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## POLICIES ARE APPROVED IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

### WILSON GETS O. K. OF CONVENTION

Martin H. Glynn's Tributes to President in Keynote Speech Bring Many Demonstrations at St. Louis—Wilson's Policies in Foreign Affairs Are Upheld—Was Notable Address.

An Associated Press dispatch yesterday morning's papers in regard to the Democratic National Convention now in session at St. Louis, says in part:

The Democratic National Convention at its first session today heard the key-note of Americanism and peace, preparedness and prosperity, sounded by former Governor Glynn, of New York, as temporary chairman and, with a high pitch of enthusiasm, emphatically registered by demonstration after demonstration its approval of President Wilson's peaceful conduct of foreign affairs.

The convention which had gotten under way with such perfunctory demonstrations that mark every national gathering of the kind, soon stirred itself into roaring cheers as Chairman Glynn cited historic parallels to show that other Presidents including Republicans had adjusted threatening foreign situations without resort to war.

"The policy of the Administration," he declared, "has been just as American as the American flag itself."

Aside from a 16-minute demonstration which began when Chairman Glynn predicted President Wilson's re-election, Glynn's speech was sprinkled with demonstrations which he found it difficult to stem so he could go on. It was plain that the telling points on the delegates were the recital of President Wilson's efforts to keep the country at peace.

No other President since the Civil War, Glynn told the convention, had faced such crucial problems, none had displayed a grasp of statesmanship more profound.

"Whether the course the country has pursued during this crucial period is to be continued and whether the principles that have been asserted as our national policy shall be endorsed or withdrawn," Glynn told the convention, was the paramount question for the voters to decide.

"No lesser issue must cloud it," said he. "No unrelated problems must confuse it."

After hearing the key-note speech the convention adjourned until 11 o'clock tomorrow in memory of Thomas J. Spence, of North Carolina, late secretary of the National Committee.

Committees then went into session to prepare their work for the session. The committee on resolutions, in charge of the work of drawing up the platform, included Larry I. Moore, of North Carolina; E. D. Smith, of South Carolina, and Thomas S. Martin, of Virginia.

Three women and one man lost their lives yesterday when a gas launch overturned while rounding a bend in Bath Creek, near Newbern. Eight other passengers on board the vessel had narrow escapes.

**Charlie Chaplin Cozy Tuesday.**

Mrs. Belle Phillips, of Rockingham, was killed yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock at Steel's crossing when a Southern train struck an automobile in which she and two children were riding. The children escaped without serious injury.

**Charlie Chaplin Cozy Tuesday.**

**Ladies and Children Free Ideal Monday Afternoon.**

—Dollar Day next Thursday.

**Charlie Chaplin Cozy Tuesday.**

### LATEST EVENTS IN WOMAN'S WORLD

#### IN HONOR OF VISITING YOUNG LADIES.

Mrs. J. Lee Robinson gave a delightful eight-course 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Hallie Mathews, of Spartanburg, S. C., and Miss Florrie Langston, of Darlington, S. C., who are the guests of Mrs. D. M. Jones. The house was beautifully decorated with sweet peas and potted plants. On Monday evening Miss Lucy Boyce entertained at a dinner party in honor of Misses Mathews and Langston, and her own guest, Miss Anne Louise Whartoh, of Greensboro.

#### BEAM-PAYSEUR WEDDING WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

At 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon Mr. William Beam, of Shelby, and Miss Helen Payseur, of Cherryville, were united in marriage by Rev. G. P. Abernethy, pastor of the Loray Baptist church, at his residence in West Gastonia. They came to Gastonia by automobile, accompanied by Miss Lois Beam and Mr. Carlos Grigg, of Shelby, and returned immediately after the ceremony. The groom is a son of J. F. Beam, while the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Payseur. Both have many friends who will be interested in the news of their marriage.

#### CELEBRATED HER ELEVENTH BIRTHDAY.

1916  
Won't you come to my party  
In the merry month of June?  
There'll be fun and laughter hearty  
O, do come soon.

We'll play, jump and frolic till  
It grows quite late.  
So do come to my party  
The fifteenth is the date.

Elizabeth Garrison  
501 S. York St.

The above charming little invitation called together 25 of little Miss Garrison's friends to celebrate this delightful occasion.

The little hostess, assisted by her guests of honor, Miss Mariam Louise Coltrane and Thomas Gay Coltrane, of Concord, greeted her friends on the spacious porch of the home of Dr. and Mrs. Garrison.

Merry games and plays were the entertainments.

A pretty and very important feature of the evening was the cutting of the birthday cake with its eleven candles. Miss Marion Brison cutting the thimble, Miss Jennie May Henry the ring, Elizabeth Garrison the button and little Miss Coltrane the dime. After which the little lads and lassies were invited into the dining room. Daisies and Ivy were used very effectively in the decorations, the color scheme being carried out in the delicious refreshments.

**Charlie Chaplin Cozy Tuesday.**

Fire which originated in the kitchen early yesterday morning destroyed the Potter Hotel at Snow Hill, near Kinston, at a loss of \$10,000.

**Marguerite Clark Ideal Today.**

—Your dollars will be worth more in Gastonia next Thursday.

**Marguerite Clark Ideal Today.**

—Gastonia merchants are bidding high for ordinary silver or paper dollars next Thursday. See what they offer.

**Marguerite Clark Ideal Today.**



## WILSON RE-NOMINATED

### CHOICE WAS MADE BY ACCLAMATION

National Democratic Convention at St. Louis Unanimously Nominates Wilson and Marshall—Demonstration Lasted Forty-five Minutes.

The following Associated Press dispatch from St. Louis appears in this morning's papers:  
President Wilson and Vice President Marshall were nominated by acclamation tonight by the Democratic National Convention, the ticket being completed four minutes before Friday.

Contrary to expectations the convention did not finish its work because the platform was not ready and it will meet again at 11 o'clock Friday morning.

It was announced in the convention that the sub-committee drafting the platform had finished its work, but that the entire resolutions committee was not assembled to pass upon it.

President Wilson's own plank charging conspiracy among some foreign-born citizens for the benefit of foreign Powers and denouncing any political party which benefits and not repudiating such a situation was incorporated in the platform, just as the President had sent it from Washington. It was understood that the plank should be put in the platform in the way he had drawn it. There never was any doubt of

President Wilson's nomination tonight but there was a possibility that some vice presidential boom might be brought out in opposition to Vice President Marshall. They melted away, however, when the convention got in session and as soon as President Wilson's nomination had been made a roaring chorus of acclamation, Senator Kern, who renominated Mr. Marshall, cast aside a long prepared speech and simply declared:

"I nominate Thomas Riley Marshall of Indiana for Vice President."

To President Wilson's nomination there was only one dissenting vote, Robert Emmett Burke, of Illinois, who came to the convention announcing that he was opposed to the President. His vote technically made the President's nomination 1,991 to 1.

At 9:15 o'clock Chairman James rapped the convention to order. The Rev. W. J. Hardesty, chaplain of the Missouri Senate, offered prayer. After the prayer the crowd renewed its demands for a speech from Bryan. Senator Thompson moved a suspension of the rules to permit Mr. Bryan to speak. There were some "noes" but the chairman ruled two-thirds had voted in favor.

Senator James introduced Mr. Bryan as "one of the leading citizens of the world and America's greatest Democrat." Bryan after speaking 45 minutes, was loudly cheered.

Then the roll of the States was called for nominations. Alabama yielded to New Jersey and Judge John W. Westcott nominated President Wilson.

Judge Westcott spoke very slowly. At the rate he uttered his first 300 words it would require about one hour and twenty minutes to conclude.

The delegates were attentive and quiet as Judge Westcott proceeded but the galleries were impatient. "Name him, name him," came cries from the galleries, and Judge Westcott hurried his speech.

As he closed at 10:49 with a mention of the name of "Woodrow Wilson" the crowd broke into a great demonstration. Moving picture flashlights blazed and flags were paraded in front of the stand. The band played "The Star Spangled Banner" while a huge banner bearing the President's likeness was unfurled from the roof.

The delegates began a parade bearing State stanchions. The crowd rose to its feet. Many delegates stood on their chairs. "Dixie" and other melodies by the band evoked fresh bursts of cheering.

Chairman James yielded the chair during the demonstration to Representative Heffin of Alabama. Women delegates were among the paraders. Senators and Representatives helped carry banners. Senator Hughes personally bore the New Jersey flag.

Sergeant-at-Arms Martin stirred up the enthusiasm by waving the



THOMAS R. MARSHALL OF INDIANA.

## COMING AND GOING



### BRIEF ITEMS ABOUT THE MOVEMENTS OF GASTON PEOPLE

—Mr. Jasper Hand, of Charlotte, was a Gastonia visitor yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Dickson, of New Hope, were in the city yesterday.

—Mrs. O. F. Mason and daughter, Miss Ruth, spent Wednesday in Charlotte.

—Miss Mary Huey, of Rock Hill, arrived in the city today on a visit to Mrs. J. V. Harper.

—Mrs. W. B. Morris and Miss Jane Morris were visitors to Charlotte Wednesday.

—Messrs. Charles and Lacy Adams motored to Winston-Salem Wednesday.

—Rev. J. H. Henderlite, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, spent yesterday in Shelby.

—Mr. Thomas Pressly, of Troy, Tenn., is spending some time here as the guest of Mr. Thomas L. Wilson.

—Miss Ola Herron, of Charlotte, is the guest of Mrs. S. A. Robinson at her home on South York street.

—Mr. A. L. Moore, of Wellford, S. C., has accepted a position with the Citizens National Bank and entered upon his duties this week.

—Mrs. L. D. Proffitt, of Spartanburg, S. C., is spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lindsay.

—Mr. Edward Parker, son of Mr. Ramsey H. Parker, arrived in the city several days ago from Petersburg, Va.

—Miss Mary Shuping, of Morganton, arrived in the city Wednesday to be the guest of Miss Lucy Jordan for some time.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson returned Wednesday from Graham, where they have been visiting relatives for some time.

—Mrs. Sam Lander, of Lincolnton, who has been visiting her cousin Mrs. E. C. Wilson, returned yesterday to her home.

—Miss Nannie Reid, of Steele Creek, Mecklenburg county, is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. W. L. Gallant.

—Miss Ruth Shelton, of Charlotte, Miss Elizabeth Pierre, of Pollocksville, and Mr. John Mellon, of Charlotte, are the guests of Mrs. T. L. Craig this week.

—Miss Claudia Sealy, of Rock Hill, S. C., arrived in the city Sunday evening to be the guest of Miss Laura Hanks at her home on East Main avenue.

—Mr. Clarence Bolton and Miss Annie Sturgis, both of Gastonia, were married in York, S. C., on Saturday, June 10, by Probate Judge L. R. Williams.

—Miss Grace Eaton, of the Central school faculty was called to Statesville Wednesday afternoon on account of the illness of her grandmother.

—Misses Mabel Glenn and Nancy Simrill, of Rock Hill, have been the guests for several days of Misses Eunice and Nan Craig at their home on East Third avenue.

—Dr. L. N. Glenn, administrator of the late Mr. W. D. Glenn, announces the sale of certain mill stocks for next Monday morning at the court house door.

Beautiful, glossy, healthy hair for those who use Parisian Sage. Get a bottle of this French hair dressing from J. H. Kennedy & Co. on guarantee of satisfaction, or money back. —(Adv.)

—Mr. J. H. Huffstetler, of Union, was in the city on business yesterday.

—Miss Annie Williams, of Clover, S. C., was in the city shopping Wednesday.

—Rev. J. H. Henderlite and Mr. A. C. Jones spent Thursday in Shelby.

—Mr. John R. Hart and son, of Yorkville, spent several hours here Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henderson and daughters, Misses Mamie and Pearl, of New Hope, were visitors in the city Thursday.

—Robert, the little son of Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Anders, who has been quite ill for several days, is very much better today.

—Mr. Berry Reid returned yesterday to his home in Richmond, Va., after being the guest for several days of his sister, Mrs. E. M. Brawley, at her home on Chester street.

—Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Van Sleen will be glad to know that their little son, Bobbie, who has been desperately ill, is considered somewhat better today.

—Rev. H. H. Jordan and Mr. Geo. G. Glenn spent Wednesday at Rutherford College, of which Mr. Jordan is a trustee. They made the trip by automobile.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wetzell returned to the city yesterday from an extended visit to Washington City and other points of interest in the North and East.

Dr. Frederick Starr, a Chicago University professor, just back after a stay of six months in Japan, says that the European war has made 1,000 Japanese millionaires.

—Mrs. J. M. Pollock and two children, of Blacksburg, S. C., arrived in the city Wednesday to be the guests of Mrs. Pollock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McAllister, for some time.

—Mrs. L. N. Spears and children, of Chattanooga, Tenn., arrived in the city Tuesday night and will spend several weeks here as the guest of Mrs. Spears' sisters, Mrs. James W. Atkin and Mrs. M. S. Anderson.

—Mrs. L. D. Coltrane and two children, Mariam Louise and Tom, of Concord, arrived in the city yesterday to be the guests for several days of Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Garrison at their home on South York street.

—Mr. Raymond H. Ratchford, who is a ministerial student in Davidson College, left today for eastern Kentucky, where he will spend the summer vacation in Sunday school extension work.

—Rev. G. P. Abernethy, pastor of the Loray Baptist church, returned Tuesday from Hickory, where he conducted a successful revival meeting at Brookford Baptist church, West Hickory, for the pastor, Rev. W. N. Cook.

—Miss Bess Withers, of Broadway, arrived in the city yesterday on a visit to her sisters, Misses May and Jean Withers of the city schools. On Saturday Misses Jean and Bess Withers will go to Franklin to spend several weeks.

—Charlotte Observer, 15th: Mr. R. Kendrick Webb and family have moved to Mt. Holly where Mr. Webb is now in the employ of the Rhyne-Rankin Co. He was formerly a member of the drug firm of Webb Bros.

**Ladies and Children Free Ideal Monday Afternoon.**

## Base Ball

MORGANTON  
VS  
GASTONIA

Opening League Games on Home Grounds

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, June 22nd,  
23rd, 24th. 4:00 p. m.

LORAY PARK

## Second Annual Fair Gaston County

October 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 1916

1916 Premium List (will be about the same as 1915 list with a number of changes and additions) can be secured at the office of the Secretary on or about July 10th.

We ask your co-operation in making this one of the "South's Best Fairs". Come in.—Let us talk it over.

**Gaston County Fair Assoc., Inc.,**  
J. M. Holland, Secretary

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