

POPULISTS GET TOGETHER

Reformers at Denver Unite Scattered Forces.

OMAHA PLATFORM REAFFIRMED.

Government Ownership of Railways, Referendum and Other Planks All Adopted—Resolutions Also Declare Against Fusion.

Denver, July 29.—The conference of Populist leaders, which has been in session the past two days, adjourned sine die. The resolutions committee reported an address to the public, which was adopted, declaring that all differences between the two factions of the party have been settled. It is expected that the two national committees, which meet here today, will ratify this action. The committee appointed to select the members of a committee of one from each state on organization work in connection with the national committees was unable to complete its work and it was by resolution empowered to complete the committee at its leisure. The gentlemen to whom this important work is delegated are J. A. Edgerton of Colorado, Milton Park of Texas, J. H. Calderhead of Montana and C. Q. DeFrance of Nebraska. They are to be members of the larger committee when it is completed.

The following address was reported by the committee on resolutions and was adopted:

"The manifest unrest which everywhere appears in the nation demonstrates the dissatisfaction of the American people with the present management of government and argues the necessity of the reform forces coming together in united action at the ballot box to obtain proper legislation whereby the right of the people to self-government may be had for themselves and their posterity. Therefore, we, the Populists of the United States, having this day at the city of Denver united forces for the distinct understanding that all past differences as to policy shall be and now are permanently settled, and experience having demonstrated the futility of any attempt to secure the enactment of our truth either through the Republican or Democratic parties, we believe the time is now at hand when the United People's party should declare itself emphatically opposed to any affiliation with either of these parties and unqualifiedly in favor of national political action.

"Our fundamental principles are known to all Populists and are no where better stated than in that immortal document enunciated at Omaha July 4, 1898. However, for the benefit of the uninformed, we declare our adherence to the demands for (a) a money, whether stamped on gold, silver or paper, to be coined and issued exclusively by the government and made a full legal tender for all debts, both public and private; (b) a system of transportation and the transmission of intelligence, owned by the public and operated by the government at the cost of service; (c) land for use rather than for speculation, and abolition of alien ownership of land; (d) American ships for American foreign commerce, without a cent of subsidy.

"And as an open door for all economic reforms, we urge the rule of the people through the optional referendum and initiative and the recall of delinquent officials.

"Confident in the justice of the principles here set forth, firmly confident that their triumph in government would be for the best interests of the people, we call upon the patriotic citizens of this country to join with us in bringing about their enactment into law. With these principles firmly established, equal justice would prevail, special privileges would be eliminated and ours would be, as patriots everywhere desire, a government of the people, for the people and by the people.

Consul General Long Dead.

London, July 29.—John J. Long, United States consul general at Cairo, Egypt, died at Dunbar, Scotland, where he had been visiting friends. His death was the result of an accidental fall. Mr. Long, whose home was in St. Augustine, Fla., was appointed consul general at Cairo in October, 1900. He was fifty-seven years old. In the dark Mr. Long missed his footing and fell from the steps of the house where he was stopping, fracturing his skull.

Americans Wined and Dined.

Lisbon, July 29.—King Charles gave a luncheon at Cintra, a resort fourteen miles from Lisbon, in the mountains, in honor of the officers of the American squadron and a banquet was given in their honor at the ministry of marine. All the members of the ministry were present and cordial speeches were delivered. The duration of the stay of the American squadron here has not been decided.

Tornado in Russia.

St. Petersburg, July 29.—A terrific tornado has passed through the district of Tchernoff. Three villages were destroyed in a few minutes. Churches and houses were lifted bodily and carried a long distance. The loss of life was great.

Limited Train in Wreck.

Washington, July 29.—The southwestern limited over the Southern railway ran into a work train at Springfield, Va. Postal Clerk Woodard and a fireman were killed. Others were injured.

TALK IS ABOUT IRRIGATION.

Government Engineers Hold a Conference in Denver.

Denver, July 29.—The expenditure of millions of dollars by the United States government for the reclamation of land in the thousands of acres of arid lands in the great west is the subject of discussion among the engineers of the government reclamation service, now in session in Denver.

The conclusions of this conference will be reported to Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock by Chief Engineer P. H. Newell, and orders for active work will then be given. Engineers in charge of the proposed works in Arizona, California, Colorado, Washington, Wyoming, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, South Dakota and Utah are in attendance.

The Gunnison project in Colorado is one of the most gigantic works to be undertaken. The great Salt river reservoir in Arizona and the work along the Pecos river in New Mexico, along the Belle Fourche river in Utah, and along the Shoshone and the North Platte rivers in Wyoming, will also receive special attention.

It is stated that Chief Engineer Newell and some others are to start today for an overland trip through Wyoming. They will visit Cody, the Jackson Hole country and other points and investigate the forest reserve there, the numerous feuds between sheepmen and cattlemen and try to find solutions for the many questions which have come up from Wyoming to vex the authorities at Washington. They go at the special request of President Roosevelt.

FINDS SOME ASYLUM ABUSES.

Kansas Committee Declares Attendants Often Guilty of Cruelty.

Topeka, Kan., July 29.—The asylum investigating committee filed its report with Governor Bailey. The committee is composed of members of the legislature, and was appointed on account of alleged abuses in the two asylums of Kansas. The report says: "The committee finds that there exists among the attendants, careless practices in the handling of patients, that frequently amounts to unwarranted force and punishment, and some times amounts to cruelty. There exists among the attendants a kind of secret understanding, which has the influence of restraining one attendant from informing the superintendent or other superior officers of misconduct and abuses on the part of other attendants toward the patients."

NEGROES ON THE WAY SOUTH.

Negroes Men Emigrate From Illinois in Search of New Homes.

Evansville, Ind., July 29.—For twenty-four hours many strange negroes have been passing through the city on their way to the south, where they will seek homes. Many of them came from Danville, Ill., and places on the Illinois Central railway. Two coaches filled with negroes passed through at one time.

Many of the negroes who left Evansville during the recent riots have not returned. The feeling against the negroes in the southern Indiana towns has grown more intense since the trouble in Evansville.

Negro Preacher Kills Wife.

Kansas City, July 29.—Rev. H. D. Hilson, a negro preacher, shot and killed his wife in a confectionery store in Kansas City, Kan., at a late hour last night. Hilson shot his wife four times, three of the shots taking effect, and she lived but a few minutes. Hilson's wife has been suing him for a divorce and pending the trial of the case the court had ordered him to pay her temporary alimony and her attorney fees. Hilson has failed to make his payments promptly and his wife had threatened him with arrest, which led to the shooting.

Sheriff Closes Fugitives.

Missouri City, Mo., July 29.—Ben Starnes, the convict who recently escaped from the United States penitentiary at Leavenworth, rode through this town eastward bound on a fine saddle horse, which he stole last night from a farmer three miles northwest of here. Sheriff Andrew Wymore of Clay county, with bloodhounds, has gone to Lexington Junction, where he hopes to intercept Starnes, as it is believed the latter will try to cross the Missouri river at Lexington. When last seen Starnes was heavily armed.

Three Killed in Drunken Quarrel.

Gillette, Wyo., July 29.—In a drunken quarrel among a number of Italians at Felix, two men are dead and another is so badly wounded that he will probably die. Dominix Eggle stabbed Joe Datri three times, inflicting fatal wounds. Frank Bellagalla and Nick Eggle then entered the fight, taking opposite sides. Bellagalla shot and instantly killed Nick Eggle. Dominix Eggle and Bellagalla then exchanged several shots, the latter being killed and the former badly wounded.

Two Drowned in St. Clair River.

Port Huron, Mich., July 29.—Mrs. George Taylor of Barrie, Ont., and Jennie Thompson, a small child from this city, were drowned in the St. Clair river. The Thompson child, while wading in the water, was caught by the swift current and taken out into deep water. Mrs. Taylor, in her attempt to rescue the child, was also swept away.

Fourth Victim of Wreck.

St. Louis, July 29.—Vincent Higgins, the Vandalla fireman, who was injured Sunday in the collision between the Vandalla accommodation and a street car at Lansdowne, three miles north of East St. Louis, is dead. His death made four fatalities resulting from the accident.

CONVICTS HEAD FOR HILLS

Escaped California Prisoners Are Still at Liberty.

HOSTAGES ARE TURNED LOOSE.

Fugitives Are Closely Pursued by Sheriff of Three Counties—One Convict is Slain in Fight at Pilot Hill—Short of Provisions.

Placerville, Cal., July 29.—Of the thirteen convicts who escaped from the state penitentiary Monday twelve are still at large. Joe Murphy, who was serving a fourteen-year sentence for robbery, was shot dead at Pilot Hill. S. M. Gordon, the reported leader of the gang, who had been sentenced to forty-five years for robbery, deserted his followers soon after they left the prison. He is heavily armed. The eleven outlaws who remain together are making for the Sierra Nevada mountains. They are closely pursued by the sheriffs of Sacramento, Eldorado and Placer counties, each backed by numerous deputies and assisted by a company of militia. About twenty guards from the Folsom prison are also engaged in the chase. It is believed that the fugitives will soon be surrounded and a desperate battle is anticipated, as all are heavily armed. The work of the pursuing posse has been rendered less difficult than was anticipated by the unexpected action of the convicts, who released all of the free men they held as hostages. The eleven are now believed to be near Placerville, in a rough country, not far from the mountains, which they evidently intend to make their refuge. The fight at Pilot Hill between the convicts and their pursuers seems to have been a more serious affair than at first supposed. After they had looted a provision store at Pilot Hill they were practically surrounded by the sheriffs of Sacramento and Placer counties, each commanding a strong posse. All four horses in the convicts' wagon were shot and one of the criminals was killed outright. Then the outlaws raised a white flag and marched up the road with the guards and others whom they had captured on each side of them. A general volley was not ordered, as it might have killed several innocent men. In this deliberate manner the second escape was made.

A report was received here to the effect that eight convicts were seen making their way northward along Greenwood creek, toward the town of Greenwood, where it is probable a raid will be made by the fugitives, as it is known they are very short of provisions.

FOUR LOSE LIVES IN WATER.

Sad Accident Follows Opening of Dam at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, July 29.—A sad accident followed shortly after the formal opening of a dam in the Allegheny at Herr's Island, in which four young people were drowned.

Their names are: Joseph Brown, Henry Brown, Frederick Bulger, Edna Shipley. After the ceremonies opening the dam, the three boys were riding below the dam in a skiff and seeing three girl friends on the bank invited them to join in the ride. When all had been seated, the skiff was headed for the dam and when within a short distance from the structure the boat in spite of the boys' frantic efforts under the water flowing over the dam. The accident was witnessed by hundreds of people and rescuers were quickly at work, but before the party could be rescued four of the number were drowned. Lena Degig and Annie Muire were rescued in an unconscious condition, but were soon revived.

Strike at Baku is Spreading.

London, July 29.—The Russian correspondent of the Times says that the strike at Baku seems to have been the most serious labor disturbance that has ever occurred in Russia, that it extended to Tiflis, to Nostoff and Novo Teherkask, in the district of the Cossacks, and the far eastern railway employes were concerned. According to the same authority the disturbances have been renewed at Borisoglebsk, on the railway between Voronezh and the lower Volga.

To Abolish Duty on Molasses.

London, July 29.—In the course of a statement in the commons on the remaining business of the session, Premier Balfour informed the house that a customs bill would be introduced abolishing, among other things, the duty on raw molasses.

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The authorized capital stock of said corporation is (\$100,000.00) one hundred thousand dollars, divided into 1,000 one thousand shares, whose par value shall be (\$100.00) one hundred dollars each, and all stock subscribed for shall be issued

and paid for at the call of the board of directors, and all stock issued shall be fully paid up and non-assessable.

Twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) of the said capital stock shall be issued as preferred stock, upon which a dividend of ten (10) per cent per annum, payable semi annually shall be paid in lieu of all further dividends, or interest in the profits of the business to be conducted.

The said preferred stock shall be a first lien against and upon all of the property and assets of said corporation, and the dividends of such preferred stock shall be in addition a lien upon and charge against the net income thereof.

Seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000.00) of said capital stock shall be issued as common stock upon which there shall be payable as dividends all the profits earned by the corporation over and above the dividend of ten (10) per cent per annum as above designated, upon the said preferred stock.

This corporation shall begin business on the 15th day of July, 1903, and continue for a period of twenty (20) years, with power and right of renewal.

The indebtedness of said corporation shall not at any time exceed one-half the amount of its paid up capital stock.

The business affairs of said corporation shall be conducted by a board of five (5) directors, who shall be chosen by the stockholders at the annual meeting of the corporation on the Third Wednesday in December in each year, and who shall elect as provided in the articles of incorporation, a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer.

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Mrs. W. D. Burr, David City, Neb., cured of skin disease, nervousness and loss of appetite.

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