

PENNSYLVANIA GOES TO PARKER.

It is Believed That This Action Will Determine the Choice Of the Convention.

PERHAPS ON FIRST BALLOT.

Opposition is Very Active, Trying to Settle on a Candidate—John Sharp Williams for Temporary Chairman.

St. Louis, July 4.—What is considered the beginning of a stampede to Parker took place tonight in the action of the Pennsylvania delegation adopting by a vote of 67 to 5 a resolution instructing the chairman of the delegation to cast Pennsylvania's 68 votes in the convention for Judge Parker. This vote was the result of the first ballot in the caucus of the delegation. The caucus was presided over by State Chairman Hall, the roll showing 62 delegates present.

CLAIMS OF PARKER MEN.

Parker on the second ballot, perhaps first, is the claim of the men who are in charge of the political affairs of the New York candidate. All day long the Parker opponents have tried to perfect a program which would prolong the balloting and afford an opportunity to name another candidate, but apparently they have not succeeded. Many combinations have been suggested, but so far they seem to have proven incapable of being assembled into a shape sufficiently substantial to show the independent and uncommitted delegates how another candidate can be named.

Men who are supposed to hold the balance of power have asked the Parker opponents to say what would be done after Parker has been put out of the race, but tonight they say they have received no satisfactory answer. Governor, Gray and Cleveland have been suggested, but no one is prepared to give assurances that either could receive the nomination. The mention of Cleveland has a tendency in some quarters to solidify the Parker strength, for many delegates say they do not want to take even the slightest chance of allowing Cleveland a fourth nomination.

While there is a very friendly feeling for Gorman among the southern delegates, including those who are under instructions or bound by the unit rule to vote for Parker, yet the predominant expression from this element

is that the effort now making in behalf of the Maryland senator is too late. They also point to the fact that when delegates were being chosen Gorman gave no sign that he desired the nomination. It is too much to expect, they say, that delegates who were chosen as Parker men, whether under instructions or not, will desert him now, as long as there is a possibility of securing his nomination.

During the day a number of Judge Harmon's supporters from Ohio arrived and established headquarters at the Jefferson. They say that 36 members of the delegation are for him.

NEW CANDIDATES.

The opposition to Judge Parker, in its effort to tighten the lines and make sure of holding the delegates, now counted as opposed to him, have brought out two new candidates in the person of former Gov. Patton of Pennsylvania and Gen. Miles. The opposition leaders appreciate to the utmost the difficulty in preventing a stampede to Parker should his lead become pronouncedly manifest, but they are counting upon doing this by appealing to the local pride of the different favorite-son delegations to hold on as long as possible.

No announcement was given out from Senator Gorman tonight, and Mr. Vandiver, who had stated explicitly in the day that he expected a communication, tonight said that he had received none. Mr. Gorman's position as a conditional candidate has, however, become so well known that no formal statement from him is necessary. His friends still expect to press his candidacy if Parker fails of success, and in the meantime they will do all they can to bring about such a situation.

The wisdom of casting the votes known to be for Gorman for other candidates has been canvassed and this course practically decided upon. It is not yet absolutely determined just what applicant will be thus complimented, but the choice lies between Patton and Cockrell. The votes absolutely under Mr. Gorman's control are those of Maryland, West Virginia and the District of Columbia.

The men who are talking about Judge Gray met with the question where the votes are to be secured to nominate him. Headquarters were established to day at the St. Nicholas hotel in the interests of Judge George Gray of Delaware. The members of the Delaware delegation then visited different state headquarters and urged the advantage of the nomination of their man. It is said that the New Jersey delegation is favorable to Judge Gray if Cleveland is not brought forward. Senator Tillman hopes to bring the South Carolina delegation over to Gray, although a majority of them have expressed a preference for Parker, which, under the unit rule, would carry the delegation to the New Yorker. The candidacy of Judge Gray is being encouraged by the opponents of Judge Parker, who hope that Gray will get some of the Parker votes. The delegations with favorite sons as yet manifest an unwillingness to enter into combinations and in the interest of their own candidates they do not desire to antagonize Parker.

FAVORITE SON-DELEGATES.

If by any chance there is a dead-lock, they all hope to secure votes from the Parker column in the break-up. Nor are the favorite son delegations such as can be transferred. In several cases

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Parker is the second choice of the delegates. This is not only the case, but is believed that the editor candidate could control them for any other candidate, while it is evident that quite a large number from the northwest are ready to vote for Parker on the second ballot.

The Parker opponents admit that the vigorous declarations of Tammany leaders to the effect that Parker could not carry New York seemingly have had no or little effect. The day passed without bringing to the fore any figure around which the anti-Parker element seems able to rally, has taken a great deal of life out of the situation. While the contest over the platform and the second place on the ticket afford a great deal of interest when fought out, the majority of delegates and those who come to see a convention and who are interested in the head of the ticket. The result is that an air of apathy pervades the lobbies and other places where the rank and file assemble.

REAL CONTEST OVER PLATFORM.

A real contest on the platform is assured. No one knows what the platform will be, but it is known that the majority draft will prove unsatisfactory to Bryan and his followers, and there are enough of them tonight to make an interesting fight on the floor of the convention. The developments today before the national committee also indicate that Bryan will be in evidence when the committee on credentials reports in this connection. It is also known that the fact that the candidates for president in the last two campaigns should secure a proxy in the national committee for the purpose of championing a contested case.

Mr. Bryan was engaged during the day with callers, many of them representing aspirants to the presidential nomination. He discussed the situation with all of them but committed himself to none. Among his callers were some members of the North Carolina delegation who insisted that Bryan should state in definite terms whether it was his purpose to bolt the ticket in case it should not be to his liking. He only replied that the situation was what it was and the ticket was named.

TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN.

The selection of John Sharp Williams for temporary chairman was given general satisfaction. No determination has been reached as to who will be the permanent chairman but several men have been suggested and possibly all will be considered by the committee on permanent organization before a selection is made.

The exposition summer gardens, Fourth of July celebrations and other attractions won out over politics largely today in the contest for the attention of the delegates. Every train brought in hundreds of politicians who, after taking possession of their hotel accommodations, pursued their individual tastes in seeking holiday pleasures. There was little in the political program to hold the visitors. The caucuses of the varied state delegations generally went over until tomorrow or Wednesday. The day opened clear and warm. Consequently trains the street cars and the fair grounds were loaded down.

No lack of patriotism exists in St. Louis on Independence day if the deafening reports of cannon crackers may be taken as an illustration of that quality in citizen's making. The roar was incessant and to a majority was somewhat annoying.

Toward the middle of the afternoon some relief was afforded by a heavy rainstorm which drove the noise producers indoors and every trace of fireworks. Even then a desultory firing was maintained by throwing the fire-crackers from windows and doorways for explosion in the streets. The rain brought a welcome coolness as well as relief from the streets.

Around the Jefferson hotel, where the Democratic national committee was in all-day session, considering the manner in which contests were to be heard, there was little distinction in the crowd who awaited with great interest the result of the deliberations. The sub-committee were named to hear the contests and waiting crowds gained no substantial information in reward their patience.

At the headquarters of the various candidates there were many conferences, but these were not of a character to draw the masses. On the whole, the thousands in the crowd who waited for the convention were less in evidence than they will be at any day prior to or during the convention. It is estimated that most of the delegates have arrived. A number of delegations have brought marching clubs but the day has not been propitious for parading.

The rainy afternoon discouraged many of the marchers, while the small boys prone to explode his fireworks in the ranks of the clubs. The crowd of Brooklyn, to the number of about 200, got out in the interest of Parker and, headed by a local band, the club paraded down town streets between showers.

PENNSYLVANIA'S ACTION.

The action of Pennsylvania tonight is voting to abandon their favorite son and support Judge Parker, almost entirely changed the situation so far as the divided sentiment in the New York delegation was concerned. Senator Hill was led to remark that, with another small accession, Judge Parker would be elected on the first ballot. William F. Sheehan, who has been the active leader of the Parker forces, and August Belmont, deprecated this, and argued that it would be wise to allow the other states to at least have the honor of naming in convention their favorite candidates.

TAMMANY SURPRISED.

The news was received at the Tammany headquarters in an entirely different way. Leader Murphy at first refused to believe it, saying that he had been assured tonight that the delegation would support ex-Gov. Patton. After the announcement had been made to them of Pennsylvania's decision, and they had some time recovered from their surprise, they still gave it as their view that there would be enough votes held by individual candidates to prevent Mr. Parker from obtaining a nominating vote, at least on the first five or six ballots.

Leader Murphy himself said: "We expected Pennsylvania to have a candidate of its own, but we are not disappointed. There are still two or three days before the nomination, and we shall continue to do active work against Mr. Parker, not because we dislike him personally, but we know that he cannot carry New York state."

Bourke Cockran and some others of the leaders in Tammany went over to Alabama's delegation during the evening to try and persuade them to consolidate their 10 anti-Parker votes. Alabama has 22 votes, 12 of which are instructed for Parker, the others being divided on several candidates. It is understood that Mr. Cockran was met with the threat by the 12 Parker adherents that if any attempt was made to consolidate the other interests they would adopt the unit rule and cast the whole 22 votes for Parker. Still another report to Tammany's plans came from Virginia.

Tammany, assisted by Henry C. Davis of West Virginia, had been attempting to win the Virginia delegation away from Parker. Senator Martin of Virginia telegraphed Senator Hill this afternoon that while en route to the convention the Virginia delegation had voted unanimously to support Judge Parker.

J. S. DICKERSON DEAD.

His Yacht, the Madeleine, Defended the America's Cup in 1876.

New York, July 5.—John S. Dickerson, who schooner yacht, the Madeleine, defended the America's cup in 1876, is dead here from apoplexy. He was 77 years old.

Mr. Dickerson was a native of Philadelphia and was formerly head of the firm of metal importers. He retired from business 35 years ago.

Fire in Jerusalem Concession.

St. Louis, July 5.—Fire broke out at 2:20 o'clock this morning in the kitchen of the American cafe in the Jerusalem concession at the world's fair grounds, and for more than an hour threatened a fire away from Parker. The fire broke out in the kitchen of the American cafe, which is in two wings and elaborately furnished, was gutted in both wings. The loss is estimated at \$15,000.

Russian Ships at Port Arthur.

Chefoo, July 5, 3:30 p. m.—Chinese just arrived here who left Port Arthur on July 2 say that only nine of the larger Russian warships were there then. On June 23, when the fleet engaged the Japanese squadron outside Port Arthur harbor, it consisted of 11 of the larger ships.

On July 3 the Russian and Japanese armies outside of Port Arthur, according to reports, were in a position to move from the other by a mile, the Japanese advancing steadily from hill to hill, on all of which they are placing big guns. It is said they landed 150 of these guns at Dalny.

Child Scalded to Death.

Boise, Ida., July 4.—The 3-year-old son of Mrs. Margaret Moon of Orchard accidentally fell into a tub of hot water and was so severely scalded that he died six hours later. Mrs. Moon had placed a tub of boiling water on the floor, and the child, who was running about the room, collided with the tub and tumbled in.

Killed by Giant Firecracker.

St. Joseph, Mo., July 4.—An unknown man was killed on North Main street tonight by a giant cracker which exploded in his hand at the time it exploded. Eight persons in various parts of the city were badly injured.

SAILBOAT CAPSIZES.

Four Out of Seven Pleasure Seekers Drowned.

Muskegon, Mich., July 4.—A sailboat containing seven pleasure-seekers was capsized in Muskegon lake today and four of the occupants were drowned in view of hundreds of spectators. The boat consisted of Albert Kennicott of the Shaw Electric Crane works, his wife and three children, Linda, 4 years old, and two other little girls, aged 3 years and 13 months, respectively, and two sisters, Misses Adeline and Margaret Emerson. High winds prevailed when the party started out and when near Ruddiman's point the yacht capsized. Mr. and Mrs. Kennicott and Miss George Emerson clung to the boat. The parents made frantic efforts to save the children. The 13-month-old baby was rescued but died before reaching shore.

FIREWORKS AFIRE.

Tacoma Fourth of July Celebration Ends in Disaster.

Tacoma, July 4.—The fireworks which were to have been set off here this evening in Wright park to make a finish to the big Fourth of July celebration, caught fire from almost the first rocket that was sent up, and in an instant the entire heap of explosives was flying in every direction. About four dozen eight-pound rockets flew through the audience of 30,000 persons, creating quite a panic, in which many were injured. Others were struck by the flying explosives, and it is estimated that as many as 50 were more or less injured, none fatally.

Van Allen Smith, who was assisting with the fireworks, stood his ground in an effort to scatter the fire, and was terribly burned. One arm was broken by an explosive. It is believed that he will survive.

Miss Hattie Braizeman was struck in the stomach by a rocket and seriously injured. Child reported a hand lost the sight of both eyes. J. H. Davis, chairman of the committee, had his right hand severely burned. Two children of E. S. Squires, who superintended the firing of the explosives, were burned about the face.

The audience who congregated along the slopes of the hill on which the fireworks were to be set off, and had crowded in a circle around the men at work, being only a few feet from them. Only slight precautions had been taken to protect the fireworks from flying sparks.

About 50 children were lost in the panic, and the police were busy at a late hour tonight trying to restore them to their parents.

A CUTTING AFFRAY.

Fred Jones of Mountain Home Slashed Across Throat.

Boise, Ida., July 4.—At Mountain Home this evening a serious cutting affray occurred in which a man named Jones was slashed across the face and throat in a dangerous manner by Fred Berger. The two men got into a quarrel. Jones knocked Berger down with a billiard cue and pronounced upon him. Berger then got his knife out and did the cutting. Both men are badly injured.

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That is the List of Casualties Resulting from Fourth of July Celebrations.

MUCH FEWER THAN LAST YEAR.

Were Nearly Double Then—Fire Losses This Year Much Smaller Than Last.

Chicago, July 5.—The Tribune today publishes a partial list of casualties resulting from Fourth of July celebrations all over the country. The list gives the total number of dead as 25; injured, 1,384, and a property loss of \$177,800.

A year ago the accidents reported on the night of July 4 were 48 dead and 3,431 injured. In 24 hours the totals had jumped to 32 dead and 3,665 injured.

In Chicago this year's victims, reported early today, numbered one dead and 82 injured. Chicago's figures a year ago were two dead and 117 injured.

Throughout the country the fire losses were generally smaller than in former years.

In Chicago 115 alarms were sent in during the 24 hours, 14 more than last year. The losses were all small.

The police in all parts of the city made nearly one hundred arrests during the day.

A FOURTH OF JULY FATALITY.

Pateron, N. J., July 5.—Aaron Vandehrink, 6 years old, was accidentally killed by his aunt, Mrs. Mary Demarest, who was celebrating the Fourth. She was firing a revolver from a window in her house, and one of the bullets struck her nephew, who was sitting on the sidewalk. Mrs. Demarest was arrested.

A FOURTH FIRE.

Corrina, Me., July 5.—A fire, started by Fourth of July explosions, caused a loss of \$10,000 here. Nine buildings were destroyed, including two general stores, and a grist mill. The town has so fire protection.

Murdered on Staten Island Train.

New York, July 5.—An unidentified man has been shot to death on a Staten Island rapid-transit train near Clifton. The murderer jumped from the train and escaped, but he is caught on the island, as the ferries were at once placed under guard. Both men were Italians and had quarreled about a woman who accompanied them. The murderer suddenly drew a revolver and, placing it against the other man's head, fired. In the panic which the shooting caused, the man escaped.

The Fourth on the Isthmus.

Panama, July 5.—The Fourth of July was celebrated from Panama to Colon, but principally at Culebra and other points, on the line where the marines had a great time.

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