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In addressing the convention Senator Blair said: "I feel highly honored in being asked to preside over this great historic convention, which I firmly believe will live in the annals of all time. We are here for the destruction of the rum traffic throughout this country and throughout the world. I think I speak the sentiment of the convention when I say that as between high license and prohibition we are in favor of prohibition. (Cheers, great.) Mr. Blair went on to say that they also met as Republicans; they were in that party and would not be driven out, and he was one of those who believed that it was only through the Republican party that the suppression of the liquor traffic could be secured. The call of the states was then proceeded with. A committee on resolutions was appointed. The committee on credentials reported that 187 accredited delegates were present, as follows: Illinois 40, Iowa 20, Kansas 30, Indiana 18, Maine 1, Vermont 9, New York 6, Rhode Island 7, Michigan 3, Wisconsin 12, Massachusetts 12, Nevada 1, Minnesota 5, Texas 2, Dakota 1, Pennsylvania 1, Ohio 1, New Jersey 7, New Hampshire 2.

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The speaker said the record of the party for twenty years showed a willingness to grapple with this issue and carry it to victory. The issue was as grave as any that Republicans ever had to meet in the past. It resolved itself into the question whether the nation was to be dominated by the politics of the saloon. We do not meet to dictate to the Republican party, said the speaker; we are here simply for consultation. We meet to encourage it and take hold of this question which it surely will have to do. We should look at the question solely from a political standpoint, not from a moral standpoint. The saloon was in politics with its assistants and money. It was the open ally of anarchy. It today controlled the politics of every large city. It elects your mayors, said the speaker. In Minnesota the Democratic party had nominated for governor the very incarnation of saloon interests.

He then spoke for thirty minutes on general issues touched on the prohibitionists; said it was his view that they could carry out other purposes in a better way by following the lead of the Republican party; would find that party had said that slavery should extend no farther and on that platform slavery was absolutely abolished. If the Republican party would declare for high license or local option and recognize the right of the people to vote on the question directly when they wished to do so, all lovers of temperance should follow that lead.

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The anti-saloon Republicans by their representatives in national convention assembled declare as follows: First—That the liquor traffic as it exists today in the United States is the enemy of society, a fruitful source of corruption in politics, the ally of anarchy, a school of crime, and with its avowed purpose of seeking to corruptly control elections and legislation is a menace to the public welfare and deserves the condemnation of all good men. Second—That we declare war against the saloon and hold it to be the supreme duty of the government to adopt such measures as shall restrict it and control its influence, and at the earliest possible moment extinguish it altogether. Third—We believe the national government should absolutely prohibit the manu-

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THE ELEMENTS AT WAR

Destructive Wind, Rain and Electrical Storms Sweep Across the Country.

Michigan, Illinois and Indiana Scenes of the Worst Effects.

The Largest Lumber and Boom Mills in the Country Destroyed by a Lightning Stroke.

In Many Places the Storm Described as the Worst Ever Experienced, Doing Great Damage.

An Immense Boulder of Bald Rock, W. Va., Crashes Down Killing People and Stock.

Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17, 11 a. m.—Indications for Missouri: fair, cooler weather, northwesterly winds, becoming variable.

For Nebraska, Kansas and Colorado: fair and slightly cooler weather, variable winds.

DISASTROUS STORMS.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—A special dispatch published here says: A terrific wind and rain storm which passed over Indianapolis this afternoon proved disastrous west of Indianapolis and throughout a large section of Illinois. The town of Montezuma, Ill., is reported to have been partially destroyed and a number of lives are said to have been lost.

The Times' Michigan City, Ind., special says: A rain and wind storm which has never been equaled here before swept over the lake and city this morning.

After a steady downpour for several hours the winds became stronger and at 10 o'clock attained the velocity of a cyclone and large trees, sheds, outhouses, lumber piles, etc., were leveled. The wind capsized a small fishing smack which was four miles out on the lake and its occupants, Christopher Kendall and Fred Adlter, had a narrow escape from death. After clinging to the bottom of their boat for three hours they were rescued by a tug which went out to search for them.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 16.—About 11 o'clock this morning a violent wind storm struck Montezuma, Park county, this state, but did no damage beyond unroofing a number of houses and uprooting shade trees.

TERRE HAUTE, Sept. 16.—At 11:30 to-day a cyclone struck this city coming from the southwest. For fifteen minutes the wind blew a hurricane, filling the air with missiles. The storm was confined to the central portion of the city. Numerous large buildings were unroofed and the rain which followed did great damage. The canvas of a circus was blown down and several thousand people were at the fair grounds. An eating house was blown down and the wreck caught fire, severely burning a woman and a boy. No fatalities occurred.

A special from Newport, Vermillion county, reports six or eight buildings destroyed, but no lives lost. The damage reported along the Washburn valley is great.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The Inter Ocean's Shelbyville, Ill., special says: A terrific wind storm passed over this city about 10 o'clock this morning. Reports are coming in of great injury to hay and wheat from the country.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 16.—A terrific wind storm swept over southeastern Michigan, of which but meagre reports have been received as yet. At Howell the storm came from the east and extended over a large extent of territory. A hurricane six miles wide coming from the east laid low buildings in the eastern part of that city. John Smith's house was blown down and his son, Fred, aged 30, was crushed to death, being flung by falling timbers.

In several instances barns were totally wrecked or blown away, while horses and cattle were left uninjured. The storm was the worst ever suffered at Howell.

STORM IN MICHIGAN.—DETROIT, Sept. 16.—There was a storm this afternoon extending over most of southeastern Michigan being especially severe at Howell, where one man was killed, and much property damaged. Reports are to the effect that a large part of the town has been destroyed, but wires are down and full particulars have not been received.

A GALLA DAY AT THE SAIL.—KANSAS CITY, Mo., September 16.—The big day of the fair brought out a great number of people despite a rainy morning. The weather cleared off during the day and the races came off in the afternoon. It was a business holiday in the city and the streets were thronged with people. A large number of people witnessed an immense crowd. Summary of races:

Three minute class: \$500
Next Egg..... 1 2 2 1
Clifton..... 4 2 1 1
Suey Dave..... 3 4 4 2
Ora Stewart..... 2 3 3 2
Time 2:05, 2:10, 2:15, 2:20, 2:25.
Gentlemen's road race, trotting, mile heats.

Steeple Chase..... 1 1
Lady Woodruff..... 2 2
Lory Mountain..... 3 3
John A..... 4 4
Time, 2:53, 2:55.

Running race, Kansas City cup, 3 miles.
Emma Manley..... 1
Alice..... 2
Crownwell..... 3
Lady Winfrey..... 4
Time 3:50.

Harry Wilkes, Phillips and Libby 8 will contest to-morrow.

THE RACES.—LOUISVILLE, Sept. 16.—One mile and five hundred yards, all ages, Warrington won, Taggart 2d, War Sign 3d, time 2:15 1/2.

Selling race, nine furlongs: Bob Swinman won, Pal Shady 2d, Jim Nave 3d, time 1:55 1/2.

Mile and a quarter, all ages: King Robin won, Punks 2d, Mountain Regent 3d, time 1:53.

Five furlongs: Jacobus won, Boshard 2d, Allegheny 3d, time 1:52.

Merry Marion.—MARION, Kas., Sept. 16.—Marion's three-story stone hotel was formerly opened last night with a banquet and a ball.

Happy Hutchinson.

HUTCHINSON, Sept. 16.—Our people are much enthused over the fact that the Wichita and Colorado railroad is about completed, and that the first passenger train reached South Main street yesterday, not in as good shape as they soon will, but it got there all the same. We expect good service on this road in a short time, and that it will make things lively and prove to be a very important one for our city.

JOEY JEWELL.—Special Dispatch to the Daily Eagle.—RANDALL, Kan., Sept. 16.—Bonds for the Kansas Midland railway have just been voted for in Prairie, Vicksburg, Grant and St. Clair townships, Jewell county, and have all carried by very large majorities. Great enthusiasm all along the line. Bon fires, fireworks, speeches and music are getting there all the time. A. A.

A Mountain Horror.—PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 16.—A Wheeling, W. Va., special says: A large rock called Bald Rock, overlooking the mountain side dwelling of Leslie Cummins, in Jackson county. Last night a stone weighing hundreds of tons became detached and rolled down the mountain, crushing the barn and killing four or five horses and mules. Passing over the stable it struck the two-story frame dwelling, crushing its largest timbers, killing Frank Cummins and Edward Jenks, a hired man. Mr. Cummins and wife, with two small children, were thrown from the bed and hurled thirty feet to the right of the track of the stone and badly injured. The children will probably die from their injuries.

Unintentional(?) Wrong.—MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 16.—Comptroller James S. White was sentenced yesterday to two years and six months in the Waupun penitentiary at hard labor. White's case has been dragging along since January. White was convicted of embezzling seven \$1,000 city bonds. White said he took the bonds accidentally, when he put them up as collateral. It was with no deliberate intention of wrong.

Synoptical Statement.—PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 16.—The Northern Pacific railroad company supplies the press with the following synopsis of its annual report. The report covers the year ending June 30:

Total earnings, including leased branch lines, \$11,730,327 20.
Total operating expenses and taxes, \$5,156,267 74.
Net earnings, \$6,574,059 46.
Surplus over all fixed charges and expenses for the year, \$111,199 75.
Amount of deferred payments on bonds, 7 per cent interest, \$3,676,201 00.
Cash on hand and other cash items, \$8,079,932.
Interest on funded debt, accrued to June 30 and bills payable, \$4,909,407.

Ball and Bat.—KANSAS CITY, September 16.—Chicago 7, Kansas City 2, Baltimore—Pittsburg 8, Baltimore 6, Philadelphia—Athletics 8, Louisville 6, New York—Washington 1, New York 1, New York—Metropolitans 2, St. Louis 1, Brooklyn—Brooklyn 12, Cincinnati 10.

Wound Up the Ball.—PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 16.—The agricultural convention adjourned today after adopting several resolutions regarding matters of welfare to the order.

The Sullivan Deal Settled.—PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 16.—The deal recently settled that John F. Sullivan and Frank J. Sullivan, partners in the Sullivan & Sullivan, 2000 Broadway, N. Y., had a difference of \$25,000 in the Sullivan & Sullivan deal. The deal was settled by the Sullivan & Sullivan deal. The deal was settled by the Sullivan & Sullivan deal. The deal was settled by the Sullivan & Sullivan deal.

Declared Off.—PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 16.—The proposed glove fight between Sullivan and Herold, which was to have taken place in this city on Saturday night, has been declared off.

Sounds From Seneca.—SENECA, Kan., September 16.—A heavy thunder shower broke up the races since the Seneca County fair to-day and by a vote of the directors the fair has been extended over Saturday with the big races of the week Saturday afternoon. The city is overflowing with old soldiers to attend the reunion. Governor Martin and Col. Moon both speak at the fair ground in the afternoon.

Forging Westward.—BELLE PLAINE, Kan., Sept. 16.—The track of the Denver, Memphis & Atlantic railway reached this place today at noon. This completes the line between Belle Plaine and Kinman, and will be opened for traffic tomorrow. The grade and track are being pushed from Kinman to Larned at the rate of a mile a day. Ninety miles of this road is now in operation.

Lake Schooner Sunk.—MILWAUKEE, Wis., September 16.—A special to the Evening Wisconsin from Bayley's Harbor, Wis., says the schooner F. J. King, of Morris-town, N. Y. laden with iron ore from Escanaba to Lake Superior, sprang a leak and sunk in twenty-five fathoms of water off Cass Island at 2 o'clock this morning. The crew reached shore in a yawl.

Structive Lightning Stroke.—ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 16.—Dispatches from Eau Claire, Wis., say the Chippewa Falls Lumber and Boom company's saw mill at Chippewa Falls, the largest in this country, was struck by lightning at 2 o'clock this morning, and completely destroyed. Loss \$250,000, partially insured.

Covered by His Boat.—ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.—Supt. Baker of the Western Union Telegraph company, received a letter today from E. H. Brown, the defuncting manager, dated Windsor, Ont. Brown acknowledges his shortage but does not explain how or why he took the money, nor state its amount. Mr. Baker thinks the manager's bond for \$10,000 will cover the amount misappropriated.

Fifteen Killed.—BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 16.—The list of killed in the Nickel Plate collision, which was further swelled to fifteen by the finding of three more bodies, mangled beyond recognition, is now supposed to be complete.

France.—PARIS, Sept. 16.—The Republic France states the Sultan demands the evacuation of Egypt by the English, and Russia supports the Turkish demands.