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**THE ELEPHANT
 IS IN MOTION**

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ted Sunday night. A careful effort is
 being made to find a way to not en-
 tirely cut off the hopes of the bimetal-
 lists, but there will be a positive de-
 claration against silver coinage under
 present conditions. The resolution
 will probably take the shape of con-
 demnation of bimetalism "except by
 international agreement."
 The most delicate problem is what to
 do with the present Chinese situation.
 The embroglio in the celestial empire
 is so unprecedented a predicament for
 the United States that it is conceded
 that an expression on the subject will
 call for the shrewdest finesse. Many
 favor leaving it alone.
 Roosevelt as a member of the New
 York delegation will fight the nomina-
 tion of himself and has many friends,
 although not a majority of the delega-
 tion, behind him. When the thing was
 suggested to him this morning he said
 vehemently: "I don't believe it. I have
 Platt's word and it is as good as his
 bond, that it will not be done. I have
 also Mr. Odell's assurances."

FIRST OF STAMPEDE?
 At 12:37 p. m. the first pronounced
 demonstration of the convention oc-
 curred. Roosevelt came in the main
 entrance and moved down the center
 aisle. He wore his rough rider hat
 and was instantly recognized. A deep
 reverberating cheer greeted him. Men
 jumped to chairs to cheer him and wo-
 men fluttered handkerchiefs. His
 progress was like a conquering hero.

Governor Taylor of Kentucky came
 in with Governor Bradley of that state.
 The gavel was unique. It consisted
 of a heavy square oak piece fitted with
 a handle and looked more like a maul
 than a gavel for a presiding officer.

At 12:30 a band broke into the stir-
 ring strains of the "Star Spangled
 Banner." Roosevelt was the first on
 his feet in response to the national an-
 them. His rough rider hat came off
 and he stood with his head uncovered.
 Instantly the whole convention rose
 on masse. Ten thousand people stood
 while the stirring air was played and
 applauded it with a cheer as they took
 seats.

Chairman Hanna faced the storm of
 applause with resolute face. When it
 subsided he brought down the gavel
 again. "The convention will come to
 order," he shouted. "The convention
 will be opened with prayer," he contin-
 ued, "by Rev. J. Gray Bolton of the
 Hope Presbyterian church of Philadel-
 phia."

After the prayer, followed by reading
 the call, Hanna began his speech of
 welcome. "In bidding you welcome,"
 he began, "I wish to congratulate you
 on the magnificent representation from
 the Republican party. We are on the
 eve of another great struggle. Already
 we are beginning to form the battal-
 ions under the leadership of your great
 statesman, William McKinley."

That was the signal and for the first
 time the convention broke forth in a
 whirlwind of enthusiasm.
 "I was about to give the order for
 those battalions to move, but you in-
 terrupted me," said Hanna joyfully.
 As he closed his speech he spoke of the
 sterling service of the senator from
 Colorado, Mr. Wolcott, to his party
 and presented him to the convention
 as temporary chairman.

THE BOSSES AGREE.
 It is generally believed this after-
 noon that Platt and Hanna have ar-
 ranged a program and that Roosevelt
 will not be nominated.

LICENSE TO WED.
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 the new North Asheville Methodist
 church building on Chestnut street
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 sonable and it is hoped that the pa-
 tronage will be as large as the cause
 merits. The proceeds are to go to the
 building fund.

SPECIAL NOTICES—If you have
 anything to sell or wish to buy any-
 thing say so in Special Notices.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

R. D. Gilmer, esq., left today for the
 east.

J. H. Traynham of Laurens, S. C.,
 is a recent arrival.

Robert Gash, formerly of this city,
 is here from Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Weber of New
 Orleans are in the city.

Andrew J. Harris and daughters of
 Henderson arrived yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McEnery of
 Washington, D. C., are here.

Miss Mamie Jarvis of Calhoun, Ga.,
 is visiting relatives in Asheville.

Miss Mamie Harkins returned to her
 home at Acton yesterday after visit-
 ing in the city.

Prof. Eugene Gudger went to
 Waynesville today, after visiting
 friends here for several days.

Recent arrivals include A. P. An-
 derson of Clemson college and Robert
 H. J. Harris of Newark, N. J.

Mrs. Alexander and daughter of Mo-
 bile, Ala., are here for the summer
 and are guests of the Cain house.

J. D. Boone, the poet-editor of the
 Waynesville Courier, came over today
 for a few hours' stay in the city.

Mrs. Mary C. Woody, honorary pres-
 ident of the state W. C. T. U., left
 today for her home at Guilford college.

Mrs. McKinnon of Geneva, Ala., and
 Miss McKinnon of Defunk Springs,
 Fla., are at 115 Haywood street for the
 summer.

Miss Roberta Watterson, who has
 been visiting Miss Helen Collins for
 several weeks, left today for her home
 in New York city.

Mrs. Fanny Gaines, trained nurse, re-
 turned yesterday after a delightful
 trip of three weeks to New York, Bos-
 ton and Washington.

Misses Annie and Gertrude Eley of
 Norfolk, Va., are visiting their sister,
 Mrs. J. M. Hamrie, at Blittmore. They
 expect to remain here for the summer.

Rev. Harold Turner, who is travel-
 ing in the interest of Brevard Epworth
 school, has returned from a trip east
 of the Ridge and will remain here sev-
 eral days.

Among the recent arrivals at the
 "Melrose," 211 Haywood street, are Mr.
 and Mrs. J. E. Hamilton of Asheville
 and Mr. and Mrs. John Tarweil of
 Warrenton.

Charlotte News: Mr. Harry P. John-
 son of Asheville is in the city today.

Mr. Ellis C. Williams of Monroe
 spent last night at the Buford and left
 this morning for Asheville.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon of Birmingham,
 Ala., are spending the summer at the
 Cain house, on Grove street. Mr. Si-
 mon is a member of the firm of Simon
 & Sons, prominent bankers of Birming-
 ham.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Metzger and their
 two children are here from Atlanta
 to remain until September 1. They are
 guests of the Cain house, 21 Grove. Mr.
 Metzger is a member of the Gholstin-
 Cunningham Spring Red company of
 Atlanta.

Capt. H. R. Cressman and Mrs.
 Cressman, who spent last summer at
 the Altmont, have arrived and are at
 Pinehurst with Mrs. J. L. Morgan.
 Captain Cressman is Pullman conduct-
 or on the new train from Macon to
 Morristown.

New Orleans States: Mr. and Mrs.
 J. W. Dwyer and family left the latter
 part of the week for Asheville, where
 they will be located until the fall.

Mrs. David Jamison and her sons
 left on Wednesday for Asheville,
 where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. David Zable and Miss Alice Zable
 are now in Asheville, where they will
 spend the summer.—Mr. A. J. Dwyer
 is in Asheville recuperating his health.

MARS HILL SUMMER SCHOOL.

The Citizen has received the follow-
 ing from Mars Hill, under date Mon-
 day:

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