

W. R. HEARST NAMED BY DEMOCRATS AT BUFFALO

Nominated For Governor of New York on First Ballot

BITTER FIGHT IN CONVENTION

Hearst Had 309 Ballots to 124 For Sulzer—Lewis S. Chandler For Lieutenant-Governor—Contests Decided For Hearst.

Buffalo, N. Y., After a protracted and at times exciting a convention in the democracy of this State, William Randolph Hearst was nominated for Governor at 2 o'clock this morning. It was a surprising assemblage, totally unlike the usual convention of Democrats.

Although Hearst's majority was overwhelming, the bitterness with which he was opposed to the last developed a situation more tense than has ever been witnessed in any convention in the political history of this State.

The final overthrow of his opponents came in the evening when the delegation from Manhattan and the Bronx went into caucus, and by a vote of sixty-three to thirty-six determined to support Mr. Hearst and apply unit rule, thus giving him the entire 195 delegates.

The nomination was made on the first ballot. Hearst had 309 votes, William Sulzer 124 and John H. Dix seventeen.

The voting for Governor began at 1:45 a. m. Albany County led off with nine votes for Hearst.

Forty-nine cast ninety-six votes for Hearst and nine for Sulzer. Kings cast sixty-three votes for Sulzer.

When Onondaga County had been reached on the roll call Hearst had already received 225 votes, or three more than necessary for a nomination.

The announcement of the Hearst vote was received with a great cheer, which was quickly hushed, however, to hear the vote on the other candidates.

At 1:58 a. m. Chairman Nixon declared William Randolph Hearst officially the candidate of the Democratic party for Governor.

Lewis Stuyvesant Chandler, of Cortland, was nominated for Lieutenant-Governor.

John S. Whelan, of Monroe, was chosen unanimously for Secretary of State.

Martin H. Glynn, of Albany, was unanimously chosen for State Controller.

William Schuyler Jackson, of Buffalo, was unanimously chosen for Attorney-General by the platform.

For State Treasurer Julius Hansen, of Suffolk, was unanimously chosen.

Frederick W. Skene, of Queens, was unanimously chosen for State Engineer and Surveyor, completing the nominations.

Chairman Lewis Nixon called the convention to order at 7:55 p. m. The hall was packed, every available foot of seating or standing space being occupied. All sorts of subjects were presented to the audience to get a seat on the platform.

Lewis Nixon was temporary and permanent chairman. Senator T. P. Grady was the chairman of the Committee on Contested Seats. Bourke Cockran drew up the platform.

The platform was unanimously adopted.

The convention did not meet for business until about 8:20 o'clock p. m., and its early hours were taken up with a debate on throwing out of the roll Hearst's delegations.

On the question of admitting the minority report for that the majority a roll call was demanded by Standfield. This vote was regarded as a test of the Hearst strength. Kings County cast sixty-nine votes for the substitution of the minority report. This showed Senator McCarron opposed to Hearst. Murphy cast ninety-three votes "No," and the motion was lost by a vote of 244 to 142. This forestalled the nomination of Hearst, and there was a storm of cheers.

SOUTH CAROLINA MATTERS

Occurrences of Interest From All Over South Carolina

MANY ITEMS OF STATE NEWS

A Batch of Live Paragraphs Covering a Wide Range—What is Going On in Our State.

General Cotton Market.

Galveston steady, 10.00; 10.10; New Orleans steady, 9.10; Savannah steady, 9.10; Charleston steady, 9.10; Wilmington steady, 9.10; Norfolk steady, 9.10; Baltimore nominal, 9.10; New York quiet, 9.20; Boston quiet, 9.20; Philadelphia steady, 9.00; Houston steady, 9.20; Augusta firm, 9.20; Memphis steady, 9.10; St. Louis steady, 9.10; Louisville firm, 9.10.

Charlotte Cotton Market.

These prices represent the prices quoted to wharves:

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| Good middling | 9.25 |
| Strict middling | 9.15 |
| Middling | 9.05 |
| Good middling, foreign | 8.75 |
| Strict middling, foreign | 8.45 |
| Stamper | 7.12 to 8.12 |

Baltimore Produce Market.

Oct. 1. Flour, steady.

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| Wheat, Eastern, spot | 60.00 |
| Wheat, Southern by sample | 60 to 60.50 |
| Corn, firm, spot | 54 1/4 to 55 |
| Southern white corn | 54 1/2 to 55 |
| Oats, White, No. 2 mixed | 36 1/2 to 37 |
| 37 Rye | Firm; No. 2 Western, 60 to 70. |

Butter, steady and unchanged; fine imitation, 20 to 24; do. creamery, 25 to 28; do. lard, 18 to 20; tallow packed, 16 1/2 to 18.

Cheese, steady and unchanged; 1 1/2 to 1 3/4.

State Insurance is a Great Success.

Columbia, Special. Mr. David H. Means, chief of the sinking fund commission, reported at the last meeting that the fire insurance fund has now a surplus of approximately \$250,000.

The law has been in force five years and several small losses have been paid. Therefore it appears that the State of South Carolina has saved money by writing insurance on its own property as well as escaping any charge of graft or favoritism in giving out insurance as was once done. Under the existing law by which the State insures certain State properties, no risks are taken on any of the college properties in the State.

Mr. Means thinks that it would be a good idea to write about \$100,000 annually on each of the State institutions and this would increase the surplus very largely. In case of a fire the whole of the surplus would not be consumed any way. He thinks it would be a good idea for the legislature to pass an act permitting the sinking fund commission to place \$100,000 a year on each of the State colleges, this amount to be increased from time to time as the surplus on hand would permit. In a few years the surplus would reach \$100,000 and then the State would not have to require the payment of regular premiums from the properties now being insured, and an assessment plan could be used to meet all losses. Furthermore the rate of insurance under this law is very much lower than the rate given by insurance companies.

Extending Trolley Line.

Anderson, Special. Work on the extension of the trolley line to the Gluck Cotton Mill began last week. The line will be extended two miles beyond its present terminus at the Old Mills. It will serve as a great convenience to the mill people, and will open for development some fine property along the route.

Death of Cadet Reeves.

Clemson College, Special. At the highest held over the body of Joe E. Reeves by the coroner of Orange county the jury returned the following verdict: "From the evidence we have it is our opinion that the death of J. E. Reeves was caused by injuries received in falling from his window on the night of the 21st of September, 1903, between the hours of 10:30 p. m. Sept. 21 and 5:45 a. m. Sept. 22."

White Not Wanted in Aiken.

Aiken, Special. Rev. W. J. White, the negro preacher and editor, who was warned to leave Aiken, came to Aiken. It was said that White would endeavor to publish his journal here and that he was in conference with negro leaders with that end in view. The mayor issued instructions that White be brought in court and stated that he would order him to leave town at once.

Female Colleges Open.

Columbia, Special.—Both of the female colleges will be opened Thursday morning for the winter. At the College for Women the chapel exercises will be opened at 10 o'clock and Rev. S. M. Smith will make an address to the students. Rev. S. H. Zimmerman, field agent for Columbia College, said that the college had more students than ever before and that the college would be hard pushed to accommodate them. There are 100 students in the building.

Her Own Carelessness.

St. Matthews, Special. Saturday afternoon about dark as the train from Columbia was running into the station a half-witted colored woman named Martha Palmer endeavored to cross the track immediately in front of the engine and was killed. Coroner Rickenbacker held an inquest and the jury returned a verdict to the effect that death was caused by carelessness of deceased.

Mississippi Coast's Damage.

New Orleans, Special. Six persons were drowned in Mississippi Sound by the hurricane, eight large sailing vessels and about thirty small vessels wrecked and Ship Island, Cat Island and Horn Island were submerged. The Federal quarantine station on Ship Island was badly damaged and about \$1,000,000 damage was done to property on the mainland.

Bondholders Get Backhorn Fall Property for \$250,000.

Pittsboro, N. C., Special.—The Backhorn Falls property was sold at public auction at the court house door by the receiver of the company and was bid in by Mr. McClumston, who was representing the bondholders, for \$250,000.

Five Moonshine Still.

Greenville, Special.—Five illicit distilleries were destroyed by a party of revenue officers while on a raid through the mountains in the extreme upper part of Greenville county last week. Recently there have been several brushes between officers and the desperate moonshiners and the raiding party went prepared to shoot, being heavily armed with rifles and pistols. There was no shooting, however, and the moonshiners evaded the officers. No arrests were made.

SOUTH CAROLINA CROP REPORT

Condition of South Carolina Crops For Week Ending Monday, October 1st, as Given Out by the Department.

There was very little sunshine during the week as the prevailing wind was from the east and the clouds in the eastern and central portions and it was generally cloudy in the western portion of the State.

The average temperature for the week was above normal, but it was slightly below normal on two days in the middle of the week during which time the maximum temperature ranged from 80 to 90 degrees during the week.

The minimum temperatures were under normal throughout the week and raised in the States, except over the extreme northern portion where on two or three days they ranged in the fifties. The State average in temperature was from a minimum of 55 degrees at Greenville on the 27th.

The weather was unsettled and threatened rain during the entire week and showers were of frequent occurrence during the last four days. The showers were generally light in the eastern half of the State and they were moderately heavy in the western half especially in the Savannah valley and in the mountain region, with a maximum amount of 3.30 inches at Greenville. Over a large portion of the State in widely separated areas, the weekly amounts of precipitation ranged from half an inch to about an inch, but at most stations the amounts ranged from an inch to over two inches and the average for the entire State was nearly twice the normal amount. The prevailing winds were easterly, varying from northeast to south.

NOTE: This is the last weekly weather bulletin for the season of 1903. J. W. Baker, Section Director.

Greenwood Farmers Cannot Get Labor.

Greenwood, Special. The city officials have in the last few days been getting in behind the vagrants somewhat. Labor conditions in town are pretty bad and out in the country they are reported as almost intolerable. Six negroes were up before the mayor three weeks ago and given sentences which they will work out on the city changing. The other three were evaded. From the country reports come in that it is almost impossible to get any hands for picking cotton at all. Farmers living near town have been sending in wagon loads in the morning and carrying out a load of children and half-grown girls to their cotton fields and bringing them back at night. This is a poor sort of way to get cotton picked when the fields are perfectly white but it is the best they can do. Farther away from town the farmers cannot resort to this method of securing help and their cotton has to remain in the field until it can be reached by the short help they have.

President of Harbison.

Rock Hill, Special. Rev. C. M. Young, who has been serving as pastor of Harbison Presbyterian church (colored) of this city for the past twelve years and has also been engaged in teaching during that time, has been chosen president of Harbison college in Abbeville, and will leave in a few weeks to take up his new duties. Rev. Young, during his residence here, has done much for the betterment and uplifting of his race and has always conducted himself in a manner that won for him the respect of the white people of this city. Rev. Young is a native of Abbeville county.

Two Dillon Citizens in Deadly Combat.

Dillon, Special. John L. Bain was shot and instantly killed at Dillon cotton mills by Kelley Quick, one of the bosses of the mill. The shooting came out of some words between Bain's wife and Quick. Both men armed themselves and prepared for the trouble that ended in the death of Bain.

Spartan Inn Sold to a North Carolinian.

Spartanburg, Special. John D. Humphreys, lessee of the well-known hotel, the Spartan Inn, has sold his lease to J. L. Alexander, of Wayne county, N. C., and is preparing to leave for his home in North Carolina on Friday. A business with eight men on it, which was being called and was set on the morning of Sept. 25. The Winfield lost all her boats and her cabins were flooded during the hurricane. She was starting back to search for the bridge.

GOVERNMENT STORM LOSSES

Army Posts Along the Gulf Almost Wiped Out

EMERGENCY REPAIRS ORDERED

Only 8 Inch Battery and Tank is Left of Fort McRee, Forts Pickens and Barrancas Suffer Severely. Fort Morgan is Damaged \$190,000. With Six Civilians Killed and One Enlisted Man Injured—Santa Rosa Life Saving Station Destroyed With Loss of Five or More Lives—Pensacola Navy Yard Wrecked.

Washington, Special. Enormous damage to both life and property was done at several of the army forts and naval stations along the eastern Gulf coast by the recent hurricane.

Major General James F. Wade, commanding the Atlantic division, reported to the War Department that six civilians were killed at Fort Morgan, Ala., and one enlisted man is missing. The damage to the post is estimated at \$100,000. Gulf Quartermaster Hodgson, at Atlanta, reported to Quartermaster General Humphreys the same facts, adding that the fort (Fort Morgan, Ala.) was completely inundated.

Authority was telegraphed to Captain Thomas B. Dwyer, commandant at Fort Morgan, to make such repairs as are necessary in the present emergency. In addition to this action, Quartermaster General Humphreys has ordered that post L. H. Dusen, civil engineer attached to the quartermaster's department, and Zedley W. Chapman, civil engineer and superintendent of construction at Fort Hamilton, to direct the work of repair.

Captain Lawrence S. Miller, commandant of Fort Barrancas, Fla., reported that three enlisted men are missing from that post; that Fort McRee was almost totally destroyed, and that Fort Pickens suffered severely.

Concerning the damage at Forts Barrancas and McRee, Quartermaster Hodgson, at Atlanta, sent the following telegram to Quartermaster General Humphreys:

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 29. Quartermaster General, Washington. Following telegram received from Quartermaster of Fort Barrancas: "With approval of commanding officer, request authority to purchase material and hire labor in open market for temporary repairs to wharves and buildings at this post and Fort Pickens, approximately \$10,000. Detailed estimate to follow. For McRee entirely gone except 8 inch battery and tank."

"HODGSON, Chief Quartermaster." The authority requested in the telegram was given by the quartermaster general.

Work of Train Wreckers.

Columbia, S. C., Special.—Southern Railway's North-bound Florida train, No. 30, was derailed at 6:30 Thursday morning as it was clearing a bridge between Barton and Allendale, this State, and though the engine rolled down the embankment and two coaches were overturned no passengers were injured and the engineer escaped with a few bruises and burns. Colored fireman Andrew Kemp, who had been in the service seven years, coming here from Edgfield, had both legs broken and died before the physician could reach him.

The railroad people say that the accident was clearly the work of train wreckers, and the local magistrate, James M. Patterson, seems to be similarly impressed. The railroad people say that a number of spikes were thrown and three angle bars removed from the north end of the trestle.

Barge Lost With Eight Men.

Key West, Fla., Special. Captain H. W. Barstow, of the steamer Dea, who was at Key West, reports passing the steamer Winfield, 100 miles east of Dea, Tuesday at 10:30 p. m. A barge with eight men on it, which was being called and was set on the morning of Sept. 25. The Winfield lost all her boats and her cabins were flooded during the hurricane. She was starting back to search for the bridge.

RIGHT HOME

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Wishing you success, I am, Yours very truly, H. B. GREEN, GAYLORD.

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