

BUTLER FOR CHAIRMAN.

He Will Preside Temporarily at the Populist Convention.

EUGENE V. DEBS CALLED UPON.

In Response to an Urgent Telegram He Announces That He Will Attend the Convention—Congressman Towne Declares Himself in Favor of Bryan.

St. Louis, July 22.—The Populist national committee yesterday decided upon Senator Marion Butler...

It is apparent on the eve of the convention that there will be three factions: The "middle of the road" element, headed by...



MARION BUTLER.

"Cyclone" Davis, of Texas, which will stand out against all compromise...

The Bryan people are still holding out very stiffly against any and all compromises...

The more conservative of the members of the two extreme factions are beginning to regard the situation as a grave one...

It is generally accepted as a fact among the Populist delegation that if Bryan and Sewall are endorsed by the Populist convention...

Chairman Jones, of the Democratic committee, would neither confirm nor deny the report in so many words, except to say...



EUGENE V. DEBS.

that no definite arrangement had been made. "I have gone no further," he said, "than to say to all that I want the silver men to get together in this contest, letting bygones be bygones and fraternizing as men ought who are fighting for the same principle."

Arrivals from Lincoln, to which place there are not a few pilgrims these days, report that Mr. Bryan still declines to make any concessions or pledges for Populist support...

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all the trained and experienced generals are aligned with them, and they have a very thorough organization for systematic and effective work.

The out and outers, if they should control, are at sea as to a candidate. Paul Vandervoort, of Nebraska, and Eugene V. Debs are about the only names canvassed since Congressman Towne, of Minnesota, arrived yesterday and announced himself for Bryan.

Yesterday Victor L. Berger, a delegate from Wisconsin, telegraphed Eugene V. Debs as follows: "You will not fail to do



J. B. WEAVER.

your duty when the country requires your services. The middle of the road people want to nominate you for president. Come at once!" In reply the following was received: "Shall try my best to join you tomorrow."

Interest in the silver convention, which opens today in Music Hall, where Grover Cleveland was renominated in 1888, has been completely eclipsed by the bitter struggle among the Populists of nominating or endorsing Bryan.

SILVERITES FOR BRYAN.

Boiling Republicans Will Support the Democratic Nominee.

DENVER, Colo., July 21.—Senator Teller and eleven of his associates who left the national Republican convention last evening made public an address to the silver Republicans of the country setting forth their views of the situation.

The Democratic party, in its Chicago convention, has taken a position in its platform so pronouncedly favorable to silver, and has nominated candidates of such unquestionable convictions in favor of the bimetallic policy...



SENATOR JAMES K. JONES.

such unquestionable convictions in favor of the bimetallic policy and of such high personal character, that we have determined to give them our support.

We therefore announce that we shall by voice and vote support Messrs. Bryan and Sewall for president and vice president, and we appeal to all citizens, and especially to Republicans who feel, as we do, that gold monometallism would be of lasting injury to the country...

The Democrats who believe in the gold standard are announcing their intention to support McKinley, or proposing to put a third candidate in the field for the avowed purpose of aiding Mr. McKinley's election.

Those who believe in bimetallicism, which means the equal treatment of both gold and silver at the mints of the nation, there is but one course to pursue, and that is to unite all the silver forces and to oppose with all our might the candidate representing the policy which we believe is fraught with disaster to the nation and ruin to the people.

The balance of the address is an argument for silver.

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The Bryan men still appear to be in control, and the leaders are very confident that they are in the majority.

TRAGEDY ON THE OCEAN.

Three People Murdered on an American Barkentine.

THE VICTIMS' BODIES AT HALIFAX.

The First Mate of the Vessel Charged with the Terrible Crime by a Member of the Crew—The Statement of a Passenger Gives Color to the Charge.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 22.—The American barkentine Herbert Fuller, which sailed from Boston a few days ago for Rosario, arrived in Halifax harbor yesterday with the bodies of three murdered people.

The three dead persons, whose murder is evidently the result of a bloody outbreak on the part of some members of the crew, are Captain Nash, his wife, and Second Mate Bramberg.

As the bodies of the victims were lifted out of the boat many of those who were present turned away, unable to stand the sight.

P. H. Munch, the passenger on board the Fuller, belongs in Boston. He is a member of Harvard's class of '97, and has been suffering for some time from pulmonary troubles.

Munch then rushed below and aroused the crew. The men hurried to the cabin, where the full extent of the crime was soon made known.

At the police station the first mate was stripped and blood was found on his clothing. The passenger, Munch, states that he saw the first mate come from the captain's cabin after the murder.

Republish Committee Appointments. CLEVELAND, July 22.—Chairman Hanna, of the Republican executive committee, returned yesterday from Chicago, and soon after his arrival at his office several appointments were announced.

Victoria's Trip to London. LONDON, July 23.—As the royal procession was leaving Windsor castle for the railway station, where the queen is to witness the marriage of the Princess Maud, horses attached to the carriage proceeding the one in which the queen rode...

Twelve Thousand Tailors on Strike. NEW YORK, July 22.—After several months of agitation a strike of the various organizations constituting the Brotherhood of Tailors was declared last night, and became effective this morning.

Fell Through a Trestle. CARROSBLE, Ills., July 22.—A disastrous railroad wreck occurred on the Chicago and Texas railroad about a mile south of Murphysboro yesterday.

ITEMS OF STATE NEWS.

READING, Pa., July 22.—Files, the tramp who attempted to murder Mrs. Amanda Rehrer at Exeter Monday night, died in Berks county jail at 9 o'clock last night.

READING, Pa., July 21.—In a dispute at Tower City William Hand stabbed Tobias Strawbeet and Adam Strawbeet, father and son. The son is so badly injured that he will probably die.

ALTOONA, Pa., July 22.—Mrs. H. L. Boughelmer, who was tied, gagged and assaulted in her home early Monday morning, yesterday recognized Albert Boughelmer, her husband's nephew, as one of her assailants.

ALTOONA, Pa., July 21.—Early in the morning three men entered the house of Mrs. H. L. Boughelmer in the western part of this city, knocked her senseless with a baseball bat, and after binding and gagging her threw her into the cellar.

CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., July 20.—Mrs. Martin Drury and her two children were bitten by copperhead snakes last week. One of the children is dead, and the mother and her other child cannot long survive.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., July 16.—Walter Snyder, aged 22 years, of Trevorton, sustained serious injuries yesterday by being dragged over a stony road a distance of 300 yards by a runaway steer.

READING, Pa., July 21.—Some weeks ago a number of machinists employed at the Reading railroad machine shop joined a branch of the National Machinists' association.

WEST CHESTER, Pa., July 20.—A charge of jail breaking was preferred on Saturday against the colored convict James Mills, who was recently recaptured at Bedford, Pa., and returned to the Chester county prison.

CARLEISLE, Pa., July 21.—Judge Biddle yesterday ended the contest between Carleisle's rival school boards by handing down a decision sustaining the old board.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., July 18.—Progress at the Twin shaft is very slow. The rescuers are toiling through hard solid rock, and are only fifty feet down the slope.

PITTSBURGH, July 20.—Ex-Congressman Sibley came down from Franklin Saturday night to attend a Democratic ratification meeting. Upon his arrival Mr. Sibley announced that he had decided to enter the congressional race from the Erie-Crawford district.

HARRISBURG, July 16.—Governor Hastings alone stands in the way of John Bardsley's release from prison. The board of pardons has been convinced that the famous escapee is hopeless and that it would be advisable if the afflicted families felt satisfied, to abandon the work.

HARRISBURG, July 18.—Garrett Light, a prosperous farmer living in the lower end of Dauphin county, was arrested at his home last night for the attempted murder of his sweetheart, Annie Riekel, at Monticello, Pa.

HUNTINGDON, Pa., July 22.—While going to the Lewistown encampment last night on a freight train Samuel Conrad, a well known railroader of this city, was attacked by four men, one of them colored.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., July 20.—General Joshua K. Sturzel died at his residence here yesterday, aged 64 years, from kidney troubles and nervous prostration.

HUNTINGDON, Pa., July 20.—John Roach of Philadelphia, Henry Walton of Altoona and Frank Thompson of Washington county, inmates of the Huntingdon reformatory, made a thrilling escape Saturday night.

Wanted—An Idea Who can think of a better thing to patent? Patent your ideas. They will be patented by JOHN WEDDERBURN & CO., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their \$1,000 prize offer and list of two hundred inventions patented.

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Subscriptions for 6 and 3 months, at above low rate, will only be accepted during the present Presidential Campaign. Get these two papers and be informed on the events of the Presidential campaign.

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WRIT IN PARTITION.—To the heirs and legal representatives of Jacob Gephart late of Millheim borough, deceased: Catharine Gephart Millheim, Pa. James M. Gephart, Seattle, Washington; M. C. Gephart and A. J. Gephart both of Millheim, Pa. C. F. Gephart, Lavansville, Pa. Margaret Schock and James Schock her husband, New Berlin, Pa.; M. Salina Goodhart and W. L. Goodhart her husband, Millheim, Pa.

Also, a certain message and tract of timber land situate in the township of Penn, containing 40 acres.

Also, the undivided one-half interest in a tract of timber land situate in the townships of Penn and Miles, containing 400 acres.

Also, the undivided one-half interest in all that certain message, tenement and tract of land situate in the township of Penn, containing 40 acres.

Also, the undivided one-half interest in and to all that certain message, tenement and tract of land situate in Penn township, bounded on the west by lands of John Mays and James Smith, on the south by lands of John Mays and Charles Frankenberg and the terrace, on the east by lands of Rose Mauch and Jacob Gephart estate and on the north by lands of John Kern, containing 145 acres more or less.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of W. H. Wilkinson, late of Bellefonte Borough, Pa., deceased.

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