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communicative as his predecessors as to his Teller was designated for temporary chairvisit and its object. The impression gains man ground that the Nebraska delegates are the that his wishes concerning the platform and second place on the ticket, if he has any choice of running mates, will be divulged when the proper time arrives. The wearing of Towne badges by the Nebraskans at Kansas City has no significance, outside of The coupling of the names Nebraska. of Bryan and Towne does not commit Mr. Bryan to the support of the Minnesotan but merely represents the views of the delegates themselves, and is in reality a token of their desire to maintain the equilibrium of the fusion agreement between the democrats and populists of the state. They will support Mr. Towne partly because they like him and think him fit material, but, largely from a Nebraska standpoint, because it is good politics. Should Mr. Towne, now classed as a populist, be nominated, the democratic party in Nebraska can ask a return of the favor of the populist party, either at the fusion state convention, the 11th of this month, or at

some future time. The feature in Lincoln today is the departure for the convention city of a train load of enthusiastic supporters of Mr. Bryan from his own town. They include the Nebraska Traveling Men's Bryan club, who will carry all the brilliant colors that can be combined; the Bryan Home Guards, the Continental Guards and the Hagenow Mill- pany today. Of the Saale's crew the comtary band. They will reach Kansas City pany considers ninety-eight unaccounted

LITTLE SIDESHOW TO MEET

Silver Republicans Will Convene and Then Adjourn to Get Orders from Democrats.

KANSAS CITY, July 3.-The national committee of the silver republican party met today and completed its arrangements for the party's convention, which will begin tomorrow at the Auditorium. Senator

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Mr. Towne will call the convention to prayer, Dr. Taylor of Chicago will read an combined might name the New Yorker. original poem prepared for the occasion. The Declaration of Independence will be ead and Senator Teller will make a speech ipon assuming the chair.

After the committees are appointed the convention will probably adjourn for the

DEATH LIST IS MOUNTING

Known Victims of Hoboken Fire Nov Number 102, With Prospects of Great Augmentation.

NEW YORK, July 3 .- One hundred and two bodies have been recovered from the waters of the North river up to 10 o'clock tonight, this being the list of fatalities positively known. The list is growing hour by hour and tomorrow, when the tide is at its lowest it is believed a great many more bodies will be recovered. The dead tonight are distributed among the morgues in Hoboken, Jersey City and New York and on the steamship Saale there are three bodies, which have not yet been removed.

Rosters of the crews of the Main Saals and Bremen were given out at the office of the North German Lleyd Steamship com-Bremen's nine, making a total of 142. Aside from the list of bodies which have positively or partly been identified a num-

per of people were seen to have perished by friends or fellow officers on the ship. Cox's Resignation Accepted.

ter from Chairman Hanna, in reply to a ceptable to a majority. communication June 30, in which Mr. Cox epublican committee:

any statement whatever in connection with the matter, simply saying that he had fully covered the situation in his letter of June 30.

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SEVERAL BOOMS WILT SADLY

Canvass of Delegations Shows that Demand for Towne is Not Pressing.

SULZER OUT OF RACE FOR THE PRESENT

Movement for Adlai E. Stevenson is Started. While No One Takes Seriously Tammany's Endorsement of Kellar.

KANSAS CITY, July 3 .- On the evening before the national democratic convention the vice prosidential question is still unsettled. It is a usual expression in a contest tke this when there are many candidates and no one has a majority, to say that it is 'anybody's plum'' But it more aptly expresses the situation to say that it is no-

body's plum. The chief developments of the day was the paralysis to a certain extent of several booms. The morning opened with great confidence on the part of the friends of Mr. Towne. The foregone conclusion that 16 to was to be specifically mentioned in the platform and the disappointment of those who advocated a different course made it look for a time as if Bryan, 16 to 1 and Towne were to be the three distinct features of the Kansas City convention. The manner in which the Towne boom seemed to grow aroused those delegates who want a straight-out democrat for second place, and

the populist ticket and platform. It was this feeling that turned attention to Elliott F. Danforth of New York and for authorized keepers of the Bryan secret and order as national chairman and after a a time it seemed that the east and south while the action of the New York delegation in defeating Danforth and putting up Kellar seemed to make Danforth's selection improbable, the tide that set toward Danforth during the day served to show that the mass of the delegates was not for

who object to being accused of swallowing

Another thing that New York has indicated pretty strongly is that the state does serious light at all. In this same connecdacy also suffered somewhat as Sulzer supposition for an avowed candidate. Of ourse this act is an evidence of the disgates that Sulzer's candidacy is not serious. Little Boom for Stevenson.

Late in the evening, after the action of he New York delegation became known, the announcement was made that Illinois was to place Adlai E. Stevenson in nomination, and quite a little boom was started for him by some of the delegates. Among those who talked earnestly for Stevenson was Henry D. Clayton of Alabama, who made the principal speech opposing Towne in the threefor; of the Main's thirty-five and of the party conference. He said Stevenson had once been elected, that he was popular in Illinois, was a man for whom the gold democrats had once voted for and would probably vote for again.

It was also said that Massachusetts would vote for George Fred Williams on the early ballots and that there was a prospect

Mr. Croker told the three-party conferwould bring him out during the day. It Observer, said:

held in the middle of the day, while not adwho felt after it was over that they had a hard proposition to face.

Another feature of the day was a delega-This was undertaken for the purpose of making a show of strength. The canvassers found earnest supporters in some of the delegations and obtained assurances of votes. but not in any such number as to give them very much encouragement. At the same time Towne intends to remain in the field and his friends say that as each and every he is the logical candidate and the man who should be selected.

The day's developments instead of making the situation clearer, simply resulted in tangling it up more than ever before, leaving the selection of the vice president not to the leaders and managers, but to the con-

Indiana Opposes Specific Mention. One of the most important state delegation conferences today was that of In-The entire situation as it is presented here, was discussed at great length element of the party. Every delegate from Indiana is a cordial supporter of Mr. Bryan in the caucus proper. and, likewise, everyone of them firmly believes that now is the opportunity of the democratic party to nominate a ticket that of the meeting that the state endorse the will win, by placing it upon a platform Chicago platform "in spirit and in letter." that will not alienate conservative elements

of the party. For two days an effort has been made to form a coalition between Indiana and New York, with a view of securing conservative action by the convention upon the platform. Interwoven with this effort was the selection of a man for the vice presidential nomination who properly would be representative of these elements of the party which do not desire a radical free silver plank inserted in the platform. Overtures were made by the Indiana men to the leaders of the New York delegation and until late totermed an offensive and defensive alliance between the two states would be formed. Indiana desired to support any strong man whom New York would present as candidate. It was argued that the two states were pivotal points in the approaching campaign and that with a reasonable chance of carrying either one or both of them the matter were made, they would make any reasonable concessioin to them.

While Mr. Hill was impressed with the proposition, it did not meet the approval they did not consider it the best thing of Mr. Croker and the whole subject went up in hot air to all intents and purposes before the delegation held its conference. While the conference was in session Governor Hill was admitted and made a characteristic little speech, urging conservatism with regard to the platform, maintaining that such by action victory practically was assured. He was accorded an enthusiastic, although quite informal, reception at the conclusion of his speech.

After an extended discussion of the quesstate's representative on the platform committee, Hon. Samuel Morss, editor of the Indianapolis Sentinel, to use his utmost effort to secure the adoption by the committee of a financial plank similar to that incorporated in the Indiana democratic platform. That platform reaffirms the priniples of the Chicago platform without ex-

"On that platform." said Major Menzies, one of the delegates at large. "with a ticket Sixteen to one was responsible for a W. Kellar commissioner of charities of fitted to it we can carry the state of In-

diana. I believe victory not only in our state, but in the United States, would be

assured." No action of a decisive nature was taken by the delegation with respect to the vice presidency. After the conference both Major Menzies and Hugh Dougherty said that the proposed coalition with New York had failed. In the conference Indiana had decided to take no formal action upon the subject. Each delegate was at liberty to do as he pleased and vote for whom he pleased.

A distinct development today was the springing of the name of ex-Vice Presiden: Adlai E. Stevenson as a candidate upon whom all could unite.

Ben Cable of Illinois was one of the first to suggest Mr. Stevenson and he found that the suggestion met with a great deal of favor among members of the Illinois delegation and also with others. He consulted Clark Howell of Georgia and was told that if Stevenson was presented and would accept that Georgia would give him a solid delegation. Henry D. Clayton spoke for Alabama in much the same way and as the suggestion was passed around it met with such general approval that many delegates believed that Stevenson would not noly accept the nomination but there was a possibility of his being selected.

No action was taken on the vice presber of the national committee. A lively fight took place this afternoon

mined effort was made to depose William J. not want a vice presidential candidate, at teeman and to keep him off the committee was led by Governor L. V. Stevens, David winning by the same vote.

No action was taken on the vice presidential matter or on the silver question, it being understood, however, that a majority of the delegates were for a reaffirmation of the Chicago platform.

Tar Heel State Has Candidate. At a conference of the North Carolina the members express a preference for Hill.

delegation tonight It was decided un ini-CINCINNATI, July 3.—George B. Cox of of a general "favorite son" movement until mously to present to the convention Colonel this city today received the following let- the convention would settle on some one ac- Julian S. Carr of Durham as a cand.date

not encouraging to th. friends of Towne, in 1896 and is now. His name will be of North Carolina."

declaration.

Mr. Daniels was re-elected as North Carolina's member of the committee, the compit- contest. ment of election being tendered to him unanimously.

Illinois launched a vice presidential candidate tonight in the person of ex-Vice boom collapses it will be demonstrated that President Adlai E. Stevenson. His name form and the vice presidential nomination," was brought before the de exation by Car er said one of the delegates of the caucus. Harrison of Chicago, who has been prominently mentioned as a vice presidential possibility himself. Several times during the last two days Mr. Harrison has received strong assurances of support and has been told that he could be nominated if he wo ld say he would accept. He has steadily refused and tonight placed himself entirely "out of the running" and brought forward the name of Mr. Stevenson at the same time. There was strong opposition to Carter Harrison as a member of the committee on from the standpoint of the conservative resolutions before the meeting. No opposition, however, was shown to his nomination

The attitude of the Illinois convention was adopted and it was declared the sense Iowa Yields to Bryan.

In its state caucus tonight the Iowa delegation made a decided concession to Mr Bryan and declared in favor of the specific declaration of 16 to 1 in the platform, while the majority of the delegates so vo ing were personally in favor of a simple reaffirmation of the Chicago platform. Cato Sells. the chairman of the delegation, was the impelling cause that led to the surrender of their individual opinions by the memb rs of the delegation. He informed them th t there was not the slightest chance of get ing Mr. Bryan to alter his position in favor of day it seemed certain that what might be 16 to 1 and it was not now possible to make arrangements for another candidate, even granting that another man could be s cu ed. and thus all talk of a rival to Mr. Bryon, he declared, was out of the question. The democrats of the country wanted him and they would have no other man. He therefore thought it best for the delegation to accept the situation and agree to support convention, if a proper presentation of the the position assumed by Mr. Bryan. This was agreed to without any dissension, although several of the delegates voting for the specific declaration said openly that

to do. John S. Murphy, a 16 to 1 man, was appointed as member of the committee on against my will. I tell you now that I will resolutions, Cato Sells was chosen chairman not have it. You can't humiliate me on one of the delegation and Charles A. Walsh was re-elected member of the national committee.

The Mississippi delegation is practically unit against the insertion of a plank in the platform in favor of the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. That fact was made evident tonight at the caucus tion a resolution was adopted directing the held to select members of the convention committees.

"Upon the vice presidency we are di vided." said a leading member, "but I think a majority would be glad of an opportunity o support Hill."

Governor A. H. Logino was selected as chairman of the delegation, Senator Money as the member of the committee on platplicitly mentioning the free coinage of sil- form and A. J. Russell, the present speaker of the Mississippi house of representatives. as member of the national committee.

tonight. The snag was struck when the seconding the motion, it was unanimously delegation moved to appoint Thomas E. Barkworth member of the committee on

Brynn's Wishes Not Heeded.

Mr. Barkworth was unanimously chosen for the position, but promptly declined it. He made an impassioned speech. He said convention were in favor of the reaffirmaion of the silver plank of the Chicago platform and did not desire a specific ratio. He said he would not act on the committee on resolutions unless he knew what was wanted of him by his state. It was wrong in his opinion, for the majority of the delegations o surrender their honest opinions of what was best for the welfare of the party to the wishes of a minority. He said he would not be a member of the committee on resolutions and declare for a 16 to 1 plank in the platform, and if Michigan destred such a plank it must place somebody else on the mmittee.

This started a long debate and the delegation was closeted for two hours, while the silver plank was under discussion, and when the final vote was taken Mr. Barkworth had won his fight and the delegation stood against a specific declaration for 16 to 1. It was decided to simply reaffirm the Chiago platform.

to I and declaring that a reaffirmation of the burn himself is radical on the question but Chicago platform was all that was called because it is known that he is one of Mr. Bryan's closest political friends. While he idential matter, it being announced that the does not favor the insertion of a plank de delegation was in favor of any man who claring in explicit terms for the tree and could be agreed upon by the state of New unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of York. J. G. Johnson was re-elected a mem- 16 to 1, and it may be added that the Kentucky delegation is practically a unit with him in that position, it is understood that he in the Missouri delegation, where a deter- will not stand as an obstacle to the carrying into effect of Mr. Bryan's wishes. While Stone from his position as national commit- the discussion of both the platform and the vice presidency at the conference was inleast the majority, under the control of on resolutions. The caucus term nated in formal the delegates left the former, so far Croker for Kellar, is not considered in a favor of Mr. Stone, as he won out on both as Kentucky is concerned, to Senator Blackpropositions, although it was a hard fight burn and the delegates will express the'r tion it may be said that the Sulzer candi-dacy also suffered somewhat as Sulzer sup-point in the opposition to Mr. Stone was latter. A strong disposition exists in the list he evident and outspoken wish of the ported the nomination of Kellar, a peculiar that he had expressed doubts as to the pro- delegation to support some strong New York convention to conciliate eastern malconpriety of 16 to 1 being made the chief issue man in the belief that thereby visto y may of the campaign. The anti-Stone men held be achieved. Urey Woodson, the pres nt cipline of Tammany hall, but it also con- a caucus of their own prior to entering the member of the national committee, was com- be possible to nominate Towne without

firms the impression among outside dele- state caucus and the fight against Mr. Stone plimented by re-election without opposition, creating alarm and resentment in sections A. Ball and W. H. Phelps, all delegates-at- this afternoon for the selection of members having yielded to the leader's demand in large from the state. The first ballot for of the convention committees and to effect that respect, the convention will probably member of the committee on resolutions its organization. Without contest M. F. Tar | never rub it into the gold democratic constood 17 to 17. When the second ballot was ney was chosen as the state's member of the tingent with which the democracy has been taken Delegate B. H. Morris changed his national committee. No action was taken by firting by nominating Towne. vote and Stone was elected a member of the the delegation upon the subject of the committee on resolutions by a vote of 16 to party platform. Judge James Maguire of labored and brought forth a mouse. It The vote for national committeeman San Francisco was placed on the committee had been quite generally conceded that if was determined on the first ballot, Stone on platform, but no instructions were given New York would pick a man upon whom it to him. The delegation would prefer a con- could agree, one who was not in bitter opservative plank, but is willing to abide by position to the party four years years ago the decision of the committee on resolu- and who possessed some appreciable eleupon by the New York delegates. Some of within the limitations and Elliott Danforth

Where Colorado Stands.

At the caucus of the Colorado delegation today it was decided to pass the question for vice president. In presenting the read of the state's representative on the national sons for the delegation's action Josephus committee until all of the members were resigned as Ohio member of the national ence that he had a candidate and that he Daniels, editor of the Raleigh News and present. The situation in a general way was discussed, but no definite action was

The conference of representatives of the circles throughout the country. He is a gates, "that would be consistent without a Sulzer was out of the question. So was democrats, populists and silver republicans man of wealth and influence, which he em- plank in the platform, reasserting in vigorous Senator Murphy. There was some talk of ploys to a great extent to charitable work. terms the belief of the democratic party Bird Coler, whom Tammany is grooming vancing the prospects of any candidate, was He was an earnest supporter of Mr. Bryan in the free coinage at the ration of 16 to 1." Beyond effecting an organization by electpresented to the convention by S. M. Gattis ing W. A. Clark chairman, the Montana delegation representing the Clark faction in The North Carolina delegation is in favor | that state did little today at its caucus. No tion canvass made by friends of Towne. of simply reaffirming the financial plank of action was taken either on the vice presithe Chicago platform, without a specific dency or the platform, and none will be simply to hold together the strength of the taken until the committee on credentials has passed final judgment on the Montana

Former Governor S. L. Hauser was appointed to the committee on resolutions. We have too many troubles of our own to bother about such trivialities as the plat-The Maryland delegation, with Governor William Walter Smith as a possible candidate for the vice presidency, is as yet undecided whether or not to present his name before the convention tomorrow. A caucus was held today and organization completed do his utmost to have Towne nominated. I by the election of A. Leo Knott as secretary. Arthur P. Gorman was unanimously re-elected national committeeman and L. V. Baughman elected member of the committee on resolutions. The vice presidency was then discussed briefly, but in view of today's developments it was decided to postpone final action until tomorrow morning, when another meeting will be held.

No plan of action was agreed on in regard to the platform, that also being postponed until tomorrow's meeting,

CROKER TURNS DOWN HILL

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'I don't think anybody intended to criticisa for Daly's liberality the national committee your democracy, but it is believed that as would have had to close up shop long before you were so strongly against the silver clank that a new man would be more acceptable," and then Mr. Croker aroused the Daly delegation, traveled with Mr. Bryan Mr. Hill by adding, "and there is no reason during a great portion of the Bryan camwhy you should think that the position is paign, making speeches throughout the east reserved for you every year."

shaking his finger across at Croker, "but I want you to remember that what I did an I Montana lost to Bryan, who got it in '96 by what I said in the committee and in the a majority of 43,000 out of 64,000 votes." convention of 1896 was done for the democrats of New York state and when I went home I stood for the ticket as well as you about midnight with a train of ten coaches. did.

"Oh, no, you didn't," exclaimed Croker. 'You weren't heard of much during that campaign.

"Equally as much as you when at critical times in the party's history in the state you were living in Europe," retorted Hill. "You're sore," replied Croker sententiously.

"I accuse you," exclaimed Hill, "of trying to make me a vice presidential candidate proposition and feed me a sop on another. He sat down and a vote was taken, resulting: For Van Wyck, 36; for Hill, 28; absent or not voting, 8. Senator Hill upon the announcement of the vote re ired.

The delegation elected these members of committees and officers: Credentials-P. H. McCarren. Permanent organization-John D. Lynn. Rules-Frederick C. Schraud.

Platform-Augustus Van Wyck. National committeeman-Norman To notify president-Frank H. Mott. To notify vice president-M. M. Kane,

The delegation was then notified by Senator Murphy that it should select a vice presidential candidate and without any ceremony, as if it had all been arranged before hand. Mr. Shea of Brooklyn named John W. Kellar commissioner of charities of carried.

Senator Hill, when seen later, said: "All blunders are costly. This was a blunder It was injecting New York ward politics into national affairs. They were not sincere. They showed their sincerity by putting forward Lewis Nixon as their candithat the majority of the delegates to the date and then nominating Kellar. This is no personal matter. What I regret is the damage to the party in the state."

Frank Campbell, chairman of the state committee, said to a friend; "Tammany's action will hurt us badly i

Elliot Danforth refused to make a state-

ment. Following is the detailed vote on the Hill

question:
For Van Wyck: Richard Croker, John J.
Flitzgerald, E. J. Dooley, John L. Shea, W.
L. Maguire, Frank L. Wilson, James D.
Bell, P. H. McCarren, W. J. Lynch, Andrew Freedman, Isaac Fromme, B. F. Martin, John Cavagnaro, George M. Van Hoesen, Patrick Divver, John W. Keller, Lewis Nixon, William Sulzer, R. B.
Feeney, T. F. Grady, George B. McClellan, O. H. P. Belmont, Thomas C. C. OSullivan, John Whalen, Samuel Untermeyer, J. F. Carroll, James W. Boyle, all from below the Harlem, and August Maebus, Jacob Blice, J. F. Molloy, Charles A. Burke, M.
P. Conway, Rice McCawley, J. M. Nolan, John D. Lyun, Conrad Diehl, C. H. W. Aul, Norman E. Mack, Frank L. Bapst and Edward Murphy—40.

NO MENTION OF SACRED RATIO

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Kansas and Michigan Delegations
Run Counter to Expressed Wishes
of Mr. Bryan.

Kansas City, July 2.—Kansas in its
caucus this afternoon declared str ngly
against the insertion of a platform calling
for the coinage of silver at the ratio of 16
to 1 and declaring that a reaffirmation of the

cago platform.

D. J. Campau of Detroit was made chair
man of the delegation and was re-elected
member of the national committee.

Kentucky Depends on Blackburn.
The selection of Senator-elect Blackburn
as a member of the committee on platform
today by the Kentucky delegation is re
garded as a distinct achievement by the
radical element of the party. This is due
not so much to the fact that Senator Backburn himself is radical on the question but

Not man E. Mack, Frank L. Bapst and Edward Murphy—40.
For D. B. Hill, Perry Beimont, Edward
Hawkins, John M. Digney, M. N. Kane,
Frank Comisky, C. R. Carell, James Carroil, Mark Cohn, P. E. McCabe, D. C. Dow,
Gerardus Smith, D. B. Lucey, S. R. Pelpis,
J. T. Flinch, F. C. Schraub, C. N. Bulger,
J. D. McMahon, J. H. Flannagan, Eliot
Danforth, J. N. Taylor, James K. Maguire,
E. J. Brown, C. F. Klingsley, C. H. Swartout, J. J. Mahone, Frank Wilson—25.
Not voting: D. B. Hill, Augustus Van
Wyck, F. P. Creamer, P. H. McNulty, F.
H. Mott, Edward S. Worth—6.

DELEGATES ARE NOT HAPPY

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ifestations of subserviency of a great political organization to its acknowledged leader ever witnessed in any age or country All the great leaders are out of accord with Bryan's views and David B. Hill at a meeting in Tammany headquarters this after noon declared that this declaration for 15 to

Disaster to Towne Boom.

The specific declaration program seemed tents. Were this defiant blast from the free silver trumpet not winded, it might The California delegation held its cau us where free coinage is most abhorred, but Tammany and its New York allies have

tions. A majority of the delegates is be- ments of strength, the west would place him lieved to favor the nomination of a New York on the ticket in place of Towne. It was man for vice president if one can be agreed early conceded that Hill would not come was sprung as an ardent supporter of Bryan four years ago and as a warm friend of Hill. It was known that it was Danforth who induced Hill to invite Bryan to Wolfert's Roost in 1896 and who also induced Bryan to accept. But the Sulzer force from New York at once asserted with vigor republican committee:

CLEVELAND, O., July 2, 1900.—George B. Cox. Esq., Cincinnati, O.—My Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your letter of the 30th offering your resignation as the Ohio member of the national republican committee. I fully appreciate the spirit which prompts your action in the matter as an evidence of your loyal devotion to the party's interests and accept it in the same spirit. Truly yours.

M.A. HANNA.

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Chairman.

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Suspect New York's Action. That the New Yorkers after a stormy ses sion fixed upon John W. Kellar is looked

upon as a subterfuge. It is not generally believed that it was made in good faith, but state to beat Towne. No one except those from New York know who Kellar is. It is freely charged that the New York delegation has deliberately started out to beat Bryan because of his apparently successful persistency on the 16 to 1 proposition. It is everywhere stated that the proposition to allow New York to name the candidate is off unless it can do better than Kellar. Meantime the populist national committee is here to boom Towne and has appointed a committee with Senator Allen as chairman to confer with the democracy. On motion of Allen each committeeman was urged to is possible that the action of New York and the suspicion it has aroused may help

Ingratitude to Daly. The action of the sub-committee of the

Towne materially.

national committee in turning down the Daly delegation from Montana in favor of the Clark delegation has occasioned sur prise. It was done by a vote of 3 to 2 George Fred Williams of Massachusetts and Clayton of Alabama voting for the Daly adherents. This conclusion is remarkable, in view of the claim of members of the delega tion that Marcus Daly supplied between \$180,000 and \$200,000 with which to carry on the Bryan campaign of 1896, and that Chairman Jones has said that if it had not been the campaign was over.

Ex-Senator Maginnis of Heiena, who leads and south. The fight will be carried into "No, I have no such idea," answered Hill, the full meeting of the national committee. haking his finger across at Croker, "tul I "It is too bad," said Maginnis, "to see The Lincoln contingent arrived at p. m.

omprising about 400, and the Jacksonians T. H. Tibbles of Lincoln had his pockets picked while in a crowd at the door of the Kansas City club, the home of the national ommittee. He lost \$5 and his spectacles.

NEW YORK, July 3.—The following new directors of the Colorado Midland have beeff elected and the property formally transferred to the interests which recently purchased the preferred and common shares: Henry Bunge, George Foster Peabody, Edward E. Shepard, Edward C. Henderson, Colonel D. C. Dodge of Denver, Edward N. Bulkley, Farrell Barrett, Frank Trumbull, Harry Boomer and N. B. Hoxle, of the colorador of the

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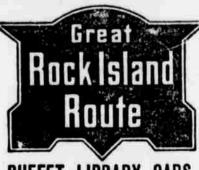
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