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## YESTERDAY'S CONVENTIONS

### Ohio's Convention on the Surface for Its Favorite Son.

### Rather a Misty Indication of Who it is Really For.

### Other Conventions With Something the Same Ambiguity.

### Iowa Democracy Meet with a Hurrah at Burlington.

### Delegates at Large and for Districts for Tilden.

### Political Matters of Various Kinds—Congressional.

## OHIO REPUBLICANS:

### THE BLAINE CAUCUS.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 24.—The Blaine caucus resembled this morning before the convention and voted to support the compromise ticket for delegates at large—Judge Forsaker, Judge West, Judge Ambler, and Marcus I. Hanna. Forsaker and Hanna are regarded as by Sherman. The others are strong Blaine men.

The convention was called to order at 9:45 this morning. The committee on permanent organization reported for permanent president, Hon. Wm. McKinley, Jr., of Stark county, who was elected. Mr. McKinley was escorted to the chair by the committee and made a brief and eloquent speech.

### THE NAMES

of Blaine, Sherman, Arthur, Grant, Lincoln, Edmunds and Garfield, were vociferously applauded as named by the speaker. The candidates for secretary were proposed. C. S. Clark and J. T. Ogilvie, Franklin county, Henry Lusky of Cincinnati, Oscar Shepherd of Preble county, J. T. Robinson, of Hardin county, Dwight Powell, Ashtabula county, H. A. Axline, of Muskingum county. While the votes were being counted the committee on resolutions reported the following:

The republican party, in convention assembled, in view of the issues between the parties declares:

First. That it is in favor of collecting adequate revenue to defray the economical expenses of the government from duties upon foreign imports, so adjusted as to afford protection to labor and agricultural, manufacturing and other industries of the country against competition with foreign labor and capital, and with a view to develop our resources and elevate and improve the condition of our own laboring classes, and we condemn the democratic doctrine of tariff for revenue only as destructive of the higher interest of the country.

Second. That the reduction of duties on imported wools, made by act of Congress passed March, 1883, was an act of injustice to an important industry which will if not corrected result in paralyzing the business of wool-growing in the United States, and in transferring the same to foreign nations, and therefore the wool tariff of 1807 should be restored at the earliest practicable moment.

Third. The doctrine of the democratic party to put what is improperly called raw material, such as ore, pigiron, wool, etc., on the free list, is vicious, dangerous and if carried out will be destructive of the best interests of the nation.

Fourth. That the republican party having always aided labor, liberating it when oppressed, giving to it homesteads in the public domain, and supporting schools at public expense, the children of all, recognize now more fully than ever its great interests, its claim upon the care of the government, its right to equal consideration with capital, and we congratulate the working classes upon the vigilance and good temper with which they have organized themselves for the promotion of their interests.

Fifth. That we denounce polygamous Mormons; and demand of congress to exercise its constitutional power for its speedy suppression.

Sixth. That the republican party stands by its legislation, known as the Scott law, and condemns the want of sincerity of the democratic party in respect thereof.

Seventh. The administration of President Arthur has been wise, conservative and in the interest of the whole country, and is therefore highly endorsed.

Eighth. The position of the republican party as expressed through its conventions and representatives in authority, touching civil service, is heartily endorsed.

The resolutions were adopted. Afterward the adoption was reconsidered because the first resolution implied no internal revenue and the platform recommended.

The first ballot for secretary of state resulted in no choice.

### SHERMAN DELEGATES.

A ballot was taken, but before the announcement there was a rush to change from various candidates to McKinley. Judge West moved that McKinley be elected by acclamation. Carried unanimously.

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