### DELEGATES CHEER HEARST LIFE OF THE CONVENTION NEW PARTY'S FIRST MEETING THREE CONTESTS IN IREDELL.

With Orchestra Hall Thronged With Delegates and Spectators and the Walls Placarded With Allusions to the Existing Political Situation, the Independence Party Opens Its First National Convention—New York Delegation Heads the Column of Delegates Cheers Each State and in Turn is Cheered—Arrival of Mr. Hearst Starts a Demonstration and the Delegates Parade the Isles Shouting the Name of Their Leader

and Organizer. Chicago, July 27 .- Amid loud and enthusiastic cheering and with its members showing every sign of loyalty to their new standard of political faith, the first national convention of and W. Reece Clean for treasurer the Independence party was opened at The Democratic nomination in Iredel 8 o'clock to-night in Orchestra Hall.

The main floor of the hall was filled by delegates. There are no alternates. The galleries were overcrowded with a throng which entered heartily into the spirit of the proceedings and throughout the session applauded esting for years. The interest was due

proval. DELEGATES ARRIVE.

The delegates came trooping into the hall, New York heading the column. The delegates from the Empire State carried a white banner, bearing the cast for Governor in November, words "Independence Party" between The contest over the register's them being an evenly balanced scale, was settled in the primaries, Mr. J. signifying exact justice to all. New E Boyd winning over all contestants York cheered every other delegation by a large majority. No candida and the other delegations cheered for sheriff or treasurer received New York. Then they cheered each majority in the primaries and the other, and then themselves until the contest for these places made the conhall rang again and again. The dem- vention more interesting.

onstration last about fifteen minutes. Around the sides of the hall were placards hearing the names of various J. W. Ward, Statesville; J. M. Deaton, States and also allusions to the exist- Mooresville, R. L. Bradford, Shiloh ing political situation as viewed from township, J. A. Brown, Sharpsburg. the standpoint of the Independence Q. M. Goodman, Chambersburg. party. Some of these were:

chine, the Pluto Poker Chip the Re- Parks. Turnersburg township; publican Machine, the Dullar Passes Summers, Union Grove. Mr. R. E. Current at the Same Counter The Home of the for but was not an avowed candidate. Trusts; Wants to Smash Em

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"Rhode Island. Aldrich Owns the Zeb V. Long, for the Senate, Z.

DEMONSTRATION FOR HEARST the House; The arrival of William R. Hearst superintendent of schools, R. F. started a delirious demonstration lives, surveyor, Capt. P. Carlton, The hall was in an uproar as Hearst coroner. Captain Carlton tried to demounted the steps leading to the plat- cline the nomination for coroner but form. He took no notice of the he was nominated any way demonstration, but after remaining on only new man in this let the rostrum for about three minutes.

C. Davingen on the consultation with the secretary of the House. Mr. Tomin's father, the late consultation with the secretary of the House. Mr. Tomin's represented fredell in A. C. Tomin's represented fredell in 1883. Messes. the rostrum for about three minutes in C. Involven and a member of the

His action was a signal for renewed resented fredeli in the Senate cheering and the delegates shouting House, respectively. "Hearst, Hearst," im nediately started Bives and Cariton are now filling the on a parade around the hall chanting positions for which they are named, continuously the name of the New These matters disposed of the con-York editor. The parade continued realism tackled the nomination for for several minutes before quiet was sheriff restored.

took the gavel and introduced Charles at rafe prediction. A. Walsh, of lows, secretary of the Mr. Deston won on the seventh provisional national committee, who build After the sixth build Bradread the call for the convention.

### BRYAN'S NAME HISSED.

of "Hearst," and one man in the bal- ville township than any of the other cony cried "Bryan". A storm of candidates, made gains, but Mr. Deahisses that followed was stilled by the lim's lead was too much for him to

Mr. Howard at the conclusion of the made a good showing invocation announced the names of the first bailor, and the nomination was president of the Atlanta Street Rail-His mention of the name of Mr made unantmous. Hearst was received with an outburst. Mr. Sloan won on the sixteenth balof compellitive hids for convicts be
of appliance and when Mr. Hearst lot and the nomination was made hind closed doors, and General Clif mounted the rostrum the convention sheriff, the strongest man in the pro-

When quiet had been restored Mr. Hearst began his address, as temperary chairman of the convention

"If the men who met in Indepen-

"But the patriots who assembled the patriots who assembled there had courage in their hearts, destermination in their minds, high purpose in their souls and the Fourth of July is saluted throughout the world." W. Van Hoy and 4.77 for W. H. Hungs the birthday of liberty for all more as the birthday of illerty for all men

A NEW PARTY NEEDED.

but the principles they met to declare capable and efficient. have met to preserve, and the liberties they assembled to secure we have assembled to protect "I believe therefore that we will also

a service to our fellow citizens select 1. only to the inestimable service readered by the founders of this government if we shall found a party which will remain unfallingly faithful to the came of the plain people, to the prin-ciples of the Declaration of Indepen-

essary in this country to preserve the government as the fathers framed it, and will make a good register. business man and protect the honest tire of the peace and will fill the working man a new party is necessary; treasurer a office neceptably. if any party is necessary to represent the board of education, and constitute the trusts, a new party is necessary,

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Received the Nomination, But the

Leader For Treasurer Lost Out-Other Nominations Made Without Any Opposition. pecial to The Observer

cide on the treasurer.

Statesville, July 27.-The important work of the Iredell Democratic convention to-day was the nominating of James M. Deaton for sheriff, James Ebenezer Boyd for register of deeds practically means the election of the nominees. The contest was over the nomination for sheriff and treasurer. it requiring seven ballots to reach a choice for sheriff and sixteen to de-

The convention to-day was the largest, most enthusiastic and most intervigorously whatever met their ap- to the contest in the primaries for the offices of sheriff, register and treasurer. The vote in the primaries was very large. In Coddle Creek township (which includes the Town of Mooresville) the vote cast in the primary was larger than the vote cast for Governor in November, 1904. No candidates

> The vandidates were: For sheriff-Sheriff Summers and

Register - Register M. C. Williams rty. Some of these were:
"Kentucky The Democratic Ma. and J. E. Boyd, Statesville; J. Park, Turnersburg townsnip; N. Armfield, of Statesville, was voted

usts: Wants to Smash Em Treasurer Treasurer M. A. Feim-"Indiana: Wants a New Deal With ster. John E. Stimson, W. R. Sman and C. L. Murdoch, all of Statesville Oregon: No Chicago Steam Roller: As there was no opposition following candidates they were nomi-

Senate, We Want she People to Own V. Turlington, of Mooresville, and Both." Le o White, for county only new man in this let is Mr

Long and Turlington have twice rep-Messes, White Mr. Deaton's lead in the primaries marked him as a winner

Milton W. Howard, of Alabama, and those who figured that way made Mr. Deaton won on the seventh ford's name was withdrawn and on This document declared the purpose, the next build five of Shilleh town. Further Irregularities and Inhuman of the gathering to be the foundation ship's votes, which had been cast of an independent party and the nom-ination of candidates for President Beaton. After the first ballot it was and Vice President. Deaton and Ward. Mr. Ward, who had made a good showing in the pri-The reading was interruped by cries maries, receiving more votes in States

Mr. Brown also

to overlaken.

Mr. Sinch won on the sixteenth balin sight of glory, but Mr. sloan came under the wire first in the final heat. There was only one ballet for coun-

Mr. Hearst said in part.
"My friends. This is the first native commissioners, resulting in the retional convention of the independence momination of the present board with the cries of negroes being whipped "Whether it shall prove an histori- did not ask for a renomination has time from the Charlahoocace Brick cal event or merely a passing political cause he had been a candidate for Company camp. It stated that he had incident depends upon the wisdom and tegister. Mr. R. F. Gaither, of Tur- known of lifty men being whipped in patriotism with which we shall so lite persburg, is named to succeed Mr. one morning, the whipping boss being

in retiring Sheriff Summers, Register Williams and Treasurer Feinster. The committee decided "It is too much to say that our con- the convention exchanged three good islative authority to appoint an expert vention can ever reach the importance men for three other good men. The accountant to sudd the books of the of the second continental congress, present officers proved themselves State prison commission, the State Their retire mount is not on account of any dissatisfateron with them but is due to unwritten law of rotation lication, who is to be the new sheriff, has been a deputy for several years and has made an active and energetic Mr Jerome Lanning, the young man Micoresyllle. Mr Boyd, who is a native of South Carolina, but has fived in the county 15 or 29 years, drowning that occurred in the French was formerly deputy clerk of the Sudence and to the fundamental Americ perior Court and is now city fax col-Can ideas of liberty, equality and op- lector and superintendent of water-portunity for all. works the has discharged the duties He has discharged the duties-"I believe that if any party is necessified popular with all his acquaintances and was drowned before aid could a new party is necessary; if any party Sloan, who is an Alexander county is necessary to promote progress and man has lived in Iredell several prosperity, to encourage the honest years. He is well known as a jus-

In Nicholson, the new member of hold the people in their struggle (is ther, the new county commission-with the tyrannical monopolies which or, are well-known citizens, who will fill acceptably the places for which they are chosen.

"The old parties in this day of their summer one needs a tonic to off-set the cadence are no longer equal to this customary hot weather Nerve and "The old parties in this day of their decadence are no longer equal to this work, for they have become unfaithful to the principles which inspired them and unworthy of the patriots who founded them.

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worked in 100 convict camps, testi tied of neglect in the camps, and the the exception of Mr. J. B. Parks, who were borne on the air at almost any Carks. Cally one ballot was taken for the The men, he alleged, were whipped 

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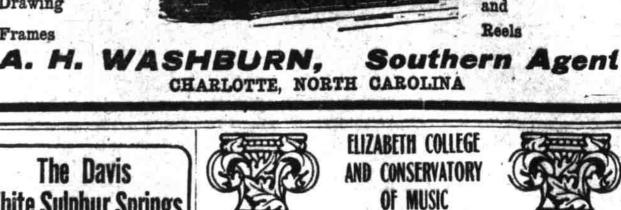
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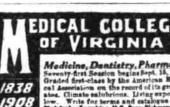
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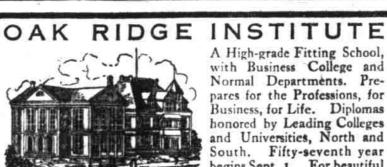
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