

RESULT SUITS BRYAN

Not Only Pleased with His Own Nomination, but with Running Mate.

UP ALL NIGHT TO HEAR NEWS

Long-Distance Telephone Keeps Him in Touch with Convention.

NEIGHBORS CALL ON HIM EARLY

Extend Congratulations on the Honors Which Have Come to Him.

DELIVERS SPEECH IN RESPONSE

Tells Them Their Goodwill is More Than Political Honors.

SENDS HIS GREETING TO KERN

Thinks Running Mate in Harmony Both with Himself and the Platform on Which They Are to Run.

(From a Staff Correspondent) LINCOLN, Neb., July 10.—(Special Telegram.)—The nomination of J. W. Kern of Indiana as his running mate was promptly bulletined to Mr. Bryan at his Fairview home.

Bryan said that his views of the nomination could best be expressed in the telegram which he sent to Mr. Kern. He is not only pleased with the nomination, but pleased that a man made with such unanimity there were a number of persons whom he counted as available and Kern was always included in this list.

Mr. Kern and Mr. Bryan have been political and personal friends for many years. The following is the telegram: "Hon. John W. Kern, Denver, Colo.: Accept my warmest congratulations. Your nomination gratifies me very much. We have a splendid platform and I am glad to have a running mate in such complete harmony with the platform. Stop off and see us on your way east."

"WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN." With the coming of a new day came the news to Fairview that William Jennings Bryan had again been nominated by the democratic party for president, and as a corollary of newspaper men and all-night visitors left the home of the nominee they met coming over the hill the advance guard of a delegation of Lincoln people going to pay their respects to their fellow townsman, which before noon swelled to a mighty host and included the republican state officers.

The news of the nomination was flashed to the home of Mr. Bryan before the roll call had been completed, after a night of waiting. The Nebraska leader changed at once from the carefree host to the serious man, seemingly recognizing the added responsibility which the nomination brought, while his guests became a committee on congratulations.

Not After Second Term. Mr. Bryan shook hands with all present and then said: "This is a nomination as purely from the people as can be and it elected my obligation will be as purely to the people. I appreciate the honor the more because it came not from one person or a few persons, but from the rank and file acting freely and without compulsion."

Then the following statement, which had been prepared, was given to the press: "The presidency is the highest position in the world and to accept it is an attempt to live his views upon public questions based by personal ambition. Recognizing his responsibility to God and his obligation to his countrymen, he should enter upon the discharge of his duties with singleness of purpose. Believing that one can best do this when he is not planning for a second term, I announce now, as I have on former occasions, that if elected I shall not be a candidate for re-election."

Drink from Loving Cup. After he had made his talk to the press Mr. Bryan invited all to a drink with him from a silver loving cup some unfermented wine.

This was the night ended as informally as it had begun and as it had been throughout. Besides the newspaper men only a few guests spent the night with the nominee, reading with him the bulletins that were flashed from the Denver convention. These were A. L. Talton, former law partner of Mr. Bryan; Mrs. T. S. Allen; a sister; Mrs. W. H. Winger; John T. Kent and Dr. Cox of New York. Miss Grace Bryan remained up throughout the night, though Mrs. Bryan retired about midnight with the great demonstration Bryan played the genial host all the time and though commenting frequently on the news from Denver not once did he show the intense interest which must have been his.

Bryan Talks with Denver. Early in the evening conversations were made by telephone with the convention and John I. Marlin, sergeant-at-arms, talked with the candidate.

"Hello, Mr. President, you are just the same as elected right now."

Then Permanent Chairman Clayton got the other end of the wire.

"I believe you are going to be elected," he said.

When I. J. Dunn was interrupted in his nominating speech by the applause for Bryan the guests were invited into the private office of the candidate to listen to the demonstration. So well had the telephone company done its work that the great demonstration in the parlors at Fairview, one listener being convinced he recognized a voice of one of the shouters.

Mr. Bryan enjoyed all of this to the utmost. He talked and laughed and took his turn at the receiver when the platform was being flashed over the wires, plank at a time, with the information that it had been adopted. He frequently applauded.

As the night wore on, those in waiting voiced objection to such a loud demonstration. "You are very inconsiderate," smiled back Mr. Bryan. At the conclusion of the reading of the platform, Mr. Bryan said: "I am very much pleased with the platform. It is clear, specific and strong, and I am grateful to the committee for the work that they have done in stating the issues. I am sure that the platform will greatly strengthen us in the fight upon which we are entering."

Mr. Bryan took great interest in the speeches seconding his nomination and always had some happy answer to the protests from his guests at the continuation of these speeches.

During the evening Miss Grace Bryan served buttermilk to all present and the loud calls for "Fairbanks" brought forth a laugh from the Fairview statesman. Formally was entirely absent at the gathering.

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Saturday, July 11, 1908.

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THE WEATHER.

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CONSUL GENERAL IN DANGER. Fighting Takes Place Near Tabriz Which May Have Serious Consequences.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 10.—A special dispatch received here from Tabriz says that fighting has occurred between Cossacks and Persian irregular troops in the vicinity of the villa, a few miles outside of Tabriz, of M. Poinitoff, the Russian consul general. Five persons were killed and several were wounded. Cossacks are patrolling the highway between the villa and Tabriz. Although the irregulars were repulsed, they continue to threaten the villa in large numbers. The surrounding country has been abandoned to pillage and the people of the nearby villages have taken refuge behind the walls of the consulate.

For the last few days M. Poinitoff played a leading role in the government of Tabriz. He fled to his villa, taking with him as escort a majority of the available Cossacks shortly after the arrival of Rachin Khan. The lives and property of the Europeans and the consular officials at Tabriz are protected by only a handful of troops. The American consul at Tabriz is William F. Doty.

BIG ROLLER WORKS TO END

Bryan Winds Up by Dictating the Nomination for Vice President.

NO ENTHUSIASM OVER RESULT

Eastern Democrats Sore Over Platform and Western Men Alarmed Concerning Effect of Clayton's Speech.

(From a Staff Correspondent) DENVER, Colo., July 10.—(Special Telegram.)—The concluding session of the democratic national convention was about as exciting as a Quaker prayer meeting. The statement had been heralded that the choice of a vice presidential candidate would be left to the convention, and that Mr. Bryan had agreed to suspend the operation of the steam roller for that purpose. Had there been any truth in the report, the closing session would have been a hummer, when in fact it was distressingly dull. Something like a dozen candidates were named in more or less flamboyant speeches, but it became known early in the session that Mr. Bryan had stated John W. Kern of Indiana for the place and the business of making nominations was purely perfunctory. No enthusiasm was aroused when Kern was placed in nomination and when his nomination was seconded from time to time, by other states there was hardly a ripple of applause. When it became evident that he was to be chosen, the convention settled down to wait until the spellinging was over and then proceeded to obey the instructions received from Lincoln.

Despite the show of enthusiasm worked up in the session at which Bryan was nominated, the result of the convention has left a bad taste in the mouths of the eastern delegates. They came here not with the hope of defeating Bryan for nomination but with the hope of presenting such a showing as would induce the leader to agree to a moderate platform. They fought day and night to secure this, bringing all kinds of pressure from business men throughout the east, but finally gave up and allowed the radicals to have their way. The radicals are insisting that the democratic plank on anti-injunctions is very conservative, but the conservatives know better.

Conservatives Are Silent. Gomper, Mitchell, Deussen and all of the big labor leaders here express themselves as perfectly satisfied with it, which is sufficient answer to the claim that the plank is conservative to any degree. The plank satisfies the radicals and the laborites, who profess to believe that it will not offend the conservatives. As a matter of fact the conservatives are not protesting. They realize that they have lost and they propose to let the radicals have all the rope necessary for the November neck stretching.

But while the eastern democrats are particularly sore over the platform, western democrats are much alarmed over the effect of the speech of Congressman Clayton, the permanent chairman. His carefully considered attack on President Roosevelt was listened to in silence by the western democrats. They know the feeling of the west toward Mr. Roosevelt and the Roosevelt policies, and they must appreciate the fact that the Clayton speech will do great harm among democrats who have endorsed the Roosevelt policies and who have Mr. Clayton's word for it that Mr. Taft will carry out those policies. Clayton's speech and the radical platform spoiled any hope the eastern democrats had of having a tie, conservative democrat named for the vice presidency, Judge Gray of Delaware, who could have had the nomination by nodding his head, refused absolutely to accept it. D. E. Francis and Governor Folk of Missouri took to the woods early after the platform was announced. W. I. Douglas of Massachusetts positively refused to allow his name to be used and the fight narrowed to the lesser lights, and Mr. Bryan made his pick from a group of left-overs.

W. H. H.

GOITICOA HURRIES HOMEWARD. Venezuelan Charge d'Affaires Making Haste to Get Back to Castro's Land.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Mr. Veloz Goiticoa, the Venezuelan charge d'affaires at Washington, whose withdrawal from the legation here at the direction of President Castro was announced yesterday, is making hurried arrangements to leave for New York today in order to be able to reach tomorrow's ship for Venezuela. If possible, Mr. Veloz will sail aboard the Maracaibo.

The former charge will leave his family here pending his future official status, which will be settled following an interview with President Castro after he reaches Venezuela.

Mr. Veloz leaves Washington with a great deal of regret and his good-byes to his friends indicated a depth of feeling in parting from the many pleasant associations he had made in Washington.

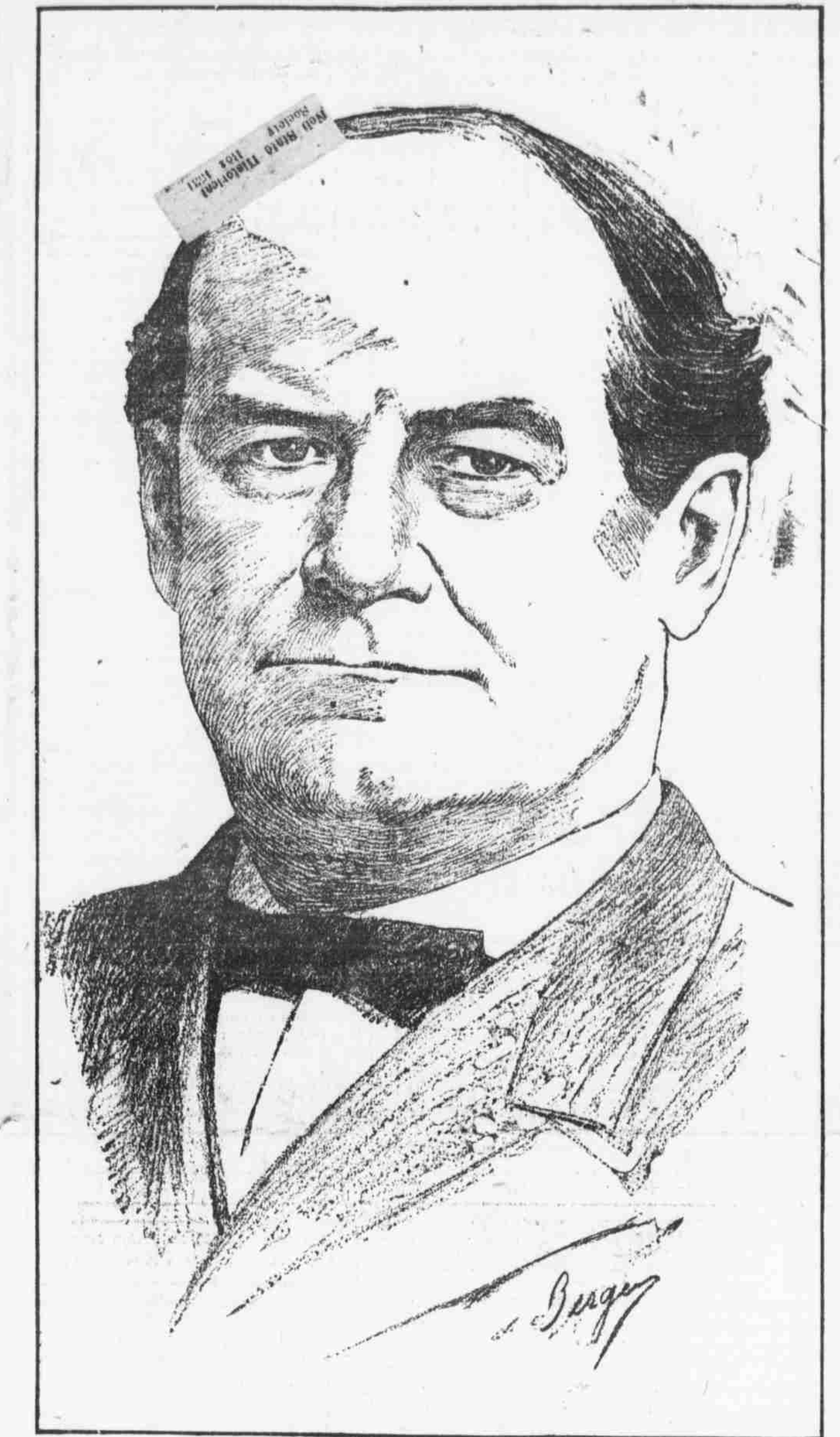
NO DANGER FROM SNAKES. Armed Guards Against Whisky Peddlers and Not for Fighting Purposes.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Reporting to an investigation by himself and Mr. Wright the commissioner to the five civilized tribes, Agent Kelsey at Muskogee, Okl., today advised the Indian bureau that the Crazy Snake Indian faction in session at Henrietta, near Muskogee, have withdrawn their armed guards. The Indians say they had these armed guards as a protection against whisky peddlers and against thieves. The presence of the armed Indians and threats of camp followers caused much excitement among the white people. The report says the Indians have an entirely peaceful gathering, with many women and children present. The two government emissaries advised the Indians to obey the local laws. The full blood and the negro followers of the camp number about 30 persons.

TO REBUILD LATERAN PALACE. Pope Pius Announces It Will Be Made Quarters for Two Courts.

ROME, July 10.—The pope has announced his intention of having the old Lateran palace, the residence of the papacy from the time of Constantine to the migration of Avignon, built over for the purpose of housing the Rota and Segnetaria courts, while the penitential tribunal will be housed at the holy office near St. Peter's. The Lateran palace is now uninhabited. All of the valuable pictures there will be transferred to the new Vatican gallery, which is to be opened next September. With the exception of rooms devoted to sculpture and the museum the entire Lateran palace will be available for the use of the courts.

Democratic Nominee for President of the United States



William Jennings Bryan

MR. SHERMAN WILL RESIGN

Will Yield Place at Head of Congressional Committee.

NEWLY ELECTED TREASURER OF REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE CONFERS WITH JUDGE TAFT—CANNON TO MACLEAN.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Representative James S. Sherman, candidate for vice president on the republican ticket, in a short time will retire from the republican congressional committee, of which he is chairman.

This determination has been reached by Mr. Sherman and other republican leaders within a day or two. The announcement largely on account of the duties and responsibilities, which will devolve upon him as one of the national candidates. It has not been determined yet who his successor as chairman of the committee will be. It is likely that Mr. Sherman's formal resignation and the announcement of the name of his successor will be made simultaneously.

To decline to Resign. Senator Hemenway and Representative McKinley are enroute for Chicago. They left here today to join Speaker Cannon in Chicago and the three will go thence to Mackinac Island in the upper lakes for a brief rest. It has not been determined yet whether Senator Hemenway will undertake the direction of the western campaign, with headquarters at Chicago. The matter is under consideration. Senator Hemenway is not anxious to undertake the work, but he may be persuaded to do so. He has an important campaign in his own state this year and feels that he ought to devote more time to that than he would be able to give to it if he should take charge of the western national headquarters. The matter will be decided finally probably within a few days. Speaker Cannon left Washington

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BODIES OF DEAD DISCOVERED. Troops Recover Them Where They Were Killed on Island of Negros.

MANILA, July 10.—A telegram from Negros says Lieutenant Alborn is on his way to Manila with the bodies of P. D. Everett, a former government forester and T. R. Wakeley, formerly a school teacher, who were killed by anti-tribesmen on June 24. No details have yet been received.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—A cablegram was received today at the War department reporting on the finding of the bodies of Everett and Wakeley. Everett's home was in Malons, N. Y., and Wakeley's in Chicago.

BISHOP POTTER GETS WEAKER

Fears Expressed Episcopal Divine Will Not Survive Much Longer.

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y., July 10.—While it is believed that Bishop Henry C. Potter's death is not imminent, his condition was such today as to cause grave apprehension. A message has been sent to his son, Almon Potter, to return at once to Perthburgh.

Until yesterday the eminent prelate's mind had been active and his disposition cheerful. In the turn for the worse he lost strength and last night it was reported that he failed to recognize those at his bed.

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BRYAN HEAD KERN TAIL

Democrats Choose Nebraska Leader for the Presidency.

SELECTION ON THE FIRST BALLOT

Beats Down Opposition and Wins by 892 1-3 Votes.

VOTE QUICKLY MADE UNANIMOUS

Congressman Hammond of Minnesota Makes Motion.

INDIANA MAN FOR SECOND PLACE

John W. Kern Chosen for Vice President by Acclamation.

OTHER CANDIDATES PRESENTED As Roll Call Progressed Their Names Were Withdrawn.

GREAT DEMONSTRATION ON FLOOR

Nomination Made Unanimous with Great Shout and Convention Adjourns—National Committee Meets Today.

DENVER, July 10.—The democratic national convention concluded its labors late this afternoon by the nomination of John W. Kern, of Indiana, for vice president, completing the ticket on which William Jennings Bryan was made the nominee for president during the early hours of this morning.

The nomination of Kern was made by acclamation amid the resounding cheers of delegates and spectators. No ballot was necessary, as the tide of sentiment had set irresistibly toward the Indiana candidate, state after state registering its delegation in his favor, and all other candidates withdrawing before the universal demand for his nomination.

Nomination of Bryan. W. J. Bryan of Nebraska was nominated for the third time for the office of president of the United States by the national convention at 3:40 a. m. this morning amid scenes of frenzied enthusiasm.

The result came after an all night session, which was kept in a constant state of turmoil up to the culminating moment, when the Nebraska leader was proclaimed the choice of the convention as the democratic standard bearer. The nomination was made on the first ballot, the vote standing:

W. J. Bryan, 823; Governor John A. Johnson, 40; Judge Gray, 20; absent and not voting, 8; total, 892.

The vote by states was as follows:

Table showing the vote by states for William Jennings Bryan and John W. Kern. States listed include Alabama, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and New Mexico.

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