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Iowa Democrats Sound on the Silver Question—They Favor High License.

IOWA DEMOCRATS.

They Pass a Ringing Set of Resolutions and Favor Free Coinage of Silver.

OTTUMWA, June 24.—The democratic state convention was held here today. After the organization Col. Charles Clark nominated Gov. Boies for the head of the ticket. It was at the conclusion of Col. Clark's brilliant address that the most enthusiastic incident of the day occurred. Just as the final words were uttered a visible device from behind the scenes was touched and a huge banner suddenly dropped into sight displaying the portrait and familiar features of Gov. Boies. The effect was instantaneous. From the audience one mighty cheer arose, and as Col. Clark turned with graceful gesture to the portrait and said, "Democrats, salute your chief," the enthusiasm was almost without bounds. Mayor Ficke of Davenport seconded the nomination of Gov. Boies and in alluding to the Iowa leader as one who was destined to a place on the national ticket, again aroused the deafening enthusiasm of the convention. Senator J. H. Shields of Dubuque, who had the honor of nominating Boies for the governorship two years ago, also seconded the nomination. "There will be a presidential election in 1892," said he, in conclusion, "and who is there to say that he who has carried his followers to the verge of the promised land may not then carry his followers to the very heart of it? You know what I mean." [Prolonged applause.]

Spontaneous and not a few were cheered by acclamation. "Let everybody arise," said the chairman. Simultaneously fifteen hundred cheering, unterrified democrats arose to their feet, and even ladies in the boxes caught the enthusiasm by rising and waving their fans and handkerchiefs. The band struck up "Auld Lang Syne," and the announcement of the chairman that Boies was the unanimous nominee of the convention was never heard amid the cheers which the familiar melody called forth. The ticket was completed with Samuel Bestow of Charleston for lieutenant governor; L. C. Kline of Tomka county for supreme judge; J. B. Knoepfer, superintendent of public instruction, and Peter A. Day for railroad commissioner. An attempt was made to appoint six state central committeemen at large, but the resolution was laid on the table. The greatest interest was manifested in the report of the committee on resolutions that the platform as finally presented contained the silver clause of last year and was unanimously adopted without discussion. The platform is as follows: "As the signal illustration of the public good to be secured by letting the office seek the man; we congratulate the people of Iowa upon the pure, able and fearless administration of our present distinguished chief executive, H. P. Boies. We demand the repeal of the prohibitory liquor law, and in the interests of true temperance we favor the passage of a carefully graded license law which shall provide for the issuance of licenses in towns, townships, and municipal corporations, and which shall provide that for each license an annual tax of \$500 be paid into the county treasury, and such further tax as the town, township, or municipal corporation shall provide, the proceeds thereof to go to the use of such municipalities. Third—We favor such changes in our laws as will insure full and equal taxation. Fourth—We favor the Australian system for voting; we denounce the republican party for the defeat of the salutary reform in the 23rd general assembly. Fifth—We reaffirm our adherence to the doctrine of the control and regulation of railroads as now enacted into law and we favor such changes as experience may show to be necessary. Sixth—We denounce all trusts, pools and combines and we favor such action, state and national, as will forfeit to the public the franchises and property made up of or by corporations or others to form trusts to the injury and spoliation of the people. The democratic party de-

clares that in division of the product of labor and capital, labor does not receive its fair proportion. Seventh—On behalf of our laboring and producing masses we renew that devotion to their interests and rights which has always been the fundamental doctrine and practice of the democratic party. Eighth—We are in favor of the election of United States senators by a direct vote of the people. Ninth—We reiterate our demand of one year ago for the free coinage of silver. Tenth—We declare in favor of a just, liberal and equitable pension laws for all invalid and dependent soldiers and sailors, their widows and orphans. Eleventh—We denounce the McKinley bill, the motives of its authors and defenders and the theory under which it is submitted for approval of the American people. Twelfth—We denounce the wasteful and lavish appropriations of the last congress. Thirteenth—We are unalterably opposed to non-resident alien ownership of lands and of foreign syndicate ownership of our industries, and we also demand that all unearned railroad land grants be reclaimed and held for actual settlement. Fourteenth—We tender to the Irish people our profound sympathy in their struggle for home rule. Fifteenth—Resolved, That we are in hearty sympathy with the efforts being put forth to make a creditable exhibit at the World's fair and favor a liberal appropriation for it.

HOT WEATHER IN IOWA.

Corn Growing at the Rate of Five Inches in 24 Hours.

WATERLOO, IOWA, June 24. Today has been the hottest of the season, 92 degrees in the shade at noon. The sun has been obscured by clouds most of the time, the excessive temperature being due to the hot wind which has prevailed all day. Leaves on trees are curling up and the grass is badly scorched in places. It is thought the hot winds will not do much damage to crops, owing to the moist condition of the ground from the recent rains. Corn by actual measurement grew over three inches today and experts say tonight will be good for two more.

MORE FLOODS.

A Niagara-Like Torrent Carries Death and Destruction to Its Track.

CHESTER, IOWA, June 24. The terrors of the Johnstown flood were in great part repeated in this place today. Seventy-five houses have been carried out of sight in the Niagara-like torrent. How many lives have been lost is yet a matter of uncertainty. A terrific cloudburst, three inches in diameter, fell here, a large one, and the rain was

The storm, which began last night, appears to have swept in a west-southwesterly direction from the northwestern Iowa, fully 100 miles in diameter, with Chester in the center. Up to 10:30 p. m. tonight, owing to the destruction of wires and railroads, only the vaguest reports have reached here from the devastated territory to the west, north and south. The damage here, taking into account the relatively small size of the town, is enormous. Most of the destruction in Chester was wrought by the extraordinary rise in the Sioux river, resulting from the tremendous downpour of water from the sky. Some idea of the immensity and suddenness of the flood can be inferred from the fact that it carried off apparently without effort the big truss bridge on which the Illinois Central railroad crossed the river and with the bridge went four hundred feet of trestle on which the company's tracks approached the river. Tonight the Little Sioux is at the highest stage ever known.

The best information indicates that the Illinois Central rails are under water continuously for many miles on the Onawa branch and that here, both to the roadway and bridges, is something seldom paralleled in railroad history. Advice have been received stating that Vice-president Harahan and a majority of the other high officials of the Illinois Central company are already en route for the stricken territory. Many days will probably elapse before traffic, either passenger or freight, is in anything like a normal condition. Orders have been issued to receive no more freight until further orders for any point beyond Aurora. Every effort is being made tonight to bring order out of chaos, but the absence of accurate information and paralysis of transportation almost nullifies progress. Gangs of workmen and several railroad telegraphers had reached this point tonight but could get no further and could do but little if anything here as yet. It may be a week or more before the full extent of the disaster is known. Other railroads besides the Illinois Central can scarcely have escaped great damage, particularly the Chicago & Northwestern and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul. As near as can be learned the area of the storm as given has been, if anything, underestimated. According to the latest advices the storm falls little short of the great tri-state deluge, affecting not only a huge stretch of country in Iowa, but large portions also of Minnesota and Nebraska.

Insure your wool with Phil Gibson.

A SUPREME COURT MANDATE

Which Settles the Conflicting Claims to Granted Lands in Favor of the N. P.

BOAT RACE BY THREE COLLEGE CREWS.

Columbia Beats the Favorites—Yale and Harvard, and Breaks the Record.

A Deluge of Destructive Waters in Minnesota—A Burning Sun in Iowa.

A SUPREME COURT MANDATE

Which Affects Lands Lying Within the Grants of Two Great Roads.

ST. PAUL, June 24.—The mandate of the United States supreme court was filed today in the office of the circuit court affirming the judgment of the latter court in the case of the St. Paul and Pacific railroad company et al. against the Northern Pacific railroad company. By the decision of Treasurer Sawyer of the Great Northern that road must turn over to the Northern Pacific road the funds received by him as the price of lands awarded to the Northern Pacific road. The lands are those that lie within the limits of both railroad grants where they cross near Glyndon, and the lands directly involved comprise about 308,000 acres, and much more will be affected by the decision being those which lie within the conflicting limits of the grants. The lands are all in the state of Minnesota. The Northern Pacific commenced suit in 1875 against the St. Paul & Pacific. Afterwards the court allowed the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba road to file a cross bill. In addition to the lands affected by the cross suit there are some 35,000 acres also involved which were placed in the hands of Mr. Sawyer as commissioner for the purpose of keeping them on the market. The case was dismissed without prejudice as to these 35,000 acres and under the decision now filed the Northern Pacific has to begin another suit against the Manitoba company to recover the money received for this land. The road believed it is entitled to all the lands lying within the limits of the two grants. The court's decision claims all of the lands within the conflicting limits of the two grants which were excluded from the grant of the St. Paul & Pacific railroad company and this question will be settled on the trial of the case.

COLLEGE REGATTA.

The Favorites Beaten and Columbia Wins Breaking the Record.

NEW LONDON, Conn., June 24. The two mile three cornered eight oared race between Columbia, Yale and Harvard freshmen crews was rowed this noon on the Thames river over the course from the navy yard to the railroad bridge and was won by Columbia by three lengths, Yale second and Harvard third, one length behind Yale. The time was: Columbia 9:41, Yale 9:55 1/2, Harvard 9:56. Columbia's time is now the best on record.

The result of the race is a big surprise to nearly every one who has watched the practice work of the three crews. Harvard was generally picked as the winner, with Yale pushing her closely, while Columbia was almost counted out of the race. All the morning a stiff breeze blew down the river and the waves threatened to swamp any shell that ventured out. Toward noon, however, the wind died away and the water calmed down so that it was decided to start. Water and wind favored the crews most decidedly, there being a strong tide running out and the wind blowing with the crews. This accounts largely for the fast time made by all the crews.

The referee sent the crews away on a ragged start. For the first half-mile it was a very pretty and exciting race, the three crews being well bunched, Columbia having a slight advantage over Yale and Harvard about a length behind. In the second half-mile Columbia and Yale drew away from Harvard, showing nearly three lengths of clear water. The finish was hardly more than a grand scramble in which scientific rowing was at a discount.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, June 24.—Cattle—Steady at yesterday's prices; prime to extra steers \$16.00-16.25; 5.00-5.20; others, \$5.00-5.20; grassers, \$3.00-3.75; Texans, \$2.25; cows, \$2.25-5.00; Sheep irregular—natives, \$4.00-5.25; Texans, \$4.25-4.50; westerns, \$4.45-4.70; lambs, \$4.00-6.

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It's a matter of regret to us to leave Great Falls, the city we love so well, and which we have been identified with, more or less, since its conception; but, as heretofore stated, conditions of our business necessitates this move upon our part. We prefer converting our goods into cash in preference to boxing them up, and our Closing Out, Quitting Sale will certainly prove a great benefit to the masses, even if it does work a temporary hardship upon our competitors. Come while the assortment is complete. No goods booked to friend nor foe.

HARRIS' QUITTING SALE.

Commencing today, Tuesday, June 23d, and continuing until our shelves, counters and tables are cleared of everything, we offer our entire stock at purchase price, or in other words, at first eastern cost. It is useless for us to name prices in detail. Come and see for yourself and satisfy yourselves that this sale is bona fide. Everything must go, notwithstanding the sacrifice, and nothing will be held in reserve! Lease, fixtures and store furniture for sale. Cash only goes during this sale. It is HARRIS, the Clothier, who is now talking.

HARRIS' QUITTING SALE.

Our location is probably as good as any in the city. Those desiring the room and fixtures will consult their own interest by not delaying the matter. It is all in a nice complete and clean shape, and with but little changes in the store fixtures can be made available for almost any kind of merchant use. As rooms for business purposes in Great Falls are scarce, please take notice and govern yourself accordingly. Nothing booked. It must be spot cash! Don't forget that this great sale of sales is to be our CATH. SHINGLE SALE!

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