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This contest has been of such a character that I did not feel warranted in preparing a speech of acceptance in advance, showing that he realized the closeness of the struggle and did not count it won until the nomination was actually made.

Mr. Herriott followed by a speech in which he declared that he was not a candidate for the nomination, but that he was a candidate for the nomination of the party.

CONTROLS FROM THE OUTSET

Cummins Has the Situation Well in Hand Throughout the Proceedings.

CEGAR RAPIDS, Ia., Aug. 7.—Cummins swept the board. He and his followers took everything that they went for and from the first rap of the gavel to the putting out of the lights there was no time when they did not have the situation well in hand.

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had anticipated and before the end of the count was reached Brown's following was in something like consternation. The Brown men had the strength to win out, however.

The convention met at 11 o'clock and the hours of the morning before that time were consumed in the district caucuses and committee meetings. Contrary to determination expressed by them yesterday the Cummins men made a hot fight before the committee on credentials and at the time the convention was called the struggle was on.

At 11:15 a. m. the convention was called to order by Chairman Weaver of the state central committee. At the conclusion of the invocation by Rev. S. B. McCormick this city Chairman Weaver introduced J. C. Davis of Keokuk as the temporary chairman.

Mr. Davis in accepting the position delivered an address which was well received and frequently interrupted by outbursts of applause.

Chairman Davis' Address.

Hon. James C. Davis, the temporary chairman, said in part:

No national administration has ever had such difficult problems to meet and master. No administration has ever solved great questions with more courage, wisdom and statesmanship. It is safe to say that no mistakes have been made.

The questions concerning the right to combine capital by legitimate organization for production and commerce are most important and controlling ones, which should be the subject of dispassionate argument rather than partisan or prejudicial criticism. The right of labor to organize for all legitimate purposes is unquestioned, and laws which restrict the freedom of labor should be so framed and phrased that while unlawful and illegal unions are strictly prohibited and severely punished, yet legitimate commerce and manufacturing may not be interfered with.

In our country, we are continually progressing, the average of wages growing higher and the average prices of the necessities and comforts of life growing cheaper. Legislation may be necessary upon the subject of great aggregations of capital, and when these organizations become a menace to the ordinary citizen and to the consumer through their specific control and regulation by the government under properly enacted laws must follow.

A voracious outcry against combinations of capital will not avail. The right to produce and manufacture upon an extensive scale is too vital to the continued prosperity of this country to be jeopardized. Before drastic measures can be followed we must have the light of some experience. The natural laws of trade must be given a chance to regulate the commercial world, but where abuses appear the people of America can safely trust the republican party to give all the relief and protection which the law affords and to stand by.

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Following Senator Dolliver there were brief speeches by Congressmen Cousins and Lacey.

While Congressman Lacey was speaking Senator Allison came upon the stage and was introduced by speaker Davis as the wisest and most influential member of the United States senate. He was greeted with great enthusiasm, the delegates climbing upon their chairs and cheering again and again. The speaker in common with the speakers who had preceded him, confined his speech entirely to the policies of the republican party at large.

When Senator Allison retired Congressman Smith of Council Bluffs attempted to speak but delegates were shouting for a report from the committee on credentials and he was unable to make himself heard. Later he was given a chance, which he accepted with the remark that he knew the personal to him. His witty utterances and bright stories put the convention in high good humor.

The committee on credentials finally came in with a report with credentials for the counties of Polk, Carroll and Jackson. The county of Polk report recommended that the full Cummins delegation be seated and the report was received with cheers. In Jackson and Carroll counties the committee reported in favor of the anti-Cummins delegates. The announcement of the decision in favor of the anti-Cummins was received with frantic cheering by the Harriman men.

Cummins Draws First Blood.

A minority report was submitted giving both Jackson and Carroll counties to Cummins. The receipt of the minority report created an uproar, as both factions realized that upon the adoption of the majority report of the committee the best seat of the strength in the convention would come.

A motion to adopt the majority report was lost by a vote of 848 to 765 and the Cummins men went wild over the announcement. This result was not reached until both factions had passed many anxious minutes during the roll of the delegates. Adair county voted solidly for the minority report. This was first blood for Cummins and a wild cheer from his adherents followed the announcement.

Then everything went against Cummins until the Harriman men were routed. This was an instructed Harriman delegation. It came solidly into the Cummins column. This was greeted with the highest delight by the Cummins men. After this the tide set against the Cummins men, while the Harriman men cheered and shouted over everything that came their way. Guthrie county, Herriott's home county, came in solid for Cummins and the minority report. Lee county went against Cummins with twenty-three votes and when Linn came in with forty for the same report, the Harriman people rose to their feet and shrieked like a pack of Indians. The counterstorm came when Polk county, with its sixty-four votes, came in for Cummins. The Cummins men took their turn on the chairs and straddled the seats and the Harriman men Doliver's county, Webster, voted twenty to two, the Cummins men getting the large end of it.

Cummins Men Go Wild.

The shout of "Woodbury county thirty-three votes aye" put the question over the line and gave it to Cummins. This meant that he had a majority of the seats and the convention floor, independent of the delegations of Jackson and Carroll counties, which were by the vote added to the list and the Cummins men went wild.

The coming delegations from Carroll and Jackson counties took their seats amid the cheers. The number added to the number of delegates already held by Cummins gave him a total strength on the first ballot of 873 and his followers put no bounds to their expressions of delight. The committee on permanent organization recommended H. W. Byers of Shelby county as permanent chairman. Byers is a strong Cummins man and this blow to the steering committee, which had confidently been expected to organize the convention, was a further impetus to his feelings. The recommendation by the committee that no nominating speeches be allowed called forth loud cheer. The report was unanimously adopted.

As Chairman Byers took the gavel he said: "Gentlemen: I have a speech and you can hear it in the same way as you heard everything that came the other way. The recommendation by the committee on resolutions, which was read by George Roberts, the chairman of the committee. The platform was then read. It was as follows:

Platform Adopted.

Resolved, by the republicans of Iowa in general assembly, that the platform of the party adopted at the convention of 1898, be and it is so remained the platform of the party.

The greatest outburst of applause that greeted Davis' speech followed his assertions that the Niagara canal should be constructed on American soil and protected by American fortifications and American guns. So vigorous a cheer of approval greeted the speaker as he spoke that there could be no doubt of the stand assumed by Iowa republicans on the canal subject.

The roll of congressional districts was called to secure the names of the members of the various committees and at the conclusion of the call an adjournment was taken until 10 o'clock.

The convention was called to order at 10:15 pursuant to adjournment. Chairman Davis called for the report of the committee on credentials, but that body was not ready to report and a delay ensued, which was enlivened by music by the band.

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LAST CALL! TOMORROW IS CIRCUS DAY IN OMAHA!

Bigging Bios. THE ONLY GIRAFFE KNOWN TO EXIST IN THE ENTIRE WORLD. \$20,000 WAS THE PRICE HE COST. NOT A MILLION, NOR A MILLION TIMES A MILLION COULD BUY ANOTHER. HE IS THE LAST, THE ONLY ONE.

OMAHA Next Friday, Aug. 9.

Reserved numbered seats and admissions show day at Kuhn & Co's drug store, Corner 15th and Douglas. Unlike other shows prices at downtown office are exactly the same as charged at regular ticket wagons on show grounds.

TO COMPEL REASSESSMENT

District Judge of Colorado Mandates Members of State Board of Equalization.

DENVER, Aug. 7.—Judge Dixon of the district court, at Pueblo today, issued a writ of mandamus against Governor Quinn, Secretary of State Mills, Auditor Crouser, Attorney General Post and Treasurer Chipley, compelling the State Board of Equalization, to compel the board to meet forthwith and assess the property of railroad and other corporations in this state according to the provisions of the law of 1890.

FAIR AND WARMER THURSDAY

To Be Followed by Fair Friday in Nebraska and North and South Dakota.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday:

For Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota—Fair and warmer Thursday; Friday fair, southeasterly winds.

For Iowa—Fair Thursday and Friday; cooler Thursday in southeast portion; warmer Friday; variable winds.

For Illinois—Fair and cooler Thursday; Friday fair; north to northeast winds.

For Colorado—Showers Thursday, warmer in northern portion; Friday, showers and cooler; westerly winds.

For Wyoming—Fair, warmer Thursday; Friday, showers and cooler; westerly winds.

For Montana—Showers and cooler in western, fair in eastern portion Thursday; Friday fair; westerly winds.

For Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Showers and cooler Thursday; Friday fair; easterly winds.

For Arkansas and Missouri—Fair and cooler Thursday; Friday fair; northeasterly winds.

For Western Texas and New Mexico—Showers Thursday and probably Friday; northerly winds.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Aug. 7.—Official record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years.

Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1.

Normal temperature 77. Excess for the day 1. Total excess since March 1 11. Normal precipitation 0.11 inch. Deficiency for the day 0.11 inch. Total deficit since March 1 0.11 inch.

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Reports from Stations at 7 p. m.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.

Omaha, partly cloudy 79 88 0.00. North Platte, partly cloudy 78 84 0.00. Cheyenne, cloudy 76 80 0.00. Salt Lake, clear 76 80 0.00. Rapid City, clear 76 80 0.00. Huron, clear 76 80 0.00. Williston, clear 76 80 0.00. Bismarck, clear 76 80 0.00. St. Louis, clear 76 80 0.00. St. Paul, clear 76 80 0.00. Buffalo, clear 76 80 0.00. Kansas City, partly cloudy 76 80 0.00. Helena, cloudy 76 80 0.00. Gary, partly cloudy 76 80 0.00. Bismarck, clear 76 80 0.00. Galveston, partly cloudy 76 80 0.00.

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MINNEAPOLIS and return, August 1st to 10th 9.65. St. Paul and return, August 1st to 10th 10.00. Duluth and return, August 1st to 10th 12.85. Waterville, Minn., and return 7.00. Waterville, Minn., and return 8.10. New York and return, every day 44.00. Louisville and return, August 14-29, 21.50. Buffalo and return, every day 20.75. Circuit tours via Great Lakes to Buffalo and intermediate points. Staterooms reserved in advance.

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People cannot help worrying when their nerves are weak. This feeling of languor, dizziness and exhaustion is the earliest condition which often precedes nervous prostration. The power to work or study diminishes and despondency depresses the mind night after night.

Sexine Pills

They have cured thousands, and we have so much confidence in them that we give an iron clad guarantee with a 60 day order.

Sent everywhere in plain packages, \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00, book free.

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It is always radically and permanently cured by the blood-purifying, alterative and tonic action of

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This great medicine has wrought the most wonderful cures of all diseases depending on scrofula or the scrofulous habit. Head's PILLS are the best cathartic.

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"In the morning, when you don't have very much of an appetite, just fill your coffee cup about one-third full of Grape-Nuts, then fill up with hot coffee, sweeten to taste, stir well and let settle. Now try your coffee. Why, man, it will make your hair curl. After drinking your coffee, add a little more sugar and eat your Grape-Nuts with a spoon, and my word for it you will feel like a fighting cock until dinner time. If you never have, and want something good, try it once."