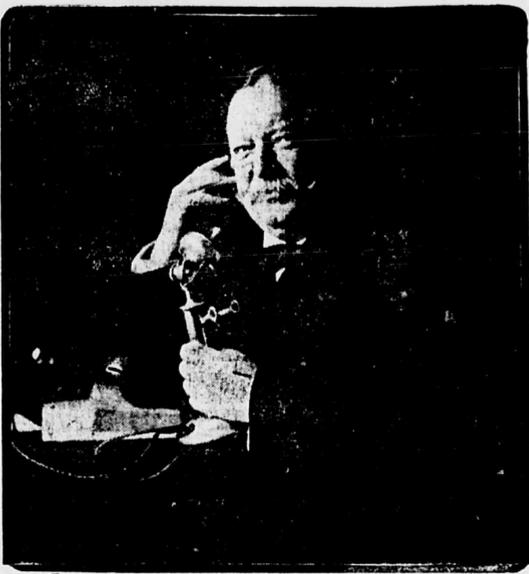


Secretary Taft, the Candidate, Talking Over the Phone With President Roosevelt-- Snapshots by Hallie Erminie Rives, the Novelist, Especially for the New York Evening World

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GOMPERS IN WARNING DECLARES LABOR MUST HAVE ITS FULL RIGHTS

Defiant as He Presents the Workingman's Plank for the Republican Platform--Federation Chief Talks Out to Committee.

CHICAGO, June 17.—When the subcommittee of thirteen of the Resolutions Committee began business at 10 o'clock to-day the doors of their assembly rooms were thrown open temporarily for the purpose of granting a twenty-minute hearing to representatives of the American Federation of Labor, and to those of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association. President Samuel Gompers and Vice-President Kelle and Duncan appeared for the Federation, and at the beginning of the hearing Mr. Gompers suggested the following as a plank in the platform, saying that it contained the embodiment of the Federation's views: Labor's Injunction Plank. "The Republican party is in accord with the great emancipator, Abraham Lincoln, when he declares that 'Labor is prior to and independent of capital. Capital is only the fruit of labor and could never have existed if labor had not first existed. Labor is the superior of capital and deserves much more consideration.' Through his wise and humane policy the shackles were stricken from the limbs of four millions chattel slaves. "The Republican party has been the staunch defender of property and property rights, yet holds and declares that personal rights and human liberty are and must be maintained as the first and highest consideration. Recognizing the new conditions arising from our marvellous industrial development, our people and our nation realize the fact that the wheels of industry and commerce of our time require that new laws be enacted to conform to modern industry and commerce and advance freedom in line therewith. "We therefore pledge the Republican party to the enactment of a law by Congress guaranteeing to the wages, agriculturists and horticulturists of our country the right of organized effort to the end that such associations or their members shall not be regarded as illegal combinations in restraint of trade. Trial by Jury. "We pledge ourselves to the enactment of a law to prohibit the issuance of injunctions in cases arising out of labor disputes, when such injunctions would not apply when no labor disputes existed; and that in no case shall an injunction be issued when there exists a remedy by the ordinary process of law; and which act shall provide that in the procedure for the punishment of contempt shall when such contempt was not committed in the actual presence of the court be entitled to a trial by jury. "We pledge the Republican party to the enactment of an amendment extending the existing eight-hour law to all Government employees and to all workers, whether employed by contractors or sub-contractors, doing work for or on behalf of the Federal Government. "We pledge the Republican party to the enactment of a law by Congress, as far as the Federal jurisdiction extends, for a general employer's liability act, for injury to body or loss of life of employees. "We pledge the Republican party to the enactment of a law to the extent of Federal jurisdiction granting a surcharge and to submit a constitutional amendment for ratification to the states for the absolute suffrage of women equal with men. "We pledge the Republican party to the enactment of a law creating a Department of Labor, separate from any existing department, with a secretary at its head, having a seat in the President's Cabinet. "We pledge the Republican party to the enactment of a law for the creation of a Federal bureau of mines and mining, preferably under the Department of Labor, and the appropriation of sufficient funds to thoroughly investigate the cause of mine disasters, so that laws and regulations may be recommended and enacted which will prevent the terrible maiming and loss of life in the mines. "We pledge the Republican party to the enactment of a law for the establishment of United States Government postal savings banks. Gompers Gives Warning. Mr. Gompers followed the reading of the plank by a speech which was an argument, which was extended from time to time by the committee, ten and five minutes at a time until half past five had been consumed. He described the labor movement, its high ideals and the natural force of its progress, as well as the opposition of members of labor organizations. "Do not want to eat an employer as an appetizer for breakfast or as dessert for dinner," he exclaimed, "but we want fair treatment, and we are going to have it. "We are not anarchists or destroyers of property," he continued. "I do not believe there is in existence in this country a more conservative and a more conservative of peace as the American labor movement. But you might just as well say that the organization of labor is to prevent their normal activities. "I ask you to compare the influences which this movement is exerting in the United States with the revolutionary movements that are going on in foreign countries. "If you outlaw our movement and make it impossible, and destroy the incentive for men to belong to labor organizations you will find the expression of discontent take some other form and you will have to deal with that." Challenges Emery. A somewhat lively colloquy resulted when Mr. Gompers took up the record of the National Manufacturers' Association, to the effect that eighteen injunctions on labor was the federal record for five years. Mr. Emery, representing the Manufacturers' Association, stated that Mr. Gompers knew this to be a misrepresentation. To this Mr. Gompers replied that he was only objecting, and when Mr. Gompers had concluded he was given an opportunity to be heard again. He said in his previous statement he had taken the record furnished Congress by Mr. Gompers. His own figures were, he said, twenty injunctions in labor disputes in five years. Mr. Emery took occasion to repeat his points of view yesterday. Cleave, who heads the Manufacturers' Association, and Mr. Smith, of the Illinois Association, were both given a word in conclusion in opposition to the injunction plank. Both urged attention to previous failures of labor to accomplish reform on election day and urged the committee to look at the question without fear. Governor Fort Honored. At the commencement exercises at Seton Hall College, South Orange (N. J.), to-day the degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred upon Gov. John Franklin Fort. Instead of being present to-day to receive the degree the Governor addressed the students of the college on Decoration Day. He is now attending the Republican Convention at Chicago.

CUMMINS MEN MAKE A RALLY TO BEAT FAIRBANKS

Declare the Vice-President Will Not Take Renomination and So Push Iowa Man.

THEY MEET OPPOSITION. Indiana Forces Say With the Presidency Settled Situation Will Be Open.

CHICAGO, June 17.—Cummins or Fairbanks. Such the Cummins men were declaring to-day, and they were adding that Fairbanks would not take the nomination if tendered, and that if he would take it the Administration would not accept him. The supporters of the Vice-President did not for a moment accept this analysis of the situation, but contended that, with the Presidency disposed of, the supporters of the successful candidate will be only too glad to welcome the renomination of the Vice-President. They also urge that under such pressure as is likely to be brought to bear on him, Mr. Fairbanks will not be able to refuse to permit the use of his name. The Iowa supporters of Cummins are increasing in numbers, and they began the day with an earnest effort to obtain the support of the full delegation for their man. At 11 o'clock some of them were still firm in their opposition, but the Cummins people were not without hope of success. Senator Borah, who started the Cummins boom, took note of the Iowa movement and said that the outsiders who favored Gov. Cummins would now wait upon the Governor's own State boom, the Governor's friends and managers here have decided to carry a Hughes banner into the convention hall at to-day's session. The banner will be an elaborate one in blue and gold, emblazoned with inscriptions, the colors of the Empire State predominating. But insistence for Hughes is commented upon by many Republicans as being prejudicial to New York's interests. In that, if Gov. Hughes would withdraw, New York would have a fine chance to get the Vice-Presidency. His failure to withdraw when it is accepted that he has no chance of being nominated leaves the New Yorkers here up a tree, and the delegates declare the delegation will carry a most humble position at the convention. To-day many of them are walking about the corridors of the hotels wearing Taft buttons, having discarded the Hughes emblem. Among the New York delegation Lou E. Pavn, of Columbia, is openly opposed to Gov. Hughes. Pavn is Very Frank. He told his constituents that he would never vote for Hughes. "When you want a stage-driver you want a man who understands automobiles," he said. "When you want a delegate you want a man with political knowledge. Hughes is a good driver, but he knows no more about men or politicians now than he did when he was seven years old. "If perchance he should be renominated for Governor, he would be a good man to have on the ticket. He would be named here, and the ticket may be lost so far as the State is concerned. There never was a time in the history of the Republican party when New York cut so little a figure as it does now. It is so small you can't see it. When you find yourself thrown with a lot of reformers—and I mean no disrespect to Gov. Hughes—you will find that the only way to get things done is to have in playing the political game in the open. State Chairman Woodruff, Herbert Parsons, William Barnes, William L. Ward and three or four other influential members of the New York delegation had a conference at the South Shore Country Club, and tried to figure out some way of straightening the tangled web they were trying to do was to

Funny Things Said and Done by the Politicians That Keep Them Cheerful Under Big Steam Roller



figure out a way whereby they could do active work for a New York candidate for Vice-President while still "supporting" Gov. Hughes for President. Though all of these gentlemen are pretty agile politicians, they could not devise any plan by which one State could present a candidate for President and Vice-President at the same time. Woodruff wanted to call a caucus and have the delegation vote on its choice for Vice-President. He insisted that as every one recognized that Gov. Hughes' candidacy was only a matter of form, and that New York was merely supporting him because it could not release itself, there would be no impropriety in choosing a Vice-Presidential candidate. Herbert Parsons could not see it that way. Parsons' instructions are a peculiarly binding brand, devised by him at the height of the Hughes boom to show his faith in the Governor. His instructions are so tight that only Gov. Hughes can release him. Parsons is one of the maddest men in Chicago over the situation, and he and his friends are saying things about the Governor that wouldn't look well in print. BARKERS SUGGESTED TO GIVE LIFE TO BOOMS. Barkers will probably be employed soon to call attention to the various booms. "Uncle Joe" Cannon has a gleeful grin under contract a long afternoon and evening in his headquarters. To-day the Fairbanks boomers, not to be outdone, employed a woman harpist and a soprano soloist to keep a crowd in the Indiana man's headquarters. Puller-in will naturally follow the barkers. DELEGATIONS FROM TERRITORIES WILL NOT BE CUT DOWN. CHICAGO, June 17.—The decision was reached by the Committee on Rules and Order of Business that there should be no change in the representation from the Territories. Alaska, the District of Columbia and the Insular possessions. An effort to reduce the number of delegates from New Mexico, Arizona and Hawaii from six to two failed by a decisive vote. Each will be entitled to two delegates each, as heretofore. The question of what method should be pursued in electing the delegates was settled by giving authority to the National Committee to determine in each case whether the elections shall be by primaries or by conventions. COMPANY INCREASES CAPITAL. ALBANY, N. Y., June 17.—The Standard City Estates, a realty corporation of which George F. Warren is president, and his son, Earl Warren, is secretary, and of which Timothy L. Woodruff is one of the principal stockholders, has just received from the State a certificate showing an increase of capital stock from \$200,000 to \$1,000,000. What they were trying to do was to

Mixed Drinks Not Popular--How Virginia Got In, Wrong on Hughes--All Kinds of Weather but Snow.

(Special from Our Staff Correspondent.) CHICAGO, June 17.—There are more women at the convention than you would see at a political assemblage in the East. The Chicago women are more enterprising than their Eastern sisters. They overrun the State headquarters in the hotels, grab all the polite overtures of a lonely Easterner. They are almost as well dressed as the New York women with a family tree of record. But even the local fashion writers admit they do not know how to wear their clothes as well. HOW HAMMOND, THE CANDIDATE, IS FOUND. John Henry Hammond, the Republican leader of the Twenty-ninth Assembly District in New York, has been coming in for a lot of attention since he has been at the Auditorium. Every few minutes a boy dashes madly through the corridors or bar shrieking, "Mr. J. H. Hammond." The New York Hammonds respond. When he opens the envelope he finds that it is John Hay-Hammond, mining engineer, African adventurer and candidate for the Vice-Presidency, who is wanted. The New York Hammonds, who are in the city for a few days, had been sent from a local telegraph office to-day. It read: "Will you take the Vice-Presidency? The State of New York will stand by you." "Here, boy," said the New York Hammonds, "I would get one head and another would come. These shores changed to eczema, accompanied by a terrible itching. It seemed as if I could not keep my hands from tearing my flesh. This and the pile trouble brought on an inflamed condition. Then I got the Cuticura Remedies. I washed the affected parts with Cuticura Ointment with a Cuticura Suppository Syringe. I also took Cuticura Resolvent Pills three times a day. It took a month of this treatment to get me in the fair, healthy state and then I treated myself once a day for three months and, after that, once or twice a week. It is fortunate that I used Cuticura. The treatments I had tried took a lot of money that I would have saved by using Cuticura Remedies sooner, but I am wiser now. I am supplied with a full set of the Cuticura Remedies and would not feel safe without them. J. H. Henderson, Hopkinton, St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., Apr. 26, 1907." Complete External and Internal Treatment for Eczema, Itching, Piles, and All Other Skin Diseases. Cuticura Ointment (50c) and Cuticura Suppository Syringe (50c) for the relief of Eczema, Itching, Piles, and All Other Skin Diseases. Sold throughout the world. Foster Drug & Chem. Co., 231 E. Boston, Mass. Mail Free Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases. "I am now eighty years old and one morning, three years ago, I was taken with a hard pain in my right side. In two or three days I was in bed with (hemorrhoids), bleeding and protruding. The doctor gave me some medicine and an ointment for them which helped me some, but that to keep out from tearing at the time. Then I changed to the P... remedy; but if I did not use it every day, I would get worse. The doctor got me the only fair, healthy state and another would come. 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He is the one man taking a prominent part in the convention who, through the efforts of the anti-injunction plank, has become a household name because of his resourcefulness and ability as an organizer and executioner. HOW VIRGINIA GOT IN WRONG ON HUGHES. Above the door of the Hughes headquarters in the Auditorium there is a five foot portrait of the Governor of the Empire State. Under it, in big electric letters appears his name. A Virginia delegate who studied the high school course in the history of the state accepted a handful of pamphlets handed out by Mr. Humphrey, the manager of the Hughes boom. "Hell," he said, after studying the

Literature for a minute, "I thought the fellow Hughes was doctor, how in Virginia we've been yelling for him because we thought he could cure everything in the world. Now it turns out he's a lawyer. We don't care very much for lawyers down our way."

TWIN STAND-PATTERS RIGHT ON THE JOB. Seneca County, N. Y. John Dabell, the twin stand-patters and trusty lieutenant of Uncle Joe Cannon, never separate here except for the few hours needed for sleep. They eat, drink and go to the convention together. "Nothing will happen to Uncle Joe's policies while his two trusty boys are on the job," said a New York delegate to-day.

HAMMOND'S CIGARS WIN THE COLORED BROTHER. The negro delegates who have been haunting the Vice-Presidential headquarters of Franklin Murphy have transferred their attentions to John Hay-Hammond's boom. In the Jersey City headquarters the brand of cigars handed out savors of the Hackensack El Rucio, while the Hammond cigars are unmistakable thirty-centers, which the negro delegates puff with fine contentment.

HEMORRHOIDS SORES AND ECZEMA

Accompanied by Terrible Itching—A Complicated and Most Distressing Case—Well-known Remedies Failed to Cure—Doctor Thought an Operation Necessary—Then CUTICURA PROVED ITS WONDERFUL EFFICACY

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