

"Old Party Is Husk"--Roosevelt

WILD UPROAR LASTS FOR 52 MINUTES

CONVENTION IS WILD WHEN COLONEL APPEARS.

Colonel Joins

INTRODUCTION BY BEVERIDGE IS UNIQUE ONE

"Down With the Bosses" Is Slogan of Many Delegations--For 52 Minutes Hall Is in Uproar With Men Marching to Pipe and Drum--Colonel Catches Spirit of Music

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Enthusiasm almost without parallel was shown here today when Colonel Roosevelt appeared in the convention hall of the National Progressive party to deliver his "confession of faith," on the basis of which he expects to be elected next November. The demonstration to Roosevelt lasted 52 minutes. Following the calling of the convention to order by Temporary Chairman Beveridge, Rev. Father Andrew Spetz of Chicago delivered the invocation. The colonel then appeared on the stage and a demonstration burst out. Roosevelt himself aided in the demonstration, waving his arms and shouting lustily.

Old Veterans Excited.

Ten thousand flags and red bandannas were waving as Roosevelt stood smiling, bowing and waving his hand to the galleries.

Shouts of "We want Teddy" drowned out the band.

Roosevelt's face radiated with happiness. While the uproar continued, Roosevelt shook hands with the grand army drum corps who stood beside him. At his suggestion the veterans started a marching tune increasing the enthusiasm. General McDowell, of Tennessee, a confederate veteran, shook hands with Roosevelt and patted him on the back. This increased the enthusiasm. At this moment "Tim" Woodruff of New York, seized the New York state banner as it appeared from below the stage and a wild demonstration through the aisles was renewed. Gray haired fifers and drummers continued their tune. Colonel Roosevelt unconsciously falling into time, his arms swinging rhythmically and his feet jogging to the music. In another minute all the states with banners paraded through the aisles.

Men Shout from Chair Tops

Scores of delegates climbed on the chairs all over the hall and hands waving, continued to lead the cheering which for a half hour was spontaneous, ended in one long deep throated roar.

"The Man, the Hour."

Chairman Beveridge then invited Jane Addams, of Hull house, to the platform. As she came forward Colonel Roosevelt advanced across the stage to meet her. She bowed and reddened. The crowd yelled its approval. Roosevelt escorted her to a seat directly beside his own. After the demonstration the police and sergeant at arms made a determined effort to clear the aisles. Order was finally restored at 1:40 o'clock. After the demonstrated lasting 52 minutes.

Beveridge's introduction of Roosevelt.

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Beef Sets New Record

TEN DOLLARS A HUNDRED PAID TODAY.

STIFF BIDDING CAUSE

Highest Price on Record Paid at Chicago for Steers Today.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Beef on the hoof reached \$10.00 a hundred pounds today, breaking all records. Armour and Smith were bidding against each other for steers when the high mark was touched.

The market last night was not uncolored. Beeves brought \$5.75@9.85; Texas steers \$4.90@6.80; western steers \$5.75@7.90; stockers and feeders \$4@6.80; cows and heifers, \$2.70@8.35; calves, \$6.50@10.

Omaha Near \$10 Mark.

Omaha, Aug. 6.—Cattle.—Yesterday's receipts, 4600; market steady to 10c lower. Native steers, \$5.75@9.75; cows and heifers, \$3.50@7; western steers, \$5@8.25; Texas steers, \$4.50@6.50; range cows and heifers, \$3@6.35; canners, \$2.75@4.25; stockers and feeders, \$3.75@7; calves \$4@8; bulls, stags, etc., \$3.75@5.50.

Plentiful at Portland.

Portland Aug. 6.—There was a good supply of cattle and sheep yesterday. Not many hogs showed up. The market was firm all around, with an advance in hogs. Five loads of choice steers were moved at the top, \$7.00 a hundred. Another bunch of five loads was taken off the market at \$4.85. Smaller lots sold at \$6.00@6.75. Best cows sold at \$5.90@6.00. A few odds and ends in the other cattle lines were disposed of.

Finnish Temperance Brotherhood.

Hancock, Mich., Aug. 6.—The 25th or silver jubilee convention of the Finnish National Temperance Brotherhood began here today and will continue until the end of the week. Delegates from many states are in attendance.

JONES FIGHTS CANAL TOLLS

AMERICAN DOLLARS BUILT IT, HENCE NO TOLLS.

Absolute Freedom From Foreign Domination Is Wanted.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Standing firm for American control of the Panama canal, which he declared was built by American dollars, should be absolutely free as far as Americans are concerned, from domination by foreign powers, Senator Jones of Washington today delivered his views on the matter in the senate.

Knights of Columbus Meet.

Colorado Springs, Col., Aug. 6.—Hundreds of Knights of Columbus from all parts of the United States and Canada have arrived in Colorado Springs to attend the meeting of the supreme council of the order, which began a three days' session today. The proceedings opened with a sermon by Archbishop Glennon of St. Louis.

Hundreds of wives and daughters of the visiting knights have accompanied the delegates. An extensive program of sightseeing excursions has been prepared for their entertainment. Pike's Peak, the Garden of the Gods, the Cave of the Winds and the Crystal Creek region will be visited.

Huntington Man a Guest in City.

E. M. Eversole, the O. W. R. & N. yardmaster at Huntington, was a visitor in La Grande this morning.

PLATFORM IS PROGRESSIVE IN EACH PHASE

LEAVES SUFFRAGE ISSUE TO EACH STATE UNIT.

NEGRO QUESTION WORRIES CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

Credentials Committee Report Is Put up to Roosevelt for Ratification -- Not a Single Negro Delegate Seated by Committee--Platform Not to Be Long but Concise and Progressive.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Planks in the Progressive party contract--today amid considerable jangling over the negro delegate question.

Though Roosevelt's confession of faith overshadowed everything else to come before the national progressive convention here today the delegates admitted the action of the provisional national committee in unseating the negro delegates is sure to result in a clash despite the endorsement of this ruling by the credentials committee. Not a single negro delegate from the south has been seated.

When the convention opened at noon every committee but that on resolutions was ready to report. The platform will probably contain not fewer than 10,000 words, and urge a scientific revision of the tariff, regulation of trusts, compensation for workmen, settlement of the woman suffrage question by each state and also advocate a strong army; judicial reform and laws everywhere for making the rule of the people easier.

Jane Addams Meets Colonel.

Roosevelt passed the morning with Mrs. Roosevelt receiving callers, the latter including a delegation of suffragettes headed by Jane Addams of Hull house.

The negro progressives of Arkansas met here this morning and decided to demand that Roosevelt make a final ruling on the negro question.

Members of the platform committee worked hard to frame a concise document. The leaders are insisting that unless this is done the progressive declaration of principles will not get necessary newspaper publicity. The

Notify Wilson At Sea Girt

Sea Girt, N. J., Aug. 6.—This little seashore town, the official residence during the summer months of the governor of New Jersey, will be the scene tomorrow of the most representative gathering of democratic leaders of importance that has assembled since the Baltimore convention. The occasion will be the official notification of Woodrow Wilson of his nomination for president of the United States. The notification committee will consist of 52 members, representing all of the states and territories, with Ollie James of Kentucky, the permanent chairman of the Baltimore convention, at the head.

Mr. James will deliver the notification speech and Governor Wilson will respond with his formal speech of acceptance, standing on a little knoll in his yard beneath a group of elms, with his visitors grouped about him on the lawn. If the weather is stormy, the speechmaking part of the program

CONFIDENCE SPREADS WITH TELLING EFFECT

OREGON DELEGATION IS UNITED AND HARMONIOUS.

"NO CHANCE" IMPRESSION RAPIDLY DISPELLED IN EAST

Whites and Blacks' Fight in Mississippi Contests Only Serious Problem Before Convention--Oregon Delegation Fight to Get Oregon Principles Into Platform.

(By Bruce Dennis)

Chicago, Aug. 6.—(Special)—Following Temporary Chairman Beveridge's speech yesterday afternoon—admitted generally to be one of the greatest efforts ever delivered on any American platform, the big convention got down to business with the various committees. The Oregon delegation is working hard to establish the Oregon governmental principles in the national platform, with possible success. The only heavy skirmish thus far was in the contest in Mississippi between the whites and blacks. Both are very irregular and as Oregon members of the credentials committee we voted to deny Mississippi any representation.

Oregonians Are United.

The Oregon delegation thus far has been united in every act and election. The convention is the largest ever held. The American impression of a progressive national victory being impossible this year is fast disappearing and being displaced by the belief that the new party wins.

planks dealing with the negro question are occupying the attention of the committee at noon. It is reported that Judge Lindsay of Denver has been in communication with Mayor Whitlock of Toledo with a view of getting him to accept the progressive gubernatorial nomination of Ohio. A canvass of the Ohio delegation showed a strong Whitlock sentiment. Whitlock is acceptable to the Roosevelt leaders.

Family In Water Long

HUNTINGTON FAMILY HAS HARD STRUGGLE.

BOTH ARE VERY AGED

Story of Hardship Told at Huntington Where Storm Raged Friday.

Huntington, Oregon, Aug. 6.—(Special)—A story of hardship and stamina to withstand it, such as few young people, let alone those past 70 years possess, has been brought out in the experience of Mr. and Mrs. William Cantrell whose home near this place was demolished in the rush of water following the cloud-burst Friday night. The roar of water warned them of the approaching calamity and they took refuge in the cellar, which was half "rug-out" in structure. The water rushed in to a depth over their waists, and the rocks and debris piled around outside made it impossible for them to escape after the torrent had passed. From about 10 o'clock Friday evening until the same hour the following day the husband, aged 83, and wife, aged 71, stood in the icy waters until their cries brought a rescuing party.

Yesterday afternoon they seemed none the worse for their experience which was probably the worst of their lives, although both are strong and active people, beyond the limit of their ages. Passengers from the stalled trains visited their home, which presents a sad sight, but they found Mr. Cantrell seated on a rock taking a great interest in everything and giving little indications of having passed through such an ordeal a few hours before.

A collection amounting to about \$30 was taken up by the visitors and although the old man demurred about taking it, he was finally induced to accept it in the same spirit in which it was tendered.

Judd Geer Here.

Horticultural Commissioner, Judd Geer and wife of Cove were registered at the Foley last night.

AID RUSHED TO AMERICANS

MAROONED BODY OF FUGITIVES IN DANGER.

Big Zone of Mexico Created Into Martial Law Territory.

El Paso, Aug. 6.—Twenty armed Americans bearing food and water, left Agua Prieta today to search for a large body of American refugees reported to be marooned near Casas Grandes. The fate of these refugees is causing much anxiety here.

Martial Law Declared.

Mexico City, Aug. 6.—Suspension of the constitution in the states where the rebellion is rife, was ordered here today by the permanent commission of congress. This is virtually a declaration of martial law in such states.

Juarez, Aug. 6.—After making preparation for the evacuation of the city here, General Orozco, the rebel, today announced that he was no longer responsible for the protection of the city. Orozco advised everyone not accompanying him to leave at once for El Paso.

Casas Grandes Recaptured.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Advices received today by the state department say the Corralitos mines near Chihuahua have been looted and an investigation ordered. It is also reported that Mexican federals have captured Casas Grandes.

TELL BY SOUNDS K 'NOTES FOR PROGRESSIVES

PRINCIPLES OF NEW PARTY MADE CLEAR BY HIM.

RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE TO RULE IS ONE THEM

Constructive Control of Trusts, Regulation of Courts, the Tariff and High Cost of Living Among Subjects Touched Upon in Keynote Speech—Currency Is Discussed.

The Coliseum, Chicago, Aug. 6.—Just what Theodore Roosevelt's opinion of the present day embroglio in the republican ranks is was told by the colonel himself today to the National Progressive convention. His utterances were received with loud acclaim. The speech was punctuated with ringing applause.

Mr. Roosevelt's speech strikes a keynote for his followers and supporters in the new party. It lays down the plan of battle to be waged by the National Progressive party. He discusses them, namely under twelve subdivisions—principally the helplessness of the old parties, the right of the people to rule, the courts and the people, constructive control of the trusts, rights of the wage-worker, the farmer, the tariff, the high cost of living, currency, conservation, Alaska and international affairs. "The two old parties," he said, "are broken, with no real soul within either, divided on artificial lines, boss ridden and privilege controlled, each a jumble of incongruous elements and neither daring to speak out wisely and fearlessly what should be said on the vital issues of the day." As opposed to this ingratitude and insincerity of action he asserted that the National Progressive platform will be "a contract with the people," with definite and concrete provision to be carried out if the people ratify the contract on election day as exactly and honestly "as if it were actually enforceable under the law."

No Help From the Old Party Machines.

Neither the Republican nor the Democratic platforms or managers show any adequate recognition of the mighty fact "that we are now in the midst of a great economic evolution." This irremediable movement for economic change and improvement must be guided "by common sense and the highest ethical standards" in order to prevent reasonable evolution from becoming a dangerous revolution. The Democratic party, as is indicated by its present record in congress, lacks the common sense and the Republican party, by its record of stolen delegates at the Chicago convention, lacks the ethical standards.

"The men who presided over the Chicago and Baltimore conventions and the great bosses who controlled the two conventions—Mr. Root and Mr. Parker, Mr. Barnes and Mr. Murphy, Mr. Penrose and Mr. Taggart, Mr. Guggenheim and Mr. Sullivan—differ from one another, of course, on certain points, but these are the differences which one corporation lawyer has with another corporation lawyer when acting for different corporations. They come together at once as against a common enemy when the dominion of both is threatened by the supremacy of the people of the United States."

"If this country is really to go forward along a path of social and economic justice there must be a new party of nation wide and nonsectarian principles, a party where the titular national chiefs and the real statesmen shall be in genuine accord, in whose councils the people's supreme, a party that shall represent in the nation and the several states alike the same cause, the cause of human rights and of governmental efficiency." The reassertion of the states rights doctrine of the Democratic party cripples and forecloses any real or genuine relief to the people. It reduces

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