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## "WHAT'S THE LEAD, AP?"

Democratic presidential nominee Hillary Clinton appears on a large monitor to thank delegates during the second Democratic National Convention in Philadelphia, Tuesday, July 26, 2016. (AP Photo/J. Scott Applewhite)

### DAILY WASHINGTON NEWS

[From 'likable enough' to lovefest, Obama to hail Clinton](#)

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — It was long ago and far away when Barack Obama snippily remarked, "You're likable enough." It's a lovefest now. Hillary Clinton formally captured the Democratic nomination and declared the glass ceiling kept her from being the first woman president.

from the presidency cracked and nearly shattered. Her husband, ex-President Bill Clinton closed the historic night with an expansive and passionate testimonial, offering a deeply personal — though sanitized — account of their relationship. Clinton closed with a policy-driven ode to the "best darn change-maker I have ever met."

### [Obama returns to convention stage to make case for Clinton](#)

WASHINGTON (AP) — Twelve years ago to the day, an obscure Senate candidate from Illinois catapulted himself into American political consciousness with a rousing convention speech in Boston. Barack Obama returns to the convention stage Wednesday as the battle-hardened president hoping his legacy won't be eroded by the outcome of the election to be held Thursday.

### [Clinton campaign seeks to make most of Kaine's Spanish](#)

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — When Virginia Sen. Tim Kaine and Hillary Clinton made their debut as the Democratic presidential ticket, he proudly declared, "Hillary and I are soul mates in this struggle." It was a message he delivered to a crowd in Spanish. In the days after Kaine's selection as Clinton's running mate, much was made of his time working for Catholic missionaries in Latin America as a young law student.

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Demonstrators burn a flag during a protest in Philadelphia on Tuesday, July 26, 2016, during the second day of the Democratic National Convention. (AP Photo/John Manchillo)

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