

PLATFORM SUBMITTED BY SUB-COMMITTEE

IF CLARK LOSES ON FIRST TWO BALLOTS HIS CHANCES WILL WEAKEH.

Platform Declares for Only One Term for President.—Tariff for Revenue Only—Fight Expected on Illinois Consents.—Balloting Will Begin This Afternoon.

Baltimore, June 27.—A rough draft of the platform submitted today by the sub-committee to the resolutions committee, fairly abounds with progressive ideas. Bryan, aided by a majority in the sub-committee, dictated the framing of the platform. The resolutions committee will look it over today and the final draft goes to the convention Friday.

Tammany's and four or five other conservative platforms are suggested, but were ignored by the sub-committee. The platform declares for "a tariff for revenue only"; limits president to one term of six years, beginning in 1917, this being aimed at Roosevelt; condemns the Aldrich money bill; advocates primary elections; the direct election of Senators; limited conservation of public resources; declares for the development of Alaska; advocates independence of the Philippines; asks abolishment of labor department and the enactment of a generous workman's compensation law; advocates radical strengthening anti-trust; is against "big rule" for government employees.

The resolutions committee may make a few changes in above plans, but it is expected that they will not be so radical as those of the other platforms. The platform declares that the have practically as outlined.

"No compromises" is the slogan today of the progressives, who are flushed with victory in shattering of unit rule in Ohio and other States, where delegates were chosen in district primaries. The rank and file of the progressives feel that they have conservative forces now beaten, but the credentials committee still has full, do not think the conservatives are completely routed, and they may come back.

The resolutions committee will have much work to do. When the convention meets at noon the credentials committee will report on the contested Illinois cases, when a fight is expected.

The Sullivan forest won in the convention, but the Hearst-Harrison forces will attempt by oratory to have convention reverse committee's decision.

The Clark men deny that they have made deal with the conservatives, but Wilson supporters insist that deal has been made. It is thought that if Clark cannot get the nomination on first two ballots his chances will be weakened. Wilson men think votes will then go to Wilson; if the balloting starts this afternoon and no result at close of regular session, a night session will be called, and the balloting will continue perhaps until early in the morning, if no result is reached before then.

Second Fritch Trial Begins.

Detroit, Mich., June 27.—The case of Dr. George A. Fritch, which attracted country-wide attention two years ago, was called in court today for the second trial. Dr. Fritch was a well known Detroit physician, was convicted of killing Michael Millman, through a criminal operation. The house of the Millman girl was in Ann Arbor. On September 6, 1909, after she had been missing from home for several weeks, her dismembered body was found in Ecorse creek near this city. The medical examination revealed that she had been the victim of a criminal operation. On a case furnished by a friend of the dead girl, Dr. Fritch was arrested and charged with the crime. He was convicted, chiefly on the testimony of a chauffeur who declared that Dr. Fritch, with whom he was well acquainted, had hired him for a midnight drive to dispose of the remains of the murdered girl, who had been cut up and the parts of her body sewed in several sacks. After Dr. Fritch had served more than a year in prison the State supreme court reversed the decision and granted a new trial of the case. Since the notion of the supreme court the physician has been at liberty on bond. The chauffeur whose testimony convicted him has since disappeared, though the prosecuting attorney hopes to locate him and have him testify at the second trial.

"Wells" Is Jailed.

New York, June 26.—"Wells" is in private life Mrs. Elizabeth C. Stanton, one time noted traveler and a newspaper woman and now owner of the bankrupt Iron Ore manufacturing company of Brooklyn, was arrested by United States Judge Mayer of Brooklyn today to a term of 30 days in jail and to pay a fine of \$500. A city girl arrested in July 1911. Mrs. Stanton was found guilty of contempt of court in connection with a trustees inquiry begun after a Federal judge in Brooklyn declared that Iron Ore manufacturing company

KANNAPOLE NEWS

Religious News.—The Holiness Faith Being Preached.—Mrs. W. E. Shinn Home From Hospital—Methodist Prayer Forthcoming.

Kannapolis, N. C., June 26.—As a result of the recent stirring revival meeting held here by Dr. C. B. Blackwell, of Norfolk, there have been 107 conversions to the Baptist church, some by letter, some by reclamation, and others by baptism. There were 46 converts baptized in the lake here last Sunday, and 23 the Sunday before. The meeting came to a close Friday night and Dr. Blackwell left for his home Saturday morning, followed by the best wishes of the congregation, who enjoyed the meeting so much that it is hoped that he will come back again.

The Apostolic Holiness brethren began a meeting Saturday night in a tent which they have pitched near Mr. G. E. Fisher's store; Rev. J. W. Allred is the preacher in charge. Misses Pugh and Kirkman, of Greensboro are assisting him, and Rev. F. R. Thompson, also of Greensboro, is expected to help. Much interest is being manifested and at almost every service there has been conversions.

Mrs. W. B. Shinn has sufficiently recovered from her recent serious illness to be back home from the hospital in Charlotte, where she has been for some time. She is still weak but is improving, although it is rather slowly.

Rev. W. B. Shinn received a severe pounding Saturday evening at the hands of the people on his pastoral charge, which takes in Kannapolis and Unity with Shiloh and Bethpage in the country. A number of them met in front of Richmond Street & Co.'s store and proceeded to the parsonage at 4:30, so as to take Mr. and Mrs. Shinn by surprise, and the wagon and other vehicles drove to the back door and before he knew it began to unload, carrying bundles, boxes, etc., into his cook room, piling them knee deep on the floor. There was flour and meat and all kinds of edibles that could be found at the stores, together with fresh fruits from the country and eggs and butter and a large scoop of chicken, and other things too numerous to mention. We do not think Mr. Shinn got any more than he deserved, for he has been pounding us severely from the pulpit all the year, so he must take what he gets. We are not sorry for him, one bit, on this score.

Miss Anna Thompson, of Charlotte, spent last Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Stratford.

Mrs. W. L. Paul is at the bedside of her father, Mr. J. M. Taylor, who is critically ill at his home in Spencer.

Mrs. C. R. Deval is home from her trip to New Jersey, where she had been visiting her friend, Mrs. Henry Rows.

The stork brought a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lowe last week.

Mr. J. F. Fortune, of Forest City, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Lowe.

Rev. Mr. Taylor, of Albemarle, preached to a large congregation in the Baptist tent Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Moore and their three children came down from Winston-Salem Saturday evening in their automobile to visit their father, Mr. J. P. Moore, and other friends here, who are always glad to see them. They left for home again Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sides, of Concord, spent Sunday here with their brother, Mr. A. H. Sides, and family.

Mr. H. L. Mabry spent several days last week in Concord with his mother, Mrs. Susan Mabry, who is seriously ill.

Mr. W. H. Reno and Mrs. H. E. Hampton, both of Andrews, N. C., are visiting their brother, Mr. N. A. Gregg and family. Mr. Reno came Saturday, but left Sunday for Baltimore to attend the national Democratic convention.

The new store building, near the depot, has been completed and has two store rooms on the first floor, one of which is occupied by Mr. H. G. Ritz, of Concord, who has opened up a variety store, which he styles No. 2. The other store room will be occupied by Mr. John W. Cook, who is now putting in a stock of groceries.

The new building is nearly completed, and work on the new mill is being pushed.

A porch has been built to the building occupied by the meat market, post office and barber shop, and now we can wait for No. 12 with some comfort.

There was a considerable crowd of people here last week, on account of the appearance of a mad dog on the streets one day, and as a result many of the animals which had been out, and therefore exposed, were killed.

Fruit and vegetables are plentiful and are of a better grade than we get a year ago.

There is another automobile in town, Mr. F. T. Moore has a two seat Winton, which will sell there and there will be a number of other models for sale. On the second hand the automobile will sell for \$1,000.

DRIVEN FOR IMMIGRATION OVER COMBINATION

"I HAVEN'T DISCUSSED CANDIDATE WITH ANYBODY," SAYS NEBRASKAN.

Largest Crowd of Convention.—Many Women Present, Including Mrs. Taft.—Five Hours for Nomination and Seconding Speeches.—Demonstration to Be Made for Clark.

Baltimore, June 27.—"I haven't discussed candidate with anybody," Bryan said, in answering the rumor that he would bolt if Kern or Wilson was not nominated. Bryan is throwing cold water on bolt talk and is working for harmony. The convention was called to order at 1:24, and the largest crowd of the convention was present. Many women, including Mrs. Taft, wife of the President, who were seated back of the speakers stand, held informal reception.

The order of business was considerably delayed while attempts were made to clear the aisles. It is estimated that it will take about five hours for nominating and seconding speeches, but the orators may cut talk short to enable the taking of five ballots before recess.

The Clark men are using all energy to bring victory on the first ballot. His supporters are butting out all unpledged delegates asking that "complimentary" vote be cast for Clark on first ballot.

Boomers are stationed in different parts of the hall, wearing badges and buttons, and to lead in demonstration when Clark's name is mentioned. Rabbi Adolph Guttmacher, of Baltimore, made the opening prayer. Following this the minority report of the credentials committee on the South Dakota contest, asking seceding of Wilson delegates. The auditorium is very warm, crowd hot and listless. Applaud at the mention of candidates names, is only faintly.

Crane, of Texas, said the seating of Clark men from South Dakota would be "robbery, pure and simple."

Edly White.
Senator Newlands' proposal for the constitutional restriction of immigration to white persons and for the disfranchisement of all non-white is a tribe radical, without doubt. He would make the United States a white man's country altogether, so far as its rulership and the control of its destiny might be concerned. We do not know whether Mr. Newlands himself had in view the peculiarly privileged status now occupied by the colored brother, who alone among the races of the earth enjoys full right of entry into the United States. Our government has banned Asiatics of nearly every race, but formal enactment against some and by special regulations against others. These include many millions of the poorest of Africa or anywhere else enters as freely as the European white man. In recognition of his established political interest, a special and very flattering exception has been made of his race.

Born in Mississippi, where feeling against the political negro is perhaps stronger than anywhere else, Mr. Newlands became Senator Newlands of Nevada, in a region where the influx of yellow Asiatics has aroused a race consciousness not unlike the South's. He is therefore the most logical man to bring forward this proposal, if this proposal were to be brought forward at all.

Benthamers at Annapolis.

New York Evening Mail.
There is nothing whatever to wonder at in the fact that Southern cadets have carried off this year nearly all the class honors at the Annapolis naval academy. Southern men inherit a special aptitude for naval and military command. It was so before the war, and is so now. There have been few such cadets at West Point as Robert E. Lee, Albert Sidney and Joseph E. Johnston, Jefferson Davis, and P. G. T. Beauregard. Lee graduated at the head of his class and Beauregard second. The navy has had many illustrious Southern names on its list, from Farragut, Maury and Semmes down to Hobson.

In the South, the profession of arms appeals to young men of keen mind and high ability who in the North would be more likely to be drawn into business or the lucrative professions.

Good weather for ice cream and cake. You will find such refreshments at the Lutheran parsonage tonight.

NORTH CAROLINA VOTE

Baltimore, June 27.—North Carolina will vote tomorrow for Wilson, and for Harmon and Will for President on the second ballot. On the second ballot the selection will vote for Bryan.

Mrs. D. B. Colman spent yesterday in Charlotte.

MAYOR BAKER OF CLEVELAND, FOR VICE PRESIDENT

Bryan And O'Gorman Chosen to Write Platform.—Started at 11 a. m. to Be Finished at 4 p. m.

Baltimore, June 27.—Wilson starts boom for Mayor Newton D. Baker, of Cleveland, for Vice President. Baker favors on it. It is said that Bryan has completely routed Murphy-Sullivan-Taggart combination by a strategic move. In the meeting this morning of the sub-committee he and Senator O'Gorman, of New York, chosen to write every word in entire platform. They started on it at 11 o'clock and it will be finished about 4 p. m., for resolutions committee's approval and go to convention.

College for Women.

Durham, June 26.—Along with the proposal to add \$1,000,000 to the endowment fund of Trinity College about which much has recently been published goes a movement to establish a college for women. The movement was started in the rooms of the Commercial Club, when the executive committee invited President Few to lay the matter before them.

The plans were gone over and met with the approval of all. The initial expenses will be small, owing to the fact that the professors for the college will be the same as those at Trinity. The only thing needed to begin with will be a women's dormitory, and the property on which to locate it.

The getting of this money will be left to the citizens of the city, and it is thought that the movement will be put on foot immediately.

The dormitory that it will be necessary to build will have to be large enough to sufficiently accommodate 100 girls. It will also have to be large enough to have class-rooms for all of the recitations.

The movement has so far met with decided approval, and one of the men who is prominently connected with the college stated this afternoon that he was sure the plan would meet with approval from all over the South. The plans if carried out will be for the training of girls exclusively.

Deaths Near China Grove.

Mr. David B. Garver died at his home near Mt. Moriah E. L. Church about two miles west of China Grove, of abscess of the lung, June 25th 1912, at the age of 49 years, 5 months and 13 days, and was buried the day following his death in the cemetery at Mt. Moriah, after suitable services by his pastor, Rev. C. A. Brown, in the presence of a large concourse of relatives and friends.

He leaves to mourn his death a devoted wife, ten children, two brothers, one sister, a large number of relatives and friends.

Mr. Adolphus Monroe Propst died at his home about three miles north east of China Grove, June 23rd, 1912, of dropsy, at the age of 69 years, 3 months and 15 days. On account of the illness of his wife the services were held at his home, by his pastor, Rev. C. A. Brown, in the presence of a goodly number of friends and relatives, after which his body was interred in Greenlawn Cemetery.

He leaves to mourn his death a devoted wife, nine children, twelve grand children, a host of friends and relatives.

He was a soldier in the Civil War, volunteering with the 17 year-old boys.

Rev. C. A. Brown will preach at Concordia E. L. Church the fifth Sunday, June 30th.

Miss Lida Brown went to the State Normal last Monday to take the two months special teachers training course.

Two Roosevelt Lieutenants Have Conference With Bryan.

Greensboro News.
Baltimore, June 25.—Francis J. Henry, California, one of Col. Theodore Roosevelt's fighting lieutenants in the Republican national convention and Charles E. Crane, of Chicago, who helped to finance the Roosevelt campaign for the Republican nomination, were in consultation here tonight with William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska, for three-quarters of an hour.

Henry and Crane reached Mr. Bryan's apartments by a private elevator and were gone again before their visit became generally known. No one could be found who would discuss the incident tonight.

In connection with the Henry-Crane visit tonight, it was learned that two representatives of the Outlook, one of them Carl Hurlbut, who has been close to Colonel Roosevelt since his youth in Iowa, had been up at one of the headquarters here. They were anxious regarding the possibility of a progressive-conservative fight in the convention.

Mrs. D. B. Colman spent yesterday in Charlotte.

KANNAPOLE WOMEN

His "Rube" Branden for Twenty-Two Safeties.—Overcash Led With Five Hits, Including 4 Home.

Kannapolis hit the ball to all corners of the field yesterday afternoon and defeated the Cincos by the overwhelming score of 17 to 3. "Rube" Branden was on the mound for the locals and the hits on him were scattered, some went on the inside of the fence and some on the outside. Never in the history of the park has there been such slugging witnessed here. Hit was piled upon hit, home run upon home run, triple upon triple, double upon double and single upon single, "ad swatman."

Overcash led in the slugging, smashing out five hits out of six times up. His second hit, a homer over the center field fence, was the longest wallop ever made at the park. The hitting started in the third and continued all the way. With a twelve run lead the visitors decided to make the score decisive and awaited in three more runs. To add insult to injury Irby hit the ball over the fence for a home run.

The fielding of Claude West, Moose and Dally was the redeeming feature tells the story, the writer lost the drier, triples, doubles and other plain and fancy swats coming at such a rapid rate it was impossible to keep up.

CINCOS.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Sappenfeld, L.	3b	4	2	2	2	4
Morris, c.		3	0	7	1	2
West, C. m.		4	2	2	2	5
Dusenberry, 2b.		4	0	1	3	2
Brant, p.		4	0	1	2	4
Moose, cf.		4	0	1	4	1
Hoover, 1b.		2	0	7	1	1
Dally, rf.		4	0	1	3	0
Sappenfeld, J.	lf	4	0	1	1	0
Total		33	3	8	27	20

KANNAPOLE

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Spry, W. 2b.		5	0	1	5	6
Grier, 1b.		4	2	1	3	0
Spry, H. rf.		6	1	3	2	0
Irby, lf.		6	4	3	0	1
Overcash, cf-p.		4	4	5	0	1
Willett, L. c.		6	4	3	4	3
Smith, ss.		4	1	1	0	4
The Kirk, 3b.		6	1	4	3	2
Willett, J. p.		1	0	0	0	0
Parrish, cf.		4	0	1	0	2
Total		48	17	22	27	20

Caught Eleven Possums at One Time.

All those "possum" hunters who tramped to the woods most every night last fall and have been hunting ever since of the number of "possums" they captured should put on low gear now when they begin talking of their wonderful feats, since a No. 5 lady has caught more "possums" at one time than most of them, even including Dr. Herring, who ran one up a tree on Depot street one night last winter, caught altogether.

Mrs. P. M. Misener was sitting on her porch yesterday morning when a servant at the home called her attention to a "possum" that was calmly vending its way through the yard. Instead of becoming nervous and calling for aid Mrs. Misener simply walked out into the yard and captured the animal as easy as an experienced hunter. However, this is not all, not all by ten, the number of little "possums" captured at the same time. They were placed in a box and are now thriving on buttermilk and bread.

Women's Clubs Transacting Business.

San Francisco, June 27.—The eleventh biennial convention general federation of women's club got down to actual business today. Addresses were made on important topics.

Concord Veterinarian Resigned.

Dr. T. N. Spencer has resigned from Balogh, where he attended the meeting of the State Veterinarian Association. Dr. Spencer was elected treasurer of the Association and also a member of the State board of examiners.

First Cotton Bloom.

The first cotton bloom seen here this season was sent to Mr. G. E. Richmond by W. C. Pharr, colored, of No. 3 township. The bloom was sent here yesterday.

Use the Penny Column—It Pays.

CAPITAL	\$100,000
SURPLUS	\$2,000

New Accounts

Large or Small
Welcome at
This Bank.

Concord National Bank.

PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS

PATTERSON-STECHER

Marriage of Prominent Couple in Chicago—China Grove Home of Green, Charlotte Observer, 27th.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Stecher, 562 Arlington Place, Chicago, Ill., at eight o'clock last evening, the marriage of Prof. Karl B. Patterson and Miss Mary Elanora Stecher was solemnized. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. Bedford, D. D., of Pittsburg, Pa., who is an uncle of the bride's mother, and who performed the ceremony at her marriage.

The guests assembled in the beautifully decorated drawing rooms where the color scheme was pink and white. An altar was erected in the east room surrounded by a cove of potted plants and overhung by myriads of white butterflies. Mrs. Edward Morgan presided at the piano, rendering Mendelssohn's wedding march. The groom entered first on the arm of Prof. Stanley P. Shugart, of Charleston, W. Va. Misses Margaret and Mildred Armstrong, of Springfield, Ill., served as ribbon girls, forming an aisle to the altar.

Then entered Mrs. H. L. Nessen, of Empire, Mich., the bride's sister, attired in white lace over-pink mesaline, bearing a basket of pink sweet peas and taking her place at the left of the altar. The flower girl was little Miss Marion Nessen, the bride's niece.

The bride entered last on the arm of her father. She was attired in exquisite gown of white sharmouse, the bodies of which was of rose point lace. Her veil was that worn by her mother at her marriage. Her only ornament was a beautiful leveller, the gift of the groom. She carried a shower-bouquet of lilies of the valley and North Carolina magnolia. The procession was followed by Misses Helene Harrison and Anna Peterson, who caught up the ribbons and closed up the marriage party about the altar.

Following the ceremony a repast was served to the company.

The bride has won a large circle of friends in North Carolina, particularly at Hickory where for two years she has been teacher of vocal music and expression in Lenoir College. The groom is professor of mathematics in Lenoir College, respected for his learning and popular as a teacher. They will be at home in Hickory after October 1.

Mrs. E. G. Garsed and Mrs. E. C. Register, of Charlotte, came over yesterday afternoon to see Judge Montgomery. Mrs. Garsed returned home last night, but Mrs. Register will remain here with her father, whose condition is very unfavorable today.

FIGHT WILL BE SAYS MR. WILSON

WILL FIGHT FOR PROGRESSIVE PLATFORM AS WELL AS CANDIDATE

Wilson Men Fail to Get Bryan to Openly Espouse Cause.—Pointed Out As Nebraska Delegate Instructed for Clark.—Thought to Have Distanced Plan With Progressives to Change Vote on First Ballot for Wilson, If New York is for Clark.—Will Not Come Out Openly for Wilson.

Baltimore, June 27.—Bryan has been up since 5 a. m., restless, restless, vestless, with perspiration running down his face, he was greeted by a crowd that jammed the room, when asked to outline his future plans for fight on Murphy-Taggart-Sullivan machine crowd of conservatives, Bryan said: "The fight is already half won; there is nothing to say about what is left. There have been and will be things happening every hour and every day." He declared that he intended fighting in the convention, not only for the adoption of progressive platform, but for progressive candidate.

Wilson men made an effort to get Bryan to come out openly for Wilson but failed. Bryan is pointed out as a member of the Nebraska delegation instructed for Clark. Bryan, however, is believed to be strong for Wilson.

Bryan is reported to have disapproved a plan with certain progressives, instructed for Clark to change vote on first ballot, if New York delegation goes solidly for Clark.

Lava Party Tonight at Lutheran Parsonage.

The Children's Missionary Society of St. James Lutheran Church will serve ice cream and cake on the lawn of the Lutheran parsonage tonight from 6 o'clock on. These young people are noted for their activity in helping the cause of missions, having secured the banner for the largest contributions at the missionary convention held at St. John's church last year. They are working with a will to retain this banner this year. Come and help them tonight.

Beginning Monday We Will Put the Price on Many Lines to Insure Quick Selling.

5c Val and Round Thread Lace—25c Domes Lace Bands underpriced 10c, 15c, and 15c Yd
Linen and Point de Paris Lace, worth up to 10c yard—just about enough for Monday—5c Yard

BIG COUNTER WHITE GOODS UNDERPRICED MONDAY.

Short length Batiste and Lawn worth up to 90c—Sale Price 5c
Checked Dimity Lawns and Full Pieces Panama Cloth—Monday 8 1/2c Yard
10c and 15c Gingham, Lawns and Percales, mostly full pieces, all on one counter—Monday and all week 5 1/2c Yard

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Children's Fancy Parasols worth up to \$1.00—Special 60c
Ladies' Black \$1.50 Parasols 60c
Big lot of Ladies' Fancy Parasols, look like \$2.00 ones—your choice Monday for 50c
Other Parasols (No Two Alike)—Sale Price \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50
We have 25 Nice Trunks worth from \$1.50 to \$3.00, to be closed out at CUT PRICES next week—It's no trouble to show you.

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