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A SPLENDID TICKET WAS THEIR CHOICE

Democrats Select From All Heart Timber.

RECEPTION WAS ALL RIGHT

Greensboro Treated Its Convention Guests Most Rollicly.

HOW THE DECISIVE VOTES WERE CAST

The Primary Plan Gets the Worst Swatting in the Convention Which Was at Times Rippling in Good Natured Jollity and Josh.

Greensboro, N. C., July 17.—The faint light of a coming day was paling the brilliancy of the stars as the remnant of a great State Convention pulled itself out of the hall and delegates jostled elbows as they clambered down the steps.

It was a jaded lot, yet a jolly one. Pious had been the fights for favorites and for policies, but it was over. A splendid ticket had been presented to the voters of North Carolina, and a winning platform had been enunciated.

Resolved, that this Convention highly appreciates the generous and gracious manner in which it has been entertained, and hereby tenders its thanks to the Democrats of Guilford county, to the city government and people of Greensboro for their courtesy and hospitality.

It was open handed hospitality. The convention hall was airy with ventilation and many electric fans whirred this about in cool waves. Ice water and lemonade in abundance, and with cigars for all without charge was the rule in the convention hall.

The convention itself was a familiar scene with a new setting. It was old but new. It was dignified, stiff collars, coats and elegance for awhile, but as the hours jogged along it got out of all these and did things. Lucky the fellow who as the night wore on could get a hearing.

Put it as you may, it is a funny sight to see a man talk against a convention. There is a huge volume of sound roaring up against him and he is trying to funnel his words back into it, but he don't in the midst of the whirl of sound is a wildly gesticulating man, whose lips move, whose hands describe parabolas and who now and then looks at the chairman with mildly pathetic eyes.

Some men won attention even when the convention was most hilarious. notable case was that of R. N. Hackett, of Wilkes, who made the most able plea for primaries ever heard at a convention. In the early hours it was possible to win a hearing and among the speakers who made effective addresses were Claude Kitchin in nominating Judge Clark, Victor Bryant who spoke for Judge Connor, Theo. F. Klutz in naming Charles H. Armfield and W. W. Kitchin in speaking for the majority platform report.

on taking the chair as the temporary presiding officer and Senator Simmons address was most vigorous and eloquent.

Not even the contest for the nominations caused the excitement that came with the platform resolutions. The firebrand was whether to re-affirm the National platform of the Democratic party or to simply reaffirm allegiance to the fundamental principles of Democracy, the latter being a minority report from two members.

The proposition for a primary was walloped out of all shape. In this the minority report won after much debate and by a majority that was huge, the vote being 333 against a primary and 290 for it.

THE FIFTH GEORGIA IS ON THE WAY TO WRIGHTSVILLE

Six Hundred and Fifty Georgians En Route and Three Hundred Already at the Beach.

Atlanta, Ga., July 17.—The Fifth Georgia Regiment left here this afternoon for the encampment at Wrightsville Beach, North Carolina. The train was in two sections and bore four hundred men and one hundred officers and their families.

CHEERS FOR EX SENATOR HILL

"The Next President of the United States," Shout the People.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 17.—Former Senator David B. Hill arrived here this evening to be the guest over night of William F. Sheehan, ex-Lieutenant Governor of New York, who owns a handsome country home near Oyster Bay.

Trial of the Monitor Arkansas.

Newport, News, Va., July 17.—The United States monitor Arkansas left the ship yards this morning about 8 o'clock on her builder's trial trip, returning here at 9 o'clock tonight.

The Arkansas was taken just outside the capes and put through the regular speed and machinery tests calculated to show up any defects in her make up that may appear.

The Withdrawal From Tien Tsin.

Pekin, July 17.—General Yuan Shih Kai, the Governor of Chi Li province, and the Chinese Foreign Office, have decided to accept the terms proposed for the withdrawal of the foreign troops from Tien Tsin and will so notify the ministers July 19th, unless the Dowager Empress disapproves of their action.

The Population of Oklahoma.

Oklahoma, O. T., July 17.—The commission appointed to re-apportion Oklahoma Territory has announced the total population of the Territory to be 699,000, with one representative for every 22,900 people, and one Senator for every 45,900.

Appointments on Central of Georgia.

Savannah, Ga., July 17.—Official circulars have been issued by the Central Railroad of Georgia, announcing the appointment of W. E. Estes, as general freight agent and J. F. Gray as freight claim agent of the Central lines.

Thirteen People Drowned.

Portsmouth, N. H., July 17.—Thirteen lives were lost by the capsizing of a sail boat in the lower harbor this afternoon.

Victor Emmanuel Leaves Peterhoff.

Peterhoff, Russia, July 17.—King Victor Emmanuel, of Italy, took cordial leave of the Car this afternoon.

ATTACKS HOLTON WITH HIS CANE

N. Glenn Williams Wipes Out Old Scores.

BYSTANDERS PART THEM

Holton Strikes One Blow With a Monkey Wrench.

HIS OPPONENT CARRIED A COWHIDE

The Encounter the Outgrowth of Remarks by Holton in a Trial, Williams Submits and Gives Bond For His Appearance in Court.

Winston-Salem, N. C., July 17.—Mr. N. Glenn Williams, a prominent citizen of Yadkin county, made an assault with a cane on United States District Attorney A. E. Holton, in a hardware store here this afternoon.

Mr. Holton had only been in the store a few minutes when Mr. Williams entered and immediately attacked him. Several blows had been struck when bystanders interfered and separated the two men.

A large crowd gathered soon after the affair with a view to hearing the version of each of the two men. Mr. Williams' lawyer stated that the trouble was of long standing and originated out of some remarks made by Mr. Holton in a trial in Yadkin county some time ago.

In talking to some friends this afternoon Mr. Holton stated that he had said no more of Mr. Williams in the trial referred to than he would have said of any other man in similar circumstances.

Mr. Williams submitted and gave bond for his appearance here next week when the preliminary trial will be held by Justice Bessent. Messrs. Holton and Williams have not spoken to one another in fourteen years.

On the Diamond.

Tarboro Wins a Pitcher's Battle.

Tarboro, N. C., July 17.—The locals won again today a game that was a pitcher's battle.

National League.

At St. Louis..... R H E St. Louis... 3 2 13 10 3-10 13 4 Phila. ... 10 2 10 0 0 1-6 12 6

American League.

At Boston..... R H E Boston... 0 2 0 0 0 2-3 2 2 Cleveland ... 0 3 0 0 0 3-8 8 0

Southern League.

Birmingham 1; New Orleans 6. Atlanta 4; Memphis 7. Nashville 7; Little Rock 6. Chattanooga 1; Shreveport 6.

Eastern League.

Newark 2; Buffalo 4. Providence 3; Worcester 4. Jersey City 7; Rochester 1. (Second Game.)—Jersey City 4; Rochester 2. Montreal-Toronto game postponed; wet grounds.

Wife Murderer Lynched.

Owensboro, Ky., July 17.—Joshua Anderson was taken from jail here early this morning by a crowd of men and hanged to the cross beam of the city scales.

lead him out, others of the mob surrounded the jailer and his family to prevent them from giving the alarm. Anderson was soon secured and in a few moments was led across the street from the prison, where a rope was placed about his neck and he was hanged to a beam over a pair of scales.

American Missionaries Stoned.

St. Petersburg, Russia, July 17.—The Novoe Vremya today publishes a dispatch from Seoul, Korea, which says that two American missionaries have been stoned and beaten on the line of the Seoul-Fusan Railroad by Japanese laborers, and that the Japanese minister has expressed regret and promised the severe punishment of the offenders.

Officer Shot by an Outlaw.

Swainsboro, Ga., July 17.—While attempting to arrest Charley Johnson, an alleged outlaw wanted upon the charge of murder, J. T. Flanders, a deputy sheriff, was shot and instantly killed by Johnson today, whom he had overtaken upon a public road.

STEAMER GOES DOWN

Nineteen on Board the Shearwater Perish.

Manila, July 17.—A severe typhoon swept over the southern islands June 14 and 15. The United States customs steamer Shearwater was lost off the island of Marinduque. Nineteen of her crew, including three Americans, were drowned.

Seeking to Capture the Ladrones.

Manila, July 17.—An extensive drive, with the object of capturing the ladrones chiefs Montallon and Felizardo and fifty of their followers, is progressing in Cavite province. Twelve hundred constabulary, commanded by Captain Baker, moved today at daylight, forming a complete angle-shaped cordon, covering sixty square miles.

Fighting the Cholera.

Manila, July 17.—The municipal health board of Manila has decided to remove 49,000 natives from the slums to suburban camps, in an effort to check the spread of cholera here. The object is to clean and disinfect the disease centers. The camps will be sanitariously conducted. The municipality rents the ground, builds the camps and feeds the indigent persons.

Confederate Monument Dedicated.

Elkins, W. Va., July 17.—A Confederate veterans monument was dedicated today on top of Valley Mountain near here in memory of Southern soldiers who fell at the lonely spot.

The Dry Dock at Norfolk

Roanoke, Va., July 17.—While a bridge force was working on a Norfolk and Western Railway trestle over Reed Creek, two miles west of Wytheville, today, the scaffolding gave way, precipitating Allen Grubbs, James W. Smith, Stephen Gregor, William Hicks and John Johnson, the latter a foreman, eighty feet below into the creek. Smith was instantly killed, his head being crushed by striking a bed of rocks. Grubbs and McKenzie are believed to have received injuries that will prove fatal.

They Meet Next at Asheville.

Atlanta, Ga., July 17.—At today's session of the convention of the Southern Association of Newspaper Circulators, it was decided to hold the next meeting of the association at Asheville, N. C. Today's session was devoted entirely to the discussion of various technical matters.

Second Lieutenant in the Army.

Washington, D. C., July 17.—Among the men the Secretary of War has designated for examination with a view to their appointment as second lieutenants in the army from civil life is Oscar Tolley, North Carolina.

The Buller Controversy Bobs Up.

London, July 17.—The Buller controversy was again raised by Sir Edward Grey Baronet (Liberal) in the House of Commons today on the war office vote. Sir Edward charged the War Officials with acting unfairly towards General Buller and demanded the publication of further papers.

THE TRUE RING

Judge Brown's Tribute to His Opponent.

He Extends His Sincere Thanks to His Friends and Supporters Throughout North Carolina.

To the Editor: I take the only method I have to express my full endorsement of the Democratic State ticket, nominated at Greensboro. I shall do all that a judge can with propriety do to insure its success at the polls.

The Democratic party cannot afford to permit the defeat of any one of its candidates. In selecting my opponent, Judge Connor, for the exalted station of Associate Justice, our party has recognized Judge Connor's unswerving fidelity to Democratic principles, when in 1894, he unhesitatingly thrust aside the tempting bribe of the Fusionists and refused to allow the weight of his name and high character to be cast in the balance against the true interests of our State.

BRAGG IS EVASIVE.

Had Right to Say What He Pleased in Letter to His Wife.

Washington, July 17.—In the case of General Bragg, United States Consul General at Havana, the State Department has heard from Minister Squiers and also indirectly from General Bragg. The general takes the ground that this is a purely personal matter and that he is not therefore open to official criticism; that he had a right to say anything he pleased in a personal letter to his wife and no one had a right to question her.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT BRIDGE

Scaffolding Gives Way Precipitating Several Men Into Reed Creek.

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bility of such mistakes as the abandonment of the arms at Colenso and the proposals to surrender Ladysmith. Sir Edward Grey's proposed vote of censure of the government for its treatment of General Buller was defeated by 235 to 98, after much speech making.

WILKES' NEW COURT HOUSE.

The Corner Stone Laid by the Grand Lodge of Masons. (Special to News and Observer.) Wilkesboro, N. C., July 17.—The corner stone of the new court house was laid this evening by the Grand Lodge of North Carolina. The Grand Master, Dr. Clark, was unable to be present, but Judge Winston officiated in his stead.

Naval Review Off Spithhead.

London, July 17.—The naval review off Spithhead has been officially fixed for August 11.

THREE BULLETS SPED

King Shot Two Sisters of Charity and Himself

All Because He Wanted to Know His Parents' Names and the Information Was Refused.

New York, July 17.—Henry F. King, thirty years old, entered the office of the New York Foundling Asylum this afternoon and shot two Sisters of Charity. He then ran into the grounds of the institution and shot himself in the left breast, making only a flesh wound. King was taken to a police court, where he was committed without bail for examination Saturday.

A SWEDISH BOB ACRES.

Challenges an American to Fight and Then Fails to Appear

Stockholm, Sweden, July 17.—A great sensation has been caused in military circles here by the conduct of Captain Arvid Wester, who, after challenging an American, William Casper, to fight a duel, failed to appear at the spot selected for the encounter. Last night in the Grand Arena Palace, Wester, in the full uniform of a captain on the general staff and wearing his decorations, disturbed the seance of a mind reader, Casper, the manager of the establishment, remonstrated and demanded an apology.

Capture of the Guitierrez Brothers.

Manila, July 17.—The three Gutierrez brothers, who are charged with the murder of an apprentice named Vincelio, who was a member of the party commanded by Lieutenant Commander J. C. Gillmore, of the United States gunboat Yorktown, captured by the Filipinos in April, 1899, have arrived at Balor, Principe province, after having evaded the military and constabulary for two years.

Nomination of Congressmen.

Mena, Ark., July 17.—Congressman John S. Little has been nominated by the new Fourth District Democratic Convention without opposition, pursuant to the result of the primary held March 23. Rome, Ga., July 17.—J. W. Maddox was re-nominated for Congress by the Seventh District Convention here today.

Col. Macy Resigns.

Special to News and Observer.) Henderson, N. C., July 17.—Col. Henry Macy has resigned his position as agent of the Seaboard Air Line at this place and has accepted a position with the Citizens' Bank. He will have charge of Insurance, Savings and Storage. He is efficient and a great favorite here.