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The work of the Republican state convention held at Cleveland Tuesday and Wednesday will be eminently satisfactory to the Republicans of Ohio. All the proceedings were in the utmost harmony, just enough spice being injected by several friendly contests to make things interesting. The keynote speeches were full of meaty Republican doctrine, while the platform a most masterly exposition of Republican principles, state and national, as such a platform as all patriotic Americans can stand upon. The ticket nominated contains only the names of men who deserve the confidence of the fellow citizens. All these things combine to make the result one for congratulation not only upon the part of the leaders but the rank and file as well. It means that the fight this year will be fought with a united front. Under these conditions the customary victory is assured. There is nothing but a bright prospect ahead for the Republican party.

The most important thing done at the state convention was the drafting of the resolutions. General Charles Dick drew them up, and they speak for themselves. They are probably the most important resolutions ever adopted by a Republican state convention in Ohio, owing to existing circumstances, and they required a masterly hand to do the work.

The same bores who protested against any honors being shown Prince Henry are now working overtime in their opposition to accepting the statue offered to this country by the Kaiser. Luckily these fellows are few in number and without the backing of any considerable following.

There are a great many Democrats in this country who would sooner not have Mr. Bryan's support. Which piece of advice is respectfully and gratuitously offered to Mr. Tom Johnson. Mr. Bryan's reputation for being on the winning side is not such as to make him appear as a mascot.

The man who goes to a Republican convention often wonders why the other 84 delegates go from Hamilton county, since George B. Cox votes them all. But as he does this with their evident approval, it is very probable that they enjoy it.

There is meat for the local reformers in the report of the grand jury at Sidney. Sixteen saloonkeepers were indicted for keeping open on Sunday, and the city officials were severely criticized because they have not performed their duties as their oaths require.

CHURCH CLOSED.

Doors Barred Against Body of Giganti.

The remains of Charles Giganti, the man who lost his life in an attempt to escape from the Canton workhouse last week, have been buried. But before they were laid away a sorrowing mother vainly pleaded for a church funeral for her erring son. It was intended to hold the funeral services at St. Peter's church in Canton, but the doors of the church were closed against the remains of the man who had taken the life of a guard at the workhouse, and the funeral services were held in a parochial school room near the church. There were no flowers and the heart-broken mother was the only mourner.

NOTICE

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TOUCHING TRIBUTE.

It Was Paid to Worth of a Young Woman.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Miss Lottie E. Denaple were held Tuesday afternoon at the home of the bereaved parents, 628 East Exchange street. There was a large attendance which testified to the esteem in which the estimable young lady was held by her many friends and by those of the family. Rev. C. L. Alspaugh officiated. The floral offerings were most profuse and beautiful, many of them being of elaborate designs of singular attractiveness and touchingly appropriate to the occasion. The remains of the lamented young woman followed by a large cortege, were laid to rest in Glendale cemetery, the burial lot being heaped over by the profusion and magnificent display of wreaths and other floral offerings.

The father of the deceased, superintendent of the Werner works, was the recipient of an address expressive of the sympathy of the heads of departments, with the family in the sad loss they had suffered. A part of the tribute paid to the memory of the young lady follows:

"The entrance of death into a happy family is at any time a sore and greatly deplored intrusion. In the present case there is added to this the touching pathos, due to the premature cutting short of a fair young life, endeared to all who knew her, and to the untimely ending of a career bright with promise, and from a human point of view rich in happiness and blessing to her beloved parents."

Dr. Gies of Youngstown will be at the Hotel Buchtel tomorrow morning and remain until Saturday noon.

STATE CONVENTION.

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Of Your Heart Troubles.

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...nting abuses by such combinations here such abuses were found to exist and is now being vigorously applied by a Republican administration in the prosecution of unlawful combinations. Subsequent to the enactment of this law the Democratic party obtained control of both branches of congress and a president. It constantly asserted hostility to trusts, but failed to place on the statute books a single line of legislation which would aid in their control.

Disfranchisement.

At every national convention held since the adoption of the 14th and 15th amendments to the federal constitution, the Republican party has expressed its approval of these enactments and demanded their faithful enforcement, AND HAS PROMISED THAT IT WILL NEVER RELAX ITS EFFORTS UNTIL THE INTEGRITY OF THE BALLOT AND PURITY OF ELECTIONS SHALL BE FULLY GUARANTEED AND PROTECTED IN EVERY STATE, AND FULL AND COMPLETE CIVIL AND POLITICAL RIGHTS SECURED TO ALL CITIZENS.

Whatever promises the nation makes a nation must perform, and whether any state, by constitutional provision or otherwise, denies or in any way abridges the right of suffrage, the right of representation in congress and an electoral college ought to be reduced proportionately.

We urge upon congress speedy, full and fearless investigation of this subject and immediate action in accordance with the facts thus ascertained.

Anarchy.

In a government like ours there is no place for anarchy and we demand that congress enact stringent laws against the attempt on the life of the chief magistrate, or of any person in the line of succession. A murderous attack on the president is a blow struck at the government itself and should be punished as treason is punished. Our laws guarantee liberty of speech and of the press, but afford no license for the teachings or practice of anarchy. We denounce lynching and all

forms of mob violence.

Cuba.

We congratulate the new republic of Cuba upon the final fruition of the hopes and struggles of her people for freedom and independence. We welcome her to the family of nations. We wish her success and prosperity, peace and happiness. For such part as we, as a nation, have had in assisting her to achieve independence we ask no gratitude save that which we have the gratitude of a free people. Furthermore, we believe, it is due alike to Cuba and to ourselves, that in accordance with the Republican principle of reciprocity, proper and reasonable trade concessions shall be made by our government to Cuba, in return for her concessions upon American products, so as to benefit the trade of both countries and to fully and generously carry out every obligation of our national honor, whether expressed or implied.

Annexation.

Additions to our territory since 1897 have been fully justified, both by improved conditions in the islands themselves and the improved commercial relations between them and the United States. These islands will not be exploited for the gain of adventurers, but will be developed for the mutual benefit of their own people and honest investments and will in time make the United States a complete commercial entity, capable of producing within its own area practically all the articles required for the daily life and comfort of man.

Philippines.

We congratulate the president and the army on the satisfactory progress made in the Philippines in suppressing

the insurrection and establishing order and we unqualifiedly endorse the policy of our government in those islands. The war with Spain was forced on us against our will and the Philippines came to us as one of the results of that conflict. We are responsible for peace and order in the islands and our sovereignty must be as absolute as our responsibility. Our title to the islands is as perfect as was that of Spain after nearly 400 years of undisputed possession. We will give their people better government, better schools, more civil and political rights, and a higher civilization and broader freedom than is possible for them in any other way. Our flag is in the Philippines and there it will remain.

The Army.

The American army has taken up a work of establishing order and maintaining authority in the distant Philippines and while we deplore and severely condemn any instances of cruelty which may have occurred, we remember that our soldiers are fighting a barbarous and treacherous foe who have often inflicted most inhuman and revolting atrocities upon their prisoners. It is the nation's army, drawn from every section of the country, knowing no politics or creed, but fighting the nation's battles under the nation's flag and we resent with indignation recent Democratic efforts to drag its honor in the dust and to cast reproach on its fair name. We proudly reaffirm our faith in all the great cardinal principles of the Republican party and our allegiance to the declaration adopted by the last Republican national convention and to the candidates nominated by this convention we pledge our loyal support.

THE KEYNOTE SPEECH.

General Grosvenor Makes an Able Though Somewhat Lengthy Address.

The speech of the permanent chairman, Gen. Charles H. Grosvenor, was as follows:

Gentlemen of the Convention: I recognize the compliment by my selection as permanent chairman of the convention and thank you for the same. I have been long identified with the Republican party of Ohio and I experience today pleasure in witnessing here the gathering of so many of the tried, true and faithful of that great party. We come to announce adherence to the principles of our party. To take heed of the errors of the past and celebrate our victories.

The legislation which has been the result of the recent session of the legislature has been the subject matter of the very able and satisfactory address of our distinguished governor, and to it I shall not refer. I believe that the legislature, over the determined opposition and obstruction of the Democratic minority, made a long stride to the front in the direction of true reform by beneficial legislation, and I congratulate you upon the happy outcome of the session of the general assembly.

I will speak for a few moments upon matters of national importance, for this year not only do you elect a state ticket and county officers, but you are called upon to select 21 men to represent you in the lower branch of congress.

Ohio In the Senate.

Ohio's position in the senate is secure. It stands in the front rank of leadership. Her place in the great tournament of debate, in the foremost rank of the great leaders, is established and assured by the return to a second term of your distinguished senior senator, Joseph Benson Foraker, than whom no greater champion of our political faith can be found in that great body. And in the counsels of the party, and in the discussion of great questions of concern to all of the interests involved in legislation, no man stands higher in public estimation, and no man wields greater influence for good than does our wise, able and most popular junior senator, Marcus A. Hanna.

Of my Republican colleagues in the house I take great pleasure in saying that they stand for principle and fitly and efficiently represent their constituents and honor the state which confides in them.

Death of McKinley.

It was God's way and God's will be done, but the blow fell with crushing weight upon the people of the United States and the whole civilized world was startled, and when the full force of the calamity was more fully realized, manifestations of sorrow were without parallel in any other event in history. It came to be known at once that the fame of William McKinley, which began to mark him and point him out among his Ohio constituents long ago, was world wide; that there was not a place on the globe where human foot had trod, and civilization had made its impress that the grand and lovable features of William McKinley's mind and character had not reached and been appreciated. The business world of the United States stood still with uncovered head as the mortal remains of the great president were borne to their last resting place in his beloved Ohio. Eulogy has exhausted its resources and McKinley's greatness as a man, the loveliness of his pure character, has come to be realized and appreciated by all. Ohio today may well be proud and happy in the realization that she gave to the country and to the world a character so pure, so perfect, so great.

The world of mankind is better that he lived. It is poorer that he died.

It is well that on the occasion of this, the first state convention following his untimely death, we should recount something of the grand achievements of his life and administrations; but it would not be wise to recount more than sufficient to give a mere passing mention of the great events of his career for the purpose of our instruction. Those that cast light forward are the features of his history that it is wise here to suggest and consider. Out from the gloom of his grave, independent of the glories of his personal character, independent of those features of his career that are so sweet to recount, there shines upon our pathway today the strong illumination of the political principles that he contended for, and which more than any other man during the last 20 years, he made popular in public estimation. And so today the Republican party finds itself with a perfect chart of political principles, a compass that has not failed, under the direction of a captain, who, though dead, yet liveth.

Praise For Roosevelt.

Fortunate it has been and is now that with McKinley the Republicans of the country elected a brave, conscientious and able man to the office of vice president, and hence the transfer to his new and momentous duties brought to the office of president a man fully equipped for the service ahead of him. Theodore Roosevelt understood the policy of the Republican party. He had grown up from boyhood an active member of the organization; and in full accord with its principles and policies. There was not a phase of its history with which he was not familiar, and when, by the death of McKinley, he became president he gave assurance of his loyalty to the policies and purposes of the party, and the policy of the dead president, also, and stood ready to carry out the plans of the organization for the future. Loyal and faithfully he has maintained his position, and today he stands as a courageous and conspicuous representative of the best sentiment of the Republican party upon the great questions to which reference has been made. The party in the country owes it to itself and its duty to the country to stand by his administration and aid in carrying it to success as a vindication of the policy of McKinley; as a token of gratitude to his successor and as an assurance of victory for the party in 1904. Ohio will not forget the strong declaration that Roosevelt made at Buffalo, and it will not forget that in the hours which followed he brought around him the faithful men who had composed McKinley's bodyguard of faithful advisers and that he has carried the flag of true Republicanism high advanced in the contests that have followed. In the contests which are before us we will not stop to feel unavailable and inefficient regret. But we take up the burdens which our beloved leader laid down and under the banner of a leader not less chivalrous and not less fearless, will uphold his hands and aid his work and efforts for the common good of a common country. We will aim at results which alone can be reached through party loyalty and fealty to party leadership.

Two Great Issues.

Two great overpowering and all absorbing issues grew up into acute form and were fought out and determined during the active leadership of William McKinley, and upon both these

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