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## ALL DEMOCRATS,

## ALL FOR GOLD.

Indianapolis Convention Will Name National Ticket,

AND BRYAN KEEPS ON TALKING

Silver Candidate Has Reached Ohio—McKinley Receives Delegations at His Home—Vermonts Republican Majority the Largest for Years—Cockran Supposed to be for McKinley.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 2.—Forty-one States and three Territories, represented by 824 delegates, met today in Tomlinson Hall as the climax of a six-weeks campaign to repudiate the action of the Chicago Convention and put forth a declaration of principles and name a Presidential ticket. Senator Palmer, who called the body to order, termed it the first convention of the National Democratic party, while others referred to it as the Democracy which held its last convention in 1892.

Admission to the hall was confined strictly to ticket-holders. As a result, many people were denied admittance. Inside, every seat in the space reserved on the floor for delegates and alternates was taken, and the galleries, except on the upper balconies in the rear of the hall, where the band was located, were comfortably well filled. The chairs in the rear of the platform reserved for the distinguished guests were nearly all occupied. The decorations were lavish. There was a profusion of flags and bunting, trailing smilax, Spanish moss and potted flowers, but the most noticeable feature was the prevalence of gilt, symbolic of the spirit of the convention. Gold wreaths were everywhere in the decorations, and half the delegates wore sprays of gold-rod in their lapels of their coats. There was an unusually large number of ladies in the galleries.

The delegates themselves were an imposing body of men. Among them were many who have for years been prominent in national affairs and the councils of the Democratic party. Not a few were delegates to the Chicago convention, including several chairmen of delegations, who returned here in the same capacity, except that whereas they were hissed there for declining to participate in the proceedings, their appearance here was the signal for outbursts of enthusiasm.

There was plenty of enthusiasm and demonstrations were numerous. Every reference to Mr. Cleveland was the signal of a scene, during which men cheered and waved whatever they could get their hands on. Miniature flags found their way out of mysterious recesses and were waved on every occasion.

The convention held two sessions, but got no further than effecting the permanent organization. Ex-Governor Flower, the temporary chairman, and Senator Caffery, the permanent chairman, both delivered addresses, and Dr. Everett of Massachusetts and John P. Irish, the Pacific Coast orator, voiced the spirit of the convention during intermissions in the proceedings. There was not a jar or hitch anywhere. The temper of the delegates was displayed in the vigorous fashion with which the denunciation of the Chicago platform and its candidates were received.

Governor Flower referred to Bryan as an "ambitious, unsteady and unsafe man," and a "demagogue and a word juggler," with "a revolutionary mob behind him," and the rafters rang with applause.

Perhaps the most important action taken by the convention was the adoption of a recommendation to make the organization permanent and to empower the National Committee appointed to call future conventions. This indicates a contest four years from now over the regularity of the two organizations, and may prove far-reaching in its effects. The platform will be adopted and the candidates nominated tomorrow. Tonight a great mass-meeting was held.

An unusual feature is the entire absence of any aggressive competition for the nomination. The trend of sentiment favors Bragg and Buckner, but there is a strong undercurrent for Vilas.

VERMONT'S MAJORITY.

It Far Exceeds Fondest Hopes of Republicans.

BURLINGTON, Vt., Sept. 2.—B. B. Smalley, a member of the Democratic National Committee for Vermont, who has in previous Presidential campaigns been an active worker at national headquarters, says the figures look more like a Republican caucus than an election. He starts for Europe tomorrow to remain until after the Presidential election.

The estimate of 49,000 plurality as the measure of Vermont's Republican victory bids fair to be realized by the official figures. Complete returns from 241 out of 247 counties and towns give Groot for Governor 53,824; Jackson, 14,676; Republican plurality, 39,148. The six towns to hear from will in-

crease the plurality to more than 39,500.

The Republican vote is 5,302 larger than any ever before cast, and the Democratic vote is smaller than in any election since the close of the Rebellion. The Republican plurality is 10,000 larger than was ever given a candidate for Governor. There is a gain in the Republican plurality over the Presidential figures of 1892 of 11 per cent.

It is a noteworthy feature that with all the different political beliefs represented in the field this year the scattering vote, or all in opposition to the two leading parties is 594 less than in 1892. The Populist candidate for Governor polls less than 1000 votes and the Prohibition nominee probably less than 300.

WERE MCKINLEY EDITORS.

His Delegation From West Virginia Visits Canton, Ohio.

CANTON, Ohio, Sept. 1.—The advent of autumn was noticeable in Canton by the arrival of a delegation of the Republican editors of West Virginia, 95 per cent of the Republican papers of the State being represented by their editors or owners in the delegation, and every man as well as woman and child who accompanied the delegation came to see Major McKinley.

The editors after dinner marched to the McKinley residence. The appearance of the Major was the signal for an outburst of applause. He was introduced by Hon. P. W. Morris, editor of the Ritchie Gazette and president of the Republican Press Association of West Virginia.

"Major McKinley's speech," said the Hon. A. B. White, secretary of the Republican committee of West Virginia, "will be of untold service to the Republicans of our State. It is a message freighted with information and wisdom. It will add to our strength in every community. It shows our people how great is their interest in protection and makes clear to them that their material prosperity depends upon the success of the Republican party. We are gaining ground every day in West Virginia, and we are working and fighting hard every day."

HOKE SMITH IS OUT.

He Has Finally Retired From Cleveland's Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—Secretary Smith closed his administration of the Interior Department today and retired from the Cabinet. Today the Secretary devoted almost his entire time to taking leave of his associates and employees. When ex-Governor Francis will arrive from Missouri is not yet definitely known, though it will be before the end of the week. Secretary Smith will leave for Atlanta this evening or tomorrow night, leaving Assistant Secretary Reynolds in charge.

BRYAN'S VOICE LEFT ON THE ROAD

Still He Managed to Do a Little Talking.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 2.—The Bryan party left here this morning for Springfield. There were crowds at the train to see him off. On the train were the reception committees from Springfield and Kenton. A short stop was made at London for the nominee to shake hands with the crowd.

COCKRAN FOR MCKINLEY.

He Will Not Take Part in the Gold Convention.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Edward M. Sheppard, leader of the Brooklyn gold standard Democrats, announced last night that Bourke Cockran would not preside at the Indianapolis Gold Standard Democratic Convention if requested. He said that Cockran believes that the election of McKinley is necessary, and that Cockran had so announced himself, and does not care to participate in the convention when he intended to vote for McKinley.

Mrs. Lease Will Aid Bryan.

RUSHVILLE, Ind., Aug. 29.—Mrs. Mary E. Lease of Kansas in an interview after her speech here said she had espoused socialism for the coming form of government, and will, after the campaign, begin a propaganda for socialist principles. She has abandoned all ideas of entering the ministry.

Mrs. Lease will stump the States of New York and Pennsylvania for Bryan. She says she proposes to take up her permanent residence on the Atlantic coast. She does not like Tom Watson, and says if he is patriotic and a gentleman he will withdraw from the vice presidential race. At present she

thinks him the greatest menace to Bryan's success.

Case of McKinley Fever.

KENTON, Ohio, Sept. 2.—Bryan said in his speech at Bellfontaine that the crowd seemed to be affected with yellow fever. Fully half of the people wore big yellow labels inscribed "McKinley Club." Men and women wore them and waved them in front of the Democratic candidate. There were plenty of Bryan shouters in the crowd, however, and these cheered while the brass band they had engaged cheered in his honor.

Big Crowd at Kenton.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Sept. 2.—At Kenton Bryan addressed 6,000 citizens of that county. The address was made in the park of the little city and was well received. The crowd was mostly made up of farmers, who cheered the utterances of the nominee heartily.

DAME RUMOR GETS

ANOTHER SLAP.

Those Willis Instructions Were

Never Given.

DENIAL MADE AT WASHINGTON.

United States Consul General Mills Reports on

Condition of Trade—Exports Nearly Double

Those of Last Year—Good Portion of Sugar

Sent Around the Horn to New York.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The dispatches from San Francisco yesterday to the effect that United States Minister Willis had been authorized to negotiate with President Dole of Hawaii for either annexation, a monarchical form of government with Princess Kaiulana at the head, or a United States protectorate for the Hawaiian Islands find no credence in official circles in this city. It is regarded as extremely improbable that President Cleveland should desire to reopen the Hawaiian scandal under existing conditions; and it is thought to be even more improbable that President Dole would consider overtures from an unfriendly administration so near the end of its term, especially when there is no doubt that the Island Republic would receive much more generous treatment at the hands of the next administration, regardless of its personality. Nor is it thought that there is any likelihood of a further attempt of the Cleveland administration to "right the wrongs" of Liliuokalani, or to restore the monarchy under Kaiulana.

State Department officials disclaim all knowledge of any such negotiations as are indicated in the rumors from Honolulu. Acting Secretary Adee says he has never heard of any such negotiations, and intimates plainly that the Hawaiian story is very much overdrawn, if not altogether without foundation.

BUSINESS BEING DIVERTED.

Consul-General Mills Reports on Hawaiian Trade.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—The diversion of Hawaiian trade from San Francisco to New York is commented on by Consul General Ellis Mills at Honolulu in a report to the State Department. He says the exports this year are almost double those of last year, reaching \$8,748,000 for the year, against \$4,949,900 last year. Most of this is in sugar, of which \$2,457,500 has been carried around Cape Horn direct to New York instead of going via San Francisco. One large shipment has gone round the Horn to Boston.

COLORED CADETS.

Navy Stirred Up Over Appointments to Academy at Annapolis.

WASHINGTON, August 28.—The Navy Department is stirred up over the prospect of two colored naval officers. It has just been learned that among the young men who have presented themselves at the naval academy, Annapolis, for physical examination next week are two very bright young colored men. One of them is from California, while the other represents a Chicago district. Nothing was known as to their color or antecedents until a day or two ago, because each of them received the appointment from his Congressman, after having won his district competitive examination.

Several years ago a colored youth was appointed a cadet to Annapolis and the authorities of the academy compelled his white associates to treat him with every official courtesy. On one occasion a cadet from the South, on being ordered to fence with the colored cadet, threw down his foils and indignantly refused to cross swords with him. The white cadet was promptly dismissed. The colored cadet, however, at the examinations of 1876, when he was in the second year, was dropped. Since that time no colored men have been at the academy. The two candidates who will report next week are not likely, however, to fall at any of the mental examinations which they must undergo during their stay at the academy, because of the remarkable intelligence they displayed at the competitive examinations, where they won their appointment. If, therefore, they are graduated, the young naval officers of four years hence may have to bunk with colored roommates.

ACTION OF SEATTLE BANKS.

They Will Discount Canadian Coin and Paper.

SEATTLE, Sept. 1.—The Seattle banks will retaliate on Canadian banks for discounting the money of the United States. The matter was discussed informally by the clearing house today, and tomorrow final action will be taken. The Canadians having been making a discount of 10 per cent on American money, and the proposed action of the local banks, which will undoubtedly be taken, will be a discount of 2 per cent on paper, while 50-cent pieces will be received for 40 cents, and 25-cent pieces for 20 cents. The banks will give ten days' notice to their customers of the new rule.

CORNELIUS VANDERBILT STILL ILL

His Condition is Regarded as Precarious.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 31.—Cornelius Vanderbilt, although seeming to mend slowly, is in a precarious condition. His physicians today ordered that he should not be removed from Newport, and his wife has made arrangements to pass the coming winter at this resort.

MAY RECALL FAVA.

Italian Govt. Said to be Dissatisfied With Handling of Lynching Cases.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—It is rumored in diplomatic circles in Washington tonight that Baron Fava, the Italian Ambassador to the United States, has been recalled by his Government. It is understood that the reason for this action is that the home Government is dissatisfied with the way in which Baron Fava handled the Italian lynching incidents of five years ago at New Orleans and those of more recent date at Hamersville, La. It is said that the recall papers are now on the way to this city.

ANOTHER IDIOT LOOSE.

Capt. Frietsch Going Around the World in a Boat.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 1.—Capt. Adolf Frietsch, who crossed the Atlantic a year ago in the little cockleshell Nina, started at 3 o'clock this afternoon on a voyage around the world in his little sailboat the Schiltz Globe. He will sail down the lake to Chicago, pass through the drainage canal to the Mississippi river, down to the Gulf of Mexico, cross the Isthmus of Panama by rail and then sail to San Francisco. His voyage will consume four years. He goes alone.

The Old Red Lion Burned.

STOCKBRIDGE, Mass., Aug. 31.—The historic Red Lion, of Stockbridge, the most popular hotel in the Berkshire hills, was burned today. Only the front wall, which dates from 1773, was left standing. The house had 159 guests, but no lives were lost. The loss is \$50,000.

The Roanoke in New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The long overdue Roanoke was among the marine arrivals today. She is from Honolulu. Tugs have been searching for her for the past week. She brings the biggest cargo of sugar ever carried on the water.

Why Should He Talk?

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 1.—Mr. Bryan was shown the latest bulletin from Vermont giving the election returns, just before he retired. He declined to talk.

May Return to Armenia.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—Miss Clara Barton, who is in Liverpool, has received such news of the massacre of Armenians in Constantinople that she abandoned her intention of sailing for American on the Servia today. If the troubles in Turkey continue she will return immediately to Armenia.

## LI WAS GREETED

## BY GROVER.

Courtesies Exchanged With U. S. Chief Executive.

SURROUNDED BY OFFICIAL GUARD

Many Influential Men Take Part in Viceroy's Entertainment—Mr. Cleveland Says "Aloha" and Then Goes Home—Li Hung Chang May Return via San Francisco.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Aug. 29.—In the magnificent white and gold ballroom, just off from the main hall of the mansion of William C. Whitney in Fifth avenue, the President of the United States, at 11 o'clock today, formally received the respects of the Emperor of China through the medium of the great Chinese statesman, Li Hung Chang.

The Oriental Ambassador left the Waldorf Hotel at 10:40 o'clock, escorted by the Sixth United States Cavalry, and attended by his secretary and interpreter, Lo Fung Luh, and Secretary of State Richard Olney. In the next carriage was the Chinese Minister, Yang Yu, and his secretary, with General Ruger. The third vehicle contained the Viceroy's two sons and Colonel Davis. Commissioners of Chinese Customs J. B. Drew, with a staff officer, was in the last carriage.

Earl Li wore his famous yellow jacket and peacock feathers. The party reached the Whitney residence at 11 o'clock sharp, and Li Hung Chang was received by the President a few minutes later. Secretary Carlisle, Assistant Secretary of State W. W. Rockhill, General James Wilson, John Russell Young, John W. Foster, Private Secretary Thurber and William C. Whitney were the only others present at the reception, the character of which was changed at the last moment from a public to a private one. The representatives from the two press associations, who had been invited, were not permitted to be present.

The letter from the Emperor of China which Li Hung Chang presented to President Cleveland was a very elaborate affair, done in Chinese parchment and wrapped in a yellow silk covering, upon which was the Chinese dragon worked in red, blue, green and white. The parchment resembled a large music roll.

After Mr. Cleveland finished his remarks he introduced Secretaries Carlisle and Lamont, Attorney-General Harmon, Mr. Whitney and the other gentlemen present whom Li Hung Chang had not met. Ex-Secretary of State John W. Foster was cordially greeted by Li Hung Chang. The official interpreter, Lo Fung Luh, introduced the two sons of the Viceroy and the others who accompanied him to President Cleveland.

President Cleveland and Secretaries Olney, Carlisle and Lamont took luncheon with Mr. Whitney. Mr. Cleveland left on the yacht Sapphire for Gray Gables this afternoon. He was accompanied by Mr. Olney and Private Secretary Thurber.

MAY COME THIS WAY.

Efforts Made for Li to Visit San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—About half an hour previous to the return of Li from the residence of Colonel Grant Iiu Baw, one of the Viceroy's suite, consented to talk with the "Examiner's" correspondent.

"Does the Viceroy intend to go West and pass through San Francisco?" was asked.

"Perhaps. They are doing a great deal out there to get him to stop over at that point. He has been informed that nearly 30,000 Chinese are living there and that it is the largest Chinese settlement in America. It is likely he will accede to their wishes."

Canadian Was Victor.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 1.—Today was the opening day of the regatta of the Northern Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen, which attracted a large number of spectators. The chief event was the race between Dr. McDowell and Bob Johnston, the Canadian amateur champion, which was won by the latter.