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A LIST OF THE DELEGATES

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The republican convention closed its work late Saturday afternoon. A more harmonious and enthusiastic political convention was never held in Nez Perce county. Sixty-one out of the ninety-three delegates chosen were present in person. The work was done with an energy and dispatch that promises well for the coming campaign. Below we give a list of the delegates chosen.

At the Nez Perce county republican convention regularly called and held in Lewiston, Idaho, April 28, 1900, the following named delegates and alternates were duly elected to attend the state republican state conventions, one to be held in Lewiston, Idaho, Tuesday, May 8, 1900, the other in Boise, July 17, 1900. To the convention to be held in this city May 8, the following delegates and alternates were chosen:

WEST LEWISTON.
Delegates—E. O'Neill, A. Justice, W. P. Hunt, Mrs. J. B. West. First alternate—Ed Wiggins, C. Osmer, Ed Arant, Mrs. E. M. Edwards. Second alternate—Mrs. S. Wildenthaler, Mrs. L. Rowley, J. Huber, W. L. Boise.

EAST LEWISTON PRECINCT.
Delegates—Chas. Halstead, Margaret McMinimy, Wm. Robnett. First alternate—S. G. Isaman, M. Harrington, Thos. Mullen. Second alternate—Geo. H. Frost, Jr., Geo. A. Smith, Ira Small.

TAMMANY, WAHA AND MASON.
Delegates—G. W. Piter, A. G. Wisner, First Alternate—Fordice, Thomas Oliver. Second alternate—F. Leachman, F. Augustine.

SPALDING.
Delegates—W. Parish. First alternate—A. Kunkle. Second alternate—E. E. Streitz.

LAPWAL.
Chas. C. Miles. First Alternate—J. N. King. Second alternate—Harry Waldroth.

BIG EDDY.
Delegates—E. N. Keeney, W. L. Clifford. First alternate—J. M. Walker, A. E. Wisner. Second alternate—W. W. Right, J. N. Jacks.

COLD SPRINGS.
Delegates—E. Erickson. First alternate—H. J. Paige. Second alternate—Jno. Hornquist.

FLETCHER AND NEZ PERCE.
Delegates—T. O. Hanlin, Miss Maud Hammill, Frank Carey. First alternate—Mrs. T. O. Hanlin, Bert Bowley, Geo. Winder. Second alternate—H. F. Black, Peter Deschamp, Wm. White.

BIG CANYON.
Delegates—E. O'Brien. First alternate J. B. West. Second alternate—Edward Patchen.

BIG ROCK.
Delegates—John M. Williams, G. W. Walker. Second alternate—J. W. McFadden.

LELAND.
Delegates—Albert W. Lee, W. L. Earnsworth. First Alternate—Nelson Wing, Wm. Black. Second alternate—Frank Snyder, Frank Pollock.

RIMROCK AND HATWAL.
Delegates—Mrs. Moxley. First alternate—W. A. Nixon. Second alternate—R. Ruddy.

CENTRAL RIDGE AND CLEARWATER.
Delegates—D. V. Dowd. First alternate—R. M. Wright. Second alternate—Harry Taylor.

To the Convention to be held in Boise, Idaho, Tuesday, July 17th, 1900, the following delegates and alternates were chosen:

WEST LEWISTON PRECINCT.
Delegates—J. E. Babh, Geo. W. Fletcher, Geo. A. Manning, Geo. Kester. First alternate—J. B. West, J. Smith, F. M. Roberts, E. O'Neill. Second alternate—Mrs. J. B. West, Mrs. I. Rowley, Mrs. E. M. Edwards, Mrs. S. Wildenthaler.

EAST LEWISTON PRECINCT.
Delegates—C. A. Foresman, Frank Thompson, P. E. Stookey. First alternate—F. J. Boston, Mrs. P. E. Stookey, Jennie Harrington. Second alternate—A. Small, Fred Manning, T. B. Cooper.

TAMMANY, WAHA AND MASON.
Delegates—J. F. McKissick, J. A. Lathrop. First alternate—F. Leachman, F. Augustine. Second alternate—C. Loon, F. Nelson.

SPALDING.
Delegates—C. T. Stranahan. First alternate—J. M. Malloy. Second alternate—J. T. Halligus.

LAPWAL.
Delegates—J. M. King. First alternate—Chas. E. Miles. Second alternate—J. C. Wait.

BIG EDDY.
Delegates—C. W. Richardson, James Coyley. First alternate—A. E. Misner, Seth Gifford. Second alternate—J. S. Le Pardee, J. T. Bills.

COLD SPRINGS.
Delegates—Mrs. M. E. Marekel. First alternate—Geo. Guyette. Second alternate—A. J. Erickson.

FLETCHER AND NEZ PERCE.
Delegates—T. O. Hanlon, Mrs. C. B. Rea, Chas. Thomas. First alternate Mrs. T. O. Hanlon, Geo. Murry, Geo. Trueblood. Second alternate—H. P. Black, J. R. McKahill, Silvester Lawrence.

BIG CANYON.
Delegates—E. O'Brien. First Alternate—J. B. West. Second alternate—Ed. Patchen.

BIG ROCK.
Delegates—J. M. Williams. First alternate—G. W. Walker. Second alternate J. N. Stacy.

LELAND.
Delegates—A. W. Lee, W. L. Earnsworth. First alternate—W. A. Black, N. J. Wing. Second alternate—Frank Snyder, Frank Pollock.

RIM ROCK AND HATWAL.
Delegates—F. D. Hasbrook. First alternate—M. L. Goldsmith. Second alternate—Ira Church.

CENTRAL RIDGE AND CLEARWATER.
Delegates—Thos. Kirby. First alternate—Mr. Bratten. Second alternate—E. E. Carter.

RESOLUTIONS.
"We cordially indorse the wise and patriotic administration of President McKinley, whose signal achievements in war and peace, in statesmanship and diplomacy, mark an epoch in the history of the nation.

"We reaffirm the principle that the representatives of the people have full power over the territory belonging to the United States, in harmony with and subject to the fundamental principles of free institutions for liberty, justice and personal rights.

"Resolved, that the republican party of Nez Perce county believe in an immediate return to the free homestead policy, and urge the passage by congress of the free homestead bill now pending, which provides for free homes for the settlers on Indian reservation lands, including the county of Nez Perce and other counties of the state of Idaho.

"Resolved by the republicans of Nez Perce county in convention assembled, that we cordially indorse the wise and statesmanlike course of Hon. Geo. L. Shoup, U. S. Senator from this State, in his courageous and patriotic efforts in the U. S. Senate in sustaining the able and wise administration of President McKinley."

Lo, the Poor Indian.

Indian Agent C. T. Stranahan reports that the road supervisors all over the reservation are pressing the Indians into service in working out their road tax. The Indians are making no serious objection. In one district over \$50 worth of work has been done by the Indians alone. The Indians are fast learning the duties of citizenship.

Latah County Republicans

At the republican county convention held at Moscow last Saturday, the following delegates were chosen:

To Lewiston: C. Carpenter, William Buchana, John Raunstedt, Olaf Olson, A. H. Charles, William Parkins, R. C. West, M. Cozier, D. W. Driskel, R. P. Drury, George W. Gale, William Carter, Maggie Donahue, C. H. Olerlain, Louis Jain, E. T. Platt, J. W. Hoop, Thomas Vassar, W. Wilson, J. R. Collins, G. W. Shepherd, S. M. Smith, J. L. Naylor, Martin Salberg, J. I. Mitcham, W. R. Trull, William Stillinger, Thomas H. Brewer, H. C. J. Tweedt.
To Boise: R. V. Cozier, C. O. Brown, H. C. Shaver, W. C. Lauder, F. M. Johnson, R. H. Barton, Louis G. Peterson, G. G. Pickett, James Peterson, Warren Truitt, J. I. Mitcham, W. E. Kerr, John E. Hoffman, T. H. Christie, J. D. Jolly, William Buchanan, J. L. Naylor, Lafayette Keene, George S. Strong, D. A. Wood, A. L. McLeod, Calvin Shoup, George Miller, George W. Daggett, Chas. Power, W. C. Fowler, A. Colburn, Burton L. French, F. A. David.

Resolutions were passed reaffirming belief in the national platform of 1896; commending the administration of President McKinley, as strong, progressive, patriotic and American, and also the following:

"We hereby endorse the official course in the United States senate of the Hon. George L. Shoup; his unwavering loyalty to the principles of the republican party and his strong and active support at all times of the administration of President McKinley, we especially commend, while his faithful and unceasing devotion as United States senator to the interests of our state and its citizens, regardless of politics, has been such as to entitle him to our confidence and esteem."
The resolutions were received with enthusiasm and adopted unanimously.

COUNCIL MEETING LAST NIGHT

Last Legal Steps Taken on the Street Improvement Question.

BIDS RECEIVED TONIGHT.

Bids Will Be Received at the Adjourned Meeting Tonight for Filling the Old Ditch.

The council met last night in adjourned session to consider bids for filling the ditch in Fifth street and E street and to finally fix the limits of the district to be assessed for the E street improvement.

On Monday an all day session was held to hear complaints and objections to the inclusion of particular pieces of land to be assessed. No property owners appeared, so last night the next step was taken, which was to pass a resolution declaring that the limits originally fixed would stand. Councilmen Schaff and Wilkinson were absent. Those voting in favor were Lane, Lake, Tannahill and Russell.

On the advice of the attorneys all votes taken were aye and nay votes. After the resolution was passed to fix the limits a resolution ordering the city engineer to prepare plans and specifications was passed with the same vote. The resolution recites the fact of the petition having been presented and declares that the macadam asked for is to be twelve inches thick, the gutters on each side of the street to be each three feet wide and constructed of stone and cement. Curbs on each side of the street are to be of concrete and the sidewalks are to have specifications of all standard materials except wood. The reason for the sidewalk specifications being prescribed in this way is that when the curbs are put in, the council will pass an ordinance requiring sidewalks to be constructed of any material which the property owners may favor except wood, in accordance with the specifications of the city engineer, and if not constructed within sixty days after the ordinance is passed the council will put in cement sidewalks.

The bids for filling in the old mill ditch ranged from 85 to 45 cents per cubic yard. The 45 cent bid was not considered as it was declared not to be in accordance with the plans and specifications.

tions. The reason for the misunderstanding was that the bidder, W. A. Holland, stated that the work would be paid for by him giving his men orders upon the council for the pay and the council could issue warrants for the amount and keep back all his pay until the work was done. All bids were rejected and new ones called for to be handed in at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

The city engineer stated that he believed the work of improving the street could be done at the Death Trap near Boston's mill in spite of the presence of the railroad tracks thereon. He said he had done such work before and that it was possible the tracks would not be moved for many months. When they are removed the little gaps and holes left in the sidewalks and curbs could be repaired at small expense. This led to a discussion on the railroad situation and in response to inquiries the city engineer stated that the railroad company was working on plans to take the tracks off First street and put them back of the property along the river bank. The proposition is to have the council declare a street eighty feet wide to exist there and then give the railroad company a right of way down it. This will not then be construed as the city giving up any of its water front. The surveys of the railroad company showed that the track, to keep away from private property, would be some little distance away from the bank and in places the fills would be from 18 to 30 feet high.

Vic Bierbower Dead.

Word was received yesterday from Albert Allen at Spokane that Vic Bierbower had died yesterday morning at the hospital, where he was taken just a week ago.

On Sunday morning, April 22, Mr. Bierbower was stricken with paralysis at the Raymond House in this city. On the following Tuesday he was taken to Spokane to the hospital. His relatives at Kansas City were notified of his serious illness, and a niece of the deceased came to Spokane and was with him when death came. His relatives will arrange for the funeral, which will be conducted under the auspices of the Elk lodge of which he was a member.

The deceased was a well-known man in Idaho public life. He was an attorney by profession, holding for many years positions of counselor for the Short Line Railroad Co. He has been prominently identified with Idaho politics. He served in several state legislatures, was president pro tem of the senate in 1895, and was appointed to the position of lieutenant governor during W. J. McConnell's second term to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lieutenant Governor Mills. He had a wide acquaintance in the state and many friends who will mourn his loss.

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