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effort to agree. This was seconded by Secretary Amos, of the committee, who represented the majority report of the committee. The convention took a recess until 1:30 without either report being read, and the resolutions committee again went into session.

The chair then called for nominations for president. John G. Woolley announced that he had received a telegram in which General Miles asked that his name be not presented to the convention for the presidential nomination. Mr. Woolley said he would not present General Miles' name, though he did not know what others would do. The telegram from General Miles was dated New York and was addressed to John G. Woolley. It read:

"Appreciating the good will of yourself and friends, I must earnestly request that my name be not used in convention and that my letter of June 20 be considered as final. (Signed) 'NELSON A. MILES.'"

The call of States for nominations was ordered. Under the rules fifteen minutes was allowed for nominating speeches. Arkansas yielded to Samuel Dickie, of Michigan, who announced that conditions had suddenly changed and he would wait till Michigan was called. California yielded to Pennsylvania and W. W. Hague placed in nomination Silas C. Swallow, of Harrisburg, Pa. A prolonged demonstration followed the mention of Mr. Swallow's name.

General Swallow read a letter from Mr. Swallow declaring the fact that his wife's illness prevented him from attending the convention. Mr. Hague said: "You put your finger on Silas C. Swallow and you know where he is. In his letter Mr. Swallow says the Democratic party has no issue except in antithesis to the Republican position, and the Republican party has no issues except subterfuges to maintain itself in power."

S. P. McCallum, of Pennsylvania, nominated John F. Gill, of Pennsylvania, but the point was raised that Mr. Gill was born in Canada, and the nomination was not recognized. Mr. McCallum began an attack on Mr. Swallow, but was declared out of order, the sergeant-at-arms being ordered by the chair to take charge of him.

Homel R. Castle, of Pittsburgh, moved to make the nomination of Mr. Swallow by acclamation. It was carried with a prolonged demonstration, delegates standing and waving flags, while the Illinois delegation marched around the hall, waving a banner on which was printed "Chicago doubles its vote and is still growing." The band played while the cheering continued. Mr. Swallow was then declared the nominee.

The telegram from General Nelson A. Miles declining the use of his name as a candidate was read to the convention by A. A. Stevens, of Pennsylvania. He said: "It was this telegram that stopped the movement to-day to nominate General Miles for the Presidency at a time when his nomination seems probable."

HARRISBURG, June 30.—Dr. Silas C. Swallow's acceptance of the nomination for President by the prohibition national convention at Indianapolis is contingent on his wife's health. Dr. Swallow did not attend the convention, to which he was a delegate-at-large from Pennsylvania, owing to the illness of Mrs. Swallow.

He received the following telegram tonight from Oliver W. Stewart, chairman of the prohibition national committee: "Accept my hearty congratulations. You deserve the honor."

To this Dr. Swallow responded as follows:

"If 'honor' referred to in your dispatch implies duties requiring my absence from home, while I highly appreciate any honor or duty that the grandest party of the ages can give me, yet unless Mrs. Swallow's health greatly improves I would be compelled to decline."

Dr. Swallow said to-night that he had nothing further to say as to whether he will accept the nomination. He also said that he did not think it advisable at this time to make any statement as to his plan of campaign if he should consent to remain a candidate.

Curious Condensations.

In Texas there are ranches of more than 1,000,000 acres each.

A bacteria lamp has been invented.

France has a new process for reducing milk to a dry powder.

Soft wood is now artificially hardened and toughened by a process of vulcanizing.

In Germany electricity, among other curious results, has rehabilitated the discarded windmill.

Leelanders never think of "locking up at night," and yet only two cases of thieving have occurred in many years.

The smallest denominations of money are those in use in Japan. The yen (50 cents) is divided into 100 sen or cents; the sen into 10 rin; the rin into 10 mo; the mo into 10 shu; the shu into 10 kotsu.

In the center of Rildine, an island in the North sea, is perhaps the most curious lake in the world. The surface of its waters is quite fresh and supports fresh water creatures; but, deep down, it is as salt as the greatest depths of the sea, and salt-water fish live in it.

The American inventor tells of a narcotic bomb invented by a surgeon in the Austrian army which may be fired from any gun. This bomb has a time fuse, and when dropped among the regiment of the enemy will fill the air with narcotic gases strong enough to make 2,000 men unconscious for several hours.

One of the most remarkable places of worship in the world is the miners' chapel in Mydd Menigdd colliery, Swansea, Wales. It is close to the bottom of the shaft. The only light is that obtained from a solitary safety lamp hung over the pulpit from the ceiling, and the oldest miner in the colliery is generally chosen to officiate.

Accumulation of waste products is the undoubted cause of issue fatigue. It is said that it probably does not much matter whether these waste products are our own or other people's. The material giving rise to the sensation of fatigue may be derived from our own tissues by internal respiration, or it may be breathed in with foul air from the tissues of others.

The Lapland limited is perhaps the most curious of through express trains in that it carries fewer passengers and runs over a longer distance than any other train. This flyer leaves Stockholm, Sweden, once a week during the summer months and runs straight through to Narvik, a Norwegian harbor, within the arctic zone. The distance is 1,336 miles.

A curious custom is in vogue in many parts of India. If a dispute arises between two land owners two holes are dug close together, in each of which defendant's and plaintiff's lawyers have to place a leg. They have to remain thus until either one of them is exhausted or complains of being bitten by insects, when he is judged to be defeated and his employer loses his case.

Siberia has the greatest known cold in the world. At Yakutsk the average for three winter months is 40 degrees below zero, while individual drops to 75 and 76 degrees below are not unknown. But at Verkjohansk the average for January, 1885, was 69.9 degrees below zero, and the mercury at one time dropped to 90.4 degrees below—the lowest on record anywhere in the world.

Men of a singular race have been discovered in New Guinea. Living as they do in the marshes these men have no need to walk. On the other hand, the marshes are covered with a growth that prevents navigation in canoes. The men have built huts in trees and, as organs of prehension alone are useful to them, their lower limbs have almost atrophied. These natives have only feeble and withered legs and feet.

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