

MORSE IS THEIR MAN

No Other Mentioned as Their Candidate for Governor.

Attorney General Ellis Gets There Quite Easily by Acclamation.

Governor—ALLEN R. MORSE of Iowa... Lieutenant Governor—JAMES P. EDWARDS of Houghton...

"Three knocks" slowly and deliberately... Detroit, chairman of the state central committee... called the Democratic state convention to order in Hartman's hall...

After prayer by Rev. Christian Vandenberg... Governor Winslow as ex-Mayor Weston of this city was introduced as temporary chairman and Phillip McKinnon of Marquette as temporary secretary...

When names for attorney general were called for the first district a number of hands were raised... the name of the able and efficient present incumbent, Adolphus A. Mackay...

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He spoke in behalf of the man whom he named for vice president... It was generally expected that Mr. Uhl would make one of the nominees...

On behalf of the First district Wm. G. Burton... on motion of Thomas F. Carroll of Kent the nomination was made by a rising vote of the assembled chieftains...

Chief Justice Morse was brought in by the popular chairman... the nomination was not to his liking... Mr. Uhl was named by acclamation...

For secretary of state T. M. Crocker... Mr. Crocker's name was called and he was elected... Mr. Uhl was named by acclamation...

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Resolutions were also adopted endorsing Governor Winslow's... improvement of roads, denouncing the present contract system of employing...

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A Fight Between the Miners and Militia.

The Excitement in Tennessee Becoming More and More Intense.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 17.—It is reported here that after a desperate fight between the troops and the miners at Oliver Springs the former retreated and are now bringing the 300 convicts from Oliver Springs to this place...

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THE RECORD LOWERED

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A Wonderful Heat Trotted by the Little Mare at Chicago.

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SEEING THE SIGHTS.

The President and Anders Pass His First Visit to Paris.

Among the more or less distinguished persons now visiting Paris is the President of the United States, Woodrow Wilson.

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The Largest Flower Known. In Mindanao, the farthest southeastern island in the Philippine group, upon one of the high mountains...

Why People Lose Weight in Summer. Do most people the summer season is a time of excessiveness instead of quietness...

Prevalence of Insomnia. In the opinion of many eminent members of the British medical faculty the torment of insomnia is far more prevalent than is generally supposed.

Walker Township Census. The People's party caucus of the township of Walker will be held at the White school house, District No. 1, 8 and 9 o'clock, Saturday evening, August 20.

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A Link to His Past. Saturday afternoon, when vehicles were being cleared from Madison street, an old gentleman in a yellow varnished straw hat with a wide curving brim and a black leather valise...

The Yachting Penny Bank. "Take care of the pennies and the pounds will take care of themselves" is an old maxim of great truth.

The People's Party Caucus. A county convention of the People's party of the county of Grand Haven will be held at the corner of South Division and Grand streets, on Thursday, Aug. 23, at 2:30 p. m.

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Thursday, August 18, 1909. Ellis Not a Democrat. The following is taken from the convention report of the Herald yesterday:

After Governor Wiakas had withdrawn and the nomination of Judge Morse was decided, the people immediately turned their attention to the contest between Messrs. McGarry and McGarry.

It is the eighth congressional district of the people of Michigan. Youmans was nominated by a vote of 32 to 20.

Mr. Ellis is a People's party man and has never been a thorough Democrat. He is entirely consistent in his present position.

There is no doubt that in the foregoing conversation Mr. Horsford understood himself and correctly represented Mr. Ellis, all other reports to the contrary.

Two masters. There is no such thing as serving two masters in politics. The people of all parties are the masters that all faithful officeholders serve.

Men of all parties united in doing the honorable to the members of the democratic state convention during their stay in this city, and the first class Grand Rapids has as a convention city was well satisfied.

No man was ever so shabbily treated by his party as has been Governor Winans. Malcontents and conspirators against the Democratic party forced his withdrawal.

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The Election Contest in Alabama.

A Review of the Situation and the Causes Which Led Up to It.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 16.—The recent election in this state has precipitated the greatest political crisis since the reconstruction period and is likely to revivify the politics of the state.

THE NEGRO VOTE

How It Has Been Used to Put the Boss in Power.

There are in round numbers in Alabama 300,000 whites—125,000 negroes and 105,000 whites. Of these 125,000 whites are probably 30,000 who vote the democratic ticket of choice or because of the influence of their employer.

Of the 105,000 whites there are not less than 40,000 republicans. The great mass of the negro population in Alabama forms a crooked arc across the state, from east to west, beginning down through Macon, Montgomery, Wilcox, Lowndes, Marengo, Perry, Hale, and up as high as Pickens.

Each county generally has its white and black section, the negroes generally living along the river and the whites occupying the hills. In many towns the negroes and whites are separated by a distance of forty or fifty white voters and in many cases three or four hundred negroes.

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