

NAMES FOR NOMINATION.

QUAY'S NAME NOT TO BE PRESENTED.

Morton, Reed, Allison and McKinley, Planks in the Platform. Not a Full Convention. Little Enthusiasm Manifested.

Special. St. Louis, June 16.—Convention Hall was not nearly full today, and the usual enthusiasm had somewhat abated. Adjourned to meet at ten o'clock tomorrow morning. The early adjournment this afternoon was made so that the Committee could complete their work which it is expected they will do before Convention opens tomorrow.

The Associated Press says tonight the platform contains nine planks for the financial plank, twelve different drafts being presented.

Senator Lodge will lead the gold men and undoubtedly put out a straight-out gold plank to be agreed upon by himself, Forsaker, Hanna, Platt and Quay. It will be accepted.

It is not believed that Senator Quay's name will be placed in nomination, the only names to be presented being, Morton, Reed and Platt.

An effort will be made to nominate McKinley before taking up the report of the Committee on Resolutions, in order to force the silver men to support the candidate the party nominates, without regard to platform.

Quay, Platt, Forsaker and Manley strongly advise against this.

Prospective Advance in Coal. New York.—The aggressive strength of the Anthracite Coal stocks recently is only attributed to sympathy with the rise in the general market, and is explained as due more particularly to the extraordinary change that has taken place in the conduct of the industry within the past few months.

Strange as it may seem to old timers in Wall street and the anthracite coal trade, restriction of the output has been maintained and cutting of prices averted all through the ordinary dull season of the year, and as a result the mining and carrying companies expect to enjoy decided prosperity the balance of the year.

It is now believed that prices will be advanced 25 cents per ton all around, at tide water, before July 1, and rumors are current that the New York companies will initiate the advance. The new July gross prices will be: Grate, \$3.75; stove, \$4.25, and egg and chestnut, \$4 per ton.

It is now considered unlikely that prices for the West will be advanced in the immediate future. At this time a year ago cuts were being made from the nominal circular prices on contracts, ranging from 50 cents to \$1.50 per ton, but now the deviation does not exceed 10 cents per ton. Some weak retail spots still exist, however. Opinions differ as to the amount of increase in production, the market will bear in July, but the best authorities figure out about 3,500,000 tons over the current output. Collections in the wholesale coal trade are reported very slow.

Fighting in Crete. ATHENS.—Advices are received here that the Cretans in the Rhettas District have again risen against the Turks, with the result that desperate fighting has ensued, and a large number of men on both sides have been killed.

It is reported that a British warship has landed blue-jackets and marines on the island of Crete to protect Christians in the disturbed districts.

By His Own Hand. ABILAND.—Mr. H. S. Blank, a prominent merchant of Butler Glen, came to his death by his own hand. He retired to a room of his storehouse and with a shotgun killed himself instantly. The room which was used for sleeping purposes, was bespattered with blood. Mr. Blank had been dependent for several days and his condition had been noted by those with whom he daily came in contact, but nothing indicated that he intended self-destruction. It is believed that he committed the deed while suffering from mental depression.

Wins the Fishing. LEESBURG, Va.—President Cleveland and Commissioner of Internal Revenue Miller are the guests of Mr. Henry Harrison, at his Big Spring preserve, fishing for trout. The President's special train, in charge of Superintendent O'Brien and Capt. Ross, of the Southern Railroad, left Fourteenth street and Maryland avenue, Washington, and running to Farmwell Station, six miles below Leesburg. The party drove quickly to the fishing grounds, and were undisturbed by visitors. The weather, which was very cloudy, and was threatening rain, cleared beautifully by midday, and was all that could be desired. The catch was very satisfactory, and the trout, the finest ever taken on any of these trips. Owing to the unsteady condition of the Potomac, bass fishing was out of the question.

Moonlight in the vicinity of Blue Mountain Lake, in the Adirondacks, are covered with snow. This is unprecedented for this season of the year.

MORTON MAY ACCEPT.

The Vice President Nomination: No Says Platt. Financial Plank Over-shadowed Others.

Special. St. Louis, June 16.—Thomas C. Platt said to-night that he had some favorable words from Governor Morton, relative to the Vice Presidency.

The financial plank in the platform will over shadow all others, and the protection plank will be the longest.

The committee on credentials elected delegate Fort, of New Jersey, chairman. The McKinley men control the committee.

A motion was made to send for papers of all contests. This was lost by a vote of seventeen to twenty nine.

The Delaware and Texas contestants will be taken up tonight.

ROBBE A POSTOFFICE.

The Crime Committed in Eastern North Carolina. Implicates a Brother in the Robbery.

Special. RALEIGH, N. C. June 16.—Henry Pender, alias William Morgan, is in jail in this city charged with robbing a post-office in Eastern North Carolina.

Pender confesses and implicates his brother. It is his third offence.

Death Sentence Commuted.

Special. RALEIGH, N. C., June 16.—Governor Carr commutes the death sentence of Gus Thompson, colored, to life imprisonment.

Thompson was convicted of rape of a Christian Indian woman, in Robeson county, but the jury asked mercy of the court, and the solicitor and many others joined in the plea.

Thompson was under sentence to be hanged next Friday.

Truck Markets Quotations.

Special. PHILADELPHIA, June 16.—The following are the latest prices on truck, quoted by J. F. Hobson & Co.: Prime rose potatoes \$2.50 to \$2.75; medium and reds \$2.00 to \$2.25; Beans better, 75c. to \$1.00 for half barrels.

Where it Will Be Held.

Special. RALEIGH, N. C., June 16.—The Academy of Music has been secured for the Democratic State Convention. It has a seating capacity of 1400.

BASE BALL.

National League Games Played Yesterday.

Special. PITTSBURGH, June 16.—Pittsburgh Chicago game postponed on account of rain.

BOSTON, June 16.—Boston 14, New York 5.

BROOKLYN, June 16.—Baltimore 4, Brooklyn 0.

CINCINNATI, June 16.—Cincinnati 3, St. Louis 2.

LOUISVILLE, June 16.—Cleveland 11, Louisville 1.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 16.—Washington-Philadelphia game postponed on account of rain.

Where They Play To-day.

Baltimore at Brooklyn.
Philadelphia at Washington.
Chicago at Pittsburgh.
New York at Boston.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P. C.
Cleveland	27	16	.628
Baltimore	29	18	.617
Cincinnati	30	20	.600
Boston	26	19	.578
Philadelphia	28	21	.571
Washington	24	20	.545
Brooklyn	25	22	.521
Chicago	25	24	.510
Pittsburgh	22	23	.490
New York	20	28	.417
St. Louis	14	32	.304
Louisville	10	36	.217

Killed by Lightning.

WINSTON, N. C.—Mrs. W. C. Jones, wife of Deputy Sheriff Jones, was killed by lightning at Walkerton. She was in the house holding a 3-year-old child when the flash came. She fell to the floor dead, while the child was uninjured. The house caught fire and came near being destroyed.

Delaware Democracy.

WILMINGTON, Del.—The Democratic State Convention, to choose delegates to the national gathering at Chicago, met at Dover. The present indication is that the proceedings will be harmonious. It is expected that the silver men will elect one and possibly two of the six delegates the others being gold standard men. The silver men do not want any declaration on the money question in the platform. Nevertheless there may be an effort made to adopt a plank declaring for the single gold standard.

Diamond Thieves Arrested.

St. Louis, Mo.—Dora Donegan and Jennie Monroe, said to be the most expert diamond thieves in the country, were arrested just as they were entering the Plasters' Hotel, by Detectives McCarthy, of Chicago, and O'Connell, of St. Louis. The women had their baggage with them, and apparently intended to register. Dora Donegan was convicted of stealing diamonds in Chicago, and served a term in the Joliet penitentiary. The police consider them two of the best captures, made since the crowds began to gather.

SILVER OVERSHADOWED.

SILVER MEN THREATEN TO WALK OUT.

Platform to be Completed To-night. Teller Only Silver Man on Sub-Committee. Committee Permanent Organization.

Special. St. Louis, June 16.—After adjournment of Convention, the Committee on permanent organization met at Southern Hotel.

Gen. Groves was made temporary chairman. Thurston was elected permanent chairman, the temporary secretary and staff were made permanent. Committee adjourned.

The committee on Resolutions went to immediate session electing J.B. Forsaker chairman. The silver men on the Committee were completely overshadowed. Their candidate Dubois, only receiving four votes.

They will contest before the Convention, however, and again threaten to walk out.

General Lew Wallace was made secretary of the committee, and seven were appointed to draw up platform.

Teller, of Colorado, was the only silver man on sub-committee.

The Committee will work to a late hour to-night in order to complete platform.

Heavy Failure at Roanoke.

ROANOKE, Va.—The Roanoke Trust, Loan, and Safe Deposit Company has assigned to L. H. Cooke, trustee, assets, \$646,994 45; liabilities, \$342,693.75.

The company is one of the oldest banking institutions of this city, and its officers stand high as business men and citizens. Extensive loans on real estate, and inability to realize on these investments is the cause of the suspension.

Other financial institutions here have not been affected, the officers of the various banks announcing at the close of business this afternoon that the deposits in each were in excess of withdrawals, and it is believed that depositors will be paid in full.

Will Make a Full Confession.

WELDON, N. C.—It is learned that Henry Dowden, who is to be hanged in this county July 2d for the murder of a locomotive engineer, will make a full confession before or upon the day of execution, and that he will admit that the evidence given in by the fireman was absolutely correct as to the treatment he received on the engine. Dowden now begins to realize the awful fate awaiting him; that there is no earthly help, and that he must pay the penalty of his crime on the day set by the Governor.

The Madagascar Annexation.

LONDON.—The parliamentary Secretary for the Foreign Office, Mr. George N. Curzon, replying in the House of Commons to the inquiry of Sir Charles Dilke, Bart, member for the Forest of Dean division of Gloucestershire, relative to the views entertained by Great Britain and the United States concerning the annexation of the Island of Madagascar to France, said that the question was still under consideration, adding that it was one of the greatest importance, and could not be hurriedly decided.

Louisiana Democrats Silverites.

BATON ROUGE, La.—The Democratic State Convention was called by Chairman Kruttschnitt, of the State Central Committee. Judge S. T. Baird, of Morhouse, a strong free silver man, was called to the chair as temporary chairman. He made a vigorous speech of acceptance, favorable to free silver. The indications now point to almost a solid silver delegation to Chicago Justice McEnergy, Senator Blanchard, Representative Robertson, and ex-Mayor Fitzpatrick, all free silver men, will be delegates-at-large.

Telegraphic Items.

James Jones, aged thirty-six, recently of Newark, N. J. was instantly killed in a runaway accident at Saratoga, N. Y.

Oliver M. Shedd, formerly Imperial Recorder of the Order of United Friends, pleaded guilty at Poughkeepsis, N. Y., to grand larceny in the first degree.

Returns to the Fisheries Department of the spring catch of seals by Canadian vessels taken off the British Columbia and Washington coasts show a decrease of nearly 1,000 skins.

The twenty-eight annual convention of the Junior Order of American Mechanics begins its sessions in Denver. Eighteen thousand members are expected to be present.

Gov. Morton granted the requisition of the Governor of Iowa for the custody of Henry Palling, alias Walter Morton, and half a dozen other aliases, a noted crook, who was arrested in Troy on May 29 for attempting to pass a forged check for \$500.

St. Vincent's Sanitarium at Santa Fe, N. M., conducted by Sisters of Charity, was burned Sunday night, and the hospital annex was gutted by the fire. The loss amounts to \$100,000; insurance \$4,000. Both institutions were crowded with guests and patients, but there were no fatalities.

SPECIALS THIS WEEK

Notion Department.

Ladies' 26 inch Umbrellas, Metal or Crook Handles, at 48c. each.

All Silk Umbrellas, with Steel Rod, worth \$2.00—our price, \$1.25

One lot of Lace Curtains at 48c. pair.

One lot of Lace Curtains at \$1.75 per pair—worth double.

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A FULL LINE OF CHILDREN'S Duck Hats and TOM OSHANTER Caps.

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We Have Too.

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Select line of them with and without Valance,

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Cheaper grade of tricycles, but stick, Lubricating Oil, per 2 oz. bottle, .07
Huntington oil, per quart can, .25
Osterberg's Nickel Front Guards, .15
Osterberg's Knicker Trousers Guards, .10
Ford's "Double" front-spring springs, 2.00
Foot Pumps, very powerful, 1.00
Kalamazoo Tires, 1.25
Steel Case Lock, 12 inch, 25c.
Hartford Single Tube Repair Kit, .25
Universal Tire Clips, 50c.
It and's, Best steel wheels, 3 inches, nickel, .75
Star Lamp Baskets, 25c.
Star Lamp Baskets, for boys, 15c.
Standard Cyclometers, guaranteed, 1.00
Buffalo Bicycle Stand, best and most convenient, .60
M. and W. Inner tubes with valves and screws, .20
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WELL, Mr. "New-beg-in"

I see the Wheel fever has struck you.

Yes, I have concluded that I must be up to date and ride with the "boys."

Well, what also have you decided to buy? You know you want to

Keep Your Eye on The "Victor"

Yes, I have heard a great deal of late about that wheel. I understood that on the 23rd of May, in the great Coasting Match, held under the auspices of the New York Athletic Club, where there were 60 high grade wheels in the contest that the VICTOR'S won 1st and 2nd places—and only two "Victor's" in the contest.

Mr. "Blow-Hard" Mc "Blow-Head" and Mr. "Hard-to-Down" have been trying to convince me that they had the best wheel, but I still take Ford's advice and buy a VICTOR!

J. C. WHITTY & CO. SO GOOD BYE.

WM. H. OLIVER, LIFE, FIRE, MARINE ACCIDENT, TIDALITY, STEAM BOILER INSURANCE..... NEWBERN.

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