ONE MORE FORT LOST

Chinese Junkmen Assert Japanese Made an Attack Last Tuesday on Port

SEE OVER EIGHT HUNDRED DEAD JANS

Japanese Force Advance to Wi Miles of the Besieged Russian

FIGHTING NEAR CHE FOO ON JULY

Opposing Forces Said to Have Was

gagement for Commanding Hill. ONE HUNDRED MEN KILLED IN BATTLE

Fifty Chinese Carriers Are Sent Out

to Bring the Russian Dead and Wounded After the Fight.

(Copyright, by New York Herald Co., 1904) ST. PETERSBURG, July 10 .- (New York The Bee.)-Tokio dispatches concerning the Japanese occupation of Kai Chau receive no special confirmation here, which is reported to be owing to the fact that the emperor is now away on a journey for an inspection of the troops, going to the various parts of the empire, retaining all lowed to pass, saying that heavy fighting had taken place and that the Russians had retired in good order after losing 100 men, whereas the Japanese losses were 1,000.

The dispatch states that the next great fight is expected at Tache Kino. It is understood that General Kouropatkin is directing operations. An especially large band of Chunchuses has been told off by the Japanese to harrass the Russians back of Mukden.

The usually staid Bourse Gazette publishes a chaunvanistic editorial to the effect "That if things go badly for Russia the echoes of her guns will be heard in the Himalayas and even to the White House," which somewhat cryptic threat is difficult to explain. The paper, probably suffering from nervousness, says also that "Our expectations are great, but are constantly disappointed by nonsuccess."

I mention this from such a paper because I was forcibly struck during the last few days by the rapidly growing pessimistic feeling existing here.

Plan to Invade India.

LONDON, July 11.-The Daily Express prints today what it claims is General Kouropatkin's signed plan of invasion of suicide or fighting off their rescuers. British India, which, it is stated, was filed in the Russian War office as the official in and Great Britain. Th document goes into minute details and is three columns in length.

Briefly summed up General Kouropatkin one ending with the capture of Herat and the other after two or three years' administration of the country, with the cap- road. ture of Kashmir, Kandahar and Kabul After that, says General Kouropatkin, the British would find themselves without native support in India proper. The plan deals minutely with the plans Russia ought to adopt to secure the co-operation of the Persians and Afghans by an elaborate system of agents and sheikhs. It estimates that one Turkestan army corps and one Trans-Caspian corps would be reguired in the initial stage of the campaign "which I should prefer to begin in November, as the weather is healthier for the men and all Russian ports are frozen. A casus belli can any time when required be found through a collision between Russian and Afghan outposts."

Chinese Tell of Defeat.

CHE FOO. July 10 .- 6:35 a. m .- Chinese funkmen who arrived here today from Port Arthur, say that on Tuesday a Chineso carrier brought into the town over 600 dead Russians, two of whom were high officials. They state that a part of the Japanese force advanced to within six miles of the besieged town, taking another

A dispatch from Che Foo, dated July 7, stated that in the fighting which occurred on July 4 over the possession of one of the hills northwest of Port Arthur, the Russians lost, according to the Chinese, 100 men killed and fifty wounded. Fifty Chinese carriers were sent out to bring the Russian dead and wounded.

Russians Repulsed at Two Points. TOKIO, July 10 .- 7 p. m .- General Kuroki reports that on Wednesday, July 6, a detachment of Japanese troops drove off 300 Russian cavalry and occupied Kan Chang, are unknown.

On the afternoon of July 5 1,300 Russian cavalry attacked a Japanese detachment near the north entrance to Fen Shui pass. nese retained possession of the entrance to the pass. The Japanese had four men killed and three wounded.

Russian Cruiser Attacked.

5 p. m .- On Friday night, July 8, during a storm, a flottilla of torpedo boats of Admiral Togo's fleet approached Port Arthur. On the following morning one of the torpedo boats found and attacked the Russian cruiser Askold, but the result of the the torpedo boat, two petty officers being severely wounded.

Nothing Doing at Scoul. SEOUL, Corea, July 10 .- No important oc currences have occurred here today.

Oku Reports Victory. WASHINTON, July 10 .- The following dispatches have been received at the Japa-

ness legation from Tokio: "General Oku reports that our Second army commenced operations July 6 for occupying Kaiping. After successively dislodging the Russians from their positions we finally occupied Kaiping and the neighboring heights on July b. General Kuroki reports that on July 6 our detachment, after expelling 300 Russian cavalry, occupied Hsien Chang, thirty miles north of Bai Majchili. There were no casualties

"On July 5 we repulsed a Russian cavalry regiment under Colonel Chichinski, came to attack us near North Fenshulleng. Our casualties were four silled and three wounded."

SHELL PORT ARTHUR DAILY KAISER CREATES SENSATION Dead and Wounded Russians Constantly Being Brought in

from the Front.

CHE FOO, July 18 .- A fair wind brought a fleet of junks from Port Arthur today, carrying both Chinese and Europeans. Reports which they bring of conditions at Port Arthur are contradictory, but they all say that a Japanese division from the northward is entrenching seven miles from the marine camp, while another division from the east ward is fighting continuously E STH and with the aid of the floot is endeavor ing to gain a position commanding the

town and the naval basin. A Russian says the Japanese occupied the summit of Takushan mountain, which is about three miles from Port Arthur, on the night of July 6, with a mounted bat-

tery of artillery. On July 7 the Russian cruiser Novik and four gunboats went out under protection of the guns on Golden Hill and shelled a Japanese battery, which was surrounded and captured finally by Russian infantry. The fighting to the eastward of Port Arthur had been very heavy since July 4.

The Japanese ships along the shore are shelling the Russian position in the hills. The smoke from the artillery on the hills around Port Arthur is seen almost con-Herald Cablegram-Special Telegram to tinuously. Dead and wounded are being brought in at all hours, and many private houses have been turned into hospitals. Only skirmishes have occurred to the northward. The main Japanese force is ten miles away, but Japanese scouts have been seen in the vicinity of the marine camp, which commands the principal pass to the the nights of July 2, 3 and 4 the Japanese dispatches from the front. However, a fleet bombarded the roads from the south vague ache Kino telegram has been al- of the town. The forts were not damaged. No further night attacks have been made

since July 4. A Chinese mechanic from the Port Arthur drydocks says that two large three-funnel ships have been missing from the Russian fleet since the fight off Port Arthur on June 23. The battleship Sevastopol is still undergoing repairs and four torpedo boat destroyers are in dry-

The Russians, on the other hand, say that their fleet is intact, and as a matter of fact the Japanese have been the losers in the fights of Port Arthur. The Russians assert that the Japanese have lost no less than ten torpedo boats in their attempts to reach the Russian guardship, which was protected by the stoneladen ships sunk by the Japanese in their effort to block the entrance to Port Arthur. The guardship anchored behind the wrecked vessels. An entrance was opened around the foot of Golden Hill, but the remainder of the hundred Russians and 100 Chinese me-

at Port Arthur. Some of the torpedo attacks of the Japanese have been almost fanatical. Frequently they have made attacks where success was impossible and when the torpedo boats have been sunk the Japanese have refused assistance, either committing

chanics are still at work in the dock yards

JAPS KEEPING RUSSIANS BUSY

ST. PETERSBURG, July 10 .- Lieutenant General Sakharoff, in a dispatch to the general staff, confirms the report of the Japanese occupation of Kai Chau. He divides such a war into two campaigns, says that the Russian loss did not exceed 150 killed or wounded. General Sakharoff adds that the Japanese are on the Yin Kow

General Sakharoff says:

Our detachment remained during July 8 at Kin Chau station, having its advance posts on the right bank of the Kantakhe river, the enemy occupying the heights on the left bank and fortifying themselves thereon. Our battery on the railroad bridge opened fire at the enemy's patrols which appeared in Kantahke village. Toward noon an enflade occurred between a detachment of the enemy and our company, which observed the enemy retiring. Our losses were six wounded.

Toward the evening of July 8, the enemy's forces consisting of four divisions and a brigade, could be made out in front of Kai Chau, extending along the seashore. At dawn July 3 the enemy resumed the offensive upon the rear guard of our detachment, which retired about 6:20 in the morning, from Kin Chau to two and a half miles northward toward the Shuaniunsa pass.

At 10 o'clock under heavy pressure our General Sakharoff says:

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At 10 o'clock, under heavy pressure, our rear guard retired on our position at Makhunts Guiga and Yaolintas, three miles north of the Shuanlunsa pass. The rear guard held this position under a heavy fire until 2 o'clock in the afternoon, when, in accordance with instructions, it retired slowly and in perfect order on the third position at Tchjoutzwiandlandza, just as our main body was concentrating at Datchapu and on the position at Makhunts Guiga.

chapu and on the position at Makhunts Guiga.

The enemy kept up a very heavy cannonade for two hours uninterruptedly, but our battery carried on the struggle successfully, firing along the Shuan Yan pass. It finally fell back with hardly any casualties. On our right flank our horse battery, and the same time the enemy's cavalry advanced sowly along the shore road to Yin Kow. Our losses are not yet known, but according to the commander of our forces they do not exceed 150.

Among the killed was Count Nyrodt, cap-Among the killed was Count Nyrodt, cap-tain on the general staff, who abandoned the last position after brilliantly carrying out his duties as chief of staff with the

rear guard. An important point in the official account of the battle of Kai Chau is the statement the enemy retiring northward. The Japa- in General Sakharoff's report that the Japnese had no casualties. The Russian losses arese are advancing along the coast toward Yin Kow. The wording of the original dispatch is not clear and might read sane asylum near here. The general beequally well that the Japanese cavalry had aiready arrived at Yin Kow. But owing tion. The Russians were repulsed and the Japa- to the distance and other factors, this is not believed to be the case, though it is possible the Japanese advance is in close

ouch with the Yin Kow outposts. Captain Sekretoff's ambuscade of a Japa nese squadron north of Siu Yen shows that the Russian force is farther east in this region than was generally believed. The absence of Tokio dispatches admitting the loss of the torpedo boat reported by Vice Admiral Skrydloff to have been sunk by attack is unknown. The Askold fired on the Vladivostok squadron is taken here to prove that the Japanese are concealing

losses when it is possible to do so. Roads Are Like Swamps. LIAO. YANG. July 10.-Notwithstanding the proximity of the Japanese the Chinese inhabitants are calm and are following their usual occupations. The heavy rains of the last ten days flooded the streets and

squares, and the roads are like swamps

Traffic is greatly impeded. FORECAST OF THE WEATHER Fair Monday and Tuesday for No braska and the Surrounding States.

WASHINGTON, July 10 .- Forecast for Monday and Tuesday: For Nebraska and Kansas-Pair Monday and Tuesday.

For Missouri and Iowa-Generally fair Monday and Tuesday, For North and South Dakota-Occasiona showers Monday; Tuesday, fair.

Emperor William Sends a Telegram to Russian Commander,

CONGRATULATIONS ARE SIGNIFICANT

Surprised Diplomatic Circles Believe that William Expects a Present After the War is Over.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 10 .- A sensation has been caused by the publication in the Russki Invalid, the army paper, of a telegram from Emperor William to the colonel of the Wiborg, Finland regiment, of which the emperor is honorary colonel-inchief. The emperor congratulates the regiment on the prospect of meeting the Japanese, and adds that he is proud his Wiborg regiment will have the honor of fighting for its emperor, the fatherland, and the fame of the Russian army. In concluding,

the emperor says: "My sincers wishes accompany the regi ment. God bless its standards."

This telegram was only published this become widely known and formed the ment, in which he said: general topic of conversation. A considerable portion of the public deduced from the block signal against the train followthe message that Germany intends before | ing. long to abandon her position as a mere onlooker in the far east.

In diplomatic circles in which the tel gram has caused much surprise and comment, hills directly back of Port Arthur. On It is associated with the approaching commercial treaty negotiations in Berlin. It seems to be generally understood that Russia is prepared to make considerable tariff concessions in exchange for the benevolent neutrality of Germany during the war, as well as for the assistance Germany is rendering in keeping the enemies of the Russian government in Germany under police survelllance. Moreover, it has been repeatedly affirmed that Russia desires to raise money in Berlin.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 10 .- While the Baltic fleet on its way to the far east is not likely to be able to get coal at French ports, it is understood that the contractors will send out coal from these ports to meet the fleet beyond territorial waters.

KAISER'S FLEET VISITS ENGLAND

Powerful Squadron Steams Into Plymouth. PLYMOUTH, England, July 11.-Thousands of persons witnessed the arrival at Plymouth today of the most powerful German fleet ever seen in England. Eight batchannel was closed with booms, making tleships and seven cruisers steamed into it impossible for torpedoes to pass. Seven the naval base amid salutes. The courtesies will be kept up until July 12, when the Germans will depart. Owing to a wish expressed to King Edward, the Germans will receive no formal public welcome and the ceremonies will be confined to naval honors and an informal luncheon given by the mayor of Plymouth.

LONDON, July 11 .- The arrival of the German squadron at Plymouth has created an excellent impression here. The Daily Mail's naval expert, who is one of the best specialists in his line in England, says the squadron is "incontestably superior in method of procedure in case of a war be- General Sakharoff Forwards Report fighting qualities to the British home or channel fleets, as now constituted."

be a mystery, which the Daily Mail says is only explained by the German officers' fleet which is now preparing for the maneuvers.

DEMONSTRATION COR CERVERA

Spanish Admiral Honored for His Conduct at Santiago. MEDINA BIDONIA, Spain, July 10 .- As demonstration of gratitude regarding his conduct at Santiago and his care of American sailors, Admiral Cervera was presented here with an engrossed message bearing the signatures of a number of well known Americans besides letters from the subscribers, bound in a volume. The presentation was made by Mr. Bird of if Mannix remained in the district. Vienna in behalf of his fellow Americans. The admiral, in returning his thanks, said that his conduct toward Lieutenant Hobson and his fellow Americans after the

sinking of the Merrimac was done on superior orders. Admiral Cervera had heretofore refused to permit his American admirers to honor him, but notwithstanding this the plans

PANAMA HAS THE MILITARY FEVER

were carried out.

appropriates \$50,000 to Send General Hueretas to Study Other Systems. KINGSTON, Jamaica, July 10.-General Hueretas, commander of the troops of the Republic of Panama, with his staff arrived here today on the steamer La Plata. Gen eral Hueretas is going to Europe to study the military systems of Great Britain. France and Germany and will remain abroad for twelve months. The Panaman government voted \$50,000 for the purpose.

TORAL DIES IN INSANE HOSPITAL

Brooded Over the United States Victory at Santiago. MADRID, July 10 .- General Toral, who commanded the Spanish garrison at Santiago when that place surrendered to the United States forces, died today at an in-

Russian Fleet Sails. SUEZ July 10.-The Russian voluntees fleet steamer Smolensk, which passed the Bosphorus from Sevastopol, July 6, has sailed southwards from here. The veuse took two Red Sea pilots, one for itself and the other for the volunteer fleet steamer at St. Petersburg, which passed the Bos phorus July 5, coal laden, and which was reported at Port Said on Saturday. It is umored here that the transports intend awaiting the arrival of the Baltic squad-

Survivors Continue Journey. LIVERPOOL, July 10.-About seventy survivors of the wrecked steamer Norge have arrived here from Stornoway, Scotland. They will sail for New York on the Cunard line steamer Aurunia.

SHEEP KILLE D BY COWBOYS Pifteen Hundred Head Slaughtered in Gunnison County,

Colorado. ASPEN, Colo., July 19.-Word has reached here that 1,500 sheep owned by H. H. Lawson of Salt Lake City had been killed by

Gunnison county cowboys. Lawson had several thousand sheep on the ranges in this vicinity. One bunch was in Taylor park in charge of three herders. The cowboys swooped down upon the herders and disarmed them. Then they cut the throats of about 1,600 sheep.

Naples.

At Southampton—Arrived: Germanic from New York Salled: Friedrich der Grosse from Hemmen, for New York and Baltimore.

At Queenstown—Salled: Etruria from cut the throats of about 1,600 sheep. Lawson had several thousand sheep on cut the throats of about 1,500 sheep.

EXCURSION TRAIN WRECKED THREE BODIES Fourteen Persons Are Killed and Fifty Injured in Acci-

NEW YORK, July 10 .- Fourteen persons were killed and about fifty injured in a collision which occurred at Midvale, N. J. just before noon today, when a regular passenger train on the Greenwood Lake branch of the Erie rallroad ran into an excursion train that had stopped to take water. All the dead and injured lived in Hoboken, Jersey City and New York.

Those killed in the accident are: HENRY OTTERSTEDT, Hoboken.
WILLIAM WEIDMEYER, JR., Hoboken.
WILLIAM RENSE, New York.
MRS. ANNA LEMKOHI, New York.
WILLIAM LANE, Hoboken.
HENRY BECKER, Hoboken. MELLIAM ROHFING, Hoboken.
WILLIAM WINDERKNECHT, Hoboken.
GEORGE SCHEER, Hoboken.
HENRY KOCH, Hebeken.
ISADOR MANZER, Hoboken.
FRANK HOLNWEDDELL, child, Ho-

GEORGE M'DERMOTT, Hoboken. WILLIAM WISTOW. Jersey City. AGNES LEMKOHL, child, New York. BOY (name supposed to be Patterson)

The accident is believed to have resulted from a tower operator having lowered his signal too soon, and this was admitted by D. W. Cooke, general passenger agent of morning, but by evening its contents had the Eric railroad, who has got out a state-"The operator in the tower failed to set

> The train which was run into was a special carrying members of the First Plattdeutscher association of Hoboken on their annual outing and had 800 passengers. It been participated in by David B_g Hill, consisted of twelve cars and two engines. William F. Vilas, John E. Russell, Benjaannual outing and had 800 passengers. It The first engine had taken water and the

second engine beside the tank, when the regular train drew near. The flagman of the special signalled the engineer of the oncoming train, but owing to a curve in the road his flag was not St. Louis convention unquestionably rank seen until too late. It is claimed that the high as examples of forensic eloquence, engineer of the regular train had slowed down to about ten miles an hour before gine tore through the rear car the greater alongside of his Chicago address. part of its length and drove the forward end of that car into the car ahead. The killed and injured were in these two cars. The wreckage did not catch fire and the work of taking out the dead and injured.

of Midvale, many of whom had heard the crash, assisted in the work. The engineer and fireman of the regular train disappeared from the scene just after

jumping just before the crash. The operator in the tower was Walter Richards. He would make no statement and was relieved and left the scene soon after the accident. A great crowd remained at the scene all afternoon, many of whom were passengers who were seeking information regarding relatives who were on

MANNIX FEARS FOR HIS LIFE Clerk of Teller County Leaves Under Protection of the State

Militia.

cftizens' committee several times during manded. He refused to leave and the to meet the request of the committee Mannix feared for his safety and a guard of military was placed at his residence. Late last night he decided to leave the district and General Bell and a detail of soldiers accompanied him.

Mannix said he was not being deported. Discussing the case, General Bell is credited with saying:

"There is no telling what would happen He left because he thought it would be facing death to remain at Cripple Creek with conditions as they are teday. Many of these men are almost mad and probably would be guilty of foolish acts if the occasion came up. They are not sane in their judgment and their prejudices carry them to extremes. It seems to be now a case of settling up old grudges, and you can't tell what will happen. We are doing the best we can with the soldiers, who sometimes work day and night."

POOL ROOMS MUST CLOSE Attorney General of Kentucky Files Motion of Temporary Injunction Against Proprietors

CINCINNATI, July 10 .- N. B. Hayes, atorney general of Kentucky announces that the pool rooms in Covington will be closed. He has filed three motions in the circuit the proprietors of the pool rooms and the owners of the real estate. On Thursday next the local attorney, assisting General issued and for an early hearing at which Judge Shaw will be asked to make the orders permanent and perpetual. It is stated that the pool rooms will be moved across the Licking river, back of Newport, came insane brooding over his capitula-

MURDERER MAKES CONFESSION Admits Killing Four Other Men Than the One for Whose Murder

He Hangs.

PITTSBURG, July 10 .- John Johnson, eighteen years ago started out as a tramp. Two of his vicitms were with him traveling in a box car on a Virginia railroad. and after murdering them for \$5 in their possession he threw their bodies from the car while the train was going. His other two victims suffered a like fate on a Georgia railroad

Movements of Ocean Vessels July 10. At Liverpool-Arrived: Bovic from New York; Lake Manitoba from Montreal; Si-ciliam from Montreal; Tunisan from Mon-At Flume-Arrived: Plannia from New London-Sailed: Mesaba for New York.
At Glasgow-Sailed: Laurentian for New
York, and passed Inistrabuli.
At New York-Arrived: Astoria from
Glasgow and Moville: Oscar II from Copenhagen; Sicilian Prince from Genoa and

marpool for New York,

Resemblances and Contrasts of Recent Democratic Conventions.

BRYAN'S PERSONALITY FIGURES IN EACH

Other Leaders of 1896 and 1900 Have Dropped Out and Many of Them Forgotten in the Mean-

time.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) ST. LOUIS, July 10.-(Special Telegram. -The democratic ocnvention which concluded its sessions here early this movning developed remarkable resemblances and contrasts when sized up against the convention of 1896 at Chicago, and the convention of 1900 at Kansas City, It was, as all great party conventions are, a gathone who, like myself, had attended all shifted. Some of the old faces have been visible, unchanged, on each occasion, but for the most part a new and younger generation of leaders has come to the front. All three of these conventions resolved about the personality of William J. Bryan, although at Kansas City he was not in attendance on the ground. In 1896 Bryan flashed into the democratic firmament like a meteor in the sky. He came to the front with his famous "cross of gold" rpeech in a debate over the platform which had min F. Tillman, John P. Altgeld, James train had moved up and stopped with the K. Jones and a number of others who would be ranked with the heavy artillery. Bryan's famous speech before the Chicago convention still stands as his record effort at oratory. His addresses in the present but neither in their delivery, nor in their composition, nor, above all, in their efhe crashed into the special, but his en- fectiveness are they to be accorded a place

Of the other men mentioned as having been foremost in the platform debate at Chicago only David B. Hill and Benjamin F. Tillman cut any figure this year and, strangely enough, while worsted before, was quickly accomplished. The residents Hill was the ascendant spirit this time and Tillman, then against him, is now with him. Ex-Senator Jones, to be sure, called the convention to order as chairman, but seemed to disappear suddenly the accident. They both escaped injury by for nothing more was seen or heard of him.

Old Leaders Are Gone. At Kansas City the leading lights of the onvention, aside from the officers, were John P. Altgeld of Illinois, William J. Stone of Missouri, ex-Governor Hogg of Texas and men of that stamp, almost all of whom have passed out of glory if not of power. The stellar attraction at Kansas City was the sensational speech of Webster Davis, turning his double summersault from the republican camp into the democratic arena. This time the only spectacular performer, brought before the convention was Richmond P. Hobson, who, however, made a sorry attempt to eclipse the South African war acrobat. At Kan-VICTOR, Colo., July 10 47 rank P. Man- see City, too, the ellent wonder was Tamnix, clerk and recorder of Telfer county, many Boss Crokes, who pranced around as has left Victor, having been accorded a if he owned the New York delegation, way, James A. Deering, a joint telegram was never heard of," The visit creates no little adverse edi- military guard as far as Canon City. The which, in fact, he did, while this time his torial comment, its mission being held to guard was commanded by Adjutant Gen- place was taken by the new boss of Tameral Bell. Mannix had been before the many, Charles F. Murphy, whose impotence shone by striking contrast.

desire to see a mobilization of the British | the past week and his resignation de- Is it not strange how quickly men full in the limelight are forgotten? One of the county commissioners were requested to presiding officers of the Kansas City conremove him. They replied that they were vention slipped my memory and I had to advised by counsel that they had no au- ask more than half a dozen men who like thority to remove Mannix and declined me had been present when he wielded the gavel, before I could get the name. At Chicago the temporary chairman was Senator John W. Daniel of Virginia, who this time was chairman of the resolutions committee, and, as I remember, was equally inaudible and equally lengthy and tiresome in his chairman's remarks then as he was the other day in reading the plat-The permanent chairman Stephen D. White, then senator from Callfornia and now for some time dead. At Kansas City the temporary chairman was C. S. Thomas of Colorado, also a member of the 1904 delegation, whose membership in the resolutions committee is seen in the plank referring to labor conditions in Colorado. The permanent chairman at Kansas City was Congressman James D. Richardson of Tennessee, now retired from political activity. The two chairmen of the St. Louis convention, Congressman John Sharp Williams of Mississippi, and Congressman Champ Clark of Missouri neither of them came up to the measure of a good presiding officer; neither of them had the convention well under control at any time and both of them made egregious blunders. Of the chairmen I have mentioned in connection with these three conventions the ablest by far was Stephen D. White, and next to him I would place James D. Richardson.

Fight Always the Same.

In each of the last three national concourt for temporary injunctions against fight has been over the resolutions. In 1896 there were majority and minority reports and differences were fought out on the floor of the convention. In 1900 the I contest, which was over the retention of the 16 to 1 free coinage plank, took place inside the resolutions committee, where Mr. Bryan's draft won out by the narrow margin of a single vote furnished by the delegate from Hawaii. That, too, was a stubborn contest, lasting long into the night, but not so stubborn as the contest here, which kept the committee in continuous session for seventeen hours. The difference between Kansas City and St. Louis in the matter of platform is that at Kansas City the resolutions were written by Mr. Bryan himself and reported without change, while here the platform was made up out of a conglomerate lot colored, who with Frank Ousley, also col- of separate pieces, and, as Mr. Bryan said, ored, will hang next Thursday for the with the result of satisfying no one because murder of James Donnelly, a grocer, has giving no one what he wanted. Senaconfessed to four other murders. Johnson tor Tillman's fine rendition of the platform said he was born in Georgia and about at Kansas City, when reporting it as committee chairman, will always stand out as ay oratorical gem in comparison with the platform delivery at this convention. The convention just closed resembled the Chicago convention in that it was a con- No Visitors Received by the President flict for mastery between two diverging factions of the party. The relative strength of them seems to have been exactly reversed in the intervening eight years Whereas at Chicago the gold men went home disconsolate and downhearted; this year the silver men go home from St. Louis feeling that their ascendency is over

> Rivers Are Receding. KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 10.—With good weather and cessation of rain, all the gorged vivers of Kansas are receding to their summer stages. The people of Armourdale and Argentine have gone back to their homes. The damage by the floods has not been large in the cities, but the farmers have sustained losses amounting to several hundred thousand dollars.

and that the money changers who were in

possession of the party temple before 1896

have regained control more completely

than ever.

VICTOR ROSEWATER.

COMPARED NEBRASKA WEATHER FORECAST PARKER MUST BE SEEN

Fair Monday and Tuesday. Temperature at Omaha Vesterday: Hour. Hour. Deg. Hour. 5 n. m. . . . 71 1 p. Deg. 1 p. m..... 80 2 p. m..... 87 6 n. m..... (8)

7 n. m..... 71 8 n. m 72 4 p. m. 0 a. m 70 0 p. m..... 88 10 n. m 80 12 m..... 83 S p. m D p. m

PARKER GOES TO CHURCH Eloquence of the Life Rather That

that of Lips Counts, Says

the Minister. ESOPUS, N. Y., July 10.- In spite of the very unusual hour at which Judge Alton B. Parker retired this morning after receipt of the news from St. Louis, he was National Committeeman Goffey Thinks ering of the leaders, but it was plain to prompt in his departure for church at Kingston teday. He drove with Mrs. three of them, that the leadership had been | Parker to the Episcopul Mission Church of the Holy Cross at Kingston, of which his son-in-law, Rev. Charles M. Hall, is rector. Mr. Hall has been attending the St. Louis convention, and in his absence Rev. Dr. Edward Cooper, rector of the Church of St, John the Divine, at Harbrouck Heights, N. J., conducted the services. Judge Parker assisted in taking

up the collection The sermon included no reference to matters civic or political. After the service Dr. Cooper was asked if he had Judge Parker's silence in mind in his reference to the eloquence of life rather than lips when he said: "It is not the eloquence in life that speaks as loudly or counts for as much as the life itself of a man."

The doctor smiled, but declined to say, Judge Parker's visitors, John B. Macconald and Judge Hatch, remained with him until 3 a. m., receiving bulletins, and then departed for New York. This afternoon the democratic nominee for president spent his leisure time scated on his veranda with a number of friends.

Telegrams of congratulations for Judge Parker continue to arrive. Among those templated would be unprecedented and in received today were the following from Cord Meyer, chairman of the democratic state committee:

and had action of the convention; hasten o congratulate you heartily on your nomi-action. Our work in New York is much ightened and success assured. Cortland County society of New York therefore attend the meeting. City (Cortland county is Judge Parker's birthplace):

All your Cortland county friends rejoice statement to the Associated Press: with you. Heartiest congratulations. From Congressman L. F. Livingston of Atlanta, Ga.:

From Supreme Court Justice D. Cady Herrick of Albany; The honest thing, the brave thing, the party to be congratulated. From Arthur Pue Gorman, jr., at St.

Louis: Maryland delegates congrutulate you upon your splendid victory. ner of Washington state, at St. Louis: Sincerest congratulations and confident new committee to organise with

congratulation, sent enroute, dated Pittsburg. From Governor A. M. Dockery of Missouri: Missouri will give you loyal and en-Joseph Pulitzer of New York, former Con-

Bar association; John C. Richberg of Chicago and many others. BRYAN IS MUCH IMPROVED

of His Cousin, Dr. Jennings. ST. LOUIS, July 10,--Mr. Bryan left the

Jefferson hotel early today and went to Judge Parker's views in a few moments the residence of his cousin, Dr. Jennings, in this city. His physical condition was | them.' much improved over yesterday and he expects to leave for his home in Lincoln tomorrow night.

When Mr. Bryan left his bed last night was above 100 and he complained of much soreness of the lungs. He was examined after the close of the convention by Dr. Osborne, who decided there was nothing of the seriousness and the fear which today alarming in Mr. Bryan's condition and that fills the minds of the people. They deto his usual good health.

was in opposition to the command of his physicians and contrary to the wishes of his friends. He left his bed at a time when attendants were absent from the room and in doing so created no little alarm for his safety.

ventions of the democratic party the real COLORED KNIGHTS TEMPLAR of last night will appeal straight to their Delegates from Several States Meet in Pittsburg and Elect Grand Officers.

PITTSBURG. July 10 .- Representatives from the states of Illinois, Ohio, Michigan, Arkansas, California, Colorado and Washington, D. C., of colored Knights Templar met last night in this city and organized general grand encampment of colored Knights Templar for North and South America and elected the following grand officers: John G. Jones, most eminent grand master, Chicago; B. J. Fletcher, deputy grand master, California; Alex Payne, grand generalissimo, District of Columbia: J. H. Blunt, grand captain general, Arkansas; S. B. Johnson, grand treasurer, Texas; R. E. Jones, grand recorder Virginia; II. L. Broudus, general senior warden, Pennsylvania; W. R. Morris, general junior warden, Minnesota; Thomas J. Riley, general sword bearer, Denver, Colo.

QUIET DAY AT OYSTER BAY

and Only a Few of the Priv-

Heged Call,

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., July 10 .- This was a quiet duy at Sagamore Hill. No visitors were received by the president, though during the afternoon a few relatives and intimate personal friends of the family call at the Roosevelt home. The president learned late today of the final action of the St. Louis convention, but made no comments on the ticket named or the

events of the convention. Accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt and four of their children the president attended divine service at 11 o'clock in Christ Episcopal church. Late in the afternoon the president and family and members of the Emies Roosevelt family went for a long walk in the country about Segamore Hill.

National Committee Can Do Nothing Until it Has Consulted with Candidate.

TWO MEETINGS ARE HELD AT ST. LOUIS

Supporters of Taggart of Indiana Find They Are Unable to Effect Organisation.

CHAIRMAN CALLS MEETING FOR NEW YORK

Issues a Statement Saying that Action

Now Would Be Illegal.

SENATOR BAILEY WANTS MATTER SETTLED

Democrats Will Be Pleased with the Platform Framed by the Convention.

ST. LOUIS, July 10.-The national committee, now in its makeup, met at 2:30 this morning and again at 4 o'clock this afternoon, with the avowed intention, on behalf of the supporters of Taggart of Indiana, of organizing by electing him chairman

The early morning meeting was not fully attended, and the object aimed at was not accomplished. It was pointed out by Mr. Mack of New York, that it would be discourteous to take any action until Mr. Parker, as the candidate, was consulted. The Taggart men, while not having enough to elect, still suggested that Mr. Hill, Mr. Sheehan and Mr. Belmont, the candidate's friends, were still here and adopted a resolution that they be invited to meet the

committee this afternoon. When afternoon came there were three complications in the way of electing. Chairman Jones of the old committee boldly asserted that such action as confact illegal. It also turned out that at a late hour the convention adopted a resolution authorizing Chairman Jones of the After receipt of your message to Sheehan old committee to call the new committee together in New York City at such time as he might suggest. Then the other thing was that Senator Hill and Mr. Sheehan From Gage E. Tarbell, president of the left for New York at noon and could not

Senator James K. Jones, the retiring chairman of the state committee, made this

Must Meet in New York. "The national convention by specific reso-Accept my heartlest congratulations on lution adopted last night, authorized me, your nomination. Now for a strong pull in fact, instructed me to call the first by a united line and victory is assured. meeting of the new committee in New York City. Until I call it the new committee cannot organize and meetings they have are unauthorized. Now let me say, forcibly if need be, that acting under the convention's authority, I call the national committee to meet in New York City at such time as Judge Parker shall designate, From former United States Senator Tur- for, before I call it, I shall consult him, It would be an unprecedented thing for the From Morgan J. O'Brien, Thomas Con-

Just after the afternoon se Mr. Taggart, who was presiding, was asked to retire so that he need not be embarrassed. August Belmont of New York was called into the room and asked to give Telegrams have also been received from Judge Parker's views. He said he could not do so. Colonel Guffey insisted that precedent demanded that the committee gressman Henry St. George Tucker of Virginia, Ray Hoffman, president Oklahoma courteously await Judge Parker's opinion. "In fact," he said, "the resolution of last night precluded any action until Chairman

Jones issued a call for New York." Senator Bailey Impatient. Senator Balley of Texas raid that the matter should be settled at once. It was Leaves Hotel and Goes to the Home customary for the committee to meet immediately after the adjournment and elect, and a resolution was passed last Thursday to that effect by the convention.

"I guess," he said, "that we can have from his friends here, if they care to give National Committeeman Guffey of Penn-

sylvania gave the Associated Press the following statement: "The convention has done its work and to go to the convention hall his temperature | done it well. There was an utter absence of dictation. The delegates came here to deliberate and decide for themselves and they did so. They were deeply conscious

quiet and rest would quickly restore him sired to present the real issues which will be decided by the campaign in such a His appearance at the convention hall shape as to bring them directly before the voters not complicated by dead and settled insues. "The candidates selected and the platform upon which they stand do this, and ought to meet the approval of all democrais and of all thoughtful citizens, who place public good first. The American peohourts. The straightforward and manly, and at the same time courteous and re-

> the country are safer under a demogratic administration and prevent any possibility of question because no reference was made to it in the platform.

> spectful stand taken by Judge Parker on

the monetary question, and his approval

on the floor of the convention, after full

discussion and explanation, should savery

the people that the rusiness interests of

Satisfied with Candidates, "he position of the candidates and the party is stronger than if the gold plank had been reported by the consulttee on resolutions and adopted without discussion. All question as to the permanency of the gold standard has been eliminated

from democratic politics. "Judge Parker and Senator Davis are well known to the people. Their | fves have been spent in full view and their character and conduct have been above reproach. They are tried mon and their lives show that they can be trusted in any position or under any emergency. Wherever the highest integrity, best judgment and best courage are required, it will not be found wanting. The party and its candidates command approval. They will grow stronger as the campaign progressed. The will appeal with constantly growing force

to the hearts and consciences of the propie." ST. LOUIS, July 10 -After nearly two jours of debate Senator Balley offered to ompromise if the committee would adopt resolution endorsing the candidacy of Thomas Taggert for chairman of the com-

mittee. Mr. Mark agreed to this and the resolution was adopted. The committee will therefore meet in Ntw York on the call of Chairman Jones.

List of Committeemen Present. The following national committeemen, or heir proxies as designated, were present and unanimously voted in favor of the

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