

JAPS CAUGHT IN FIRE TRAP INSURANCE MEN MURDER, THEN HACK BODY

Firemen Rescue Ten Orientals From Burning Lodging House.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, July 7.—Caught in a trap, fierce flames licking their clothing and their faces a mass of blisters from the intense heat, 10 Japanese were rescued by firemen here early today after having given up all hope of escaping death in the ruins of the lodging-house which had been their home.

RAP, RAP THE GAVEL

(Continued from Page One.) that there is no bonafide intention on the part of the Republican party of carrying any reforms, if the machinery of that party can be retained in present hands.

"The paper platform, divided like ancient Gaul into three parts—barron promises, makeshifts and evasions, it is hoped will make a good campaign transparency, but no one who believes that the Republican party really intends that neutral manuscript which held the convention in a state of suspense could ratify the nomination of a presidential candidate.

A Great Task. Approaching our great task in a mainly dignified manner, imbued with the loftiest sentiments of patriotism, ambitious to throw every safeguard around the liberties of our people, determined to stamp out the abuses that are consuming the substance of the nation, let us proceed to our appointed duty with the sustaining consciousness that we are responsible alone to God and to our country for the justice of our cause.

There are three things that this convention should do. It ought to present in a plain and intelligent manner the serious industrial and political conditions that are disturbing the peace and happiness of our country. We should then proceed to a courageous exposure of the Republican policies that are cooperating with private greed in the general oppression of the people. And, finally, and most important of all, we must exhibit it readiness and an ability to grasp the problems of the hour and to effect their solution in a manner that will satisfy the sober common sense of the multitudes whose interests are at stake.

Asiatic Question. "Not only the white toilers of America, but all our people, without respect to class or residence, are vitally interested in this menace to our social and industrial life from Asiatic quarters, and if this is to remain a white man's country immediate steps should be taken to prevent Asiatic immigration of whatsoever character.

This national convention meets at a time when the world is being awoken over the entire world and the nations of the earth each day are strengthening those ties of friendship and common interest which will render war less frequent, and permit mankind to turn their hands to the peaceable pursuits of life, rather than to the destruction of one another.

The Democratic party realizes the part that America must inevitably play in the affairs of the world, and that we cannot escape participation in the settlement of every world problem that arises, but America's weight and influence must ever be on the side of peace, on the side of justice, on the side of the oppressed, and if the will of the people shall commit to our hands the scepter of power, it will be used for the realization of the high American ideals that are our own, and that we should enter things and through our peace and examples contribute to the well-being and happiness of all mankind.

The Cleveland Resolution. At the close of the session today resolutions in respect to the death of the late ex-President Grover Cleveland were introduced by Delegate Dunn of Nebraska, who will be Bryan's nominator.

They were immediately adopted and the convention then adjourned until tomorrow as a further mark of respect. The resolutions were prepared by Ollie James of Kentucky and were afterwards submitted and approved by the full committee on resolutions.

They read as follows: "As it has pleased the Ruler of the Universe to remove from this earth Grover Cleveland, late president of the United States, who was three times the candidate of the Democratic party;

Resolved, That we hereby express our deep sorrow at his death and extend our warmest sympathy and condolence to his family, and that this resolution be spread upon the records of the convention, and a copy be forwarded to Mrs. Cleveland; and,

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect to his memory the convention do now adjourn until 12 o'clock tomorrow.

We all know a sure cure for the other fellow's ills

HOURS OF TORTURE THEN QUICK RELIEF

Annoying Itch Caused by Summer Rash, Frickly Heat, Mosquito Bites, Etc., Can Be Instantly Relieved.

First of Three McNeill Tokens to Be Given Out for Rescues.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Atlantic City, N. J., July 7.—Insurance men to the number of about 300 from all over the country attended the opening here today of the annual convention of the International Association of Accident Underwriters. The meeting will continue through Wednesday and Thursday, and the program provides for discussions of various interesting phases of the accident underwriting business.

One of the most interesting features of the convention will be the awarding of the first McNeill medal, named in honor of the memory of one of the founders of the association, to three persons in the United States and Canada who performed during the year deeds of heroism which resulted in the saving of human life. The recipients were selected by the committee of the association from a long list submitted for its approval.

The McNeill medal, which is of Tiffany design and production, is about two inches in diameter, suspended from a gold and silver chain, and is a portrait of the late George McNeill. The reverse side and the bar are suitably inscribed with the name of the association, the name of the recipient, and the occasion of the meritorious deed.

Running Mate Theodore Bell IS NEW ISSUE

Vexatious Problem That Will Enter Into Future Convention Matters.

By Paul Thiegan, Editorial Writer for the New York American. (Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.) Denver, July 7.—The Democratic national convention of 1908 will go down in history as a precedent for a new practical usefulness for the vice-presidential candidacy. Hitherto the running mate problem has been severely vexed by the perplexity of either capturing a mate at par in ability with the presidential candidate, or some person not impossible for the high office.

Mr. Roosevelt's acceptance in 1900 was unusual. It was commonly believed at the time that he was nominated for vice-president by Mark Hanna to get rid of his exceptional and irritating activity. And it was said that he accepted only owing to the distaste of the Kansas delegation, beating into his slumber and gaining his word of acceptance before he had fully awakened.

CHANCE FOR SCRAMBLE (Continued from Page One.) too eager to name a vice-presidential candidate. Although Mr. Thiegan is making a great pretense of being a strong Bryan supporter, and because of the power of his organization, is doubtless able to throw the big vote of that state to whomsoever he pleases, the rank and file of the delegation is at present divided.

Bryan Favorable to Towne. There is a strong suspicion, however, that Murphy has an understanding with Bryan on this question. There is an even stronger suspicion that Bryan is in favor of the nomination of Towne as his own running mate. Thomas F. Grady, the Tammany orator and close personal friend of Murphy, is said to have been selected to put Towne in nomination.

Bryan Mum, Pending Platform. Former Senator Pettigrew, who is one of Bryan's closest friends, said today that he thought it might take a number of ballots to determine who would be the vice-presidential nominee. While he is very friendly to Towne, he expressed himself as doubtful of his nomination. Other of the Democratic leaders were equally skeptical and declared that, in their opinion, the question of who would be the nominee for the second place on the ticket was still "in the air."

Notaries Commissioned. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., July 7.—Commissions as notaries public have been issued to K. K. Kubit, Kubit, and to George P. Keck and William Grant, Portland.

Railroad Laborers Take Heinous Revenge on Their Foreman.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Wallace, Idaho, July 7.—An international vendetta, carried on for almost a year past between Montenegrin laborers on the construction of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad on the one side and the amalgamated white races on the other was brought to a horrible climax Sunday afternoon at Taft, near Wallace, when John Hayes, a railroad foreman, was riddled with bullets by five Montenegrins and his body hacked to pieces with knives.

THEODORE BELL MAKES A HIT

Californian's Finished Oratory Surprises Delegates—Is Now Well Known.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Auditorium, Denver, Col., July 7.—Theodore Bell of Napa, Cal., the new factor in the Democratic party who was scarcely heard of outside of his own state a few months ago, made good with his keynote speech.

DREDGE WILLAMETTE ABOVE ROSS ISLAND

Dredging will be commenced in the next few weeks by the Port of Portland to enlarge the ship basin of the lower harbor above Ross Island. At present the quarters for ships in the basin are cramped, and with the enormous amount of shipping booked for Portland the coming season it would be necessary for many ships to anchor at St. Johns.

BETTER POSITION AND INCREASED SALARY AS A RESULT OF EATING RIGHT FOOD.

There is not only comfort in eating food that nourishes the brain and body but sometimes it helps a lot in increasing one's salary.

A Kansas school teacher tells an interesting experience she says: "About two years ago I was extremely miserable from a nervousness that had been coming on for some time. The seizes were actually painful to me and my nights were made miserable by horrible nightmares.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.



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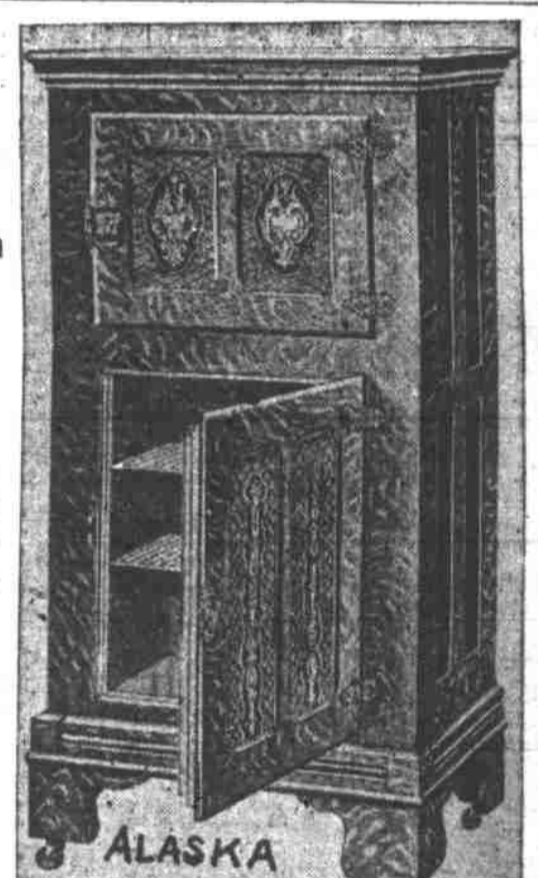
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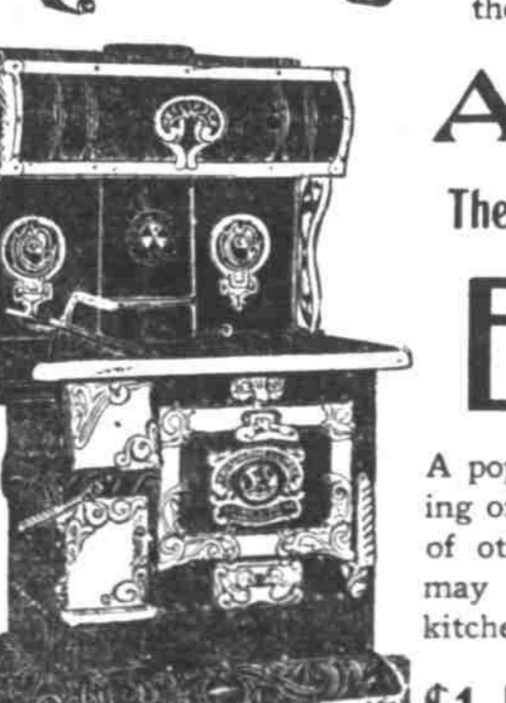


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