

FAREWELL!

Say Silverites to the G. O. P.

SCENES OF DISORDER

As Teller, Cannon, Du- bois and Others Walk Out.

NOMINATIONS MADE.

All of the Candidates Placed in Nomination—A Vote will Follow Before Adjournment—Senator Mantell Refused to Bolt—The Convention Went Wild While Delegates Were Retiring.

CONVENTION HALL, ST. LOUIS, June 18.—The plan of the managers is to bring the convention to a close today. The convention hall at 10 o'clock was nearly empty. The day is hot and the humidity is fearful. The second place is still in doubt, though the probabilities are in favor of Morton, Hobart or Hastings. The platform will declare for gold, and the Cuban plank will declare that the active influence and good offices of the United States should be interposed for the restoration of peace.

During the wait for the delegates to take their seats a glee club from Nebraska began singing campaign songs from the platform. Teller was on the platform conferring with party leaders. The hall soon commenced filling. The aisles were filled with delegates canvassing for votes for second place on the ticket. The convention was called to order at 10:32.

Committee on Platform Reports.

Rev. John Scott of Florida offered prayer. At ten thirty five, chairman Thurston called for the report of the committee on platform and as Foraker arose he received loud cheers. The preamble to the platform adverts to the calamitous results of Democratic rule and charges that party with incapacity to direct the country's affairs. The tariff plank extols protection and denounces the present tariff as sectional. The question of rates is declared to be practical and to be general by the conditions of time and production. Ample protection is promised producers and manufacturers of wool. Woolen restoration and encouragement to merchant marine is promised. The financial plank already published is unservedly for gold. Liberal pensions are advocated as well as generous treatment of all pensioners. A vigorous and dignified foreign policy is advocated. The Hawaiian island should be under our control and no foreign power should be permitted to interfere with the Nicaragua Canal. The purchase of the Danish Isles west is advocated. The Armenian massacres are denounced and the Monroe doctrine is re-asserted to its full extent. It says, we shall not interfere with the existing European possessions on this hemisphere, but such possessions must not be extended. The country demands a right for settlement and then wants rest. The repeal of the reciprocity arrangements made by the last Republican administration was a National calamity and reciprocity and protection go hand in hand.

The Free Cuba Plank.

The democratic administration is condemned for not keeping faith with the sugar producers. The republican party favors such protection as will lead to the production on American soil of all sugar which American people use, and for which they pay other countries hundreds of millions annually. The government of Spain having lost control of Cuba, and being unable to protect property or lives of resident Americans, or to comply with its treaty obligations, we believe the United States government should actively use its influence and good offices to restore peace and give independence to the Island. Continued enlargement of

the Navy and a complete system of harbor, sea and coast defenses is strongly urged. Exclusion of illiterate immigrants is favored; civil service advocated; a free ballot is demanded and lynching denounced.

Favors Woman's Rights.

The remaining planks favor free homestead, the policy of the Republican party; admission of the remaining territories; encouraging temperance and favors woman's rights. Cheers greeted the financial reciprocity and Cuban planks. Eleven delegations and two-thirds of the States rose and cheered the declaration against the free coinage of silver.

Teller Offers a Minority Report.

Foraker moved the adoption of the platform. Senator Teller was recognized and offered a minority report. There was loud cheering by the silver States when Senator Teller arose and referred to the financial plank. He favored the use of both gold and silver and favored free coinage of both at the ratio of 16 to 1. He took the platform and spoke in favor of the report signed by the members of the committee from Colorado, Idaho, Utah, Montana and Nevada. He said the issue in the civil war was not greater than the financial issue confronting the country.

Vote by States on the Report.

Teller stated in his speech that if the gold plank was adopted he must sever connection with the party. There were cheers and hisses. Foraker replied to Teller's speech. Colorado seconded by Nevada demanded a roll call. The call was begun and the following is the vote by states.

	Ayes.	Noes.
Alabama	19	4
California	4	13
Connecticut	12	0
Delaware	6	2
Florida	7	1
Georgia	35	1
Illinois	46	2
Indiana	30	0
Idaho	6	6
Iowa	23	3
Kansas	15	5
Maine	12	0
Maryland	16	0
Massachusetts	30	0
Michigan	25	3
Missouri	18	0
Kentucky	26	0
Louisiana	16	0
Nebraska	16	0
Nevada	6	6
New Hampshire	8	0
New Jersey	29	0
New York	72	0
Montana	6	6
Missouri	33	1
North Dakota	6	0
North Carolina	71	14
Ohio	46	0
Pennsylvania	64	0
Oregon	8	0
South Carolina	18	0
South Dakota	6	2
Tennessee	23	1
Vermont	8	0
Virginia	15	7
Washington	8	0
West Virginia	12	0
Wisconsin	24	0
Wyoming	6	6
Arizona	6	0
Oklahoma	5	1
Indian Territory	6	0
District of Columbia	2	0
Alaska	4	0

The total vote was 812; ayes and 110; noes.

Platform Adopted Viva Voci Vote.

U. S. Grant, Jr., was applauded when he voted "no." The platform as a whole was adopted by viva voci. Teller arose to a question of personal privilege. Cannon, of Utah, was the first permitted to read a statement announcing the purpose of the silver minority.

At 1:20, Cannon was interrupted by shouts of "time" from the galleries. Order was restored and he proceeded. He predicted the downfall of the Republican party if it adheres to the gold platform. He was interrupted by howls and hisses.

Burleigh, of Washington, was recognized and he said that his State was for the single gold standard and McKinley.

The roll call of the national committee was ordered.

The chairman recognized Senator Mantell of Montana and he said he thought that a majority of the Montana delegation thought they were justified in retiring, but he said the republicans from Montana can't give their approval of the financial plank adopted. Mantell entered his protest against the plank adopted, but announced that only a part of the delegation would withdraw. Senator Brown of Utah was recognized and

announced that the delegation from Utah would not bolt, but that only two or three members had gone. Three loyal alternates took their places.

Chairman Thurston endeavored to restore order and suggested that the Republican party fear no such calamity. Delegates and spectators arose and cheered several minutes. Order was restored after several appeals. Cannon proceeded with the names to the silver protest. Senator Teller, Dubois, Hartman of Montana, and Cannon of Colorado left the hall amid cheers and shouts of good bye. The band played "Three cheers for the red, white and blue." The crowd rose and sang with the band and cheered several minutes. The delegates from Idaho, Montana, Utah, and South Dakota followed.

Chairman Thurston remarked facetiously while the delegates were retiring that enough delegates seemed to be left to transact business.

Nominating speeches being announced to be in order, Mr. Baldwin, of Iowa, nominated Allison amidst cheers. Senator Sewell, of New Jersey, says there is little doubt but that Hobart will be nominated Vice-President. It is reported that Morton's name will not be presented. Maine was called and Lodge nominated Reed amidst cheers. The chair stated that an effort to adjourn would be opposed. The programme is to remain in continuous session until candidates are nominated.

Depew presented the name of Morton, and bedlam broke loose when Foraker took the stand to nominate McKinley. The audience sang Dixie, America and other songs at the conclusion of Foraker's speech. Gov. Hastings presented Quay's name.

Hahn, Hanna's right hand man says Morton will be nominated by McKinley delegates. It was decided to boom Thurston for the Vice Presidency this morning. The Illinois delegation has voted to support Hobart for the Vice Presidency. As we go to press balloting by states, which will nominate Mr. McKinley is in progress.

HORSE CRUELLY BEAT

Mayor Russ Sends Melvin Chavis on to Wait Next Term of Court.

The Mayor's court had an unusually large attendance this morning. The case that attracted the most attention was the one against Melvin Chavis, charged with cruelty to animals.

The evidence was that Melvin beat a horse belonging to Mr. E. M. Martin unmercifully, while driving him from the river. Mr. Martin stated that the horse was injured physically and that large whelps stood out on his back and body, being the result of cruel abuse. Tobe Marshall and Joseph Brann were witnesses.

The case is beyond the jurisdiction of the Mayor, and his Honor bound Chavis over to the next term of Criminal Court, under a \$50 bond.

This is the first case of the kind that has come to public notice in some time. The law is a humane one and punishment should be fully meted out to all offenders.

Death of Mr. Otho Wilson, Jr.

Otho Wilson, Jr., second son of Mr. Otho Wilson, Railway Commissioner, whose critical illness was noticed in yesterday's paper died last evening at 11 p. m. at the residence of his father, several miles South of the city.

Young Mr. Wilson was taken ill a few days ago with typhoid fever. The malady seized him and quickly carried him away, despite medical treatment and skill. Mr. Wilson was about 18 years of age and a young man of many splendid qualities. Full of promise he was cut off in the bloom of youth.

The funeral was conducted this afternoon from Inwood Church, South of the city. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. D. Hunter.

Capt. Ashe for Treasurer.

Capt. S. A. Ashe is the choice of the Democrats for State Treasurer. He has spent his life for the good of his State and party, and if he will accept the nomination it ought to be tendered him unanimously.—Mt. Airy News.

Seaton Gales Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Regular meeting of Seaton Gales Lodge No. 64, I. O. O. F., tonight at 8 o'clock. It is earnestly desired that every member be present. Members of sister lodges are cordially invited to attend.

W. P. BETTS, N. G. THIRM, Sec.

THE AREA EXTENDS.

Saturday's Hail Storm Touched Three Counties.

IN UPPER WAKE

The Loss was Frightful.—Farmers Leaving Their Farms—Hail on the Ground for Three Days—People Injured—Fowls Killed.

The news which was received here today regarding the hail storm Saturday night is much more alarming than that received here Sunday from Wake Forest. Parties from the north-western section of the county, ten miles from Wake Forest, state that the storm was more general there, and did far greater damage. The loss must be exceedingly large to farming interests from today's reports.

Mr. David Allen, a son of Mr. W. G. Allen, superintendent of the County Home, was at the residence of Dr. Penny, near Vantenn post office, this county, when the storm passed there early Saturday evening.

The storm first struck the Orange county line, passed through Durham county near the Granville line and then jumped into Wake. The path of the storm in that section averaged a mile, and Mr. Allen says that it extended over 15 miles and possibly more territory, before reaching the Wake Forest section.

Mr. Allen has seen the damage done at Wake Forest, but it does not begin to equal the desolation and destruction done crops in the western end of the county. Mr. Allen says that the damage was so great that many farmers have given up their land and are going elsewhere to seek employment. Others began to plow up their fields to plant late crops of corn, before he left. Fields were torn to pieces, and not even cotton stalks were left, in most instances.

To illustrate the force and severity of the storm, Mr. Allen says that Tuesday—over two days after the storm, he gathered a large quantity of hail stones and used them in freezing ice cream. The ground was completely covered with ice.

Men who were caught out in the storm were beaten fearfully and some are reported injured. Chickens and fowls and birds were killed. It is estimated that the damage was from \$50,000 to \$60,000. The people are reported to be in distitute circumstances.

A THIEF CAPTURED.

Stole Money in Morrisville—Fled to Durham and Purchased Many Articles.

James Davis, a negro who claims Elizabeth City as his home, was brought here to-day and placed in jail, charged with stealing \$19.30 in money, and some clothing from Jordan Hick's house near Morrisville yesterday.

Davis fled to Durham and was captured there yesterday. When searched he had no money, but a lot of new goods were found, for which he had spent the money. An inventory of Davis' wardrobe revealed the following newly purchased articles: Two black shirts, two gauze undershirts, two pair of socks, one striped linen shirt, one pair jeans drawers, one pair of pants, one pair of shoes and one pair of slippers. All these were new, and had just been purchased. All together foot up about the amount of cash stolen.

The arrest was a quick one. Davis awaits the next term of court.

Three Companies Going to Richmond.

R. E. Lee Camp, No. 1, S. C. V. yesterday issued their call for the general organization of Sons of Confederate veterans throughout the South. These calls have been sent to 250 camps, and it is the desire of those in charge to have the United Confederate Veterans take up the matter, which has already been favorably received and act upon it as soon as they assemble in their sixth annual gathering. An effort is being made to get the Auditorium for the Sons' big meeting, which will be held on the night of June 30th.

Only three Companies in the State have determined so far to make the trip to Richmond. They are:

Governor's Guard, of Raleigh, with sixty; Hornet's Nest Rifles, of Charlotte; Forsyth Rifles, of Winston.

Telephone subscribers will please add to their lists Mr. Z. P. Smith's residence, No. 194; two rings.

GEN. JOHNSON SAFE.

He Was on the Attacked Train, but Was Not Shot.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.

HAVANA, June 18.—General Bradley T. Johnson has returned here from Matanzas. It developed today that he was one of the passengers on board the railroad train which the insurgents recently dynamited near Benavider, and fired upon for ten minutes. The balls shattered the windows of the cars and went through the cars themselves. The passengers hastily vacated their seats and lay on the floor until all danger was over. Among them were some very stout women. General Johnson's seat in the car was shot through and through and two bullets passed through his coat. He says he will not travel any more on trains in this island, as it is too dangerous. He contends, however, that the marksmanship of the insurgents is bad.

[Note.—Gen. Johnson has a number of relatives and friends in Raleigh.]

DRAMATIC CLUB HERE.

Arrived this Morning and Present the Congressman tonight.

The Charlotte Dramatic Club, whose appearance in this city has been anxiously anticipated for some time arrived here this morning at 8:30 a. m. from Goldsboro, where the club presented "The Congressman" last evening to a large and appreciative audience. They are stopping at the Park Hotel.

The members of the Club are of Charlotte's most charming social set. Since their arrival here this morning, the gentlemen have been the guests of the Capitol Club, and ladies have been entertained at the homes of well known people. Tonight a german will be given in honor of the Dramatic Club, by the Capitol Club.

The personnel of the Club is given below:

Mrs. T. D. Sampson, Mrs. J. C. Hirschenger, Miss Pogram, Miss Jones, Miss Hirschenger, W. C. Robertson, W. G. Perry, Baxter Todd, H. J. Hirschenger, R. T. Colledge, J. E. Carlton, J. J. Farrar, W. F. Bowden and W. Chase Adams, Manager.

The Charlotte Dramatic Club will present "The Congressman" in Metropolitan Hall tonight for the Vance Memorial Fund.

The play is a roaring farce comedy replete with funny sayings and situations and was most enthusiastically received when presented in Charlotte, where it was twice repeated to crowded houses.

The caste is made up of clever young society folks, who have been playing light comedies for several years with great success.

One of the most laughable hits in the home production was the appearance in the first act, of a band consisting of a one legged Italian in a wheel barrow with a grind organ and a monkey and two negroes playing a bass horn and drum. The same band in the same costumes will play here in the same highly entertaining manner.

Coming to us as it does with the highest recommendations and considering the object for which it is being presented, "The Congressman" should be greeted with a crowded house.

Attention Railroad Men.

Captain E. T. Morris, of Manchester, Va., will spend Sunday in the city, and will be the speaker at the Y. M. C. A. men's meeting, at four o'clock. He was a Railroad man for 25 years, and loves to talk with his former colleagues. All men interested in railroad work are invited to be present.

Mr. J. W. Cooper will have charge of the singing.

Summer Excursions to New York, Old Point Comfort, Ocean View and Virginia Beach, Va.

Since the inauguration of its through line the Southern Railway is selling season tickets to the above named places, at regular summer rates.

The Southern's new Vestibule train reaches Norfolk at 5:20 p. m. making connection with the Norfolk & Washington Steamers, the Bay Lines Merchant and Miners, and Old Dominion Steamers for all Eastern points.

For all information as to rates, routes, etc., call on or address, W. A. Turk, Gen. P. A., Washington, D. C.; R. L. Potts, Ticket Agent, Raleigh, N. C.

FOR THE FOURTH.

A Movement on Foot to Have a Glorious Display of Fireworks.

Mr. Charles Johnson, the live and progressive manager of the Raleigh Street Railway, has arrangements under way to have a grand pyrotechnic display at Pullen Park on the night of the fourth of July, provided our citizens will cooperate with him to a small extent. Mr. Johnson has been corresponding about the matter and informs us that he can make arrangements for a \$200 display, to be one of the most brilliant ever given in the South, if our citizens will raise \$75. The display will consist of the most elaborate and gorgeous features known in pyrotechnics, and will be the most extensive assortment ever offered for that money. Mr. Johnson also proposes to give in the afternoon of the fourth at the Park a day display of Japanese fire-works for the children. It is hoped that some of our people will take the lead and set the ball to rolling and make the movement a success. Raleigh used to take great pride in her fire works displays on the night of the fourth and used to get them up in glorious style. Let us celebrate once more and have a big blaze at the Park.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

Cotton closes 7 to 8 Points Lower in New York.

New York, June 18.

Cotton quotations furnished by E. B. Cuthbert & Co., 56 Broadway, New York, and 305 Wilmington street, Raleigh, over their special wire:

MONTHS.	OPEN- ING.	HIGH- EST.	LOW- EST.	CLOS- ING.
January	6 75	6 75	6 72	6 73
February	6 79	6 79	6 77	6 77
March	6 80	6 80	6 78	6 78
April	6 80	6 80	6 78	6 78
May	6 80	6 80	6 78	6 78
June	7 32	7 36	7 23	7 25 7
July	7 33	7 38	7 24	7 25 7
August	7 35	7 39	7 25	7 26 7
September	6 74	6 73	6 69	6 70 1
October	6 71	6 75	6 68	6 68 1
November	6 69	6 71	6 66	6 66
December	6 71	6 73	6 67	6 68

Steady. Sales, 91,800 bales.

New York futures, opened steady 2 to 4 points higher, continued steady, slightly lower, and closed 7 to 8 points lower for old crop and about 1 point for new crop, as compared with yesterday's closing prices.

New York Stock Market.

The following were the closing quotations on the New York Stock Exchange today:

Missouri Pacific	24 1/2
General Electric	32 1/2
St. Paul	78 1/2
Manhattan	24 1/2
Tennessee Coal and Iron	103 1/2
American Tobacco	65 1/2
Burlington and Quincy	79 1/2
Western Union	80
Louisville and Nashville	51 1/2
Chicago Gas	67 1/2
Sugar	122 1/2
United States Leather	62
Southern Railroad	91
Southern Preferred	28 1/2
Aitchison	111
Whiskey	104 1/2
Jersey Central	91
Erie	14 1/2
Reading	15 1/2
Rock Island	7 1/2
D. L. & W.	104 1/2
Union Pacific	71
New York Electric	3 1/2 s.
Wabash	6 1/2

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool futures opened steady 1 to 2 points higher, and closed quiet and steady 1 to 1 1/2 points higher than yesterday's closing prices. Spots 3 31-32.

Sales, 10,000 bales; receipts, 4,000 bales, of which 3,000 was American. June..... 3.55 s. June-July..... 3.55 s. July-August..... 3.54 s. August-September..... 3.52 s. September-October..... 3.45 s. October-November..... 3.44 s. November-December..... 3.44 s. December-January..... 3.44 s.

Chicago Grain and Provision Market.

The following were the closing quotations on the Chicago Grain and Provision market today:

Wheat—July, 57 1/2; September, 58 1/2. Corn—July, 27 1/2; September, 29 1/2. Oats—July, 17 1/2; September, 17 1/2. Pork—July, 7 1/2; September, 7.32. Lard—July, 4.17; September, 4.32. Clear Rib Sides—July, 3.85 1/2; September, 4.00 1/2.

The W. C. T. U.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union and the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union, of Raleigh, will give a reception at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. this evening, June 18th, from 8 to 10 o'clock to welcome the new members and honorary members of the local Union. We hope all members, old and new, will be present.

By order of the President.

The fourth ward puzzle, a colored base ball nine, was defeated by the Norfolk nine in a game of base ball at the latter place yesterday by a score of 7 to 1.

SHORT STATEMENTS

Minor Matters Manipulated for the Many.

AROUND THE CITY.

Port-Pour of the News Pictured on Paper—Points and People Pertinently Picked and Pithily Put in Print.

W. B. of St. Agnes Guild will meet with Miss Maude Eberhardt at the Park at 10 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The Raleigh Street Railway plant is now running the electric light circuit all day, as well as the numerous fan motors throughout the city.

Mr. Sherwood Upchurch has received an offer to star with the great Cleveland Minstrels next year. Mr. Upchurch has not decided whether he will accept or not.

By advice of the president of the North Carolina Swine Breeders' Association, its directors are called to meet at the Agricultural building, Raleigh, June 25th, for the transaction of business.

"Sun Light," published by Mr. M. T. Ray, of this city, is a neat pamphlet, full of interesting matter, and is growing in popularity as an advertising medium. It now has a large circulation.

Elder W. J. Stephenson will preach at W. A. Simpkin's, near Raleigh, Friday night, June 19th. All who feel impressed to do so are invited to come. Services to begin at 8 o'clock p. m.

Mr. W. T. McGee, who has so long been the efficient and popular Secretary and Treasurer of the Raleigh Gas Company, was re-elected yesterday with the other officers for the ensuing term.

The most novel and desirable thing out is that patent canopy of which Messrs. Royall and Borden give you some views in their ad. today. The minute you look at the picture you will want to go at once and buy one.

Dave Lane, the negro who robbed the Durham Tobacco Company a few days since, has been remanded to jail in default of \$600 which was required of him for his appearance at the December term of Federal court, which meets in this city.

Mr. W. B. Mann will shortly build a very handsome residence on the site at the corner of Newbern Avenue and Wilmington Street, which he purchased some time ago. It will front Christ Church and Capitol Square. The house will be of very attractive architectural design and will be an ornament to the city.

Some of the papers of the State have permitted themselves to become confused as to the object of the Vance Memorial Association in raising funds for a monument for the late Senator Vance. The monument which Asheville is undertaking to erect to the memory of the lamented Vance is separate and distinct from the one which the Association proposes to place in Capitol square.

There is a general shaking up of things going on at the store of Messrs. C. A. Sherwood & Co. Floors are being ripped up, the rear walls are being knocked out, carpenters are hammering and bricklayers are slinging mortar. There is a general stir and Mr. Sherwood is also slaughtering prices. There are bargains for everybody so read his ad. today and drop in.

Texas Helps the Winchester Fund.

The enclosed letter was sent to Mrs. Armistead Jones, President of the "Monumental Association" in Raleigh with request for publication: ENNIS, Texas, June 2nd,