Triumphal Procession from Chicago to His Old Home at Salem.

DECLARES HIS FAITH IN THE PEOPLE

Democratic Nomince for President Asserts All Great Political Questions Are Both Economic and Moral-Many Greet Him.

history has this quiet little town of 2,000 people been so ablaze in glory as it was tonight. Red fire was burning all along the route by which Mr. Bryan was conducted to the home of his sister. He will remain for the next two days. When the train pulled up to the Salem depot there were many people on hand ready to welcome Mr. Bryan from all over Marion county. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan were escorted to a carriage by the local reception committee and taken to the borne of Mr. Bryan's sister, Mrs. Aller to excite the borne of Mr. Bryan's sister, Mrs. pulled up to the Salem depot there were he was called here to attend the deathbed of his mother. She was buried here by the side of Judge Bryan, who passed away sixteen years ago. But the people in their en-thusiasm and desire to honor the man who went away from here scarcely a score of years ago unknown to fame gave vent to their feelings. When the carriage reached the home of his sister his former fellow townsmen were there by the hundre s They cheered and shouted, while bands played and anvils boomed. They demanded a speech and Mr. Bryan acquiesced, recalling his childhood days in Salem.

There was no estentation or dis-play made by W. J. Bryan, the democratic presidential nominee, on his trip today from Chicago to this, the town of his nativity. He bought tickets for himself and wife at the Illinois Central depot and there was no special car provided. man upon whom the democratic party thrust the greatest honor within its power rode in a Pullman coach on a regular train, and every passenger on board the train had ac-cess to the car and nearly every one of them came and shook hands with Mr. Bryan and his wife and expressed to them their good wishes and congratulations. There was no demonstration at the Park Row depot when Mr. Bryan and his wife left Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan rode to the depot in a cab a few minutes before the time for the train to depart. A few people recognized Mr. Bryan and exercised the privilege of all American citizens toward candidates or public officers by shaking his

FIRST STOP AT KANKAKEE. The first stop after leaving Chicago was at Kankakee. Fully 1,000 citizens had as sembled around the depot and were eagerly waiting for a chance to catch a glimpse of the democratic nominee. The state in sane asylum band was playing "The Star Spangled Banner" when the train pulled into the depot. There was a general rush into the train unities, in the story tonical the convention, thus unitied to the silver of the discounted in the legislature for the legislature form this country. As story tonical the convention, thus unitied of this candidate for the legislature form the sounty. The same the demonstration the demonstration by republicans or th which they intended to place Mr. Bryan, that he might talk to them all. But before he reached them the conductor called aboard" and the train pulled out, much to the disappointment of the assembled citizens. Mrs. Bryan was an interested spectator of all that went forward on the depot plat-

The little town of Paxton was the next stop, and as Mr. Bryan alighted from the car a stalwart veteran with long gray hair and flowing white beard pressed his way to the front and grasped the presidential candidate by the hand.

knew it would come to this some day he said in a gruff voice. your father before you were born, and I have watched you from the time you used to kick up the dust in the streets of Salem with our bare feet, and I have always said that you would be a great man some day.

The people at Rantoul were given but three minutes in which to shake hands with the new leader of the democratic party. The town only boasts of 1,000 inhabitants and at least two-thirds of them, men, women and children, were at the depot to greet Mr. Bryan, and he was enthusiastically cheered. As Mr. Bryan boarded the train he turned about on the platform in respons to loud calls for a speech. He raised both hands and instantly all was silence.

"If you will only vote next November as Industriously as you shout now, I will be sure to be elected." The bell on the engine began to clang he train moved away and the assembled

citizens roared with delight. Champaign gave the greatest demonstra-tion of the trip. The streets were blocked with vehicles and people in every direction from the depot. The military band and nearly every one of the thousands of people who had come to do honor to the democrat nominee, carried a flag. A committee representing the citizens of Champaign county and city were at the depot to meet the distinguished man from Nebrasks.

HIS FAITH IN THE PEOPLE. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan were escorted to a temporary platform, which had been erected on a flat car which stood on a side track. It was draped with bunting and flowers There was an evation of hand clapping an cheers when Mr. Bryan stepped to the front of the platform. He was introduced to the throng of citizens by Colonel J. S. Wolfe, a

venerable old gentleman bearing a strong resemblance to Mr. Gladstone. When quiet was restored Mr. Bryan said Fellow citizens, I believe I have not vis ited this city since about 1879. (Cries o "Good boy, Bryan," and great applause. In that year I was a student at the Illi-nois college and we had a contest, I think an intercollegiate contest was held in this city at your college and it was my good fortune to be present and meet some of your people, and that is the last time, and I believe the first time, that I have been here or passed through here. I am not going t make a political speech this afternoon. just have been talking some at Chicago and I am kind of between speeches. I am glad to have an occasion to talk to you for many people by their presence here have shown their interest in this campaign. It my judgment it is the most important campaign through which this country has passed

the time of peace during our exence as a nation. (App campaign in which great a to be settled, issues istence (Applause. which affect every man, woman and child in the nation. And I beg of you that you shall realize and appreciate the important part which you bear in this campaign. This is the greatest nation on the earth. It is in advance of all nations that live, or have lived, in those great things and the opportunities which people find here have their highest and best development. We have the best form of government and we have the most perfect form of government be-cause it is a government which can be just as good as the people desire it to be. No government can be better than the people deserve. If our government is good, if our laws are just, it is because we make them ourselves. I have confidence in the intelliourselves. I have confidence in the intelli-gence, in the patriotism of the great com-mon people of this country. (Applause) The only trouble that we have is that pople are so often indifferent of their duties

Some have an idea that patriotism can only be manifested in time of war. I was

BRYAN TALKS IN THE DEPOTS to young to show my patriotism in time of war, but I glory that in this land every year gives a patriot an opportunity to show his love for country and there is no year better than this. (Applause). You have the right to consider and act upon every question which arises, and when you find a person who tells you that the masses and a Burlington Road. person who tells you that the masses and greatest and most important questions that concern our nation, you find a man who does not understand the conditions of our

institutions. (Applause). ECONOMIC AND MORAL.

"Great questions are simple questions. Every political question is an economic juestion and every great economic question is at least a great moral question, and when you determine which is right and which is SALEM. III., July 13.—Never before in its wrong, when you come to the settlement of a question where justice is involved, it can a question where justice is involved, it can be settled only by the great common people of this nation. (Applause and cries of 'That's right'). No question can ever be settled until the people sit in judgment on it. The politicians have tried to settle the proper question. The financiers have tried to settle the proper question. it. The politicians have tried to settle the money question. The financiers have tried to settle the money question, but it will not be settled until the great producing not be settled until the great producing.

The politicians have tried to settle the money question. But it will to completion.

The general executive committee of the state at Grand Island, G. B. Chase, John

to the home of Mr. Bryan's sister, Mrs.

James Baird. Awaiting them at the house
were Mrs. Mary Van Antwerp, Mrs. Davenport, Mrs. Seadock Jennings, all relatives of
the home of Mr. Bryan's sisters, Miss

tion, and you have the same right by you
ballot to protect your own interests and
ballot to protect your own interests and
watch over the welfare of your family as
when he will be a sister of the control o the honored guest, and his sisters, Miss Nannie and Miss Mamie Bryan. It was not the wish of Mr. Bryan to have a celebration here at this time. But two short weeks ago here at this time. But two short weeks ago in us all, and while we must each look out to surge earlied here to attend the deathbed for ourselves, we must keep our eyes open that others don't take care of themselves and ourselves too.
"We have suffered more in this country

from the people who have tried to care for every interest except their own and in the end have taken care of their interests only, than from any other cause. The money question is not a complicated question, and It is presented in this campaign in the simplest form it was ever taken before the periodic pile. When this eampaign is on, before the election arrives, there will be just one great question in this country, and that is. Is this nation great enough to attend to its own people? If so the people will demand a financial policy based upon the American interest for the earing for American rights regardless of the aid and consent of any other nation on earth. (Applause.) If this nation is not great enough to attend to its own business then to what nation can we go with the expectation of aid? Do you know of any nation that is standing ready to help it is presented in this campaign in the sixf any nation that is standing ready to help s? Is there any nation that sets up the plea that it cannot take care of its own peo-ple? Is it left for the United States to humbly bow before the foreign nations and beg them to do that for which this nation was instituted, to take care of the people

of the United States? (Applause.)
"But I did not intend to make a speech.
I simply wanted to thank you and to come out here and express my gratitude to you and to those like you who have conferred upon me this distinguished honor. I appreciate the honor and appreciate the responsibility which that honor imposes. Whether I shall be elected or not depends not upon me, but upon the people." CHAMPAIGN TO MATTOON.

But here the time had come for the train

and introduced Mr. Bryan and his wife to the crowd. As the people ceased to cheer, Mrs. Bryan, who carried a large bouquet of sweet pens, began to scatter them over the reads of the throng. There was a scram ble from all directions and everybody wanted to get a souvenir.

At Arcola Mrs. Bryan received the bulk of attention. As soon as they had been in-troduced Mr. Bryan said: "Whenever I come to Arcola I travel on my wife's reputation because she attended school with the daughter of your distinguished citizen, Mal

At Mattoon the crowd was almost as larg as that which assembled at Champaign. The streets were blockaded with vehicles and men and women, and all buildings in the vicinity were decorated with flags in honor of the passing of Mr. Bryan. He was in-troduced to the crowd from the rear platform of the train by Frank Spittler as the next president of the United States. In addressng the assemblage Mr. Bryan said: have hardly time, fellow citizens, to dis-cuss the questions which are the issue in his great campaign. I have been taught that a public servant is but a hired man who is chosen for a certain length of time to to a certain work, and that those who select him are the only ones to judge whether or not he is competent for the place. You can't always tell whether a man will make a good nan or not by the way he looks, but we have a good platform adopted at Chicago, and I believe any person who will honestly, faithfully and courageously carry out the provisions of that platform will make a good nired man for the people of the United States. (Applause.)

BELIEVES IN THE PLATFORM. "This is a campaign in which there will e much feeling, more feeling than has ever been in any campaign in which you or I have been engaged since the war. And the feeling arises on two sides. You find those who believe the final policy which we advecate will be ruinous to this country, and those who believe that the only salvation to this country lies in the immediate restora-tion of free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver at the present ratio of 16 to 1, without the consent of any other nation on earth. (Great applause.) I believe in that platform. It expresses that policy which is necessary to restore the parity between money and property. And in this campaign you will find that those men who are pe cuntarily benefited in the rise in the value of a dollar will favor that policy that will raise the value of that dollar, but the poor people will not be in favor of such a policy. When these people tell you that they want good money, you tell them that money may be too good. It may be so good that you may pray for it and wish for it, but you can't get hold of it. (Applause). We want an't get hold of it. (Applause). We want dollar that will be just, and not a dollar which will only reward the men who own

As the train proceeded south there were small bodies of citizens at unimportant sta-tions who had assembled to see the train drawing the presidential nominee go through on the fly. The enthusiastic citizens at these places were gratified in their desire, for Mr. and Mrs. Bryan at each place walked out on the rear platform, where Mr. Bryan took off his hat and waved at the assembled people as the train rushed through At Effingham, although it was quite dark there were at least 1,000 people, many of whom were women, assembled to see democratic presidential candidate. As came to a standstill there were cries for "Bryan" and "free silver" "Altgeld," and after the mention of train came each the crowd gave vent to enthusiastic cheers. When quiet was at length restored Mr. Bryan was introduced from the real platform of the train and said: "Fellow citizens, I remember that less than a and spoke at the court house All that time we wished the democratic party would adopt a platform that was democratic. Since

that time a great struggle has been going on and last week that struggle ended in a national convention and that convention adopted a platform which in my humble opinion is democratic in every line and opinion is democratic in every line and every word and the democratic party comes before the country now appealing to hose who believe in that platform."
At Effingham, Mr. Bryan and his wife were those

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BRYAN COMES HOME FRIDAY

Burlington Road.

Big Nonpartisan Demonstration is Planned and Everybody Arranging to Take Part in Its Proceeds ings to Some Extent.

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The general executive committee of the as secretary. Reports from subcommittees were received. A serious obstacle to committee work on the demonstration is lack of information as to the exact date of Mr. Bryan's arrival in Lincoln. Now that he has set the time for the home coming, the reception committee can work to some pur-Assistant General Passenger Agent A. B. Smith of the Burlington was present at the meeting and suggested that in order to secure a large attendance, and to give needed advertisement of the event, the time of arrival be postponed until Monday or Tuesday of next week, but it will be left entirely to the candidate to name the

The demonstration is to be nonpartisan in every way, and no political mottoes or banners are to be allowed in the procession. The parade, if at night, will revolve around the state house square and pass through certain streets not yet designated. The German society of the city of Lincoln has telegraphed to Chicago for a large flag. and at its own expense engaged the Ne-braska state band. A large number of prominent regulations are taking an active interest in this affair, but on a

strictly nonpartisan basis.

Delegate Thompson, who arrived on the Silver train yesterday from Chicago, says that all dispatches to the contrary notwithstanding he can positively assure the committee that the notification committee will wait on Mr. Bryan at Lincoln. Painter Koske has generously gone to work decorat-ing Mr. Bryan's home on D street with a new coat of paint. The original color is retained, a modest drab.

The financial committee is making good progress in the collection of funds. Mer-chants are subscribing liberally, many of them in blocks of \$50 each, and the hotels them in blocks of \$50 each, and the hotels are doing equally well. At the meeting today Edward Sizer, chairman of the committee on parade, inquired if any banners or transparencies were to be permitted in the procession, and was informed that society banners, such as A. O. U. W. decorations and other civic embellishments would be allowed by traching of realities, nabe allowed, but nothing of a political na-

fork to receive official notification of his nomination is said by some to look very much like a bid for votes in the east, wher STROMSBURG, Neb., July 13 .- (Special.) Much cuthusissm is manifested by the populists in Stromsburg over the nomination of Bryan for the presidency as well as the democrats and the former announce to a man their determination to support him in any event. This fact is significant when remembered that Polk county is one he banner calamity howling counties of the state, but not a single republican has gone

ver to Bryan and his free silver fallacy. WILL REFUSE TO WELCOME BRYAN.

Lincoln Republicans Propose to Oppose the Candidate from the Start. LINCOLN, July 13.—(Special Telegram)— The Young Men's Republican club of this city held an enthusiastic meeting tonight. It was addressed by Congressman Strode and Hon, Charles E. Casey, candidate for state treasurer. A resolution was passed by a unanimous vote to refrain from any articipation in the Bryae reception next Friday night, and also pranically ordering Edward Sizer and R. H. Townley, who are members of the committee or arrangements and also members of the club to withdraw from the committee. The following tele was wired to William 'The Young Men's Republican club of Lin stronger in membership and influence than ever before during its nine years' existence, in meeting assembled, again sends greeting to William McKinley of Ohio, and assures him that in the coming contest president the fact that our townsman, William J. Bryan, the democratic nominee will only make our organization more enthusiastic and determined that this county shall cast an immense majority for McKinley. been in battle array in this state against populism until fighting vagaries such as the Chicago platform has become an ac ustomed thing. Situated as we are in the disputed territory, we welcome this conflict and are firm in our conviction that victory will not come to Mr. Bryan in either this nation, this state or this

RATIFYING BRYAN'S NOMINATION.

and Have a Jollification. FALLS CITY, July 13 .- (Special.)-The first gun of the campaign was fired here Saturday night by the big celebration and ratification of Bryan's nomination. The Jeffersonian gun and flambeau clubs, about 300 strong, paraded the streets headed by the two bands of this place. Bonfires were lighted and there was one of the most mag-nificent displays of fireworks ever witnessed The speaking, from a temporary platform exected in the court house yard, was partic pated in by Judge Clarence Gillisple and Hon. George A. Abbott, both of this city Enthusiastic Bryanites from all over th

xcitement had subsided. SCHUYLER, Neb., July 13.—(Specia) Tele gram.)-Bryan's nomination was ratified here tonight. There was a gathering of all political faiths to do honor to the dislinguished Nebraskan. A few past repub-licans showed so much preference for him as to associate themselves with those upor the stand. The speakers were O. J. Phelps C. F. Brown, formerly accredited a republican, and Frank Cuba. Aside from enthusi-astic cheering the noise was added to by cannot crackers and the excitement by bonfires, band music and discussions.

county were present and remained until the

Kansas Counties Endorse Bryan TOPEKA, July 13 .- Conventions were held Saturday in forty-three counties to choose delegates to the non-partisan free silve convention, which meets here next Wednes day to send delegates to the national con vention at St. Louis. Democrats, populistand republicans participated in the meet ings, and in every county the nomination of William J. Bryan for president was en dorsed, and delegates instructed to vote a the Topcka convention only for men who will support his nomination. Seven popu list county conventions were also held, and all of these enlorsed the action of the Chicago convention.

SOME POPULISTS PRESPER BRYAN. IOWA REPUBLICANS ANXIOUS CONGRATULATIONS FOR SEWALL. BURIAL OF WRECK VICTIMS Several County Conventions of that

Party Favor Fusion.
ALBION, Neb., July 13.—(Special.)—The populist county convention met here Sat- Preliminary Convention Talk Indicates urday. D. A. Phillips was elected chairman and A. E. Garten secretary. All the precincts were represented. The following

delegates were chosen to the state convention: Ira Whipple, William Silvers, A. F. Treadway, F. M. Sillik, D. K. Calkins, W. A. Poynter, A. H. Flory, L. E. Ames, John Ewing, W. Mathison, J. W. Brown, James Sandiland, J. F. Brady. They were instructed to use all efforts for a combination of the silver forces. Congressional delegates—W. W. Baker, G. W. Wilson, Z.

> ELWOOD, Neb., July 13 .- (Special --Tucker, B. L. Chambers, W. B. VanHorn, S. B. Yeoman, R. Cawthra; Hastings, W. F. Wagner, K. W. Lewis, John Benson, H.

A. Devercaux, J. D. Taylor, William Cham-bers; congressional convention, H. H. Johnson C. Dunlap, T. G. Reynolds, H. C. Bible, J. A. Greenlee, I. J. Dowler; senatorial con-vention, S. B. Yeoman, W. Wonslow, J. B. Benson, C. G. Lewis, L. Lydiatt, P. Benson, C. G. Lewis, L. Lydiatt, S. Hart; representative, E. Roberts, R. Chambers, G. W. Lathrop, J. A. Greenlee, Thomas O. C. Middleton, S. C. Thomas. The convention was divided by a vote of 62 to I in favor of endorsing Bryan for president, and it is understood that the delegates to the state convention stand in favor of en-

LOUISVILLE, Neb., July 13 .- (Special.)-The populist county convention met at this place this afternoon and chose fourteen KEEI delegates to each of the following conven-The state at Grand Island, state at Hastings, to nominate a state ticket, and to the congressional convention, which is not yet called. The committee on resolutions presented a set, expressing the views of its party on the questions of the day, one of which indorsed the nomination of Hon. W. J. Bryan, and recommended that he be nominated for president at the St. Louis convention. This resolution pro-Louis convention. voked an animated discussion, Wash Waugh of Greenwood saying that while he was ready and anxious to vote for Bryan for president, he could not support Sewall for vice president, who he understood was a wealthy national bank president, the very fellows the party had been fighting since its organization. L. G. Todd, the old war horse of populism of Cass county, indorsed the nomination of W. J. Bryan, and said: "This is our last chance. If Mr. Bryan is downed this time the whole populist parts is dead and buried." Another gentleman Another gentleman said Bryan is a good enough populist for him. The most serious problem that confronted them was how to form a platform upon which Bryan could stand without sliding off the one adopted at Chicago. The resolutions were adopted. The convention adjourned without nominating a county ticket, to meet August 22, no place of meet-

gram.)—The populists of Burt county held their county convention was passed favoring a union of the populist and democratic parties at the St. foot-

WALSH OF IOWA FOR SECRETARY. One Temporary Officer of the Demo

eratic Committee is Chosen CHICAGO, July 13 .- C. A. Walsh of lows who so ably handled the campaign of Horace Boics in the national convention just closed, was today selected temporary secretary of the national democratic committee and the understanding is that his appoint ment will be confirmed and made permanent when the committee meets again. Mr. Walsh's appointment was somewhat of a surprise to him, as he had not been an acive candidate for the position. He was elected Saturday evening and was notified that he could have the position if he wanted it. Mr. Walsh today met Senator Jones, the new chairman of the national committee, and told him he would accept. The two repaired to the office of S. O. Sheerin of Indiana, the outgoing secretary, who turned over the books, documents and papers of the committee to his successor.

"There is nobody whom I would rather see succeed me," said ex-Secretary Sheerin. after the transfer had been made. Mr Walsh is a man for whom I have the high est respect. He is a shrewd politician and a man who has been remarkable all his life for his loyalty to his friends. Though his management of Mr. Boles' affair did not wind up successfully yet it was as good as any man could have done under the circumstances. His methodical and businesslike conduct of his affairs won the approval of the majority of the national committee and he was practically selected unanimously.

GOLD DEMOCRATS ARE ORGANIZING

Iowa Members of the Party Opposing

Silver Are Lining Up SIOUX CITY, July 13 .- (Special Telegram) -Leading local gold democrats are organizing here for the coming congressional campaign. At the outset the organization will be confined principally to the city, but will soon be extended throughout the Eleventh district. Judge Arthur VanWagenen, one of the leading Boies boomers at the Chicago onvention and a leading silver man northwestern Iowa will doubtless be congressional candidate for his wing of He is eminently unsatisfactory to he gold standard men who propose to pu candidate of their own in the field. H A. Jandt, a leading dry goods jobber here and one of the most prominent democrats in the district, is taking the lead in the organization. R. H. Brown, another leading local democrat, who went to Chicago convention as a silver man, has returned to the gold wing and will also identify himself with the movement. Besides engaging in the congressional fight, the organization will take prominent part in the national fight.

SOUTH DAKOTA POPULISTS IN LINE.

State Convention of the Party Will Convene at Huron Today. HURON, S. D., July 13.—(Special Tele gram.)—The populist convention to nominate a full congressional and state ticket and seventcen delegates to the national convention will convene tomorrow. The convention will endorse Bryan. Senator Pettigrew is here with a handful of bolters from the republican state convention and will organize a silver party and select delegates to the silver convention at St. Louis. affairs of the populists and has prepared a slate for nomination tomorrow. The vote etween the republicans and populists is so close in South Dakota that great interest is manifested in this convention.

Free Silver Club Organized. PEATRICE, July 18 - (Special.) - A Bryan free silver club was organized in this city

Saturday night. With all the prestige given by the nomination of the youthful orator only ninety-two significance were secured to roll of membership. A McKinley protective tariff, tonest money club with borganized here this week. Gage county to publicans are not dismayed by the cry free silver and will be wide awake fro now until election day supporting the champlon of protection to American labor.

Determination to Take No Chances.

FIGHT AT HOME THEY THINK IS CLOSE

Much Wice Work Among Those Gathering at Des Moines Who Aspire to Serve Their State In

Some Capacity.

DES MOINES. July 13.—(Special Telegram.)-As the result of several consultations among the leading republicans of the state, who are here in advance of the convention of Wednesday, it has been decided to inaugurate the campaign as soon as possible after adjournment and push it with all vigor possible until election day. An especial effort will be made in regard to the congressional tickets. It is feared that the silver movement especially, if it results in a harmonious combination of populists and silver democrats and republicans, may jeopardize republican success in some districts. In fact some of the leaders, notably Senator Gear and Congressman Hepburn, who first took alarm at the St. Louis convention at their attempt to secure the adoption of a straddling financial plank, believe that Iowa should be classed among the doubtful states this fall. Other leaders for the sake of being on the safe side are willing to have the campaign conducted on

KEEPING ORATORS AT HOME. The Iowa republican congressmen will be asked not to make any great number of en-gagements in outside states, and as many speakers as possible be imported. There is no attempt being made to conceal the unxiety which some feel over the outlook. About one-third of the delegates to the republican state convention Wednesday are on the ground today and all candidates and their managers are active. The deepest interest about the Savery hotel, where most of the headquarters are located, is centered in the fight over the railroad commissioner. which within the jast twenty-four hours has assumed a distinctly railroad and anti-railroad form, E. A. Dawson of Waverly, the present incumbent, receiving the rail-road support, and the anti-monopoly element are arranging themselves with F. T. Campbell, Des Moines' ex-commissioner Campbell, Des Moines' ex-commissioner, who desires the job again. Ed Knott of Waverly is managing Dawson's campaign and he is assisted by ex-Governor F. T. Jackson, who appointed Dawsez to the place on the board. J. M. Kemble of Muscatine, who was a candidate for the place when Dawson was appointed, does not show much strength. He appears to be waiting for the fight between Campbell and Dawson to assume a degree of bitterness which will turn the delegates to him as a compromise candidate. He has had for a long time

legislature headquarters. Rowen gained mnager by his successful conduct of the campaign of Congressman J. A. Thull of Des Moines for a renomination. kit of Des Moines and Ed Chasselo. bright young LeMars editor, have headquar-ters on the same floor of the Savery, and with Dobson are in the center of the theater of war. George Habford of Charles City the other candidate for secretary of state will soon be on hand with a big force of workers from Floyd county. Without any large amount of pledged strength among the delegates Hanford, with his active lieuten-ants, is making things lively. Among his assistants are E. A. Tecting, who took sev-enty proxies from the northern part of the

interest in politics. REFUSES TO BE A BRYAN ELECTOR. Pennsylvania Democrat Who Prefers

to a republican convention held in

owa City in 1882, and has never since lost

state.

the Republican Platform. PHILADELPHIA, July 13.—Samuel Dickson of this city who was selected at the democratic state convention as a presidential elector has sent a letter to State Chairman Wright, resigning the office. In his letter he says: "It is impossible for those who approved what was said and done at Allentown to accept the platform or the candidaes at Chicago. It is impossible for any democrat who believes in the principles and traditions of his party to support a pro-posal to make inconvertible silver dollars a legal tender for more than they are really

"Such being the condition of affairs, and as the republican party now gives a reasonable assurance of maintaining the gold standard, it seems to me that all sound money democrats should in this campaign it their support unless democratic candidates should bereafter be nominated upon a satisfactory platform."

SILVER'S FRIENDS MEET TODAY

League of Iowa Will Send Delegate

to St. Louis. DES MOINES, July 13 .- (Special Tele gram.)-The Nonpartisan Silver league of Iowa will hold its state convention here tomorrow. About 300 delegates will be present, it being a mass convention. The obect is to name thirty-five delegates to the national silver convention at St. Louis July 22. It is altogether probable the Iowa dele-gates will be instructed to vote at St. Louis for the endorsement of Bryan. Delegates who are here say the demand of the pendent silver people all over the state is for such an endorsement. The convention will also appoint committees for an organzation in every district in the state the purpose of taking a hand in congressional polities with the design of securing united action by silver men-populists, demperats and silver republicans-in congres sional matters, to oppose the sound money republicans.

Fight on South Dakota Educators BROOKINGS, S. D., July 13.-(Special Telegram.)-The board of trustees of the South Dakota Agricultural college, which has been in session here today, has recom mended to the State Poard of Regents that the services of Profs. Phillips, mathematics Parkinson, political economy; Jones, phar macy; Miss Folsom, preceptress, and Mrs. Palmer, elecution, be dispensed with. This s the outcome of the fight between ex-President McClough and Governor Sheldon Board of Regents will need in Huron Wednesday to pass on the action of the trus-

CHEYENNE, July 13 .- (Special Telegram. -A call has been issued by the republican state central committee for a state conven tion to be held at Cheyenne August 12 fo the purpose of nominating candidates for a representative in the Fifty-fifth congress justice of the Wyoming supreme court nd three presidential electors. Of the legislature to be elected this fall but ten mem bers, the four-year term senators. ticipate in the election for United States

Democratic Nomince Comes in for a Few Soft Words. CHICAGO, July 13 .- Among the telegrams of congratulation which have been received by Arthur Sewall, the democratic vice presidential nominee, are the following NEW YORK, July 13 .- I named you for vice president three weeks ago. Now that you are the nominee, the solid east will break for silver and the ticket is a winner. Hurrah for American shipping and the people's ticket.

ALEXANDER R. SMITH.

President, American Merchant Marine As-

socistion.
AUGUSTA, Me., July 13.—My heartiest congratulations. Bryan and Sewall, a winning ticket.
H. M. PLAISTED. Payton Tucker, vice president and gen-eral manager Maine Central railroad, wires: Maine appreciates the honor conferred upon one of her bravest and truest sons. As the glad news went whistling through the pines of Maine, it carried joy to the hearts of all

her people."
DENVER, Colo., July 13.—Congratulate you on your nomination. Colorado is with you.
D. H. MOFFATT.
SAN FRANCISCO July 13.—Delighted to learn of your nomination. Send my heartiest congratulations.
A. CHESEHOROUGH. est congratulations.

GARDNER, Me., July 13.—We heartily congravilate you on your nomination. It is a great honor for Maine. Gardner fire thirty guns tonight. WESTON LADIS, JOSIAH MANEY.

Hon. M. P. Frank, who ran for congress against Thomas B. Reed, wired as follows: "Hearty congratulations. We will carry Maine.

From Thomas W. Hide, president Bath Iron Works, Bathe, Me.: "My warmest congratulations."
From Lewis G. Mumford, New York: "There is no tall to the democratic ticket. Both heads." J. W. Bookwalter, New York: "Accept my

profound and hearty congratulations. CHICAGO WANTS HEADQUARTERS.

Lake City Desires to Direct the National Campaign.
CHICAGO, July 13.—Members of the demoeratic national committee are unanimously

favor of establishing sub-headquarters the committee at Chicago. Many of them wish the main headquarters removed from New York and brought here. The members of the committee still re-maining in the city discussed this proposi-tion at an informal meeting held this morn-

ing in the headquarters at the Palmer bouse. Senator Jones of Arkansas, before leaving for Washington, said: "There will be another meeting of the national committee some time during the next three weeks, at which the subject of changing the head-quarters will be more fully considered. "You will be safe in saying that in all probability the campaign of 1896 will be directed from headquarters located at Chi-co. I am in favor of the change from New York for many reasons."

TO FIGHT M'KINLEY'S BATTLES. Names of the Republican National

Executive Committee. CLEVELAND, July 13 .- Hon. M. A. Hanns today announced the republican national executive committee: M. A. Hanna, chair man, Cleveland; William M. Osborne, secretary, Boston, Mass.; General Powell Clay ton, Arkansas; Charles G. Dawes, Illinois W. T. Durbin, Indiana; Cyrus Leland, Kan-sas; Joseph H. Manley, Maine; Hon. M. S. Quay, Pennsylvania; H. C. Payne, Wiscon-sin; N. B. Scott, West Virginia. The ninth member has not yet been selected.

Why Brynn Went to Salem. CHICAGO, July 13 .- W. J. Bryan, demo cratic candidate for president, accompanied by his wife, left the Clifton house this after

noon for the Illinois Central depot. There they took the 2:20 train for Salem, Ill., Mr. Bryan's old home. There was no der stration either at the hotel or at the t beyond a liberal handshaking by admiring bystanders. Mrs. Bryan was presented with a large bunch of American beauty rose just as she was leaving the hotel.

Mr. Bryan will remain in Salem days, and then leave at once for Lincoln Neb., arriving there on Friday, where he will take up his residence. Meanwhile Mr wall will stay here and make his head quarters here.

Senator Jones of Arkansas, chairman of he democratic national executive commit ee, left for Washington today and will an sounce from there tee of the national committee, which wi have charge of the campaign. The time and place of the notification of the democratiresidential and vice presidential candidate few days. It is stated that personally Mr Bryan prefers New York city, and it is probable that this place will be selected the time being probably the second week in August.

Cedar County Silver Delegates. HARTINGTON, Neb., July 13 .- (Special Telegram.)-A mass silver convention for this county convened in this city today to select twelve delegates to a silver conference to be held in Norfolk July 28, for the purpose of selecting to the several party conventions a candidate for congress from the Third district to poll the united fre silver vote of the district. The conference was called to order by Committeeman 2 M. Baird. The delegates are: T. F. Seig ler, H. J. Watson, John Suing, Z. M. Baird D. M. Wilson, D. C. Clark, Ed Havens, M. R. Smith, A. A. Russell, E. J. Sherman, W. F. Bryant and Charles Plumleigh. Th neeting adjourned to meet at Laurel at th call of the committeeman to take such a tion as may seem best looking toward the comination of silver men to the state legi-

lature. WILMINGTON, Del., July 13.-Senate Gray said today in reference to the Chicago platform: "The financial plank of the plat form is contrary to all my beliefs and what I consider sound currency. hange these beliefs, even at the bidding of lemogratic national convention. Conviction ennt be compromised. The Delaware des racy is an organization distinct from the national democracy and has a history and traditions of its own. It is too early to sa what its course will be. The democracy i this state has always had and is likely to continue to have strong sympathy with that of New York, New Jersey and Maryland.

Keeping Tab on Senator Teller. MANITOU, Colo., July 13 .- Senator Teller who has been a guest of one of the hotel here, was yesterday joined by Senator Dubois of Idaho and Congressman Hartman of Montana, awaiting the arrival of Senators Cannon, Pettigrew and Mantie, who are expected on Wednesday, when a conference will be held. Senator Teller will

return to Denver. He will be in Manito meeting, an address will be delivered as to the course of the republicans who left the Louis convention on the national tickets. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 13 .- Ex-Con gressman William D. Bynum says in an interview this morning: "I have already

said that I could not support the Chicago platform and ticket. Personally I like Mr. Bryan, but his views are so at variance with what I believe to be the best interests of the country that I would be false to my convictions were I to support his candidacy. The influences which dominated the Chicag convention were not such as can be sa intrusted with the administration of

affairs of this great country." Notification Committee Sent Home CHICAGO. July 13 .- The sub-committee of the notification committee met in the Clifton house this morning at 11 o'clock, and decided to let the members of the notification committee return to their homes, where they will be informed in a few days as to the time of notifying Mr. Bryan and Mr. Sewall of their nomination. This will be decided by the executive committee of the

notification committee.

Three Funerals Held Yesterday, but the Majority Occur Today.

SHOPMEN WILL ATTEND IN A BODY

Florists and Undertakers Kept Busy by the Unusual Calls Upon Them -Shops to Be Closed All Day.

Yesterday undertakers and the friends of the victims of the Logan wreck were busy preparing for the burial of the dead. Three of the funerals were held yesterday, but by far the greater portion will be held today. Out of respect for the memory of the dead and the fact that so many of the employes wish to attend the funerals, the shops of the Union Pacific will be closed all day today. At 7 o'clock this morning the employes will meet in the yard of the shops and organize to attend the various fu-

The florists have been taxed to supply the demand for flowers for the occasion, The quantity demanded is large and tho work of preparing them has kept the eutire force busy ever since the funeral announcements were made.
The first was that of Robert Clair, son

of John Clair, which occurred at the family residence, 1839 North Twentieth street, at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. It was largely attended by the friends of the family, and the services were brief, but un-usually impressive. The funeral of Hugh Dodson, another boy, was held at the residence, 4314 Emmett street, yeaterday afternoon. The remains were interred at the Holy Sepulcher cometery.

At 9:30 this morning services will be held at the Holy Family church over the remains of Owen Cavanaugh and the interment will of Owen Cavanaugh and the interment will be at Holy Sepulcher cometery. The funeral of John Kinsey will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Andrews' Episcopal church. The interment will be at Forest Lawn.
John Larson will be buried from the Swed-

ish Lutheran church at Nineteenth and Criss streets at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Larson was about 15 years old and was em-John B. Kilker, the member of the Seventh Ward Military band, will be buried from the residence of his parents, 850 South Seventeenth street, at 3 o'clock this after-

The remains of John H. Jack, the lad who was employed by the Omaha News com-pany on railway trains, will be sent to the home of his parents at Lucas, Ia., today, The funeral from 1419 North Seventeenth street will be one of the saddest of all. street will be one of the saddest of all.
In this house live the Bradleys and the Carrolls. Mrs. Kate Bradley, who was a
daughter of Thomas Casey, a well known
eltizen, was killed in the wreck along with
her young baby. Mrs. P. J. Carroll and her
5-year-old boy were both killed, the husband and father being severely injured and is now in St. Joseph's hospital. The services will be held at Holy Family church, the procession leaving the residence at 8:39 a. m. Interment at St. Mary's cometery. The funeral over the remains of John,

William and Mary Cosgrove and Miss Mary Tracy will be from Eighteenth and Nicholas streets this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services will be held from the Holy Family church, with interment at Holy Sepulcher, The funerals of August Frederick Niel-son and Fred A. Nielson will be held this morning at the family residence, 222 North Thirty-third street. Interment will be at

Forest Lawn, The funeral of John McDermott will be eld Wednesday forenoon at 9 o'clock from Holy Family church, with interment at Holy Sepuicher.

FUNERALS AT COUNCIL BLUFFS. The first funeral of the Council Bluffs rictims of the Logan horror occurred yes-erday afternoon at 4 o'clock, when Lawrence Peters was laid at rest in Fairview cemeters. The casket had been taken from the undertakers to the residence, 1914 Ninth avenue, and there the friends were given their last opportunity to gaze into his well remembered face, and they will carry in memory a countenance as unmarred as if sleep had gently lulled it into uncon-sciousness. All of his comrades and fel-low workmen who were in the city found time during the afternoon to drop in and ake a farewell look. Floral offerings rofuse, and the easket was almost hidden with the fragrant offerings of frineds. The funeral was under the auspices of the Odd Fellows, and was conducted according to the itual of the order. Brief services held at the residence, conducted by Rev. Conrad Hooker of the Trinity Methodist The funeral cortege was a long was headed by the Odd Fellows band, followed by the members of the order, While the head of the procession was crossing the North Main street bridge the rear carriages were crossing grave simple and beautiful services

The funerals of the other dead will be held today. Little Ollie Wilson will be buried at 2 o'clock from the Christian Tabernacle. A funeral sermon will be Tabernacle, A funeral sermon will be preached by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Aberley. The little girl was one of the brightest and nost active workers in the Christian church unday school.

John Kaler and her infant will be buried in the same casket at 5 o'clock. The funeral fill start from the residence, 208 Eighteenth street. The Daughters of Reekah will have charge of the funeral and will conduct the services. Mrs. Kaler was member of the order and an energetic worker for its good. The grave will be made in Walnut Hill cemetery.

BEGINNING TO COUNT THE COST. Northwestern Already Has a Corps of

Assistant General Claim Agent Smith of the Northwestern said yesterday afternoon that they had found affairs in no condition to talk of settlement of claims to any of the afflicted families. He said they were doing all that could be done for the injured and the bereaved families, and that if there was anything further that any one could suggest that could be done for the comfort of any such he should be pleased to learn it. The claim agents, under the direction of their chief, Ralph C. Richards, have taken up their headquarters at the Paxton hotel. How long they will be here is not known, but it is certain they will be here for some time adjusting claims.

Mr. Smith was one of the first representa-tives of the read on the scene of the wreck. He was on an eastbound train and had gone as far as Carroll when the news of the wreck reached him. He hastened back to Logan and there assisted the relief corps in officials with the first lists of the dead and wounded, asking that they be sent to the Omaha headquarters. Mr. Smith says the failure of the papers to get better news service was due to the fact that the operagraphic matter that was filed.

There was considerable talk about town yesterday concerning damage suits against the Northwestern railroad. Several enterprising law firms had their representatives out securing the right to press the claims against the company of as many persons as possible. A member of one firm that is generally expected to obtain a large share of the business said last night that he did not care to make any statement just yet awhile. He said there could be no doubt about the liability of the company, but stated that nothing definite would be done until after the funerals of the deceased had been held. The attorney of another railroad said yesorday: "It's a mighty fortunate thing for he Northwestern road that so many of the letima of this horrible affair were children The damage suits for the killed and wounded are not so upt to be so large in the case of minors as in that of adults. This will keep