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CONVENTION ADJOURNS AFTER SHORT SESSION; DEPEW LED REVIVAL TESTIMONIALS

JAMES OGLE, BIG MAN OF CLAREMONT BANDITS, CLAIMS THAT HE KILLED LOCAL MEN

493 VOTES WILL BE NECESSARY TO WIN NOMINATION

Credentials Committee Seats 984 Members Making But Three Changes in Rulings Made by National Committee

LOOK FOR AGREEMENT ON BIG POINTS TODAY

Irreconcilables Will Be Given Satisfaction For Allowing Lodge's Selection as Chairman; Deal May Be Upset.

(By United Press.)
CHICAGO, June 9.—The credentials committee of the republican national convention, completed at 5 o'clock this morning the work of making up the permanent roll of that body, after it had been in session 12 hours. After reviewing 138 contests, it made only three reversals of the national committee's findings.

493 for Choice.
These were in the fourth Georgia congressional district, the fifth Missouri, and the tenth Tennessee. The committee's action in overruling the national committee's action in the Missouri case again brought the convention back to its normal personnel of 984, with 493 necessary for choice.

Agreements Expected.
The real work of the convention is being done in the committee rooms and in quiet conferences. The resolutions committee, it is believed, will reach an agreement on the Mexican policy, the league of nations and labor planks before night. Samuel Gompers is here to fight for planks favorable to labor.

It is reported that treaty irreconcilables will be given "reasonable satisfaction" on the treaty plank in return for letting Lodge have the permanent chairmanship, and Watson, the resolutions committee without a fight. The Borah-Johnson group denied being in any deal and said they would upset any coalition planned to squelch them.

TRACTOR TANK ROBBED OF 50 GALLONS OF GAS

The fifty gallon tank on a tractor owned by G. M. Morrison, well known Adams farmer, and a four gallon reserve tank, were drained of every drop of gasoline last night. The tractor was standing beside the road near the Morrison ranch, and the theft was discovered this morning.

Evidence shows that an attempt was made to remove the tank from the tractor. Failing in this, the unknown thief evidently decided to siphon the gas, for the gasoline pump hose was cut into two or three pieces. There is no clue as to the identity of the marauder.

GASOLINE SHIP IS BURNED IN JAPAN

(By United Press.)
TOKIO, June 9.—Possibly 50 lives were lost and damage exceeding half a million was done when flames enveloped 21 lighters in Kobe harbor, loaded with over a million gallons of gasoline imported from Vladivostok by an American syndicate. The fire still raged late tonight and shipping was menaced.

Weather

Reported by Major Lee Moorhouse, weather observer.
Maximum, 74.
Minimum, 74.
Barometer, 29.55.



COSTS CHINAMAN \$25 TO COLLECT FIVE CENTS WITH A SIX SHOOTER

An attempt to collect 5c at the point of a gun this morning cost Hang, a young Chinese restaurant employee, a cool \$25 in police court. Hang followed a white customer out of the eating place this morning to the O. W. R. N. station and there asked him for the other 5 cents, with the point of his six shooter in the man's ribs.

MALAY MISSIONARY TO SPEAK HERE TONIGHT

Rev. Harrabell A. Marangosa, who is said to be the only native Malay missionary in the world will speak tonight at eight o'clock at the A. M. E. Church. He has labored among the principal nations and tribes of the earth and has an interesting history.

Born a savage, found in a hut on the East Coast of Africa by an English nobleman, a baby weighing sixteen pounds, the sole survivor of a family of fourteen, lying crying amid their dead and putrefying forms, he was brought to England as a curiosity, where he was educated and became a missionary with a record of travel and perils that has no parallel in the world's history.

He has traveled more than three times around the world on foot, was captured by the cannibals in Central Africa on one occasion, but was rescued by an African Trading Expedition. In Russia he was chained with back to the wall in a dungeon for two months and eleven days. In Turkey for refusing to accept Mohammed he was chained to a post in the hot sun four days without food or water. In Germany he was mobbed and burned at the stake, and yet he lives to tell the story of Christ. He speaks twenty-nine different dialects and is able to preach in nineteen different languages.

His vivid description of personal experiences are thrilling, inspiring, entertaining and instructive to young and old. He carries in his possession twenty-five thousand newspaper clippings and also nineteen hundred letters from the Royalty of Europe and officials of Cities and Ministers of the gospel received through his travels.

GENOVA, June 9.—A Rome dispatch says the Italian cabinet has resigned.

LEAGUE PLANK STILL BOTHERS COMMITTEE

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, June 9.—The league of nations plank is still undefined today, 24 hours before the republican platform is to be presented to the national convention.

Members of the sub-committee of 12 when they went into session to smooth out the remaining platform troubles, expressed confidence they could agree, but all were somewhat hazy as how it is to be done.

While the 13 were deliberating, the remainder of the resolutions committee of 53 were receiving in open hearing the advice of labor leaders and others on a wide diversity of subjects. Demands that the republican party take an "unequivocal" stand for the enforcement of the 14th amendment and against the continuation of the "reign of lynch law" were made by a delegation headed by William H. Lewis, a negro and former assistant United States attorney general.

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 9.—President Wilson today made the following recess appointments: Members of the interstate commerce commission, Henry James Ford of New Jersey, Mark Potter of New York, James Dunne of Massachusetts; members of the United States tariff commission, Markston T. Bogart of New York, Samuel McCall of Massachusetts; Nicholas Kelly of New York.

CITY WILL HELP TEACHERS WITH ACCOMMODATIONS

Committee Named by Commercial Association Will Have Living Places Listed and Entertainment Steps Taken.

JOHN DAY GRADE IS SOURCE OF CRITICISM

Reports From Recent Junket Trips Show Better Understanding and Better Feeling Results From Trips.

Committees to work for the success of the summer normal school to meet with the county court to arrange for badly needed repairs to the John Day grade and to assist in furthering the campaign of the State Chamber of Commerce were appointed by the Commercial Association last night at one of the busiest meetings in months. A good number attended.

The Commercial Association can do three things to further the success of the normal school session here this summer, H. E. Inlow, city superintendent elect, told that body. It can advertise the session, help find accommodations for those attending and work to make their stay here a pleasant one.

After consideration of the angles of the situation, with a view to making the summer session a success and a permanent institution in Pendleton, President J. R. Bailey appointed his committee. Lyman G. Rice was named chairman and his associates will be James H. Bates, E. B. Aldrich, L. C. Scharp and H. D. Sayre.

Junket Trips Successful.
A widespread good feeling and a better understanding between Pendleton and neighboring small towns has resulted from two junketing trips recently taken, members of the association reported. The Boardman trip on May 31 was a big success and already a closer bond is apparent between the project town and Pendleton. The Pendletonians also were much in evidence at Weston and contributed largely to the success of the picnic.

As a further step towards cementing the good will of the smaller towns, the association voted last night to forego any celebration of the Fourth of July here and to urge local citizens to do so.

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BLAME PREVIOUSLY PLACED ON SMITH BY BOTH BANDITS

(By Associated Press.)
SALEM, Ore., June 9.—(Special to the East Oregonian.)—James Ogle, who with Walter Bannister and David Smith is serving a life sentence in the state penitentiary for the murder of J. N. Burgess and George E. Peringer in the Claremont Tavern, at Portland, last November, today confessed that he fired the shots which killed the two men. The blame for the shooting had been placed on Smith by witnesses and Ogle also accused Smith.

"He simply had the thing on his mind for a long time," said Warden L. H. Compton, "and voluntarily came through with the truth."

Mr. Burgess and Mr. Peringer were in Portland attending the International live stock exposition, and were with friends at the Claremont tavern when the place was held up by three masked robbers.

Several days ago David Smith, who had been blamed for the shooting, went to Warden Compton and said that Ogle wanted to "come clean." Compton does not believe that Bannister had threatened Ogle but credits Ogle with a volunteer decision to confess.

The confession of Ogle and a statement by Bannister were made in the presence of Warden Compton, James Lewis, deputy warden and Eugene Haller, chief keeper and the convict Smith. Ogle seems to be in an error as to which of the men was Peringer and which was Burgess. He spoke of shooting Peringer several times. Burgess was the man who was repeatedly shot while Peringer was shot only once.

Marshall Blakes Smith.

When told of the confession made by Ogle, E. P. Marshall, who was with Messrs. Burgess and Peringer when they were shot, expressed the firm belief that the "middle sized man," David Smith, did the shooting, and that Ogle, the big man of the three, was out in the dining room keeping the crowd covered at the time the tragedy occurred.

"The man who came into the room did all the shooting and killed both men," said Mr. Marshall. "The other man may have rushed down to the door but he did not kill anyone. I am confident that after a while all three men will claim they did the shooting so as to confuse people as to who did it."

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13 KILLED IN EXPRESS WRECK ON N.Y. CENTRAL

Fast Train Crashed Into Rear of Passenger Train Near Schenectady, While Going at 50 Miles an Hour.

ENGINEER FAILED TO SEE SIGNALS FOR HIM

Two Sleepers Telescoped and Many Injured in Disastrous Accident Early This Morning, One Train Was Stalled.

(By United Press.)
SCHENECTADY, N. Y., June 9.—Thirteen were killed and many injured early this morning when the New York Central Express crashed into the rear of a passenger train near here. The express was making 50 miles an hour when it struck the passenger, which was stalled at the crossing. The two rear sleepers were telescoped. The dead include Martin Doyle, the engineer. All aboard the Pullman cars were asleep when the express train came through. The engineer of the express train failed to see the signals against him, according to the belief of railroad officials.

WOMEN TO HAVE PLACE ON EXECUTIVE BOARD

(By United Press.)
CHICAGO, June 9.—The adoption of the report of the rules committee by the republican national convention changed several old rules, including the enlargement of the executive committee of the republican national committee from ten to 15 members to permit the representation of women on the committee. The new rules, it is announced, provide that no delegate talk longer than five minutes or more than once on any one subject. Another change makes unfinished business the last order of business. It opens the way for action on the platform after nominations in case the resolutions committee gets into a protracted deadlock.

Any woman is able to stand all the prosperity her husband can bring home.

FISHING ROD FOUND IN GERMAN DUG OUT DEALS DIRE INJURY TO CHILD

(By Associated Press.)
SYDNEY, N. S., June 9.—Melville Brennan, 13, was brought to a hospital here today badly injured as a result of trying to use a fishing rod which his friend, Charles McKinnon of the Nova Scotia Highlanders found in a German dugout in France. The rod was filled with high explosive and detonated when the boy tried to put it together, according to the police.

MR. MILLER WANTS SOME MONEY BEFORE JUNE 15

PORTLAND, Ore., June 9.—Collector of Internal Revenue, Milton A. Miller, has mailed out to all special taxpayers forms upon which return for payment of tax must be made. These special taxpayers include proprietors of theatres, for hire automobiles, pleasure boats, pool and billiard tables, bowling alleys, shooting galleries, retail dealers in oleomargarine, brokers, pawn brokers, etc.

Other classes of taxpayers affected are druggists, physicians, dentists, and other practitioners, who must complete their re-registration under the Harrison act not later than July 1, after which date they will be delinquent.

On or before June 15th the second installment of income tax will be due and payable and notices for this tax were sent out some weeks ago. Persons who fail to pay the quarterly installment due on June 15th, will be required within ten days after notice and demand, to pay the entire outstanding balance on their income tax, plus failure to pay one installment when due makes due and payable all the remaining installments which would ordinarily be due on September 15th and December 15th.

LICENSE APPLICATIONS SENT TO ALL AUTOISTS

Every registered owner of a motor vehicle in the state, all garages and the district attorney will be supplied with application blanks for individual operators' licenses, according to a letter received this morning by District Attorney R. L. Keator from Secretary of State Sam Kröner. Owners will each be sent three blanks.

The operators' licenses will be required on and after July 1, of every person operating a motor car within the state. Persons operating cars as individuals must be 18 years and over, and otherwise competent to operate a car. Persons who now hold chauffeurs' licenses, will also be required to have the other permits, the minimum age for chauffeurs being 18 years.

Persons who desire application blanks and do not own a registered car, may get blanks from the garages or district attorney shortly. A fee of 25 cents must accompany the application to the secretary of state and the license issued must be carried at all times when a person is operating a motor vehicle.

LINEMEN DON'T INSIST UPON A CLOSED SHOP

Increase in wages and improvement in conditions form the goal of the striking linemen of the Pacific Power and Light Company, according to a statement made today by a linemen representative, who says that the strikers would waive the closed shop demand if other requirements were met.

"We receive \$6 a day and ask that it be increased to \$7.20," said the representative. "This would be proportionate to what other linemen in the Northwest receive." The main improvement asked in conditions is that more than one man be sent out on high line trouble. At present a man is sent alone on high line trouble, on the 66,000 volt lines, which is a dangerous practice.

The representative said that of the 25 linemen and operators of the district who have been on strike since May 28, the union lost one apprentice linemen and in his place gained a lead dispatcher. The district comprises Pendleton, Tappanish, Pomeroy, Dayton, Hood River, The Dalles, Astoria, Kennewick, Pasco, Yakima and Walla Walla.

According to a statement made today by the local linemen, they are ready to meet Louis McArthur, manager of the system at any time, for arbitration.

It is more blessed to receive than to ask in vain.

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS TO REPORT THURSDAY

Apathy of First Session Was Routed When at Conclusion Routine Business Delegates Warmed up and Cheered.

WOMAN SPEAKER FIRST EVER AT CONVENTION

Chauncey Depew Said Lincoln Never Had to go Abroad in Order to Take Care of International Relations.

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, June 9.—After adopting unanimously the reports of three of its principal committees and quickly concluding all other routine business, the second day's session of the republican convention was turned into a G. O. P. revival and testimonial meeting. The convention began its session at 11:20. The delegates and visitors who packed the Coliseum to the roof sweltered in sticky heat for 67 minutes until 12:17 when an adjournment was announced until tomorrow at 11, at which time the delegates expect to hear the all-important report of the resolutions committee. The reports of committees on permanent organization, credentials and rules went through smoothly. When it was realized there was no further business, the great meeting broke loose and lost the apathy which marked the first session.

Depew Tells Story.
There was a yell for Chauncey M. Depew, who started the "revival meeting" with a characteristic speech in which he told humorous stories and denounced and ridiculed the democratic administration. The restraint which had held delegates and spectators in check melted away as he spoke. Depew was the ward of the occasion. He brought back the old spirit and when he finished the delegates were on their feet and the Coliseum was echoing with the din of their applause. Lodge, through the adoption of the report of the committee on permanent organization, was elected permanent chairman.

Lincoln's Way.
Everyone in Lincoln's cabinet was a statesman of national or international repute, said Depew. "Yet not one of them had a mind that ran on the track of the president. But Mr. Lin."

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BIG DRIVE STARTED BY WOOD SUPPORTERS

(By United Press.)
CHICAGO, June 9.—A terrific drive to make Wood the republican presidential nominee, was launched here. The Wood forces started simultaneous offensives from several angles. Their strategy was directed by Frank H. Hitchcock. The sudden collapse of opposition to Senator Watson for chairman of the resolutions committee yesterday, the almost simultaneous selection of Lodge as permanent chairman of the convention indicated something was going on. Reports of a "deal" on both the permanent chairmanship are flying today. They are to the effect that Hitchcock has stepped up to take the reins of the "run-bomb" convention and had made arrangements for putting Lodge and Watson in the two most important places in the convention.

Ball Player Loses.
CINCINNATI, June 9.—A verdict for the defendant was rendered by the jury in the suit of Lee Magee, baseball player, against the Chicago Nationals for \$3500 which he claimed is due for salary and possible bonuses of the 1920 season.

More Japs Massacred.
(By United Press.)
TAKIO, June 9.—(Delayed.)—Nikolasek is in flames following the massacre of 120 Japanese civilians, according to confirmed dispatches.

Resolute Defeats Vanitie.
(By Associated Press.)
NEWPORT June 9.—The Resolute defeated the Vanitie again today, in the official trout fry for America's cup defense honor.

