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large element anxious in the interest of chairman.

Claude D. Porter was chosen temporary chairman.

Delegates to the national convention selected by district caucuses are as follows: First District-J. H. Cruickshank, E. A.

Lippincott. Becond District-E. M. Sharon, A. Brandt. Third District-W. M. Higbee, H. C. Lig-

Fourth District-John McCook, M. B. Darney. Fifth District-R. J. Williamson, R. P. Fitzgerald, J. P. Frailoy, C. H. Platten-berg, with haif a vote each. Sixth District-C. M. Meyers, C. B. Rey-nolds.

enth District-J. T. Mulvaney, J. P.

ath District-E. M. Sankey, John Don-

Minth District-John Blake, W. C. Camp-

Tenth District-D. S. Caswell, J. A. Men-

Eleventh District-W. F. Hutton, C. C. Cannor

RHODE ISLAND IS UNINSTRUCTED

First Republican Convention of East-

ern States to Be Held. PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 26 .- The first republican situte convention in the eastern part of the United States to elect LELAND'S GUESTS IN FIRE delegates; to the national convention at Chicago met here today. The delegates-at- Noted Hostelry at Springfield, III, the dead patriot hosts of all our wars and large, who were not instructed on the matter of a presidential candidate, were chosen, as follows:

Andrew J. Currier, Cumberland; Alexander C. Crumb, Westerly; Eara Dixon, Bristol, and John Fletcher, Providence.

The platform indorsed the "able admin- aged by fire today, entailing a loss on the istration of Theodore Roosevelt, who has proprietors, the Wiggins estate, of abbut in meeting and solving the questions now so actively exemplified the policies of the \$25,000. The fire broke out while the rerepublican party in dealing with the many publican state convention was in session public questions that have demanded three squares away, and when the deleprompt and earnest consideration during gates received word that the hotal was his term of office, and has met the great burning they leaped from their chairs, tore and varied responsibilities of the presi- wildly for the doors and hastened to save dency with courage and honesty of pur- their effects. No lives were lost, nor was He has embodied American ideals, any person injured. DOBE.

aspiration and character and has met all The fire was under control by 1 o'clock, emergencies with great energy and moral but it was not until three hours later that before the halton's matural ingine ways of commerce, and the equality of all citizens of the second many laws in the interest of the people." were burned. Below the third there was

The resolutions urge promotion of the no damage except by smoke and water. best interests of labor and capital and the The greater part of the furnishings were unflinching protection of both, according ruined and the hotel must be refitted and civil and political rights to colored citi- practically rebuilt before it can be used zens in every state, and insists that states again. adopting enactments virtually dis-

franchising them should be made to suffer BAN UPON ANARCHIST PAPER min reduction in the representation in congress and in the electoral college."

The platform declares unequivocally for protection as the cardinal principle of the

republican party and indorses the declaration of the Ohio platform in behalf of the tariff by a special session of the next congress, "insuring the maintenance of the true principle of protection by imposing granted in 1906 to "La Questione Sociale,"

home and abroad."

French Car Not Yet Out of Wyoming, tion as a virtue." While Gorman Car is Near

Rook Springs.

car passed Colby, Nev., for Ely at 8:33

car passed Colby. Nev., for Ety at 8:30 this morning. Union Pacific wires brought the reports that the French car reached Aspen, Wyo. ten stations this side of Rock Springs, at s o'clock Thursday morning, and the Ger-waskness, though otherwise his condition 7:80 Wedneeday morning. is unchanged.

tween the extreme factionists, with a ceive Dr. David Jayne Hill. Page 2 also reading to the conver LOCAL. harmony to have both factions subside. Man who borrows originally \$10 from dent Roosevelt in praise of the work of John Dennison has been made permanent Dr. B. Pribenow, pays over \$300 usury the speaker, "and this," said the speaker, and stays in clutches for ten years, brings "is what the present president of the United Page 1 States thinks of the next president of the suit to recover. Commissioner Guild of the Commercial United States." The delegates went wild. club asserts that revision of the freight club asserts that revision of the treases. Tates in Nebraska is inevitable, but dis-tance tariffs are not demanded. **Page 10** Signal Corps Aeronautical park will be when 80 years of age. "We offer to the name of the new balloon station at Fort country," he said, "a man as wise as Page 2 Gladstone and brave as Bismarck." Omaha. Eleven protests are filed by John A. Creighton executors against paying the inheritance tax. Page 5 ganization and resolutions an address was State Labor Commissioner Ryder backs ap City Building Inspector Withnell in The temporary organization was made perhis orders for the destruction of old hotel manent and the resolutions committee buildings. Page 2 brought in the platform, which was COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL. adopted with great enthusiasm Live stock markets. Page 7 Grain markets. Page 7 The text follows: Stocks and bonds. Page 7 MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STRAMSHIPS. Port, Arrived. (EW YORK!.....Kr. Wilheim II... Salled. NEW YORK....Carpathia BOUTHAMPTON K. W. der Grosse Oceanic, COPENHAGEN...C.F. Tietgen... GENOA.....Fr. di Piedmonis. BREMEN......K.P. Cecelle... PLYMOUTHTeutonic

largely of sturdy men who have come to manhood since the war of the 60s, mos of that great host of patriots hisving pitched their tents on fame's eternal camp will continue to remember, in the most substantial manner, the soldiers and sall-ors of all our wars who are yet living, and also their widows and orphans, knowing that we can never repay their services to the constant Damaged to the Extent of \$70,000.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 26 -- The Lethe country. Republican principles are as vital in 1906 they have been in previous years. This land hotel, one of the most widely known hotels in the country, was severely damas they have been in previous years. This must guide us in the future as in the past,

pending, and which may arise. We therefore again announce our faith oulcies, and pledge ourselves to do all in our power to elect the presidential nominee. and all our state republican nominees on next November 3. Belleving in republican principles of the past, in protection to American labor and American industry, in sound money, in the power of congress to improve the nation's natural highways of

That we endorse the administration of President Roosevelt for its energy and success, for recommending to congress many measures of the greatest benefit to the general welfare, and for vigorously proportions the law on the statute beat

Text of Illinois Platform.

of sturdy men who

having

enforcing the law on the statute books and striving to bring about that ideal condition of the mation, wherein each citi-gen shall be equal before the law and give equal obedience to the law. His adminis-tration will stand as one of the greatest in American history.

Present Tarig Effective.

The present tariff law, which was passed at the special session of the Fifty-fifth con-gress, convened by President McKinley, and which was signed July 24, 1897, by that illustrious protectionist, has simply justified all the promises and hopes of its advocates and supporters. It has proven the most scientifically adjusted and therefore the best tariff that was ever placed on the

statute books. Char the beneficient influ-ence abundant revenues have flowed into the national treasury; our domestic com-merce has expanded beyond all expecta-tions, the volume of our export trade has constantly increased, until within the last six months it has reached the high water mark: the ratio of our manufactured as six months it has reached the high water mark; the ratio of our manufactured ex-ports has steadily advanced, our farmers have received the highest prices and our mechanics and other workmen the highest wages that have ever been paid, and our citizens of all classes have coloyed a greater degree of prosperity than has ever prevailed during a like period in any other country.

ion a letter pub lished some months ago written by Presi-The speaker concluded his address by ports are to the effect that the fire is half way to Platte. Many buildings and school houses have been destroyed. Heroic work in saving women and children is re-

ported. The flames had reached over an area of There were no contests. Pending the re-

June 11 was decided upon as the date for the annual picnic and celebration of the by association. As no picnic was held by the The republican party of Illihois, in con-vention assembled on the 26th day of March, 1908, would remind the republicans association last year because of the fact that the permanent grounds of the assoof this state and the nation, that fifty-two years ago our great party was founded on principles that are as eternal and as necesclation were flooded by the excessive minfall of last May and June, this year's picnic is looked forward to with unusual insary in republican government as our axioms in mathematics. terest. It is expected that from 12,000 to The republican party is now composed 15,000 persons will attend this year's picnic.

> MANY BUY BANQUET TICKETS Rush of Missourians to Hear Address

of Mr. Bryan at Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, March 26 .- Twelve hundred tickets, 1,000 of which have been sold to out-of-town people, have already been

disposed of for the Young Men's Democratic club banquet, which is to be held here in Convention hall Monday night next. William J. Bryan and Judson Hurmon of Cincinnati will be the guests of ionor. Many other prominent democrats will be present. Places for four ex-governors of Missouri-Dockery, Stone, Francis and Crittenden-together with Governor

Folk, have been reserved at the guest table Accommodations for 2,000 banqueters are being planned. After the serving of the

will be thrown open to the public in order that it may hear the speaking.

SYNDICATE BUYS SLOW PAPER Nearly Three Million in Cash Taken

Over by Moneyed Men of Kansas City,

KANSAS CITY, March 26 .- All of the requirements laid down by the comptroller

f the currency for the reopening of the National Bank of Commerce of this city were completed with when Receiver George T. Cutts today received \$3,870,000 in cash from a syndicate which took over all the slow paper of the bank and all the assets termed "bad" by the government officials. The bank will open next Monday with 47 per cent of its deposits in its vaults and with Comptroller Ridgely as its president.

ATTEMPT TO ROB A BANK Charge of Nitroglycerin Blows Out

Earlton.

COFFEYVILLE, Kan., March 26.-An at-tempt was made to vob the State bank at Earlton, near here last night. No money

the robbers fied. A posse is in pursuit. velt's administration.

signment to secure said amount; that on March 25, 1998, plaintif demanded of de-fendant the cancellation of said chattel mortgage and a return of said note and

to concede said demand and threatens to collect said claim and will cause the plain-tiff irreparable injury and damage unless unless payments, but that the same were made ary assignments and claims, which involu tary action was known to the that defendant took part in the spiracy during all the times alleg action was known to the defendant; times alleged before and had knowledge of said usurious transactions.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays judgment against the plaintiff in the sum of \$300, with interest and costs, and that the said note of the plaintiff and his wife to the defendint and the chattel mortgage and salary assignment to secure the same be cancelled and held for naught; that defendant be en-joined from retaining said note and salary assignment and from destroying the same

Mrs. M. M. Caldwell Says New York Women Miss Mission in Plan of Creation.

NEW YORK, March 26 .- Mrs. M. M. Caldwell of Ohio, in a lecture on "Life As ACT NO SURETY OF BURIAL cepted for transportation, and the differa Fine Art-In Relation to the Arts of Life," to an audience composed exclusively of women, said:

"Boys and girls work too hard at school. thus unfitting themselves for the real busibanquet the galleries of Convention hall ness of life. They work for the glory of education, and true education is lacking in them."

Mrs. Caldwell declared 'education was bought too often with an impaired physique was today placed upon the dissecting table. as the price, and that a high state of mental cultivation thus obtained made a girl a known he had no friends. detriment rather than a blessing to the

race, since she was unfitted for her real misssion in the plan of creation.

SECOND TENNESSEE CONVENTION Western Railroads Will Grant Reduc-

Evans-Hale-Sanders Faction Make Their Nominations.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 28-The lican party, which was worsted in the fight at the state capitol yesterday, held be put into effect as follows:

The round trip between Chicago and C. N. Tillman, prominently mentioned for Denver, 300; between Bt. Louis and Denver, woek. Emerick was bound over to the cirthe republican gubernatorial nomination. \$25, and between Omaha and Kansas Chy in a speech said he was glad to have an and Denver, \$17.50.

where he was not afraid of having a dynamite bomb thrown under him.

The following were named as delegates to the national convention:

Resolutions were adopted instructing the

was secured. The safe was located in the delegates for H. Clay Evans for vice pres-

Mckinley Pinced on Disacct-

ing Table.

PHILADELPHIA, March 26.-Before a

SPECIAL RATES TO DENVER

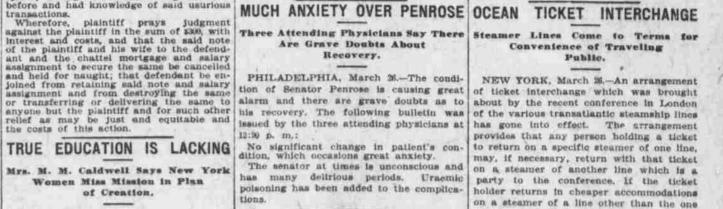
tion on Round Trip Tickets

to 8450

to Convention.

Stock Holders Approved Act.

NEW YORK, March 26 .- An anonymous It was also stated by the directors that letter, registered and containing \$200, was the proposed purchases were investigated salary assignment, but defendant refused received at the office of the collector of by a committee of three disinterested dicustoms this afternoon from a woman, who rectors, who knew the facts and advised said her conscience hurt her because she the purchase. The directors declared that the relief prayed herein is granted; that the had got some goods into the country at this action had been approved by the The flames had reached over an area of thirty miles in length and two miles in length and two miles in width last night. Date for Old Settlers' Meeting. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., March 26.-(Special construction of this (Minnehaha) county, upon which he depends for the same were not voluntary is association of this (Minnehaha) county. some articles abroad and had them shipped stated also that they had no knowledge to this country. The shipper, she said, had that any director of the Union Pacific had heavy duty, but was ignorant of the law Union Pacific from Kuhn, Loeb & Co. and and facts until lately. She had figured that they were informed by that firm that that she owed \$300 in duty and so paid it. no director hald any such interest.



issuing the ticket the ticket will be acence in price will be paid to the holder by Negro Who Tried to Defend President the line issuing the ticket, less 10 per cent. If the person wishes to travel in better accommodations on a steamer of a line other than the one issuing the original ticket he is permitted to use the ticket by paying

class of students at the Jefferson Medical the difference in price to the company of oilege the body of James B. Parker, the" the steamer on which he sails. negro who attempted to defend President

McKinley when he was shot at Buffalo, STUDENTS CHARGED WITH RIOT

Parker died two woeks ago. As far as Two Ann Arbor Men Are Held in \$1,000 Bonds to Answer to Circuit Court.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 36 .- C. Roy Rook of Bowen, Ill., one of the fifteen students arrested during the outbreak at the Star theater ten days ago, was today bound over to the circuit court for trial on CHICAGO, March 28 .-- Western railroads the charge of rioting. Ball was fixed at Evans-Hale-Sanders faction of the repub- today announced that during the national \$1,003, with two sureties. Book's examination democratic convention special rates will took but a few hours this forenoon, in contrast with that of O. G. Emerick of Galveston, 111., which extended over nearly a cuit court yesterday and his ball was also fixed at \$1,000.

TROUBLE OVER A SMALL SUM ORDERED TO PAY OVER MONEY

Damages Sustained by Japanese in Coffeyville Banker Receives Anony-San Francisco Amounted mons Letter Asking for Payment.

WAEHINGTON. March 26-The State COFFEYVILLE, Kan., March M .- C. T. department today issued a statement that Carpenter, vice president of the Condon an agreement had been reached whereby National bank of this city, received a letfront of the building and the charge of ident and Nathan Hale for national com- the suit for damages by certain Japanese ter today telling him to be ready to pay nitrogiycerin used by the robbers was mitteeman. The resolutions also favor re- against the city and council of San Fran- a stranger \$300 on demand, under penalty so heavy that it blew the entire front of vision of the tariff for protection of cisco for mob violence on September 7 last of having his bank and his residence dethe building into the street. Frightened, American industries and endorses Roose- year will be settled by the payment to the stroyed by dynamits. The letter was un-Japaness of \$659. signed.

their convention today. opportunity to address decent republicans

Front of State Bank at

(Continued on Second Page.)

Postmaster General Meyer Excludes in American history. Italian Publication from the Malls. WASHINGTON, March 26-Postmaster

General Meyer today issued an order annulling the second class mailing privileges such customs duties as will equal the dif- an Italian publication issued by an alleged ference between the cost of production at anarchistic group at Faterson, N. J. The statute books. Under the beneficient influ

order was issued because "the publication is not a newspaper, within the meaning of ITALIAN CAR NEAR ELY. NEV. the law, but is devoted to what the editor

terms the 'science' of extolling aseassing-ENGLISH PREMIER NO BETTER

The Union Pacific reports the Italian Sir Heary Campbell-Bannerman Rests

Easy, but Suffers fram