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REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

CYNTHIANA, KY., April 24th.

To the Republican Voters of the Ninth District: In obedience to instructions of the District Republican Committee of the Ninth Congressional District which met at St. Charles, Mo., in Maysville on the 20th day of March, 1900, the Committee directs that a Convention of delegated representatives of the Republican party be held at the city of Ashland on Wednesday, May 23, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress in said District, and also to elect two Delegates and two Alternates to represent the District at the National Republican Convention to be held at the city of Philadelphia on Tuesday, June 19th, 1900, for the purpose of nominating candidates for President and Vice-President to be voted for at the Presidential election Tuesday, November 6th, 1900.

It was ordered by the Committee that the Chairman of the Republican Executive Committees in all counties comprising the Ninth Congressional District call Precinct mass-meetings, and that mass-meetings be held in the various Precincts of the respective counties on Saturday, April 21st, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting a Committeeman for each Precinct, and the Committeemen elected on the said 21st day of April are requested to meet at their county seats on Saturday, the 28th day of April, at 1 o'clock p. m., and organize the County Committee by electing a Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer, who may or may not be members of the Committee. These Committeemen shall hold their offices for the term of four years.

On the same day, April 24th, at 2 o'clock p. m., Mass Conventions will be held for the purpose of electing Delegates to the District Convention which meets at Ashland on Wednesday, May 23, 1900. Delegates to be selected on the basis of one Delegate for each 100 votes or fraction over 50 cast for McKinley, and also Delegates to the State Convention which meets at Louisville May 17th, 1900, for the purpose of electing four Delegates from the state-at-large.

On motion the Committee adjourned to meet at Ashland May 24, 1900, at 2 p. m. J. S. HUFF, Chairman Ninth District. C. G. McAllister, Secretary.

Good morning; have you been indicted?

It might be well for Hon. SAM J. PUGH to ascertain whether CHARLIE POYNTEZ will permit him to serve in Congress if he should be renominated and elected.

The Goebelites of the present Legislature having given it out that they will not repeal the Goebel Law, nothing is left but the passage by Congress of a Federal Election Law that shall be strictly non-partisan and applicable alike to every state in the Union. No honest man will oppose a law that is just to all sides.

If General GRANT had been President of the United States he wouldn't have done anything rash; but when the conspirators began their infamous work in Kentucky he would have put his foot down with an emphasis that they would have fully understood. Nor would he have permitted the theft of Uncle Sam's guns by insubordinate state militiamen.

It will be remembered that Mr. W. L. HAZELIP, Steward of Lakeland Asylum, was arrested and thrown into Jail, charged with the murder of GOEBEL. The arrest was based upon evidence of the same cock-and-bull character that obtained in the cases of the other "suspects." And now comes the Grand Jury of Franklin county and dismisses the case against him. What a pity there isn't some responsible person behind this villainous proceeding that could be made to "sweat" for the outrage.

DURING the War with Spain, for which our preparations were hurriedly made, the Democrats complained that our transport service was inferior, and their sympathy for the soldiers was permitted to work overtime. But a few days ago a Democratic member of Congress from New York took the floor to complain that extravagance was being practiced in the construction and equipment of our army transports. The Democratic donkey doesn't stay hitched to one side of a question any great length of time.

SPEAKING of the high-handed proceedings of the conspirators at Frankfort in indicting Republican state officials, The Times-Star draws these conclusions—

"Kentuckians were famous at one time as lovers of fair play. They have lost their love, for they submit without protesting word or action against the exertion of power and force at Frankfort that is conspicuous for the utter absence of candor, honesty and impartiality. No man is safe from accusation of implication in one of the gravest crimes known. The most pernicious conspiracy in American history is permitted to flourish without voice or hand raised in effective protest. The placidity of the people should give way to aggressive action, otherwise Kentuckians will deserve the contempt in which they are held by press and people throughout the Union."

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THE Goebel Law is the most fitting monument that GOEBEL could have.

Mr. MACRUM, former Consul to Pretoria, has been withdrawn from circulation as a Democratic campaign card.

THE Pennsylvania Democrats have declared for Mr. BRYAN, but they are silent on the gentleman's 16 to 1 hobby.

SECRETARY LONG has started the ire of the Democratic Editors by using the scalpel on several of their pet campaign yarns.

SOME time ago an esteemed Goebelite contemporary was panting for information. He wanted to know, you know, where any Republican Judge in a political issue had ever decided the law in favor of a Democrat. He will now please roll up his pants and take a look at Judges GUFFY and BURNAM.

HOWEVER, there can be no serious objection to Admiral DEWEY sailing into Bryanism.

How the Democratic Editors nurse a labor disagreement in the hopes of making a strike of it.

THE Southern section of Bryanism is now experiencing an unpleasant attack of 10-cent cotton.

IN preparing his speeches for this year, Mr. BRYAN will have to exercise rare care in order to avoid collisions with his predictions of 1896.

INDICT Governor TAYLOR? Why, certainly. What right had the people of Kentucky to elect him their Governor, when GOEBEL had laid all his plans to fill that office? And what right has a Republican in Kentucky, anyhow, except the right to pay taxes—and die?

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KENTUCKY FLASHES.

METHOD IN HIS MADNESS.

An Insane Prisoner, Heavily Handcuffed, Escapes From the Officers En Route to the Asylum.

Winchester, Ky., April 23.—Matt Young, who was arrested a short time ago by Sheriff Henry Braughton, of Bell county, and put in jail at Pineville on the charge of breaking into a store at Bird, suddenly became violently insane and was ordered to the asylum at Lexington. The sheriff and his deputy, J. J. Durham, started to Lexington with the prisoner.

While changing cars at Winchester Young escaped, and though doubly handcuffed, outran his pursuers, scaling fences and crossing lots with the agility and speed of a grayhound. Later he was found about six miles from town and retaken. He had in some manner procured a file, and when discovered was busy trying to remove his shackles.

Suits May Be Dropped.

Frankfort, Ky., April 23.—The case of Stenographer Alonzo Walker, of Louisville, vs. Gov. Taylor et al., growing out of the alleged false imprisonment during the excitement following the Goebel assassination, was continued in the circuit court until the next term. The defendants were sued for \$50,000 each. It is understood that the suits are to be dropped.

Assets Almost Nothing.

Louisville, Ky., April 23.—W. J. Winter, giving his occupation as selling agent for the Blanke Tea Co., of St. Louis, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States clerk's office here. His unsecured debts amount to \$25,810, and the schedule gives his assets as only \$30 worth of clothing and \$10 worth of books.

Political Troubles Driving Our Capital.

Lexington, Ky., April 23.—City Auditor L. E. Pierce, of this place, has given out a letter from Cincinnati capitalists who decline to locate a steam heating plant in Lexington because of the political troubles. They also declare they will withdraw their similar ventures at other points in the state.

Killed By a Live Wire.

Lexington, Ky., April 23.—Charles Howard, a Negro, aged 15 years, was killed here by taking hold of a live wire. Howard and some of his friends were discussing as to whether or not the wire by which the arc light is raised and lowered was charged, and, to settle the dispute, Howard took hold of it.

Dogs Among the Sheep.

Perryville, Ky., April 23.—Dogs have been making destructive nocturnal raids on the farmers' sheep, the losses aggregating hundreds of dollars. J. W. Broyles is the latest victim, with a loss of more than \$100 in a single night.

May Be There in June.

Paducah, Ky., April 23.—A letter from Congressman Wheeler encloses a letter from Adm. Dewey expressing regret at not being able to visit Paducah in May, but he may come June 10, when he goes to Milwaukee.

Veteran Banker Drops Dead.

Louisville, Ky., April 23.—Joseph W. Nichols, cashier of the Southern National bank, and for 30 years engaged in banking in Louisville, dropped dead at his home.

Thomson Hanged Him It.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., April 23.—William Thomas, aged 50 years, committed suicide while his family was at church. He became despondent on account of ill health.

An Ultimatum to the Railroads.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 23.—The city administration will send to the railroad companies entering here notice that within 30 days work must begin on the elevation of the tracks, as provided for by ordinance passed in August, and which required work to begin April 1 and be completed September 1, 1901. Unless the work begins as ordered, the city will bring suit against the companies, as provided for in the penalty clause of the ordinance. No company has as yet prepared any plans for the work.

Despondent Man Kills Himself.

Columbus, O., April 23.—J. W. Fisher, a real estate and stone dealer of Harrisburg, this county, was found dead in his room at the Park hotel. He had taken poison during the preceding night. Recently Fisher had filed a petition in bankruptcy and had been noticeably despondent for several days, having come from Harrisburg early last week. He was 37 years of age and married. No explanations were left as to the direct cause for the action.

Insurance Man Suicides.

Columbus, O., April 23.—W. D. Armstrong, formerly employed by the Prudential Life Insurance Co., committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart in his apartments on North Water street. Armstrong was married, but had been living apart from his wife for several years. The dead man lost his position with the company in February last, and since had been without employment.

Receipts of the Cuban Treasury.

Washington, April 23.—The division of customs and insular affairs of the war department made public the statement that the total receipts of the Cuban treasury for the month of March, 1900, were \$1,678,669.

Fence Wire Reduced.

Youngstown, O., April 23.—Local dealers in wire products received notice from the steel wire trust of a reduction of nearly \$1 on nails and 50 cents per 100 pounds on fence wire.

A strange disease is killing cattle in some parts of Harrison county. A Mr. Barnes of the Connersville neighborhood lost three milch cows in two days, and many others have had cattle to die of the same disease, which is contagious.

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