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THE DEMOCRATIC WHEEL OF FORTUNE.

# UP LEAPS ROARING BRYANESQUE WAVE

But Its Thunderous Crest Bursts Into a Foam of Parker Banners Upheld by Southern Hands.

order that the Philippines were not part of the United States and there-

fore the amendment was not ger-mane. Mr. South defended the rights

of the Philippine delegation, but final-

withdrew his amendment. Arguing for the adoption of the re

port Mr. Grady said the National Com-mittee had decided to include Porto

Rico in the call of the convention.

The committee had to consider the

question as to whether these delegates had the right to vote. The Supreme Court of the United States had decided that Porto Rico was a part of the territory of the United States. The same court had decided that the Philipping and the same court of the United States.

ippines was not a part of the United

States. The committee had followed this court and had given Porto Rico votes and withheld votes from the Philippines.

"The question," said the chairman,
"is upon the adoption of the—"
Senator South interrupted at this
point with an expressed desire to

speak to the question and accordingly took the platform. He declared that it had never been a part of Demo-cratic doctrine to consider the insular

possessions as part of the United States and he was opposed to such ac-

### CYCLONE OF EMOTION?

However, When the Magnificent Greeting to Bryan and the Counter Demonstration to Parker Have Swept Over the Convention, the Business of the Body Proceeds Rapidly---Hon. Champ Clark is Elected Permanent Chairman and Delivers an Address of Great Logic and Porce.

(By the Associated Press,) St. Louis, Mo., July 7 .- The morning session of the Democratic National convention today lasted less than

There was a delay in calling it to order and at 11 o'clock it became necessary to take a recess until 2 o'clock to await reports from the Committees on Permanent Organization and Credentials. The Committee on Permanent Organization met at once and elected Representative Champ Clark as permanent chairman. The choice was unanimous. The real cause for the delay was the time needed to prepare the report of the Committee on Credentials. This committee disposed of the last contest at an early hour this morning, but was unable to have its report ready for the convention. The order maintained in the convention hall this morning was a great improvement over yesterday although the proceedings were heard the presentation and adoption of the report from the Committee on Rules. The question of representation of th convention precipitated the first contest in the Republican Convention at plicated this morning.

# The Morning Session.

Chairman Williams was given round of applause when he ap-He had made allowance e weather by dispeared. , the carding his waist-coat, but offset this a trifle by pinning two extra-sized badges on the outside of his coat. In his mouth was a cigar which he rolled and chewed nervously. As soon as he reached his desk he searched his pockets for a match but finding none,

masticated the tip of his cigar more energetically than before.

The strain of his long speech of the strain of his long speech of the strain of his wolce. yesterday was evident in his voice which was weak and hoarse. As soon as he had produced quiet

in the hall by the use of his gavel he introduced Archbishop John J. Glennon, of St. Louis, who delivered the following invocation:

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Try name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespases as we forgive those who tres-pass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Come Holy Spirit, enlighten the hearts of the people and pour forth fire of Thy divine love. forth Try spirit, Oh Lord, and they shall be created, and Thou shalt renew the face of the earth." In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

#### Brief Prayer Applauded. The prayer was brief and, as the

prelate resumed his seat, a murmur of approval ran through the convention, which in a few seconds deepened roar of applause.

Immediately after the invocation, Chairman Williams called for the report on rules and the order of busi-

"The rentleman from New York is recognized," he concluded. Delegate Thomas Grady reported

the committee as heretofore pub-The report was adopted without opposition or discussion

Mr. Grady next read the report concerning Porto Rico and the Philip pine Islands, according the delegates from Porto Rico seats and votes in the convention. Demands to have the report read were shouted from the Minnesota and Wisconsin delegations. Chairman Williams sharply reprimanded the persistence of the mand, saying the report would be read, if the delegates would allow it by keeping quiet. The chairman said:

This is a most important matter. are about to determine whether the Philippine delegates shall be entitled to votes in our Nationa! Convention when at the same time we declare that the Philippines should a part of the United States therefore urge you to be quiet that the motion may have full considera-

Senator Jerry South, of Arkansas, moved to amend the report as soon as it was read so as to make it include

with difficulty. The first business was insular possessions on the floor of the GEN. JULIAN S. CARR, of Durham. Vice-Chairman N. C. Delegation. tion. He deprecated the idea of hold Chicago and that instance was duing the question in abeyance until the report of the Credentials Committee was received and asked the convention to vote down that part of the

committee's report. There were loud calls of "question," but the chairman again recognized L. Irving Handy, of Delaware, who spoke in favor of the report and urged its adoption. His expressed hope that the day would come when the Philopnines could select their own President and hold their own National Convention called forth cheers.

There were renewed cries of "ques-

"If the gentlemen will remain quiet," said the chairman, "the chair can put it quicker."

On a viva voce vote the "ayes" were in a strong majority. Senator South asked for a roll call.

but this was also heavily voted down by a viva voce vote

The roll call is declined," said the chairman, with a thumb of the gavel.
"The chair recognizes the gentleman from Porto Rico to express his thanks to the convention," called the chairman, as A. M. Molina, of that delegation rose in his seat. There were numerous interruptions and calls for recognition, but the chairman silenced

them. and Mr. Molina spoke briefly and received a ripple of applause as he concluded. Chairman Williams endeavored to state that the clerk would make an

by cries of "louder."
"In the day when the angel Gabriel shall stand on the highest mount of the world," said the chairman, "and with a megaphone shall announce the

crash of creation, there will be some to interrupt him by crying 'louder.' This witticism from the chairman hit the humor of the convention and

a prolonged laugh followed. The secretary then announced that the permanent organization committee was not ready to make a report and desired a conference of the com-

mittee at once. The Bull of Bashan Skinned.

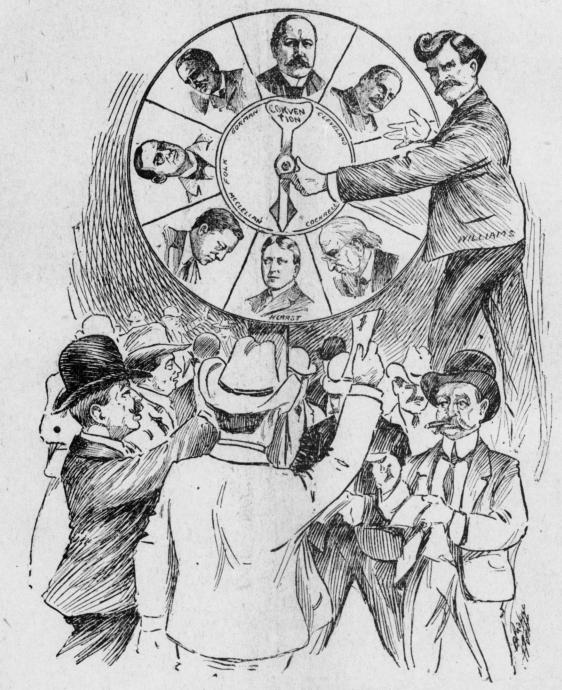
Because of the wretched accoustics of the ha!! Chairman Williams requested the chairman of the New York and Illinois delegations to repeat all announcements. Mr. Williams aated great laughter when he said: 'So dreadful are the acoustic properties of this remarkable meeting place that my friend Ollie James, of Kentucky, who has a voice like the bull of Bashon, and in whose presence that bull retired from business confided to me that even he could not

be heard in this place."
"The next thing in the order of business," said the chairman, "is the report of the Committee on Credentials. Will the chairman of the delegations

"I suggest,' said John Cadwallader, of Pennsylvania, "that the megaphone be adopted."

"Well, will you get the mega-phone?" retorted the chairman. ment of the call for the credential re-

manship. Unofficially, he had heard



ALL BETS DOWN!!!

# OF THE CONVENTION

Convention Hall, St. Louis, July 7 .-10:13 a. m.—Convention called to order. Temporary Chairman Williams as cheered as he took his place on the platform. Delegates arriving rap-

10.16 a. m .- Archbishop Glennon, of St. Louis, offers prayer. 10:21 r. m.-Report of Committee on Rules read and adopted.

10:27 a. m.—Committee on Rules delegates are almost wholly in their reported recommended amendment of seats. rules to provide for seating delegates of Porto Rico. Amendment offered in include Philippines. Points of order Georgia. being heard.

10:40 a. m .- Senator Grady takes platform to defend report of commit-tee. Jerry South, of Arkansas, takes platform to urge that report of committee be voted down. Criticises United States Supreme Court and is

10:44 a. m.—Recess ordered. 10:48 a. m.-Roll call demanded.

10:50 a. m.-Chair declared report of Committee on Rules recognizing Porto Rico delegates adopted. The Committee on Permanent Or-

ganization has decided to recommend Champ Clark for permanent chair-

announcement, but was interrupted from Porto Rico appeared on the by cries of "louder." 11:03 a. m .-- Committee on Creden-

tials send word cannot report before 2 o'clock, and William F. Sheehan moves that convention take recess until 2 o'clock. 1:50 p. m .- Balconies in convention

almost completely filled. Majority of delegates in their seats. 2:14 p. m.—Bryan has just entered the hall. Cheered heartily. Movement began in the galleries in center of the hall and spread to platform. Some of the delegates joined in cheer-

The motion to take a recess was

agreed to by a viva voce vote, and the morning session came to a close at

Champ Clark Elected.

ing session of the convention received

and accepted the formal declination of Senator Bailey to be permanent

chairman. Champ Clark, of Missouri,

was then elected and accepted the po-

Chairman Dinsmore said that Senator

Bailey had made no sign whether he would accept or decline the chair-

When the committee assembled

and visitors rose to leave.

2:17 p. m.-Majority delegates re-

mained seated during demonstration peared on platform. which still continues.

2:18 p. m.—Demonstration contin-ued for eight minutes with little sign of subsiding has provoked continuation of cheering. Standards of Missouri, Iowa, North Dakota and Kentucky carried to Nebraska standard amid tremendous din. All this while

2:23 p. m.-Parker banner unfurled, causing wildest uproar. Lifted by

2:25 p. m.—Demonstration now on for eleven minutes and shows little signs of diminution. Significance of demonstration seems lost, as whole convention now in uproar. Georgia's banner going up main aisle, surrounded by frantic cheering crowd.

2:27 p. m.-Parker banner carried to platform. South Carolina and Arkansas rushed up to join it.

2:30 p. m.—Alabama's banner has the others. Pennsylvania's New Jersey's, Indiana's have joined the others and Connecticut has followed. West Virginia has also been put forward. Michigan and Kentucky have forced their standards up through the main aisle. Chairman Williams is trying to stem the tumult. Delegates resuming seats.

2:32 p. m.-It is quieting down after eighteen minutes.

2:33 p. m.-Attempt made to renew cheering for Bryan rises, dies.

2:37 p. m.-Temporary Chairman Williams trying to announce order of business through a megaphone, makes call for Committee on Credentials. 2:40 p. m.-Bryan coming to plat-

Another demonstration, mostly in galleries. Delegates all seated. 2:42 p. m.—Convention awaiting appearance Chairman Head of the Committee on Credentials.

lumbia, said that Mr. Clark authorized

him to accept the chairmanship should

On motion of Frederick C. Schraub.

the committee select him.

3:05 p. m.-Majority report now being read.

3:12 p. m.—Chairman Head moves against the blue banner as though he adoption of majority report. 3:14 p. m.—Bryan appears with inority report. Delegate moves minority report. Delegate moves that galleries be cleared. Chairman Williams warns them to keep order or he will order them cleared.

3:38 p. m.—Bryan submits minority report in case of Illinois. 4:20 p. m.—Bryan begins his speech. 4:13 p. m.—Bryan has concluded eading of long minority report after

thirty-five minutes reading. 4:15 p. m.—Bryan asks for fifteen minutes a side to discuss the report. 4:28 p. m.-Bryan became very denunciatory. He contended that the action of the Hopkins element in Illinois was like to that of "ordinary

train robbers." 4:41 p. m.—Bryan received ovation it close, but it was restricted to galries, practically no delegates rising. Bryan demanded roll call which as ordered on motion to substitute the minority report for the majority

eport of the credentials committee. Bryan's minority report defeated. Majority report on Illinois contest Report of committee on permanent

rganization read. 4:10 p. m.—Champ Clark escorted to chair as permanent chairman by Joseph W. Bailey. of Texas, and Bourke Cockran. of New York.

Sub-committees of the Committee on Resolutions adopts as its financial plank a declaration for the maintenance of the present gold standard on the ground that the increased supply of gold insures a sufficient volume of currency.

6:13 p. m.-Clark begins his speech. 6:20 p. m.-Clark concludes, and convention adjourns until 10 o'clock

New York, who moved that a recess be taken until 2 o'clock.

The convention was instantly in an uproar of confusion as the delegates close, I might say, tender friendship visiting between the State delegates has been prohibited. that exists between him and Mr. Edwin B. Hay, of the District of Co-

#### St. Louis, July 7.—The Committee of New York, the commet just before the close of the mornof New York, the committee chose

THE AFTERNOON SESSION. St. Louis, July 7.-With the promise of a contest of giant orators over the adoption of the report of the committee on credentials, the convention hall filled early for the afternoon session. Long before the delegates beban to arrive the galleries filled. The band gave a concert which was appreciatively applauded and every number was caught up by the crowd and the fusion, Delegate Robinson, of Alabama, jumped to his chair and shoutcheers rolled up in a roar. Mr. Bryan passed slowly down the aisle, picking his way through the delegates who were massed in the aisles. He paid no attention at first to the demonstration but a fusion, Delegate Robinson, of Alabama, jumped to his chair and instantly it was caught up by the crowd and the fusion, Delegate Robinson, of Alabama, jumped to his chair and shoutcheers rolled up in a roar. Mr. Bryan passed slowly down the aisle, picking his way through the delegates who were massed in the aisles. He paid nor Beckham, of Kentucky, address the convention. ment of the call for the credential report as soon it was read so as to make it include he Philippines.

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Delegates came in slowly and to their places without causing demon-strations of any character. The band strations of any character. The band held the undivided attention of the

#### than at either of the previous sessions. Outburst of Bryanism.

William J. Bryan was given an ovation when he entered the hall just prior to the opening of the afternoon ession of the convention. He was half way down the aisle when he was the majority report of the committee first recognized. There came a ter- and Delegate rific yell from a group of delegates in the rear of the hall and instantly it

# **OUT OF DUSK SEA** A BLAZE OF DOOM

The Japanese Gunboat Kaimon Collides With a Russian Mine and Goes Down in Talien Wan Bay.

# OVER A SCORE KILLED

frantically. The band struck up an the friends of Mr. Bryan believing this to be an effort to smother their shouts, yelled louder than before. A man climbed to the chairman's table and began to wave his arms up and down, shouting unintelligently. In a moment Mr. Williams caught sight of him, and grabbing the enthusiast by the trousers, hauled him down.

A wild frenzy of yells followed the act of a Nebraska delegate, who seiz-ed the Nebraska State sign and waved

it high in the air. Delegates from Kentucky, North Dakota, Iowa, Missouri and Montana took the cue, and catching up their State sign, hastened with them to the Nebraska delegation where they waved them in a circle around the Nebraska sign.

Answer of the Parker Men. Daniel J. Campau, of Michigan, gold Democrat, did his best to lead the enthusiasm by rushing up the steps leading to the chairman's platform and waving his hat wildly. The Par-ker men at once sought to offset the Bryan demonstration by cheers on their side. The men of the South came to the front in this effort and the Georgia delegation" every time they



MAJ. E. J. HALE, of Fayetteville. Vice President National Democratic Convention.

march into the hall, at once waved it high and started toward the platform. An enthusiastic delegate from South Carolina caught the sight of the State 3:03 p. m.—Chairman Head has ap- from his staff, tore up the steps and, after brandishing the red and white disk wildly, shook it at the Bryan and Hearst men and then placed it flat

The Parker men came up swiftly now, and before the South Carolina man had lowered his hand, the men from Arkansas, Alabama and Pennway to his side. After Pennsylvania came Mississippi, New Jersey, Tennessee, Indiana, Louisana, Texas, Con-necticut and Virginia. The demonstration had resolved itself into a Parker outbreak more than a testimonial to Bryan, and it so remained to the fin-

ish, which was eighteen minutes af-ter Mr. Bryan entered the hall. The Parker men clamed that they had information before entering the hall that the Bryan demonstration had been arranged between the Hearst men and Tammany, and they were prepared to meet it by a Parker counter outburst of their own. As the noise began to subside Chairman Williams secured a huge megaphone and endeavored to announce that the recess had ended, and it was time for to it," the convention to come to order. There was still so much confusion huge gathering was trying to compose itself, that the chairman's voice, even through the megaphone was hardly audible. It was finally ascertained that the Committee on Credentials was ready to report.

A Second Outburst. Just at this instance Mr. Bryan arose in his place and began making his way to the platform. As soon as this was observed, up went the convention again on its feet and the cheers arose with fresh vigor.

When Mr. Bryan mounted the platform, young Deford, one of the secretaries, got on a table next to the presiding officer, and, throwing both arms into the air, shouted and waved his to the platform was to present a minority report to credentials committee. He is a member of the committee by ance. gathering. The attendance was larger

> When Mr. Bryan was fully on the ies to the rear gave him a cheer. He turned around and made many bows. Chairman Head, of the committee had not yet put in an appearance with Kerr, of Pennsylvania,

was dispatched for him. In the meantime, amidst great con-

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A Dispatch From Ta Tche Kain Reports the Japanese as Swarming Over the Mountains and Compelling General Chirikoff With the Center of the Russian Vanguard to Fall Back---The Japanese Occupy the Village of Nan Tay---The Asiatic Scourge Appears in Manchuria.

(By the Associated Press.) Tokio, July 7.-The Japanese gunoat Kaimon struck a mine and sunk Talien Wan Bay on July 5th.

Washington, July 7 .- The Japanese egation has received the following ablegram from Tokio dated today: Admiral Togo reports that on July

our gunboat Kaimon while on a special mission in the waters outside of Talien Wan in a dense fog, struck a Russian mine and sank. Three officers, including Commander Takashi and nineteen petty officers and men are missing. The rest were

Russian Van Forced Back.

Ta Tche Kaio, Wednesday, July 6. —(Delayed in transmission.)—The Japanese swarmed over the mountain crests early this morning and advanced on Ky-Chou, compelling General Chirikoff with the center of the Russian vanguard, to fall back. A whole brigade of Japanese, with pied the village of Nan Tay, driving out two companies of Russian infantry and two companies of Cossacks, who were entrenched there. The Japa nese arrived within five miles of Kai Chou. It was then nightfall. General Samsonoff made a heroic attempt to check the Japanese, galloping out with guns to shell the Japa-nese left and inflicting great loss on them, but fearing his retreat would be cut off he fell back and is now holding Kai Chou. General Chirikoff's force is stationed southeast of Kio Chou. The plans of the Japanese remain a mystery to the Russian com-

The Cholera Appears.

Washington, July 7 .- A cable report from Minister Allen, at Seoul, points to the existence of a great danger to both beligerent armies in Manchuria He says that he has learned from a. sylvania were turning over chairs and military surgeon that cholera has pushing through the aisles on their crossed Manchuria and appeared at

> DR. ALDERMAN ACCEPTS. He Will be The President of the University of Virginia.

> Richmond, 'Va., July 7 .- Dr. E. A Alderman, of Tulane University, has accepted the presidency of the Uni-

versity of Virginia.

Dr. Alderman today telegraphed to Daniel Harmon, of Charlottesville, a member of the board of visitors of the University of Virginia. "I accept the presidency of the University of Virginia and will give my best labors

Dr. Alderman is in New York and on account of Mrs. Alderman's ill health she and her husband will spend several weeks in the mountains be-fore Dr. Alderman comes to the University of Virginia on August 15th, one month before the sessions open, to begin his executive duty.

LIGHTNING "STRIKES ILL." Standard Oil Company's Plant Demolished During a Thunderstorm.

(Special to News and Observer.) New Bern, N. C., July 7 .- This afternoon during a heavy and disas-trous storm, lightning struck the warehouse of the Standard Oil Company, located in the western section of the city, completely demolishing it arms frantically and outburst of applause occurred, but it was of short duration. Mr. Bryan's object in going The fire department responded promptly and rendered valiant assistance. The damage is estimated at proxy, bearing that of Delegate Caspar, of Nebraska. come from the surrounding country that the rain fell in such torrents platform the spectators in the galler- that crops were almost submerged. .

# Ball Game on the Hill.

(Special to News and Observer.) Chapel Hill, N. C., July 7.—The class of 1904 defeated the law school team here on Vance athletic field this afternoon by a score of 7 to 5. The game was replete with snappy plays. Batteries: 1902, Lewis and Merritt; Law, Carpenter and Meares.

The fire department assembled to-

of Mr. Head, with the report, Governor Beckham, of Kentucky, address the convention.

This motion was put through the megaphone and declared carried. It was some moments before Governor Beckham was heard from and when Beckham was heard from and when arad, chaplain; delegates, W. W. Pickard and F. G. Patterson.