THE TRUTH ABOUT THOSE DELEGATES

Roosevelt Contests Instigated to Deceive the Public.

ALL BUT 74 WERE ABANDONED

An Examination of the Facts Shows That the Tribunals Which Decided These Contests in Favor of Mr. Taft Were Right In Every Instance-The Remaining 164 Contests Were Frivolous, and Their Prompt Abandonment Reflects Upon the Genuineness and Validity of the Remainder.

Washington, July 29.-Here are the facts in relation to the contested seats in the Republican national convention. It is a summary of a detailed state ment going carefully into all of the cases, a statement so thorough that it takes up 150 pages of printed matter. This statement is signed by Mr. Victor Rosewater, chairman of the former Republican national committee; by Mr. J H. Devine of Colorado, chairman of the committee on credentials of the Republican national convention, and by Mr. Charles D. Hilles, chairman of the present Republican national committee.

The total number of delegates summoned to the convention under its call was 1,078, with 540 necessary to a choice. Mr. Taft had 561 votes on the first and only ballot and was declared the nominee. There were instituted against 238 of the delegates regularly elected for Taft contests on behalf of Boosevelt. These contests were avowedly instigated not for the purpose of really securing seats in the convention. not for the purpose of adducing evi- Colonel Cecil Lyon, to whom had been dence which would lead any respectable court to entertain the contests, but for the purpose of deceiving the public into the belief that Mr. Roosevelt had the state, had been in the habit of conmore votes than he really had, as the trolling the Republican state convenconventions and primaries were in tion by securing from two federal of progress for the selection of delegates. ficeholders in each of these ninety nin-This is not only a necessary inference counties a certificate granting a proxy from the character of the contests, but to Colonel Lyon or a friend of his to it was boldly avowed by the chief edi- represent the county as if regularly tor of the newspapers owned by Mr. conferred by a Republican county or Munsey, who has been Mr. Roosevelt's ganization. The national committee chief financial and newspaper sup- and the committee on credentials and porter. The 238 contests were reduced the convention after the fullest investi by abandonment to seventy-four.

The very fact of these 164 frivolous contests itself reflects upon the genu- was so small and in which there wa ineness and validity of the remainder. no Republican party, no convention : The seventy-four delegates include six primary, no organization, was not the at large from Arizona, four at large proper source for a proxy to give from Kentucky, four at large from In- vote equal to that to be case by the large from Washington, and also two which primaries or conventions were district delegates each from the Ninth held. The two committees therefore Thirteenth Indiana, the Seventh, illegal and not the basis of proper rep Eighth and Eleventh Kentucky, the resentation. The two tribunals who Third Oklahoma, the Second Tennes | heard the case decided that they should see and from each of nine districts, the | deduct the ninety-nine votes from the First, Second. Fourth, Fifth. Seventh, total of 245 and give the representation of Texas.

CONTESTED DELEGATES AT LARGE. Arizona,

In the Arizona convention there were ninety-three votes. All the delegatessix in number-were to be selected at large. The counties were entitled to select their delegates through their county committee or by primary. In one county, Maricopa, a majority of the committee decided to select its delegates and a minority to have a primary. In other counties there were some contests, and the stine committee, following the usage of the national committee, gave a hearing to all contestants in order to make up the temporary roll. There was a clear majority of the Taft delegates among the uncontested delegates. The committee made up the temporary roll and then there was a bolt, sixty-four remaining in the hall and twenty-five withdrawing therefrom. The case of the Taft majority was so clear that it is difficult to understand why a contest was made.

Indiana. In Indiana the four Taft delegates at large were elected in a state conven- districted the city. It before had 25 tion to which Marion county, in which Indianapolis is situate, was entitled to territory was divided up into 381 pro-128 votes. A primary was held in Indinnapolis, at which Taft polled 6,000 and Roosevelt 1,400 votes. This gave had been given authority by genera Taft 106 delegates in the state convention from Marion county, and if they the committee A general meeting were properly seated the control of the the committee had been held after the convention by a large majority was city council had directed the redistrict conceded to Taft. Attempt was made ing of the city, in which it was reto impeach the returns from Marion county by charges of fraud and repeat- that representatives could not be s ing. These charges were of a general character, without specification except as to one ward out of fifteen wards, 1912. Thereafter, and in spite of this and then the impeaching witness admitted be could not claim fraud enough | right by his appointment to add to the to change the result in that ward. The existing committee 131 precinct con national committee, upon which there were fifteen anti-Taft men, rejected the Roosevelt contestants and gave the Taft delegates their seats by a unanimous vote. Senator Borah and Mr. Frank B. Kellogg, both Roosevelt men, made speeches in explaining the votes in which they said that the case turned on the ground that the charman in wholly on the Marion county primary, and as there was no evidence to impeach the result certified, the title of the Taft delegates was clear. This is convention whose proceedings called forth such loud charges of theff and fraud from Mr. Roosevelt.

Kentucky. In Kentucky a contest was filed against only three of the four delegates

. ... fourth Taft delegate's dy contended that if the Roosevelt arces had had a majority they would its call. There were 449 of these those sents were contested. If all of lesse had been conceded to Roosevelt would have made the Roosevelt vote theal to the committee on credentials from the decision of the national com-

In Michigan the state convention and in it about 1,200 delegates. There were only two counties in dispute of One was Wayne county, it which Detroit is situated, and the other was Calhoun county The evidence eft no doubt that the Tafa men car ried by a very large majority Wayncounty, but it was immaterial whether this was true or not, because, leavin; out both Wayne county and Calhou: county, the only counties in contest the Taft delegates cutnumbered by several hundred the Roosevelt delegates, and they had a clear majorit; out of the total number of votes that should have been in the convention The contest was so weak as to hardly merit recital.

Texas.

In Texas there were 249 counties, o which four have no county govern ment. The 245 counties under the calof the convention were allowed to have something over 1,000 delegates, reprsenting them, who were given author ity to cast 248 votes. Of the 245 coun ties there were ninety-nine counties i which the total Republican vote was but 2,000, in fourteen of which there were no Republican voters, in twenty seven of which there were less that ten each and in none of which wa there any Republican organization and in none of which had a primary or convention been held. It was shown that assigned as referee the disposition of the patronage of the national Repui lican administration for ten years in gation decided that these hinety-nincounties in which the Republican vot-

diana, six at large from Michigan, other 146 counties in which there was eight at large from Texas and eight at a Republican organization and u Alabams, the Fifth Arkansas, the held such ninety-nine proxies to be ath Ninth Tenth and Fourteeuth to those who controlled the majority of the remainder. The remainder was 152 votes, and out of that the Taft men had carried eighty-nine counties having ninety votes. This gave to the Taft men a clear majority in the state

WASHINGTON. The contest in Washington turned or

the question whether the Taft desc

convention and with it eight delegates

gates appointed by the county con mittee in King county, in which Seattle situate, were duly elected to the convention or whether a primary which was subsequently held and a which Roosevelt delegates were elect ed, was properly called, so that its re sult was legal. Under the law th county committee had the power to de cide whether it would select the dea gates directly or should call a primary counties of the state o ties the other. In King county the committee consisted of 250 men, th majority of whom were for Taft, an that majority, acting through its exe utive committee, selected the Taft dele gates to the state convention Mean time the city council of Seattle had re precincts. Now substantially the same cincts. The chairman of the county committee was a Roosevelt man. He resolution to fill vacancies occurring t solved, the chairman not dissenting lected to fill the 331 new precincts up til an election was held in September conclusion the chairman assumed th mitteemen, and with these voting the committee it is claimed that a pr the Taft men protested against an action by a committee so constitute no authority to appoint the 131 nepart in the primary, and so did the L. Follette men The newspapers report ed the number of votes in the primato be something over 3,000. The Rocs. velt committee showed by affidavit th number to be 4,000 out of a usual tota Republican vote of 75,000. The action

of the chairman of the committee it

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at was uncontested The three con- attempting to add 131 precinct men to strais admitted they were not elect- the old committee was, of course, beby the convention which sent the youd his power. The resolution au-If delegates or by any other. They thorizing him to fill vacancies, of course, applied only to those places which became vacant after they had are been elected. There were 2,356 been filled and clearly did not apply to elegates summoned to the convention | 131 new precincts. It could not in the nature of things apply to a change from the old system to a complete new system of precincts created by the city council, because if they were to be 257 votes less than a majority. The filled the entire number of 331 new precincts different from the old must be filled. One system could not be mittee was abandoned, as it ought to made into the other by a mere additional appointment of 131 committeemen. No lawyer will say that such action by the committee thus constituted was legal. Therefore the action which the lawful committee of 250 took in electing Taft delegates who made a majority in the state convention was the only one which could be recegnized as valid.

CONTESTED DISTRICT DELE-GATES.

ALABAMA. Ninth District.

The Ninth Alabama contest turned on the question whether the chairman of a district committee had power to fill vacancies, whether a committee man who had sent his resignation to take effect only in case he was not present, being present, should be prevented from acting as committeeman, and, third, on the identity of another committeeman. The written resolu tion under which the right of the chairman to appoint to vacancles was claimed showed on its face that the specific authority was written in in different writing and different colored pencil between the lines. A number of affidavits were filed by committeemen who were present when the resolution was passed to show that the resolution contained no such authority. This gave rise to a question of fact upon which a very large majority of both the national committee and the committee on credentials held that the lead pencil insertion was a forgery. that the chairman did not have the authority therefore to appoint to the vacancies, and therefore the action of his committee was not valid. This made it necessary to reject the contestants. The committee decided the two other issues of fact before them in favor of the Taft contention, although the first decision was conclusive.

ARKANSAS.

Fifth District. In the Fifth Arkansas the question was one of the identity of one faction or the other as the Republican party. This convention followed the example of the convention of 1908 in holding that what was known as the Redding faction was not the Republican party, that it was a defunct organization and had only acquired life at the end of each four years for the purpose of using it in the national convention. The contestants were therefore rejected. It was shown that the other or Taft had been in active existence as the Republican party, had nominated a local ticket and had run a congress-

> CALIFORNIA. Fourth District.

The Fourth California presented this

gation, two from each district, was elected on a general ticket, in a group of twenty-six. Each delegate might either express his presidential preference or agree to vote for the presidential candidate receiving the highest number in the state. In the Fourth district the two candidates from that district on the Taft ticket expressed a preference for Taft, but did not agree to vote for the candidates having the highest state vote. These Taft delegates in the Fourth district received a majority of 200 more than the Roosevelt delegates in that district. The national call forbade any law or the acceptance of any law which prevented the election of dele gates by districts. In other words, the call of the national convention was at variance with the state law. The state law sought to enforce the state unit rule and required the whole twentysix delegates to be voted for all over the state, assigning two to each district on the ticket to abide the state wide election, while the Republican national convention has insisted upon the unit of the district since 1880. That has been the party law. This conven tion recognized the party law and held it to be more binding than that of the state law and allowed the two delegates who had received in the Fourth district a vote larger than their two opponents assigned to that district, to become delegates in the convention. This was clearly lawful, for a state has no power to limit or control the basis of representation of a voluntary national party in a national convention. The fact that President Taft by telegram approved all the twenty-six delegates as representing him is said to be an estoppel against his claiming the election of two of those delegates in their Fourth district. What is there inconsistent in his approving the candidacy of all his delegates and the election of two of them? Why should he be thus estopped to claim that part of the law was inoperative because in conflict with the call of the convention?

INDIANA.

Thirteenth District. In the Thirteenth Indiana there was no question about the victory of the Taft men, because the temporary chairman representing the Taft side was conceded to have been elected by one half a vote more than the Roosevel candidate. This one-half vote extended through the riotous proceedings, and although it was not as wide as a barn door it was enough. The chairman put the question as to electing the Taft delegates, and after continuous objec-

tion lasting three hours declared the Entry days f or race horses and exhibits at the State Fair to be held September 2nd to 6th are fast drawing near. On August 12th racing entries will close in the 2:25, 2:18, 2:14 and 2:10 trots, and 2:30, 2:20, 2:17, 2:09 and free-for-all pacing, each race being for \$5; and also to the Nebraska ly the physicians idea for the Derby running, and ten mile relay race. The entries for horses and patient. cattle close August 17th, so that they can be published in the official cata-log All other entries close at 6 o'clock Saturday night, August 31st

vote carried. The Roosevelt men thus prevented a roll call and then bolted. KENTUCKY.

Seventh District. In the Seventh Kentucky district the total vote of the convention was 145. There were contests from four counties, involving ninety-five votes. According to the rules of the party in Kentucky, where two seats of credentials are presented those delegates whose credentials are approved by the county chairman are entitled to participate in the temporary organization. On the temporary roll the Taft chairman was elected by ninety-eight votes and forty-seven votes were cast for the Roosevelt candidate. The committee on credentials was then appointed, consisting of one member named by each county delegation. The majority report of the committee was adopted unanimously by the convention, no delegation whose seats were contested being permitted to vote on its own case. As soon as the majority report of the credentials committee had been adopted, the Roosevelt adherents bolted. There was not the slightest reason for sustaining the contest for Roosevelt

Eighth District. The Eighth Kentucky district was composed of ten counties having 163 votes, of which eighty-two were necessary to a choice. There was no contest in five of the counties, and although the Roosevelt men claimed that there was one in Spencer county no contest was presented against the seating of the regularly elected Taft delegates from that county. This gave the Taft delegates eighty-four votes, or two more than were necessary for a choice. In other words, assuming that the Roosevelt men were entitled to all the delegates from the counties in which they filed contests in the district convention there remained a clear majority of uncontested delegates who voted for the Taft delegates to Chi-

OKLAHOMA.

Third District. In the Third Oklahoma district the question of the validity of the seats of tion of the congressional committee, men and seven Roosevelt men. The tion. chairman, Cochran, was a Roosevelt man and attempted to prevent the majority of the committee from taking action. The chairman was removed and another substituted, and thereupon | pany?" the convention was duly called to order on the temporary roll prepared by the congressional committee, which was made the permanent roll, and the two Taft delegates to Chicago were duly ever likely to get, Ralph Stanton. We selected. Every county in the district are blocking traffic here, aren't we?" had its representation and vote in the regular convention, and no person properly accredited as a delegate was excluded or debarred from participating in its proceedings. Cochran and his followers bolted after his deposition. Assuming that all the committee who went out with him had the right to act on the committee, it left the committee standing twelve for Taft and seven for Roosevelt, so it was simply a question whether a majority of the committee had the right to control its action or a minority. The bolting convention which Cochran held was not attended by a majority of the duly question: Under the state law the delevarious counties, and its membership was largely made up of bystanders who had not been duly accredited by any county in the district. Its action was entirely without authority.

TENNESSEE,

Second District. In the Second Tennessee district there were fifty-nine delegates uncontested out of a possible total of 108 in the convention. There were forty-nine contested. The Roosevelt contestants in the forty-nine refused to abide the decision of the committee on credentials and withdrew, leaving fifty-nine uncontested delegates. These fiftynine delegates, part of whom were Roosevelt men, remained in the convention, appointed the proper committees, settled contests and proceeded to select Taft delegates. There can be no question about the validity therefore of their title.

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Our people were highly pleased this week to see Mrs. James Burnett in a wheeled chair on our streets, she receiving the chair Tuesday and so recovered from her serious illness as to be able to be wheeled about in it.

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I-At the beginning of great automobile race the mechanician of the recury, Stanton's machine, drops dead. Strange youth, Jesse Floyd, volunteers, and is accepted.

CHAPTER II-In the rest during the twenty-four hour race Stanton meets a stranger, Miss Carlisle, who introduces herself. The mechanician saves machine

CHAPTER III-The Mercury wins race. Stanton receives flowers from Miss Car-fisle, which he ignores.

CHAPTER IV-Stanton meets Miss Carfisle on a train. They alight to take walk, and train leaves. Stanton and Miss Carlisle follow in auto.

CHAPTER V-Accident by which Santon is hurt is mysterious. Floyd, at lunch with Stanton, tells of his boyhood. Stanton again meets Miss Carlise and they have the transfer. CHAPTER VI-Stanton comes to track sick, but makes race. They have acci-dent. Floyd hurt, but not seriously. At dinner Floyd tells Stanton of his twin sister, Jessica. Stanton becomes very ill

and loses consciousness. CHAPTER VII-Cn recovery, at his hotel Stanton receives invitation and vis its Jessica. They go to theater together, and meet Miss Carlisle.

"I-you are good to think of itbut Mr. Green would never consent.

He has arranged for me to go on tonight." "Why shouldn't be consent? You

would be there in plenty of time." Floyd turned his mischievous gray eyes to the other man's, guarding sithe delegates turned on the constitu- leace. But Stanton halted in the middle of the sidewalk, his face locking which was made up of twelve Taft in his steel-hard anger and determina-

> "I know what you mean, Floyd. And, speak openly, do you believe that you would be unable to stand forty-eight hours of me without leaving the com-

"No." "No?"

"No. I am very certain that I could stand much more of you than I am

For one passing moment he had looked Jessica herself; Stanton saw again the girl's sorrowful face as she bent over the embroidery, and heard her answer "often" to his question of her loneliness. They were not altogether sufficient for each other, then, these twins? They might possibly admit a third? Stanton caught his breath; a slow strong pulse of vague excitement began to best in him, and thereafter was never stilled until a day when all his world crashed into blank stillness.

They went on to the quiet French restaurant that Floyd had chosen; so recovering tone on the way that they of rival speedometers and argued energetically all through the dinner. They spent a long time over the simple meal, enjoying themselves completely. But at last they sank into a thoughtful silence, which Stanton was the first to break.

"I saw that Miss Floyd's arm was hurt, the other evening. I hope it is Floyd raised his head, starting so

violently as to overturn the goblet of water beside him. "What do you mean?" he exclaimed

sharply. "What do you mean? Her The shattering of g'ass and the consequent flood brought their waiter on run, but Floyd did not even glance

lown at the wreck, his eyes upon

stanton; who returned the gaze in ut-"What do I mean? I say that your sister's bracelet slipped off and scratched her arm, the night we went to the play, and I asked you if she were well. What is the matter with

Floyd pushed back his chair to per mit the waiter's ministrations, his lashes falling.

"You gave me a turn," he exclaimed. with hurried lightness. "I wondered if Jessica had hurt herself and not told me. We've only got each other, and we are twins-I suppose we are silly about each other, in fact I remember, now, that she did have a scratch on her arm; I blamed it on the kitten.'

He was still pale, and paid the check without looking at his compan-"Your nerves are out." Stanton

frankly commented, contemplating him with curiosity. "One would think it was you who were just over the arrest. You'll have to get in form before we strike a race-track." "Don't you worry," besought Floyd,

his gaiety and color rushing back together. "I'll take some smelling-salts



The Mercury Uttered a Vibrant Roam and Leaped.

with me in case I feel faint when you commence to speed up." Outside the two paused, Floyd look

ing at his watch. "I've got to go over to the office," he said. "Shall I see you again beore we leave?"

Name o clock from th. Grand Central. We always start a few days ahead of you, of course." "Better shake hands, then," advised

They did so, and separated

At five minutes past nine, that evening, the Chicago special pulled out of leave of his mechanician at the Mer New York. Ten minutes later a hand was laid on Floyd's shoulder, as he sat gazing out the window at the flying darkness and brightness that was the outskirts of the city.

"Do you want to talk, or shall I go back to my own section in the next car?" Stanton inquired. His mechanician turned swiftly, in-

credulously. "Stanton? Really you?"

"Since you had to start to-night, I saw no reason why I should not do likewise. I hate train travel; we'll get it over. You haven't answered my question yet."

"I didn't know that I had to," smil ed Floyd.

And indeed there had been no possible mistaking of the welcome and pleasure in his cry, or in his truthful face. Stanton took the seat opposite and pulled a folded newspaper from his pocket, passing it across.

"I suppose you have seen that," he inferred

"Race gossip?" questioned the other, taking the paper.

"Court news," was the correction. The silence was long. After reading, Floyd turned his face to the window, and so remained. But at last he looked back to Stanton and nodded.

"Yes, it means that I get back my ather's factory," he confirmed quietly 'I am very glad, although it doesn't do me much actual good. I have no capital to run an automobile glant, and I will not sell unless I am forced to it.' "You would like to operate it?"

The blood ran up under Floyd's fine skin, he met Stanton's eyes with a glance of fire-ardent passion and de-

"I'd give all the rest of my life to perate that factory for one year, as my father planned for me-I'd give it for six months to justify his faith and training. You do not know, you can of a smash?" not know!'

"Can I not?" Stanton retorted. Floyd, what do you think I am racing for, if I can not understand risk ing something for an object. I told you once that I would not live noor-I was not born to that. If I win anoth or prize or two this season. I will have enough capital to match somewhat oin with me and revive the famous | methods-" lomet motor-cars? Don't answer low, think the thing over."

Stanton!' "Wait: there is time enough! We ay easily lose everything we put into the venture, factory and all; or we

may not. "I'd chance my part."

"Why, so would I," agreed Stanton Meanwhile, you had better try me as traveling companion before you take ne as a partner. Remember we would a team-mates for a long race" "I'm not likely to forget," Floyd

nade slow answer. "Remember that for yourself, of me, Stanton."

CHAPTER IX.

The Chance for Jessica. When the assistant manager of the ercury Company came through the ein, next morning, and saw the two the were breakfasting together in the ining r. he stopped in the aisle with a expression of one brought face to race with the disagreeable unexpected.

"Well!" he ejaculated. "Well!" "Start it with an H, if you like," uggested Stanton, coolly amused. Mr. Green's mouth grew thin from

"If you quarrel with Floyd, I shall Real not know where out here I can get you another mechanician in time," he gave stiff warning. "All right," was the answer.

Floyd was engaged in blocking out a map with toothpicks, and did not look up; he appeared even more ridiculously young and gay-spirited than usual. in the morning sunlight. But something in the poise of his bright head echoed that "all right." Mr. Green went on, and interfered no more during the journey.

The speed carnival held upon the superb two-mile track was to extend over three days. The contests were of varied types and classes, but the Mercury was entered for at least one event and frequently several, on each

"Aren't there any Atalanta cars entered, at all?" Floyd wondered, on the first morning at the track. "None," Stanton assured. "Then I won't need to burn a joss

"What for?" "Luck," said Floyd sweetly; and refused to explain

Their luck held good. They had meither illness nor serious accident to mar their series of victories and trials. For Stanton drove as if by inspiration, and many of the honors of the

carnival remained with him. "You've struck the perfect course, Stanton," declared a famous rival, upon offering his congratulations after suffering a masterly defeat in a five-mile contest. He did not like the other man, but he was obliged to admire

"How so?" queried Stanton as suc-

"Between recklessness and over-cau-

It was quite true. With Floyd beside him, Stanton's driving was as daringly brilliant, but characterized by some rational consideration of the pos-

sibilities of anaster. Why? No one had time to speculate.

It was commencing to trouble Stanton himself, this growing affection for his mechanician that threatened to become an absorbing need. He had never needed any one, he had been self-sufficient and self-centered; and now he felt a blank chill at the idea of losing the society of this boy-man. It chafed and fretted him with a sense of bondage; when he felt the cords draw most, he turned upon

Floyd and worried him savagely. Floyd laughed. And Floyd's laughter would have disarmed a Co sack. When he did not laugh, he flashed back, spark to powder, so that they ouarreled on an average four times a day. And they spent every available moment together, until their friendship became patent even to the skeptical Mr. Green

"We can plan out some of our factory affairs on the way home, on the train," Stanton arranged, at the close of the last day, when taking temporary cury camp.

"I'm planning a fender for each side of the Comet racing car, so that when you feel like knocking in a few lengths of the infield fence, as you ald this afternoon, we'll be ready for it." mocked Floyd, his effervescent youth heady as champagne.

"Fence or no fence we wen." Stan-

ton retorted indulgently. "Of course! You kept right on driring the front of your car, so the rear just naturally had to climb back on the road and follow. I expected that: you were too busy to step for a little thing like side-wiping a fence."

"You seemed to expect it," the oth-



Floyd Turned Toward the Window and So Remained.

er corroborated. He looked with interested curiosity at his nonchalant assistant. "If I am too busy to worry at such times, Floyd; you are not. Don't you ever think of what is likely to happen when we are on the verge

Floyd paused, turning his large clear eyes on the questioner.

"There's just one thing I'm asking." he gravely returned. "That is, that when it comes, it will be a good smash. No one minds just dvingwe're sure to do it some day, anyhow -but to be mussed up and patched together again, no! Now," his irrepreswith your factory. We both under- sible smile glanced out again, "that's tand the motor business pretty well; | why I feel so safe with you; there is a deadly finality about your driving

"That is about enough," Stanton signified. "I'll see you on the train.

They did meet on the train, and passed long hours of travel in work and discussion. The other passengers came to take a decided, if furtive interest in the two who sat opposite each other in absorbed conversation or argument, making drawings on en-

To be continued Workmen employed by companies should be compelled by their masters to be civil to people with whom they come in contact. We have in mind one fellow who may be taught a valuable lesson in the future, unless he improves in his manners. A bill of particulars can be furnished on short notice should there be a recurrence of a certain past event. A word to the wise is always sufficient.

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