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PROHIBITION SPLIT PROBABLE

Anticipated at the National Convention at Pittsburg.

THE MONEY QUESTION THE ISSUE

The Women Suffragists, Too, Threaten a Bolt if They are Ignored—The Silverites Said to be Largely in the Majority in the Convention.

PITTSBURG, May 27.—That there will be a split in the Prohibition party as a result of the national convention leaders of both factions freely admit this morning. The split will come, they say, over the money plank in the platform. As yet scarcely a word has been said regarding prohibition. Money, the root of all evil, has been the all-absorbing topic of discussion. It has come to be a bitter and acrimonious discussion, and the opposing factions have said many unkind things of each other in the hotel lobbies. The bitterness of feeling increases hourly, and it promises to be a battle of extermination.

If a gold standard plank should be adopted in the party platform by the delegates from the east, then those favoring the coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1 will secede. If, on the other hand, the



CHARLES E. BENTLEY.

called free silver delegates adopt a free coinage plank, then the gold standard crowd will leave, and should the convention fail to declare for woman suffrage the feminine portion of the convention will sever its connection with the party.

It promises to be a memorable convention for the prohibitionists, and bids fair to wreck the party. As yet no move has been made by any one of the contending factions for a compromise. Each faction seems possessed by an unyielding confidence in its ability to worst its opponents, and scoffs at the idea of making terms.

There were three caucuses yesterday. One was held by the women, who decided that unless a suffrage plank were inserted in the platform they would leave the party; then the free silver wing caucused and declared their leader should run upon a "broad gauge" platform or none at all, and finally the single issue crowd came together and announced that neither free silver, woman suffrage, nor anything else but prohibition should be mentioned in the platform.

Much acrimonious talk has been indulged in by the contending factions in the preliminary contention. The "broad gauge," or free silver people have been bitterly upbraiding Samuel Dickie, for what they term his "traitorous" conduct. He is national chairman and a delegate from Michigan, and is the only one from Michigan who is out for a gold standard.

In reply to these accusations Mr. Dickie said that ex-Governor St. John and his



JOSHUA LEVERING.

free silver clique were guilty of uttering untruths. He justified his actions in advocating a gold standard by the statement that he had informed the Michigan convention, when it instructed him by a majority of 100 for free silver, that he did not intend to abide by such instructions, and asked that another be selected to take his place.

The leading candidates for the presidential nomination have made public declarations as to where they stand on money matters. Joshua Levering, after announcing his adherence to a gold standard, said: "If the convention sees fit to adopt a broad gauge platform I cannot assent to the use of my name. Neither could I be a candidate in case the party saw fit to place in charge of the coming campaign of officials who entertain views opposed to my own on these matters of issue."

Rev. Dr. Bentley meets Mr. Levering here before, and reiterates his statement, except that his is diametrically opposite in color.

The free silver faction claims to have an overwhelming majority of the delegates. Governor St. John is of the belief that the broad gauge candidate will be nominated on the first ballot. "We have a majority

of 100 now, and I think it will be increased," he said.

Samuel Dickie, of the single issue faction, is equally sanguine that free silver will be defeated. But, whichever way it may result, Mr. Dickie is of the belief that the outcome will be a split in the party.

At a meeting of the central committee of the national Prohibition party last night A. A. Stevens, a narrow gauge man, was selected to act as temporary chairman of the national convention. E. J. Wheeler, of New York, was the candidate of the opposition, but when a vote had been cast and it had been shown that the gold standard element had been successful the silver men withdrew. They claim, however, that this is not a test of their strength in the convention.

Edison's Latest Discovery.
NEW YORK, May 27.—Thomas A. Edison has, according to The Electrical Review, succeeded in developing a new kind of electric lamp or vacuum tube, by means of which the X rays are turned into pure, white light. The new lamp is used in place of the Crookes tube, with the ordinary X rays apparatus. Mr. Edison believes that there are great possibilities in his discovery, and is now enthusiastically at work perfecting his apparatus in commercial form. He expects that before long he will so develop it that it may be used with high economy on an ordinary incandescent circuit.

Many Contests at St. Louis.
AGUSTA, Mo., May 27.—Hon. J. H. Manly, secretary of the Republican national committee, has sent to Chairman Carter a letter notifying him of 67 contests, involving the rights of 196 delegates to seats in the St. Louis convention. They are as follows: Alabama, 20 delegates; California, 4; Delaware, 6; Florida, 8; Georgia, 10; Kentucky, 2; Louisiana, 12; Mississippi, 18; New York, 13; North Carolina, 2; Pennsylvania, 2; South Carolina, 15; Tennessee, 4; Texas, 50; Virginia, 1; Arizona, 6. There may be other contests yet filed.

The Knights Templar Parade.
SCRANTON, Pa., May 27.—The forty-third annual convalescence of the grand commandery of Knights Templar of Pennsylvania opened yesterday with a parade which was witnessed by one of the largest crowds in the town's history. Thirty-nine commanderies, 1,297 Sir Knights, and thirty-three bands of music were in line. The parade was led by R. E. Sir Warren Laue Thomas, grand master of the United States, who arrived unexpectedly late Monday night, having come direct from his home in Mayville, Ky.

Mrs. Fleming's Trial Began.
NEW YORK, May 27.—More than two weeks having been spent in securing a jury, the trial of Mary Alice Livingston, or Fleming, charged with causing the death of her mother, Mrs. Bliss, by poisoning, was gotten fairly under way yesterday. The case for the prosecution was set forth in an address to the jury by Assistant District Attorney Miller, and then the hearing of evidence was begun.

Thirty-six Mine Mules Burned to Death.
SCRANTON, Pa., May 27.—Fire burned the mule barn at the Greenwood breaker, together with thirty-six of the mules stabled therein. The breaker was saved with much difficulty. The loss is \$15,000.

El Captain March, Sousa's latest composition, at Brumma's jewelry and music goods store.

YESTERDAY'S BASE BALL GAMES.

National League.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 3; Chicago, 4. At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 4; Louisville, 3. At Baltimore—Baltimore, 13; St. Louis, 3. At New York—New York, 5; Cleveland, 4. At Washington—Cincinnati, 15; Washington, 5. Boston—Pittsburg game prevented by wet grounds.

Eastern League.
At Rochester—Rochester, 20; Scranton, 5. At Buffalo—Springfield, 6; Buffalo, 5. At Syracuse—Wilkesbarre, 5; Syracuse, 3. At Toronto—Providence, 16; Toronto, 4.

Atlantic League.
At Hartford (10 innings)—Hartford, 5; Newark, 4. At Paterson—Paterson, 3; New Haven, 1. At Wilmington—Wilmington, 7; Metropollitan, 5.

Pennsylvania State League.
At Lancaster—Lancaster, 14; Pottsville, 6. At Easton—Hazleton, 3; Easton, 1. At York—Aberdele, 12; York, 4. At Shamokin—Carbondale, 7; Shamokin, 2.

At the Arcade Cafe.
This cafe which was formerly known as Broen's Balto Cafe, has changed its name and will henceforth be known as the Arcade cafe.

Nice vegetable soup will be served as free lunch to all patrons to-night.
Nice free lunch served every morning.
Meals served at all hours.

Wiping Out Fire Traces.
The fronts of the Czynowski, Evans and Rykiewicz buildings on East Centre streets are being re-painted by E. D. R. Hagelbach and George L. Boyer to wipe out the scorch marks made by the fire of last June.

Bickert's Cafe.
Our free lunch to-morrow morning will consist of rice filled beef with dressing.

School Board Meeting.
A meeting of the School Board will be held this evening to wind up general business preparatory to the re-organization next Monday evening.

If you have carpet tags and wish them made into a good carpet send them to Fricke's carpet store, Carpet dealers of all kinds.

The Cells Finished.
The steel cells in the lockup have been completed and the keys will be turned over to the police and constables this evening.

Columbia's New Beer.
Have you tried it? It is out of sight. Nothing as fine was ever put on the market here before. Brewed and bottled especially for home family use.

Another Wedding Fracas.
John Litzko was put under \$500 bond by Justice Green at Wm. Penn for assaulting Joe Kousarick at a wedding in Wm. Penn on Monday night.

MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

The Local Demonstration Will be a Very Creditable One.

SCHOOL CHILDREN WILL PARADE

About One Hundred and Twenty-Five Will Ride in Wagons in the Line of Parade and Sing National Anthems. Generous Donations.

The uncertainties concerning the observance of Memorial Day are now dispelled and the celebration will be equal to any previous event on Decoration Day ever held in the town. Many believe that it will surpass any demonstration seen in the town on that day for the past ten years.

The educational part of the celebration will be a feature. Fully one hundred and twenty-five public school children will take part in it. They will ride in large wagons in the line of parade and sing national anthems both enroute to and in the cemeteries. Many of the wagons have been hired by Watkin Waters Post No. 146, G. A. R., and several have been tendered for use free of charge. Among those who have made generous offers are the Shenandoah Lumber & Feed Company, Columbia Brewing Company, James Shields and William Snyder. They have offered wagons and horses free of charge and the offers have been accepted. It is quite likely that the expense incurred in hiring vehicles will be defrayed by the fund the teachers of the public schools have raised by personal subscriptions. The donations of flowers will be large from many sources.

There will be no occasion for the people of town to seek pasture for the day elsewhere. In addition to the Memorial demonstration there will be a number of other attractions, among them an ice cream festival at Robbins' opera house under the auspices of the 22 Club, and the second annual picnic of the Keystone Club at Columbia Park. The latter will be an attraction of some proportion. Among the notable events arranged is a grand buck and wing dancing contest.

A Delicate Operation.
Policeman Thomas Lee, accompanied by Dr. J. Langton, will go to Philadelphia tomorrow to have an operation performed upon his nose. Some years ago the organ was broken and since that time Mr. Lee has experienced considerable trouble in breathing. In the operation the nose will be again broken and so fastened with silver pins that it will be straight after healing and the channel now closed will be kept open.

Restored to His Parents.
The Polish boy reported in last night's HERALD as having strayed from his home and being in charge of New, the Centre street butcher, was claimed by the weeping mother about half an hour after the paper was issued. The boy left his home on South Pearl early in the morning and the mother was almost distracted by grief when her attention was called by friends to the notice in the paper.

The Gymnasium Picnic.
The annual picnic of the Keystone Gymnasium will take place at Columbia park on Decoration Day. An excellent program of athletic sports has been arranged for the event, and the buck and wing dancing contest is drawing widespread attention, as communications are pouring in from all over the region. Several communications have been received from noted dancers in Hazleton, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. Another feature of the day is the dancing program, with the famous Schoppe orchestra to furnish the music.

A Spirited Election.
The Phoenix Fire Company held a very lively meeting last evening. Over 100 members were present. The large attendance was due to a spirited contest between P. J. Reynolds and James F. Bradley for the office of assistant fire marshal. Reynolds was elected, having received 57 votes, Bradley got 37.

Camp 112, Notice.
All members of W. Camp No. 112, P. O. S. of A., are respectfully notified that the camp will participate in the Memorial Day ceremonies, on Saturday next, and all members are urged to be in line of parade. Will meet at 9:00 a. m., parade to move at 9:30 a. m. Carriages will be provided for disabled members.
W. H. KERSACK, Pres.
Attest: J. S. WILLIAMS, secy.

Mine Inspectors' Report.
The monthly report of William Stein, mine inspector of sixth Anthracite district, shows that 39 accidents occurred, which were both of a trifling and a serious nature. A new order has been issued by the mine inspectors that all accidents, disregarding the nature, must be reported to them.

He is Not Dead.
It was reported that Thomas McDonald, who was stabbed by Lewis, alias Jim Brown, at Mt. Carmel on the evening of May 16th, had died last night, but a telephone message from Mt. Carmel denied the report. McDonald still lives, but his death is hourly expected.

Died at Elmira.
About a week ago Thomas Bevan and Thomas Hughes, two Mahanoy City young men, left that place for Elmira to embark in the bakery business. Shortly after their arrival Bevan was taken ill with appendicitis, and on Sunday he died. The deceased was 29 years old and son of Thomas W. Bevan. The remains were brought to Mahanoy City to-day for interment.

Will Combine for Parade.
The Phoenix Fire Company and Knights of Annunciation will parade jointly on Decoration Day and appear in civilian dress with white gloves and fanes. The Lithuanian band has been engaged.

Admitted to Jail.
Joseph Bodski, who shot William Gladkowski Monday night, was admitted to \$1,500 bail last night by Justice T. T. Williams. Gladkowski was taken to the Miners' hospital last night.

P. & B. Collieries.
The Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron collieries will suspend operations this evening, and will not resume operations until June 1st.

GOODS THAT GO.

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Ice cream freezers, best make.
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Special Silk Belts, worth 25c, price 15c.
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GET ONE OF OUR 25c BROOMS AND A 15c BUCKET FOR 25c.

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HARRISON-STINE NUPTIALS.
Married in the Jewish Synagogue Last Evening.

A fashionable event in Jewish society circles was the marriage of Miss Dora Stine, of New York, to Charles Harrison, of town, at the Khelebi-Israel synagogue last evening. Rabbi H. Mitnick performed the ceremony, before an audience which packed the church to the doors, immediately after the ceremony the newly married couple and the many guests repaired to the home of Simon Greenberg, on West Oak street, where a wedding repast was served. Dancing was also indulged in by many of those present. The bride and groom were the recipients of many beautiful presents of elegant designs. The groom is a cousin of Mrs. Isadore Lautenshin, of town, and the bride has a large circle of friends here.

OUR WELL KNOWN
\$1.25 shirts with two collars, one pair of cuffs and shirt bosom has been reduced to 75 cents. Come and buy them while they last. At MAX LEVITS', 15 East Centre street.

A Sweeping Challenge.
EDITOR HERALD: The undersigned will run either of the following sprinters 100 yards as follows: Will take 7 yards from Salmon, 5 yards from Rodgers, 5 yards from Donoghue, 3 yards from Griffiths, 3 yards from Munday, or 10 yards from Fahy. Either can make a match with me by calling at my barber shop on East Centre street.
GROVER GARVEY,
Shenandoah, Pa.

You can save enough on two pair of shoes to buy the third by buying at factory prices at the Factory Shoe Store, J. A. Moyer, Manager. 5-20-11

Testimonial Banquet.
The public school teachers will give a testimonial banquet to Superintendent M. P. Whitaker at the Ferguson House on Thursday evening.

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