government on those who can best afford to pay, instead of laying it on the farmers and producers, and exempting millionaire bondholders and corporations.

U. S. SENATE. The capture of the United States Senate by millionaires and tools of corporations who have no sympathy with free institutions, threatens the very existence of the Republic. We demand a constitutional amendment making United States Senators elective by a direct vote of the people.

CHINESE. State and National laws should be passed as shall effectively exclude from America the Mongolian slave and Asiatic competition.

ARMED MEN. The employment of bodies of armed men by private corporations should be prohibited.

EQUALITY. The right to vote is inherent in citizenship, irrespective of sex.

TEMPERANCE. Excessive wealth, resulting in luxury and idleness on the one hand, excessive toil and poverty on the other, leads to intemperance and vice. The measure of reform here demanded will prove to be the scientific solution of the temperance question.

CASARA for Infants and Children. Contains iron and copper to children that is recommended as well adapted to any prescription known to the medical profession.

WHOLESALE BAKING POWDER. THE OHIO STATE FOOD COMMISSION. ANALYSIS OF THE CHEF BRANDS IN THE MARKET—THEIR STRENGTH AND VALUE AS CERTAINED.

Table listing various baking powder brands and their analysis results.

W. D. Hoyt & Co., Wholesale and Retail Druggists of St. Paul, Minn., say: We have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters and Bucklen's Arnica Salve for two years. Have never handled remedies that sell as well or give such universal satisfaction. There have been some wonderful cures effected in this city. Several cases of pronounced consumption have been entirely cured by use of a few bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, taken in connection with Electric Bitter. We guarantee them always. Sold by U. V. Smith.

Pipestone voted "no license" last week. At Windsor the vote was a tie; at the same time the "no license" candidates were defeated two to one.—St. James Journal.

Here the vote was against license, but the prohibition ticket was defeated and the so-called "whiskey" ticket was elected. The people are not willing to trust the prohibitionists to manage their affairs. Besides, the prohibition ticket was looked upon as a sort of church affair, there being only five Methodists in it.

For lame back, side or chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25.

SHILOH'S COUGH AND CONSUMPTION CURE IS SOLD BY A GUARANTEE. It cures Consumption.

SHILOH'S VITALIZER is what you need for Constipation, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness, and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10c and 75cents per bottle.

CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH and BRONCHITIS immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. For sale at Barber's, 1

TO THE PUBLIC. Believing that the prospects of the village of WORTHINGTON Warranted it, the MINNESOTA LOAN & INVESTMENT COMPANY has bought 110 acres of the CLARY ADDITION

To the village of Worthington. LOTS to Suit Purchasers. We shall at once proceed to open up streets and lay out in lots. The lots will be offered for sale at reasonable figures on MONTHLY PAYMENTS. Certain lots will be GIVEN TO PERSONS who will erect suitable buildings thereon. The growth of the village in that direction will make it a desirable place for residences. Now is Your Opportunity to Secure a Home.

Minnesota Loan and Investment COMPANY. Capital Paid up, \$100,000. GEORGE D. DAYTON—President. J. P. MOULTON—Vice President. GEORGE O. MOORE—Secretary. GEORGE W. WILSON—Counsel.

BANK OF WORTHINGTON. GEO. D. DAYTON & CO., Bankers. Does a General Banking Business; Buys and Sells Exchange; Receives Deposits subject to Call. Has the Agency of some of the BEST FIRE and LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES.

A MAN UNACQUAINTED WITH THE GEOGRAPHY OF THE COUNTRY, WILL OBTAIN MUCH VALUABLE INFORMATION FROM A STUDY OF THIS MAP OF THE CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC R.R.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure. The power never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds and cannot be sold in competition with the bulk of low test flour which is adulterated with cheap and inferior grades of flour.

HUMPHREYS' HOMEOPATHIC SPECIFICS. CITY MEAT MARKET. HURD & DeWOLF. Fish and Game in Season. Try the New Market. Park Restaurant. THOS GRIFFIN, CONTRACTOR and BUILDER.