

NOMINATING STEVENSON.

FRUITLESS EFFORTS TO INDUCE HILL TO ACCEPT THE OFFICE.

TOWNE SET ASIDE FOR A SIMON-PURE DEMOCRAT.

OCRAAT-ADLAI'S AXE WANTED ONCE MORE

Kansas City, Mo., July 6.—The final day of the Democratic National Convention broke clear and hot. The sun blazed pitilessly down through the...

An hour before the Convention Hall was opened the galleries were packed around the various entrances, and hundreds more were coming on every thoroughfare that afforded access to the hall.

But it was some minutes before there was sufficient ground for the opening invocation, and then a quietude fell upon the hall.

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David B. Hill shall be the nominee of this Convention for Vice-President. (Applause.) This is no idle statement. We believe that...

HILL POSITIVELY DECLINES.

Then Senator Hill advanced to the platform. He stood with head bowed a few minutes, expressing gratitude for the cheers that rolled in...

Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Convention: While I greatly appreciate the action of the delegation from New-York, it is proper for me to say...

He was frequently interrupted by protests as he insisted that he could not accept.

From New-York came a shout of "Yes, you can!" and Washington, D. C., and firmly, "I did not come into this Convention as a candidate; I did not expect to be a candidate and cannot accept the honor."

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and, like Mr. Daly, spoke for Hill. He declared that, although the Senator had declined, a better soldier had never walked beneath the Democratic flag...

Mr. Chairman, Gentlemen of the Convention: I am grateful for the courtesy of the State of New-York, because I am a native of that State...

Now, friends, he is not seeking the nomination. He has not even asked for it. He prefers in this hour to stand as a free citizen of the State of New-York...

My friends, this is a great battle, and I am going to fight. We are here to choose our captain and to take our line of battle. We have the greatest and most stalwart of our Democratic party...

North Dakota, from the floor, seconded the nomination of Hill. He said that he had read the nomination of Hill with interest and admiration...

W. H. Snowden, of Pennsylvania, read his speech seconding Stevenson from a yellow slip of paper. Although he spoke clearly and distinctly the crowd in its impatience repeatedly interrupted him by calls of "Louder!" "Time!" "Vote!"

OLD NORTH STATE'S FAVORITE SON. S. M. Gates, a son of North Carolina, presented the name of William Julian Carr, of his State. He spoke briefly and escaped the usual reminder conveyed in the call of "Time."

Ohio put in nomination the name of A. W. Patrick for the Buckeye State. His name was presented by A. A. Dougherty, who was one of the few speakers whose seconding speech could be heard...

Tennessee, also from the floor, Charles T. West making the speech, seconded the nomination of "that matchless leader of the New-York Democracy, David B. Hill."

Utah, from the floor, seconded the same nomination. Vermont followed suit, going also for Stevenson. Washington, when called, yielded back to Idaho the time it had received from it, and Chairman Lewis of Idaho delegation, seconded the nomination of Lewis.

Incidents of the Ballot. The rollcall for the first ballot then began. The announcement of Alabama that it had nineteen votes for Hill was received with a roar of applause.

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Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Convention: The fact that I come from the old Democratic State of New-York is a source of pride to me. I am proud to represent my State in this Convention.

NEW-YORK YIELDS TO DELAWARE. Patrick H. McCarren rose in his seat when the rollcall reached New-York, and announced that the Empire State would yield its vote to Delaware.

81 Sunday Excursion to Mauch Chunk. The Central Railroad of New Jersey will run a \$1.00 excursion to Mauch Chunk on Sunday, July 8, 1900.

TAMMANY FAILS TO RULE NEW-JERSEY. City Collector Robert Davis of Jersey City, leader of the Democratic party in Hudson County, yielded in turning the New-Jersey delegation against Tammany Hall dictation at the Kansas City Convention.

Keller, of New-York, for Vice-President. What do you say? Answer at once.

MR. TOWNE WITHDRAWS. SILVER REPUBLICANS NOMINATE BRYAN FOR PRESIDENT.

VICE-PRESIDENTIAL QUESTION REFERRED TO THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE.

Kansas City, July 6.—After a long debate, in which it looked several times as if Charles A. Towne would be nominated for Vice-President in spite of his protest against such action, the National Convention of the Silver Republican party adjourned, sine die, this afternoon without making a nomination for Vice-President, the whole matter being referred to the National Committee, with power to act.

THE PLATFORM. We, the Silver Republican party, in National Convention assembled, declare these as our principles and invite the co-operation of all who agree therewith.

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NATIVES BATTLING FOR BOER CATTLE. London, July 6.—A dispatch from Pretoria says that an intertribal fight, in which more than one thousand natives are engaged, is taking place on the plains north of the Boer position. The fight, it is added, is for possession of Boer cattle.

VICTORIA CROSSES FOR BRAVE MEN. London, July 6.—"The Gazette" this evening announces that Victoria crosses have been bestowed upon Captain C. C. FitzClarence, of the London Fusiliers; Sergeant H. R. Martineau and Trooper H. E. Ramsden, wounded while aiding others at Mafeking, and Captain E. B. Towse, of the Gordon Highlanders, and Lieutenant Sir John Milbanke, of the 10th Hussars, wounded similarly at Magersfontein and Colenso respectively.

SCENE IN THE FRENCH CHAMBER. EPITHETS FREELY HURLED, AND A MEMORIAL TRIED TO STRIKE THE PREMIER. Paris, July 6.—A disgraceful scene occurred in the Chamber of Deputies this afternoon. M. Lastes (Nationalist), noted for his extreme views, interpellated the Government on the pressure which, he alleged, was put on the judiciary by the Government in order to prevent many citizens from obtaining justice.

MESSAGE FROM GOVERNOR HODGSON. ALL THE EUROPEANS GOT OUT OF COGNAC SAFELY. London, July 6.—The Colonial Office has received a dispatch from the Governor of the Gold Coast Colony, Mr. Frederic Mitchell Hodgson, dated Atekwaua, June 29, saying that owing to the non-arrival of the relief column and the reduction of the food supply, he had decided to push through the rebels and had decided the enemy regarding the route followed.

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