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Hermann Is Named at Eugene.

FOR TOUGUE'S PLACE

Brownell Is Made the Chairman.

TAKES SLATE FROM POCKET

Calmly Reads Off Officers of Body.

OPPOSITION COULD NOT UNITE

Though Gatch Finally Took Kelly's Strength and Polled 72 Votes-Hermann Had Given Up Fight

tion, Binger Hermann snatches victory from the jaws of defeat.

Which of the other candidates should get the nomination they themselves would not decide, and while they hesitated the auspicious moment passed, the leading candidate railled, pulled to-gether his strength, gained recruits from the waiting ones and gained the

Though the battle was a genuine struggle while it insted the best of good feeling seemed to prevail when the result became known.

EUGENE, Or., April 2.-(Staff correspondence.)-Binger Hermann was nomnated for Congress tonight. The convention was in session 3% hours, and was in mult most of that time. Early in the nate. Then his forces went to pieces in vals succeeded to the mastery of the con- can ticket. vention, but they could not agree upon a refused to yield.

again about 10 P. M. and reorganised their have been voted for. They are men who ranks as they had been early in the convention. Thereupon Eddy of Tiliamook tives in Congress-men who would have declared that his delegation of five, in been worthy representatives of Oregon order to end a fruitless contest, would support Hermann. Vawter withdrew and tion. left his delegation to go whither they desired, and his people flocked to Hermann. Gatch of Marion and Kelly of Linn united their forces. The union was too long put off, however, and accomplished nothing. The final vote was: Hermann, 35; Gatch, 72; Kelly, 9. The total number of votes cast was 176, three more than were in the convention, but the opponents of Hermann saw that they could accomplish nothing by demanding another ballot, and on motion of Kay of Marion, Hermann was declared the unanimous choice of the

the fight had not left wide breaches, and that all elements of the party would work for the election of the party's nominee. Hermann Had Given It Up. Hermann's rivals had beaten all hope

convention. Speechmaking by Hermann

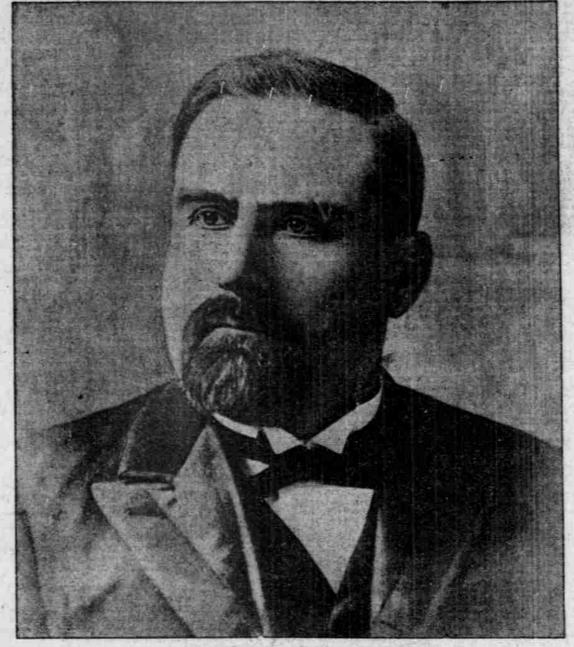
and his rivals showed that the outcome of

out of his supporters. About 7 P. M., Brownell, who had been elected chairman of the convention by combined Hermann and Clackamas votes, withdrew and went to bed, charging the members of his delegation with treachery for failing to aid Hermann toward the nomination. Herelf went to his hotel in the belief that his game was lost. About 11 o'clock both learned that the convention | the earth we find none that stands like

returned to the convention.

on the 23d.

REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS FIRST OREGON DISTRICT.



BINGER HERMANN, OF DOUGLAS COUNTY.

the earnestness of contest over the Con-gressional nomination; remarkable for the endurance which you manifested in your loyalty to your candidates, and remarkable for the kindly and fraternal feeling which has prevailed. The absence of any bitterness justifies the prophecy that the feeling of victory will go forth as you go convention Hermann hovered within six to your homes, and will spread over the or geven votes of the 87 required to nomi- district until the day of election, when the Reuphlicans of this district will roll the face of stubborn opposition. His ri- up a splendid majority for the Republi-

"It is indeed a most distinguished honor candidate. For four hours each of them to receive this nomination at your hands, but more to be prized because of the The Hermann managers took heart standing of the distinguished men who South China, for, according to mail adwould honor any state as Representahad they been nominated by this conver

"I accept the nomination which you have given me, and promise that, if elected, it shall be my proud endeavor to perform my duties to the state to the best of my ability. I shall traverse the counties of this district to see what are the needs of the different localities. I shall meet the people face to face and talk with them concerning matters of interest to them in Congress. It shall be my pleasure to traverse the sencoast and see what can be done to improve the waterways and harbors, and to visit the counties of the interior to look after such affairs as postal routes.

"Republicans, we stand by the splendid Administration of the splendid party with which we affiliate. We are indeed justly proud of its splendid record, and we are proud of that Chief Magistrate who has no equal among rulers on the face of the earth. (Cheers.)

"We believe in letting well enough alone and in the most of the prosperity which covers this whole country we favor no change in Administration or policies. When we look abroad over the nations of was coming back to Hermann, and they our own-that has such credit and stands returned to the convention.

At 11:25 o'clock the last vote of the 14th nutions. The attninment of this proud po-

RECORD OF THE BALLOTS FOR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR CONGRESS

Frank Miller received one vote on the 17th ballot, and J. M. Keene one

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TROOPS GO TO AID GOVERNOR OF REBEL PROVINCE.

Chinese Government Acts Too Late to Stop Them and Annexation of Kwangsi May Follow.

ing troops into Kwangsi from Anam. It seems that the Governor of Kwangs

Wang Chi Hun, requested the French officers in Anam to send troops to his assistance, and, although the Pekin government has countermanded this request, the French have gone into the South China Province and it is feared that the Euro pean power will, like Russia in the North, seize the territory into which it has gone. News was received from Tokio that the Japanese government has completed an arrangement with Gerat Britain to have an interchange of officers attached to either country's armies. Several British officers are to go to Japan to join the Mikado's army, and later Japanese officers will go to Great Britain.

FIERCE FIGHT IN TURKEY. Turks and Rebels Continue Battle for Four Days.

SOFIA, April 2.—A conflict lasting for four days has taken place between the in-surgents and Turkish troops in the Dis-trict of Melsho. The village of Berovo unded and burned. Another fight occurred near Opela.

MRS. PORTER'S FUNERAL.

Great Gathering of Officials and Diplomats Pays Last Honor.

PARIS, April 2.—The funeral of Mrs. Porter, wife of the United States Ambassador, held at II o'clock this morning at the American Church in the Rue de Berri, was an impressive tribute, the heads of the French government, the members of the diplomatic corps and many representatives of the American colony participat-ing. The front of the church was draped with black draperies. The chancel was filled with tall palms, while in front of the altar rested the casket hidden beneath a profusion of beautiful floral offerings.
Ambassador Porter, who was accompanied by his daughter, Elsle, heavily velled, bore the ordeal with fortitude. Accompa nying the mourners were relatives, inti-mate friends of the family and officials of the embassy staff. To the left of the family sat Mme. Loubet, wife of the Present of France; Paul Loubet, General Du bols, the personal representative of the President, with a large staff of officers in full uniform; Foreign Minister Delcaese nier Combes and other members of the Ministry with their wives. Among others present were Ambassador Tower, who came on from Berlin, ex-Vice-Presi-dent Levi P. Morton, Consul-General Gowdy, Count De Rochambeau, the Mar-quis de Chambrun, M. Hamard, the sculp-tor of the Rochambeau statue, the British Ambassador, Sir Edmund Monson, his staff, and the Ambassadors and Ministers of various other countries with their staffs, and a large number of Americans, taxing the capacity of the edifice. The

At the conclusion of the ceremony, for-lowing the established official custom, Mme. Loubet and various members of the Ministry addressed a few words of per-sonal sympathy to the Ambassador and his daughter. After the public service the casket was borne to the mortuary chapel adjoining the church, where it will remain until its removal to America.

Among the floral pieces were a superb

Rev. Dr. Thurber conducted the simple

CHINA wreath of orchids, Blacs and lilles from the officials of the United States embassy, a wreath of violets and paim branches from the American Chamber of Commerce, a wreath of robes and lilles from Consul-General Gowdy and Mrs. Gowdy, wreaths from Mr. Leishmann, United States Minister at Constantinople, and Ambassador Tower, and from hundreds of American residents in Paris.

Passionist Fathers Go to England. PARIS, April 9.—The Passionist Fathers.

American residents in Paris

PARIS, April 2.—The Passions: who have been conducting the Angio-American Catholic Church here, departed VICTORIA, B. C., April 2.—A new crisis
has threatened the Chiness government as
a result of the continued rebel success in
South China, for, according to mail advices received here, the French are pourlag traces late & French are pourlag traces are proceeding uninterruptedly.

Jersey Will Tax Tobacco,

LONDON, April 9.—The Legislature of the Island of Jersey today published the third reading of the bill imposing a duty of 8 cents per pound on leaf tobacco, 16 cents on manufactured tobacco, and 25 cents on clgars.

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DECLINE IN SECURITIES STOCK

Opinion of Court Knocks Out All Arguments for Merger and Strikes Blow at New Jersey Law, Which Shelters Trusts,

In deciding the Northern Securities case the United States Circuit Court of

Appeals holds that: The merger destroyed competition between the Northern Pacific and Great Northern by destroying the motive for it. Such a combination would have been

a violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, if formed by individuals. Acts done by corporations are illegal if the same would have been illegal if

done by natural persons. The Securities Company has power to suppress competition, and has provided

for so doing. The New Jersey charter of the cor pany is no shield against the operation of the law, for the New Jersey law allows incorporations only "for any

lawful purpose," Aside from this restriction, any state law is vold so far as it gives powers to violate the anti-trust act.

The plea that the Government can do nothing because the merger is already onsummated is absurd

Though the plea that the objects and effects of the merger are to confer a public benefit may be true, still the merger is illegal.

The decree forbids the voting of stock

in the merged roads by the North-ern Securities Company, forbide the railroad companies to submit to any orders that the railroad stock held by the Securities Company may be ex changed again for its own stock with the persons from whom it was acquired

ST. PAUL, April 9.-The position of the United States Government in the suit brought against the Northern Securities Company, the Northern Pacific and Great Northern Railways and individual officials and directors of these companies, was sustained in the decision handed down in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in this city today. The case was originally brought in the United States District Court nere, but under a special act of Congress was taken at once to the Court of Appeals, which court was to expedite the hearing and decision of the case in every manner possible. The taking of testimony in this city and in New York lasted for several weeks, and the arguments in St. Louis before Circuit Judges Caldwell, Sanborn, Thayer and Vandeventer took several days. The decision of the court was written by Judge Thayer, and was filed in this city, where the original action was instituted. An appeal to the United States Supreme Court will be taken immediately. All four Judges concurred in the conthe court, which were stated by Circuit Judge Thayer,

The text of the decision is given in full on page 2.

KNOX WINS THE VICTORY. Suit Was Brought on His Advice and

Was Conducted by Him. PITTSBURG, April 2.-When informed of the decision in the Northern Securities merger case, D. T. Watson, special counsel for the Government, said:

"The credit for the victory belongs to Attorney-General Knox. He first thought the case through, and, arriving at the conclusion that the formation of the Northern Securities Company and Its acquisition of the majority of the stock of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific was a violation of the Sherman antitrust law, he so positively advised the President and instituted the case. Ha has courageously and honestly pressed the case, and the decision fully sustains

WANTS FINAL DECISION.

Morgan Says Supreme Court Will Show Where Railroads Stand. NEW YORK, April 9.- J. P. Morgan said of the merger decision:

"Until I see the full text of the decision I shall not care to express an opinion or it. This much is certain, however, it will not rest where it is. The question of the right of two or more railroads to be operated by a holding company will be taken up to the United States Supreme

Court. Instead of looking upon the de-

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and final ballot was counted and Hermann sition is due to the supremacy of the

*174 votes cast. Vote thrown out.

While the convention was still cheering over the victory, Mr. Hermann entered tain you longer. It will be my pleasure at the hall and worked his way through the crowd to the chairman's desk. Here he was introduced to the assemblage by Chairman Brownell, Mr. Hermann said

in part: Address of Nominee.

"Mr. Chairman, Members of this Co. gressional Convention, and Fellow-Citizens: The convention which is now about to close, after having conferred upon me an honor which I assure you is fully appreciated, has been one of the most remarkable conventions in the history of

principles of the Republican party. "The hour is now late, and I cannot de-

other times and other places to speak to you of the principles of the Republican party, and of the problems of the National Government in which you as citizens are service. interested. In conclusion, permit me again to thank you for the high honor you have conferred upon me."

Counsel United Effort. Following Mr. Hermann's address, Messrs, Gatch, Vawter, Eddy and Harris were called for, and each made brief re-

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