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WOODROW WILSON GETS NOMINATION

Nominated By Unanimous Acclamation On the Forty-Sixth Ballot. Thrilling Scenes in Big Convention Hall. General Exodus of Delegates From the Convention City Today. New Plan of Convention Urged.

Special to Journal. Baltimore, July 2.—Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, was nominated by an unanimous acclamation at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon on the forty-sixth ballot. At the opening of today's session of the National Democratic Convention which began nine days ago the balloting was resumed. At the close of the session at 12:30 this morning the Convention was adjourned on the forty-second ballot.

On the forty-third ballot the candidates stood as follows: Clark 239, Wilson 602, Underwood 99, Foss 27, Harmon 28, Illinois, Virginia and West Virginia voted solid for Wilson.

On the forty-fourth ballot, Clark 208, Wilson 829, Underwood 99, Foss 27 and Harmon 27.

The nomination was made on the forty-sixth ballot. Wilson getting the entire number of votes of the convention amounting to 1085.

Immediately after this pandemonium broke loose, the immense hall was a seething mass of hurrahing humanity and amid the blare of the instruments of the three bands present the name of Wilson, Wilson, Hurrah for Wilson, could be heard.

NEW PLAN URGED.

Events that have been happening at the Baltimore convention and which took place at the Chicago convention of the Republicans, each of them the stormiest in years of the respective parties, have raised the question as to whether the convention system in the proper one for the selection of candidates for the Presidency of the United States.

The English papers have been criticizing the system ever since the beginning of the Chicago convention. They point out that the President of the United States has more power vested in him and that he exercises more authority than the king or the president of any other nation, and they raise the question whether the selection of a man who wields such great power by a convention which performs its work in the midst of such turmoil, and subject to such influences as prevail at American national conventions is not naive, if not actually dangerous to the safety and integrity of American institutions.

The problem is also being widely discussed in American newspapers and there has been a general call for reform in the methods of making nominations. It is held that if there is any representative body which ought to be dedicated to deliberation it is a convention assembled to nominate candidates for President and Vice President, and that the function is so vital that interference with its exercise ought not to be tolerated either from within or without. A general protest has arisen against such demonstrations as have taken place in recent years at national conventions and that seemed to have reached the maximum at Baltimore. These demonstrations not only waste time but they detract the seriousness of the duty which is laid upon the delegates, and when delegates themselves take part in them they not only become excited but excited, and their professions are aroused to such a pitch that it is next to impossible for them to perform their work in the calm and dispassionate manner which ought to mark the selection of the man who may become the head of a great nation.

"Is it not time," asks the New York Sun "to put an end to this madness and folly?"

The question was put to a number of the delegates to the convention yesterday and as a rule they replied in the affirmative. The general opinion expressed was that there would have to be a change or another method of selecting candidates would have to be devised. That a change is coming is the opinion of ex-Gov. James E. Campbell of Ohio. He is one of the most ardent of progressives and believes that the time is at hand when conventions will be made up entirely of delegates elected at Presidential primaries, and that these conventions will simply register the will of the people as expressed at the primaries.

That would rob conventions of practically all their attractiveness to the general public and there would be no more excitement in connection with them than now develops in connection with the meetings of the Electoral College, which give only a few hours of space to the newspapers. The result being known in advance there would be nothing in the holding of the convention to stir up the people and to create the "Democratic Day" which has been shown to be a mere sham, with no real significance.

It is believed, however, that the time is not yet ripe for such a radical change.

GRAVEN PRIMARIES HELD YESTERDAY

Complete Returns Not Received Last Night, But It Looks Like Lane Will Be Next Sheriff.

The Craven county primaries were held yesterday and judging from the incomplete returns received last night at least one of the present county officials lost his fight for re-nomination and will be succeeded by a new man.

The race for the office of sheriff between the present incumbent, Mr. J. W. Biddle, and Mr. Dick Lane and F. S. Bernal, has doubtless attracted more attention than any of the other contests.

At 11 o'clock last night the returns had been received from all the precincts except Taylor's Store, Lee's Farm, Tisdale and Gun Row. At the final count made at that time, Lane had 694 votes, Biddle 474 and Bernal 346. This gave Lane a majority of 19 over the other contestants. There are less than one hundred votes in the other precincts and Lane will need less than 40 votes to have a majority of the entire vote and there is every indication to believe that he will receive these votes.

In the race for the office of register of deeds Mr. Fowler, the present incumbent, received several hundred votes majority over the other contestants, Messrs. E. S. Swail and J. C. Johnson.

The present board of county commissioners will retain their office, as will Mr. Finney, clerk of the court; Mr. B. H. Hurst, county treasurer; Dr. R. D. Val Jones, county coroner. Mr. J. E. Russell was elected constable for the 5th Township and Mr. G. A. Whitford as representative.

Complete returns will be received today. There is little probability that there will be a second primary on the sheriff's office. However, this is possible and will not be definitely known until after the complete returns have been received.

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Allen Trial in Progress.

Wytheville, Va., July 2.—Judge Walker E. Staples came to Wytheville yesterday preparatory to opening circuit court today when Claude Allen will be second time be placed on trial for his life on an indictment growing out of the court room tragedy at Hillsville, Va., on March 14th last, when the Allen killed four court officials and a bystander. The young man already has been convicted on an indictment and given 15 years in the penitentiary.

A visitor from Washington county has been summoned, the court thinking that it would be impossible to secure a jury from Wythe county.

Government Will Run On.

Washington, July 2.—The senate and house agreed to a resolution extending the current appropriations through July 31, thus preventing a stop of the machinery of the government, which was threatened by midnight. The situation was caused by congress' failure to pass some of the big appropriation bills.

Big Ohio Cattle Bring High Prices.

New York.—Six Ohio steers, specially fed and averaging 1416 pounds each, were sold at the 51st street stock yards on Monday for \$9.89 per 100 lbs. on the hoof. This is said to be the highest price paid in this market for cattle in many years. Prices of dressed meat are not affected by this sale.

Wholesalers on Monday advanced the price of city dressed calves one half cent a pound on top grades. Dressed mutton went up a cent a pound, but the finest grade of lamb showed a reduction of one half cent from last week's wholesale price.

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Tillman's Illness Bright.

Baltimore, July 2.—The friends of Senator Ben Tillman, of South Carolina who was taken ill at the convention hall, thought for a time that he had suffered a slight stroke of apoplexy. Yesterday, however, they were much encouraged when they learned that the illness was not so serious as supposed. At the Senator's apartment it was said, his illness was merely the result of the heat and stiffness of the convention hall, and that he expected to be about town again in a day or two.

Furnies For Wedding Fee.

Allentown, Pa., July 2.—In view of his wedding fee, after he had pronounced William Troutman, a draughtsman and Miss E. Laura Fish, of Philadelphia, husband and wife, the Rev. E. A. Warding received from the bridegroom, a strange looking walking stick made of compressed paper, with a silver top.

When the relatives expressed the hope that the bridegroom would be able to give the bride a new suit, they were told that the bridegroom had no money to give.

VICE PRESIDENT NOT NOMINATED

At 11:45 O'clock Last Night, Champ Clark Declines the Offer of the Office.

Special to Journal. Baltimore, July 2, 11:45 p. m.—At 9:35 o'clock tonight the National Democratic Convention was again called to order for the purpose of nominating a Vice President and adopting a platform. At the opening of the session the nomination was offered to Champ Clark, Governor Dockery, of Mississippi arose and stated that Mr. Clark could not accept the nomination owing to the fact that his position as Speaker of the House of Representatives was more important.

Following this Messrs. Burch, of South Dakota; Marshall, of Indiana; James, of Delaware; Mayor Freason, of Baltimore; Elmore W. Hurst, of Illinois and Judge Martin J. Wade, of Iowa, were placed before the convention for nomination. At this time the roll of delegates is being called but there is but little probability that a nomination will be made tonight.

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Claims Jerome is Prejudiced.

White Plains, N. Y., July 2.—Chas. J. Shearn, counselor for Harry K. Thaw, has sent to Attorney General Carmody a telegram protesting against the alleged abuse which Attorney William Travers Jerome is making of his appointment as special counsel to oppose the release of Thaw. Mr. Shearn, in his message, asserts that the "venom" and "bitterness" of Mr. Jerome's conduct are apparent to everyone. He also calls attention to the alleged bad character of several of the witnesses summoned by the State.

The immediate cause of the protest, Mr. Shearn says, is the fact that Mr. Jerome, after a previous promise to the contrary, refused to allow him to examine, until after the Monday session, certain important letters needed for cross-examination of Dr. Austin Flint, the alienist.

Counterfeiting in Treasury.

Washington, July 2nd.—An alleged counterfeiting conspiracy hatched in the United States treasury, is being unearthed by the secret service as the result of the arrest in Baltimore of Perry H. Carmon, clerk of the auditor's office, of the treasury department, charged with raising one dollar notes to ten. Another arrest will be made, Carmon laid the scheme bare. His alleged co-conspirator is a clerk in the auditor's office. Carmon rose to the clerkship from an elevator operator.

Ill With Appendicitis.

Mr. William B. Duncan, son of Mr. E. C. Duncan, of this city, was operated on at New Bern Saturday for appendicitis. Dr. Turner, of Raleigh, and Dr. Duffy, of New Bern performing the operation. The young man suffered an acute attack and an immediate operation was necessary. A telegram from the father last night stated that the young man was doing as well as possible, but he is still in a critical condition. Mr. Wm. B. Duncan was spending the summer at Beaufort. Raleigh Times.

Moving Pictures and Vaudeville, afternoon and night, at The Athens.

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