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THE BALLOTING AT CHICAGO

It is quite evident that Hiram Johnson has been eliminated as a possibility by the balloting so far done in the Chicago convention.

That is glory enough for one day. If by any combination of circumstances the nomination had gone to him, it would have been a suicidal invitation of disaster for the Republican party.

The United States at this time needs a Republican administration at Washington more than any other one thing—and a Republican administration headed by a man of Presidential size.

Wood or Lowden would do. So would Sproul or Hoover, or any one of a dozen more of the dark horses.

The balloting may be finished today, and it may go over till Monday, or even Tuesday or later. It is everybody's guess.

No one expected the balloting to go over after Saturday night in 1908, when Blaine failed to get his second chance, and Harrison was nominated on the next Tuesday morning.

The swinging of a great convention for a dark horse is easier said than done.

The managers of the Wood campaign, and of the Lowden campaign, will do all in their power to hold their forces together, and to gain new support—and hope springs eternal in the human breast.

Engineers say 43 per cent of the water power—the white coal—of the United States is in the three Pacific Coast states. One-fifth of the standing timber in the United States is in Oregon. Who can doubt the great future of Oregon in manufacturing?

Some one suggests that no country will ever again want to get into a war with the United States. It takes too long to get out.

There are surely enough Salemites who know a good thing when they see it, to take all the dehydration preferred stock offered to them.

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Dehydration's the thing.

It is understood that the campaign against Governor Edwards is financed by the mineral water manufacturers.—Exchange.

And Colonel William Jennings Bryan is sitting up nights whetting his snickersee for the Wilson program to back up the peace treaty without reservations.

It may sound anachronistic, but dehydration is one of the juiciest propositions in the financial world. The people of the Salem district ought to grab all the preferred stock they can get in the Salem King's Products Co. They will be getting in on a business that is now nationwide, and will soon be world wide.

If the stream of money from the Salem district going into Canadian bonds could all be diverted to the home institutions that are as sound as anything in Canada, these institutions would soon have all the money they need to build up and develop their business, and there would be plenty of houses in Salem for all the people who are here and are coming.

BURNING DAYLIGHT.

The Chicago council will adopt a daylight saving ordinance, but it will not go into effect until after the Republican convention is over.

There is no use trying to save either daylight or moonshine with ten thousand feverish politicians in town.

SILKS AND OVERSEAS.

Silk shirt makers are telling retailers that they can sell their wares abroad at even higher prices than at home and there can be no drop in first-class goods. The average man is not disposed to admit the truth of this assertion, but if it is the truth it is time for Europe to begin paying back the money she borrowed of us. But if the foreigners want to boost our prices and take our silks and satins away from us, there is no need for worry. They are not absolutely essential. Even the American farmer can get along without a silk shirt, if he has to, and our Texas oil kings are learning to wear moleskin sweaters instead of shirts. However, the safety-first policy for the plain American when he is confronted by a rising price is simply to refrain from buying the article. He can get along without it and there is a downward tendency in something that will take its place. Establish a mental deadline for prices and pay no more.

BITS FOR BREAKFAST

It is your guess.

Number of delegates, 984.

It takes 493 to nominate; Republicans respect the rule of the majority.

"Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad."

Borah is mad; showing that he knows he is licked.

In one way or another, there should be a paved street to the fair grounds by the time of the opening of the state fair.

Front street property holders want to connect the North Commercial street pavement with the paved county road past the poor farm. They are wise.

E. O. McCormick vice president of the Southern Pacific, and John M.

DANGER DARING DUNCAN



WILLIAM DUNCAN

In
A SILENT AVENGER
STARTS TOMORROW

BLIGN THEATRE

Scott, general passenger agent, were Salem visitors on Thursday. Mr. McCormick was more than pleased with Salem—the cleanest and most beautiful city in the country, he declared. He said if business was any better with the Southern Pacific railroad, they would certainly be still more embarrassed in trying to take care of it.

Those Late Stayers.
"Shall I sing Tosti's 'Good-by'?" inquired the young man who tries so hard to be entertaining.
"I don't care whose you use," replied Miss Cayenne. "And don't bother to sing it. Just say it."—Grit.

Notice To Ice Users

As our employees would like one day the week rest we will be closed on Sundays hereafter.

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- All Men's \$45.00 Suits now \$35.95
- All Men's \$50.00 Suits now \$39.95
- All Men's \$60.00 Suits now \$47.95
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- All Men's \$75.00 Suits now \$59.95

2-Piece Underwear

B. V. D. and Poros Knit Shirts and Drawers, regular \$1.00 values

45c

Men's Union Suits

Men's Athletic Union Suits, made of Nainsook, size 34 to 42

85c

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Stetson and Mallory Hats, entire line to select from, Black and colors

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- All Men's \$4.00 Trousers now \$3.20
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- All Men's \$6.00 Trousers now \$4.80
- All Men's \$7.00 Trousers now \$5.60
- All Men's \$8.00 Trousers now \$6.40
- All Men's \$9.00 Trousers now \$7.20
- All Men's \$10.00 Trousers now \$8.00
- All Men's \$12.50 Trousers now \$10.00
- All Men's \$15.00 Trousers now \$12.00

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- All Men's \$10.00 Shoes now \$8.00
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- All Boys' \$8.50 Shoes now \$6.80
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