

SEEM TO BE FOR SHAW

Delegates to the Iowa Republican Convention at Cedar Rapids.

INTENSE INTEREST IN OUTCOME.

President of France Goes to See the Czar and a Bomb Explodes as He is En Route to the Station—Injunction Against the Miners is Made Permanent.

Cedar Rapids, Aug. 18.—All night and early this morning special and regular trains brought crowds to attend the republican state convention, which will be the largest ever held in Iowa. Every visitor is an active partisan for one or the other candidates. The withdrawal late last night of Speaker Byers as a gubernatorial candidate, while ostensibly for Flickinger, really throws strength for Shaw. The district caucuses being held confirm the belief that the drift of sentiment is in favor of Shaw. The withdrawal of Cowan, the second district candidate, strengthens the chances of Waterman for supreme judge. The Eleventh district caucus declared overwhelmingly in favor of the Temple amendment as a platform plank.

The huge tent, holding 4,000, in which the convention is being held, was crowded long before the time for the opening. Senator Allison, who entered with ex-Gov. Larrabee, was greeted with great applause, which was again and again renewed as men prominent in politics or official position took their places. It was shortly before 11 when State Chairman McMillan called the convention to order. McMillan introduced C. M. Hart, of Council Bluffs, as temporary chairman. He was greeted with a storm of applause, and accepted the position.

The committee on permanent organization will report Samuel Mahon, of Wapello county, as permanent chairman.

Faure Goes to See the Czar.

Paris, Aug. 18.—President Faure, accompanied by Hanotru, minister of foreign affairs, and Admiral Bonnard, minister of marine, departed this morning for Russia to visit the czar. Shortly after the party passed the intersection of the boulevard Magenta rue La Fayette a bomb exploded, creating a panic in the crowds assembled, but doing no damage. Wild stories were circulated, based on the stories attributed to the anarchists, that the next effort would be an attempt on the life of Faure. The president received an ovation from the crowds lining the route from the palace to the station. The party reaches Cronstadt Monday.

Wheat Restless Again.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—September wheat closed at 88½ today, the highest price reached since '91, an advance of full 4½ cents since yesterday. The price jumped nearly a cent in the last minute. December was even more radically strong, wiping out the difference in price with the nearer month, and closing 4½ above yesterday's closing figures. Liverpool and Paris cables are responsible for the shorts' panic.

Wreck in Southern Illinois.

McLeansboro, Ill., Aug. 18.—A wreck occurred on the Louisville & Nashville railway north of Daul Green, this county, this afternoon. Two freight trains headed in opposite directions collided at full speed, killing six men, all the employees, and demolishing the engines and a large number of cars in both trains.

India's Frontier Advances.

Sinala, India, Aug. 18.—The whole frontier seems to be aflame. Afridis is marching through Khyber pass upon Jamrud; Orakzais is advancing by Kurram and threatening Samann Gurrah and Sami Mazari have combined and threaten Parachana in Kurram valley, which is garrisoned by detachments of Goorkhas and Sikhs.

Made the Injunctions Permanent.

Pittsburg, Aug. 18.—Judges Stow and Collier this morning made the preliminary miners' injunctions permanent.

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SEEMS TO BE ANYBODY'S RACE.

The Struggle for Official Nomination Going on in the Hawkeye State.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Aug. 18.—On the eve of the republican state convention last night and nine-tenths of the delegates present, there was more uncertainty as to who would be nominated to the various offices today than at any time this week. All the candidates for the various offices opened headquarters Sunday and Monday, and have been working hard. There are many reports of combinations formed, but there seems no foundation for them. In fact, it seems impossible to form any combination. Matt Parrott, of Waterloo, had the largest number of votes on the first ballot, with A. B. Funk, of Spirit Lake, second, and L. M. Shaw, of Denison, a strong third. Fuller and Harsh followed, with Cowan, Flickinger, and Harlan practically out of the race.

Shaw was evidently gaining strength faster than any other candidate, and if Parrott is not nominated before the fifth ballot it is believed that Shaw will be chosen. Speaker Byers withdrew last night and this is considered a big thing for Shaw. The lieutenant governorship depends entirely upon the choice made for governor. C. M. Waterman, of Davenport, seems to be in the lead for judge of the supreme court, while Judge Laggett, of Fairfield; Judge McCoy, of Oskaloosa, and Judge Ring, of Newton, each have almost as much strength. Henry Sabin, the present superintendent of public instruction, is being given a hard race by Professor Barrett, of Osage, who may secure the nomination. Captain Davidson will be nominated railroad commissioner without opposition. The town is "jam full" of republican politicians.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

The 4-year-old son of Frank Barta, of LaCrosse, Wis., was drowned in a half-filled water barrel.

The story that there was a fight in West Virginia between "Cap." Hatfield and a sheriff's posse is denied.

George Dolsey, 12 years old, was kidnapped from his home at Chicago in broad daylight by an unknown man.

Dr. J. M. Byrnes, a New York physician, announces that he has discovered a new cure for consumption by electricity.

Two brothers named Olson were drowned near Sturgeon Bay, Wis., by the capsizing of a boat. They lived at Neenah, Wis.

As a result of the decline in silver the Laramie mine at Idaho Springs, Colo., has discharged its force of men working on silver lodes.

Miss Phoebe McKay, who was employed as a servant at Bayville, N. Y., has gone to England to secure an inheritance of \$1,000,000.

David Reed, a farmer of Beetown, Grant county, Wis., was killed by being impaled on a picket fence upon which he struck while sliding off a strawstack.

Richard Kellert, of Neshaminy, Wis., and Miss Gertrude Hart, of Menasha, Wis., were wedded five months ago, but the announcement was withheld until a few days ago.

Five prisoners charged with burglary were sentenced to the penitentiary at Joliet, Ill., yesterday. One of them was sentenced to life imprisonment, and the others to terms of years.

Persons who evidently have a grudge against Deputy Game Warden Miller, of Prairie du Chien, Wis., for upholding the law, chopped down all the trees in his orchard on his farm three miles from the city.

A Canadian Pacific train from Lac du train struck a carriage containing five persons at a crossing near the station at St. Therese, Que. Two were killed and three badly injured. The dead were Mrs. Elie Martineau and Miss Marie Philastre.

George A. Darney and Edward W. Allen, representing the Field Columbian Museum, Chicago, were arrested at The Dalles, Ore., for robbing Indian graves. They showed that they had no criminal intent and were released, but the bones they had collected were returned to the burial place.

Obituary: At Geneva, N. Y., Johnson M. Mowdy, the sculptor, 64. At Lewistown, Ill., Captain William Wesley Hull, 67. At San Francisco, Edward B. Rambo, 53. At Toledo, O., Captain Calvin Herrick, 77. At Ramsey, Minn., Mrs. Berney Lynch, 64. At Charleston, Ills., James Galarath, 82.

Wisconsin Solons Gather Again.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 18.—The Wisconsin legislature met in adjourned session at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon for the purpose of adopting the revised statutes, and transacting such other business as a caucus may deem expedient. The governor sent in a veto of the express bill (a tax measure) because it had not been properly passed, but urged the legislature to pass it again over his veto. The sleeping car tax bill was vetoed previously for the same reason, and the governor also urged its passage.

Scores on the Ball Field.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—League base ball scores yesterday: At Baltimore—Brooklyn 3, Baltimore 12; at New York—Philadelphia 8, New York 10; at Boston—Washington 9, Boston 7.

Western League: Minneapolis—Indianapolis 8, Minneapolis 3; at St. Paul—Columbus 3, St. Paul 6; at Kansas City—Grand Rapids 3, Kansas City 15; (second game) Grand Rapids 5, Kansas City 4.

Western Association: At Burlington—Rockford 5, Burlington 7; at Kokuk—Quincy 6, Cedar Rapids 1; at St. Joseph—Peoria 3, St. Joseph 2—ten innings, darkness; at Des Moines—Dubuque 2, Des Moines 9.

Alleged Embezzler Arrested.

St. Clair, Mich., Aug. 18.—Charles E. Broder, former cashier of the national bank at New Bethlehem, Pa., was arrested here yesterday. The charge against Broder is that of embezzling funds of the bank to the amount of \$30,000. Since leaving New Bethlehem Broder has been in the bicycle business in this city.

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PINGREE'S WELCOME

To the Bankers Assembled in National Convention at Michigan's Metropolis.

GOVERNOR HAS TWO NEW IDEAS

To Which He Invites Their Attention: Increased Liability for Corporation Debts of the Stockholders Thereof and a Tax on Gold Used in the Arts for Year That Use Will Cause a Stringency in the Gold Coin Market.

Detroit, Aug. 18.—The banking interests of the country were well represented yesterday morning when about 500 delegates to the American Banking association assembled in the Detroit Opera House to attend the opening session of the twenty-third annual convention of that body. The welcome speech of Governor Pingree, while considered somewhat radical by some of the members, was on the whole well received, and he was generously applauded at its conclusion. George H. Russell, as spokesman of the Detroit clearing house, administered a mild rebuke to the governor by saying that he had only been in the banking business eight or nine years, and would not, therefore, attempt to deliver a homily on the silver question or the evils of corporations. The applause which greeted this reply showed that a hit at Michigan's anti-corporation governor was understood and appreciated. At the conclusion of the session the state delegates met to elect their members of the nominating committee. There is scarcely a doubt that Joseph C. Hendrix, president of the National Union bank of New York city, first vice president of the association, will be chosen president.

Pingree's Talk Was the Feature.

Governor Pingree's speech was the feature of the opening day by long odds. After a few words of cordial greeting the governor said: "I do not pretend to fully understand the theory of money, being but an every-day manufacturer of shoes; but I have a thought which I wish to start rolling in their members. Whatever men's ideas may be upon the subject as to what money metal of ultimate redemption is best in the world's commerce and monetary systems, I believe it is conceded that when silver gradually ceased to be part of the stock used for such purposes in the balance of trade and otherwise the available amount of primary money was reduced about one-half. To remedy this state of affairs it is sought to effect an agreement among nations whereby the unit of measure may again be in either gold or silver at a certain ratio, called bimetalism."

Suggests a Scarcity of Gold.

"Should it be impossible to effect such an agreement, or should the people of the United States decide to hereafter use gold alone for money of ultimate redemption, a condition of affairs may be imagined when such a large proportion of the world's annual gold product shall be used and consumed in the arts that an increasing stringency in gold coin will occur. As I understand it, the principal purpose of remembering silver—either with or without foreign exchange—is to increase the available supply of ultimate redemption money." As one way of increasing the stock of the world's coined gold the governor then suggested that some way be devised to prevent the increasing use of gold in the arts; for instance, a tax upon manufactured gold in the shape of jewelry, gold leaf, etc.

LIABILITY OF THE STOCKHOLDERS.

Governor Would Have All Corporations Ruled in That Respect Like Banks.

The governor concluded with some remarks on corporations. He said: "The liability of the stockholders to the amount of their stock in addition to the amount invested, and the stringent holding of directors to a watchful and duty, make a national bank perhaps the best model of a corporation that has thus far been worked out. One great cause of complaint against many of our private corporations is that the laws tempt the people to organize them for the very purpose of escaping responsibility for the debts that are to be contracted. Many of these debts are, in conscience, individual obligations. They ought to be the same in law. A corporation is organized ostensibly so that men who would otherwise be in partnership can continue the business without its being entangled with the estate of a deceased partner."

"But if the business becomes a failure, except as to certain debts the stockholders are not generally liable to the creditors. Laws of this kind sap the individual character of our age. They lower the standard of honesty until people are taught to think that in a collective capacity as stockholders in a corporation they may be less honest than as individuals, and are relieved of individual responsibility to those with whom they deal. Now, if the principle of liability on the part of stockholders and directors of national banks were to extend to other corporations the stockholders would stake their individual reputation as well as their money on the result of the business."

"Large business interests would be in the hands of men of mean and dishonest character, and they would be released from all responsibility to the honest citizen by virtue of franchises granted by the public as great as that which rests upon a first class, honest, business man. If something in the nature of responsibility imposed by the national banking law upon banks would be applied to all private corporations I believe that much of the odium which now attaches to corporations in general would be removed."

"As regards the taxing of banking capital: As long as we apply the principle that all property, in whatever shape it may be, whether real or personal, shall be equally taxed, property in the shape of money should certainly bear its just proportion of the public burden, and hence, banking capital which has an earning power should also be taxed; but at the same time not discriminated against by any method of double taxation. An amendment to the existing law permitting national banks to hold an estate would tend to open real estate could not but tend to benefit both bankers and those who borrow from them."

Resolves for Currency Reform.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—Business men of the middle west call for a remodeling of the national currency along the lines now followed by Canada. At a meeting yesterday afternoon the executive committee of the National Association of Merchants and Travelers, representing 60,000 business men, adopted the paper read by John V. Farwell, Jr., on the financial question as a platform of the association.

Checked Up and Found Short.

Macomb, Ill., Aug. 18.—Postmaster C. W. Jones, of industry, a town near here, was checked up yesterday by Inspector Laughlin and found \$730 short in his accounts. The postmaster is a farmer and had entrusted the office for more than a year entirely to his nephew, Art Jones, and the shortage is attributed to the book-keeping of the latter. The postmaster will make good the amount.

Off For Indianapolis.

The following from Rock Island left this morning over the C. & B. & Q. to attend the Y. P. C. U. convention at Indianapolis: Rev. H. C. Marshall, W. L. Aster, Alvin Stewart, James A. Wood, Misses Maud White, Elese White, Ida Hillier, Margaret Barnes, Lizzie Montgomery, Sadie Moberg, Mattie Weed, Rev. David McCaw, Robert Speer, Richey Speer, Roy Kilpatrick, William Ritchey, Misses Susie Williamson, Minnie Gillispie, Jennie Wilson, Lois Wilson and Mary McConnell.

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Seasonal Divorce Suit.

Oakbrook, Wis., Aug. 18.—A sensational lawsuit was commenced in the circuit court yesterday by Mrs. Julia A. Hooper, wife of Mrs. Hooper, a wealthy and prominent lawyer and senior member of the law firm of Hooper & Hooper. The plaintiff in her complaint asks for absolute divorce and a division of the property, estimated at \$200,000. The papers filed recite that the couple have not lived together for ever three years.

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