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CONVENTION GOSSIP.

DELEGATES CONTINUE TO ARRIVE AT CHICAGO.

Cleveland will be placed in nomination by Gov. Russell, Hill by Gov. Cochran and Boies by John F. Duncombe.

By Telegraph to the State Chronicle.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 18.—The Herald says: A conference was held in ex-Secretary Whitney's room in the Richeux last night. The plan of campaign against the Hill-Tammany forces was decided upon. Among those present, besides Mr. Whitney, were Dickinson, of Michigan; Harrity, of Pennsylvania; Winston, of Minnesota; Stetson, of New York; Stevenson, of Illinois; Grace and Fairchild, of New York, and Ewing, of Chicago. Three important questions were settled. One was that the Cleveland delegates would sit in the convention until November, if necessary, before they would submit to the naming of any other candidate. It is argued that Mr. Cleveland has a majority of the delegates and that his nomination is thus demanded by the people. The second question decided was that the tariff should be the sole issue. Third, a plank will be inserted in the platform which will ally all fears that an unlimited coinage of silver will be the policy of the administration of Mr. Cleveland.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 18.—Active campaign work was inaugurated by the Cleveland element to-day. So far the interests of the ex-President have been in the hands of ex-Secretary Fairchild and Gen. Tracy, but these have done comparatively little so far as aggressive organizations are concerned. This morning, however, ex-Postmaster Don M. Dickinson, ex-Secretary W. C. Whitney and William F. Parity, leader of the Cleveland forces in the Keystone State, took exclusive charge of the political fortunes of the ex-President, and the word of the triumvirate will be law to the subordinate workers as well as to the rank and file. It was not until after 2 o'clock that the conference of the gentlemen named, and in which P. D. Stetson, of Minnesota; and Major Grace, of New York; F. L. Stetson, of New York; Cleveland's law partner; Hope Smith, of Atlanta, and ex-assistant postmaster general Stevenson were participants, came to an end. Whitney and Dickinson did not arrive in town until nearly ten o'clock but telegrams had been sent in advance, and on their arrival, the little company of leaders were already assembled in Dickinson's parlors at the Richeux. The situation was discussed in all its details, each man freely expressing his opinion. A list of the delegates purporting to give the political preferences of each man who will have a vote at the convention was made, with the result that the opinion was unanimously expressed that the success of Cleveland on the first ballot was next door to a certainty. In the general discussion that followed every one of the conferees were emphatic in the opinion that the policy of the Clevelandites should be to stand by the ex-President to the end, even if the convention sat until winter. There would be no difficulty, they asserted in holding his forces together and with a large majority of the convention preserving a bold front, final success, it was held, would be inevitable. The statement issued by the Tammany delegation was discussed, but the sentiment of the conference was against issuing any formal reply, at least until the beginning of next week when all the delegates are on the ground. There was also a unanimity of opinion that in the event of Cleveland's nomination the tariff should be the sole issue of the campaign on the ground that this would be the strongest battle cry in New York State, and would be certain to insure the ex-President's success. Regarding the announcement of Senator Carlisle that he was opposed to Cleveland because he could not carry his own State, and that a man should be nominated who is entirely free from the taint of the New York democracy an unenviable reputation, Mr. Whitney said emphatically that he did not think it would change any votes, and certainly would not affect the friends of the ex-President in the slightest degree. Scouts will be sent out to meet the non-committal delegates from various States and as fast as they arrive they will be piloted to the Grand Pacific, where they will be taken in hand by the Cleveland contingents. A good deal of interest is manifested regarding the probable course of the delegation from Illinois. The Cleveland managers claim that they will have it sold on the first ballot, but the claim is strongly disputed at the Illinois rendezvous. No regular caucus has been yet held, but the informal poll of the delegation has developed the fact that only fourteen are outspoken for Cleveland, while twelve are favorable to the candidacy of W. R. Morrison and twenty-two are either for Palmer or on the fence. General Palmer, however, is unalterably opposed to the use of his name as long as Mr. Cleveland is a candidate, and it is given out that an intimation to that effect, couched in language which cannot be misunderstood, will be presented when the caucus meets. The Morrison boom is generally regarded as a weakening that will scarcely survive the opening of the convention. In some respects the situation that confronts the Democratic National convention is similar to that which was manifested in Minneapolis two weeks ago. Then it was Harrison against the field; here it is Cleveland against the field. The Harrison opposition to President Fairchild's nomination, which was its distinguishing characteristic, is missing here and is not likely to appear unless it should break out among the Hill delegates, and they are not at all backward either in expressing their opinions, which are not favorable to the ex-President or the conviction that he cannot carry the State of New York if nominated. That Harrison in that his State does not support him; notwithstanding which he is far and away the favorite among

HILL TO HOLLIDAY.

The Reproduction of a Correspondence in December, 1891.

By Telegraph to the State Chronicle.

TOPEKA, Kan., June 18.—The following letter from Gov. D. B. Hill was received by Mr. Charles K. Holliday, Jr., of this city, proprietor of the Kansas Democrat, and World's Fair commissioner for Kansas, in December last. The letter reads as follows: State of New York, Executive Chamber, Albany, N. Y., December 28, 1891. To Charles K. Holliday, Jr., Topeka, Kansas. Dear Sir: For reply to your letter of the 24th I enclose a reprint of my speech at Elmira of the fifth, which I intend to confirm and reiterate in a short farewell address as governor of New York next Thursday, New Years eve. My faith is unshakable in the sound common sense of our fellow countrymen, they well know that the democratic party at the present time is the sole efficient instrument for tax reform and monetary reform. They will not recommit the interests to that republican party which has just made both reforms our supreme necessity. The democratic party might as well commit suicide as shirk either duty, nor will it betray the people's trust by allotting the executive power to any man whose views are similar to the views of President Harrison, and who is pledged him to block every approach to free bimetallic coinage. It is a scandalous misuse of executive power to employ the veto in preventing remedial legislation from being carefully planned and passed when so great a majority of the people's representatives have been elected by the people expressly for that very work, to repeal the Sherman silver law and to promote the return to free bi-metallic coinage. \* \* \* I am indignant at the rapacity of the gold monometalists so reckless, both of science and of public opinion. Free bi-metallic coinage is the demand of a vast majority of the American people. No wonder it gave us the party of the silver dollar and the gold dollar for eighty years. Free bi-metallic coinage is the last work of monetary science. To restore it safely, wisely and finally is the mission of the democratic party. Mr. Harrison compels us to submit to inaction during the present executive term. That I hope may be the limit of our inaction. His friends believe that he is not a hypocrite. He will not recant or suppress his conscientious scruples to get a second term. He and Mr. Blaine will fuss up an international conference for delay. That is a state artifice. One consequence of our enforced inaction will be that the financial portents and threatened disasters fast approaching will be seen by all to be caused by past and present republican wrongs, not by future democratic remedies. Yours truly, DAVID B. HILL.

MONTANA WINS.

WITH MAJOR DOMO A GOOD SECOND HORSE.

By Telegraph to the State Chronicle.

SHEEPSHEAD, L. I., June 18.—The great racing event, the suburban handicap, for one of the largest stakes of the year, was run to-day over the Sheepshead Bay track, distance one mile and a quarter. The weather conditions were not at all favorable, but notwithstanding the recent rains, the track was remarkably dry, owing probably to the intensely dry weather of the past several days, which left the ground in such condition as to rapidly absorb the moisture. Many times the race track promoters predicted that the record would be tied if not broken, and in this, as it subsequently transpired, they were not far off. Montana, the winner, going the distance within a second of the great Salvo's time when that famous horse covered the distance in 2:06 1/5, the event was hotly contested by the three leaders and they finished close to each other, Montana, the winner, speeding under the wire only a head in the lead of Major Domo, the second horse, while the latter was but a short head in front of Lumpkin. The weather was anything but pleasant, the sky being overcast and threatening from early dawn. Yet this did not deter the crowd, and from early in the morning without a break until the appointed time for the first race, they poured in through the gates in one dense mass. They came from all points, and continued coming even until within a few minutes of the time for starting the great event. Inside the grounds there was one immense sea of faces, a surging mass of humanity, that filled every nook and corner. The enormous double-decked grand stand, reaching from the last furlong pole to a distance well beyond the judge's tower, was jammed. Here thousands of the fair sex, dressed in magnificent toilets and decked in all the colors of the rainbow, were seated, apparently no less anxious than their male escorts to witness the great race and they lent a charm to the scene and presented a picture such as is only seen on the occasion of some similar event. A Thanksgiving day foot ball game crowd could not begin to compare with it. When the time for starting the great race approached, the weather which never ceased to threaten, was even more threatening. The rain held off, however, much to the relief of the multitude. It was estimated that fully 30,000 people were present at the time of the starting of the big event at exactly 4:20 p. m. The horses got off at the fifth attempt, with Major Domo leading. The time was 2:05 3/5. Mutual paid \$17.10 straight and \$10.50 for the place. Major Domo paid \$18.45. The race was worth \$25,000, of which the winner got \$18,000; the second horse \$5,000 and the third \$2,000. Early predictions as to the size of the crowd to be attracted were not far out of the way. Many thousands cheered the winner, whether they had backed him or not.

EMMONS BLAINE DEAD.

The Second Son of Ex-Secretary Blaine Dies After a Few Hours' Illness.

By Telegraph to the State Chronicle.

CHICAGO, June 18.—Emmons Blaine, the second son of James G. Blaine, ex-secretary of State, died at 11:15 o'clock this morning at the McCormick mansion, 125 Rush street. He had been ill but a few hours and his death was wholly unexpected. Septicemia, which developed late last night from a bowel complaint, was the immediate cause of death. Mrs. Emmons Blaine and her son, McCormick Blaine, two years old, and Mrs. Cyrus McCormick were the only members of the family present at the bedside when Mr. Blaine passed away. Death came so swiftly that there was no time to summon the other members of the McCormick family, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McCormick, who were in the house at the time. Ineffortful efforts were made throughout the night to reach James G. Blaine and Mrs. Blaine by telegraph, to convey the intelligence of their son's condition. The family left Austin several days ago for Bar Harbor, Mr. Blaine's summer residence, but it was impossible last night to effect the delivery of a telegram either to Mr. Blaine or to any one who could transmit the message to him. The New York and Boston representatives of the McCormick company were instructed to exert every effort to convey the information to some member of Mr. Blaine's family or to Mr. Cyrus McCormick, who went to New York some days ago, but up to noon to-day the efforts had availed nothing. Mr. W. G. McCormick immediately assumed charge of all matters incident to the calamitous event. Representatives of the local press and the press associations were admitted to the house a few moments after Mr. Blaine's death and were given this statement of the attending physicians, Drs. Billings and Alpost, which was as follows: "Mr. Emmons Blaine died at 11:15 o'clock of septicemia (blood poisoning) due to disease of the bowels." It was impossible to obtain full particulars from the medical attendants.

Affairs of the Railroads.

Receivers Appointed for the Richmond & Danville System.

By Telegraph to the State Chronicle.

On the application of William P. Clyde, J. C. Maben and W. H. Goadby, acting for themselves and others, owning and representing several millions of dollars of the securities of the Richmond & Danville system, Judge Bond, of the United States Circuit Court of Richmond, yesterday appointed F. W. Huidekoper and Reuben Foster receivers of the Richmond & Danville railroad, together with all its controlled and leased lines. This action was induced by the following considerations: Circumstances had placed the property, as is well known and as is shown by the market price of the different securities, in a very embarrassing financial condition, a condition which, unless properly handled and relieved, threatens the disintegration of the system. This condition—in itself quite serious enough—has, it is claimed, been vastly aggravated and rendered much more dangerous through the alleged unprecedented action of the federal court for the eastern district of Georgia, upon the complaint of parties claiming to be interested in the Georgia Central railroad company, a property the control of which had been publicly bought and for over two years held without challenge or dispute by the Terminal company, and since July, 1891, publicly operated by the Danville company. The parties making the application to Judge Bond not only had the past action of the Georgia Court as an indication of what it would do in the matter of granting a receivership for the Richmond & Danville company, but also had other evidence which induced them to believe that a receivership would be appointed in the interest of the Georgia Central company, and to avoid such a calamity and the consequent further spoliation of the Richmond & Danville property, these parties took the only course which seemed open to them to certainly stop such hostile action. This appointment of receivers by Judge Bond is not only not inimical to or in opposition to any plan for the financial reorganization and rehabilitation of the Danville system, but will be found to greatly facilitate and aid any plan of reorganization, while if the Georgia Court had obtained possession of and jurisdiction over the Danville system, it would have rendered practically impossible. The order of Judge Bond fixes August 16 at which time, if desired, cause can be shown for either abrogating this receivership or changing it as the interests of the Danville company may suggest. This interval of sixty days will give time within which to mature and promulgate any plan for such reorganization, and will meantime hold the system together as an entirety and protect it from these covert or open hostilities. The necessity of such action will be further appreciated when it is known that for some weeks past the Danville company has not been able to keep either a dollar in bank or in its safe within the State of Georgia, because every such dollar has been attached or garnished by parties alleging claims against the company. Even the money sent by express for the liquidation of pay rolls has been attached in the hands of the express company, and in every instance enormous bonds have been required to release such property by the receivers under Judge Bond's order which relieve the company from such petty persecution and embarrassment and enable it to discharge its duty to the public and reap the proper benefit of its own business. This receivership does not necessitate default on any coupons or other obligations of the company, as the company can, and doubtless will, be permitted by order of the court to pay any and all proper obligations as fast as it can earn the money to do so.

The Same Management Reappointed by the Receivers.

By Telegraph to the State Chronicle.

RICHMOND, Va., June 18.—Messrs. Huidekoper and Foster, recently appointed receivers of the Richmond & Danville railroad have just issued a circular showing their appointment as such by the circuit court of the United States, and in which the appointment of the following officers appears: W. H. Green, general manager; Sol. Haas, traffic manager; John W. Hall, treasurer; M. C. Figg, auditor. Macon, Ga., June 18.—It looks like a receiver within receivers for the Richmond & Danville railroad. Already the system is in the hands of the receivers, appointed by Judge Hugh Bond in Richmond, Va., but if signs in an unfinished case count for anything, Judge Emory Speer will, next week, appoint a receiver from his court. The whole morning was consumed in hearing arguments on the petition of the Central railroad for a receiver and no decision will be rendered until Monday, but it looks very much like a second receiver. SAVANNAH, Ga., June 18.—Three passenger coaches and eight freight cars belonging to the Richmond & Danville railroad which came in here in cause of regular business, were seized by local creditors of the road to-day. Other seizures will follow, whenever property of that company can be caught in this section. CHARLESTON, S. C., June 18.—In the United States circuit court this morning, in the case of Wm. P. Clyde vs. the Richmond & Danville road, a bill appointing Messrs. F. W. Huidekoper and Reuben Foster receivers of the property of the Richmond & Danville R. R. Co. and of the Richmond and West Point Terminal warehouse company was filed. The order appointing receivers was made by Judge Bond on the 15th inst. on application of Messrs. Henry Crawford and F. P. Clarke, of Atlanta, attorneys for the complainants. All R. & D. Offices at Atlanta Transferred to Washington. By Telegraph to the State Chronicle. WASHINGTON, June 18.—S. H. Hardwick, assistant general passenger agent of the Richmond & Danville railroad company, said officially this morning that all the offices of the Richmond & Danville railroad, including the receivers office, would be transferred from Atlanta, Ga., to Washington, D. C., by Monday next. Several of the company's officials are now in this city and others will arrive by Monday, when the company will resume business at its former headquarters. CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS. No Session of the Senate—The Tin Plate Bill Discussed in the House. By Telegraph to the State Chronicle. WASHINGTON, June 18.—(House).—On motion of Mr. McMillan, of Tennessee, the House agreed that when it adjourned to-day it be until Wednesday next. Mr. Livingston (dem.) of Georgia asked that on Wednesday next the sub-treasury bill should be considered. He said this measure was of great interest to the entire country and there was a public clamor for such legislation. Mr. McMillan said these bills were now before the committee on ways and means, who would report them to the House for consideration as it saw fit to take. He submitted that it was scarcely proper to consider measures not yet reported, and he would object to the request. Mr. Sayers (dem.) of Texas obtained leave to report the urgent deficiency bill during the recess. The following measures were passed: To authorize the secretary of the interior to carry into effect the recommendations of the Missouri Indian commission to issue patents for certain lands. A resolution declaring the 21st day of October, 1892, the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America, a general holiday. The House then went into committee of the whole on the tin-plate bill (Mr. Blount, dem., of Georgia, in the chair). Mr. Bowers (rep.) of California, spoke against the measure, his remarks being directed to about twenty-five members. The debate was continued in a most perfunctory way by several members for two hours, to almost empty seats. Mr. Turner (dem.) of Georgia, asked that the House meet at 12 instead of at 11 o'clock on Wednesday next. Agreed to. At 3:30 p. m. the House adjourned until Wednesday, June 22d. A Prominent High Point Citizen Killed by a Train. Special to the State Chronicle. HIGH POINT, N. C., June 18.—Dr. J. R. Brown, a prominent citizen of this place, was run over and killed to-day at 1 o'clock, by a northern bound freight train. He leaves a wife and three sons. Two of his sons are now students at Davidson and Elon College. Military Commissions. The following military commissions were issued yesterday by Gov. Holt: J. C. Bessent, Capt. Co. A, 3rd Reg.; C. H. Williamson, 1st Lieut. Co. A, 3rd Reg.; W. G. Gibson, 2d Lieut. Co. A, 3rd Reg.; W. T. Hughes, Capt. Co. B, 1st Reg.; I. K. White, 1st Lieut. Co. B, 1st Reg.; H. W. Pender, 2d Lieut. Co. A, 4th Reg.; J. H. Speed, 1st Lieut. Co. D, 3rd Reg.; G. W. Howlet, Major 3rd Reg.; S. F. Telfair, Major and Military Secretary to Commander in Chief; John M. Walker, 1st Lieut. and Adjutant, 4th Reg. First Food Exposition. Governor Thomas M. Holt received an invitation yesterday to be present at the opening ceremonies of the first United States food exposition, to be held at Madison Square Garden, New York, in October next, under the auspices of the food manufacturers' association. The object of the exposition is to improve the quality of our food supply and to elevate and maintain a standard of purity and wholesomeness in regard to same. Food manufacturers from every State are urged to make exhibits.

A DAM BREAKS

AND COMES NEAR CAUSING ANOTHER JOHNSTOWN DISASTER.

By Telegraph to the State Chronicle.

MAHONRY CITY, Pa., June 18.—At about 10 o'clock last night the whistles around town started the alarm used in case of fire. In a short time the streets were filled with people rushing wildly to find the cause. They were attracted up Main street, and before proceeding far a carriage dashed toward them. The occupant was driving for his life and crying: "The dam is broken; fly for your lives." The crowd turned and fled, and in the distance could be heard the rushing of the mighty torrent. By the time the water reached the corner of Main and Center streets the crowd had fled to the hills. The people living in the northern end of the town hadn't time to reach the mountains after the alarm was given and sought shelter in their houses. In a few minutes the debris had blocked the streets. There were huge trees, telegraph poles, logs, stumps of trees, wagons, carts, parts of houses, brought by the roaring current. Cellars and stores were flooded and the streets were made impassible. After reaching this place the water took a westerly course and the eastern end of the town was not damaged. Traffic on the Lehigh road between here and Park Place is blocked, the tracks being washed out, and huge logs and trees are lying across the tracks, piled ten and fifteen feet high. The telegraph wires on the Lehigh Valley road are down, and it is reported that a number of houses in Robinsons, a small mining village about two miles from here and right in the path of the flood, have been carried away. After the flood had subsided the greatest fear among the people was for the miners working underground, but information leads to the belief that no lives were lost. The broken dam has not been reached as the water is knee deep. Two people are reported missing. The lower business portion of the town was flooded and nearly had their stocks damaged or ruined. The exact cause of the dam bursting cannot be ascertained. Couriers arriving in town report a great deal of damage done and some of the mines are flooded, which means no work at the mines until the water is pumped out. Later information is that there is but one person missing. His name is Jacob Cloz, an old man who lived in a shanty on the line of the flood. The total loss will exceed \$75,000. The North Mahanoy colliery was partly washed away, as was also a portion of the Scuykill colliery. No trains have passed west since 9 o'clock last night over the Lehigh Valley railroad. State Fair Marshals. The following marshals have been appointed for the State Fair, October 18-21 inclusive: Chief, W. B. Pollard, Winston; Assistants: J. Motly Morehead, Leaksville; R. J. Mitchell, Edenton; R. J. Cobb, Greenville; A. Heilig, Salisbury; Jno. S. Carson, Ralph Holman, T. L. Leigh, Charlotte; H. L. Parrish, Hillsboro; W. B. Williamson, J. Y. Jordan, J. A. Parker, Asheville; J. R. Findley, North Wilkesboro; Paul Jones, Carboro; A. S. DeVlaming, Roxboro; C. A. Peen, Reidsville; A. B. Williams Jr., W. C. McDuffie, A. B. Pemberton, John Underwood, Jr., Fayetteville; Frank Hayward, J. L. Prior, Harry Crough, W. B. Grimes, Stark Batcher, Raleigh; Henry T. Shaffer, E. G. Hester, E. T. Ware, Winston-Salem; I. C. Goodson, Durham. PERSONAL. Mrs. Netherly left yesterday for Morehead. Mrs. W. J. W. Crowder left yesterday on a visit to Newburn. When the Republicans speak of Reid as the laboring men's candidate the laboring men cry "Rats?" Miss Bessie Richardson, of High Point, who has been visiting the Misses Sandelin returned to her home yesterday. They rely upon Mr. Whitelaw Reid to carry New York. Well, when he was so fiercely fighting for Greeley, in 1872, he carried the State for Grant by a plurality of 53,324. Among yesterday's arrivals at the Yarbrough House were: C. W. Thornburg, Asheville; H. M. Robinson, Henderson; F. M. Moye, Moyton, N. C.; A. G. Brown, Louisville. Mr. R. C. Hoffman, vice-president, and Maj. John C. Winder, general manager, of the S. A. L., returned yesterday from Atlanta where they have been the past week in the interest of their system. Prof. and Mrs. T. J. Simmons passed through the city yesterday for Wake Forest, where they will remain with Prof. Simmons' relatives until Tuesday morning next, then they leave for New York and will sail for Germany on the morning of the 25th. Capt. Chas. McDonald, whom the third party has insisted on pressing into service, was in the city to-day. He told the News that he has nothing to do with that party, or any other party that jeopardizes the success of the democratic State ticket.—Charlotte News. Consul-General King expects to return to the United States this summer for a short visit—doubtless on "private business," such as brought Consul-General Newover. Gen. King's daughter, it is said, has become one of the leading belles of the American colony in Paris. Miss King made her debut in Baltimore a few seasons ago, and is a very pretty and attractive young woman. Emory college, Georgia, at its recent commencement conferred the honorary degree of doctor of divinity on the Rev. J. T. Gibbs, the accomplished presiding elder of the Fayetteville district of the N. C. conference. Dr. Gibbs was at one time pastor of Eden Street church of this city and has many friends here who will agree with us in the statement that he merits such honor as has been conferred upon him.

Roanoke's Big Celebration.

By Telegraph to the State Chronicle.

ROANOKE, Va., June 18.—The second day of the decennial celebration began this morning at 9 o'clock with a chime of the city bells; then the parade was formed with the head of the column resting on South Jefferson street. At 11 o'clock it moved forward along the lines marked out for its progress. The merchants and manufacturers had over seventy-five floats and other avocations were well represented, more than two thousand soldiers, four artillery companies, nine full brass bands, four drum corps, six or eight secret orders, fire departments and many other attractive features composed the grand parade, which was two miles long and required an hour and fifteen minutes to pass. The evening programme was equally interesting.

Weekly Bank Statement.

By Telegraph to the State Chronicle.

NEW YORK, June 18.—The important changes in the principal items of the New York statement for the week were: Surplus reserve, decrease \$762,025. Loans increase \$2,894,300; specie decrease \$1,801,000; legal tenders, increase \$1,524,600; deposits increase \$1,580,100, circulation increase \$24,500.

Orders From the Navy Department.

By Telegraph to the State Chronicle.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Commander O. F. Heyerman has been detached as inspector and placed on waiting orders. Lieut. Charles T. Forse detached from duty as steel inspector at Pittsburg, Pa., and ordered to the Kearsarge as executive. Lieut. C. W. Ruschenberger detached from the Kearsarge and ordered to duty at the Midvale steel works.

Henry A. Grady for the West Point Cadetship.

Special to the State Chronicle.

GOLDSBORO, N. C., June 18.—The examining board, consisting of D. J. Broadhurst, Dr. George L. Kirby, of this city, and A. D. Ward, Esq., of Kenansville, decided this evening on Henry A. Grady, son of Congressman Grady, as the successful candidate for the West Point cadetship, who stood the average grading of sixty-three out of five applicants. His alternate is Albert Oliver, of Duplin, average grading 58 1/8. The examination, lasting all day yesterday, was very rigid throughout.

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All miserable sufferers with dyspepsia are cured by Simmons' Liver Regulator.

It is transpires tonight, after postponement of the selection of a temporary chairman, after the subcommittee had decided to suggest the name of W. C. Owens and Mr. Watterston had communicated that fact to a reporter of the United Press, it was due to the objections made to Mr. Owens by the Cleveland men. At a meeting of the Illinois delegation to-night held at the Sherman House General A. E. Stevenson was elected temporary chairman of the delegation. Delegate Echols read a telegram from Hon. W. R. Morrison in which Mr. Morrison stated that he desired the Illinois delegation to stand strictly to their instructions and to vote for Cleveland on the first ballot.

CHATHAM COUNTY, N. C., June 18.—It is essential to the success of the democratic party in the coming campaign that our State executive committee, at its meeting on the first Wednesday in July, should make no mistake in the election of its chairman. For this important position a gentleman should be selected who is prudent yet firm, who is experienced in the management of political campaigns, who has a thorough knowledge of the State and an intimate acquaintance with the people of every county, and to whom the people would look with confidence as a safe and trusted leader. Without any disparagement to others, it may safely be asserted that no man in North Carolina possesses these qualifications to a more pre-eminent degree than ex-Gov. Jarvis.

Jarvis for Chairman.

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