

## GEORGE WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT SAYS HE WILL MAKE THE RACE

### CINCINNATI IN HOLIDAY ATTIRE FOR NOTIFICATION

July 28.—Amid the stirring martial music and the enthusiastic crowds, Judge Taft was formally notified of his nomination for the presidency of the United States by the Republican national committee, which was held in Cincinnati. The rally, in point of enthusiasm, far outstripped any other held in Cincinnati, and in every detail a most gratifying success. The hour salutes of cannon were fired from the four hilltops of the city, which brought the whole population to a condition of wakefulness. All morning great crowds of people poured into the city from the suburban towns on both sides of the Ohio river, while every train brought in large numbers from every city of consequence in Ohio and the neighboring states.

Cincinnati expected a big crowd and had prepared to entertain. The entire business portion of the city was handsomely decorated with flags, banners and bunting, and presented a gala appearance. With the arrival of



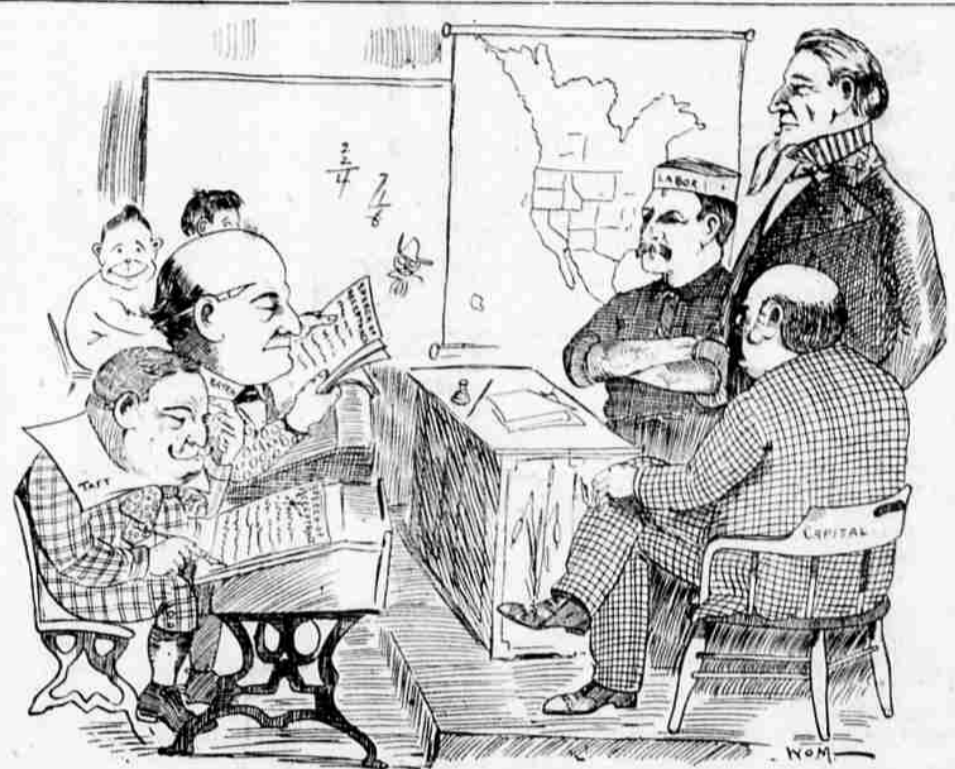
WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT. Reproduced from the latest portrait of the presidential candidate.

hands poured into the streets and were shown to the headquarters at the Hotel Sinton by members of the notification committee. Particular attention was paid to the welcome of the members of the notification committee, the members of which represented every state and territory.

One conspicuous feature of the demonstration was the prevalence of Taft and Sherman badges. Nearly every one of the tens of thousands of people seen about the streets wore some insignia of his devotion to the Republican cause. They were everywhere.

Large parties arrived during the forenoon from Pittsburg, Louisville and Indianapolis. Columbus sent down a delegation numbering more than 1000 enthusiasts, headed by the famous Buckeye Republican Club. Cleveland, Toledo, Youngstown, Dayton and Canton were much in evidence. Urbana, Lancaster, Massillon, Ironton and Sandusky were in evidence, and Hamilton and other nearby cities and towns almost depopulated themselves. Some of the delegations contained large numbers of negroes, whose presence was hailed

every train delegations headed by (Continued on Page Five.)



It Is Hard to Please Everybody, Bill.

THIS IS EUGENE'S BUSIEST STORE

## THE ROUSING Sale of Summer Goods Is On

WORD about this store's policy. We aim to never carry from one season to another a dollar's worth of goods. All must be closed out at some price. Your ideas of buying are the same as ours of selling. You get the greatest possible value for your money. We want you to have it. If your business we are doing these days is an indication, you are perfectly satisfied. We are making record-breaking prices which will continue all this week. Shirts, lawns and other wash summer fabrics, kimonoes, suits, skirts, in fact, there is no object now on any summer goods. All must be closed out.

### Men's Suiting at Almost Give-Away Price

Green linen suiting with white stripes, regular price, 90c, summer price, the yard **25c**  
 White linen suiting with colored brocaded dots, good value at regular price, summer price, the yard **25c**  
 Mixed wash suiting, good weight, to be worn late in the season, closing out price, yd. **15c**

### Men's Sun Bonnets Must Go

Sun bonnets for women or children, in colors, new shapes, must go, price, each **15c**

### Wool Remnants Are Still on Sale

Every remnant of woolen goods in house must go. We are selling at one-half price. Good lengths of waists, shirts or whole suits. This is opportunity to save one-half on what you buy.

### Women's Collars for Less

20c white and colored embroidered collars, high medium low, choice, each **10c**

### Pearl Buttons

Large and small size, the dozen **5c**



### SHIRT WAISTS

Are Cut to Fit the Furze

We always close out our stock of shirt waists. Each season we show a new stock. You purchase now any 1908 waist at a very low price. Every one reduced.

\$2.00 waists, lace trimmed, now **\$1.15**  
 2.50 waists, fine law and embroidered 1.75  
 5.00 waists, new kimono sleeve, now 2.50  
 6.00 waists, " " " 3.00

### Wash Dresses Reduced One-Half

Entire line shirt waist suits at half-price. \$3.75 dresses, white or colored, now **\$1.88**  
 5.00 " " " 2.50

### Summer Lawns Are Going Fast at One-Halfs Price.

10c lawns, assorted colors, the yard **5c**  
 20c " " " **10c**  
 25c " " " **12 1/2c**  
 50c Silk mull, assorted colors, the yd. **25c**

### GOOD SUMMER CLOTHING

Stylished Modeled and Well Tailored

This, the clothing for the summer months. We have all colors, sizes and prices.

You have been waiting until we reduced the price. The time is at hand. You can save from \$1.50 to \$5.00 on each suit you buy. We are reducing our great stock to make room for fall shipments which have already started from the East.

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famous all-wool clothing is reduced also. We make no reserve. All must go from the cheapest to the best.

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in fact, everything worn by man, is here in a splendid assortment. Our cash prices are leading prices.

### COME IN TODAY

### GOULD WILLING THAT HARRIMAN SHOULD COME IN

New York, July 28.—George J. Gould, head of the Gould system of railroads, on returning from Europe today, said that nothing would give him greater pleasure than to have E. H. Harriman in the directorate of the Gould roads. He declared that his roads were now doing nearly a normal business, and expressed great satisfaction over the decision in the Standard Oil case.

It is reported that negotiations are pending that will result in the Gould roads receiving strong financial support from Harriman, who will have a share in the management of the Gould system. One report says that negotiations have been carried on for several months between Mr. Gould, Kuhn, Loeb & Co., and the Harriman interests concerning the Gould properties. As the negotiations now stand, there is a fair probability that the result will mean an entire change



GEORGE R. SHELDON. New York banker who will serve as treasurer of the Republican national committee.

and reorganization of all the Gould lines in the East and the elimination of George J. Gould as autocrat of the Gould system.

### NEGRO RAVISHER BURNED AT STAKE

Dallas, Texas, July 28.—A negro boy aged 18, charged with criminal assault upon Miss Viola Delaney, of Clinton, was captured early today and taken before the girl and identified. On the way to the jail a mob of citizens overpowered the officers, took the prisoner to the public square of Greenville, and burned him to death in the presence of a thousand people.

### INDEPENDENCE PARTY LABOR ON PLATFORM

Chicago, July 28.—The Independence party was busily engaged early today constructing its initial platform and in the selection of its first presidential candidate. The resolutions committee continued its work far into the night and were hard at it at an early hour today. Planks by the dozen on finance, labor and trusts rained upon the committee, and a more radical utterance in regard to injunctions that was made by either the Democrats or Republicans is favored. The Californians are strongly pressing for a forceful declaration against Asiatic immigration. It is also probable that the financial plank will favor the issuance of all money direct by the government instead of through national banks. Over-capitalization of industrial enterprises will be denounced, and an amendment to the Sherman anti-trust law providing it shall not affect the combinations of business men, is looked for.

Despite the fact that Hearst has repeatedly declared that he is not a candidate for the presidency, there is a strong sentiment among the delegates for him. Hisgen, Graves and Howard are each still confident of his selection.

### Opening Session

Chicago, July 27.—Amid loud and enthusiastic cheering, and with its members showing every sign of loyalty to their new standard of political faith, the first national convention of the Independence party was opened at 8 o'clock tonight in Orchestra hall.

The main floor of the hall, in which some of the largest gatherings are held in this city, was filled by the delegates. There were no alternates. The galleries were crowded with a throng which entered heartily into the spirit of the proceedings, and throughout the night applauded vigorously whatever met its approval. The delegates were slow in arriving inside the hall, and when the hour arrived at the convention was to be called to order not more than a sprinkling of them were in their seats. The weather, which was hot and uncomfortable, doubtless accounted for this.

### General Exchange of Cheers

At a few minutes after 8 o'clock the delegates came trooping into the hall, New York heading the column. The delegates from the Empire state carried a banner bearing the words, "Independence Party," between them being an evenly balanced scale, signifying exact justice to all. Other delegations carried the national colors, and they waved them back and forth in greeting as they found their allotted positions in the hall. New York cheered every other delegation, as every other delegation cheered New York. The demonstration lasted about 15 minutes, and continued for some time after the delegates were in their seats.

### Hearst Makes Speech

Father Callaghan, of Chicago, delivered the invocation. Hearst was then escorted to the platform by a committee of three named by the chairman and was given an ovation. When quiet had been restored he began his address as temporary chairman of the convention. He spoke with intense earnestness, driving home his points in an emphatic manner that carried the convention with him. His description of

Bryan as a "knight in motley" brought forth great laughter, as did his reference to others. At the conclusion of his address he was given another ovation that lasted for several minutes. Hearst was then presented with a "union label" gavel and another gavel was presented to J. D. Bush, of New York. Hearst briefly accepted and the secretary read the membership lists of the various committees. After an address by C. A. Windle, of Chicago, the convention adjourned until tomorrow afternoon.

### CRUISER SENT TO CENTRAL AMERICA

Honolulu, July 28.—It is understood that the armored cruiser Mil-



C. P. TAFT. Cincinnati millionaire, brother of the Republican presidential candidate, at whose home the official notification ceremony took place.

waukee, which arrived here July 24, has received urgent orders to proceed to Anapala, Honduras. The Milwaukee will relieve the cruiser Albany.

The dispatch of the Milwaukee is believed to be due to the unsettled condition of affairs in Central America.

### MANY BOOKMAKERS UNDER INDICTMENT

New York, July 28.—Thirty-six men, including some of the most prominent bookmakers, were indicted today by the Kings county grand jury on charges of violating the race track laws.

James G. Howe, of Marion, Mo., and Charles Powell, of Fulton, Mo., are visiting J. M. Howe and family in Eugene.

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