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HOW THE CABARRUS DELEGATES VOTED

SOLID VOTE ON THE RESOLUTION TO ENDORSE WILSON.

Fourths to One Fourth for the Majority Report Platform Committee Endorsing Senator Simmons, Gov. Kitchin and Others.—A Big Convention.—One of Congressman Hefflin's Jokes.

At the Democratic State convention at Hillsboro, N. C., June 7, Senator Hartwell stated Saturday that it was one of the largest conventions he ever attended, the crowd of delegates being almost equal with the memorable convention in Charlotte four years ago. In speaking of the vote on the resolution endorsing Woodrow Wilson, Senator Hartwell stated that the Cabarrus delegates present at the time the vote was taken were practically unanimous for Wilson. The question arose, however, as to whether the vote should be expressed in the county convention or cast as an expression of sentiment of the delegates present. The matter was presented to the chair by Chairman Cook. Chairman Winston ruled that there was no provision in the State organization plan for a presidential preference primary and the vote should be recorded as expressed by the delegates. The Cabarrus delegation then voted solidly for the New Jersey candidate. The delegation voted three-fourths endorsing the majority report of the platform committee, which endorsed the Governor, Senators and representatives in Congress and one-fourth in favor of the minority report. On this vote the lines were drawn between the Simmons and Hefflin delegates, the Simmons men forming the majority report and the Hefflin delegates the minority report. Although a majority of the delegates were Wilson men they brought an abundance of praise for Congressman Hefflin, who made an address in Raleigh, favoring the candidacy of Leader Underwood. Mr. Frank Smith tells a joke from the Chairman's speech that made a big hit with the audience. Mr. Hefflin was speaking of how the Democrats of North had for years dominated the Democratic party in National affairs. It reminds me of a yankee who came to Alabama on a visit. He was out in the field one day and cotton stalks were laden with peanuts. "Why don't you have this cotton field out?" he asked. "We can't get labor to do it," the farmer replied. "Why don't you have some monkeys imported and teach them to pick cotton?" the yankee asked. "Because by the time we got them they and trained them you yankees would set them free," answered the farmer.

CALIFORNIA CONTESTS PUT OVER

Indiana Contests Taken Up.—Roosevelt Men Opposed to This, and Feared It Was Some Trick of Taftites.

Chicago, June 10.—The California contests were put over on the request of the Taft representatives of the national Republican committee, and the Indiana contests were taken up. This was an important point because the Roosevelt leaders alleged that in the election of Taft delegates in Indiana. The decision in this case is expected to show how far the committee will back Taft. The California postponement was not agreed to by the Roosevelt men without a big struggle. It is alleged that it was some trick by Taft people, and it is feared that California will be taken up by the former governor, George Knight, of California, a Roosevelt man, said he had been led to believe that there was underhand dealing on to prevent the contest from being disposed of in its order.

Results Following Automobile Ride Near Boston Sunday.

Boston, June 10.—Four are known to be dead and five more are believed to have been drowned as a result of an automobile accident in this vicinity Sunday. Eleven others were injured.

Harry Gowan has returned to his home at Scotland Neck, after a visit to Miss E. G. Marshall for two weeks.

HILL-FLACK

Mr. Joe Hill, of Concord, to Wed Miss Ora Flack, of Shelby, June 26th.

The Gaffney, S. C. Ledger has the following which will be of much interest here:

"Miss Ora Flack has set the date of her marriage to Mr. Joe Hill, of Concord, N. C. It will take place June 26th, 7 o'clock at the First Baptist church in Shelby and will be preceded the evening before by a reception at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Royster at which only the wedding party and a few intimate friends of the couple will be present. She has chosen Mrs. B. T. Falls and Mrs. Will Lineberger for her dames of honor. Miss Ora Brewster Eskridge, maid of honor and the bridesmaids will be Miss Elva Wray, Miss Agnes McBrayer, Miss Madge Lorena Webb, of Shelby, Miss Jessie Lipscomb, of Gaffney, Miss Eleanor Wallace, of Dillon and Miss Hill, a sister of the groom, of Concord. Mr. Claude Flack, brother of the bride, will give her away and the groomsmen and ushers will be, Messrs. Millis, of High Point, Parks, Howard and Barnhardt, of Concord, Hartzell, of Philadelphia, Flack, of Union, Lineberger, Wray and Thompson, of Shelby.

The marriage will be a large church affair and promises to be an exceedingly pretty one, the color scheme, rainbow, the bridesmaids wearing the rainbow colors with dresses of white marquisette and rose hats. The bride's robe will be white satin, en traine. She will carry a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and roses.

Rev. L. L. Smoke will officiate at the wedding and Prof. Zhem, of Charlotte, will play the wedding march. Miss Flack will be much feted during the next two weeks and among the affairs planned in her honor is a large reception to be given this afternoon by Miss Agnes McBrayer and on the following Tuesday Miss Madge Lorena Webb's stocking shower will be followed by Miss Elva Wray's elaborate function and a number of other smaller receptions. The bride and groom will go to the mountains of North Carolina for their honeymoon and will be at home after August 1st, in Concord, N. C."

T. R. CALLS FOR PROTEST AGAINST COMMITTEE.

Serves Notice That the Party Would Repudiate Nomination Obtained in Defiance of Justice.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., June 8.—The Republicans of the country were called upon tonight by Colonel Roosevelt to protest against the action of the Republican national committee in ruling upon contest for seats in the national convention from the Ninth Alabama district. The Colonel served notice upon his opponents that in his opinion the party as a whole would repudiate a nomination if it were obtained in "defiance of justice." He declared that every man who wishes to see the party continue to exist should protest at once "against those who care deliberately trying to wreck it."

"The leaders," said the Colonel, "speak as if they were the regular Republicans. I do not concede that theft is a test of regularity." Colonel Roosevelt's statement was given out after an all-afternoon conference.

Salient Facts About the Republican Convention.

Number of delegates, 1,078. (With the same number of alternates.) Necessary to nominate, 540. Seating capacity of the Coliseum, 11,172.

Acting chairman Republican national committee, Victor Rosewater, of Omaha.

Chairman committee of arrangements, Harry S. New of Indianapolis. Secretary national committee, William Hayward of New York City.

Sergeant-at-arms, Colonel William F. Stone of Baltimore.

Temporary chairman (according to the national committee slate), Senator Elihu Root of New York.

72 Contesting Delegates Given to Taft.

Chicago, June 8.—Forty-eight Roosevelt contestants from Arkansas, Florida and Georgia were rejected by the Republican national committee today. With the twenty-four Taft delegates seated yesterday this adds 72 to the President's column and assures him of 450 delegates, within ninety of the number needed to nominate. There are still 162 contests to be decided.

No More Funds Needed for the Chinese.

Governor Kitchin, as president of the North Carolina Red Cross division of the American Red Cross, has received a letter from Secretary Chas. L. Magbee saying that further contributions to the Chinese famine fund were no longer desired. The situation in the empire has been relieved.

TAFT CLAIMS 577 AND ROOSEVELT 455

THIS IS LATEST CLAIM OF BOTH SIDES TODAY.

The Taft Leaders Claim That Every Delegate for Him Will Stand Pat.—Roosevelt Leaders Hoping to Stampede on First Ballot.—Their Plan in Detail—They Will Nominate Roosevelt Anyway.—More Than 25,000 Roosevelt Shouters Will Be Brought in.

Chicago, June 10.—The latest Taft claim of delegates is Taft 577, Roosevelt 455. The Taft leaders claim that their every delegate would "stand without hitching." The Roosevelt leaders are still hoping to stampede on the first ballot. The Roosevelt men are said to have evolved the following plan.

If they are defeated in the national committee they will carry the contests to the credentials committee. If they are defeated again they will present a minority report to the convention in the hope of a stampede. If this fails, the Rooseveltians will not withdraw from the hall but will go right ahead as though they had won the fight. They will name their own permanent chairman, adopt their platform, nominate national ticket, will claim that they are the real Republican national convention and characterize the Taft forces as bolters. The Taft leaders in order to checkmate this plan have ordered the sergeant at arms to preserve order if it takes every assistant and uniformed policeman in Chicago. This is generally construed as meaning that if the Taft people control the convention the Roosevelt forces will be ejected if they start a demonstration.

The convention entered upon the enthusiasm stage today when one hundred Roosevelt boomers from the Pacific coast rolled in and immediately started cheering Roosevelt and his hat through the hotel corridors. A vanguard, say the Rooseveltians, of more than 25,000 shouters who will be brought here to impress delegates with the fact that the Roosevelt enthusiasm is real. The women suffragettes are demanding a plank in the Republican platform.

Mr. John Braswell Married.

A marriage that will be quite a surprise to the people here was solemnized at the home of Rev. D. A. Braswell, where the bride has been boarding for some time, when Miss Viola Love became the bride of Mr. J. S. Braswell, of Hamlet. The ceremony took place at 3 o'clock and was performed by Rev. D. A. Braswell, father of the groom.

Mr. Braswell was formerly a member of the local police force and has many friends here. Miss Love has been teaching school in Alamance county but has made her home here for some time. They will leave tomorrow for their home at Hamlet, where Mr. Braswell is chief of police.

Arrest Under Dog Law.

Salisbury, June 8.—Charged with allowing their dogs to run at large, two well-known men in Salisbury were arrested here yesterday under the new dog law in North Carolina. The arrest was precipitated by the biting of a little girl on the street here one day this week by a god. A question as to authority to make such an arrest has been raised and the matter is being watched with interest.

Prizes for Tribune Carriers.

The Tribune offers cash prizes each month or bi-monthly to the carrier who collects the largest amount on subscription during time fixed. The contest closed last Saturday for the past two months collections, and the prizes were won as follows:

First prize—Lewis Peck.
Second prize—Robert Weddington.
Third prize—Frank Brower.
Fourth prize—Richard Porter.

Mr. Bryan to Write for the World.

William Jennings Bryan will attend the national convention of the Republicans at Chicago and will analyze the proceedings and their significance in a series of articles which will appear exclusively in The New York World. These articles will appear in The World both before and during the sessions of the convention.

Mrs. Chas. S. Stone, of Charlotte, is here to attend the Odell-Patterson wedding Wednesday evening.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY LAST NIGHT.

Large Congregation Present at the First Presbyterian Church.

A large audience attended the joint rally of the Sunday schools of the First Baptist and First Presbyterian churches at the First Presbyterian church last night. Mr. James C. Fink, president of No. 12 township Sunday School Association, presided. Talks were made by Superintendent Lawrence, of the Baptist school and Superintendent Woodhouse, of the Presbyterian school. Rev. G. W. Shipley, of Kannapolis, was the chief speaker of the evening and he made a most inspiring address on Sunday school work. A special musical programme was rendered. A recitation, "The Dream of the Missionary," by Mrs. H. S. Williams and a solo by Mrs. J. B. Womble, were especially enjoyable features of the programme.

A rally to be given soon by the Sunday schools of Central Methodist, St. James Lutheran and Trinity Reformed schools will close the series of rallies.

KANNAPOLIS WON GAME.

Pound Out 13 Runs Against 2.—Kirk Hits Homer.—Piedmont League Opens Here Tomorrow.

Kannapolis started out slugging the ball in the game Saturday with Locke Mill and before it proceeded very far they all "got the hapit" and whaled out 13 runs. Locke Mill made 2. Anderson pitched swell ball and received bang up support. Johnson failed to stand the onslaught and he was relieved by Farriss, who was but little improvement.

June Sapp's sensational stop in the fourth and Kirk's mighty swat over the fence were the features. Overcash was also there with the stick, polishing out two doubles. The score follows:

KANNAPOLIS	ABR	H	PO	A	E
Spry, 2b	5	2	0	0	0
Grier, 1b	3	1	0	4	0
Overcash, cf	5	2	2	2	0
Irby, lf	5	0	2	1	0
Willett, c	5	1	0	17	1
Laughlin, ss	4	1	1	1	1
Kirk, 3b	3	2	2	1	0
Parris, rf	4	0	1	0	0
Anderson, p	4	2	2	0	2

LOCKE MILL ABR H PO A E

Sapp, J., 3b	3	1	0	2	1
Allred, lf	4	0	1	0	0
Arceby, 2b	4	1	1	2	2
Ferris, rf, p	4	0	0	2	1
Wood, ss	3	0	1	3	1
Kizziah, lb	3	0	0	12	0
Rogers, c	3	0	0	4	4
Sapp, R., cf, rf	2	0	1	0	0
Johnson, p	1	0	0	3	0
Clark, cf	2	0	0	1	0

A Parody on Champ Clark's Hound Dog Song.

About the only popular thing connected with Champ Clark's candidacy in this section is the "hound dog" song. It has been parodied to suit about every imaginable situation but the latest is from a little girl of nine summers. She had a birthday a few days ago and received a pony for a present. She became greatly attached to the little pony and loved him very dearly and tenderly. The pony soon became a target for the "Tom Sawyers" of that section and they delighted in poking the little animal in the ribs. She pleaded with them, begged them and beseeched them to desist in rapping on the dear little pony's chops but all in vain. Finally she turned her pleadings into song and yesterday at breakfast she informed the members of her family that she had changed the hound dog song to suit her pony and she then proceeded to warble it as follows:

"Every time I start to ride
The boys start a-kickin' my pony in the side;
It makes no difference if he is so tough
They got to stop treatin' my pony so rough."

As the Associated Press Reviews the Situation as Now Exists at Chicago.

Whole number of delegates, 1,078. Necessary to nominate 540. Instructed for Roosevelt and unopposed 411. Instructed for Taft and unopposed 201. Instructed for La Follette (no contest) 36. Instructed for Cummins (no contest) 10. Uninstructed (including New York's 90) 166. Contested 250.

Must Swear by Bible or Not at All.

Montreal, June 10.—Witnesses in Quebec courts must swear by the Bible or not at all. That is the ruling of Judge Laurendeau in refusing to let a man, who claimed to be an agnostic, testify after promising on his word of honor to tell the truth. The witness declined to kiss the Bible.

The Cannon & Fetzer Co. have a new ad. today.

HOMES FOR THE KINGS' DAUGHTERS

DELEGATES WHO WILL ATTEND THE STATE MEETING HERE THIS WEEK.

Names of Guests And Those Who Will Entertain Them.—Annual State Convention to Be Held Here On Wednesday and Thursday of This Week.

Mrs. Will Hennessee, Salisbury—Mrs. C. J. Harris.

Mrs. Will Johnston, Salisbury, Mrs. J. L. Hassell, Greenville, N. C.—Mrs. John A. Cline.

Miss Nannie Buford and Miss Edith Walton, Salisbury—Mrs. E. J. Braswell.

Mrs. J. I. Miller and Mrs. D. Y. Cooper, Henderson—Mrs. J. W. Cannon.

Mrs. Edwin Overman, Salisbury—Mrs. I. I. Davis.

Mrs. S. C. Rowland and Mrs. F. C. Topleman, Henderson—Mrs. Jennie Dayvault.

Mrs. James Howard and Mrs. J. R. Jones, Wilmington—Mrs. C. P. MacLaughlin.

Mrs. S. P. Cooper and Mrs. E. G. Landis, Henderson—Mrs. T. D. Maness.

Miss Julia Cooper and Miss Leah Perry, Henderson—Mrs. D. B. Morrison.

Mrs. N. Underwood and Mrs. H. N. Snow, Durham—Misses White, Franklin avenue.

Mrs. J. S. Murray, Durham, Mrs. J. D. Cameron, Rockingham—Mrs. J. P. Cook.

Miss Mary Richards, Salisbury—Mrs. Baxter Gillon.

Miss Edna Boyd and Miss Ruth Cornelison, Salisbury—Mrs. N. A. Archibald.

Miss Lois Campbell, Salisbury—Mrs. J. E. Smoot.

Mrs. W. N. Everett, Rockingham—Mrs. A. E. Lentz.

Mrs. W. C. Leak, Rockingham—Mrs. J. F. Goodman.

Mrs. S. H. Burt, Wilmington—Mrs. J. A. Kennett.

Mrs. A. A. Kluttz and Mrs. T. J. Wilson, Jr., Chapel Hill—Mrs. Frank Barrier.

Mrs. Joseph Arceby and Miss Alice Ritchie, Chapel Hill—Mrs. C. F. Ritchie.

Miss Mildred Cornelison and Miss Elizabeth Womble, Salisbury—Mrs. J. F. Honeycutt.

Mrs. Richard Williams and Mrs. R. Cotten, Greenville—Mrs. K. L. Craven.

Mrs. Lindsay Patterson and Mrs. W. N. Reynolds, Winston-Salem—Mrs. S. L. Patterson.

Mrs. M. C. D. Burgwyn, Weldon, Mrs. S. A. Coggeshall, Oxford, Miss Esdale Shaw, Rockingham—Mrs. D. B. Coltrane.

Mrs. D. F. Cannon, Salisbury—Mrs. J. P. Allison.

Have some homes in reserve.

Death of Mr. F. L. Carroll.

Mr. F. L. Carroll died yesterday at his home on Church street after a brief illness. Mr. Carroll was taken suddenly ill Saturday and his condition grew worse rapidly until his death.

He was 76 years of age and is survived by two sons, Messrs. Frank and Fred Carroll of this city. The funeral was held today at 1 o'clock at Poplar Tent church and was conducted by the pastor of the deceased, Rev. Dr. J. M. Grier.

Mr. Carroll was a brave Confederate soldier, and was highly respected by his old comrades in arms and all who knew him.

Insurgents Repulsed in Cuba.

Havana, June 10.—Reports from Santiago today say that negro rebels attacked a company of United States marines and were repulsed. The marines who were guarding the mines of American property sustained no casualties. It is impossible to ascertain the loss of the insurgents.

Frost This Morning.

Prof. J. W. B. Long sent us about noon several tender blades of corn which had been nipped by frost this morning. Did any of our readers ever know of frost so late in the season?

Getting Ready for the Baltimore Convention.

New York, June 10.—A sub-committee of Democratic national committee is meeting in this city tonight to formulate the final plans for the national convention at Baltimore.

Manager McGraw has released Phifer Fullenwider to the Buffalo Club of the International League.

Forest Hill News.

Boy Scouts Give a Lawn Party, Which Was a Success.—Personal.

Mr. W. A. Wilkinson is spending today in Charlotte on business.

Mr. T. P. Moore, of Kannapolis, spent Sunday in Concord with relatives.

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CINCOS LOSE BY CLOSE MARGIN

Defeated by the High Point Team Last Saturday by a Score of 3 to 2.—Game Here Tomorrow.

The Cincos opened its season of the Piedmont Association Saturday at High Point. The game was a pitchers battle and went for 12 innings, the home team winning in the final frame by the score of 3 to 2. The game was featured by Bell's pitching. Patterson's hitting and Wadsworth's fielding, the latter accepting five difficult chances in clever fashion. Gray Boat, the juvenile outfielder, also put up a good game and was quite a favorite with the grandstand.

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IS IT NECESSARY?

Complaint About the Blocking of the Crossing of Main Street by the Car Company.

It is necessary to tear up at street in order to build a street car track. But is it necessary to throw up the entire length, an almost impossible barrier, that prevents people from crossing the street? Would it not be a more convenient plan, so far as the public is concerned, to complete part of the track and then begin on another section? If this plan cannot be adopted the public enough consideration to dig out passagesways through the high bank of dirt that parallels the sidewalk and not force a pedestrian to walk several blocks or either do a Hannibal-crossing-the-Alps stunt in order to get across the street.

If the company can't complete the track in a section at the time it seems that it could certainly dig out the passagesways at convenient points along the sidewalks.

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Nine Found Dead With Heads Crushed.

Villisca, Iowa, June 10.—J. B. Moore, his wife and five children and two unknown women were found dead at Moore's home today. All heads were crushed with an axe.

More Earthquakes Today.

New York, June 10.—More severe earthquakes, the origin of which is probably in Alaska, were recorded by the seismographs in this and other cities today.

Messrs. Bird S. Coler, J. P. Clark, R. J. Hole and T. J. Jerome, of the North Carolina Public Service Corporation, were here Saturday inspecting the lines of the local street car company.