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# NORMAN MACK MORE VOTES FOR MR. TAFT ON THE GROUND

Way, Heeding Not Frantic Cries of the Opposition

The Mississippi District Delegates Early Fell Into the Taft Column by Process of National Committee Probably Be Acted on Today-Dixon and Roosevelt Continue to Rage and There is Much Talk of New Party-Talk On Both Sides, Too, About the Advisability of "Dark Horse,"

Chicago, Ill., June 13 .- Tweive delegates were added to the Taft column in the first two hours of the republican committee's session, the committee deciding in Taft's favor sixth, seventh and eighth Mississippi tional districts. Demands for roll calls by hand. the Roosevelt members were ignored by the committee.

With the Mississippi cases decided the national committee began consideration of the Missouri contests. involving fourteen seats.

## The Day's Work.

Chicago, June 13 .- The republican national committee today continued hearing the contests from Mississippi, beginning where the committee left off last night, after voting to seat Taft delegates in the first district. Contests were before the committee from the second, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth Mississippi districts. With the Mississippi contests finished, the Missouri contest follow. When the committee met this morning it was the purpose to conclude today hearings in Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina and Oklahoma contests.

## More Delegates for Taft. Chicago, Ill., June 13 .- The sec-

ond, fourth, sixth and seventh Mississippi districts eight delegates, were credited to Taft. Tried to Oust Henry, To Chicago, Ill., June 13 .- An unsuccessful effort was made to oust Francis J. Henry, of San Francisco,

from the republican national committee on the ground that he is a democrat. Committeeman Sturgess, of Arizona, made a motion to ex-clude Henry. Henry denied he ran for prosecuting attorney on the demcommittee laid the Sturgess motion on the table.

# Gets Fifth Mississippi. Chicago, Ill., June 13 .- The fifth

## Root Expected Today. Chicago, Ill., June 13 .- A dark

horse candidacy for president in the hope of bringing the republican party harmony constituted the talk of many republican convention delegates arriving today. The leaders apparently feet that the battle lines between the Taft and Roosevelt forces are so sharply drawn, and such high feeling has been aroused that the fight will be fought to a finish between Taft and Roosevelt. Taft supporters apparently are more confident than ever, after yesterday's victory in contests. Predictions were reiterated that the president will be renominated on the first ballot. The Roosevelt men declared that Roosevelt would have the necessary 540 votes on the first ballot. Cummins and LaFollette followers say there will be no nomination on the first ballot. Senator Root's expected arrival this afternoon is awaited anxiously by Director Mc-Kinley of the Taft campaign, who planned a long conference with Root to devise plans for the temporary organization of convention. Less talk was heard today of opposition of Root's nomination as temporary

# Irreconcilable Differences.

Chicago, June 13 .- Apparently irreconcilability of differences between Taft and Roosevelt leaders in the republican party borne on a rising tide of charges of bribery, theft and other accusations, last night threatened to precipitate decisive developments before the opening of the national convention next Tuesday. The charges of corruption were

made in a statement issued last night by Director McKinley of the Taft bureau which directly accuses the Roosevelt managers of an effort to capture the convention by force. Prominent men on both sides ad-

mitted the sintation had become so acute that almost anything might happen within the next few days. Among possibilities discussed in conference rooms, hotel corridors and party headquarters were two that continued to come up again and

The first of these was the pos-(Continued on Page Seven.)

# Steam Roller Proceeds on Its Democratic Leaders Getting Busy--No Credence Given Report About Mack

Baltimore, June 13.-Informal meetings of the democratic national committeemen with National Chairman Norman E. Mack, within a few days are expected to outline the plan of the convention proceedings to be formally adopted by the arrange-ments committee which meets June -North Carolina Contests Will 20th to select temporary officers of the democratic convention. Mack arrived this afternoon and opened national committee headquarters and conferred with the national committeemen already on the scene. Reports that Mack will retire a snational chairman are not given cre-

Wilson and Clark headquarters will be opened the latter part of this week. Representatives of both can-didates are here making arrangements. Baltimore awaits Chicago's The leaders declare there is action. no disposition to start the political contests in the second, fourth, slith, sixth, seventh and eighth Mississippl tional convention has uncovered its

### DROWNED IN CAPE FEAR.

#### J. H. Long Fell Off of Schooner And Died Before Wife and Child.

Wilmington, June 13 .- With his wife, little daughter and father-in-law looking helplessly on, J. H. Long's struggles in the Cape Fear river were futile and he sank from their sight, never again to be seen alive. Long and his family were moving from a sea-coast village to the city, with all their household effects on board his father-in-law's effects on board his father-in-law's schooner and had arrived at a point 17 miles below Wilmington when

the foresail demand immediate attention. Long ran forward, attended to the matter, and as he did so craft jibbed and the foresail switched around. At that moment Mrs. Long "Look father!" she said

in alarm.

They all turned and saw the forechild, and slid slowly into the waves.

struggling. After that followed a race against death with a strong breeze aiding the dread monster. The small schooner was turned, and was forcticket but was defeated by the to the last tack, when the object of "money of Patrick Calhoun." The their rescue sank. After a few moto the surface, swam feebly for a few strokes, and as the schooner arrived upon the scene, he gave a Mississippi district was credited to despairing glance at his wife and child, and slid slowl vinto the waves.

## The body has not yet been found. GRACE RECOVERING.

#### Operation Performed For Bullet Finds Spinal Cord is Not Severed.

Newnan, Ga., June 13.-Eugene H. Grace, who was mysteriously shot at his home in Atlanta last March, and who has since been partially paravized, was operated on for the removal of the bullet supposed to have severed his spinal cord. The ball was not removed, but it was found that the spinal cord was not spinal column. It was embedded in one of th vertebrae. He is expected quarters aboard ship.

Mrs. Daisy Opie Grace, his wife, at liberty on bond. Her trial is set opments in Grace's condition may result in another postponement.

# NO MORE FUNDS.

#### Democrats Accused By Republicans of Showing Animosity in Refusing Additional Appropriation.

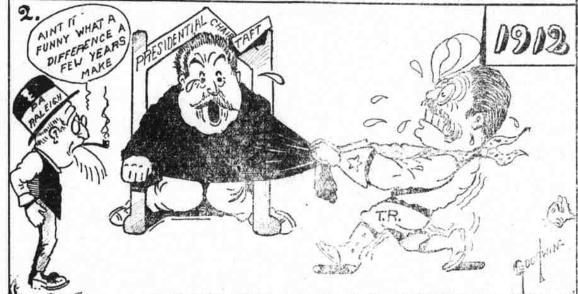
Washington, June 13 .- The house sum for the preparation and mount-Former Speaker Cannon sought

for the purpose increased to \$325,-000. This was defeated and a request for \$200,000 also was lost. democrats of disclosing an "animosthat should not be entertained.

# Wickliffe Buried in Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., June 13.—Ken-tucky paid final honors to a native when the body of Robert C. Wickliffe, the Louisiana congressman, killed by a train near Wash- Stimson ordered thirty thousand raington Monday, was buried in Cave tions sent to Seward, Alaska, twenty-Hill cemetery. The Funeral party four hours from Kodiak, for the rearrived about noon in , a special lief of volcano victims. The rations train. Simple services were held at will be distributed by revenue cut-Christ church Cathedral.





# THEN---AND---NOW!!

Washington, June 13 .- The interstate commerce commission held They all turned and saw the foresail with all the power of a stiff breeze slowly but surely shoving the resisting man over the rail. In a such, and ordered thirteen of the moment there was a clean to the community of the commun moment there was a splash, and as largest oil pipe lines to file sched-the watchers looked they saw the lules of rates by September 1, and ules of rates by September 1, and comply with the interstate commerce

# ATHLETES SAIL TOMORROW.

#### Provision For Their Comfort On Trip And Abroad.

New York, June 13 .- The American athletes who sail for Stockholm to: orrow will travel and live in far ocratic ticket in San Francisco, but to the place where the unfortunate man was struggling. They had come ticket but was defeated by the to the last tack, when the object of greater comfort and have better optheir rescue sank. After a few moments of anguish for the watching
wife and little child he again came
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United States has sent across the
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li United States has sent across the sea for the Olympic games. By chartering a large ocean liner for the exclusive use of the athletes and their followers, the American committee has overcome many of the hardships which have beset the other fourneys and undoubtedly handicapped the athletes, although the received for the same blown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that many thought the election was shown in the primary held in May that the platform which he will admit to the Chiengo convention to the follower, and quoted from the report of the introgram of the report of apologies.

Once the athletes have set foot on the steamer Finland at New York tomorrow, they will make the big ship their only home until their return early in August. They will be away nearly seven weeks, perhaps longer, but during all that time it will probably not be necessary for them to undergo a single change in diet. At Stockholm they will evade

be set anew.

of room for jumping pits and places only 125,000 horse power. ng of skins collected by Colonel for the shot-putters and weight men Roosevelt on his African hunting to work. The boat has a fine gymnasium and a large swimming tank.

It is said that the athletes will to have the \$250,000 appropriation not be permitted to wear spiked shoes when running on deck, but the steamship officials have helped by laying a five-foot rubber mat around Minority Leader Mann accused the the furlong circuit of the boat, whichwill tend to avert the danger toward the former president of the runners falling. Big wooden placed on board ship as pits for the jumpers and pole vaulters and

> Rations for Volcano Sufferers. Washington, June 13 .- Secretary

# Remember the hour 8:30 Tonight Chamber of Commerce.

## FORGET ELECTION DAY

Officials at Williamsburg, Va., Fail to Open Polls.

Richmond, Va., June 13 .- Tues day was election day in most cities in Virginia, but Williamsburg, oue of the most historic towns in the state, forgot all about it, and the polls were not even open.

No tickets were printed, the electoral board apparently forgetting all election day.

randidates. The for the democrat socialists' candidates for the city council was deteated by the same majorities as was Inyne.

# NEW POWER PLANT.

#### Southern Power Company Erecting Auxiliary Plant at Mt. Holly.

Charlotte, June 13.- The South ern Power Company has begun the severed, nor was the bullet in the the general scramble for hotel ac- construction of its ten thousand commodations by keeping their horse power anxiety steam plant at Mt. Holly. This about is for the pur-It is doubtful if the Atlantic ocean pose of earing for any emergenies. has ever witnessed such an athletic that may arise, and the installation formerly of Philadelphia who is carnival as will take place on route will be such that the current may charged with the shooting, is now with three score and more sprinters be sent to any nact of the lines of and runners, hurdlers and jumpers the Southern Power Company's exfor the week of June 24, but developments in Grace's condition may Murphy will limit the work to a constructed, also that its capacity minimum for training purposes, but may be easily doubled, and it is exeven without extra effort it is cer- pected that this pellon may become tain that with so many crack ath- necessary within the near future, so letes mid-Atlantic records will all rapid is the expansion of the system. The rated capacity of the Southern The Finland is a much larger Power Company is being exceeded craft than those used in previous at the present time by about 7,000 Olympic trips. Her main deck is horse power, approximately 132,000 large enough for a track of eight electric horse power being consumrefused to appropriate an additional laps to the mile, and there is plenty ed daily from an equipment rated at

#### HONOR TO UNDERWOOD House Leader Elected President of Virginia Alumni.

Charlottesville, Va., June 13.-Representative Oscar W. Underwood. of Alabama, was elected president of the general alumni association of the University of Virginia, to serve for a period of two years. Other officers chosen were R. Colston Blackford, of Lynchburg, Va., first vice president; William B. Ramsey, of Wilmington, Del., second vice president; Robert Lee Preston, of Wash-Ington, and Albert L. Roper, of Norfolk, members of the executive co.a-

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# BRITISH COURT WILL CONDEMN CALIFORNIA

Merse, president of the court, defornia did see the distress signals;

# WOMAN SUFFRAGE PLATFORM.

#### Judge Ben B. Lindsey of Denver Makes Announcement That the Colonel Has Fallen For Jane Addams' Cause.

# EXPENSES OF PRESIDENT.

## tion to the Hem Being in the Civil Representative Page Baises Obice-

Mr. Page grindy. Debate on that effect is instantly reflected in popul Parker, Robert G. remainder of the bill.

# rections.

gates to the thirty-ninth National the matter of immigration, and that conference of charities and correcsession. Reports were submitted crease the domestic migration from from various states showing the farm to lactory. progress of the organization's work. The conference later broke into sections, each considering matters with-

## Germans Leave For Home. New York, June 13 .- The German

toon bound for Kiel. Rear Admiral and othern notables.

# Chamber of Commerce to Many of the State's Hustling Hear Reports and Elect Officers

The annual meeting of the cham-er of commerce to by held tought model be well attend. Oresiden Litchford will submit b. 🧳 Sort b which he will make rec. So da ions for the future action organization and the elarather enew his wrip on affairs in Kalehia the past year the organization as done mighty good work. A campaign for more members will prob-Everybody increated in the pro-cress of the city is arged to attend fonight. The boar is 8:30.

DISCUSSES IMMEGRATION.

Cleveland, Onto, Jame 12, The

# Sulzberger Takes Issue With Report

fon his Cyrus L. Sulzh rier of New vening. Mr. Sutzberger insisted attend on account of illness.

In his address Mr. Follin, recomthat the commission's conclusions which favor a restirction of foreign hey unterly failed to tally with the vidence which has been presented has been issued by one of its mem-hors, Prof. Jeremiah W. Jenks in onjunction with Mr. W. Jett Lauck, expert in charge of the industrial inestigations of that commission.

made by the restrictionists on the London, June 13. The British subject of immigration," said Mr. court of inquiry into the Titanle dis-ister will find that the steamer Cali-of the incoderants bas changed; that ornia defaulted in its duly. Lord whereas in former years the bulk of the intrigrants time from north-"I have no doubt the Call- western Europe, it has lately been that they were signals from the rope. This is obviously true, but it Transic; that the California ought to is not true, as is so often asserted. have made efforts to get to the that while the so-called older immigration was desirable the newer is undestrable." Mr. Sulzbeger procoeded to apply hearly statistical tests to the statements made by the immigration commission to show. the invalidity of the commission's

# conclusions. Mr. Sulzberger questioned a pub-- liched statement by Prof. Jenks that camong those entering who have and council should hold over until Theodore Rossevelt announced this been deburged for prostitution or ar-

average wages, litteracy, and crim- and S. Milton, J. C.

point was postponed to expedite the lation. Such a plant, great as it is, Deans, J. however, when former Speaker Can- tracting population to the site of the T. T. Hay and Raiph B. Fuller, non raised the point of no quorum- plant is precisely the same, whether we observe its operations or not. Conference of Charities and Cor. Deplore as we may the congestion in cities, we must realize that it is Cleveland, Ohio, une J13 - Dele- related only remotely, if at all, to my attempt to lessen it by lessening ties. tion gathered today for a general immigration would be certain to in-

#### Body of Aviator Welsh Buried. Washington, June 13 .- Arthur L. Weish, the aviator, who was killed with Lieut. Taziehurst in an mere

plane accident Tuesday night at College Park, was buried this morning. craisers Moltke, Stetting and Bremen, Orville Wright and officers of the tomorrow in Arlington, beside the ber, 1908,

# IN CONVENTION

# Young Business Men Present

# MR. FOLLIN'S ADDRESS

First Vice President of Association Recommends That Bureau in 7th Carolina Be Established to acilitate Business-Mr. Southgate of Durbam to Speak This Afternoon-Smoker Tonight and Barbecue Tomorrow-Delegates Present Represent Ninety Per Cent of Insurance Premiums in North Carolina.

With approximately 80 delegates present, the fifteenth annual convenbut of the North Carolina Fire Unues wittens' Association was called to order in the senate coamber at 11 took reday by Mr. Robert E. Fol-York in an address on "launigra- Un of Whaton-Salem, first viceof charities and correction here last Miller of Greensboro, was unable to

mended that the association memominigration based upon a test of the rialize the Southeastern Underwritimmigrant's ability to read and ers' Association, whose headquarters write were "unwarranted because are in Atlanta, urging the establishare in Atlanta, urging the establish-ing of a rating bureau for North Carolina under the supervision of in the forty-old volumes published the Southeastern. The idea is to and to be published as the result of have a bureau in one of the larger alone in the summary of the vol-umes which have been published by the countission, but in the best Carolina headquarters, so that more speedy attention might be given to the business of insuring. The recommendation was referred to a com-mittee to report back this afternoon. The convention was called to order in the senate chamber and Col. has. E. Johnson, of Raleigh, delivered an address of welcome. The respons, was by Mr. B. W. Merrimon, of Greensboro. Upon the reading of the report of the secretarreasurer a recess was taken until

#### this afternoon at 3:30, Address This Afternoon.

The feature of the afternoon seson will be the address of Mr. Jas. Southgate, of Durham, president the National Association of Local Fire insurance Agents. Following this will be an open discussion. in the rooms of the Elks' Club to-night at 9 o'clock, the Raleigh agents being hosts.

# Barbecue Tomorrow.

coive reports, elect officers and deoide on the next place of meeting.
A barbecue will be given at the Country Club at 1 o'clock.

#### Those Present. The following delegates have reg-

Robert E. Follin, Eugene E. Gray,

Jr., J. G. Bragaw, Jr., E. E. Emerto receiving 153 bis visit was primarily to persuade to total votes were cast candidates. The favor of woman suffrage before the colored to announce that he was cast to fore Coloned Rossych has nerely said that he believed the question of woman suffrage should be submitted to the women themselves for determination whether they wished the ballot.

Hebrew falling below the English, Scotch, Irish and Gorman.

By the same sort of statistical tests, the speaker insisted that the southern and easiern European immigrant under a better showing in mercut years in America than did the order and seasified more desirable municipal from northern and the color and seasified more desirable municipal from northern and the color of the colo son, W. A. Wilkinson, N. C. Engthe annigrant from northern and DeGraffenreld, J. J. Elder, Victor E. narries estern Europe in relation to Smith, J. M. Harrell, R. S. Busbee, air abolt-in, bestsial costs, insunity, toe, A. Nicott, B. H. Hamlin, How-The composition of population in Jr., W. N. H. Smith, C. A. Richard-The season of parallation in Jr., W. N. H. Smith, C. A. Richard-cities is one of the results generally and the grain of \$25,000 for the traveling expenses of the president during the sansing fiscal year straing for the traveling the sansing fiscal year straing for the two. A closer study of the initial objection to the item in the house. Representative Page of North Carolina, democrat, raised the initial objection to the item in the singlety civil appropriation bill when that measure was taken up.

"Is there to be much discussion of this item?" inquired Minority of this item?" inquired Minority of the capabilishment of great world, believed to the capabilishment of great world. The control is great to the capabilishment of great world. The capabilish of the capabilishment of great world. The capabilishment of great the capabilishment of great world. The capabilishment of great the capabilishment of g of this item?" inquired Minority interest of the establishment of great header Mann.
"I think there'll be plenty," said great factory in a small city and the ner, W. D. Hay, E. A. Young, B. O. emainder of the bill.

The session came to a sudden end, in New York, but the process of at
Wenver, John T. Hoft, P. C. Coltran,

Irish Suffragettes Smash Windows, Dublin, one 13 .- The Irish suffracettes, emulating the English sisters, began a window smashing campaign today, but clashed with the authori-The women made attacks on most of the public buildings. Eight, armed with bags of stones, were arested. The suffragettes shattered forty-two windows of the customs ouse, postoffice, police and military barracks.

Saloons Ordered Closed. Port Amboy, N. J., June 13 .- The authorities have ordered all saloons closed near the American Smelting anchored here since Sunday, steam- army's aviation division attended the and Refining Company where strike ed out of the harbor late this after- funeral. Hazlehurst will be buried riots occurred last night. Two policefuneral. Hazlehurst will be buried riots occurred last night. Two policemen were injured by stones. - Three periment—they are the direct route Paschwitz was tendered a farewell body of Lieut. Selfridge, a victim strikers were wounded by bullets. to the employer, the man of affairs, luncheon, attended by Mayor Gaynor of the acropiane disaster in Septem—The strikers demand a 15 per cent wage increase.