CONVENTION LIKE DONNYBROOK FAIR

Democrats of Massachusetts Split and Nominate Rival Tickets.

COURTS MUST END FIGHT

Whitney and Bartlett Named for Governor by Respective Factions After Open Fist-Fight Had Been Barely Averted.

turbulent conventions in session here today at the same time in the same hall,
each nominating a set of candidates for
the state offices, presented a situation
unknown in Democratic politics in this
state. The trouble was over the question of credentials, the Whitney men
claiming that the state committee had
refused to recognize delegates duly
elected at the primaries.

The storm broke out when the chair-

The storm broke out when the chairman of the state committee, who called the convention to order, declared a Bartlett man the choice for temporary chairman. Amid the greatest confusion each crowd a confusion each crowd nominated a full state ticket and adopted a platform. After the conven-tion Mr. Thayer announced that he would not accept the nomination for the Lieutenant-Governorship on the Bartlett ticket. The Bartlett men held the stage, while the Whitney men were assembled in the rear of the hall. At a session that lasted until 2 o'clock this morning, the state committee named, by a close vote, D. J. Kiley, a Bartlett man, for temporary chairman of the convention, and George Fred Williams for chairman of the committee on resolutions.

Policemen in Great Force.

There were few Whitney delegates in the courtroom when the chairman called the convention to order. A special de-tail of 20 policemen had been stationed in front of the platform with orders to permit no one from the auditorium to go upon the platform without the permission

Chairman Feeney, of the state commit-tee, called the convention to order. Daniel J. Kiley was rominated for tem-porary chairman. At the same monfent a motion was heard to substitute the name of Joseph A. Conry, a Whitney supporter. The Kiley motion was de-clared carried.

Almost Come to Blows.

During the ensuing turmoli, ex-Congressman Conry, who occupied a box beside the stage, arose and attempted to act as presiding officer. The confusion was so great, however, that Mr. Conry left the box to go to the rear of the hall, toward which the Whitney delegates were moving. On the way he came in contact with Congressman O'Connell, brother of Daniel O'Connell, one of the Bartlett managers. There was a clash, but the police prevented blows.

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The Bartlett delegates appointed a committee and a motion that a committee to draw up the state ticket be named was carried by acciamation. At this point, Temporary Chairman Kiley shouted to the police afficers to keep order in the rear of the hall, where the Whitney men were assembled. This was greeted with cheers for Whitney from the rear, which were answered by three the rear, which were answered by three cheers for Bartlett from the front.

Each Faction Nominates.

vas named in the same way. A plat-orm condemning the Dingley tariff and divocating unrestricted trade with Can-

advocating unrestricted trade with Canada and reciprocity was adopted.
When the Bartlett convention came together again, Mr. Kiley appealed to the
police to silence the Whitney men, and
finally demanded that they be placed
under arrest, but this was not done.
George Fred Williams read a platform
and it was adopted by acclamation. The
platform expressed opposition to private
monopoly, condemnation of unlawful rebates and discrimination "by railroads,
and the attempts of the New York, New
Haven & Hartford Bailroad of Connec-Haven & Hartford Railroad of Conne ticut to obtain sole and absolute sway over the transportation of New England" and declared that tax laws should "no longer be perverted to private uses, but

restored to the single purposes of raising revenue for the public needs,"

General Charles W. Bartlett was unantimbusly nominated for Governor and John A. Thayer for Lieutenant-Governor.

Contest Will Go to Court.

Later the Whitney delegates reassemformally demanded of the state commit-tee. The Whitney detegates then with-drew and the Bartlett convention was formally adjourned,

The question which ticket shall be placed upon the official ballot will prob-ably go to the courts.

CUT AND DRIED PROGRAMME

Bay State Republicans Renominate Officers and Advocate Revision.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 5.—When Republicans gathered today for the state convention they found the state ticket already selected, with the piatform and the appointment of a chairman mapped out, and awalting only their ratification. It had been awreed that Senator It had been agreed that Senator

tion. It had been agreed that Senator Lodge should aucceed Colonel George P. Doty, chairman of the state committee, as permanent chairman of the convention. Mr. Lodge was promptly named chairman, and was greeted with cheers as he was escorted to the platform. Mr. Lodge spoke sarcastically of the divided Democratic convention at Springfield. The platform had already been drawn up by Congressman Greene.

Congressman Greene.

The platform commends the work of the Republican state and National administrations, saying of the policy of President Roosevelt that "progressive, courageous and effective, it has pro-moted the weifare of the whole peo-ple, and has enforced the laws and compelled their observance by all per-sons, rich and poor, high and low,

Bellef in the "principles of protection to American industries and American labor" is reaffirmed, and at the same time there is readifished, and at the same time there is a recommendation for the adoption by the next National Republican convention of a resolution calling on Congress to meet in special assiston to determine upon amendments to the present tariff laws, as smactment of a new measure to meet changed conditions, to remove duties needless for either revenue or protection, and make such meditarities as expectation.

and make such modifications as may have shown to be necessary." may have shown to be necessary."

Congress is urged "to give further consideration to the subject of the re-estab."

Atchiage. Kan., which has been sunk 1138 feet.

lishment of the merchant marine," tha platform asserting that "this country, with a protected coastwise commerce and a coast line unparalleled in extent and in importance, ought to be a strong competitor for the commerce of the world."

When Mr. Lodge had concluded, the platform as reported was adopted without dissent. All the present state officers, headed by Governor Cartis Guild, were renominated by acclamation.

PLAGUE IN SAN FRANCISCO

Fifty-seven Cases Reported to Date

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—Today's Health Board report shows the follow-ing total in the bubonic plague situa-Verified cases to date

Remaining under treatment ...

HIS DEATH A MYSTERY

Thomas McCue Found With Fractured Skull at Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 5 .- The police LOS ANGELESS, Cal., Oct. 5.—The police of this city are investigating what is believed to be a case of murder. At an early hour the body of a man about % years old was found in the rear of a house at Fourteenth and Main streets. It had evidently been taken there in a carriage. The face and head were hadly bruised and the dead man had been bruised and the dead man had been bleeding from the nose and mouth. Papers found on the body indicate that the victim was Thomas McCue, that he left Salt Lake City on September 19 and that he had previously been a guest at the Trinidad Hotel, Trinidad, Colo.

An autopsy held this afternoon developed that death was due to a fracture of the skull and resulting congestion. The fracture appears to have been caused by a blow with a weapon.

TELL ABOUT CANDIDACY

(Continued from First Page.) platform was written by Mr. Bryan

himself. But if Mr. Hearst falls him, Mr. Bryan will make a plea, not for himself, but for Mayor Tom Johnson, of Cleveland. Mr. Bryan had rather see Mr. Johnson the nominee than any other man. Mr. Johnson is also a personal friend of Mr. Hearst's, so the Bryan men figure, and he can com-mand the support of both Mr. Hearst and Mr. Bryan. If Mr. Johnson is re-elected Mayor of Cleveland, in the face of the opposition of the Washington Administration, he becomes at once a leading figure in National polities, and with Mr. Bryan on one side of him and Mr. Hearst on the other, both "boosting," Mr. Bryan believes the Cleveland man can be elected President where he himself would fail.

Greatest Democratic Gathering. While the banquet has been announced, not all the arrangements have yet been made. In addition to the list of Governors who have %ready accepted are the acceptances of many prominent Democrats from all The Bartlett convention declared a remany prominent Democrats from all over the country, and yet others are whitney gathering placed Henry M. still being invited. It is the intention of Mr. Dahlman, who is "fathering" Whitney in nomination for Governor by of Mr. Dahlman, who is "fathering" acclamation, and the rest of its ticket the affair, to make this the greatest gathering of National figures in Democratic circles that the country has ever seen. And when the speeches are over, Mr. Bryan or Tom Johnson will be the pext candidate for the Presidency on the Democratic ticket.

> NO TAINTED MONEY ACCEPTED Bryan Forbids Receipt of Corporate

Cash for Big Meeting.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5,-(Special.)-William J. Bryan, who will begin a stumping tour of New York state in this city on October 21, has sent instructions regarding the arrangements for the New York meeting, particularly with respect to the raising of funds to cover expenses. Mr. Bryan has pro-hibited the solicitation of contributions from private corporations, officers and directors of corporations or from anybody whose bank account would indicate that he is associated directly or indirectly with any trust, monoply, railroad, telegraph company, insurance company or any other big moneymaking concern.

Moreover, Mr. Bryan has stipulated that the list of contributors must be shown to him, so that he can determine in advance, before the money is actually paid, whether any of the donors are too rich or too slick to be included in respectable Bryan company. Large contributions are not desired, but any small mite will be gladly accepted, especially if the contributor is frayed at the heels and hasn't had a clean shirt since last Spring.

It was announced some days ago that the Bryan meeting would be held in Carnegie Hall. Mr. Bryan has vetoed that. Carnegie Hall is too swell. So Cooper Union, at the head of the Bowery, has been engaged. The many thousands who will crush to see and hear the great commoner will not all be able to gain admittance to the audi-torium, but there will be overflow meetings outside, where Mr. Bryan will bare his head to the moon and raise his voice in the interest and on behaf of the plain people.

of the plain people.

Harry Walker, who has charge of
the arrangements, said today that
"Big Tim" Sullivan has promised to
bring 5000 constituents to the meeting.

Strike Compels Foreign Coal.

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 5.—The Deputy Minister of Labor has told the management of Springhill, N. S., mines where there is a strike that unless they can supply coal for the Intercolonial Railroad, the Dominion government will be compelled to place an order for \$0.00 tons with the United States firms as this is needed for the Intercolonial, a government-owned railway.

British Army Balloon Navigates Air Perfectly.

LONDON GAZES SKYWARD

Thousands in Heart of City See Airship Steered at Will by Means of Sail-Makes Own Gas to Fill Balloon.

LONDON, Oct. 5 .- That the British army has made practical progress in the solution of the problem of aerial navigation was shown to the satisfaction of Londoners today, when the dirigible war balloon which has been giving severa trials at Aldershot Camp sailed from Farnsborough, 35 mlles southwest of here, to London, and, after maneuvering over the city, started back to Aldershot.

The balloon crossed the Thames at Blackfriars bridge and, making a sharp turn, proceeded over Fleet street and the Strand, making a complete circle ove the latter thoroughfare, watched by thousands of people. The balloon then went around Trafalgar Square, over the War Office and past Westminster Abbey and the houses of Parliament, traveling at the rate of about 15 miles an hour and

The balloon is bag-shaped, about 100 feet long by 30 feet in diameter, and has a lifting capacity of about one ton, which, a lifting capacity of about one ton, which, after deducting the weight of the car, engines and other apparatus, permits today and was accorded a remarkable reception by the municipal authorities and the balloon, which is shaped like a boat, is constructed of aluminum and canvas. The engines are so built that the exhaust vapor is turned into gas and is carried up into the balloon above by means of a tube. The capacity of the balloon is 75,000 cubic feet. The petroleum for the motors is carried in two torpedo-like cylinders above the car. The

DEWEY'S PLEA FOR HOLDING PHILIPPINES.

Possession by Japan Would Close Gates to Us-Islands Were Not Bought.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—The im-mense strategic and commercial value of the Philippine Islands to the United States was forcibly brought out by Admiral George Dewey in his inter-ylew with the Star representative, of which only a brief synopsis was sent by telegraph. Ho said:

"Abandon the Philippines! I don't be-Heve our country will ever do that. Cortainly it should not, because it has altogether too much at stake. It is ward which our diplomacy has been directed for a number of years. We want our share of the enormous commerce of the East and we can't keep the door open for it, unless we hold the

"Why did Spain for two hundred "Why did spain for two had years dominate the commerce of the Orlent? Just because she had the bay and horbor of Manila as a great commercial and naval base. That base mercial and naval base. That base can be just as useful to us commer-cially as it was to Spain. For the past ten years every strong European nation has been trying to get a foothold for commercial and naval purposes in Eastern waters—Germany, England, France and Russia. Through the fortunes of war the United States obtained rightfully and without chicanery, the best and most strategic position posgiving us superfor commercial and naval advantages over the other nations. What sort of common sense would it be for us to give up such a

"Look here," said the Admiral, turning to a large globe of the world which etands in his office, "suppose we should dispose of the Philippines and Japan should acquire them. See how the is-lands stretch along the coast. Here are the Japanese islands, here is For-mosa which Japan owns, and then mosa which Japan owns, and then come the Philippines. If Japan had them she would command every gateway to the Orient and the United States would be completely shut out.

"Every one concedes that the Orient is the future great field for the prin-cipal commercial nations of the world. We ought to be the leaders, but we must at least have a share in the enmust at least have a saare in the en-terprise, and in order to do so we must maintain the position we have occupied through force of circum-stances in that region. I am talking now of the purely commercial phase of the question, and I think it is plain that we must have a commercial base of coverations such as Manue furnishes. of operations such as Manila furnishes And in order to protect our commerce we must have a naval base, and at Subig Bay such a base is now being developed. Congress has recognized our needs in the Philippines and has ap-propriated liberally for fertifying the Islands. Modern guns are being mount-ed, a large drydock has been located in Sublg Bay, troops are stationed in the Island of Luzon, and in every way Congress has shown its desire to pro teet the lelands from foreign aggression and also to establish a base for possible military operations.

"It has been frequently said that "It has been frequently eald that the United States has assumed responsibilities in the Philippines which it cannot pass over to other hands. I do not care to discuss this phase of the situation, except to say that I believe the American people will never shrink from such responsibilities as were assumed for them sponsibilities as were assumed for them when the United States took over the Philippines.

'I was very glad to see that Major

MeIntyre recently exploded the popular idea that the United States paid \$20,000,000 to Spain for the islands. He made it when the treaty of Parls was signed the Spanish commissioners agreed to settle all their numerous claims for the sum mentioned and to throw in the Philippines, and showed fiammation and deodorize discharge, 50c,

that by accepting this offer the United States avoided the necessity of taking over the Cuban and Porto Rican debt. over the Cuban and Porto Rican debt.

"But the commercial side of the matter, in which farmers, our manufacturers and all our people are concerned, is, to my mind, of greater importance; and I want to emphasize my belief that the United States as a world power will always have commercial and diplomatic interests in the Far East, and cannot maintain itself properly, without a base of operations. properly without a base of operations. The United States cannot withdraw from its present enterprise in the East,

from its present enterprise in the East, but must go forward seeking its share of the advantages and sustaining its share of the responsibilities.

"We cannot afford to turn over to the other nations of the world all the vast commerce of the East, and restrict ourselves to our sown Pacific Coast. The annexation of Hawali was in pursuance of a policy of commercial expansion and protection in the Pacific which the statesmen of a few years ago foresaw as both inevitable and advisable for the United States. We are fortunate that what was acquired through their wisdom has been quired through their wisdom has been supplemented, in a legitimate and hon-orable way, by the cession of the Philippines to our country, and we should never let go the immense commercial advantages we have thus se-

MAKES GLOOMY FORECAST

GENERAL WILLIAM BOOTH SAYS HARD TIMES ARE COMING.

Predicts Decrease in Wages-Outlook for Converting Orientals to Christianity Seems Hopeless.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—(Special.)—General William Booth, fourder and commander

eum for the motors is carried in two torpedo-like cylinders above the car. The
envelope of the balloon is a parchmentlike material similar to gold-beaters skin
and is built up of thousands upon thousands of pieces, a few inches square,
joined together by a secret process.

There is a large sail at the stern of the
car stretched on a wooden frame fully
12 feet square, which is used as a rudder.
From the center of the car on either side
projects a pair of wings at right angles to the balloon which make it ap-Y give the balloon which make it appear like an acroplane, and other winged arrangements are attached to the rigging between the car and the balloon.

The balloon will not return to Aldershot until Monday or Tuesday, because of a predicated gale.

Dock Troubles.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 5.—The first day of the strike of 8000 cotton loaders against the steamship companies of this port passed almost without interest. A sailing vessel is being fitted to house strike-breakers, about 1000 of whom are ex-pected from Northern cities. Steamships in port today number 23. Crews were loading several of them but progress was

PUNCHES AVENGE BLACKLIST

Telegraph Operator Accused of As-

sault on Superintendent. DENVER, Colo., Oct. 5 .- S. E. Leonard, superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was assaulted on the street in this city today by T. A. Banks, a member of the telegraphers strike committee. Mr. Banks struck Mr. Leonard repeatedly over the head with his fists. Both men were arrested by a policeman on only our control over the Philippines a charge of disturbance. After securthat makes it possible for us to insist ing his release Mr. Leonard swore out upon the open door in the East towarrant charging sautt and battery. Mr. Banks alleges that he had been blacklisted, and that he sought an interview with Superin-tendent Leonard to discuss the matter. The assault occurred after Mr. Leonard refused to talk with him

BLOCK THE ROCK ISLAND

(Continued from First Page.) eastern side of the state survey and short occupation roads hold every feasible approach to the isolated interior. On the south Harriman holds the approach by way of the Klamath country. Only on the southeast is the door unlocked. Here there is room for more railroads.

Puts Up the Bars.

To shut these gateways is the evident intention and purpose in sending surveyors there. More railroads, incorporated by the Harriman interests and destined never to be built, and more rights of way secured lest another line may get them, will shortly, no doubt, be the developments in Harriman's campaign to complete his fence around this state.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Harriet M. Stratton, of Pittsburg, Pa., is visiting her uncle, H. L. Pittock, and family, of Portland. Miss Viola MacKinzie, of Michawaka,

Ind., is the guest of her uncle, John Mac-Kinzle, 431 East Pine street. W. T. Jordan, pastor of the Central Baptist Church, East Ankeny street, returned yesterday from Mc-Minnville, where he has been recuper-ating from his recent Illness.

Hush! Have you noticed the facial adornment that Hugh C. Gearin, son of ex-United States Senator Gearin, is wearing these days? Someone has told him that with his beard trimmed the way he wears it, he is a living picture of Governor Hughes. It may be so.

Up-to-Date Auto Wisdom.

Mr. Roxton (with morning paper)—Gadi Fastsett's auto was wrecked last night and the six occupants were badly hurt Mrs. Roxton—Poor Mrs. Fastsett! I wonder how she received the news.

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Contractor Says They Are Good Railroad Laborers.

That the Japanese excel as railroad construction men, whatever may be their qualifications as fighters, is the statement of contractors on Oregon railroads who have the little brown men in their employ. A railroad builder, who is constructing a new line in this state says the Japs accomplish a great deal more in this work than other foreigners, "The Japs for mine," said this con-

SUCCESS WITH JAPANESE employed on the same job. The Bulga-rlans are about three times as large and their fellow workers, but the Japs do a surprising amount of work. They are as Saxon Government Wants Louise to hard as nails."

R. B. Miller Vista East.

R. B. Miller, general freight agent for the Harriman lines, has gone East on a business trip that will probably keep him away three weeks. He will go to Chi-cago first, after which he will visit New York and Washington. While in the East he will take up traffic questions with the heads of the Harriman system.

On an average #102 omigrants from Russia land in New York each day.

Surrender Her Daughter.

DRESDEN, Saxony, Oct 5.—The Saxon government has instituted proceedings before the Italian courts demanding that Saxony, and her husband, Signor Toselli, he ordered to deliver up the little Prin cess Anne Menica Pia, youngest daughter of the former Crown Princess, to representatives of the King of Saxony.

More potatoes are eaten in Belgium than a Ireland.



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