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## SENATOR HILL IS TURNED DOWN

THE COMMITTEE NAME HIM FOR  
TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN,

BUT THE SILVER MEN PRESENT A MINORITY REPORT RECOMMENDING SENATOR DANIEL FOR THE POSITION, WHICH, AFTER AN EXCITING CONTEST, WAS RATIFIED BY THE CONVENTION, WHICH, AFTER SENATOR DANIEL'S SPEECH OF ACCEPTANCE, ADJOURNED TILL TO-DAY.

Chicago, Ill., July 7.—The Chairman's gavel dropped at ten minutes before 1 o'clock upon a hall that had a dozen rows of empty seats at the edges furthest from the platform. The appearance of Chairman Harrity provoked a round of applause from the Eastern delegates, reinforced by many Southern and Western men. When Mr. Harrity called the convention to order his voice easily carried over the tumult to the furthest corner, testing the acoustic qualities of the hall with most satisfactory results.

"Gentlemen of the convention will rise for the prayer," chairman said, and the chaplain, Rev. Edward Stirs, stepped forward and delivered an eloquent invocation.

Chairman Harrity announced the selection of Senator D. B. Hill for temporary chairman. This announcement was what the gold men were waiting for, and with a shout they leaped to their feet, and with waving arms, they shouted out their approval. Some enthusiastic delegate yelled: "Three cheers for David B. Hill," and they were given with a will.

Senator Sheerin, of Indiana, for secretary, and John Martin for sergeant-at-arms were also announced. When the convention had quieted down, "What is the pleasure of the convention?" asked Mr. Harrity calmly, as if he knew of the storm which was to follow. Mr. Clayton, the member of the national committee from Arkansas, arose. As soon as he announced that he deemed it his duty to present a minority report, the demonstration that followed the announcement of the selection of Mr. Hill's name was a breeze compared to a cyclone.

The demonstration was renewed at several points as Mr. Clayton read the minority report nominating Senator Daniel, of Virginia.

As he concluded with an emphatic demand for a roll call the silver men again cheered wildly.

Delegate C. S. Thomas, of Colorado, seconded the demand for a roll call. Chairman Harrity recognized Delegate Waller, of Connecticut, when order was restored, but the latter yielded to Mr. McDermott, of New Jersey, who spoke for the State as the only one north of the Mason-Dixon line which had always Masop and voted for the nominee of a Democratic convention.

"I pay tribute to the Hon. John W. Daniel," he declared, and then went on to praise the services to the party of the man who knew no other aim, except that "I am a Democrat." He begged the Democracy to temper its strength in the convention with moderation.

Ex-Governor Waller stepped to the front when Mr. McDermott sat down. His first word quieted the delegates, but he soon inspired a shout that the names of Daniel and Hill should be cheered together. He advised the election of Hill as temporary and Daniel as permanent chairman. Mr. Whitney and his fellow delegates from New York applauded the declaration that Hill and Daniel should be cheered together.

When he appealed to know if the convention was going to turn down Hill, after another tribute to Hill, there were laughing cries, "We are, we are."

Adroitly he worked up to the climax of his speech when he asked why it was proposed to turn down a man who had fought all his life for Democracy?—turn down David B. Hill?" he asked.

"In God's name is this a Democratic convention?"

He tried to appease the silver men by intimating that the speech Mr. Hill would deliver would not be offensive, but when he asked, "Will you turn him down?" there were cries of "We will."

"Very well," he shouted defiantly, "turn him down and we will fight you here and elsewhere."

This unmaking of the position of the gold men was met with a storm of hisses, and one of the silver men shouted, "One vote for McKinley." He finished with an appeal to the majority not to use their brute force.

chairman in opposition to the ascertained will of the majority.

"I appeal to you," he concluded, "to stand by the minority report. Let it not be said that in the first skirmish our pickets have been driven in."

The silver men cried: "Vote." Then Thomas finished, but Chairman Harrity called for Charles E. Walker, of Alabama. Mr. Walker proved himself to be a fiery Southerner, and he showed feeling when he told how he had been made to swallow bitter medicine four years ago, when another New York Democrat had been thrust over the head of Senator Hill.

John R. Fellows, the old Democratic war horse, of New York, whose customary reception at conventions in the past had been very friendly and not limited to faction, then took the floor.

The reception Fellows was getting was tame compared with the enthusiasm which he had stirred in the gold meeting Saturday night and his first sentences went uncheered. The cheers were started when he flung at the majority the taunt that it proposed to begin the convention by adopting a Republican precedent "disowned, dishonored, flouted by Democrats always and everywhere."

The mention of Mr. Cleveland's name called forth cheers, and the enthusiasm was noticeably confined to the galleries. Three flags were waved from the Michigan seats and Minnesota and Massachusetts shouted shrilly without rising from their seats, but the New Yorkers never raised a yell, and silence pervaded the greater part of the delegates' area.

"I made no threats," he concluded eloquently. "I shall make none. We are Democrats. We desire to march with our party and do what we can to make its perpetuation and ascendancy successful, but we do not want you to inflict this mark of punishment upon us. If you must select a victim to drag to the altar at least do not select one so hallowed to the people and so loved by the Democracy."

Delegate Marsden, of Louisiana, who next appeared on the platform in behalf of Senator Daniel's candidacy, created a storm of amusement.

John M. Duncann, of Texas, was brought forward by met another storm of impatient shouts, demands for a vote and calls of "Louder." "I will begin over again," and soon finished.

After Mr. Duncann came C. A. Ladd, of Illinois, whose speech was also brief. "No one doubts that his speech would be a good one," said Mr. Ladd, speaking of Hill, "no one doubts that it would be a Democratic speech and it would be that it would be a New York speech," and at this rally Senator Hill himself was forced to laugh outright, while Mr. Ladd went on to declare that such a speech would have to be explained to the Republicans throughout the whole campaign.

Gen. J. W. St. Clair, of West Virginia, made a strong speech in favor of sustaining the majority report.

National Committeeman Clayton, of Alabama, closed the debate in favor of electing Mr. Daniel. He paid a glowing compliment to Senator Hill.

The convention was very quiet when the roll call began. Breaks were shown in two of the Southern States, Alabama and Florida. The chairman of the first announced that Alabama would give five votes for Hill and Florida was equally divided between Hill and Daniel with four votes and four noes.

Senator Daniel, of Virginia, managed to score a point upon his opponent, Senator Hill, for Congressman Jones, the chairman of the State's delegation, announced that all of the votes of Virginia were cast in favor of the exception of John W. Daniel, who voted no. The Virginia partisans were quick to seize upon this bit of chivalry and rewarded it with a shrill shout.

The roll call was completed at 3:25 p. m. The announcement of the vote, 556 to 349, was received with a brief demonstration by the silver victors. Delegates waved their hats and the spectators in the galleries cheered.

Senator Jones, of Arkansas, R. P. Keating, of Nevada, and Senator White were appointed to escort Senator Daniel to the platform. As the committee appeared on the platform with the Virginia Senator, Mr. Harrity said: Gentlemen of the convention, I have the honor of introducing as your temporary chairman, the Hon. John W. Daniel, of Virginia, who complimented the ability and fairness of Mr. Harrity in presiding over the convention and thanked the convention for the honor conferred. He also paid a high tribute to the worth and ability of Senator Hill whom he called his friend.

The speech of the Senator was beautiful in its allusions to the different sections, and grand in its appeal to patriotism. He told the men of the East all that the Democrats of the West and South had done at their bidding, and asked that they acquiesce in the will of the majority. He was interrupted time and again with enthusiastic outbursts of applause, and showed that in elegance of diction, grace and eloquence he was still the great orator of America.

At the conclusion of Senator Daniel's speech the convention adjourned until 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

**COURT OF APPEALS.**

Wytheville, Va., July 7.—In the supreme court yesterday the following proceedings were had:  
Anderson vs. Phlegar, trustee, argued and submitted.  
Bradthous vs. Stanton, dismissed.  
Trout vs. Trout's executor, submitted on brief.  
Martin et al., vs. South Salem Land Company, partially argued.  
The following proceedings were had in the court of appeals to-day:  
Martin et al., vs. South Salem Land Company et al., argued and submitted.  
Virginia Fire and Marine Insurance Company vs. Elliston Development Company, partially argued.

## YALE WAS BEATEN YESTERDAY

IN THE TRIAL HEAT FOR  
THE CHALLENGE CUP.

THE NEW HAVEN MADE A GAME STRUGGLE, BUT THEY WERE NOT BEATEN HARDENED BY EXPERIENCE AND PRACTICE LIKE THEIR ENGLISH RIVALS. THEY KEPT UP WELL FOR THE FIRST HALF OF THE COURSE.

Henley-on-the-Thames, July 7.—Yale was defeated but not disgraced to-day in the third trial heat for the grand challenge cup. Leander won by 13-4 lengths in 7 minutes and 14 seconds. The record is 6 minutes, 51 seconds. From the earliest hours the course was lined with crowds and there were many American boats, full of gay parties carrying the stars and stripes and Yale flags.

When the word was given at 1:33 1-4 Leander and Yale got away prettily and all together. Contrary to general expectation Yale was quite as quick as Leander in starting. At the end of the island Leander had a lead of one man. Yale, however, steadily overhauled Leander and rowing evenly had a lead of two men at the rectory. At the farm Leander had pulled up until Yale only had a lead of one man. Then Leander spurred, overtook Yale and had the lead by one man at the half distance which was made in 3:27. J. O. Rogers, Yale's No. 4, seemed rowed out at this point.

Opposite the white house Leander drew clear, and when the Yale boat passed clubland George Langford, Yale's stroke, seemed played out. He was pulling lifelessly and Leander went ahead almost as they liked.

At the half distance it looked as if Yale might win the race, but at the finish the New Haven men were all exhausted and leaning on their oars while several of them dashed water over their faces. The Leanders, on the other hand were comparatively fresh.

When the Yale boat was taken from the water Rogers and Brown had to be assisted into the boat house, where several of the Leander attendants rushed to their assistance doing everything possible to revive them.

Bob Cook, in an interview after the Yale-Leander race said:  
"I have no excuse to make. We were simply beaten because we could not row as fast as our opponents."

In the first trial heat for the challenge cup, first Trinity beat London Rowing Club by half a length. In the second heat for the grand challenge cup New College beat Trinity Hall with the greatest ease by one and three quarters lengths.

## THE DEADLOCK UNBROKEN.

After the 11th Ballot Council Adjourned to Meet Again To-night.

After the 11th ballot had been taken last night in the City Council for the election of a president, the deadlock remained unbroken. Eighteen members answered the roll call, and when the first ballot was taken the vote stood, Andrews, 8 and Wilson 8, the aspirants not voting, and two members being absent. There was no deviation in the vote, and the deadlock remained unbroken, the friends of both candidates refusing to make any concessions.

Several intermissions were given by mutual consent, but when the roll was called every member responded and cast his vote similar to when the first ballot was taken. The two absent members were Messrs. Mays and Stephenson, who paired in their choice for the presidency.

At the end of the 6th ballot Messrs. Guy and Coleman paired off and left the Council chamber. The general belief is that the deadlock will remain unbroken until the end of time, as the friends of either Andrews or Wilson refuse to make any concessions whatever.

After the seventeenth ballot, and it was clearly seen that no president could be elected, the Andrews delegation wanted to adjourn until to-morrow night at 8 o'clock, but every motion to that effect was voted down by the opposing faction, and Clerk Thomas was kept busy recording the votes for the presidency, and then on motion to adjourn at intervals.

After the 8th ballot, and the deadlock remained unbroken, Dr. Colbourne, who placed Wilson in nomination, stated that it seemed impossible for the members to elect either of the nominees, and that they would agree on a third party if the other faction would withdraw the name of Andrews for president, and a recess of five minutes was given to confer. When the meeting was called to order by Clerk Thomas, on motion of Charlie Fox, Council adjourned at 1 a. m., to meet at 8 o'clock.

## A STATUE FOR NEW YORK.

New York, July 7.—The Il Progresso Italiano Americano, the Italian daily newspaper of this city, publishes the following special telegram from Caracas, Venezuela:  
"The Venezuelan government, through the efforts of the president, Joaquin Crespo, intend to donate to the city of New York an equestrian statue of Simon Bolivar, and has commissioned the work to the Italian sculptor, Giovanni Turini, of Staten Island. The cost of the monument will be about \$20,000."

\$100 Bicycle and \$25 Bicycle Suit given away. Every 50-cent purchase gets a ticket. See ad. Gilkeson & Taylor.

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**A Few Facts That Talk!**

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## ON THE DIAMONDS.

The Roanoke Club Won From Norfolk Yesterday.

Norfolk, July 7.—The locals could not connect with Kimble's twister and lost by the score of 7 to 1.  
Score: Norfolk, 1 run, 7 hits, 4 errors; Roanoke, 7 runs, 15 hits, 2 errors. Batteries: Leach and Armstrong; Kimble and Lynch.

## THE PETERSBURG TEAM.

Petersburg, Va., July 7.—The Petersburg Portmouth game was called in the third inning on account of rain. Rumors in regard to the future of the local team have been flying thick and fast to-day, but nothing definite can be learned to-night. There is a general belief, however, that the team will be disbanded or transferred to some other town.

## RICHMOND BEATEN.

Richmond, Va., July 7.—Lynchburg beat Richmond at every point to-day by the score of 7 to 1.  
Score: Lynchburg 7 runs, 16 hits, 1 error; Richmond, 1 run, 5 hits, 3 errors. Batteries: Strong and Fear; Marlarkey and Mace.

## NOTES.

It is sufficient for me to say at this time that concurring without reserve on all the declarations of principle and policy embodied in the St. Louis platform, I accept the nomination tendered to me, with a full appreciation of its responsibilities and with an honest purpose, in the event that the people shall ratify the choice made by the national convention to discharge any duties which may devolve upon me with sole reference to the public interest and to every duty.

## STATE LEAGUE STANDING.

|            | W. | L. | P.C. |
|------------|----|----|------|
| Roanoke    | 5  | 1  | 833  |
| Lynchburg  | 3  | 1  | 750  |
| Norfolk    | 2  | 2  | 500  |
| Portsmouth | 1  | 2  | 333  |
| Richmond   | 1  | 3  | 250  |
| Petersburg | 0  | 4  | 000  |

## AT ST. LOUIS.

Score: St. Louis, 7 runs, 10 hits, 7 errors; New York, 12 runs, 16 hits, 4 errors. Batteries: Hart and McFarland; Clarke and Zearfoss.

## AT CHICAGO.

Score: Chicago, 13 runs, 22 hits, 4 errors; Baltimore, 11 runs, 16 hits, 3 errors. Batteries: Griffith and Kittridge; Clarkson, Pond and Clarke.

## AT LOUISVILLE.

Score: Boston, 10 runs, 12 hits, 4 errors; Louisville, 7 runs, 11 hits, 6 errors. Batteries: Stivett and Bergen; Cunningham and Dexter.

## AT CLEVELAND.

Score: Cleveland, 6 runs, 12 hits, 3 errors; Brooklyn, 5 runs, 4 hits, 4 errors. Batteries: Cappy and Zimmer; Abbey and Barrall.

## AT CINCINNATI.

Score: Cincinnati, 14 runs, 17 hits, 4 errors; Philadelphia, 4 runs, 6 hits, 5 errors. Batteries: Dwyer and Vaughan; Carsey and Clements.

## AT WASHINGTON.

Score: Washington, 1 run, 6 hits, 3 errors; Pittsburg, 5 runs, 9 hits, 0 errors. Batteries: James and McGuire; Killen and Sugden. Umpire, Hurst.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

|              | W. | L. | P.C. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Cleveland    | 41 | 19 | 683  |
| Baltimore    | 41 | 21 | 661  |
| Cincinnati   | 45 | 24 | 652  |
| Boston       | 38 | 25 | 603  |
| Chicago      | 37 | 33 | 529  |
| Pittsburg    | 33 | 30 | 525  |
| Philadelphia | 33 | 33 | 500  |
| Washington   | 31 | 29 | 517  |
| Brooklyn     | 31 | 34 | 477  |
| New York     | 26 | 36 | 419  |
| St. Louis    | 15 | 51 | 227  |
| Louisville   | 12 | 48 | 200  |

## WELL-KNOWN PUBLISHER DEAD.

New York, July 7.—Anson Fitz Davis Randolph, well-known as a book publisher, has died at his summer home in West Hampton, L. I. He was 76 years old.

## NEW YORK REPUBLICANS.

New York, July 7.—The Republican State convention has been called to meet at Saratoga on August 25.

## THUMB LACERATED.

J. W. Cook, an employee of the planing mill department of the Roanoke Machine Works, had the left thumb of his left hand badly lacerated yesterday morning while operating a universal wood worker. Dr. Gale rendered the surgical attention, and took out a portion of the bone of the injured part, which may have to be amputated at a later day.

The German at Hotel Roanoke last night, given by young men of this city to visiting young ladies, was largely attended, and was a most brilliant and successful affair. It was led by W. H. Fry, and participated in by forty ladies and gentlemen. Devos's orchestra furnished the music, and the scene was particularly brilliant and attractive when the dancing was at its height. The costumes of the ladies were elaborate and elegant, and it is seldom indeed that so much female loveliness and so many handsome young men have been assembled under such entrancing influences as those prevailing at Hotel Roanoke last night.

## NOTIFIED OF HIS NOMINATION

MR. HOBART RECEIVES FORMAL NOTICE.

IN HIS REPLY TO THE SPEECH OF CHAIRMAN FAIRBANKS THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR VICE-PRESIDENT CONCURS WITHOUT RESERVE IN ALL THE DECLARATIONS OF THE PLATFORM.

New York, July 7.—The committee appointed at the St. Louis convention to formally notify Vice-Presidential candidate Garrett A. Hobart, of his nomination, proceeded to Patterson this afternoon, to perform their duty.

Patterson was reached shortly after 11 o'clock and carriages conveyed the committee to Mr. Hobart's home where they were received by Mr. and Mrs. Hobart and a number of ladies and gentlemen.

Charles W. Fairbanks, chairman of the committee then made the speech of notification. Mr. Hobart replied in part as follows:

"It is sufficient for me to say at this time that concurring without reserve on all the declarations of principle and policy embodied in the St. Louis platform, I accept the nomination tendered to me, with a full appreciation of its responsibilities and with an honest purpose, in the event that the people shall ratify the choice made by the national convention to discharge any duties which may devolve upon me with sole reference to the public interest and to every duty."

overestimated. There can be no financial security; no business stability; no real prosperity, where the policy of the Government as to that question is at all matter of doubt.

"Gold is the one standard of value among all enlightened commercial nations.

"The question admits of no compromise. It is a vital principle at stake, but it is in no sense partisan or sectional. It concerns all the people. Ours, as one of the foremost nations, must have a monetary standard equal to the best."

"I am firmly persuaded that what we need most of all to remove the business paralysis that afflicts this country is the restoration of a policy which, while affording ample revenue to meet the expenses of the Government will reopen workshops on full time and full handed, with their operatives paid good wages in honest dollars. And this can only come under a tariff, which will hold the interests of our own people paramount in our political and commercial systems."

## BRADLEY WILL FIGHT.

He is Challenged to Fight a Duel by a Spanish Captain.

Havana, July 7.—General Bradley T. Johnson, the correspondent of a New York newspaper here, formerly brigadier general of cavalry in the service of the Confederate States, has accepted the challenge to fight a duel, made to him by Senor Manuel Ampo Dia, formerly a captain in the Spanish army. Both gentlemen named their seconds to-day and the meeting will take place in all probability to-morrow.

A reporter of the Discussion interviewed Gen. Johnson regarding Gen. Ampo Dia's letter, challenging him to fight a duel. The general said:  
"I received the letter through the hotel's postman and I also saw it published in a newspaper. It is signed by one claiming to have reason to fight me, although I find no one to answer for that party nor has he sent any one to me in the usual way. I am not acquainted with him but I know that there are brave officers in the Spanish army as well as in all armies. Bravery is not a monopoly of this nor of any other place. But it is not customary for gentlemen to challenge each other through the newspapers. However, if I have offended any gentlemen I am disposed to make good my word. My address is the hotel Inglaterra, where I shall be until July 11th."

The excitement caused by the approaching encounter is increasing every hour.

## GEORGE LAW DEAD.

New York, July 7.—George Law, president of the Eighth Avenue and Ninth street railway companies, of this city, died to-day.

## PRACH AND PINEAPPLE

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