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"We demand a graduated income and inheritance tax, to the end that aggregated wealth shall bear its just proportion of taxation.

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tion offices and demand the simple and honest execution of the law and the full service pension to all of its honorably discharged veterans."

The long financial plank of the platform, including the denunciation of the recent banking law and especially the demand for the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, was received with wild cheering. The demands for an inheritance tax also received a round of applause.

Vigorous cheering was also accorded the reading of the plank on transportation, the demand for the abolishment of all tariffs on "trust" goods and the endorsement of the initiative and referendum.

Cries of "Good! Good!" greeted the denunciation of the administration's Philippine policy and the demand for the repeal of the Tamm-Ryan tariff.

"That portion of the platform extending sympathy to the South African republics, and denouncing any alliance with foreign powers, was read the convention broke into wild applause, lasting for some time. Endorsement of the municipal ownership of public utilities received but faint applause, but vigorous hand-clapping ensued when direct election of United States senators was demanded.

At the conclusion of the reading of the platform Jerry Simpson moved that the platform be adopted as read and the committee discharged. The motion received half a dozen seconds.

A delegate from Michigan objected, as the platform carried no pledge of support to the candidate to be nominated. "There is no objection to that effect, I guess," said Mr. Simpson. "The committee would like to be discharged."

The motion was made. A standing vote was called for and amid great cheering every delegate in the tent arose, not a vote being recorded.

"The platform is adopted by unanimous vote," announced George F. Washburn of Massachusetts. They were given with a will and the convention then quieted down.

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been behind in the espousal of reform measures and that the state would again be found in the column in 1899 as a supporter of Mr. Bryan. He had, he said, found Mr. Bryan equal to all emergencies and was confident he would be elected.

Mr. Olds of Pennsylvania, now 86 years old, "who voted for Henry Clay in 1840, and is now for William J. Bryan," was next introduced. Mr. Olds, bent and white-bearded, said that he had walked a thousand miles to vote for Henry Clay in 1840. "I came a thousand miles to vote for William J. Bryan in this convention," said Mr. Olds, "and I hope you will not allow me to be defeated as I was in 1840." Cries of "We won't" greeted Mr. Olds as he sat down.

Mr. Jones of Illinois assured the convention that his state would give Mr. Bryan a majority in November.

Senator Allen of Nebraska stepped forward. "Mr. Chairman," said he, amid perfect silence. "I move that the rules of this convention be suspended and that William Jennings Bryan be nominated by acclamation for president of the United States."

And the din that followed Senator Allen's motion and its seconding, the speaker's voice was faintly heard calling on those delegates who favored the motion to rise and remain standing.

As one man, the convention arose. Hats, canes, umbrellas, flags were waved in the air amid deafening cheers, the uproar being increased by the band playing "Old Hundred." Some enthusiastic delegates tore loose a large picture of Mr. Bryan, hanging in front of the speaker's desk, and hoisted it to the table, where, cheering for Bryan, he held it while the convention applauded frantically.

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"Then, without pausing or calling for any roll of states, he went on: "I have the pleasure of introducing Senator Allen of Nebraska as a candidate for the office of vice president of the United States."

"This could mean but one man, and that was Bryan, and before Senator Allen could come to the front of the platform the convention was on its feet, cheering frantically, and waving flags, hats and handkerchiefs.

## Nearly One-half

Of our business now comes to us through the personal recommendations of people who have used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

The following letter from Mr. Cadwallader, dealer in groceries, boots and shoes, general merchandise and grain, in West Lebanon, Ind., will be read with interest by his many friends and acquaintances, and is given below verbatim:

WEST LEBANON, IND., December 18, 1899.  
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plan of submitting a list of five men for vice president. He yielded the floor to General Weaver, who took the convention that it was willing to be an ally of the Democratic party, but wished to do all the debating to those allies instead of working in concert with them.

Edward S. Groce of Michigan was then recognized. But just here an incident occurred that threw the convention into an uproar, and which, for a few moments, threatened to result in a free fight. "Be seated," Mr. Groce spoke, said the chairman, "the chair wishes to announce that this is a party of letters here for the South Dakota delegation. It was found on a chair and was probably lost by some member of the delegation."

Former Congressman John F. Kelly of South Dakota, who had been clamoring for recognition all day, at once advanced and, with his voice shaking with anger, said: "The South Dakota delegation is glad to receive this recognition from the chair, for it is the only recognition it has received from you. You are a miserable bunce-steerer." Mr. Kelly shouted. "You came into this convention with professions of good faith. You are not fit to preside over a Populist convention, and you never will again."

"In an instant there was an uproar and cries of 'Get him out' were heard. "I rise to a point of order," shouted Mr. Kelly. "I stand on my rights, and you can't bump me out of them." Then, turning toward the wildly shouting delegates, he yelled: "I defy you. I defy you to put me out." Pale with passion he again turned toward Chairman Patterson and, pointing his finger at him, cried: "You are trying to gratify a petty spite by obstructing today's conference."

"Amid cries of 'Shut up' and 'Shame on you,' Mr. Kelly returned to his delegation, every member of which was standing on his feet. During all the uproar Chairman Patterson, fished and apparently nervous, kept pointing with his hand to a waiter endeavoring to restore order. Finally the excited delegates quieted somewhat for a moment.

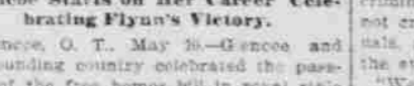
"The chair desires to make an explanation," said Chairman Patterson. "I have honestly endeavored to let the convention hear from both sides in succession."

"It was the purpose of the chairman, as soon as the gentleman concluded, to recognize the gentleman from South Dakota," continued Chairman Patterson, pale with anger. "Because the gentleman who has just finished spoke on the opposite side of the question, Mr. Groce was recognized. Therefore I resent the imputation."

"The uproar at this moment became so great that the chairman could not be heard, renewed cries of 'Get him out' coming from the delegates. As he could be heard Chairman Patterson continued: "After Mr. Groce concludes I will recognize him, not because he is Mr. Kelly, but because he represents our host, the state of South Dakota. The gentleman is trying to intimidate the chair. Let me assure him the chair will not be intimidated."

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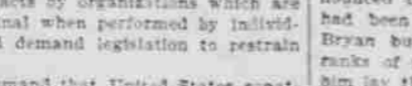


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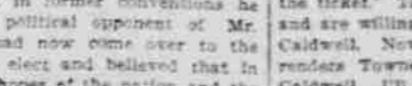


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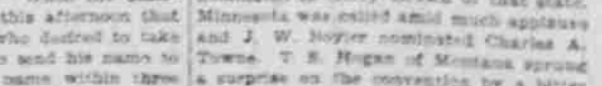


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