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NEW YORK POLITICS

FRIENDS AND OPPONENTS OF JUDGE PARKER ALERT.

Senator Hill Adheres to His Purpose to Force Instructions for Judge Parker—Result of Coming State Convention Acknowledged by Both Elements to Be Momentous—Tammany Will Fight for an Uninstructed Delegation.

New York, April 16.—A number of state conventions are scheduled for the coming week, but it is safe to say that the gathering of the New York Democrats at Albany on Monday will monopolize the entire attention of politicians of both parties. Will the convention instruct for Parker? This is the question uppermost in the minds of the politicians.

From a source so close to ex-Senator Hill that it may be understood as representing Mr. Hill's own views, it is learned that Mr. Hill intends to stick fast to his original plan of having the convention positively instruct the New York delegation to St. Louis in favor of Judge Parker as New York's choice for the presidential nomination. It has been during recent years an almost unbroken custom for the New York state delegation to go to the national convention with positive instructions. Only in 1884 were there no instructions. In that year Grover Cleveland and Roswell P. Flower, both New York men, were candidates. The New York delegates voted for Cleveland.

In 1888 they were instructed for Cleveland, in 1892 for Hill. In 1896 New York had no candidate, but at the suggestion of Tammany Hall the delegates were instructed for Bryan. If the delegation were not instructed this year it would be the first time in more than 20 years that an uninstructed delegation was sent when New York state had a candidate to offer.

If the Albany convention should take definite action favorable to Judge Parker the results will be momentous. The conservative element in favor of Parker's candidacy argues that states throughout the West and South are merely waiting to see what action New York will take. If the Empire state instructs for Parker a veritable Parker landslide is predicted. William R. Hearst would be left without delegates in his own state, unless it should turn out that Charles F. Murphy, in order to beat Hill out, should throw the Tammany vote at St. Louis to Mr. Hearst. This

is regarded as extremely improbable.

Leader Murphy is sticking close to the Fourteenth Street wigwam and is saying little for publication. A leading member of the democratic club, who is in a position to speak with some authority, sets forth the attitude of Tammany Hall as follows:

"It is not true that Tammany men are opposed to Judge Parker as a man or as a candidate. The attitude of Mr. Murphy from the start has been that it was unwise to instruct the delegation to St. Louis. Mr. Murphy regards Judge Parker as an excellent citizen and admirable democrat, but at the same time he believes it would be more democratic if the delegation from the Empire state went to St. Louis uninstructed."

Tammany is preparing to make a big showing so far as numbers go at Albany next week. The official delegation will exceed 100 and it is probable that about twice that number of supporters will make the trip to the capital. Leader Murphy will go to Albany tomorrow night in company with 12 members of the state committee from Manhattan and the Bronx. The state convention will be called to order in Harmanus Bleeker hall at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. It is expected the proceedings will take no more than one day.

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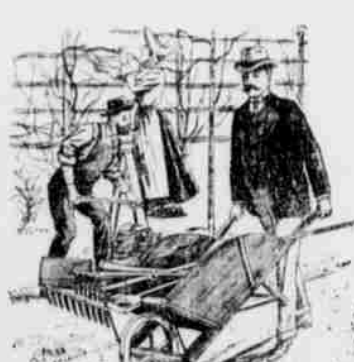
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