

PRESIDENT SAYS
TEDDY IS WRONG

Executive Flatly Contradicts Predecessor's Claim to 532 Delegates to Chicago Convention.

VOTE OF OHIO WILL DECIDE

President Says Result Depends Upon His Home State.

HE IS GLAD THIS IS CASE

Willing to Leave Issue to People Who Know Him Best.

COLONEL SPEAKS IN GREENVILLE

Roosevelt Says He Opposed Reciprocity Treaty After He Found that it Benefitted Millers and Packers.

CLEVELAND, O., May 16.—Replying to the claims of Theodore Roosevelt that he had 532 delegates to the republican national convention, President Taft today in a public statement pointed out that Mr. Roosevelt had only 39 delegates and for the first time admitted that the result of the primaries in Ohio will settle the question of the republican nomination.

"The vote in Ohio, my home state, much to my gratification, will be the decisive one and will settle the question of the nomination," said the president.

ROOSEVELT SPEAKS AT GREENVILLE

GREENVILLE, O., May 16.—I called his bluff, said Colonel Roosevelt today of President Taft. He was speaking at Greenville on the Canadian reciprocity bill, saying the president had attempted to show that the ex-president was with him in the fight for reciprocity.

Colonel Roosevelt said that when he at first favored the bill, he had not known its character.

"When I learned later on that it worked to the advantage of the beef and the milling trust I had to put myself against it," the colonel said. "When I found that the president deliberately was using my support of the measure to influence the people against me, well, I just called his bluff, if I may be permitted to use such a term."

REPUBLICANS LOSE FRANCHISE

Party Organization in Louisiana Comes to Exist.
BATON ROUGE, La., May 16.—As an organization the republicans in Louisiana no longer exist in Louisiana. Its franchise was lost today when official returns of the April election were read in the joint session of the general assembly and the result formally promulgated. Only 4,581 votes were cast for the republican candidates, and as this is less than the 10 per cent required by the state law the organization no longer exists. Names of nominees can be placed on the tickets in the future only by petition. The forfeit of the franchise also prevents the party from availing itself of the provisions of the state primary law.

Four Men Secured For Darrow Jury

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 16.—With twelve men in the jury box, four of whom have been passed and are subject only to the peremptory challenge, the trial of Clarence S. Darrow, under indictment for the attempted bribery of George N. Lockwood, a McNamara salesman, made rapid progress today. Some of the attorneys declared today that the taking of testimony would be begun by the end of the week.

WEATHER IS UNSEASONABLE THROUGHOUT COUNTRY

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Unseasonable weather prevails generally throughout the country, excepting in the extreme northwest, with temperatures from 19 to 15 degrees below what they ordinarily are at this time of the year. This unusual cold weather is accompanied by showers over the eastern half of the country, due to two storms, one from the west, today over Ohio, and one from the Gulf of Mexico, central over North Carolina. Weather bureau officials stated the temperatures would remain comparatively low.

The Weather

Official Forecast—
For Omaha, Council Bluffs and vicinity
—Fair and slightly warmer tonight and Friday.

Table with 2 columns: Temperature at Omaha, Hours, Deg. (5 a.m., 6 a.m., 7 a.m., 8 a.m., 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 m., 1 p.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m.)

Local Weather Record.

Table with 2 columns: Lowest last night, Precipitation, Normal temperature for today, Deficiency in precipitation since March 1, 1912.

Weather in the Grain Belt.

Another slight but general fall in temperature occurred last night in the central valley and lake region, and unseasonably cool weather prevails in all sections, except the southern states. Temperatures at or below freezing, with heavy to killing frosts, were general in the extreme upper Mississippi and upper Missouri valleys, and the western portions of Nebraska and Kansas. A slight but general rise in temperature is shown in the mountains and the Pacific slope. Generally clear weather prevails west of the Mississippi river into the mountains, and fair weather over the Pacific slope. It is unsettled east of the Mississippi river, and rains are general in the lake region, Ohio valley and eastern states. With the temperature rising in the west, the outlook is for slightly warmer in this vicinity tonight and Friday, with continued fair weather.

General Assembly of Presbyterian Church Meets at Louisville

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 16.—With a sermon by the retiring moderator, Rev. John F. Carson of Brooklyn, to be followed by the election of a new moderator, nearly 2,000 churchmen of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America, organized the 121st general assembly in Louisville today, the first in many years to be held south of the Mason and Dixon line.

Three men with a fourth, who at any other time a church assembly would be called as candidates for the highest honor in the gift of the assembly, that of moderator. It was expected that Rev. Dr. Mark A. Matthews of Seattle would receive a larger vote on the first ballot than either Rev. Dr. James G. K. McClure of Chicago, or Rev. Dr. Frank Woodford Sneed of Pittsburgh.

This would make it necessary, according to the rules of procedure for Dr. McClure or Dr. Sneed, whoever received the lowest vote, to withdraw, leaving the two others before the assembly. In case several ballots had not resulted in an election, it was expected that the name of Rev. Dr. William G. Taylor of Rochester, N. Y., would be put before the assembly. Dr. Sneed and Dr. Matthews are southerners, both having been members of the Southern Presbyterian church before going to northern churches. Dr. McClure is president of the faculty of McCormick Theological seminary, Chicago.

Bishop Nuelsen Presides at Big M. E. Conference

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 16.—(Special Correspondence.)—Bishop John L. Nuelsen of Omaha presided for the first time today over a business session of the general conference. It is hardly necessary to say that he did so with grace and dignity. It was an exceedingly trying and difficult session. An important report of the reading of the minutes, the report of the committee on judicial procedure. It related almost entirely to changes in the method of bringing charges and conducting the trial of a bishop who was supposed to have offended the moral law or the law of the church. As the report was considered item by item numerous amendments and substitutes were offered causing frequent parliamentary tangles. Later the report of the committee on education was received, calling forth a very animated discussion. The educational report was before the conference at the time of adjournment. In all of the very trying situations Bishop Nuelsen's rulings were exceedingly fair and impartial.

White Urges Hard Coal Miners to Accept Scale

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 16.—John P. White, national president of the United Mine Workers of America, held the attention of the anthracite miners in convention here today for two hours while he urged them to accept the agreement arranged by the miners' and operators' committee.

Express Robbers Get Two Hundred Thousand Dollars

NEW ORLEANS, May 16.—Robbers who held up a Queen & Crescent express train near Hattiesburg, Miss., yesterday got at least \$200,000, according to best information obtainable here today. It is positively known that from the safe which was blown open the bandits got more than thirty packages of currency, one which contained in excess of \$50,000. One package of currency contained \$100,000, according to an express messenger.

Hundred Thousand to Help Close Levee

ST. LOUIS, May 16.—The Mississippi river commission decided today to expend up to \$100,000 toward the closure of the Hymella (La.) crevasse, on condition that the property owners interested shall contribute one-half of the expense.

CHICAGO RAILROADS SAY FREIGHT IS MOVING

CHICAGO, May 16.—Railroad officials today were sanguine regarding conditions in the strike of the freight handlers and declared that the work of moving commodities in the freight houses was proceeding normally.

CLARK WINNER IN IOWA FIGHT

"Houn' Dawg" Candidate Trims Allied Wilson and Bryan Men at Burlington.

TWENTY-SIX MORE FOR SPEAKER

Eight of These Are Chosen from Among Wilson Banks.

VOTE NEAR CLOSE OF SESSION

Instructions Carried for Missouriian, 638 1-2 to 387 1-2.

EMMET TINLEY AS CHAIRMAN

Council Bluffs Man, Leader of Clark Forces and White Delegates Rout Opposition Forces.

BURLINGTON, Ia., May 16.—Iowa's twenty-six votes in the democratic national convention will be cast for Champ Clark for president despite the fact that eight district delegates are Wilson men. Clark's victory over the Wilson forces came near the close of the Iowa democratic convention today when all voted adopted a resolution instructing all national delegates to vote for Clark under the unit rule. The vote on the adoption of the resolution for Clark instructions was 638 1/2 to 387 1/2.

The convention met shortly before noon today.

The 164 delegates attended the district caucuses to select national delegates earlier in the day and many of them were slow in reaching the convention hall.

Chairman N. P. Reed of the democratic state central committee called the gathering to order and introduced M. F. Healey of Fort Dodge as the temporary presiding officer of the convention.

After the official call for the convention had been read the chairman announced the committees on permanent organization, credentials and resolutions.

The delegates enthusiastically cheered every mention of William J. Bryan's name in the address of temporary chairman Healey. A recess was taken shortly after noon until 2 o'clock.

With district conventions out of the way and their delegates unopposed it was more apparent than ever just prior to the opening of the afternoon session that the real fight of the convention would be over the effort of the Clark people to secure the adoption of the unit rule instructing the entire twenty-six delegates to vote for the speaker.

The Clark adherents apparently were in control, but the Wilson forces, aided by Bryan's friends, promised a determined effort to defeat the Clark program.

A large "houn' dawg" was led to the platform just before the opening of the afternoon session and the crowd joined in singing the "Houn' Dawg" song, accompanied by the band. It was nearly 2 o'clock when the business of the convention was resumed.

The permanent organization of the body was then effected by the election of Emmet Tinley of Council Bluffs as chairman and Fred Bierman of Decorah as secretary.

Plek District Delegates.
Champ Clark won fifteen and Woodrow Wilson seven of the twenty-two Iowa district delegates to the democratic national convention in the caucuses held prior to the opening of the state convention here today.

Although the delegates were chosen without instructions from their district caucuses, the personal preference of fifteen is said to be for Clark, while seven are said to favor Wilson.

The district delegates to the Baltimore convention recommended by the caucus were as follows:
First District—John Pettibone, Burlington; R. B. Louden, Fairfield.
Second District—Henry Volmer, Davenport; W. J. McDonald, Iowa City.
Third District—J. W. Kenninger, Dubuque; O. C. Getman, Eldora.
Fourth District—D. D. Murphy, Elkader; Willard Buckner, Marquette.
Fifth District—John Hughes, Cedar Rapids; Arthur White, Union.
Sixth District—W. W. Hamilton, Sigourney; S. P. McConnell, Bloomfield.
Seventh District—George A. Huffman, Des Moines; W. J. Casey, Knoxville.
Eighth District—J. W. Dotts, Shenandoah; Walter H. Dewey, Chariton.
Ninth District—W. J. Burke, Harrison; J. W. Morris, Guthrie.
Tenth District—E. J. Murrigh, Altona; Maurice O'Connor, Fort Dodge; Montague Hakes, Laurens; J. C. Arts, Carroll (half vote each).
Eleventh District—W. B. Palmer, Sioux City; J. F. Kirburg, Sanborn.

Delegates-at-large.
The Clark leaders prepared a tentative slate for seven of the delegates as large as follows:
Claude R. Porter, Centerville; Emmet Tinley, Council Bluffs; M. F. Healey, Fort Dodge; Wilbur W. Marsh, Waterloo; N. D. Ely, Davenport; Frank A. O'Connor, New Hampton; N. F. Reed, Ottumwa.

The Wilson slate also had but seven names on it, as follows:
Louis Murphy, Dubuque; John E. Craig Keokuk; N. D. Ely, Davenport; Frank O'Connor, New Hampton; Will C. Whiting; Walter Sheldon, Ames.

The Grand Carnival of 1912



From the Cleveland Leader.

KING'S BODY IS TAKEN HOME

Short Service Held for Late Danish Monarch at Hamburg.

WIDOWED QUEEN MAKES TALK

Her Majesty Addresses Few Touching Words to Fellow Countrymen Who Gather at Hotel—All Deeply Affected.

HAMBURG, Germany, May 16.—The body of King Frederick VIII of Denmark, who died here under pathetic circumstances, on Tuesday night was started on its journey to Copenhagen at 8 o'clock this morning.

A short and simple funeral service was held in the rooms of the hotel before the casket was carried down the stairs by twelve municipal employees, attired in quaint fifteenth century costumes. They wore black doublets, knee breeches, white stockings, black plumed hats and swords. As the procession passed officials in medieval costumes lined up on each side of the door.

The widowed queen, Louisa, left the hotel on the arm of Prince Harald, her third son. Prince Gustav and Princesses Thyra and Dagmar, the three youngest children of the late king, who had traveled with him and the queen from Nice, came immediately after their mother. All appeared deeply affected.

Police Called to Quiet Uproar in African M. E. Conference

KANSAS CITY, May 16.—After two hours' ceaseless effort on the part of Bishop J. S. Flipper of Atlanta, Ga., to call today's session of the African Methodist Episcopal conference to order for the election of four bishops the police had to be called in to quiet the uproar among the delegates which threatened the serenity of the neighborhood.

Fifteen hundred negroes were crowded into Allen chapel, where conference sessions are being held and which is supposed to seat only 500. The fact that there were fifteen candidates for the four places as bishop caused such factional sentiment among the delegates that at 8 o'clock this morning, four hours before the chapel was packed, by noon 600 negroes were massed about the doors clamoring for admission. The uproar that came through the windows was loud and continuous.

Bishop Flipper had hammered with his gavel and shouted in vain for order more than an hour, when Dr. T. M. N. Smith, also of Georgia, gained a hearing as champion of the opposition. He denounced Bishop Flipper for using the "methods of boss rule" and attempting to run a "one-man convention."

Bishop Flipper and Dr. Smith finally agreed to call the police to try for order among the excited delegates who could neither be induced to cease haranguing themselves or to leave the chapel. When the police advanced to the platform and a lieutenant held up his hand a hush of death fell over the room. The officer suggested that the body disperse and reconvene in Convention hall, where there would be ample room for separate caucuses and "a peaceable adjustment of difficulties."

Meat Inspection Inquiry Postponed by House Committee

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The house committee on expenditures in the Agricultural department today postponed indefinitely action on the Nelson resolution to investigate the meat inspection service.

Atlanta Pressmen Return to Work

ATLANTA, Ga., May 16.—After having been "out" on the Atlanta Georgian since last Saturday morning the pressmen of that paper returned to work today, every member of the force resuming his former place. The Georgian has not missed an issue, getting out the paper with an emergency crew.

First Testimony Taken in Money Trust Inquiry

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The first oral testimony heard by the money trust investigating committee was given today when Herman Steichen of New York was called to the stand by Chairman Paulsen when the Brazilian coffee valor of Crossman & Steichen of New York, acted as fiscal agent for the state of Sao Paulo when the Brazilian coffee valorization plan was formulated. Mr. Steichen was heard today because of his intention to go to Europe in the near future. He said his firm was the largest dealer in green coffee in the world. He said the United States consumed about 90 per cent of the coffee crop of the world and the New York exchange made the basis of the world's price of coffee.

SON IS BORN TO DR. AND MRS. HARVEY WILEY

WASHINGTON, May 16.—With the bureau of chemistry still without a head, a possible hereditary successor to Dr. Harvey Wiley arrived in Washington today, when the former chief chemist of the United States became the father of a boy, his first born. Dr. Wiley, who is 47 years old, was married to Miss Anna G. Kelson a year ago.

Two Delegates for Roosevelt

FARMINGTON, Minn., May 16.—At the Third district republican convention here today Dr. J. A. Gates and State Senator J. W. Lloyd were elected as delegates to the national convention. Instructed for Roosevelt.

BIBLE SOCIETY SENDS OUT NEARLY HALF MILLION

NEW YORK, May 16.—The American Bible society issued its ninety-sixth annual report and announced that an increase of 69,679 volumes was issued over the preceding year. The report dwells on a number of translations of parts of the Bible into strange languages throughout the world. The total number of volumes issued during the year amounted to 2,491,201.

ALUMINUM COMBINE IS SUED

Government Files Petition in Equity to Restrain the Monopoly.

BASIS FOR AN AGREED DECREE

Court Asked to Issue Nine Broad Injunctions Against Unlawful Contracts and Conspiracies—Company to Be Good.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 16.—The federal government filed a civil anti-trust suit against the Aluminum Company of America, which will be the basis for an agreed decree designed to restrain the so-called Aluminum trust from monopolizing the manufacture of aluminum and its products, including cooking utensils.

In a petition in equity in the United States court for the western district of Pennsylvania, the company is charged to be a monopoly restraining interstate and foreign commerce in violation of the Sherman law. It is declared to have acquired a substantial control of the aluminum industry in the United States and to have charged exorbitantly high prices and profits on its products. The dissolution of the corporation is not sought, but the court is asked to issue nine broad injunctions against alleged unlawful contracts, combinations, conspiracies and practices.

The government contends that the company's ownership of more than 90 per cent of the known deposits of bauxite (basis of aluminum) in the United States and Canada suitable for the manufacture of the metal is "not within itself unlawful."

It is charged, however, that the practical monopoly of both bauxite and the manufacture of aluminum, which the company legally enjoyed on the expiration of its patents for making aluminum in 1908 has been maintained by unlawful agreements and unfair methods towards competitors.

The extent of other bauxite deposits in the United States is not known at this time, but it is pointed out that there are inexhaustible quantities abroad which could be placed at the disposal of competitors for the manufacture of aluminum if the restraints on the trade were removed.

The history of the aluminum cooking utensil industry in the United States, says the petition, is a history of shipwrecks, "caused chiefly or contributed to by the arbitrary, discriminatory and unfair dealings of the defendant."

Agreed Decree Will Be Entered.
The agreed decree, which will be entered within a few days, will follow the government's prayer for restraints on the company. This agreement obviating a prolonged battle in the courts, was the result of several weeks of negotiations between the Department of Justice and the corporation.

William T. Chantland, special assistant to the attorney general, is in charge of the case, which he developed for the government. The bill also is signed by Attorney General W. C. Brewster, Assistant to the Attorney General Fowler and United States Attorney Jordan of Pittsburgh.

The Aluminum company of America, incorporated in Pennsylvania originally as the Pittsburgh Reduction company, has grown. It is pointed out, from a \$20,000 capitalization in 1888 until its assets now are estimated at \$75,000,000. A stock dividend of 500 per cent, or \$15,000,000 was declared in 1909.

In addition to its extensive raw material bauxite holdings, the government declares the company produces practically 100 per cent of the aluminum used in making aluminum manufactures, substantially 90 per cent of the crude and semi-finished aluminum for the United States and Canada; more than 70 per cent of the aluminum cooking utensils in the United States, controls the manufacture and sale of over 50 per cent of aluminum castings for this country, used primarily in the automobile industry; and more than 70 per cent of all aluminum goods and novelties made in this country.

Parties to Illegal Contract.
The defendant company is charged with entering into illegal agreements with the following corporations or individuals:
With the General Chemical company, Norton company and the Pennsylvania salt manufacturing company, forbidden these "three potential competitors" from engaging in the manufacture of aluminum and from selling bauxite to anyone except the defendant.

With the so-called Swiss, or Neubaussen company, of Europe, the largest European aluminum corporation, preventing importations and exportations and dividing territory and trade so that the American company controlled the business on this side of the Atlantic and the European corporation on the other.

With Gustav A. Kruttschnitt and James C. Coleman, both of Newark, N. J., who are alleged to have agreed not to manufacture or sell aluminum east of Denver.

On recommendation of the committee on Christian education, presented by (Continued on Page Two.)

NEW RULES FOR THE EPISCOPALS

Diocese of Nebraska Tabooes Many Kinds of Entertainments as Means for Raising Money.

EVEN ICE CREAM SOCIALS TO GO

Dances in Name of the Church Must Become Things of the Past.

BAZARS ARE TO BE FROWNED ON

Rummage Sales, Once So Popular, Will Not Be Tolerated.

OLD PRACTICES CALLED UNGODLY

Step Taken by the Clergy and Laymen Acting in Conjunction to Apply to All Churches of the State.

Rummage sales, ice cream socials, exhibitions of "Mrs. Jarley's wax works," bazars, dances and entertainments of all kinds are tabooed forever as a means of raising church funds in the Episcopal diocese of Nebraska. The forty-fifth annual of the diocese decided this at its closing session yesterday afternoon.

Rev. F. D. Truer of St. Andrew's, Omaha, recommended the foregoing action on the grounds that giving entertainments to raise money for the church is contrary to the teaching of the scriptures and at variance with business principles and with the ideas of many members of the council. His recommendation that such practices be discontinued was endorsed, though not unanimously.

Scott King of St. Mark's church, South Omaha, pleaded earnestly for the "ice cream social" in order that the mortgage on the church might some day be paid, as money could be raised at these functions.

Edgar Howard of Columbus condemned what he called, "this ungodly system," and declared that it was a constant drag on the women of the church.

Rev. John Williams of St. Barnabas' contended that he would take care of his folds without their having to resort to "this awful work." He said that when he went to St. Barnabas' thirty-five years ago there were only thirty communicants in the church and that they were giving exhibitions of "Mrs. Jarley's Waxworks" and dances to try to support the church. He said that he would take in \$5 at a dance, pay \$5 for music and \$1 for cake, and that the dances were unprofitable, financially as well as sinful.

"I stopped the dances. We are poor, but honest at St. Barnabas," said Father Williams.

Resolutions that the council adopt the forward movement plan of an every-man canvass as the means of getting pledges for missions and other activities, were endorsed, as was also the Manhattan plan of paying missionaries in operation in Africa. This plan provides that single men in the mission field receive a minimum salary of \$500 a year and that married men receive \$1,200.

Far over an hour the council was tied up on the election to fill one place on the standing committee, which acts for the bishop when for any reason he is incapacitated. After electing without hitch of any kind the three laymen on the committee—C. W. Lyman, Omaha; C. S. Montgomery, Omaha; S. C. Smith, Des Moines—and two clergy—Rev. John Williams, Omaha, and Rev. A. E. Marsh, Blair—the council struck a snag. The clergy cast the majority of their votes, time after time, for Rev. F. D. Truer of St. Andrew's and the lay delegates held out for Dean J. A. Tanock of Trinity cathedral. The latter finally gave way to the clergy and Rev. Truer was chosen.

Delegates Are Elected.
Victor Caldwell of Omaha was re-elected treasurer.

The following delegates and alternates were chosen to represent the body at the conference of the sixth missionary department in Grand Junction, Colo., next October:
Clerical Delegates—Rev. S. Mills Hayes, Lincoln; Rev. F. C. Taylor, Norfolk; Dean J. A. Tanock, Omaha; Rev. James Noble, Omaha; Rev. W. W. Barnes, Nebraska City. Clerical alternates—Rev. A. E. Marsh, Blair; Rev. A. H. Brook, Lincoln; Rev. T. J. Collier, Omaha.

Lay Delegates and Alternates—J. S. C. Fisher, Beatrice; C. L. Hopper, Omaha; A. P. Hopkins, Fremont; J. H. Mayland, Norfolk; George Copeland, Elgin.

Delegates to the Sunday school session of the conference are Francis Rainbow, Neligh; J. B. Mayland, Norfolk; Mrs. J. C. Bousfield, Auburn. Alternate, C. L. Hopper, Omaha.

The bishop's nomination of the following to serve on the newly created diocesan social service board were confirmed as follows:
Rev. A. L. Williams, bishop of the diocese, chairman; Rev. J. A. Tanock of Trinity cathedral, Omaha, vice chairman; Rev. S. Mills Hayes, Lincoln; Rev. W. W. Barnes, Nebraska City; C. Claiborne, Omaha; Dr. H. H. Waite, Lincoln; Chauncey Wattles, Neligh; Mrs. F. H. Cole, Omaha; Miss Marie Gere, Lincoln.

Religion in Schools.
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