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SACRIFICE OF MR. SINGERLY

He Will Lead the Democratic Hosts as Candidate for Governor.

RESULTS OF STATE CONVENTION

Meeting of Democrats at Harrisburg Yesterday—Nominations Are All Made by Acclamation—Heated Discussion Over Knotty Planks in the Platform Adopted—No Scramble for Offices.

THE DEMOCRATIC SACRIFICES.
For Governor—WILLIAM M. SINGERLY, of Philadelphia.
For Lieutenant-Governor—JOHN S. BILLING, of Erie.
For Auditor-General—DAVID F. MAGEE, of Lancaster.
For Secretary of Internal Affairs—Adjutant-General WALTER W. GREENLAND, of Carbon.
For Congressmen at Large—Ex-Senator HANSBERRY C. BRENAN, of Indiana; ex-Judge JOSEPH C. BUCHER, of Ohio.



WILLIAM M. SINGERLY, OF PHILADELPHIA.

HARRISBURG, Pa., June 27.—The Democratic state convention today performed its work with despatch. The 454 delegates were called to order at 12.10 p. m. and forty minutes later a recess was taken until 2.35 o'clock. At 3.53 o'clock the convention adjourned sine die.

The absence of any opposition to the slated candidates was the primary cause of the expeditious transaction of business. The speeches, too, were all short. All of the nominations were made by acclamation.

When State Chairman Stranahan brought down his gravel an assemblage of about 1,200 greeted him. Flags and banners were tastefully displayed around the auditorium, and in one corner of the balcony a brass band was stationed. After the usual preliminaries Chairman Stranahan announced that the temporary officers of the convention, who were selected yesterday by the state executive committee, would assume their duties.

HARRISBURG'S SWAY SUPREME.
During the recess, the committee on credentials, an excellent and secret but lively meeting. The credential committee took up the contest from the fourth district of Allegheny and settled the matter by unseating the sitting delegates, J. J. McCabe and P. Melneroy, who were nominated as being "against the state administration," and seating George S. Fleming and T. M. Brophy, Pittsburgh, who are favorable to Mr. Harris.

William J. Brennan, the Allegheny county chairman, who was also a member of the committee, tried in vain to make a speech in behalf of Messrs. McCabe and Melneroy. He then began a tirade against "the outrageous proceedings," but finally apologized for his remarks and gave notice that he would submit a minority report to the convention. Mr. Brennan made a motion that the contestants and a sitting delegates all be admitted to the convention and that they give a half a vote each. This was rejected by a vote of 45 to 5.

PLATFORM TOGETHER.
The committee on resolutions engaged in a somewhat heated dispute over the ninth plank of the platform which was characterized as an attack upon the American Protective association. The plank originally read: "We reassert the old Democratic doctrine of equal rights and religious liberty, we are opposed to all secret political organizations which strike at freedom of conscience, and we declare that no party can justly be deemed national, constitutional or in accordance with American principles which is animated by a spirit of political proscription or religious intolerance."

T. F. Emmons, of Easton, a member of the resolutions committee, objected to the wording of this portion of the platform. He declared that the reference to secret organizations was likely to be misconstrued and might cause feeling among Democrats. Mr. Emmons held that if the resolution was aimed at any particular organization, it should say so directly. He moved that all after "religious liberty" be stricken out, but his motion was defeated. The outcome was the omission of the words "secret political," and in this form the plank, with the balance of the platform, was submitted to the convention.

THE AFTERNOON SESSION.
The committee on credentials was first to report when the convention reassembled at 2.35 o'clock. A majority report recommending that contestants Fleming and Brophy be seated was presented and carried. Mr. Brennan's minority report in favor of Messrs. McCabe and Melneroy being defeated. There was a quarter of an hour's heated debate in the convention over this matter. The committee on permanent organization recommended that Attorney General William U. Hensel, of Lancaster, be elected as permanent chairman of the convention and that the other temporary officers, with the exception of Mr. Wright, be continued.

This was adopted, and Mr. Hensel was elected to the chair by H. S. Steel, of Northampton, George J. Bennet, of Adams, and Bernard McKenna, of Allegheny. The applause which greeted the attorney general must have been gratifying to him for it was given in a generous quantity. Mr. Hensel addressed the convention at length.

When Mr. Hensel had concluded the committee on resolutions, through the chairman, Arthur G. Dewalt, of Lehigh, reported the platform, which was accepted. In addition to the platform, given below, this reference to President Carnot's assassination was read by Mr. Dewalt and adopted:

THE NOMINATING SPEECHES.
The nomination of candidates began at 3.03 o'clock, when R. Jones Monaghan, of West Chester, placed the name of William M. Singerly, proprietor of the Philadelphia Record, before the convention, for governor. The mention of Mr. Singerly's name was received with loud and prolonged cheering. Maurice Wilhara, of Philadelphia, chairman of the Philadelphia county committee, seconded the nomination of Mr. Singerly. J. Ross Thompson, of Erie, moved that the nominations close, and at 3.24 o'clock Mr. Singerly was chosen by acclamation.

The balance of the ticket was elected without delay, all the nominations being made by acclamation. A. G. Crosby, of Erie, nominated John S. Billing, of that county, for lieutenant governor, and District Attorney John M. Garman, of Luzerne, seconded the selection. Mr. Garman's remarks were particularly severe in their denunciation of Republicanism in general and the speaker was frequently interrupted by applause. Mr. Billing was nominated at 3.35 o'clock. The other candidates were then chosen in this order: Congressmen at large, auditor general and secretary of internal affairs, H. Egert Spryker, of Union, and J. B. O. Cowan, of Westmoreland, respectively nominated Hon. Joseph Bucher, of Lewisburg, and ex-Senator Hannibal K. Sloan, of Indiana, for congressmen at large, the seconding speeches being delivered by W. W. Lyon, of Northampton, and Matthew Savage, of Clearfield, state superintendent of public printing. W. Hayes Geier, of Columbia, placed the name of David F. Magee before the convention for auditor general, and O. C. Bowman, of Chambersburg, seconded it. Assistant District Attorney Fagan, of Allegheny, wound up the nominations by naming Adjutant General Greenland as a candidate for secretary of internal affairs. The adjutant general of the Pennsylvania National Guard was chosen without the formality of a seconding speech.

SHERIFF FAHEY HONORED.
The concluding act of Permanent Chairman Hensel was the naming of Judah Isaacs, of Philadelphia; Judge Edward Harvey, Lehigh; Patrick Foley, Pittsburgh; Matthew Savage, Clearfield; Sheriff John J. Fahy, Lackawanna; Albert Broadhead, Northampton; W. A. Marr, Schuylkill; J. C. Wayne, Washington, and Thomas R. Elcock, Montgomery, as a committee to notify the candidates of their nomination. The convention subsequently decided that Mr. Hensel should be chairman of this committee, and the attorney general related his own name to the list. The convention adjourned sine die at 5.53 o'clock.

THE DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.
The Democracy of Pennsylvania renew their expression of faith in Democratic principles and their unflinching confidence that these principles are efficient for good government, municipal, state and federal. The derangement of business, the disturbances between labor and capital, the reduction of wages, the unequal distribution of profits in economic operations and the gross disparity in social conditions which have resulted from the operation of Republican laws will continue so long as these laws are unrepented. The McKinley tariff bill is in full force and operation. The enactment of that tariff in 1890 impaired international trade to the extent of \$30,000,000 and reduced revenues arising from duties which, with vastly increased expenses through improvident appropriations anticipated future revenues led to a deficit in the income necessary to the support of the government. Democratic administration led to a deficit of \$30,000,000 in 1893. A Republican successor, in four years, converted this to a deficit of \$30,000,000. We declare that this condition has followed the Republican administration and that the business depression has resulted

CASIMIR-PERIER IS PRESIDENT

Chosen as Chief Magistrate on the First Ballot.

GREAT ENTHUSIASM OVER RESULT

Carnot's Successor Selected by the Electoral Congress—Casimir-Perier Receives 461 of the 861 Votes Cast—Demonstration of a Socialist. Precautions to Prevent Further Outrages by Anarchists—Scene at the Great Hall of the Palace.

VERSAILLES, June 27.—The electoral congress, called to elect a president of the French republic to succeed the late President Carnot, began its session in the palace here at 1.10 o'clock this afternoon. M. Challemel-Lacour, president of the senate, presiding. The great hall of the palace was crowded, and the galleries were thronged with spectators. Nearly all the members of the diplomatic corps were present among the latter.

Great precautions were taken at Versailles to prevent anarchist outrages. All the entrances to the palace where the congress met were placed under strong military and police guard. Every person entering the grounds and buildings had to be identified and undergo a strict examination if his identity was not well known. The route from the railroad station to the palace was lined with detectives, and the railroad itself was closely watched. The trains conveying senators and deputies from this city were also guarded.

The galleries around the theater in which the election took place, presented a brilliant scene. They were thronged with women in fashionable attire, women wearing as much interest as the men in the proceedings. Just before the balloting opened, a Socialist deputy shouted: "I demand the abolition of the presidency!" Another deputy cried: "Down with dictators!" There were other cries from various parts of the hall which were lost in the general hubbub. M. Casimir-Perier was not present during the proceedings.

Much confusion prevailed throughout the session. M. Challemel-Lacour, after a sympathetic reference to the late President Carnot, read the articles of the constitution relative to the election of a president, and then declared the assembly open. The casting of the first ballot immediately began.

The total number of votes cast for president was 851, of which 6 were cancelled because of irregularities, leaving 845 valid votes. Of these 451 were cast for M. Casimir-Perier, 191 for M. Brisson, 99 for M. Dupuy, 59 for G. Serre, 27 for M. Arago and 48 scattering. Necessary for a choice 428.

After reading the figures M. Challemel-Lacour said: "M. Casimir-Perier having obtained an absolute majority, I proclaim him president of the French Republic."

THE NEW PRESIDENT WEEPS.
After Challemel-Lacour read the form investing Casimir-Perier with the powers of the presidency, he made an emotional little speech, and then turning to the new president embraced him heartily. Casimir-Perier wept. He had not mastered his emotion when a delegation of journalists was admitted to congratulate him, but he managed to thank them warmly, saying: "Gentlemen, I belong to you. Dictator, but never forget France and the republic while doing so."

The Socialist demonstration after the decisive vote revealed such bitterness and desperation as even the extreme Marxists had rarely displayed before.

CASIMIR PERIER'S CAREER.
M. Jean Paul Pierre Casimir-Perier was born in Paris Nov. 8, 1847. His grandfather was president of the council under King Louis Philippe, and his father was a minister under the first president of the Republic, M. Thiers. During the Franco-Prussian war, M. Casimir-Perier served in the army, and was a member of the Aube, who were called to the defense of Paris. During the siege of Paris, he displayed so much bravery that he was mentioned in the order of the day and decorated with the cross of the Legion of Honor.

In February, 1871, he became chief of the cabinet to his father, the minister of the interior, who, in order to open a political career for him, resigned as a councillor general of the Aube in April, 1874. At the general elections of February, 1876, as a straight Republican, he was elected to represent Clearfield in the Chamber of Deputies, with the majority formed by the Left Center and the Republican left, which refused a vote of confidence in the Broglie ministry in the election which followed the dissolution he was re-elected, and when the Republican cabinet of December 14 was formed he was appointed under-secretary of state in the department of public instruction. Later he became a member of the Republican Left, and in 1881 he joined the Republican union. When the chamber adopted the law excluding all members of former reigning families from public office he resigned his seat, being unable to reconcile his family duty and his Republican sentiments. Later on he was re-elected deputy and became under secretary of state in the war department in 1883. In 1890 he became vice president of the chamber. Only a few weeks ago he was prime minister, but his cabinet was defeated upon a labor question and resigned. He was then elected president of the Chamber. He is regarded as a strong man and for some time has been regarded as the most prominent rival of M. Sadi Carnot.

JUDGE BUCHER DECLINES.
Intimates That He Had Enough of Politics in 1901.
LEWISBURG, Pa., June 27.—Judge Joseph Bucher was seen at his home this evening. He said that he would not accept the nomination for congressman-at-large tendered him today by the Democratic State convention. Judge Bucher gave as his reason for declining the fact that he got enough of politics when he was defeated for re-election by H. M. McClure in 1893.

SALARIES ARE ADJUSTED.

Increase and Reductions in Pennsylvania Postoffice.
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27.—The following increases in the salaries of postoffice postmasters in the eastern district of Pennsylvania have just been made in the annual re-adjustment by the postoffice department:
Ashland, from \$1,700 to \$1,800; Athens, \$1,000 to \$1,100; Bethlehem, \$2,400 to \$2,600; Bloomsburg, \$3,000 to \$2,100; Blossburg, \$1,100 to \$1,200; East Stroudsburg, \$1,300 to \$1,500; Forest City, \$1,100 to \$1,200; Fredland, \$1,300 to \$1,400; Haverford, \$1,600 to \$1,700; Hazleton, \$2,400 to \$2,500; Jenkintown, \$1,600 to \$1,700; Lansford, \$1,000 to \$1,100; Lewistown, \$1,800 to \$2,000; Mauch Chunk, \$1,800 to \$2,000; Marietta, \$1,500 to \$1,600; Manch Chunk, \$1,800 to \$1,900; Millbury, \$1,200 to \$1,300; Mount Carmel, \$1,600 to \$1,700; Newtown, \$1,300 to \$1,400; Olyphant, \$1,100 to \$1,200; Orwinstown, \$1,300 to \$1,400; Parkersburg, \$1,800 to \$1,900; Pottsville, \$2,600 to \$2,700; Scranton, \$3,200 to \$3,300; Shippensburg, \$1,700 to \$1,800; South Bethlehem, \$2,300 to \$2,400; Spring City, \$1,200 to \$1,300.

The offices in which the salaries have been decreased on account of a decrease in business in the same district are as follows:
Ambler, \$1,500 to \$1,400; Ardmore, \$1,700 to \$1,500; Barwick, \$1,600 to \$1,500; Catawissa, \$1,700 to \$1,600; Coatsville, \$2,100 to \$2,000; Danville, \$2,300 to \$2,100; Duncansville, \$1,200 to \$1,100; Elmland, \$1,200 to \$1,000; Hughsville, \$1,200 to \$1,100; Jermyn, \$1,000 to fourth class; Lebanon, \$2,600 to \$2,500; Mechanicsville, \$1,400 to \$1,300; Stroudsburg, \$1,800 to \$1,700; Sunbury, \$2,100 to \$2,000; Susquehanna, \$1,700 to \$1,600; Tamaqua, \$1,800 to \$1,700; Thurlow, \$1,300 to \$1,200; Towanda, \$2,300 to \$2,100; Union, \$1,100 to \$1,000; West Grove, \$2,400 to \$2,300; Wrightsville, \$1,100 to \$1,000.

THE REPUBLICAN LEAGUE.

Resolutions Adopted at the Denver Meeting—Silver and Female Suffrage Favorably Considered.

DENVER, Col., June 27.—The National League of Republican clubs this morning adopted the following resolutions:

The representatives of the National League of Republican clubs of the United States in convention assembled at the capital of the centennial state throw their heads in sorrow and humiliation at the spectacle of increasing Democracy's pretensions to our country and deplore the calamities which the giving of power to the present administration has brought upon our people.

We congratulate the American people that this administration was compelled by public opinion to abandon its un-American Hawaiian policy. In contrast with the shameful record of the Democratic party we exult over the record of glory which the Republican party has made. Its achievements and its triumphs extending over thirty years establish it as the most masterful, enlightened and prudent organization that has ever existed.

In the face of present disaster to our country, it is with increased solemnity that we once more renew our allegiance to the Republican party and proclaim its cardinal principles. We believe in a free ballot and a fair count and we demand such legislation as will insure to every citizen the right to cast one free ballot in any election and to have that ballot justly counted and cast. It is a noteworthy fact that the Democratic party in congress consistent in holding us back from the repeal of the federal election laws, thus openly confessing the party fraud. We declare our belief in a perfect party and a perfect government. We also believe in such reciprocal trade with nations as will increase the market for the products of our farmers, stock raisers and miners without increasing the competition which tends to lower wages and degrade our labor.

We denounce the proposed violent and destructive legislation as well as the Wilson bill, and earnestly appeal to Republican statesmen to oppose its passage by all honorable means. We believe in the use of gold and silver as money metals, maintained on a perfect parity with the paper money. We do not believe that there will be a permanent return of prosperity to our country until the full use and highest position of silver shall be restored and we favor such legislation as will bring about this result.

The Republican party is the constant friend of the soldiers and sailors of the Union. The pluck of the Democratic party to the defenders of the republic before election was false and fraudulent and has been shamefully disregarded since election. We condemn unsparingly the treatment now accorded the hopkins, maimed and crippled defenders of the flag and to the widows and orphans of our dead patriots as unfair and cruelly unjust. We believe in the right of every citizen to admission into the Union of the territories of Utah, New Mexico, Arizona and Oklahoma, and we condemn the policy of the Democratic administration in excluding and depriving them of their rights. We demand that new safeguards be incorporated in our immigration and naturalization laws to prevent unworthy immigrants from landing on our shores and obtaining citizenship.

We again commend to the favorable consideration of the Republican clubs of the United States, as a matter of education, the question of granting suffrage to women. We congratulate the women of Colorado and Wyoming for their possession of the elective franchise, and we cordially invite their co-operation in the work of rescuing the country from Democratic and Populist misrule.

President Tracy was re-elected as president of the Republican league of clubs today. A. B. Humphrey, of Nebraska, was re-elected secretary. Cleveland was chosen as the next place of meeting and the convention adjourned sine die.

HOTEL JERMYN CONTRACT LET.

Conrad Schroeder, the Successful Bidder, Will Begin Work at Once.
The contract for building the new Hotel Jermyrn was awarded by John Jermyrn yesterday to Conrad Schroeder. Mr. Jermyrn declined to give the particulars of the bid or to state who were competitive bidders. He said work would begin at once and that the structure would be completed during the winter of 1895-6.

SPREAD OF THE PULLMAN STRIKE

Over Five Thousand Men Are Already in Voluntary Idleness.

THE CHICAGO ROADS ARE TIED UP

Result of the First Day's Boycott on Pullman Cars Looks Serious for the Railroads—Men in Illinois Central Car Shops Strike Out of Sympathy—Fifteen Roads Affected Already.

CHICAGO, June 27.—As a result of the first day of the boycott of the Pullman Car company by the American Railway union, there are over 5,000 employees of the different roads out of Chicago now on strike. This attempt to run Pullman cars has resulted in tying up the yards of the 15 railroads centering here. Of the Illinois Central, Wisconsin Central, Chicago, Great Western, Baltimore and Ohio, Chicago and Northern Pacific and the lines intersected in the Western Indiana system are tied up completely, the only trains run out being made up and manned by officers of the road. Late tonight the switchmen of the Pullman and Northwestern roads also struck.

Strikes will be declared within the next two days on the Fort Wayne, the Pan Handle and other Pennsylvania lines, the Chicago and Northwestern, Chicago and Alton, and Santa Fe. The latter road was partially tied up today along the line on orders issued by the union officials but the men in Chicago will not be ordered out until tomorrow.

STRIKE AT THE CAR SHOPS.

One thousand men employed in the car shops of the Illinois Central road at the shops of the same company at Weldon went out on a strike this afternoon because of their sympathy with the Pullman strikers. Only a small minority of these men are known to be members of the American Railway union.

The American Railway union has sent a notice to all parts of the country guaranteeing to all railway employes not members of the union full protection and support and all the rights of membership in case they take the side of the strikers.

Grand Master Sovereign of the Knights of Labor, has issued a manifesto to all Knights calling on them to unite in rendering all aid in their power to the members of the American Railway union in their present contest.

MILITARY MOVEMENTS.

Officers of the National Guard Honorably Discharged.
HARRISBURG, Pa., June 27.—These orders were issued from headquarters National Guard tonight. Second Lieutenant Charles S. Wood, Company B, First regiment, is hereby granted leave of absence from June 20 until August 1, 1894.

The following named officers are honorably discharged: First Lieutenant Martin I. McGowan, Company F, of the First regiment, resigned June 8; Second Lieutenant William F. Jones, Company F, Sixth regiment, resigned June 6; Major Edward D. Lumley, surgeon, Twelfth regiment, resigned June 7; Brigadier General John W. Schall, First brigade, is authorized to hold elections to fill the vacancies caused by the discharge of Lieutenants McGowan and Jones.

FLYERS ON THE TURF.

Excellent Races Held at the Track at Point Breeze.
PHILADELPHIA, June 27.—Lovers of trotting were treated today at Point Breeze to one of the best day's racing they have ever had here. The weather was warm and the track fast. Five favorites won which sent the crowd home happy. Four races were decided in straight heats and in each the favorite won. In the 2:17 class Billy A won two heats yesterday and captured the third and deciding one at the first attempt today. The summary:

2:17 class—Purse \$600, Billy A by Bay Tom, Jr. (Shillingdave, driver); Judge Austin, (Miller) second. Time, 2:17.
2:30 class—Stake \$1,000, Amby by Hepalagon, (Cornwell) first; Grayfield, (Eames) second. Time, 2:17.
2:10 class, pacing—Purse \$300, Rebus by Chesterford, (Farberry) first; Frank Darsch, (Evans) second. Time, 2:10 1/2.
2:30 class—Purse \$600, Cobwebs by Wildpa, (Trimble) first; Stranahill, (Miller) second. Time, 2:16 1/2.

ULTIMATUM OF OPERATORS.

Will Not Pay Over Forty Cents Per Gross Ton for Duzing Coal.
PHILADELPHIA, June 27.—At a meeting to-day the coal operators of Central Pennsylvania passed this resolution: That the operators of the Central Pennsylvania district will not pay over 40 cents per ton of 2,400 pounds, or 35 cents per ton of 2,800 pounds, but will agree to advance this rate to 60 cents per gross ton, or 45 cents per net ton May 1, 1895, provided our mines give us the evidence on or before March 1, 1895, that the other competing regions will pay the same rate. Our mines are to accept or decline this proposition on or before July 2, 1894. This resolution shall be posted immediately at the mines of every operator in Central Pennsylvania district.

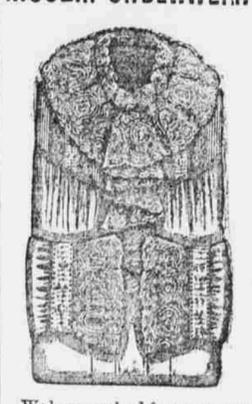
FLASHED OVER THE WIRES.

All the miners in the Palmyra district, Ohio, went to work yesterday on a compromise rate of 67 1/2 cents per ton with day wages at \$1.75.

WEATHER FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Forecast for Thursday: For Eastern Pennsylvania, showers in early morning; probably fair during the day; southwest winds. For Western Pennsylvania, fair, warmer, south winds.

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- 5 doz. Plain Skirts, cambrie ruff, 75c.
- 6 dozen Muslin Skirts, 8-inch embroidered ruff, at \$1.
- 10 dozen Drawers, embroidered ruff, 50c.
- 10 dozen Misses' Gowns, embroidered yoke, 75 and 85c.
- 6 dozen Infants' and Children's White Dresses, 65c. up.

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