

GOV. LOWDEN MAKING SMALL BUT SURE GAINS

He Has Gained Exactly 100 Votes Since First Ballot Yesterday.—Eighth Inning With the Score Tied.

WOOD AND LOWDEN HAVE 311 1-2 EACH

Word Was Passed Around That Leaders Are Going to Fight It Out a Little Longer Before a Break.

(By the Associated Press.) Coliseum, Chicago, June 12.—The Republican national convention went into the 8th inning today with the score tied. Wood and Lowden stood 311 1/2 votes on the 7th ballot. Lowden had gained exactly 100 votes since the first ballot yesterday.

WOOD AND LOWDEN TIE ON SIXTH BALLOT

The 6th ballot, official, resulted as follows: Wood 311 1/2; Lowden 311 1/2; Johnson 110; Harding 89; Sprout 77; Coolidge 28; Hoover 5; Butler 4; Kellogg 1; Knox 4; Poindexter 15; Du Pont 4; LaFollette 24; Watson 1; Ward of New York 2.

JOHNSON SLIPS BACK IN SEVENTH BALLOT

Coliseum, Chicago, June 12.—On the seventh ballot the Lowden and Wood positions were scarcely changed, while Senator Harding made all the gains, carrying him past the 100 mark. The official seventh ballot was: Wood 312; Lowden 311 1/2; Johnson 99 1/2; Harding 105; Sprout 76; Coolidge 28; Hoover 4; Butler 2; Knox 1; Kellogg 1; Poindexter 15; DuPont 3; LaFollette 24; Ward of New York, 1; Leavort of Wisconsin 1.

THE EIGHTH BALLOT

Coliseum, Chicago, June 12.—On the 8th ballot Michigan broke again and Lowden votes appeared. At that time Charles D. Warren, former national committeeman from Michigan, was conferring with the New York delegation and Lowden necessities were expected. The Michigan ballot as it stood on the 8th was: 10 for Johnson; 13 for Wood; and 7 for Lowden.

A Good Thing to Save—MONEY A Good Way to Save Through Building and Loan Stock Don't Forget The Opportunity Through 64th Series now open in the Concord Perpetual at the Cabarrus Savings Bank, Concord or Kannapolis.

ed only 200. Johnson fell to 133 1/2. The official vote was: Wood 220; Lowden 303; Johnson 133 1/2; Harding 78; Sprout 82 1/2; Coolidge 29 1/2; Hoover 6; Butler 4; Knox 1; Ward of New York 1; Kellogg, of Minnesota 1; Poindexter 15; Southerland 1; LaFollette 24; DuPont 6.

WOOD LOST 15 1/2 VOTES AND HARDING AND LOWDEN BOTH GAINED ON THIS BALLOT

Butler Releases His Delegates. Coliseum, Chicago, June 12.—Nicholas Murray Butler released his delegates today and a caucus of the New York delegation showed the following: Lowden 41; Wood 24; Harding 6; Coolidge 5; Butler 4; Hoover 3; Johnson 3; Poindexter 1; and W. L. Ward, the Westchester County leader 1.

MICHIGAN BREAKS FOR JOHNSON

Coliseum, Chicago, June 12.—Michigan's solid 90, which has been standing solid for Johnson, broke on the 9th ballot today. Eleven of the 30 broke to Wood; 1 went to Lowden. The remaining 18 stood pat for Johnson. This was the first break in solidly instructed delegations.

ELECTION OFFICIALS URGED TO HURRY ALONG

Raleigh, June 11.—Official returns from 84 counties had reached the office of the state board of elections tonight. It is believed all will be in tomorrow night. Election officials throughout the state are urged by Chairman Lamb not to delay sending in their abstracts. In case they have not forwarded them to Raleigh, they should be sent by registered mail, special delivery, addressed to the state board of elections, state department building, Raleigh.

PLENTY OF SUGAR FOR PRESERVING PURPOSES

New York, June 11.—Thirty-four million pounds of sugar will be available for commercial canners and preservers during the five months from June 1 to October 31, A. W. Riley, special assistant to Attorney General Palmer, announced here today. Assurances that the sugar will be available were given, Mr. Riley said, by representatives of the leading refiners. Representatives of the canning and preserving industries told him, he said, that both industries were in a serious condition due to the threatened shortage of sugar. The refiners promised, he added, that the supply would be available at a reasonable price. They expressed willingness to fill the orders of all essential industries but declared the principal obstacle was lack of transportation facilities.

PROFITEERS FINED \$35,000

Charleston, W. Va., June 11.—The Schon-Stevenson company, a wholesale grocery concern of Huntington, today was fined \$35,000, upon conviction of profiteering in sugar, in Federal court here. Judge Pritchard said he was imposing the heaviest fine the Lever law permitted.

IN ENGLAND IT IS AGAIN BECOMING THE FASHION FOR SOCIETY PEOPLE TO GO INTO BUSINESS

Lord Carnwath, a Scotch earl of ancient pedigree, is a commercial traveler. A son of the Duke of Montrose has joined a shipbuilding firm in Glasgow, while a son of the Marquis of Ailsa runs an automobile repair shop in London.

THE BUSINESS WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION AND ROTARY CLUB OF GOLDSBORO, HAVE ORGANIZED A LADIES' GOLF ASSOCIATION

The object of which, it is stated, is to promote needed home building in Goldsboro.

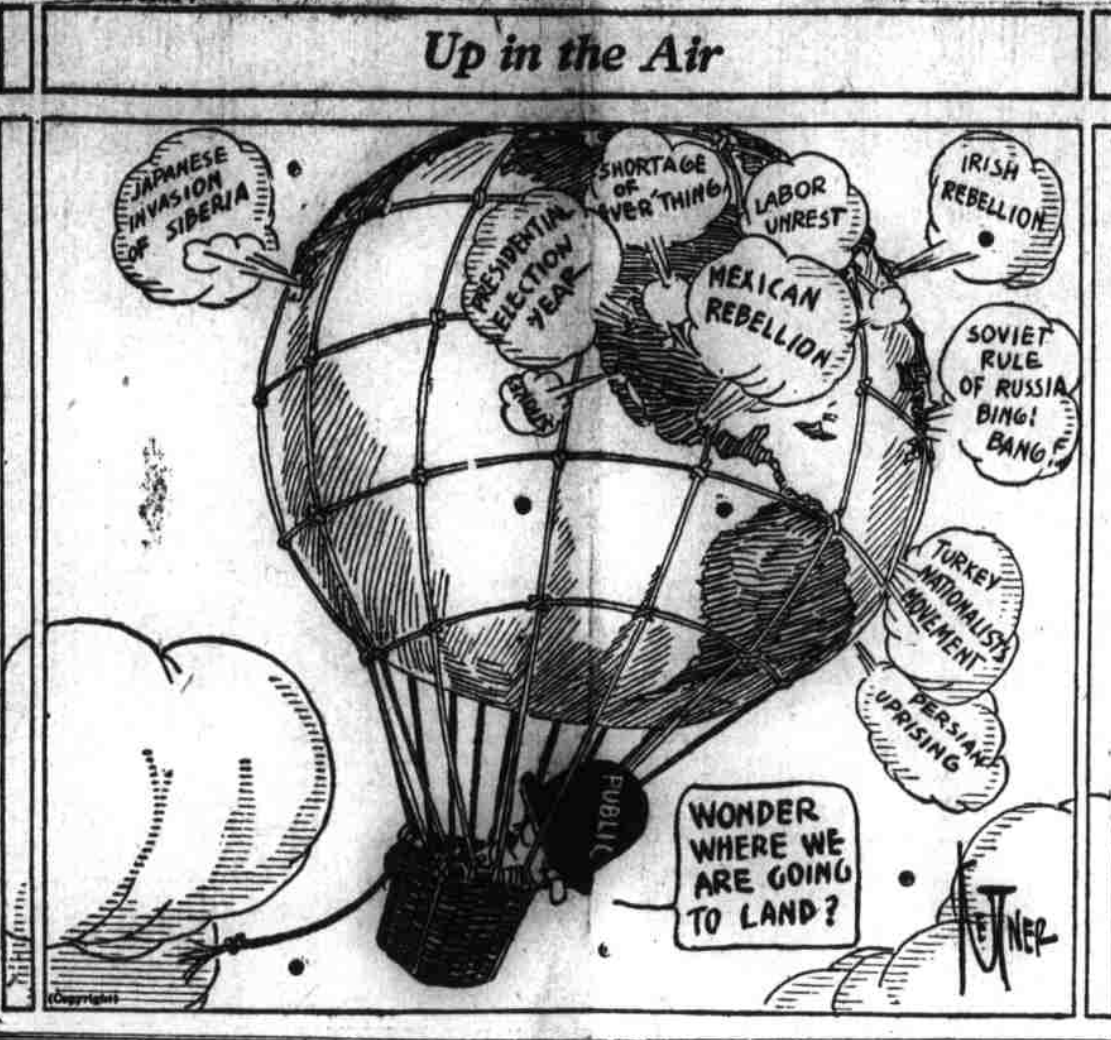
A PIECE OF RAW BEEF WEIGHING 100 POUNDS, AFTER ROASTED, WEIGHS ONLY 68 POUNDS

The University of North Carolina commencement program embraces June 13-16.

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

The following new books have been received at the public library: Mary Marie—Porter. Stormy Country—White. The Iron Furrow—Shedd. The Tempering—Budin. Kindred of the Dust—Kynn. Irony Ball—Hotchkiss. The Dark Mirror—Vance. Outland—Austin. Happily Married—Harris. Sunny Duncan—Cooper. Splendid Outcast—Gibbs. Pawn to a Throne—Valhn & Brown. White Man—Chamberlain. The Eye of Zertoon—Numdan.

New York American Will Raise Price to Three Cents. New York, June 11.—The New York American announced tonight that beginning Monday, the price of the daily paper will be increased from two to three cents. The American is the first morning paper here to increase its price to three cents although three evening papers recently took such action. The Alabama supreme court has a woman secretary—Miss Alice Nilson Boye.



JUDGES GIVE MR. CARL MILLS DECLAMER'S MEDAL

Miss Mary Propst and Miss Virginia Walker Winners of the Recitation Contest. The auditorium at Central school, was packed last night for the opening exercise of commencement of the Concord High School. The program consisted of music and the contests for the medal in declamation and recitation.

The judges seemed to have difficulty in adjudging a winner. On first ballot Messrs. Ray Morris, William Leutz and Carl Mills each received one vote from the judges. Messrs. Oscar Hackewelder, T. D. Maness and W. C. Wauchope, the next ballot, however, dropped out.

LITTLE HIGH POINT BOY IS DROWNED IN STREAM

Mrs. Walter Morgan, Mother, Has Narrow Escape in Trying To Save Five-Year-Old Son. High Point, June 11.—The five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morgan was drowned in a stream near the city this afternoon about 3:30 o'clock. The lad with his mother was attempting to cross a bridge on East Reed street extension, water resulting from excessive rains covering the bridge to the depth of three or four inches, when he slipped down and off the bridge. His mother jumped into the swollen stream after her son in an effort to rescue him, and but for the fact that a negro nearby came to their rescue it is thought that both would have been lost. The negro was successful in rescuing the mother, but the lad was drowned.

TWO DELEGATES LOST BY GOVERNOR LOWDEN

Mayor Thompson and One Other Resign Because of Lowden's Campaign Expenses. Chicago, June 11.—Mayor Thompson, of Chicago, resigned as delegate-at-large for Illinois today. He gave as his reason that the state convention had instructed him to vote for Governor Lowden. He said he believed that if Governor Lowden's campaign expenses had been known at the time neither the primary nor the state convention would have endorsed.

SENATOR PENROSE'S CONDITION WORSE

Philadelphia, June 12.—The prolonged strain of the Republican convention has caused a sudden turn for the worse in the condition of Senator Penrose. Reports to this effect have been circulated today.

ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE THE EGYPTIAN PREMIER

Cairo, June 12.—An unsuccessful attempt was made today to assassinate the Egyptian premier by a bomb. The premier was uninjured. Three persons, however, were wounded. This \$20,000,000 Tennessee need not worry as having a little less speed than some other battleships; she is designed to have nothing to run away from.—Boston Herald.

THE ELWELL MURDER IS STILL A MYSTERY

Police Without Any Important Clue as to Who Shot Him at His Home in New York. (By the Associated Press.) New York, June 12.—Twenty-four hours after the murder of Jos. E. Elwell, a wealthy sportsman and authority on whiskey, the police admitted today they were virtually without important clue as to who shot him at his home in this city.

KANNAPOLIS NEWS

To Begin at Once Erection of New Cannon Mill—Religious Survey—Other Matters. Kannapolis, June 12.—A large force of workmen are busy removing the dirt preliminary to beginning the construction of the new mill plant to be erected just north of the No. 2 Cannon Mill, on North Main street. The large addition to the Cabarrus Mill is about completed and the machinery will be placed in a short while.

UNIVERSITY OPENS FINALS TOMORROW

Chancellor S. B. McCormick Will Preach Baccalaureate Sermon. Chapel Hill, June 11.—The complete program for the University commencement which begins tomorrow with the baccalaureate sermon by Chancellor S. B. McCormick has been announced. The exercises will continue through Wednesday when Secretary of State Bainbridge Colby will deliver the commencement address.

HON. CAMERON MORRISON TO SPEAK HERE

Announcement is made from the headquarters of Cameron Morrison at Raleigh, that Mr. Morrison will speak in this city next Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the interest of his candidacy for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination. Mr. Morrison did not speak in this city during the campaign for the vote in the first primary, and it is believed that he will be heard by a large audience here next Thursday night.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SALISBURY DISTRICT

will meet June 15-16 in Central Methodist Church here. Several conference officers will be present, and an attractive program has been arranged. The public is invited to attend these sessions.

EVANGELINE

The immortal dramatic poem by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, coming to the Pastime Wednesday, June 16th.

HARD FIGHT BEING MADE FOR HARDING

Various Groups Confer to Find Some Way to Turn Back on Labor. Wood's and Lowden Strength.

WILL IT BE A DARK HORSE YET?

Convention Is Prepared to Have Further Tests of Johnson, Wood and Lowden Strength.

(By the Associated Press.) Coliseum, Chicago, June 12.—At 10:25 o'clock Chairman Lodge called the fourth day's session of the Republican National convention to order and for the fifth ballot.

Launching into the fifth ballot today in search of a nominee for the presidency the Republican national convention was prepared to have further tests of strength between Lowden, Wood and Johnson, and then, if necessary, turn to the string of dark horses. There were all night conferences among the leaders at which Senator Harding, of Ohio, was at the head of the dark horse group.

All night long and early this morning heads of the various groups were conferred and the trend of most of the conferences seemed to be to find some way to turn the Wood and Lowden strength to Harding.

The leaders, worn and sleepless, were late in reaching the convention hall, but the delegates with interest at fever heat, came early, hoping to see the fight finished, and to get away for home tonight.

The leaders remained downtown till the last minute, many of them snatching a few minutes rest. Meanwhile the Wood, Johnson and Lowden forces were attempting to tighten their lines, and both the Wood and Lowden groups predicted they would show greater strength at the opening today than they did yesterday when the convention adjourned after a hot ten-hour session.

Just before the convention assembled the New York delegation canvassed to decide where to put its strength. Roth Lowden and Wood are claiming accessions from that quarter.

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DEMOCRATIC LEADERS Jubilant Over Republican League Plan.

Washington, June 11.—Democratic leaders here are jubilant since republicans at Chicago adopted the compromise plank as a substitute for endorsement of the league of nations. Senator Hitchcock predicted tonight that this means democratic victory. He thinks a lot of republicans who want the league of nations will vote the democratic ticket.

THIRTIETH DIVISION ON THE SCREEN

On Tuesday, June 15, there will be shown on the screen the 30th Division in moving pictures at the Pastime theatre. This reel was taken by the U. S. Signal Corps during the war and promises to be something new and of interest to former members of this once famous division and to the mothers who offered their sons to fight for Democracy. Come one and all, as you may see some of your old buddies.

ESCAPE FROM AUBURN PRISON

Auburn, N. Y., June 12.—Ambrose Garry and Frank O'Brien, sergeant at arms, and deputy respectively of the Mutual Welfare League in Auburn Prison, escaped some time last night and are still at large.

COL. HOUSE GOES TO ENGLAND

New York, June 12.—Col. E. M. House was on the Lapland sailing today for England. He said his trip abroad was purely personal and had no political significance. A new American industry is the manufacture of glue from corn cobs.

LABOR MEN CONDEMN THE REPUBLICANS

tremendous Applause American Federation of Labor Adopted Report Today to That Effect.

"TURNED BACK ON LABOR" THEY SAY

The Report Was Ordered Printed and Distributed to Organized Labor.—Report Read by Samuel Gompers.

Montreal, June 12.—(Am.) tremendous applause the American Federation of Labor at the annual convention here today adopted the report condemning the Republican convention in Chicago for "turning back on labor" in adopting its platform.

During the reading of the report presented by Samuel Gompers and Vice President of the Federation, various sections of the report were criticized, while their critics received applause. The report was ordered printed and distributed to organized labor. Assailed labor declaration of the Republican platform "proposes an industrial enslavement and an abrogation of rights as precious as life itself" and it denies the right to strike.

Southern Railway Double Track

The Passenger Department of the Southern Railway is now sending out a most attractive colored poster, size 10 inches by 20 inches. It is lithographed in colors from an original painting by Newman S. Sudduth, of the Evening Star, Washington, D. C.

THE "DOUBLE-TRACKED TRUNK LINE BETWEEN ATLANTA, GA., AND WASHINGTON, D. C."

and is the first distinctive advertising matter that the Southern Railway System has issued announcing the complete operation of its double tracked main trunk line with electric signals, etc.

THE ARTIST HAS DONE HIS WORK WELL

and the picture shows the train as actually in motion and gives a remarkable appearance in that respect. These posters will be placed on bulletin boards in stations throughout the System and also some of them will be framed and hung in ticket offices, hotels and other public places not only throughout the South but in the territory north of Washington and as far as Boston and in Texas and Louisiana.

THE ANGLO-JAPANESE ALLIANCE

(By the Associated Press.) Tokyo, June 12.—A general understanding relative to the continuation of the Anglo-Japanese alliance already has been reached by the British and Japanese governments, according to a local newspaper which quotes an unnamed member of the cabinet to this effect. Nothing, however, the newspaper says, has been settled regarding changes and modifications in the arrangement.

THE KING OF ITALY, WHO HAS VOLUNTARILY REDUCED HIS ALLOWANCE FROM THE STATE, HAS BEEN SINCE THE DOWNFALL OF THE GERMAN AND AUSTRIAN EMPIRES, THE MOST HIGHLY PAID RULER IN EUROPE, HIS YEARLY SALARY BEING \$3,750,000.

REV. J. CLYDE TURNER, OF GREENSBORO, HAS HAD THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF DIVINITY CONFERRED ON HIM BY WAKE FOREST COLLEGE.