

LITTLE RELIEF FOR GREAT CITY

New York's Heat Victims Now Number 21 Within Space of 24 Hours.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, July 7.—Temperature at 2 a. m., 83; at 8 a. m., 84.

Thirteen more were added today to the list of heat victims of the last 24 hours, making a total of 21 who in one day died from the heat.

Little relief is promised from the torrid wave by the weather bureau officials, the prospect for today being that humidity will be high and the temperature slightly lower than yesterday.

Sufficient Hospital Supplies Today. Bellevue hospital ordered for today an extra large supply of ice and milk, so that the nurses will not be in the same quandary as they were yesterday, when the supplies were all used up by the unexpected large number of heat cases that had to be treated.

All the hospitals today also have extra horses that they may call upon in the event of any of the ambulance horses giving out. So great was the demand made on the ambulance horses of all the hospitals yesterday, Bellevue in particular, that the horses were on the verge of collapse.

A REVELATION. It is a revelation to people, the severe cases of lung trouble that have been cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. It not only stops the cough, but heats and strengthens the lungs.

WATTERSON, FORAKER, TAFT PALLBEARERS FOR HALSTEAD.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Cincinnati, O., July 7.—Among the pallbearers at the funeral of Murat Halstead the editor and author, were Judge Alexander D. Hustin and Stephen Gerard, who officiated 51 years ago as best man and groomsmen at his wedding.

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War Against Consumption. All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year.

LINCOLN FLOOD THE WORST EVER

Five Lives Lost and Much Property Laid Waste in Home of Mr. Bryan

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Lincoln, Neb., July 7.—Lincoln has experienced what was probably the worst flood in its history, causing the known loss of five lives and possibly two others, minor injuries to several, a property loss which cannot yet be estimated, an almost total suspension of railroad traffic to and from the city, and misery to numerous families driven from their homes.

Fell From Pole to Watery Grave. A young man named Gillard Nicholas was caught in the flood while returning home from town about 8 o'clock in the morning. He climbed a telephone post and persons say they saw him, after clinging for hours, fall into the water. No trace of him has been secured.

A child of a Russian family, name unknown, was reported drowned, but the report has not been verified. The flood late at night was subsiding. Acting Mayor Marshall last night issued an appeal for aid for the flood victims.

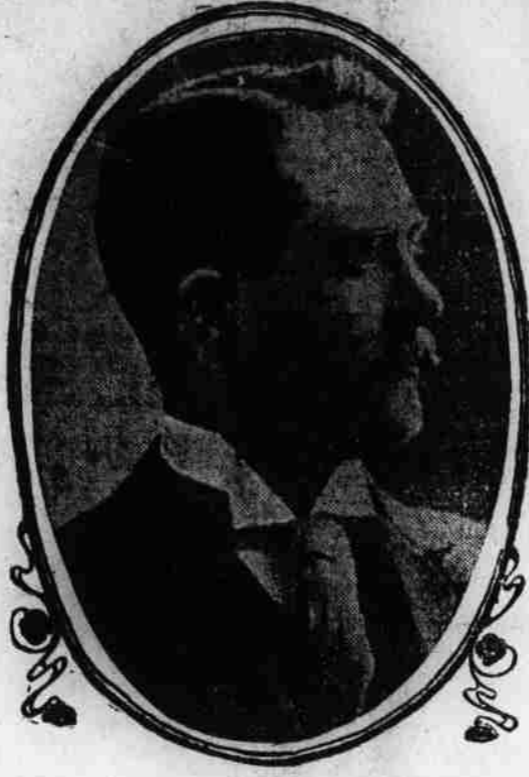
MEXICAN OIL FIELDS BURN; LIGHT UP GULF COUNTRY

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Washington, July 7.—The immense Mexican oil fields, between Tampico and Tuxpan, are burning. The fire is visible 10 miles away on the gulf. The light is intermittent and therefore dangerous to mariners.

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ORIGINAL THIRD TERM MAN IS SICK. Montgomery, Mo., July 7. A dispatch from Denver says Delegate Green Clay, of this district, the original "Bryan" for president in 1908, was stricken with acute indigestion. It was two years ago last spring that Clay started the country with his resolution in the Audrain democratic convention endorsing Bryan, then in Europe, as the nominee for president in 1908.

Hon. Clark Howell, of Georgia



Clark Howell, Georgia's member of the democratic national committee, editor of The Atlanta Constitution and Gov. Hoke Smith's bitter adversary in the primaries for the governorship nomination two years ago, has been endorsed by the Georgia delegation for vice-president, although Col. J. Hamilton Lewis, of Chicago, a native Georgian, was the favorite of Savannah and Chatham county. Georgia may, at the crucial moment, go to Bryan.

JOHNSON-GRAY BOOMERS BLUE.

(Continued From First Page) heart-stimulant was being used, and retired to his palatial apartment at the Spirey hotel for study and reflection.

Dr. Murphy was calm and dignified in his manner. He merely said to the nurses that unless they could produce before his emotional eyes by Tuesday morning two reasonably robust booms, combined circulation of 300 votes, he would not interest himself in their cases at all.

C. F. Murphy Wants to be in Band Wagon. New York, he said, did not intend to go into a morgue with any candidate at the present time. Indeed, it was gathered from Dr. Murphy's conversation that New York distinctly refuses to do anything but get reserved seats in the first chariot in the parade, leaving the hearsees for such as care to ride in vehicles of that character.

Yesterday was the day to get all turn up about the platform. Various patriots who have planks, pledges and promises, ranging from a sure solution of the problems of how to get other people's money to the right way a hen should lay an egg, were being galloping around, urging their particular idiosyncrasies on any person who would listen.

Some of these persons seem to think it makes some difference what is in the platform. More than that, many platitudinous politicians, who have packed their half-column ideas into six-column platforms in times past, are dying hard. They think they are here to write a platform or to help. They have on hand large stocks of words and phrases that are never used anywhere except in platforms, and they have them all brushed up and manured and ready for use.

Don't Understand the New Bryan Dispensation. They do not understand the new Bryan dispensation. They think it is a joke when they are told a large, paunchy person named Brown, mayor of Lincoln, has concealed in his inside pocket the platform Mr. Bryan's convention will adopt at the request of Mr. Bryan. Mr. Brown is, or is not, here. That is a matter of no consequence. At the proper moment he will untie the string around his package of issues and hand the contents to the chairman of the resolutions committee. After that, there will be nothing to do but write this simple sentence:

Your committee has the honor unanimously to report the following resolution, and walk over to the convention hall.

At 7 o'clock last night "Aifalfa Bill" Murray started on his \$33rd speech in the lobby of the Brown Palace hotel. Aifalfa Bill's mission is to explain the constitution of Oklahoma, a comprehensive document that contains all legislation needed for setting up a new state, from the classification of the voters to the length of sheets that shall be used on hotel beds. "Aifalfa Bill" has a liberal interpretation for each paragraph, and if he talks steadily, as he probably will, it is expected he will be through by next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

He is accompanied by 200 orators from Oklahoma, each with an explanation of the constitution. The result is that the day has been noisy, and Oklahoma has furnished most of the noise.

THE DENVER NATIONAL CONVENTION GETS UNDER WAY IN AUDITORIUM AT NOON

(Continued From First Page) "Give them a little time," he said jokingly. The galleries were filled and all the delegates were in their seats when finally order was restored.

Finally a new and loud-sounding gavel was passed to him and quiet enough was secured to begin the reading of the call. Just as the reading clerk started in the banner of the Bryan volunteers of Nebraska was brought in and then the crowd went wild.

The banner was slowly carried to the Nebraska delegation at the very front of the hall, the band playing "Dixie" as soon as the cheering ceased, which was after a couple of minutes, the banner was removed by order of the chairman. There came another rather weary wait.

It finally became necessary to have officers clear the aisle. He took Secretary Urey Woodson, with the aid of a number of sergeants-at-arms and policemen, to get the semblance of order. They had just about accomplished this when the California delegation commenced cheering for the temporary chairman, their own statesman, Mr. Bell. He commenced his speech at 2 o'clock.

Denver, July 7.—All is in readiness for the first session of the democratic national convention, provided the temporary chairman, Bell, gets here in time to be properly introduced by National Chairman Taggart.

Mr. Bell's dilemma is really one of the most unique features of the convention, aside from the 57 varieties of vice-presidential candidates, and it gave the national committeemen no little concern until the Hearst News Service gave Secretary Urey Woodson the news that, by the use of a handker, the temporary chairman had broken the Lincoln maroon and was on his way to Denver. If he has good luck and a good run, he will get here in time to perform his functions. If not, the idea is now to call the convention to order on time and then spend an hour or so, or as much time as is necessary, with marching clubs and the like, so that Mr. Bell may have an opportunity to arrive.

The Johnson boom has been revived and the Gray boom is a little more active. The Johnsonites, headed by a band, made the rounds of the hotels late yesterday, vociferously shouting their slogans. They were having a great time of it in the Brown palace lobby. Then the band started up "Dixie," which raised the usual yell from the southerners present. At this juncture, somebody in the Oklahoma headquarters swung the banner of the Ardmore Democratic club, with a picture of Bryan on it, and the yells of the Johnsonites were drowned in the mighty roar which went up for the sake of Fairview. The Oklahomaans have a peculiar yell, which for noise-making qualities has no equal in the line of noise-making. It is the regular Comanche warwhoop, and the mention of Bryan's name is always enough to start it going. There is no lack of noise or enthusiasm at this gathering of demo-

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crats. They are firmly convinced that they have at least an even chance to win this time and hence the enthusiasm. Bryan Men Now Claiming Georgia For Their Own. As to the general situation, the morning of the first day of the convention finds the domination of the Bryan element more complete than ever.

"We don't like to be lonesome," he said with a smile. New York Still on the Fence—Officially. The New York delegation is still on the fence, officially. No action has been taken binding the delegation to vote for any man, either for president or vice-president.

"There is no need for hurry," said State Chairman Connors. "We will act at the proper time, in the way we deem best for the party." "No action has been taken, nor is any likely for some time," replied Lewis Nixon to a question as to what New York proposed to do.

"Nobody can give a definite answer to the question as to how we will vote," he added. Charles F. Murphy, Tim Sullivan, and other New York leaders, made practically the same reply to the question.

Nevertheless, when talking, not for publication, some of the New York leaders don't hesitate to say New York's vote will go for Bryan. The platform is attracting very little attention. The labor leaders are hopeful that their views will be met so far as vital questions are concerned, and the suffragettes are feeling good over the prospects of an endorsement of woman suffrage.

New York Wants to Show "What Democracy Is." One feature of the platform situation is the earnestness with which the New York sub-committee is laboring on a declaration of principles which will represent the New York idea of what democracy is. They labored on well into the morning and will have their platform ready for Judge Parker to present to the platform committee at its first meeting.

"The committee will give Judge Parker a respectful hearing," remarked one Bryan delegate, "and will then quietly but firmly place the New York platform into the waste basket and adopt a declaration of principles which will represent the sentiment of the party."

There is now no reason to anticipate a single hitch in the arrangements.

Watterson Confident That Bryan Will Beat Out Taft

"Dinner Pail Pretty Near Empty Now," Says Kentucky Colonel, "and it Won't Fill Up Before November."

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Cincinnati, O., July 7.—Henry Watterson, who was here to attend the funeral of Murat Halstead, said:

"I am as certain that Bryan will be nominated as I am certain that he will beat Taft. This is the year that destiny has picked out to beat the republican party. The very virtues of Taft are against him, as they were against James G. Blaine.

"Mr. Bryan on the day of election will have the united democratic party behind him. The dinner pail is pretty near empty now, and it isn't going to fill up before November. All signs point to a change of parties. My belief is that the single issue made by Roosevelt and embodied in Bryan will sweep the country. By this I mean that the working classes will be arrayed against the lawless rich."

Asked regarding the candidate for vice-president, Mr. Watterson said: "Wants Ridder For Second Place."

"If I had the right to make a vice-president right out of hand, without giving the matter any reflection Judge Gray being out of the question because he has announced positively that he will not accept, I would take, at a venture, Herman Ridder. He is at the head of the States Zeitung and the most distinguished German-American living. He

Seizes 155 Bags of Feed. Feed Chemist Ceburn D. Harris of the department of agriculture today condemned and withdrew from the Raleigh market 155 bags of feed. "The stuff was marked 'Pure,' when as a matter of fact, it was impure."

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Commission Issued. Adjutant General T. R. Robertson today issued a commission to J. Frank White as second lieutenant of Co. I, Second regiment, Edenton, vice R. G. White, resigned.

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