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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.
 For County Clerk.
 EDITOR TRIBUNE: Please announce that I am a candidate for Clerk of the Marshall Circuit Court, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention, called to meet in Plymouth, Saturday, June 7, 1902.
 R. M. McKeown.

REPUBLICANS TO MEET.
 The republicans of Marshall county are hereby called to meet in mass convention at the various places of meeting in each township on Saturday, May 31, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting delegates and alternate delegates to the county convention. The apportionment for the selection of such delegates and alternate delegates will be as follows: One delegate and one alternate delegate for each ten votes, and for each majority fraction thereof, cast for presidential elector at the November election 1900.

Following is the apportionment by townships:

Townships	No. of Delegates	No. of Alternates
Center	70	19
North	19	19
Polk	23	23
West	17	17
Union	24	24
Green	13	13
Walnut	33	33
Tippecanoe	21	21
Bourbon	37	37
German	37	37
Total	294	294

The delegates so selected will meet in the court house yard in Plymouth, on Saturday June 7, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates to be placed upon the republican ticket to be voted for at the election to be held on November 4, 1902, and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may properly come before said convention.

The office which candidates are to be nominated at said convention, are as follows:
 Representative, Clerk, Auditor, Treasurer, Sheriff, Surveyor, Coroner, One Commissioner from First District, One Commissioner from Second District, One Member of County Council from each District, Three Councilmen at Large.
 C. M. SLAYTER, FRANK W. BOSS, Secretary. Chairman.

Center Township Convention.
 The republicans of Center township, except Inwood precinct, will meet in convention at the court house in Plymouth, Saturday, May 31, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of appointing delegates to the county convention to be held June 7, and transacting such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
 Township Committee.

West Township.
 Republicans of West township will meet at West school house Saturday, May 31, at 2 o'clock p. m., to appoint delegates to the county convention and transact other necessary business.
 WEST TP COMMITTEE.

Alfonso XIII is the new king of Spain. He was sixteen years old last Saturday and was crowned king on that day.

Four thousand employees of the St. Louis branches of the International Tobacco company will soon receive a ten per cent increase in wages, that amount having been authorized by the company.

When seeking the real cause of the anthracite strike it will be found in the combination owning the mines, and that its members have encouraged rather than made an attempt to prevent it. If half the complaints made of the mine owners have any basis in fact they constitute a monopoly which the law should reach.

The realistic descriptions of the destruction of St. Pierre by survivors and eye witnesses far surpass in vividness and impressiveness the fancy sketch in Bulwer's "Last Days of Pompeii," and it may be added destruction of life in the recent eruption was many times as great as in the ancient one.

Two men have testified in a St. Louis court that they raised the money necessary to bribe the city council to sell a street railway franchise. Before they made the admission of their guilt, which is as great as that of the members of the council who sold their votes, they were given assurance that they would not be prosecuted. This should not be, since the man who approaches the councilmen with a bribe is as great an offender, and sometimes greater, than the man who sells his vote.

OUR CIRCUIT JUDGE.
 The judge of the Marshall and Fulton circuit courts should be the equal of the best judges in Indiana. Both parties have men that will make such a judge and if we do not have a good judge it will be the fault of the people.
 The democratic primaries to select delegates will be held next Saturday. If good men are selected as delegates to the judicial convention they will nominate a good lawyer and an honest man for judge—a man who will protect widows and wards in their rights, will punish criminals and render righteous decisions, so far as he can, in all cases tried in his court.

We are not advocating the nomination of any particular individual, but we want to emphasize the fact that the nominating conventions are just as important as the election. If no party nominated bad men, no bad men would be elected. Let both parties see to it that good men are nominated and we will have good officials regardless of which party wins. If we do not have a good judge during the next six years the people will have themselves to blame. No man should be elected judge as a reward for party work.

One thing is sure, and that is that the country's wheels can not move without motive power. The coal operators and employes have yet to learn that they are not the only people concerned in the strike.

Indiana Congressmen are eagerly watching returns from Representative Steele's district, and waiting for the convention at Wabash Wednesday. Steele's renomination is confidently predicted at Washington.

One of the professors thinks the isthmus joining North and South America may sink into the sea as a result of the volcanic disturbances. If it does a lot of canal contractors whose mouths are watering at present will be sadly disappointed.

Last year's drought cut down the exports of corn 152,000,000 bushels, the reduction in value amounting to \$77,000,000. This item alone covers more than the decrease in American exports for the fiscal year.

Thus far the miners in the anthracite district are conducting themselves with the utmost propriety, and the pledge which many of them have given to their priests to abstain from intoxicants is a hopeful sign.

A returned army officer says the Filipinos are deluded into continuing the struggle by the Hong-Kong junta, which represents President Roosevelt as a prisoner in the white house, menaced by Americans, who demand independence for the archipelago.

Reports of trouble with Apaches come from Arizona. It would be well to send a delegation of democrats to try moral suasion on the band of Indians that has just killed a soldier. Personal contact with savages is more enlightening than a tract from Edward Atkinson.

It appears that Tammany raised \$900,000 for the last municipal campaign, of which \$400,000 was expended for campaign uses and \$200,000 for other purposes. No one has yet been able to find what became of the remaining \$300,000 which was collected and not accounted for. The failure to find the missing \$300,000 was one of the causes of Mr. Nixon's resignation as leader.

Since the meeting of the state committee, it is probable that the republicans of Indiana will have a short speaking campaign. The situation was discussed at length by Chairman Goddard and the district chairmen. There was a division of opinion. A majority seemed to favor a short, brisk campaign, but it was decided to postpone definite action until the members of the Indiana delegation at Washington and other party leaders can be consulted.

A paragraph in all the papers states that Senator Beveridge will go to New York this week to attend the Presbyterian General Assembly, of which he is a lay delegate. This statement is true, and at the same time somewhat misleading. It conveys the impression that Mr. Beveridge is a Presbyterian, which is not the case. He is a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and goes to the assembly as a fraternal delegate from the General Conference of that church.

Representative Crumpacker is very much pleased over the action of the senate committee on the Hammond public appropriation. He has been informed that the amount will be increased from \$125,000 to \$140,000. This increase is made on account of Hammond having a federal court, which requires more room than is necessary for buildings in other Indiana cities which are to be favored. The appropriation for the Elkhart building has been increased to \$100,000, and Muncie and Richmond will be allowed \$80,000 instead of \$75,000. Logansport and Crawfordsville will remain the same, and Anderson will share honors with Muncie.

In all the annals of history no grander act of a nation will be found than that of the United States in rescuing Cuba from oppression and giving to her people the independence for which they had sacrificed so much.

The storm which swept over Texas Sunday did its worst work at Goliad, where ninety-eight persons are dead and 103 are injured. The town is now under military rule. The court house and residences are being used to shelter dead and care for the wounded.

One of the causes of the success of the republican party is that it is a party of doing something. The voters of this country are favorably impressed with a party of progress and hence a vast majority of the young men who are just entering political life attach themselves to the only live political organization of the country, the republican party.

The democrats are to have a new organ to take the place of the Morning Journal at Lafayette. The Lafayette Democrat will be issued Friday under the editorship of Leroy Armstrong. Offices have been rented on Main St., opposite the Hotel Lahr. The new paper will be issued weekly, but it is the intention to make it a daily as soon as a plant can be secured.

In democratic circles at and near the state capital there is still going on a quiet little contest over the question who shall sound the keynote at the coming democratic state convention. The friends of John W. Kern insist that this distinction shall be conferred upon him, while others contend that a man of stronger and sounder convictions shall be intrusted with that important task.

Judge Grosscup in the United States circuit court at Chicago issued a temporary injunction yesterday, prohibiting the packing companies constituting what is known as the "Big Six" from combining in restraint of trade. The packers are enjoined from uniting to manipulate the prices of cattle and dressed beef under penalty of prosecution for contempt of court for any violation of the injunction.

The first official estimate of the results of the explosion of Mount Pelee has been announced. This gives 28,000 as the number of people buried in the ruins of St. Pierre. Six thousand persons were rescued by steamships or fled to places of safety. Three thousand and probably were drowned. This report shows that at least 31,000 people perished when the top was blown off Mount Pelee and all the surrounding country deluged with fire and sulphurous ashes.

Senator Gorman is shrewd enough to see that the democrats can never win on the Philippine issue. If they persist in trying to work unsympathetically for the savage Filipinos against the United States soldier they will fail, is Gorman's prediction. He knows the American people will not stand these persistent attacks upon the army and the laudation of the enemy. If it is kept up he predicts that the republican majority in the next congress will be much larger than that of the present one.

The committee on invalid pensions of the house has reported favorably the senate bill to increase the pensions of those who have lost limbs in the military or naval service of the United States or were totally disabled in the same. It is estimated by the committee that nearly 7,000 persons are affected in the bill; although the number is rapidly increasing. The lowest rate of increase recommended by the bill is \$10 per month. The committee also decided to report the senate bill increasing the pensions of maimed soldiers, with an amendment for the benefit of pensioners under the act of 1890 who require the periodical or frequent assistance of another person.

The Christian Convention.
 The Missionary Convention of the Christian church held at Terre Haute last week was well attended and interesting throughout. The reports from all over the state showed a remarkable increase in all lines of church work.

During the year ending April 30th there were over 9000 conversions in this state and 35 new congregations organized. The largest revival held during the year in Indiana was at Anderson in April, when 465 were added to that congregation.

Many other revivals were held with the number of conversions over one hundred at each meeting.

The Christian church at this place will continue to have the financial support of the State missionary society until the work is well established.

Death of Bishop Taylor.
 Bishop William Taylor, perhaps one of the greatest missionary bishops of the Methodist church, is dead at Palo Alto, after a long illness, at the age of eighty-one. Fifty years ago he began the career of evangelist, which carried him to all quarters of the globe. He served as bishop of Africa until 1898 when he was retired for age.

The Unspoken Speeches of Congress.
 After the whole country has been impressed with the idea that the lower house of congress has ceased to be a deliberative body the announcement comes from Washington that 300,000 speeches of congressmen have been turned out by the government printing office and sent broadcast over the land.

When and where were all these speeches delivered? The people have been given to understand that the flow of talk had been effectually dammed by the gentleman in the speaker's chair. The feelings of their constituents have been harrowed up by the plaintive protests of the congressmen against the despotism of the speaker who refused to recognize all the statesmen who desired to be heard at home on measures before the house.

Under "leave to print" congressmen are doing a lot of talking for home consumption at government expense. Congressman So-and-So, who has been in the house two terms but was never recognized by the speaker, is dumping 50,000 copies of his "famous speech on the Philippine bill" upon the defenseless voters in his district. The wild and vociferous "applause" with which his remarks are parenthetically interspersed shows that the speech "carried the house off its feet," even if it was not heard by the speaker.

Three hundred million copies of unspoken speeches—four apiece for every man, woman and child in the land! And yet we are told that speech-making is a "lost art" in the house of representatives.

County Democratic Candidates.
 The candidates for nomination on the democratic ticket met in Plymouth Saturday afternoon and drew for position on the ticket which is to decide their fate at the primary election Saturday.

The result of the drawing was as follows:

For Representative—Chas. Lemert and Clay W. Metsker.

For Clerk—John R. Jones, Ed Corbin and Frank Brooke.

For Auditor—Hoy L. Singrey and Henry Miller.

For Treasurer—William O'Keefe.

For Sheriff—James Poulson and Clinton Bondurant.

For Commissioner 1st District—Wm. H. Troup and Jas. Wade.

For Commissioners 2nd District—Chris Fisher, Nathan Lee, Joel Anglin and Henry Grossman.

Most of the work for the nominations is now done, but there will be a good deal of hustling and quiet work to change votes before the ballot is taken Saturday.

The indications now are that Lemert will be nominated for representative, Brooke for clerk, Bondurant for sheriff, and O'Keefe for treasurer.

The vote on auditor will be close, but the chances seem to favor Singrey.

For commissioner of the first district Troup will be nominated. In the second district all the candidates are in doubt and our readers can guess as well as we can.

He Knows How to Farm.

J. G. Stream, who lives on the Willoughby farm southeast of Kewanna, is no doubt one of the most extensive farmers in this country. He is a worker and he has three sons, a son-in-law and a hired hand who are workers. They are successfully handling the 420 acres of the Willoughby farm, and Walter has 190 acres rented of Jim and Geo. Costello, making a total of 610 acres under one management. They work 18 head of horses and last year produced 9000 bushels of corn which brought about \$5,400. They are breaking this season 85 acres of the reclaimed Mill Creek lands which never before saw a plow, the work on the first mentioned place being done with one 4-horse gang plow and two 3-horse Oliver plows, and that on the latter farm with two 3-horse wheel plows. All but a very few acres of the entire tract is given over to corn and oats.—Kewanna Herald.

Germany's Frederick the Great.

Emperor William returns to the subject with great grace and appositeness. He begs to present to the citizens of this country a statue of Frederick the Great, to be placed in Washington as a lasting sign of the intimate relations that have been successfully fostered and developed between the great nations of Germany and America. Frederick the Great, the Emperor recalls, maintained a friendly attitude toward the American republic, and the example set by the great King, the Emperor means to follow. Frederick the Great was really one of the few men that deserve the title. He was great. It is said that President Roosevelt has determined on a place near the new war college, as the location of that statue. A fitter place could not be chosen. Frederick the Great was pre-eminent a great warrior, though he was great in other phases of his character. The value of the gift, however, is a recognition of Prince Henry's visit and the consequences of it. It sets a good example for general imitation. Nations might turn aside at times thus to mark a recognition of one another.—Indianapolis News.

MARRIED
 Hendricks-Elick
 Frank A. Hendricks and Miss Carrie Elick were united in marriage at Elkhart, Tuesday evening, May 20, 1902, by Rev. Father Boeckelman, of Elkhart.

Both parties are well known in Plymouth. Mr. Hendricks is a brother of the proprietor of this paper and has been employed as a printer in this city most of the time since he was fifteen years old. His bride is the daughter of D. A. Elick of West township and is an amiable and accomplished lady. This office joins their many other friends in congratulations and best wishes.

Mr. Hendricks is now employed on the Elkhart Truth and the happy couple will reside in Elkhart.

Decoration Day Services at Plymouth, May 30, 1902.

The column consisting of Miles H. Tibbitts Post G. A. R., Co. I, 3rd Regiment I. N. G., will form under the directions of the officer of the day, Wm. H. Conger, at 1:30 p. m. on Michigan street, the right of the column, Co. I, 3rd regiment I. N. G., commanded by Capt. Lee Kendall, resting on Garro street. The column will march under the direction of the officer of the day, to Center street, thence to Laporte street, thence to the Methodist church where memorial service will be held, W. E. Bailey, presiding officer.

PROGRAM

Song
 Invocation.....Rev. W. E. McKenzie
 Reading of Pres. Lincoln's Gettysburg Speech.....Lawrence Carvey
 Song
 Oration.....Rev. J. E. Hartman

Column will re-form and march to Oak Hill cemetery, where after the ritual by the G. A. R. post, the graves of all deceased soldiers will be decorated with flowers. The column will be led by the Bremen band.

After taps by Comrade Bohmer the column will re-form, march to the G. A. R. Post and break ranks.
 By order of committee.
 L. Tanner.
 D. L. Dickinson.
 B. C. Southworth.

Jurors for Next Term of Court.

The grand and petit jurors for the terms of court commencing May 26, were drawn Monday as follows:

Grand—Eli B. Milner, of North township; George B. Rightly, Center; George Kline and Washington Overmyer, Union; Samuel Mutti, German; Thomas Bowles, Green.

Petit—Jacob C. Kaufman and M. V. Kitch, German; Frank W. Reubelt, Bourbon, Jesse D. Williams and Joel Anglin, Center; Sherman Miller, George Halt and Chas. Keobert, North; Francis M. White and Louis N. Blair, Green; Wm. Moore, West; and George Zeichiol, Union township

Missionary Convention in Plymouth.

A missionary convention will be held at the Methodist church in Plymouth, Wednesday afternoon and evening, May 28. Eminent ministers from South Bend and other cities will be present.

The Rev. J. H. Pyke, D. D., a recently returned missionary from China, and who was present in Pekin during the recent siege of that city, will attend the convention and speak. He will occupy the entire time of the evening session with a description of his experiences during those eventful days of the siege.

Mrs. August Scheibelhut.

Mrs. August Scheibelhut died Sunday morning after a week's illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Kopp, of 920 South Lafayette street. The deceased had been a resident of South Bend for several years, and had also resided in both Plymouth and Mishawaka. Mrs. Scheibelhut is survived by eight children, Joseph, Frank and Clement, and Mrs. Lizzie Dewalt, of Mishawaka, and John and Peter Scheibelhut and Mrs. Albert Kopp, of South Bend; also a daughter, Christina, now Sister M. Inez, of the St. Agnes convent, Fond du Lac, Wis. A daughter, Mrs. John Fleck, of South Bend, died last August. The funeral took place Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Joseph's Catholic church, Mishawaka.—South Bend Tribune.

Petition for Large Ditch.

A petition filed in court Thursday for a ditch proposes to dig a new ditch along the line of the old Austin Heston ditch, and drain the same land as the old was proposed to drain, with an extra arm on the west side. It is designed to start in the northwest corner of Union township and run south to Pleasant and Riddle's Lake thence south into Marshall county, to empty into the Yellow river. In its course the new ditch will run into the Vinnebaugh and the Bunch ditches, enlarging their old channels. At its mouth it would assume almost the proportions of a river.—South Bend Times.

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