

JOHN S. PARTRIDGE FOR MAYOR WITH FRENCHMEN'S SUBSTITUTION APPROVAL OF HIS CANDIDACY.

Fusion Ticket Is Completed and Campaign Opens With All Confidence of Success.

FIGHT FOR HONESTY IS ON

Patriotism and determination to wage successful battle against the forces of corruption marked the proceedings of the Democratic Convention at Lyric Hall. The adjournment was preceded by a remarkable demonstration, unprecedented in the political history of San Francisco, stirred by the words of John S. Partridge, Chairman of Thomas W. Hickey and Daniel A. Ryan, Chairman of the Republican Convention, the delegates on the floor and the spectators in the gallery sent up a mighty shout of approval for the men that will lead the campaign for common honesty. The closing words of Chairman Hickey tell of the splendid campaign that is to come. He said:

The end of our deliberations is at hand. Go forth with strong hearts, for victory will be ours. This is a large measure that will give the conditional right of free speech to the members and on the by-laws, and we will not be shamed. This is our chance to show to the world that we will battle with all our might. The Democratic and Republican parties in this country have never been so united as they are now. The good news will spread throughout the city and the two great parties will have given to our people a new era of honesty and at any cost we will stand by our principles.

With three cheers for the ticket and then three times three cheers for the convention adjourned when Hickey concluded. Monotony, however, held the platform at Lyric Hall, where the Democrats adjourned, until long after 10 o'clock. Though it had been announced that the fusion ticket would not take up the work of completing the fusion ticket until after the adjournment of the Republican Convention, many of the delegates preferred to remain in the hall and speculate on the campaign rather than to witness the turmoil at the Alhambra. The most interesting subject of discussion was the news that during the hours of the afternoon the conference committee of the Democratic Convention had struggled hard to force the withdrawal of the Republicans of Fred H. Bent, chosen in caucus as the nominee of the convention. Then the Democrats that had opposed him withdrew their objection and a harmonious completion of the fusion ticket was assured.

KELLY NAMES PARTRIDGE

When word reached Lyric Hall that the Republican Convention had completed its labors, Chairman Hickey called the convention to order. The roll call was dispensed with, as were the reading of the minutes of the last session. Chairman Hickey then called for nomination for Mayor. A shout for Partridge from the gallery demonstrated the mettle of which Hickey is made. "I demand that the police do their duty," he said, "and put that man out." An instant the police hesitated, but with a roar of the convention in their ears calling upon them to throw out the man that had dared to interrupt the deliberations, they dragged a drunken wretch from his seat and rushed him into the street. "I call attention to the condition of that man," said Chairman Hickey, "as a political object lesson. He is one of the many that have sought to stay the deliberations of honest men. Cheers greeted the action of the chairman and for the rest of the night the Schmitz gangsters were silent.

Birmingham A. Kelly of the Thirty-ninth District proceeded to the platform. He was introduced to the convention and when a silence followed the cheers, he spoke as follows: Chairman and Gentlemen of this Convention: Out of the conditions that have come to pass in this municipality the necessity of good men being elected for the purpose of betterment is apparent. That the purpose of good government may be successfully accomplished and that the same that has rested upon us may be lifted and lost two great parties have united for a common end and propose to stand shoulder to shoulder in a battle against graft and corruption. It is obviously necessary that the standard be high in such a municipality and it is my pleasure to place in nomination for Mayor the name of John S. Partridge. The party has chosen a gentleman who will lead our party to victory in November, and we wish to declare him our choice. The one I speak is John S. Partridge. (Pronounced Partridge.) We love him for his sterling worth and his many principles. With him victory is assured and the close of the reign of graft is at hand. H. G. Davis seconded Partridge's nomination, making a forceful address. In part he said: "Next to my God, my country. And to

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our children let us leave the priceless legacy of good government. And after the next election day let us pass to the realm of political oblivion the hundreds that now enjoy the sunshine of municipal administration. Let us take of our party harness, let us be good citizens and by showing our patriotism let us show the world that we are good Democrats."

Louis H. Mosser moved that the nominations close and that the secretary cast the ballot. The motion prevailed and John S. Partridge was declared the duly nominated candidate of the convention for the office of Mayor. Delegates Eustace C. Thomas, H. Nolan and W. W. Sanderson were appointed a committee to bring Mr. Partridge before the convention. They left the hall on their mission and nominations were proceeded with. Delegate McCarthy placed Harry Baehr in nomination for Auditor. A motion that the secretary cast the ballot prevailed and Baehr was proclaimed the nominee of the convention amid the cheering of the delegates.

CHEERS FOR PARTRIDGE

At this point John S. Partridge entered the hall and the convention broke into wild cheering. Partridge was escorted to the platform and again he was cheered by the enthusiastic delegates. Addressing the convention, Chairman Hickey said:

Under the terms of the agreement reached by the Democratic and Republican parties, the duty of naming the coalition candidate for Mayor devolved upon the Republicans. That has selected John S. Partridge, and we have considered and approved his candidacy. In my mind, no man could be elected who would be a finer specimen of American manhood. No man because of Mr. Partridge's character, his high standing in the community, his ability to be more acceptable to the Democratic party than any other man, and the fact that he is the only man who can be elected who will have the hands of the freebooters who owe allegiance alone to the supremacy of graft. They are seeking the city by means more lowly than those followed by the states that called the Spanish main. There are times when all good, honest men must stand on the common ground of good citizenship. Thus the two great parties stand and face the common foe, corruption. New York has its Jerome, Philadelphia its Weaver and San Francisco has its Partridge.

MAKES TELLING SPEECH

Partridge was splendidly received when he came forward to accept the nomination. His speech was straightforward, frank and convincing and won for him the support of every man within the hearing of his voice. He then the cheering for Partridge ceased. J. E. Craig placed Percy V. Long in nomination for City Attorney. "Nominations were closed and the secretary cast the ballot, the incumbent being declared the nominee of the convention." W. W. Sanderson of the Forty-first placed Fred Eggers in nomination for Tax Collector. Delegates of several districts seconded Eggers' nomination and the secretary cast the ballot. D. S. O'Brien of the Thirty-sixth district named John McDougald for the office of Treasurer. The announcement of McDougald's name roused great enthusiasm, the delegates responding lustily to his call for three cheers for the candidate. Upon motion the secretary cast the ballot for McDougald.

Louis H. Mosser of the Forty-first district then presented for the consideration of the convention the names of six candidates for Supervisors, nominated by the Democratic Convention. These nominees are Fred M. Bent, Joseph S. Nyland, John A. McGee, J. Goldman, Harry E. Leland and Fred H. Graham. The nominations were duly seconded and the secretary cast the ballot of the convention for the eight members of the Board of Supervisors. The action of the convention regarding the Democratic nominations. The motion was lost.

PATRIOTISM ALWAYS GOOD.

We who have fought for years for good government and for lofty attainments in the management of this municipality can look no clearer-cut principles than those embodied in the old Jeffersonian motto: "While partnership is good at times, patriotism is good at all times, and I am glad to see that our people are so united as to fight our greatest foe—corruption and graft. With such an uprising as there is in the present against the forces of evil and graft, I say that Democrats and Republicans are united in the most energetic and efficient manner in the history of this city. This time will come when we have elected John S. Partridge Mayor. When Chairman Ryan concluded, the vote was called for on the nominations for Supervisor. A motion that the secretary cast the ballot for the entire Supervisory ticket prevailed and the nominations were completed. The nominations of the fusion ticket by the Democratic Convention. William M. Cannon, chairman of the Committee on Platform and Resolutions, then presented the following resolution: Resolved, That we approve the course of the Democratic majority of the Board of Supervisors in requiring the union label on all city property. CITIZENS TO ADVISE. Mr. Cannon then announced that he had another resolution to present, but before presenting it, wished it distinctly understood that the resolution was not to be considered as a part of the platform of the municipal campaign and offered solely for the reason that the Republican convention had passed a resolution affecting national issues. This resolution, which was adopted, is as follows: Resolved, That we condemn the failure of the present national administration to fulfill its repeated promises to the people of the United States and the great nations of the world.

GRAND OLD PARTY FORMALLY NAMES ITS CANDIDATES

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proceedings, but was summarily suppressed. The Schmitzites yelled and yelled again in the hope of causing trouble. D. Bowley, M. J. Kuhl and A. Van der Nallen seconded the nomination. As usual the secretary was directed to cast a unanimous ballot for John E. McDougald. H. G. W. Dinkelspiel nominated John Greif for the office of County Clerk in a few laudatory words. Seconding came from two Ruef districts to the astonishment of the convention. Sheldon G. Kellogg nominated Percy V. Long for the office of City Attorney in the following words:

As the work of the convention progresses it is the evident fixed intention of the delegates to serve in the interests of the public good. In so doing they have sought to nominate candidates who have proved good and worthy and have rendered fine service. The office of City Attorney requires a man of high character and ability. The incumbent has shown his ability in important cases. He has chosen good men for Deputy Auditor and County Clerk. Now comes the nomination for City Attorney, and here we have a man of high character and ability who will represent us satisfactorily. I will respond with enthusiasm when I name Percy V. Long.

E. M. Ritter, A. G. de Forrest and C. M. Fickert seconded the nomination, and the unanimous ballot was cast. H. N. Beatty was given the floor to nominate Fred Eggers for the office of Tax Collector. The gallery objected, but was not given much chance to be heard, as the speaker's brevity, the secondings and casting of the unanimous ballot followed without further trouble. Delegate Dinkelspiel nominated Peter J. Curtis for Sheriff in about the same manner as the speaker's brevity, the vote was taken regardless of his vapors.

Delegate Kase of the Forty-fourth rose to a point of order that the convention do not place in nomination any Democrat who had not endorsed the Republican platform. Chairman Ryan ruled the point of order not well taken. "I rise to a question of information," said Kase. "Has this convention for the nomination of Democrats?"

SUPPORTED BY THE LAW.

"The law of the State of California," replied Ryan, amid wild cheering. Delegate Kellogg nominated Edmond G. Poynter for Recorder, without eulogy, and the vote was taken amid gallery howlings. T. C. West then nominated H. U. Brandenstein for the office of District Attorney, and after the usual formalities the secretary cast a unanimous ballot. A. A. Friedlander, the delegate who refused to cast his vote for or against Ruef's men, nominated Lewis F. Byington for the nomination of Henry U. Brandenstein. The nominations closed. A vote by roll call was then taken. The Ruef districts turned down both Brandenstein and Byington, but when the Republican districts voted the uproar drowned the votes for Brandenstein. When the Thirty-eighth was reached A. A. Friedlander demanded a roll call and he voted for Byington. The Republican districts voted the uproar drowned the votes for Brandenstein. The Thirty-ninth scratched both Brandenstein and Byington, as did the district of the Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth. The vote was: Brandenstein 228, Byington 1 and no vote 153.

For Public Administrator M. J. (Billy) Hyzack was nominated. The vote of the convention was cast for Hyzack. E. D. Macbeth of the Forty-second District nominated Dr. Thomas B. W. Leland for Coroner. He eloquently praised the present Coroner, and spoke of his successful career in the office. His nomination was seconded by C. B. Perkins of the Thirty-seventh and delegates of the Thirty-fourth. The ballot of the convention was cast for Coroner Leland. Nathan C. Conlan rose upon the mention of the nomination of two Police Judges. He briefly introduced the name of Charles T. Conlan, and J. J. Sullivan of the Thirty-eighth nominated Alfred J. Fritz as the worthiest choice of the convention.

The secretary thereupon cast the ballot of the convention for Judges Conlan and Fritz. E. F. Treadwell of the Thirty-fifth then began the nomination of the Supervisory candidates. He read the following list: James P. Booth, Samuel Braunhart, A. Comie Jr., John Connor, A. A. D'Ancona, George B. McClellan, Frank Poynter, Charles H. Hockes, Edward R. Rock, Knox Maddox, Matthew McManus, Charles Swigert, Fred Bent, Joseph S. Nyland, John A. McGee, Isidor Goldman, Harry E. Leland, Fred H. Graham.

KASE IS HUMORED.

The nominations were duly seconded and the secretary cast the ballot of the convention for the eight members of the Board of Supervisors. The action of the convention regarding the Democratic nominations. The motion was lost. M. A. Gerstle moved that the chairman name a committee of twenty-five to be called the advisory campaign committee, to meet with a like committee of the Democrats to discuss plans of campaign. A motion to lay the matter on the table was lost and the original motion to name a committee was duly carried. Delegate Kase then took the platform to read the following minority resolution, to be spread upon the minutes:

Whereas, The bosses or managers of the majority membership of this municipality have agreed to sacrifice the identity, the individuality and the principles of the Republican party by a compact with the local Democratic party organization; and Whereas, We believe that the surrender of the Republican party to the Democratic party is a disgrace to the weak and disintegrated local Democratic organization and the abandonment of the principles which have been the basis of the compelling force of the Citizens' Alliance and kindred organizations in a shameful effort to wrest from the wage-working element of the roads of the country, and we deplore the inactivity of the Republican Party, the President and Congress to curb the illegal aggressions and restrain the open defiance and violations of law committed by the industrial combinations of our country. Resolved, That we affirm our unwavering allegiance to the principles of the great Democratic party and most heartily endorse its attitude of uncompromising hostility toward the criminal trusts and the making railroads of the country. Resolved, That these resolutions be entered in the minutes of this convention, but not as a part of the platform.

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people the advantages which have come to them through union and co-operation. Whereas, The spirit of patriotism and of Americanism has been violated by the conduct of the majority of this convention in refusing to the nine districts comprising the minority any recognition on coming to any city in nominations and representation whatever in the work of this convention; and Whereas, The vague and muddled creed which stands for the platform of this convention expressly declares that the ticket of this convention does not represent the Republican party or its principles and policies and non-allegiance to party in municipal affairs or in any other matter; Resolved, That we, the 175 delegates constituting the minority of the convention do hereby give notice that we do not consider ourselves bound by any action or nomination of this convention, according to the dictates of our best judgment and to vote and work for such candidates as it may suit our pleasure to support.

The document was referred to the committee on resolutions. Kase then asked that five minutes be allowed him. "I am a Republican," began Kase. "I am not a Democrat," he said. "Cochran moved that the convention give Kase privilege of the floor. Senator Hamilton Bauer seconded the motion and appealed to the delegates to give Kase a hearing. Kase spoke as follows: I have nothing to say here to-night to hurt the feelings of any man, woman or child. I see around me many familiar faces, men I have known since childhood, and many who were known as Republicans. From what I have seen in the papers and in this convention, I believe that the majority of the voters at the approaching election will probably not see the support of every man, woman or child by local conditions. Those opposed to the election of the candidate of this convention are Democrats or Republicans, and those in favor of him will vote for him. I have no objection to the nomination of any man, woman or child to the office of City Attorney, but I believe that the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt at the head of this nation a little less than a year ago, if the Republican party rule is good for the country and good for the people, is a good thing. I have no objection to the nomination of any man, woman or child to the office of City Attorney, but I believe that the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt at the head of this nation a little less than a year ago, if the Republican party rule is good for the country and good for the people, is a good thing. I have no objection to the nomination of any man, woman or child to the office of City Attorney, but I believe that the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt at the head of this nation a little less than a year ago, if the Republican party rule is good for the country and good for the people, is a good thing.

WOODRUFF REPLIES.

Roused by the many misstatements of Delegate Kase's speech, General C. A. Woodruff of the Forty-first District rose to reply. His speech was the signal of enthusiasm by the delegates and rowdiness by the galleries. Although interrupted frequently, the substance of the General's speech was as follows: Patriotism is good sometimes, but patriotism is good all the time. To-night some of our delegates claim to look upon union with absolute horror. Any one conversant with the actions of the late parties of August 8, when men with Union Labor badges were distributed to the people, and the late parties of publicans (?) must be convinced that, if they have not repented, they have at least had a few moments of administrative government. All the delegates in this convention claim to be Republicans, and if so, naturally desire to see a Republican in the office of Mayor. Every delegate in this convention knows that we could not name a Republican ticket which would give the people the help of gentlemen outside of that party. "By their works ye shall know them." To profess a ticket acceptable to the respectable element regardless of party is to vote for unconditional surrender before the lines of the party. I believe that the present Mayor, who is a candidate for a third term, is not satisfactory to the majority of our citizens. I propose to nominate a man who is satisfactory to the majority, and a union of those opposed to the present Mayor will elect him. Every delegate in this convention knows that a large proportion of the elected officers of the city are unsatisfactory to the mass of the voters, and animated by patriotism, not partisanship, we propose to re-elect them. Fellow delegates, if we are sincere in our desire for an honest municipal government, can we hesitate between nominating a party ticket which we know in advance must go down in defeat and joining in a high class, patriotic ticket, every citizen should gladly accept and which we can elect? Governor Folk, the great graft and boodle crusher, said, "The people can get just as good government as they desire." We think the people of this city desire a good government, a government worthy of the leading city of the Pacific Coast, and that is just what we propose to give them. We think the best elements of the two great parties. I can understand why the Mayor's supporters do not try to meet this union, but they do not comprehend why any opponent of his, Republican or Democrat, should do so. Two years ago both the Democratic and Republican parties offered the people excellent candidates, men of high character and ability, either of whom would have given us a clean city and a clean administration. Both were defeated. Is there a Republican in this convention who desires to meet the Mayor? Governor Folk said: "The people can over-

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RUEF MEN DENOUNCE FUSION.

Democrats and Union Labor Men Confer and Appoint Committee. In response to a previous notification issued by Matthew I. O'Brien, forty-nine Labor Unionists and Democrats assembled last evening at Social Hall, 102 O'Farrell street. S. Cornell called the gathering to order and announced that "this convention was formed of delegates who so nobly went to the front in the recent primaries with the object of reorganizing the Democratic party and preventing its fusion with the Republicans." S. Cornell was elected chairman and Richard Cunningham of the Thirty-sixth District secretary, both by acclamation. A resolution offered by H. J. Powers denouncing fusion was adopted without discussion. W. Hallett, J. J. Sullivan, Fred Frank, M. I. O'Brien and William Mulrenin presented a platform and resolutions which were unanimously adopted. The platform upholds Jefferson and a tariff for revenue only; advocates municipal ownership and Japanese exclusion, denounces fusion, the telephone company, the Citizens' Alliance and the Democratic Superstition. W. B. Sheehan, Frank Burke and Matthew I. O'Brien were appointed a committee to confer with a like committee from the Union Labor party, for what purpose was not stated. An adjournment was taken until next Monday night. Resolutions denouncing the Democratic bosses as traitors for having delivered the rank and file into the hands of the Republicans were adopted. The bosses were condemned and it was agreed to form a new party, to be known as the Independent Democrats.

RUEF DELEGATES WALK OUT.

The words of General Woodruff were heartily cheered. The galleries upheld their reputation or lack of it by chanting "Ruef! Ruef! Ruef!" in chorus, while the sleek boss sat complacently smiling in his seat. Secretary Morris then read the following committees: Committee on Vacancies—John D. Daly, David Rich, George D. Clark, W. Adams, Edward L. Wolfe. Adding Committee—Fred A. Healey, John W. King, W. J. Ruddick, Henry Gibbons Jr., Hamilton Bauer. P. N. McGushin read a rambling resolution that the convention quickly sent up in smoke.

CONDEMN CIVIC GRAFT.

Ministers Will Investigate Record of Various Candidates. The members of the Mission Federation of Churches met last night at the First Christian Church, Twelfth street, the Rev. Franklin M. Larkin, Ph. D., in the chair. The report of a committee appointed to recommend what action should be taken by the federation with reference to the coming election was presented by the Rev. Richmond Logan and proved to be an arraignment of the graft which, it set forth, has been "eating into the vitals of the municipal and State politics of the land." The report cited Philadelphia, St. Louis and Chicago as cities where there had been a return to "decency in city government," but not till many leading politicians had been put behind bars. It was recommended and adopted

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On sale at Market-Street store only.

Boys' Russian Blouse Suits \$2.15

And for the little fellow—the youngster from 2½ to 6 years—we are offering Russian blouse suits as pictured for only \$2.15. The suits are very tastefully made up in solid blues and golden browns, also gray stripes. Bring the little boy down to our Market-street store and try on some of these suits. You will be delighted to see how dressy they are. Price for Friday and Saturday—only \$2.15.

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Girls' Peter Thompson coats, three-quarter lengths, stylishly man-tailored with loose box or belted back, colored chevron on sleeve; colors, tan and blue; ages 4 to 14 years; special price, \$5.50.

These coats at \$5.50 on sale in both stores.

Any boy or adult who patronizes our stores is entitled to membership in the S. N. Wood & Co. Public Library. Ask the salesman for a membership card.

Notice to the Ladies: You are cordially invited to the Concert in our Art Reception Room every afternoon and Saturday evening, Powell and Ellis Sts. store

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