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OUR TICKET.

For President:
William Howard Taft.
For Vice President:
James S. Sherman.

There is such a thing as progressing too far, is this what has happened to the progressives.

If you are a true blue republican abide in the ship, if you are against the republican party join the democrats, but don't be a bolter.

Colonel Roosevelt, who has just bolted the Chicago Republican convention, is prominently spoken of as the Democratic candidate of the Baltimore convention. The Democrats could go farther and do worse. With Roosevelt as their candidate they would at least be sure of carrying North Carolina.

We want to caution our republican friends, especially those who have espoused the cause of Colonel Roosevelt, to think well before following him farther. If you are a republican your duty is to abide in the ship, you had a right to espouse his cause for the nomination, but now that he has turned his back upon the party that has honored him from Street commissioner in the city of New York, to Governor and then to the Vice Presidency and even to the Presidency by the largest electoral vote ever given a candidate, he is no longer entitled to your encouragement and support when he cut loose from the republican party, he severed the tie that binds, it is now the duty of all loyal republicans to stand by the nominee of the republican convention to the end that they may aid in helping to foster and maintain the party in power who has made and executed all the laws for the benefit of the laboring man for the past fifty years, remain in the old ship still and let those bolt who will.

Our Position.

The Dispatch is a Republican paper, and therefore we are for the Republican nominee. This paper did not advocate any candidate. We felt that those who were looking after this part of the program were capable of choosing not only wisely but well. Now that the convention has named its choice, we are for William Howard Taft, for President, and James S. Sherman for Vice President. This ticket has led us to victory once and we believe that it can lead us to victory again. We are going to do our part by giving them our hearty and loyal support, confident in the ultimate wisdom of the American people.

What will it Profit You?

We ask the question what will

it profit you Mr. Democrat who apparently is rejoicing over the great split in the Republican party. What will this profit you when you see the same identical ghost rising before your view in the democratic ranks. Can you not plainly see the one whom you call "Peerless" the leader of the progressive element of your party demanding that you nominate a progressive, a man after his own heart, if not he himself. Will you submit to the lash or will you name as your presiding officer in your convention a reactionary and thus demolish the orator who has thrice been trampled in the dust if you do what will the Republican split profit you? If you do not will you not be in a worse condition than if Mr. Bryan and his forces are trampled?

It appears that Mr. Bryan would rather see his chosen few be the select than to see the masses rule. At present we feel that Mr. Bryan is the most valuable asset the Republican party has. When the water is fine he troubles it. With present Democratic conditions we ask the question again What will the great Republican Split profit You?

A Duplicate for Chicago.

Substitute William Jennings Bryan for Theodore Roosevelt and the situation which confronts the Democratic convention at its opening at Baltimore is but a repetition of the Republican situation at Chicago. At both places the irreconcilable conflict is between the radical and the conservative progressive wings of the party. At both places the national committee stands for the conservatives and is determined on the Destruction of the disturbing element. By a curious coincidence the figures are almost the same. In Chicago the national committee stood 32 members against Col. Roosevelt. At Baltimore 31 in favor of the selection of Judge Alton Parker of New York for the temporary chairman of the convention. In Chicago Mr. Roosevelt's hat was in the ring. At Baltimore Mr. Bryan has thrown his hat into the ring and as in Chicago the committee welcome the challenge.

The same violent language is to be heard. Mr. Bryan Tuesday night gave out a statement that recalled Col. Roosevelt at his best.

The majority of the national committee, said Mr. Bryan, is under the control of the "predatory interests." "Talk about harmony," he said, is absurd. The Belmont-Ryan-Murphy crowd, which dictated Mr. Taft's renomination, is as active here as at Chicago, and the same corrupting influences are seeking to control this convention."

If Mr. Parker did not know who is behind his candidacy, declared Mr. Bryan, he was not qualified intellectually to be the temporary chairman; if he did know it, he should not be permitted to sound the keynote in a Democratic convention. All of which brings back to memory the fervent proclamations which Mr. Roosevelt gave out every day at Chicago last week.

It is said that three months ago the national committee offered the temporary chairmanship to Mr. Bryan himself, but that he did not accept it. Then Mr. Parker was chosen solely on the grounds that he was the only other living Democratic presidential candidate, to the charge that he was not a progressive it was pointed out that he had presided in 1910 at the Rochester convention, which adopted a platform than which only one state in the Union, namely, Oklahoma, has adopted a more radical one. The Clark leaders, foreseeing Colonel Bryan's bitter objection to Judge Parker, are said to have suggested Mr. James name to Mr. Bryan about a

Party Facing Crisis Says Mr. Taft.

Washington, June 22.—President Taft tonight made the following statement:

"The national convention of one of the great parties is ordinarily important only as a preliminary to a national campaign for the election of a President. The Chicago convention just ended is much more than this and is in itself the end of a pre-convention campaign presenting a crisis more threatening and issues more important than those of the election campaign which is to follow between the two great national parties. The question here at stake was whether the Republican party was to change its attitude as the chief conservator in the nation of constitutional representative government and was to weaken the constitutional guarantees of life, liberty and property and all other rights declared sacred in the Bill of Rights, by abandoning the principle of the absolute independence of the judiciary, essential to the maintenance of those rights. The campaign carried on to seize the Republican party and make it the instrument of reckless ambition and the unsettling of the fundamental principles of our government was so sudden and unexpected that time was not given closely to show to the people and the party the dangers which confronted them. It was sought to break the wise and valuable tradition against giving more than two terms to any one man in the presidency and the danger from its breach could not be measured. The importance of the great victory which has been achieved can not be over-estimated. All over this country patriotic people tonight are breathing more freely that a most serious menace to our Republic has been averted.

"It is not necessary tonight to speak of the results in November and of the issues which may arise between the Republican and Democratic parties during the presidential campaign.

It will be time enough to do that after the action of the convention at Baltimore. It is enough now to that whatever may happen in November, great victory for the Republican party and the United States has already won. The party remains as a great powerful organization for carrying out its patriotic principles as an agency of real progress in the development of the nation along the constitutional lines upon which it was constructed and has been maintained; and its future opportunity for usefulness is as great as its achievements in the past."

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month ago, but without receiving a favorable response. Hence, when the Wilson men first brought forward Mr. James' name Monday as their candidate the latter promptly refused to consider the offer, and he remained steadfast in his determination. Mr. Bryan announced Monday night that he would fight and that he would have a candidate, but he did not publicly name him, so that it will surprise no if Mr. Bryan brings the issue directly before the convention by permitting his own name to be pitted against Judge Parker.

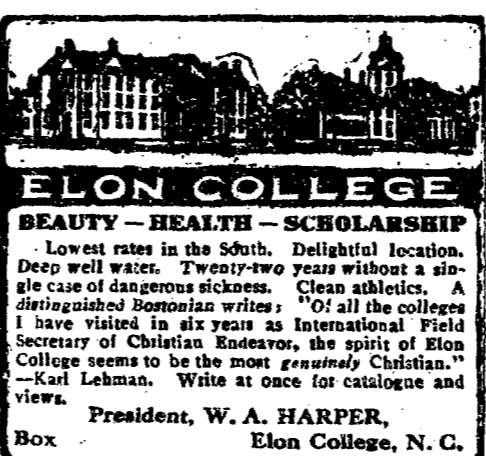
Democratic Member

Joke Republicans.

Washington, June 24—For forty minutes today the House enjoyed itself over the situation in which the Republican party finds itself because of the Chicago convention's results. Representative Phillip Campbell of Kansas started in by having read a letter written by former President Roosevelt in 1908 extolling the virtues of President Taft then a candidate. Republicans applause greeted the phrases containing fulsome praise for President Taft. Democrats laughed uproariously. When the reading was finished, Representative Heflin of Alabama had read one of the Chicago statements by Colonel Roosevelt. The Democrats had a lot of fun by applauding loudly at the numerous references to "fraud" and "rascality".

The state department declines to get into the coffee muddle. It can't see the grounds.

Among our repeated headlines may be classed, "Taft is back in Washington."



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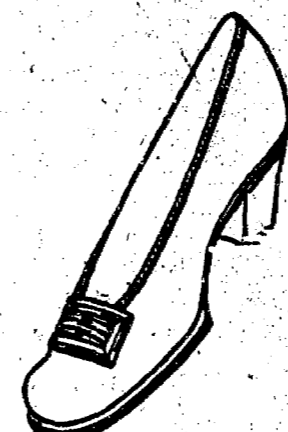
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Miss Mayme Ray of Greensboro spending a few days the of her sister Miss Addie.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Summe business visitors to the Winston-Salem Monday.

Mr. Dewey Bass who erated on at Stokes San Salisbury 10 days ago is ing nicely and will soon b

Mr. Will Trölinger v been clerking in H. M. store has accepted work store at Glencoe.

Misses Hattie, Sula and Playlock, accompanied Clarence Marlett, were in the city of Greensboro Saturday evening.

Miss Flossie Hitchins milliner in our town is he ing her many friends. He been in Georgia during season.

The Baptists will run excursion to Raleigh Saturday. Excursion will start at 7:00 round trip fare will be children 50 cents.

Mr. J. W. Bryan spent and Monday in the city of his sister Mrs. W. W. returning Monday to where he is employed Railroad shops.

Both the stores at the one being the prop Frank Swift the other ham were destroyed by day night shortly midnight. Both build stock carried insura postoffice which w building adjoining was also destroyed.

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