

NOTHIN' DOIN'

Republican Convention Is Only a Spectacle, That's All.

Brand Whitlock Gives His Versions of the First Day.

BY BRAND WHITLOCK.
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CHICAGO, June 17.—The convention has been opened. At the opening session yesterday there was that interest which always interests humanity, but the observer did not notice any fire, enthusiasm or passion. It lacked all these. As a spectacle it was complete. It was as charming as a dress parade in dancing, but there was no more taken than troops might display at guard mount—that is, the regular disciplined troops, of course, not volunteers. This fact was significant, for the delegates we have to obey the will of Roosevelt. They have been commanded to do his bidding, and as regulars they will do it. They might do something else if they only dared. Waited for something.
Yesterday 12,000 spectators sat and looked upon this convention as spectators would sit and watch an animal trainer at work. Down in their hearts there was a wish that the animals might get out of the trainer's hands. I use this expression only to say that the spectators had a feeling that something would happen. But nothing happened. The work might just as well have been ended last night. It has been all mapped out, and there is only so much of the people staying here, spending money, until the end of the week.
The gay decorations of the halls, the spreading eagles, the unfurled flags and the playing bands were all seen, but everyone knew that this was only for effect. The work was to hold the people. These decorations were put there for a purpose. But the people know what their purpose was. It was simply to hold them here. There was no real enthusiasm at this first session. There was a little applause, but it was mild, decorous applause.
The Bluff Falls.
When Chairman New opened the convention he made a speech that could not be heard very far. He mentioned the name of Roosevelt, and the crowd pricked up its ears. Perhaps it was the time for a real demonstration. But no—there was only mild applause.
When Senator Burrows, that gray old man from Michigan, took up the case as temporary chairman, he said:
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| \$12.50 Men's Suits now | \$ 7.48 | 2 for 25c Men's Black Sox | 7c |
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| \$20.00 and \$22.50 Men's Suits now | \$13.89 | \$1.00 Men's Dress Shirts | 55c |
| \$25.00 and \$27.50 Men's Suits now | \$16.45 | \$1.50 Men's Coat Shirts | 92c |
| \$30.00 and \$35.00 Men's Suits now | \$19.85 | 10c Men's Canvas Gloves | 5c |
| \$18.00 and \$20.00 Street Car Uniforms | \$13.85 | 25c Men's Suspenders | 18c |
| \$1.50 Union Made Working Pants | .95c | President Suspenders | 28c |
| \$2.50 Pants | \$1.48 | 10c Men's Bandana Handkerchiefs, 24-in. | 5c |
| \$3.00 Pants | \$1.98 | \$1.00 Men's Cool Negligee Shirts | 58c |
| \$3.50 Pants | \$2.39 | \$1.50 Men's Cool Negligee Shirts | 95c |
| \$4.00 Pants | \$2.95 | \$2.00 Men's Union Suits | \$1.38 |
| \$5.00 Pants | \$3.65 | \$2.50 Men's Union Suits | 85c |
| \$1.50 and \$2.00 Soft Hats | 87c | 65c Men's Balbriggan Underwear | 38c |
| \$2.50 Hats | \$1.59 | 75c Men's Lisle Thread Underwear | 40c |
| \$3.00 Hats | \$2.38 | 65c Men's Working Gloves | 38c |
| \$2.50 Fine Split Straw Hats | \$1.65 | \$1.00 Men's Working Gloves | 55c |
- Fancy Vests One-Third to One-Half Off.

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An extraordinary sale of best quality Gray Granite and Blue and White Turquoise Enamel Ware.

Lot includes 4-6 quart Berlin Kettles, Rice Boilers, Dish Pans, 12-16 quart Stock Pots & 12 quart Water Pails, Covered Pails, Tea Pots, etc. Values up to 85c; quantities limited in some articles, so you had best come early; from 2 to 5 p. m. choice **25c**

12 to 2 o'clock	10 to 12 o'clock
25c Best Selected Kansas Corn House Broom; 4-sewed and good weight; extreme special for Thursday, 15c	\$3.50 Arcade 13-inch Lawn Mower; has 2 steel self-sharpening cutters and has easy adjustment; special \$1.98
8 to 10 o'clock	12 to 2 o'clock
30c Doz. Boyd's Well-Known Porcelain-Lined Fruit Jar Caps; a bargain at, per dozen 19c	25c Hardwood Window Screen; adjustable; 23-inch extension; a money-saver, at 15c
10 to 12 o'clock	4 to 6 o'clock
19c Dozen Pure White Arcade Fruit Jar Rubbers, extra special from 8 to 12, Thursday, 3 dozen 10c	\$5.00 50-foot length Gorham Rubber Co.'s Olympic 1/2-inch Canvas-Covered Hose; never sells for less than \$5.00; Thursday, 4 to 6 o'clock \$3.49

From 2 to 4 o'clock

REGULAR \$3.50—Large Size New Design Fancy Hammocks, with lay-back pillow and double stretcher; close weave; from 2 to 4 **\$1.98**

Thursday

Spelger & Hurlbut
SECOND AVENUE AND UNION STREET.

FATHER NAMES SON AS CAUSE FOR DIVORCE

(By United Press.)
PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 17.—Warren I. Fales, the millionaire cotton machine manufacturer who named his own son as co-respondent in a suit for divorce against his young wife, was today granted an absolute divorce on statutory grounds. The son, Leroy, aged 22, admitted in court that he had been guilty of indiscrete conduct with his step-mother. Mrs. Fales denied the charge on the witness stand and asked for divorce in a cross complaint, naming her French maid.

SENTENCED TO TEN YEARS AT SEA

(By United Press.)
OAKLAND, Cal., June 17.—Raphael Scott was sentenced to ten years at sea by Supreme Judge Ogden today. Scott, who is 19 years of age, admitted robbing a saloon, and on Probation Officer Ruess reporting that Scott was apparently unable to withstand temptation, Judge Ogden decreed he must go to sea, so as to be under constant discipline and away from the devious paths of cities. Capt. Cauty, a friend of the Scott family, agreed to see that the court's conditions were fulfilled.

AMUSEMENTS

"Docketeer's Minstrel." The engagement at the Moore theatre of Lew Docketeer and his minstrel organization will conclude with tonight's performance. Docketeer is seen in "A Dull Day at the White House."

"The ToyMaker." Wallace Brownlow returns to the Grand this week in "The ToyMaker," the cast also furnishing Daphne Pollard and Teddy Webb with their best opportunities.

"Two Little Sailor Boys." The midweek matinee at the Seattle theatre will be given tomorrow and hereafter on Thursday during June. Miss Emma Bunting as Tom York is making a hit in "Two Little Sailor Boys."

"The Hypocrites." The performance of "The Hypocrites" at the Loie's is one of the best things done under the direction of Daniel Frawley. "The Light Eternal" is coming.

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION
Under State Examiner's Call of May 14, 1908.

Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and discounts .. \$289,926.86	Capital stock paid in .. \$281,217.32
Real estate, furniture and fixtures .. 32,748.20	Surplus .. 5,000.00
Cash on hand \$30,815.94	Undivided profits .. 7,419.68
In banks .. 81,153.56	Deposits .. 251,217.28
	111,969.50
Abstract and safe deposit plants .. 158,808.84	
	\$593,452.90
	\$593,452.90

Deposits May 14, 1908 .. \$281,217.32
Deposits February 14, 1908 .. 224,158.31
Increase .. \$ 27,059.01

MINER PROVES A PAY STREAK

L. Farnsworth, a young miner whose education along the lines of forensic research is not complete, purchased \$219 worth of experience yesterday morning and now he wants the police to find Miss Rose Smith, a honey-tongued siren, who is alleged to have secured his coin by fraud and base deception.

About two weeks ago Farnsworth met the young woman. Little did the miner suspect that his Rose concealed a thorn, but since he has been stung, the young miner would like to see his companion once more.

Farnsworth says the young woman and he grew quite intimate. As two persons who understood

OPEN TO VISITORS EVERY DAY.
The whole Atlantic fleet will be at the navy yard a few days more. See the battleship Rhode Island in the dry dock. Boats leave pier 2, foot of Yesler way, ten times daily. Round trip fare, 50 cents.

Free Clothing
A Coat and Vest Free with every Suit bought during our Selling Out Sale. \$12.50 Suit, \$1.90; \$18.00 Suit, \$2.20. In addition, Free Coat and Vest.

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each other, Rose poured into his ear a great many words, the burden of which was that she was a capable business woman. Rose explained that she knew the restaurant business from cocktails to coffee. She even got away with the claim that she could cook the meals, serve the patrons and take the money as cashier.

Wouldn't he please advance \$210 as part payment on the restaurant? He would. And last night when the young miner went to 425 Pike st. to see Rose running the business he found no such number and no Rose. Farnsworth then realized that he was a victim of misplaced confidence and repaired to the police station to tell his tale of woe.

BITS O'NEWS

Theological Society. The ladies of the Theological society will give a social and musical program this evening, at 8 o'clock, at 1420 Second av.

Baptist Church Picnic. The ladies of the First Baptist church held a picnic today at Fortuna park. The men of the church will join the party in time for supper, at 6:30.

Y. M. C. A. Convention. The summer institute and training school of the Pacific Northwest of the Y. M. C. A. of Oregon, Idaho

and Washington is being held at Long Beach, Wash. Mr. S. B. Hanna and Mr. J. G. Nichols, of the Seattle Y. M. C. A., are now at the headquarters of the association at the beach and will remain till its close, June 27.

Church Social. A social will be given this evening to the members and friends of Holy Trinity English Lutheran church.

Van Ogle-Hedley. Mrs. Van Ogle and Mr. Hedley will give a pupil's recital this evening at the Unitarian church. Among those to appear on the program are: Frankie Bloch, Mr. Ernest Rice, Eddie Torgeson, Miss Ruth Holt, Miss Nina Adams, Mrs. Douglas Rosa, Julius Friedman, Mrs. Emory Fyler, Robert Velten, Miss Lulu Sheperd.

Ballard High School Party. The junior class of the Ballard high school gave a party Monday evening at the Elks' hall, in honor of the senior class.

Hearst Gains Slowly. NEW YORK, June 17.—In the majority contest case 68 boxes gave Hearst a net gain of 38. Hearst now has a total net gain of 266 in 849 boxes.

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WILL HOLD TAX HEARING.

The board of county commissioners today decided to hold the hearing on the assessment roll of the Lake Washington canal on September 24. The addresses of the taxpayers concerned have been secured from the county treasurer's office, and they will be notified immediately.

Land Fraud Arguments Closed.
WASHINGTON, June 17.—Assistant Attorney General Hugh has concluded his argument to the jury in the case of Messrs. Hyde, Dimond, Benson and Schneider, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government of valuable lands in the West, and the opening statement for the defendants Benson and Schneider was begun by their counsel.

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U. S. Navy Yard Route Steamer Monticello

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TIME CARD.
Effective March 2, 1908.
LEAVE SEATTLE 6:30 and 9:30 a. m., 1:30 and 4:30 p. m.
LEAVE BIRMINGHAM 8:00 and 11:00 a. m., 1:45 and 5:15 p. m.
Sunday Night—Leave Seattle 11:30. Sunday Night—Leave Seattle 7:15. Special Saturday Afternoon—Leave Bremerton 2:15.
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