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MORTONS WON'T TURN OUT

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a statement of falsehoods can it be a question of surprise that Christian Endeavorers and clubmen of the city are disgusted.

Delegations from the Christian Endeavorers and from the Queer Wheelmen called on the Post last night, to ask that statements credited to them and interviews with some of the members of the committee and the club be connected. Mr. John G. Muir, in charge of the bicycle arrangements of the Christian Endeavor, asked that the paper state the fact that the interviews published purporting to come from him were unauthorized, but the Post refused to make the statement. It also refused to publish the resolutions passed by the Queer Wheelmen, providing certain statements published by the Post as unauthorized and false, but the paper refused to do this act of justice.

The clubs now interested in the Tuesday parade are determined it shall be a success. They are hustling for all that is out. The Christian Endeavorers will see one of the greatest sights ever seen in Washington.

NOTICES OF MEETINGS.

Mr. William Gettinger, who was chosen to act as marshal for the southwest division, wants all southwest riders to meet him at Sullivan's drug store, 311 Seventh street southwest, at 7 o'clock this evening. All riders are invited to attend. Mr. Gettinger also calls a special meeting of the Arlington Wheelmen for tonight at his office, in the central power building. The meeting is to arrange for the Tuesday night parade.

Mr. N. Weill, secretary of the Washington Outing Club, issues the following call: "Members of the Washington Outing Club are requested to meet at the clubhouse Sunday afternoon, July 12, at 3 o'clock, to take steps toward participating in the Tuesday night parade. All are requested to attend and bring their friends."

Capt. W. I. Scharf of the Columbia Heights Wheelmen called a meeting for tonight. Important business in connection with the Tuesday night parade is to be disposed of.

Mr. Albert W. Loveland of the Navy Yard has written the following letter to Chief Marshal Robertson:

"The navy is also on wheels, and a small party of its members would like very much to take part in the parade." The navy will be welcomed.

Mr. Muir of the Christian Endeavorers will today issue an official order for the Tuesday night parade.

SETTLED THE DISPUTE.

Building Inspector Brady Adjusts Accounts in Stevens School.

The controversy between Contractor T. E. Cabell and a sub-contractor named Johnson, which includes the payment of $1,100 said to be due the latter for work on the Stevens school, was yesterday referred to Building Inspector Brady for an ascertainment of the actual position of affairs.

Mr. Brady learned upon investigation that $631.08 out of the $1,100 would pay all the bills properly chargeable for material, and that of the balance the larger part was due the hands. Mr. Cabell agreed to assume the bills for material and also to pay the workmen or to pay the same on Johnson's account, and upon this adjustment the men agreed to go to work.

The workmen have lost nearly a week waiting for their pay.

Big Coffin for a Big Man.

Hanover, Pa., July 10.—Amos Rohrbaugh, a retired famer, noted as being the largest man in this section of the State, died here yesterday. He weighed 423 pounds until his illness, during which he lost 125 pounds. He is survived by a widow and eight children. It will require for his body a coffin six feet six inches long, eighteen inches deep, and twenty-six inches wide.

CANDIDATES NOT CHOSEN

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dividually recorded, but a minority cannot cast the entire vote of the delegation."

The vote of Wisconsin was then announced: Declining to vote, 19; Bland, 4; Blackburn, 1.

The State of Colorado, which had been passed by consent, was called and brought Senator Teller's name before the convention. It was received with faint hisses and very slight applause.

The chair announced the result of the first ballot, as follows:

FIRST VOTE.

Bland, 223.
Bryan, 105.
Boies, 86.
Blackburn, 83.
McLean, 54.
Matthews, 37.
Campbell, 2.
Pattison, 95.
Pennoyer, 10.
Russell, 2.
Stevenson, 29.
Tillman, 17.
Teller, 8.
Hill, 1.
Absent and not voting, 185.

The second ballot was begun at 12:35. As soon as it was started Senator White vacated the chair, placing the gavel in the hands of Mr. Richardson, of Tennessee.

South Carolina swung over from Tillman to Bryan, whose gains had begun early in the balloting.

The District of Columbia manifested its capacity for lightning changes by scattering its votes as follows: Three for Bryan, one for Bland, one for Boies and one for McLean.

Before the vote was announced, and while it was being footed up, California dunounced a change of her vote as follows: Bryan, 14; Bland, 2; Matthews, 1; Boies, 1; a gain of seven for Bryan.

The result of the second ballot was announced at 1:18 p. m. as follows:

SECOND BALLOT.

Bland, 281; Boies, 37; Matthews, 34; McLean, 53; Blackburn, 41; Pattison, 100; Bryan, 197; Pennoyer, 8; Stevenson, 10; Hill, 1; Teller, 8. Not voting, 160.

TOLD IN BULLETINS.

Story of the Convention Taken Hot From the Wire.

9:45—The opinion of Senator Jones of Arkansas is that nothing beyond balloting will be done today; that they expect to nominate tomorrow. He says "Columbus discovered America on Friday, and there is nothing superstitious about a Democrat."

9:46—Spectators seats half filled. A few delegates present.

10:15—There seems to be a slight weakening among gold men. Delegate Creamer of Kansas: "I am sorry to say that three or four of our men will vote." Similar rumors are afloat regarding New York.

10:17—There being 930 votes in convention, 620 will constitute a two-thirds majority.

10:19—Gov. Altgeld of Illinois arrives, looking refreshed and earnest. But few notables yet arrived.

10:32—Considerable demonstration in the audience in favor of Bland. Gov. Flower and Gen. Bisell, of New York, arrive. Music continues.

10:35—Boies banner, fronted with oil portrait, files through aisles. Faint applause.

10:37—Chairman White arrives. He will preside this morning.

10:38—Chairman Harrity in his place, surrounded by excited delegates. Caucusing going on in Iowa seats.

10:40.—A rush of delegates; seats rapidly filling.

10:40.—Gov. Sheehan, New York; Senator Vest, Missouri, arrived.

10:42 a. m.—Rev. Green, Iowa, will again open exercises with prayer.

10:48 a. m.—Ex-Secretary Whitney of New York arrived, and is warmly greeted by fellow-members.

10:57—Convention called to order.

10:57—Chairman White holds gavel.

10:58—Earnest caucusing in all sections. In New York Secretary Whitney is the central figure.

11 a. m. Rev. Dr. Green of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, offered prayer.

11 a. m.—The free silver delegates in the Maryland delegation have announced themselves for Bryan.

11:03 a. m.—Chairman White requested quiet. Harrity, of Pennsylvania recognized. Mr. Harrity said that in obedience to instructions Pennsylvania presented the name of Robert E. Patterson for President.

11:06—Mattingly, of District of Columbia, seconded McLean.

11:07—Miller of Oregon, presented the name of ex-Gov. Pennoyer, of Oregon. Nominations closed. Roll by States ordered.

11:09 a. m.—Alabama, Boies 22; Arkansas, Bland 16.

11:13 a. m. Poll continues. California—Blackburn, 1; Boies, 2; Matthews, 2; Campbell, 1.

11:14—Colorado passed.

Connecticut—2 for Russell, of Massachusetts; 10 passed.

11:16—Delaware—Bryan, 1; Pattison, 3; 2 passed.

Florida—Bland, 2; Boies, 1; Bryan, 1; Blackburn, 1.

11:20 a. m.—Kansas, Bland, 20; Kentucky, Blackburn, 26; Louisiana, Bryan, 16.

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Illinois—Bland 48.
Indiana—Matthews 30.
Iowa—Boies 26.
Kansas—Bland 2.
Maryland—Pattison, 11; Bryan, 4; 1 passed.
Massachusetts—Passed.
Michigan—Bland, 5; Boies, 4; Bryan, 9, not voting, 10. Vote challenged.
11:28 a. m.—Suppressed excitement.
11:28—Weather torrid. Myriads of fans in motion. Poll continues.
Poll of Michigan resulted: Bland, 4; Boies, 5; Bryan, 7; not voting, 10; absent, 2.
Minnesota—Stevenson, 1; Bryan, 2; Blackburn, 1; Pattison, 2; Boies, 4; not voting, 8.
Mississippi—Bryan, 18.
Missouri—Bland, 34.
Montana—Blackburn, 2; Bland, 4.
Nebraska—Bryan, 16.
Nevada—Matthews, 3; McLean, 3.
New Jersey—Not voting.
New Hampshire—Pattison, 1; not voting, 7
New York—Not voting.
11:37—Hisses greeted New York's and New Jersey's refusal to vote. Great confusion. Shouts of "Put them out."
North Carolina—Bryan, 22.
North Dakota—Boies, 6.
Ohio's poll was: McLean, 40; absent, 2; Bland, 1; Pattison, 2; Bryan, 1. Vote recorded 46 for McLean under unit rule.
Oregon—Pennoyer, 8.
Pennsylvania—Pattison, 64.
11:49—With Pennsylvania the United Press tally-sheet shows: Bland, 135; Boies, 66; Matthews, 35; McLean, 49; Bryan, 118; Blackburn, 39; Pattison, 87; not voting, 171.
Rhode Island—Pattison, 6; not voting, 2.
South Carolina—Tillman, 17; not voting, 1. (Hisses).
South Dakota—Bryan, 6; not voting, 1; Pattison, 1.
Tennessee—Bland, 24. Challenged.
Poll of Tennessee resulted: Bland, 16; Boies, 5; Bryan, 3. Under unit rule vote, Bland, 24.
Texas—Bland, 30.
Utah—Bland, 6.
Vermont—Not voting, 4; Bryan, 4.
Virginia—Blackburn, 24.
Washington—Bryan, 1; Bland, 7.
West Virginia—Blackburn, 12.
12:10—Money of Mississippi made the point of order in the Wisconsin case that when a delegation was instructed to vote as a unit the majority had no right to stifle the vote of a delegate who desires to vote even when the majority does not.
12:12—Gen. Bragg made the point of order that the vote of Wisconsin, under instructions to vote as a unit, must be recorded as not voting.
Gen. Bragg advances to Ohio space and mounts a chair so he can be heard. Delegates drive him out. He steps across the aisle and Vermont is more hospitable. Bragg addresses chair on instructions.
12:15.—Dockery, of Wisconsin, was recognized; took the platform, and spoke for the four who claimed the right to vote. Great confusion followed Dockery's speech.
12:16—Finley of Ohio raised point of order that delegation may direct a vote, but by abstaining have no right to prevent a vote. The chair ruled out of order a motion to give the four delegates a vote.
Wisconsin—Bland, 4; Blackburn, 1; declined to vote, 19.
Wyoming—Blackburn, 6.
Alaska—Bland, 7; Bryan, 1.
District of Columbia—McLean, 5; Boies, 1.
New Mexico—Bland, 6.
Oklahoma—Bland, 6.
Indian Territory—Bland, 6.
Colorado—Teller, 6.
California—Bryan, 2; not voting, 10.
Massachusetts votes as follows: Pattison, 3; Stevenson, 4; Bland, 2; Hill, 1; Bryan, 1; not voting, 18.
First ballot was without result, no candidate receiving a requisite two-thirds vote. Indications are that no selection will be made before several ballots are taken.
The result of the first ballot, officially, is: Bland, 223; Boies, 86; Matthews, 37; McLean, 54; Bryan, 105; Blackburn, 83; Pattison, 95; Pennoyer, 10; Campbell, 2; Russell, 2; Stevenson, 2; Tillman, 17; Hill, 1; Teller, 8; not voting, 185.
Marsden of Louisiana moved that two-thirds rule be abrogated. Not entertained by chair.
Second roll call ordered.
Second ballot.
Alabama—Bland, 22.
Arkansas—Bland, 16.
California—Bland, 2; Blackburn, 5; Matthews, 2; Boies, 1; McLean, 1; Bryan, 7.
Colorado—Teller, 8.
Connecticut—Pattison, 2; not voting, 10.
Delaware—Pattison, 3; Bryan, 1; not voting 2.
Florida—Bryan, 2; Boies, 1; Bland, 1; Matthews, 2; Pattison, 1; Stevenson, 1.
Georgia—Bryan, 26.
Idaho—Bland, 6.
Illinois—Bland, 48.
Indiana—Matthews, 30.
Iowa—Boies, 26.
Kansas—Bland, 20.
Kentucky—Blackburn, 26.
Louisiana—Bryan, 16.
Maine—Pattison, 5; Bland, 2; Bryan, 2; not voting, 3.

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Maryland—Bryan, 4; Pattison, 11; not voting, 4.
Massachusetts—Stevenson, 5; Pattison, 3; Bland, 2; Hill, 1; Bryan, 1; Matthews, 1; not voting, 17.
Minnesota—Passed.
Mississippi—Bryan, 18.
Missouri—Bland, 34.
Montana—Bland, 8.
Nebraska—Bryan, 16.
Nevada—McLean, 6.
New Hampshire—Pattison, 1; not voting, 7.
New Jersey—Pattison, 2; not voting, 18.
New York—Not voting, 72.
North Carolina—Bryan, 22.
North Dakota—Boies, 6.
Ohio—McLean, 46.
Oregon—Pennoyer, 8.
Pennsylvania—Pattison, 64.
Total, with Pennsylvania, shows: Bland, 163; Bryan, 139; Boies, 34; Matthews, 35; McLean, 53; Blackburn, 31; Pattison, 81; not voting, 148.
Rhode Island—Pattison, 6; not voting, 2.
South Carolina—Bryan, 18.
South Dakota—Bryan, 7; Pattison, 1.
Tennessee—Passed.
Texas—Bland, 3.
Utah—Bland, 6.
Vermont—Bryan, 4; not voting, 4.
Virginia—Bland, 24.
Washington—Bryan, 1; Bland, 7.
West Virginia—Blackburn, 12.
Wisconsin—Gen. Bragg announced that Wisconsin declined to vote.
Wisconsin recorded—Bryan, 4; Blackburn, 1; not voting, 9.
Wyoming—Bryan, 6.
Alaska—Bland, 6.
Arizona—Bland, 6.
District of Columbia—Bryan, 3; Bland, 1; McLean, 1; not voting, 1.
New Mexico—Bryan, 6.
Indian Territory—Bland, 6.
Oklahoma—Bland, 6.
Minnesota—Bryan, 4; Boies, 2; Blackburn, 2; Pattison, 1; Stevenson, 4; not voting, 5.
Tennessee recalled—Voted Bland, 24.
Maryland, Minnesota, and Tennessee changes. The United Press tally shows the following totals on second ballot: Bland, 279; Boies, 37; Matthews, 35; McLean, 54; Bryan, 192; Blackburn, 46; Pattison, 90. Total vote, 770. Necessary to choice, 513 1-3.
Official ballot, second ballot—Bland, 281; Boies, 37; Matthews, 35; McLean, 54; Bryan, 190; Blackburn, 46; Pattison, 100; Stevenson, 10; Pennoyer, 8; Teller, 8; Hill, 1; not voting, 160.
California changed her vote to 14 for Bryan, 2 for Bland, 1 for Matthews and 1 for Boies.
Result of second ballot after changes—Bland, 281; Boies, 37; Matthews, 34; McLean, 53; Bryan, 197; Blackburn, 14; Pattison, 100; Teller, 8; Stevenson, 10; Hill, 1; Pennoyer, 8. Not voting, 160.
1:22—Marsden of Louisiana moved that the two-thirds rule be abrogated.
Chair pounded table for order and declined to entertain the motion.
1:23—Marsden appealed from decision of the chair.
Revised official result second ballot follows: Not voting, 160; Bland, 281; Boies, 37; Matthews, 34; McLean, 53; Blackburn, 41; Teller, 8; Stevenson, 10; Hill, 1; Pennoyer, 8; Pattison, 100; Bryan, 197.
1:25—Marsden standing on a chair demanding to be heard. Took glass of water. Hoots, howls and confusion followed.
1:53 p. m.—It is said that Illinois was pledged to Bland for three ballots only, and will desert him on the next ballot and go for Bryan.

THIRD BALLOT—UNOFFICIAL.

Bland, 291; Boies, 36; Matthews, 34; McLean, 54; Bryan, 219; Blackburn, 27; Pattison, 97; Stevenson, 9; Hill, 1; not voting, 162. Total, 930.

NEW YORKERS WILL BOLT

Delegation to Leave Convention After Nominations Are Made.

Chicago, July 10.—Early this morning it was said that Perry Belmont, Augustus Schell, Roswell P. Flower, Delancey Nicoll, Francis M. Scott, C. C. Baldwin, John F. McIntyre, Hugh J. Grant, Charles Tracey and George B. McClellan, all delegates, were resolve to leave the convention. It is a fact, they have concluded to do all they can today to pursuade the delegation

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SALE OF PUBLIC SCALES.

Right to Control Them Nets the District a Loss.

The right to control the public scales of the District for the coming year has been sold at auction, as is customary, with the result that there will be a decrease in the revenues from that source, if the bids be accepted of about $375.

The prices offered this year and the amount paid in each case last year are as foilows, the scales being designated by numbers: No. 1, bid in by H. H. Griswold at $15; brought last year $700; No. 2, sold to B. B. Earnshaw at $5, last year brought $350; No. 3 sold to H. C. McCauley at $525, last year brought $810; No. 4 sold to W. P. Cole for $50, last year, $133; No. 5, to H. C. McCauley for $5, last year, $5; No. 6, to A. C. Osborne for $15, last year, $30.

Up the Raging Canal.

A number of Hessians of the city gave a delightful trip last Sunday up the raging canal as far as the Great Falls—or at least that was the objective point, but they didn't get there. After a long wait at the starting point the "barge" weighed anchor, but got no further than just below Cabin John. There the picnicers disembarked and sought pleasant places for lunch. Although disappointed at not reaching their original destination and notwithstanding that some of the arrangements were not as promised, a good time was enjoyed. A small boy of the party and one of the committee fell overboard in the canal, but the only damage was a good wetting. Great disatisfaction was expressed at the failure to view the falls.

Heavy Dry Goods Failure.

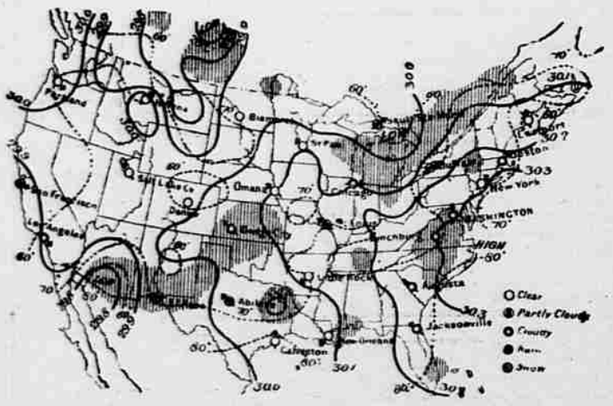
New York, July 10.—J. N. Collins & Co., retail dry goods dealers and furniture manufacturers, at 8 and 10 East Fourteenth street, assigned today. They claimed a capital of $146,000 and carried a stock of $175,000.

$1.25 to Baltimore and return today via B. & O. R. R. jy7-7t

Stoll's great sale of Tan Shoes today. "810" Seventh.

THE TIMES DAILY WEATHER MAP.

(Prepared at the United States Weather Bureau.)



Forecast Till 8 p. m. Saturday.

For the District of Columbia, somewhat cloudy and threatening weather, probably with light showers this afternoon and tonight; will be followed by fair and slightly warmer weather Saturday, which will probably continue for several days; winds becoming southerly.

For Delaware and Maryland, fair weather Saturday, preceded by light showers this afternoon and tonight; probably fair Sunday and Monday; southerly winds.

For Virginia and North Carolina, fair in western, light showers in eastern portions, tonight; fair Saturday, with higher temperature in western portions; probably fair Sunday.

Weather Conditions and General Forecast.

The storm has passed northerly across the lake regions into Canada.

An extensive area of high pressure has developed on the Atlantic coast, and a depression has appeared in the Saskatchewan valley.

The weather is generally clear in New England, the lower lake region, the Ohio and Mississippi valleys and the Southwest. There is some cloudiness in the Middle and South Atlantic States, and the upper lake region. Scattered showers have fallen in the Atlantic States, the lake regions, and the Southwest.

The temperature has risen slightly in the central valleys and the South Atlantic States.

The conditions are favorable for settled weather and a hot spell of considerable duration throughout the eastern and central districts. Showery conditions are indicated for the Southwest.

The following heavy precipitation (in inches) was reported:

During the past twenty-four hours—Concordia, 1.02; Dodge City, 1.02; St. Georges, S. C., 1.90.

BEARERS OF THE CROSS

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willing to do whatever falls to their lot, whether they understand it or not.

The theme of Miss Harrington became the subject of brief general discussion.

At the conclusion of this interchange of opinions Mr. Lamb again favored the audience with a solo, "Cast Thy Bread Upon the Waters."

Miss Kate H. House, of St. Louis, was in charge of the open parliament, the subject being "How do you Keep the Juniors Interested?"

Epigrammatic speeches were made by workers of both sexes, the chief point being as to now to keep the boys in line, the girls being found more amenable to training in Christian work.

The discussion drifted onto the question of how to convert the boys and girls and make them Christians, and while it was held that brigades, clubs, and special meetings were good in their way, the general opinion was that no better method exists than fervent prayer backed by the strength and spirit of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Secretary Baer announced that the mothers and parents' conference would take place in Wesley Chapel this afternoon immediately after the close of the superintendents' conference, instead of at the church heretofore selected.

PARENTS AND JUNIORS.

Miss Lottie Wiggins of Canada took up the topic "Parents and Juniors," and spoke, in part, as follows:

"We have issued much about the relation of children to parents, but very little about the relation of parents to children. How strange that we have overlooked the divine command to "become as little children," and have always been holding up adults as the examples for children to follow! Which of us considers the conventionalized, warped, distorted, indirect, half-fair, untrusting, mode of thinking of the adult a good substitute for the spontaneous, genuine, direct, just and trusting mode peculiar and essential to childhood?

How often we find parents lax in their own practices in honesty, and boasting before the children of some sharp trick by which they gained advantage in a business transaction. If they but realized that it is the little leaks that sink the ship they would be more careful to be true under all circumstances. Parents should be so true that when the juniors weigh their actions in the balance they shall not be "found wanting."

"Child nature" should be studied. The gardener studies his plants and knows how to treat each. The farmer studies his fields and knows what best will grow in every field. But parents think all children alike; recognize no difference in character, and do not adapt plans to develop different natures.

PASTORS AND JUNIORS.

Rev. Peter Ainslee of Baltimore spoke to the topic, "The Pastors and the Juniors."

Rev. Mr. Ainslee then spoke as follows:

Some time ago I stood by a naval constructor as he directed the laying of the keel of a great vessel. He watched it lairy, and after many months it was successfully launched, with the Stars and Stripes floating over its newly christened prow. In these days, when childhood is largely, and in some cases entirely, given over to the church for religious instruction, it seems to me that the pastor has a magnificent opportunity of aiding more than ever before in the building of the child thought and the child life. Without discussing the mod that the home is losing upon childhood, certainly this condition has thrust upon the pastor a new and large responsibility. It compels him to be more than ever before the servant of the child. The junior society meets the want of forming the children into an organization to bring the pastor into closer touch with them, that he may study their individual lives and press to their hearts as near as possible the divine mold. In fact, this is his business. He is pre-eminently in the world to make men and women better, but since it is easier to plant a truth in a child's life than to uproot evil or distigured truth in a mature life, his opportunity and responsibility are measureless. It is his as never before to directly influence manhood and womanhood, and make a safe passage as far as in him lies in the launching of human barks upon the rough and pathless sea of life.

Somebody has said that the child is the best copy of Adam before he tasted the fruit. At any rate, it is the flower bursting the calyx that holds the child blossom, and the pastor's prayers, words and life should continue to keep pure and strengthening power. He should pray for them individually. It is easier to prevent a leakage than, after twenty-five or thirty years, to attempt to chink a weather-beaten craft. He should know the children by name. "How do ye do?" and "Good morning," may suit men and women, but, "How do you do, Jim?" and "Good morning, Mary," is the only salutation that will suit boys and girls. He should play with the children. You cannot touch men unless you get on an equality with them, neither can you reach children unless you become identified with them in their toys, games, books and sports. The pastor, then, must be a child, or, if you choose, "an over-grown boy," as somebody once called Henry Ward Beecher. After all, this is just where Jesus wanted every one of us to make our starting point—at childhood.

The connection and relation between pastors and juniors for a few minutes became the theme of general informal debate.

Prof. Clark said that if there could be no sunshine gotten outside they would be compelled to provide it for themselves. He asked the audience to sing "There Is Sunshine Today in My Soul."

The precise place occupied by the Intermediate Societies of Christian Endeavor, the necessity for their existence, the aims they seek to accomplish and the work being performed, together with the practice and methods, was briefly expressed by volunteers, there being seventeen of these intermediate societies represented in the meeting.

Thomas Wainwright, of Chicago, Western agent of the United Society, took charge of the "Question box," and essayed to answer all interrogations propounded regarding junior work. There were five at him thick and fast, but replies were in each instance promptly forthcoming.

At the close of the regular program Mrs. Clark was given an ovation, and briefly spoke on the general subject of junior work. She advised the judicious employment of all methods that are found to be useful. The main object of all the meetings is to lead the children to Christ. Whenever any plan fails to accomplish this end, drop it and try another one.

Mr. Baer stated that the resolution service would be abandoned for want of time. He spoke feeling of the great loss sustained by Dr. Bagby, president of the District union, in the recent loss of his little child, and asked those phresent to join him in praying for the great Junior band on the other shore, as well as that which serves as an auxiliary to the church militant. Without further benediction the audience was dismissed.

BIBLE BOOK STUDY.

Another Interesting Lecture Delivered by Dr. G. S. Burroughs.

The second of a series of lectures on "Bible Book Study" was delivered by Dr. G. S. Burroughs this morning at the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, the service beginning at 8:30 o'clock and lasting one hour.

"Glad News of Freedom" was the theme, and St. Paul's letter to the Gallatians the subject. Dr. Burroughs said, in part:

Christianity as a light was a leaven. Heathen faith was influenced by it. We can never interpret the Scriptures truly without faith. We cannot understand the Old Testament until we understand the prophets.

All whom we refer to as prophets, those who were speakers and writers, told of the Christianity of the future. And so we cannot understand their prophecy until we know the prophets.

In the New Testament we have St. Paul, the apostle, one sent forth out of the heart and consciousness of the Blessed Master, and who had been studied for centuries. We need to come under the influence of St. Paul in order to understand him. He influenced others—imparted himself to others. He is the dominating influence of the New Testament, and made his impress upon the others of the Apostles—Peter and James being examples.

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NEXT MEETING PLACE.

San Francisco Will Probably Secure the Convention.

Shortly before 2 o'clock this afternoon the trustees of the United Society of Christian Endeavor met in the Ebbitt House, for the purpose of selecting the cities where the conventions of '97 and '98 will be held.

Louisville, Nashville, Omaha and Philadelphia aspire to the latter honor, while while San Francisco seeks to have the election of two years ago, giving to that city the meeting of '97, ratified.

So far as can be learned, the matter of transportation is still an uncertain quantity, although the officers of the California State delegation have been in telegraphic correspondence with the representatives of various lines during the past twenty-four hours in the hope of obtaining assurances of such low rates as will be acceptable to the trustees.

The promises of the railroad companies will be detailed to the meeting this afternoon, and upon the apparently reliable character of the guarantees will depend the fate of San Francisco.

IN TENT WASHINGTON.

Fine Addresses by Eminent Divines and Notable Women.

There's lots of fun at Tent Washington of a morning before the formal exercises begin. This morning there was a band of Tennesseeans in the center of the audience, singing "We'll soon possess the land, and all the world beside" twenty minutes before the opening hour.

They were voicing their desire for the convention to come to Nashville in '98.

Two minutes later they were answered by a chorus up near the stand, with the refrain, "Philadelphia, '98."

Then the South answered with "Yankee Doodle," ringing in the cry of "Nashville down in Dixie." Louisville took up the fight after that and insisted, to the tune of the "Red, White, and Blue," on "Louisville in 1898." Omaha has its inning earlier, so that no candidate was neglected.

Right Rev. Samuel Fallows of Chicago presided over the morning meeting, and Mr. E. O. Excell, of the same Windy City, was the musical director.

The first songs were "Coronation," "Blessed Assurance" and "Let a Little Sunshine In."

Rev. N. C. Naylor, of the Maryland Avenue Baptist Church, led the devotional exercises, reading the Psalm from the printed program alternately with the audience. He prayed fervently for the divine blessing upon the meetings. He didn't say a word about showers or rain, but the moment he finished the heavens opened and the drizzle which had almost stopped turned in a moment into a heavy downpour.

MISS HAUS' WORK.

Bishop Fallows introduced Miss Kate H. Haus, of St. Louis, to talk about the Junior Endeavor work. He said two-thirds of the great army of American teachers were women. He brought one of their number as the most capable person to present this subject.

What it is. The consecrated energy of the Christian Endeavorers, constantly employed, in continually enlarging Christ's encampment grounds with children exclusively, for Christ's exaltation and the church's enrichment.

This nineteenth century is one celebrated for education, and commands excellency in all departments of life, but careless about establishing all things upon a Christ-like foundation of true excellence.

A preacher of the Gospel said to some of the students at the Bible institute not long ago that the world was growing more humanitarian, but farther and farther away from Christ; look at the present aims of our reformers and see the truth of his statement. Educational and reform measures with Christ left out.

Noted ministers, so called, are cutting to pieces the Bible, discarding some books, altering the teachings of others, so as to meet the opinions of the world, and not the requirements of God. The consequence is that many of our young men and women of today are reformers and well educated from the world's standpoint, but not Christians or spiritually minded.

Higher criticism is piling its materials, like a Tower of Babel, hiding God from many a soul, and the winding path to its pinnacle but leads to destruction the unskilled climber.

TEACHING THE YOUTH.

The Senior C. E. must fight this cultured element of evil, and all Christless reformers, and in the Intermediate C. E. the youths must be taught to shun these evils and all other worldly allurements, and follow their older brothers and sisters to the cross of Christ, while to the Junior C. E. is left the most important mission of all, even this, helping the little feet to become planted upon Christ for a foundation, that they may learn to walk in the right direction, and tenderly watched, guarded and guided, till they become so firmly rooted and grounded in true Christ-like living that as they grow in years they may pass unscathed through the confusion of tongues of this world and the many seemingly right, but cruelly false ways, and in Christ stand firm, against the world, the flesh and the devil.

The lack of Junior C. E. in any church or mission field shows a careless or sleepy condition of affairs, or something wanting, on the part of those who are supposed to have the spiritual interests of that field at heart.

How can we hope to see retained among all ages of our church the childlike faith, character and love Christ commended and insisted upon His followers having, if the lasting foundation is not laid in early childhood, and we do our part toward helping keep the children ever near the great, loving heart of the Savior, so they may never have the opportunity or inclination to become aught else than humble followers of Jesus Christ?

Let us pray God to teach us to realize the awful issues of eternal life or everlasting death that lie dormant in every little soul born into the world, as thoroughly as Satan knows it.

WORKING FOR CHRIST.

Once realizing that, there will be no summer vacations in religious work or Sabbath desecrations for us, but life will be real, it will be earnest, because we will feel we are sowing for the eternal ages of God.

When we stand before God's judgment bar some one will be held responsible for every little soul that is lost.

Will we hear in tones of thunder that shall sound in our ears the knell of everlasting condemnation, as God questions, "Where is thy little brother, thy little sister?" followed by "Wicked and slothful servant—inasmuch as ye did it not unto one of the least of these, ye did it not to me."

Or, shall the glorious temple on high echo from pillar to post, and to the uttermost bounds of the outer court of the new Jerusalem, in tones of heavenly melody, the sweet words of Him who blessed

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DUEL DECLARED OFF.

Gen. Johnson and Capt. Ampudia Make an Amicable Settlement.

Havana, July 10.—The question of a duel between Bradley T. Johnson, the New York newspaper correspondent, and Captain Manuel De Ampudia, of the Spanish army, retired, has been settled to the satisfaction of all concerned.

The seconds met today and agreed, in view of Gen. Johnson admitting that he had not insulted the Spanish army collectively, although he was perfectly willing to fight the challenger, and Capt. Ampudia withdrawing his charges of a doubtful personal character, that there was no cause for a meeting on the field of honor.

A draft of a statement will be published by the newspapers here tomorrow declaring that Capt. Ampudia is satisfied that there is no cause for a duel.

The anniversary of the birth of the queen regent will occur on July 20. In honor of of the day Capt. Gen. Weyler will release all prisoners who have been arrested on suspicion of complicity in the rebellion. Clemency will also be extended to other prisoners.

The rebel leader Tapanes was shot yesterday at Sagua.

In the West.

"When was her engagement announced?"
"Just two weeks before her divorce."—Brooklyn Life.

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New York Sun Will Not Support Chicago Ticket.

M'KINLEY ITS CANDIDATE

Herald Says It Is a Question of Patriotism, Just as It Was in 1861. Times Declares No Man Solicitous of Country's Honor Will Vote for Men on an Incendiary Platform.

New York, July 10.—The Sun this morning, in the following editorial, formally repudiates the national Democratic platform, and supports McKinley for the Presidency:

"Southern poverty, engendered by the war, and the common discontent, stirred up to recklessness by the agitation of the past twelve years, have at last blazed into a demand for debased coinage and a tax on wealth, and have carried the National Democratic Convention.

"The Chicago platform cannot be accepted. The United States was made Democratic, and it must remain so.

"Free silver coinage would be national dishonor and a monumental anachronism. Silver has had its day as a money standard. The commerce of civilization, which has used as a medium of exchange pretty much everything, from shells to the higher metals, has progressed beyond silver.

WILL STICK TO GOLD.

"It has adapted itself to gold, and gold it will stick to until it finds something still more convenient.

"The silver campaign is based on delusions which have no justification and on statements which are not so. It cannot prevail, and every sincere believer in fair dealing and in business honor as the foundation of commercial prosperity must put aside all other purposes and unite for its defeat. In the different States the State candidates for the mortified and disheartened members of the Democracy to follow are yet to be determined. In them, and especially in New York, where David Bennett Hill has struggled for his party against overwhelming odds, the nucleus of Democratic regeneration must be found.

"But from now until the night of election day, in November, 1896, the Presidential candidate of every Democrat who favors honest money, and who still hopes to crush the enemies of their fundamental principles he was bred in, should be without hesitation, evasion or sop to prejudice William McKinley."

The Herald says: "The silver fanatics and Populists have demonstrated both their power and their recklessness at Chicago.

REVOLUTIONARY PURPOSES REVEALED.

Their revolutionary purposes are clearly revealed and boldly avowed in the platform adopted. In this they do not stop with an unqualified declaration for that silver heresy which portends national dishonesty and beckons such a panic as this country has never known. Their declaration of principles is a reckless revolutionary pronunciamento charged with