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LOYAL TO MONTANA!

THE MONTANA DELEGATES WALK OUT OF THE NATIONAL CONVENTION.

BUTTE, Montana, June 19—[Special Dispatch to the Madisonian.]—The speech of Teller in behalf of silver yesterday was a brilliant effort. Hartman walked out with Teller, Dubois, Cannon and others. Mantle, Marshall, Carter, Metzler and Dallman, who took Hartman's place as alternate remained. Strevel voted for McKinley. Four voted blanks. Metzler voted for Cameron and then left convention. After the ballot for President, all Montana delegates but Strevel left the hall and did not return. Their reason for staying during ballot was to keep Goddard and other McKinleyites out of seats. All have agreed to support Teller for the nomination by the combined silver forces. Senator Mantle made brilliant speech announcing that Montanans could not endorse McKinley or the platform. Governor Rickards agrees with Montana delegates. The delegations from Colorado, Idaho, Utah, Nevada, with a few exceptions, went out with the Montana delegation.

THE ROLL OF HONOR.

Some of the Men Who Stood True to the White Metal.

The men who had the courage to stand by their convictions at yesterday's convention are: Henry M. Teller, F. C. Goudy, J. W. Rockefeller, J. M. Downing, A. M. Stevenson, J. F. Vivian, C. J. Hart, and C. H. Brickstein.

From Idaho: F. T. Dubois, W. S. Sweet, Price Haley, A. B. Campbell, B. F. Rich and Alexander Robinson.

From Nevada: A. C. Cleveland, Enoch Strother, J. B. Overton, and W. D. Phillips, leaving C. H. Sproule and G. F. Turner in their seats.

From Utah: F. J. Cannon, Clarence Allen and Thomas Kearns.

From South Dakota: R. F. Pettigrew.

From Montana: Charles F. Hartman, Thomas H. Carter, Lee Mantle, Alex Metzler, Tom C. Marshal.

ON THE FIRST BALLOT.

The Best Gold Cug of Ohio Was Nominated

McKinley was nominated on the first ballot. The total stood McKinley 601; Reed 84; Morton 58; Quay 61; Allison 35.

Hobart, of New Jersey, was nominated for vice-president on the first ballot.

SOME MADISON COUNTY VIEWS.

State Committeeman Bennett and Chairman Duncan Interviewed.

Immediately after the receipt of the bulletin announcing the nomination of McKinley and Hobart a representative of the MADISONIAN interviewed A. J. Bennett, state committeeman for Madison county, and Thomas Duncan, chairman of the county central committee, on the situation, believing that the positions which they occupy would make their views of importance at this particular time. They have both been identified with the Republican party for years and have its best interests at heart.

Mr. Bennett says: "The announcement of the nomination of McKinley, having been a foregone conclusion, is no surprise, and throws no new light upon the situation. The platform is undoubtedly gold, or if a straddle, worse than a straight out proposition. It is too early in the day for Montana

Republicans to fully and finally determine their line of action. The situation will not be definitely outlined until after the meeting of the other party convention. It is more than doubtful that the Democratic convention at Chicago, with the weight of representation as for and against silver nearly balanced, with the weight of the party organization, administration and the money powers in favor of a gold platform, will put itself unequivocally on record as in favor of the free coinage of silver. I have great confidence in the wisdom of the delegates from the silver states to the St. Louis convention. I believe that instead of the fight for silver within the Republican lines being ended it has only just begun. Personally I think it may lead to the nomination of Senator Teller as a Republican silver candidate. The coming state convention which will not be held until after the national convention have named their candidates, will be in a position to formulate a policy which will meet the situation. That convention will represent not only the wisdom, but also the best interests of the state. It is certainly wise to withhold judgment until the party in Montana has had time and opportunity to place itself on record as to its line of action in this critical situation.

"I stand emphatically on the second plank contained in the Madison county platform which is as follows:

"SECOND—It is the sense of this convention that the Republicans of Madison county will hold themselves independent of any action on the part of the National convention, which would be antagonistic to the interests of the state and in opposition to the platform adopted by the state convention.

"While in my estimation the financial question is the leading one at the present time I do not lose sight of the importance of a protective policy, believing that full prosperity can only come with its restoration.

Mr. Duncan's Opinion.

Thomas Duncan, chairman of the Republican county central committee, expressed himself in effect as follows:

"The action of the National Republican convention at St. Louis, should not be a surprise to anyone. The consummate generalship of Mark Hanna, made the nomination of McKinley an accomplished fact some weeks ago. While we do not know what the financial plank of the platform is, we do know either from the instructions to the delegates or from their expressed opinions, that four-fifths of the convention were committed to the gold standard, and does not matter to us, in what language the financial plank of the platform is formed; to us it means a gold standard, consequently the action of the convention has not changed the political situation in the least.

"What line of action the Chicago convention will take is difficult to forecast from the present indications the silver men will have a majority of the delegates, but the gold men will meet them with the power of patronage and money, and it is certainly a shrewd man that can predict the result. The action or non-action of the Chicago convention must necessarily determine, to a large degree, the course of the bi-metallics and perhaps of the Populists, in their conventions next month.

"In view of all the contingencies, it seems to me that the wisest course for the friends of silver to take, is to wait patiently until all the conventions have

met, and the decks cleared for action. In the meantime we can safely trust Teller, and other silver leaders to take every advantage that the situation affords.

"I also believe in their wisdom and sagacity to be able, when the time comes, to be masters of the situation, and mark out a road so plain, that no Republican voter need hesitate a moment as to what course to pursue."

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Albright, Sunday, June 14.

The Lady Maccabees will serve ice cream and strawberries in their hall Saturday evening, June 27, from 7 until 11.

Mrs. Martin McLean left for Bozeman this morning. She will be away several months.

The Kings Daughters have postponed next Saturday afternoon's sale of ice cream indefinitely.

The county wants 60 cords of wood and asks for bids for the same in another column of this paper.

W. A. Clark, W. Mountjoy and Dan Meaney, delegates to the state convention, left for Butte yesterday.

Mrs. George Henderson, accompanied by her charming little daughter, Miss Belle, will arrive from California this evening.

The members of the C. W. B. M. society will meet next Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m. in Masonic hall. By order of the president.

Horace Elling, eldest son of Major Elling, returned from Fairbault, Minn. Tuesday evening. He has been attending a military school at that place.

The Kennett boys expect to enter N. V. Johnson and George Jenkins in the double-hand drilling contest. There will probably be several entered in the single drilling match.

Thomas Bluff was in from Red Bluff, Monday. Mr. Bluff has just bonded a number of copper claims to a California syndicate. He also owns the Ready Cash, a very promising prospect.

Wilbur Boyce lost a Winchester rifle, 40-82 calibre, some place between Donegan's ranch and Davis Creek. Finder will kindly leave the gun at S. H. Bryant's place on Warm Spring Creek and receive a liberal reward.

J. H. Vanderbeck returned from Butte Wednesday evening. While away he made arrangements for his brick yard machinery. He expects to go to work on his brickyard forthwith.

The city council met Wednesday evening, and adjourned without transacting any business of moment. Another meeting will be held Monday, when plans and specifications will be probably be decided upon.

The school board held a meeting Saturday evening and elected Miss Josephine Davis teacher of the intermediate department and Miss Flora Duncan teacher of the primary. A principal will be selected later. There is no lack of applicants.

Jim Brown, Fred Walker and Jack Lavelle compose a strong team now operating the Bamboo Chief mine. They have struck several ore chutes from which they can sack pay rock for a year to come. Twenty days work recently netted them about \$500 each.

Col. J. E. Callaway, who is rusticated on his ranch in the upper Ruby valley, sent in an order the other day for a shovel and a pound of nails where-in to equip himself for active campaign work. The doughty Colonel evidently intends to show the boys what he knows about farming.

The barn and farm buildings belonging to Joe Evans, on his ranch a few miles from Ennis, was totally destroyed by fire Monday evening. Everything was burned save the dwelling. Mr. Evans was awakened but, unaided could do nothing. His loss is about \$800. It is thought to be the work of incendiaries.

S. J. Crockett, who is operating in the Gravel Range country is in the city. He and his partners, Messrs. Renshaw & Boyce, expect to make their first clean-up of the season soon. Mr. Crockett states that the Johnny Creek diggings are looking well and that Murphy & Pfouts ground is being prospected with excellent results.

T. F. Pollard returned from Butte Sunday. While in the city of smoke Mr. Pollard made arrangements, on behalf of the Fourth of July committee, for the appearance of the champion trick cyclist of the United States in Virginia on the Fourth. The young man has been appearing at Columbia gardens, Butte, for some time and is said to be superb in his line.

The Virginia delegates to the Bozeman convocation of the Episcopal church are Rev. and Mrs. Bowker, Mrs. McNulty, Miss Anna and Matthew Nelson, A. W. Switzer and Mrs. Mitchell will represent Ennis, while the Pony delegation consists of Dr. Stafford, Mrs. A. Stewart and Mrs. Jay. The Virginia delegation left for Bozeman yesterday. Rev. and Mrs. S. D. Hooker of Dillon are expected to pass through the city to-day enroute to Bozeman.

A THEME FOR A STORY

A HENRY'S LAKE ROMANCE.

The Exploit of John Garnier and Pretty Miss McLarin, Who are Now Mr. and Mrs. Garnier—Two Determined Young People.

John Garnier is a young trapper, who operates in the Henry Lake country, on the boundaries of the National Park. He is said to be very successful in his line of business, but he put all his past exploits to shame last Monday, when he married pretty little Miss May McLarin, whose people were decidedly opposed to the young nimrod's wooing. Young Garnier stated to a MADISONIAN man after the ceremony had been performed by Justice McGown that he had made lots of big catches in his hunting career, but he considered his latest the success of his life, and a number of young men, who had the pleasure of gazing on the pretty face of the Centennial Valley Diana, are of the same opinion.

Garnier has been dancing attendance on Miss McLarin for some time in spite of the angry protests of her father. Seeing that his opposition was of no avail Mr. McLarin decided to take his daughter away. Accordingly he hitched up a fast team and struck out south. About a day later young Garnier heard of the flight and saddling up a horse and leading another equipped for a lady started in pursuit. After three days hard riding he caught up with them. An angry colloquy ensued between the father and his would-be son-in-law, during which the girl jumped out of the buggy, mounted the led horse and the lovers were away in a trice, leaving the old man to nurse his anger and come back at his leisure. The couple went back to Henry's Lake and drove a team to this place. They did not let the grass grow under their feet in coming either. They drove up to the court house and the girl held the team while young Garnier went for the license. Then they went to Justice McGown who resorted to the legal mathematics which makes two one, and after a half hours stay in Virginia started back to Henry's Lake in a very happy frame of mind.

CONCERNING THE EASTON.

Preliminary Work for the New Mill Fairly Under Way.

Major Elling is taking advantage of these bright warm days and is pushing his enterprise at the Easton with vigor. A MADISONIAN man visited the Easton Wednesday. The site of the new mill is being put in condition for the builders as rapidly as possible. The site is just below the shaft house of the mine on a steep hill side, where step-like excavations are being made. The arrangement will be such that the ore can be dumped in the mill at the top and will require no further handling until it is taken out at the bottom. The ground is being moved with rapidity, and at the same time Bert Rew, who has charge of the woodwork, is getting all the big timber in condition, so that no delay will be experienced when the construction begins. The mill machinery is in Dillon and will be brought over as soon as the roads are in condition. The new plant will be finished about the first of September.

The new hoist and boiler is being put in position and will be in running order by July 1. The boiler is 50 horse power and the hoist is of the latest pattern. The cage will hoist 5000 pounds to the trip and will be much more convenient than the present system.

The new Easton grade was completed this week, and is one of the handsomest bits of mountain road in this section. Its completion greatly facilitates the transportation of ore.

Major Elling is spending a small fortune on the Easton every month. His pay roll this summer will be larger than ever before. The mine is making a fine showing and the present indications are that Mr. Elling's enterprise will be amply rewarded, as it well deserves to be.

85.50.

To Buffalo and return for the N. E. A. meeting. The Union Pacific will take the lead in this, as in all other excursions, the coming season by reason of the superior accommodations, less changes of cars, changes being made at agreeable hours, quick time, and passing all the points of interest en route. Dates of sale, routes and limits will be announced in detail a few days later.

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