

DEMOCRATS ARE UNITED; VICTORY NOW IS ASSURED

NEW YORK SATISFIED WITH CHAIRMAN MACK HARMONY IN EMPIRE STATE MEANS EVERYTHING

Bryan's Wishes Respected by Eastern Leaders, and Officers Chosen Will Strengthen Party in Campaign This Fall

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, July 25.—Chairman—Norman E. Mack, Buffalo, N. Y. Vice chairman—L. P. Hall of Nebraska.

Secretary—Urey Woodson, Kentucky. After a seven-hour conference with W. J. Bryan, chairman of the Democratic subcommittee today made its selections of the officers of the committee.

The choice of Mr. Mack was made after the New York leaders, Charles F. Murphy of Tammany Hall and W. J. Connors, chairman of the state Democratic committee, consented to the personal desires of Mr. Bryan.

When the Democratic nominee for president reached here today he was strongly in favor of Mr. Mack for the place, but Mr. Bryan frankly told the committee that he wished them to consider all candidates and make an appointment accordingly.

There were in the race, besides Mr. Mack, Judge W. M. Wade of Iowa, T. E. Ryan of Wisconsin, former Governor James E. Campbell of Ohio and Urey Woodson. The sentiment for Mr. Mack, however, steadily grew, but he was confronted with a handicap which had to be removed.

Murphy Gives Approval The well known opposition of Messrs. Murphy and Connors toward him, because of his rivalry with Mr. Connors for the control of Erie county, stood in the way. The long distance telephone was put into play and Mr. Connors, after the situation in the committee was explained to him, declared that he would no longer interpose any objections, but that Mr. Murphy's views must first be obtained.

The Tammany leader gave his approval and with the chairman about cleared Mr. Mack was selected by acclamation. So pleased was Mr. Bryan that he gave out a statement, which follows: "The action of the committee in its selection of officers," said he, "is very satisfactory. Mr. Mack is a member of the committee and it has been felt all the time that he would not be taken from the committee unless there was some weighty reason for going outside, and no such reason appeared."

"Mr. Mack's appointment is a recognition of the eastern Democracy and an announcement that we expect to carry New York. It is in sympathy with our platform and I can say of him personally that he has been a close and trusted friend in my two former campaigns. One of the strongest arguments in his favor was that he is a good business man."

"Beginning at the bottom of the ladder he has built up a business that amounts to more than a half million dollars a year, and he has shown in his work commendation to the committee that made the selection."

"Mr. Hall, chairman of the Democratic committee of Nebraska, is at the head of one of our banks and is thoroughly acquainted with both politics and business."

JOSEPH BARKER DIES AT THE LANKERSHIM

Joseph Barker of the firm of Barker Bros., the well known furniture dealers, died suddenly at 1 a. m. this morning at Hotel Lankershim. Mr. Barker had been ill for about a week, but his condition had not been considered serious. Heart trouble was the cause of death. He was 52 years old.

MINERS TO AID FOUR MEXICANS

MEN IN LOCAL JAIL PROMISED ASSISTANCE WESTERN FEDERATION SAYS THEY ARE INNOCENT

Instead of Inciting Rebellion in Old Mexico, It Is Claimed Prisoners Were Merely Organizing Labor Unions

By Associated Press. DENVER, Colo., July 25.—Aid will be rendered the four Mexicans under arrest at Los Angeles, charged with inciting rebellion in old Mexico, by the Western Federation of Miners.

This afternoon the convention of that organization instructed its locals to send cash subscriptions to the Bisbee, Ariz., miners' local union, to be used as a defense fund for the Mexicans. The Bisbee union is made the committee to handle the fund. The best legal talent available will be furnished for the men's defense. It is claimed that the accused men were simply organizing Mexican labor unions and not inciting rebellion.

The executive board was instructed to start a vigorous campaign for membership in every mining camp under its jurisdiction, the campaign to include the small camps as well as the larger ones. Special instructions were given regarding the mines, smelters and mills in Colorado. The prosecution of its officers and members having been ended, the organization will turn its attention to a constructive policy. One new district, to be known as Alaska district, was created. This gives a total of eight districts and increases the executive board to eleven members.

The question of organizing other unions than those of miners, smelter men and mill men, in camps where no other labor union is represented, was under discussion when the convention adjourned.

SAN FRANCISCO TO HAVE ANOTHER DAILY

Democratic Newspaper About to Be Launched—Stock Amounting to \$500,000 to Be Sold and New Plant Purchased

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25.—A Democratic daily newspaper will be called into being in this city in time for the presidential campaign if the plans disclosed today at the meeting of the Democratic state executive committee do not miscarry.

According to these plans about \$500,000 is to be raised by the sale of stock in a newspaper corporation and an entirely new plant is to be purchased. The project has been under discussion ever since the state convention at Fresno, and now that it has been approved by the executive committee the Democratic editors of the state will be called to confer with a committee appointed to draw up articles of incorporation.

MOTION IS DENIED BY JUDGE LAWLOR Court Refuses to Delay Abe Ruef's Trial to Take Up Charges Against Detective Burns and Assistants

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25.—Superior Judge Lawlor denied today the motion of Henry Ach, attorney for Abraham Ruef, for an order to show cause why William J. Burns and two of his assistants named Schindler and Lawlor should be adjudged guilty of contempt of court for alleged attempts to influence prospective jurors in the trial of Abraham Ruef, soon to be called in Judge Lawlor's court.

Francis J. Heney, attorney for Burns in the case, argued that the special agent of the prosecution has a perfect right to ascertain the state of mind of any man whose name may be in the jury box and who is liable to be called a juror. Heney in the course of his remarks said that after the trial of Ruef he will insist upon an investigation and will present other cases in which it is alleged there have been attempts to tamper with jurors.

Judge Lawlor, from the bench, stated that information has come to him of several attempts to tamper with the process of the court, but he refused to delay the trial of Ruef at this time and intimated that the matter will be taken up later.

DYNAMITERS IN OAKLAND MAY BE ARRESTED TODAY

DETECTIVES HOT ON TRAIL OF THREE MEN RUMORED ONE IS A PROPERTY OWNER

Three Thousand Feet of Fuse Found in Railroad Yards Spurs the Officers to Renewed Exertions

Special to The Herald. OAKLAND, July 25.—Every detective in Oakland has been searching today for the three men supposed to have been responsible for dynamiting various buildings in this vicinity during the past few months.

It is believed that within twenty-four hours at least two men will be under arrest, and it is rumored one of them is a property owner who heretofore has borne a good reputation.

FIND 3000 FEET OF HOSE IN THE RAILROAD YARDS

Oakland, July 25.—All available members of the Oakland detective bureau are today scouring the city and surrounding territory in an effort to locate three men seen in the act of hiding 3000 feet of dynamite fuse in the Southern Pacific company's yard, 250 feet south of Clinton station. It being the opinion of the sleuths that they may be able to throw some light on the recent dynamite explosions in this city. The theft of a number of bottles of wine and other liquors from the cellar in the home of Judge Fred Henshaw of the state supreme court, followed by the arrest of the alleged guilty parties, led up to information being given the police concerning the fuse cached in Clinton park.

STRIKING LONGSHOREMEN RESTRAINED BY COURT

Federal Judge Hanford of Seattle Grants Temporary Injunction to Prevent Interference with Business of Company

SEATTLE, Wash., July 25.—Federal Judge Hanford today issued a temporary injunction restraining the striking longshoremen from interfering with the business of the Alaska Steamship company and the Alaska Pacific Steamship company, or the men they have employed in the moving of freight to and from vessels in the harbor.

The complaints alleged that the union was in a conspiracy in restraint of interstate trade and that they aimed to monopolize and control this necessary labor at the ships and were using intimidation and force to carry the conspiracy into effect.

This, under the Sherman anti-trust act, was held to be illegal, and as the union refused to desist from the company asked for the interference of the court. The companies alleged that members of the union had forcibly entered the stevedocks, Buckman and Watson and forced men to desist from work. Argument on the temporary injunction is set for August 2.

BRYAN ASKS JOHNSON TO ASSIST IN COMING FIGHT

ST. PAUL, July 25.—Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota today received a letter from William J. Bryan asking him to meet Mr. Johnson at Fairview, Lincoln, at the earliest date possible, to confer relative to the presidential campaign. Mr. Bryan asked Governor Johnson when he could be available for speaking purposes.

The latter question is asked, Mr. Bryan says, because of the numerous requests that have been received for Governor Johnson for speaking dates in the various states. He says the demand in this respect is general, and he hopes the Democratic governor will be able to give them attention.

Mr. Bryan refers to the visit made him at Lincoln by the delegation to Denver. He was told then that Mr. Johnson would go to Fairview. In the absence of Governor Johnson the text of the letter was not given out.

FIND BODY OF A MAN NEAR SHARPS RANCH

Special to The Herald. SAN BERNARDINO, July 25.—A telegram tonight to Governor VanWinkle from A. W. Graham and C. E. Fenton stated they had found the body of a man eight miles from Cajon station, near the Sharp's ranch, and had placed it in the cabin.

THE PEOPLE CARRY THE BURDEN



HAVE KNIFE OUT FOR MR. HUGHES

COMBINATIONS WANT A MAN THEY CAN HANDLE NEW YORK REPUBLICANS NOT UNITED

Present Governor Is Popular with the Masses, and Decision to Accept Renomination Is Satisfactory to Some Factions

By Associated Press. NEWBURGH, N. Y., July 25.—Former Governor B. B. Odell, state committeeman from the Twentieth district, said today concerning the announcement of the candidacy of Governor Hughes for renomination:

"Governor Hughes' statement is no surprise to me. It is exactly what I have been predicting for the past six months. There is no question that the organization will accept Mr. Hughes, because to turn him down would cause the withdrawal of independent voters from the support of the Republican state ticket."

RIOTERS AT BOMBAY ARE SHOT DOWN BY TROOPS

BOMBAY, July 25.—There was further rioting here today, which again necessitated the intervention of the troops. A number of strikers were killed. The determining of the authorities to shoot down the rioters seems to have cooled them, and the situation this evening is quieter.

SCHOONER LOU IS SIGHTED BY IMMIGRATION OFFICER

SAN DIEGO, July 25.—The schooner Lou, which according to Andrew P. Nelson, was engaged in smuggling Chinese into this country, arrived off La Jolla this evening. On the beach keeping watch of the craft is a local immigration officer, acting under orders of Inspector Engelle, and directed to investigate the craft and her crew.

SAN FRANCISCO CLERK FALLS OVER STEEP CLIFF

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25.—Peter M. Borden, a shipping clerk, was plucked up today at the bottom of a steep cliff near the old Cliff house by Capt. Varney and his crew of the life saving station. Borden's limbs were broken, his skull fractured and injured internally. The doctors say that he will not survive. All indications point to an attempt to suicide.

PARENTS SELL DAUGHTERS FOR WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC

CORUNNA, Spain, July 25.—The embarkation this port of a number of young women on board the Spanish steamship Isla de Panny, prior to the sailing of the vessel, nominally for Tenerife, aroused the suspicions of the local authorities and today an investigation disclosed the fact that dozens of young girls, mostly minors, were stowed away on board the steamer.

NAB MAN WHO STOLE \$50,000

NEGRO MAIL POUCH ROBBER ARRESTED KANSAS CITY AUTHORITIES SURE OF CONVICTION

Now Believed Colored Man, Who Is Accused of Taking Large Sum Sent from Los Angeles, Has Buried Treasure

BANKER WALKER SENT TO PRISON

MAXIMUM SENTENCE NOT TO EXCEED 21 YEARS AMOUNT TAKEN ABOUT HALF A MILLION

Full Confession Said to Have Been Made by Man Arrested in Mexico—New York Sharper Involved

COUNTERFEITERS MAY HAVE CAUSED TERRIBLE DISASTER

YUSOVO, July 25.—While clearing away the ruins of the explosion in the Rikovsky mine, which occurred early in this month and resulted in the death of nearly 200 men, the officers today found a set of counterfeiting tools and a quantity of spurious money.

AGED WOMAN CHOKED BY MAN PROBABLY WILL DIE

SACRAMENTO, July 25.—Mrs. Fredericka Williams, aged 60, is lying critically ill at her home, 920 West street, as the result of choking she recovered from the unknown man last Wednesday night. Her condition is such she may die. The man choked her into unconsciousness. After a time recovered and the man remarked to her: "I thought you were another woman."

MAN LOST IN SIERRAS DECLARED LEGALLY DEAD

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 25.—Search lasting over two weeks and covering miles of the Sierra Nevada has finally failed to disclose any trace of Kenneth Archibald, son of Rev. Andrew Archibald, formerly of this city, but now of Boston, Judge Studley in the probate court today declared the young man legally dead, according to the laws of the state, and his father was appointed administrator of the young man's estate, which is estimated anywhere from \$25,000 to \$100,000.

CHINESE FRUIT PACKER FOUND WITH THROAT CUT

SAN JOSE, July 25.—A young Chinese fruit packer, name unknown, was found at 6 o'clock this morning lying on the San Francisco road near Block's orchards with his throat cut. He died on his way to the hospital. No knife was found, and the indications are that it was not a case of suicide but of murder. Officers are at work on the case and an inquest will be held this evening.

FAMOUS ARTIST DEAD

BERLIN, July 25.—Prof. Walter Leistikow, one of the best known German painters, died here today, aged 45.

EASTERN STATES ARE VISITED BY SEVERE STORMS

MANY RAILROADS PUT OUT OF COMMISSION THREE PERSONS ARE KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Cloudbursts at Several Places Fill Streams to Overflowing—Damage Totals Hundreds of Thousands of Dollars

Special to The Herald. PHILADELPHIA, July 25.—Electrical storms, severe in eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey, at some places accompanied by cloudbursts, caused the loss of three lives early today, as well as the destruction of thousands of dollars' worth of property.

Many railroad lines are entirely out of commission and reports coming in tonight tell of damage in forty or fifty towns. While the storm was most severe in eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey it also extended farther west and it is expected that when the reports are complete it will be shown that the damage will run up into the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Kathryn Wagner, a 5-year-old girl, was killed by lightning while watching the storm from a window of her home in Camden, N. J. Charles Keisler, a 12-year-old boy, was struck dead in his home near York, Pa., and other members of the family were injured. James Cummins was killed in this city by lightning.

TELEPHONE COMPANY TO ENLARGE ITS TERRITORY

Many Improvements Planned by District Manager Seeley for Construction and Repair Department

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25.—It is announced that the reorganization of the official force and redistricting of the territory of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company, which has been in progress for some time, under the supervision of E. C. Bradley, vice president and general manager, will be completed by August 1.

GOLD IN SAN FRANCISCO MINT TOTALS \$282,000,000

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25.—After several weeks' work the amount of coin and bullion in the San Francisco mint has been found to be in accordance with the accounts of that institution by a government board of settlement composed of J. M. Helrich of Denver, Dr. R. J. Hillegras and E. C. Rodinson of Washington and C. E. Vila of Seattle. The gold bullion amounts to \$45,978,162.88 and the silver bullion, 900 fine, foots up to 4,099,055 standard ounces.

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