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TAFT FORCES BUSY WITH STEAM ROLLER

Formally Seating Their Contesting Delegations

PROGRESS PARTY IN AUGUST

Latest Plan of Roosevelt Leaders—Re call of Judges Rejected by Platform Committee—Bryan Fights Judge Parker

Today's Session in Nutschell.

Second attempt of the Roosevelt men to "purge" the convention of 72 Taft delegates fails.

Convention hall rented conditionally for another week.

Preparations made for the organization of a new party in August.

Framing of platform with denunciation of two progressive principles.

Bryan begins active fight against the selection of Alton B. Parker for temporary chairman of the Democratic National convention.

(Special to the Evening Review).

CHICAGO, June 21.—Taft's irresistible steam roller again swept triumphantly over the Roosevelt opposition in the Republican National convention this afternoon. A motion by Governor Hadley of Missouri, looking toward the "purging" of the convention of 72 Taft delegates, was nipped by a vote of 605 to 464, with time not voting. The Oregon delegation of ten split even on the question.

It now appears that the Roosevelt men will adhere to the program outlined yesterday to take no active part in the further proceedings of the convention, but will sit as silent spectators in preference to bolting. Meanwhile the plans for the organization of a new National political party are being worked out by Roosevelt's managers. This movement is expected to crystallize into the nomination of Roosevelt for President under a non-partisan, progressive banner, with perhaps a Democrat for a running mate. Woodrow Wilson and W. J. Bryan are being talked of as probable nominees for Vice President under such an arrangement, although it is uncertain whether either would accept.

Bryan begins war on Parker. Bryan, who is attending the Republican National convention in the role of a newspaper reporter, is already beginning to have political troubles of his own. The selection of Alton B. Parker as temporary chair-

man of the Democratic National convention, which meets in Baltimore next week, has aroused his fighting spirit. In the midst of his reporting duties he has begun a campaign against Parker and he has sent out telegrams to such party leaders as Woodrow Wilson, Champ Clark, Mayor W. H. Gaynor of New York, and Governors Foss and Baldwin, asking their aid in his effort to oust the former Presidential candidate from the temporary chairmanship.

Wanted—A Candidate.

That there is no immediate prospect of the Republican convention getting down to business of nominating candidates for President and Vice President was indicated by the action today of Colonel Harry S. New in obtaining an option on the coliseum till a week from tomorrow. This is also taken to mean that the Taft men are in no hurry to nominate the President, and rumors of a "dark horse" are beginning to fill the air.

In defeating the effort to seat enough Roosevelt delegates to give him the regular nomination, the Taft machine has accomplished its first important purpose. It is now confronted by the greater task of selecting a candidate that could lead the party to victory at the National election. The impossibility of electing Taft, especially if Roosevelt runs independently, is becoming more strongly recognized day by day by the far-sighted leaders of his supporters, and they are beginning to look about for a suitable substitute.

Judiciary Revolt Swatted.

The platform to be adopted by the convention—or rather by the Taft machine—will not embrace the chief principles of the progressives. From the meeting of the sub-committee today there came the information that a temporary plank that was inserted denouncing the recall of the judiciary and the referendum of court decisions, both of which methods have found an active champion in Roosevelt. The minority report of the rules committee which was being prepared late this afternoon recommended a large reduction in the allotment of delegates from the "solid South." This is sure to cause a spirited fight when it reached the convention.

Machine Stands Pat.

An all-night battle before the credentials committee to oust the 72 Taft delegates who had been seated in the contest before the National committee availed the Roosevelt men nothing. The machine stood pat. The majority hesitated to make a report to the convention, however, owing to the certain demands of the minority, and it was only after Chairman Root ordered the presentation of the report that it was submitted. Every Taft delegate to whom the Roosevelt men had objected on the second day of the convention was credited by the report with a seat in the convention. Then came the report of the minority, submitted by Medill McCormick, a Roosevelt delegate of Chicago. It objected to the representation on the credentials committee of certain members from states where contests were filed, also to the participation in the deliberations by members of the National committee who had originally passed on the temporary rule. Governor Hadley moved to substitute the minority report for the majority report. Ex-Congressman Watson of Indiana moved to lay Hadley's motion on the table and the matter finally carried. Hadley then moved to prohibit the contested delegates from voting on the majority report or voting on any question before the

convention until their rights to seats had been passed on, but this was defeated, 569 to 499.

The convention then began taking up the question of seating the contested delegates state by state and in each instance they were seated by the unwavering vote of the Taft faction.

ROOSEVELT GAINS SLIGHTLY ON ROLL CALL

Root addressed the convention and Watson followed, arguing for the majority report. Governor Johnson, of California, spoke for the minority report. Johnson concluded with a tribute to Roosevelt. The Roosevelt adherents yelled, "We want Teddy," the demonstration lasting for half a minute. The roll was called on Watson's motion to table the minority report. Roosevelt made gains on this ballot. Oregon voted solid ten votes not to lay the report on the table.

Idaho—Yea 8, nays 4. Two not voting; Montana—Yea 8, nays 9. Total years 542, nays 529.

CHIEF POINTS PROPOSED IN THE TAFT MEN'S PLATFORM.

Affirms belief in the Constitution. Opposes changing or overturning present American form of government. Declares against progressive and constructive statesmanship. Declares against child labor. Declares for adequate workmen's compensation legislation. Pledges a comprehensive conservation program. Opposes any check on the courts by recall. Declares unequivocally against the recall of judicial decisions or the settlement of any question of law by popular vote. Approves general arbitration treaties and any move that will tend toward world peace. Endorses Sherman anti-trust law and declares for supplementary legislation that will strengthen it at many points. Approves the enactment of legislation which will show just which are and which are not legal combinations in business. Condemns the Democrats for passing tariff revision bills without adequate knowledge of their effect and pledges the party to a scientific reduction of the tariff along lines to be determined by the tariff board so that the "rights of free American labor shall be adequately safeguarded."

Convention Notes.

Prisoners of war literally are the bandmen in the coliseum, perched 100 feet above the crowds in a swinging balcony up near the roof. They play until the convention convenes and then sit idle until the adjournment.

Kernell Roosevelt is an assistant sergeant at arms at the convention. Besides wearing a badge, he is required to do any assisting. In fact that is the role in which Kernell assigned himself so crowded with constructive sergeants that the police ordered half of them out. The former President's son finally got a seat on the floor.

Patrick Heileran, of Edison, Wash., "elected" Senator Root as temporary chairman, his being the 54th vote cast for the New Yorker—the last vote Root needed to clinch the job. Senator Root made his keynote speech to the accompaniment of whistling brooms wielded by janitors in the galleries. The white wings began cleaning out immediately after the public left, disregarding the august efforts of the distinguished New Yorker.

Noisemaking apparatus among delegates is conspicuous by its absence at this convention. A few of the delegates got by with megaphones but there wasn't a horn or whistle to be heard anywhere.

Dry smokes are the resource of Governor Johnson, "Boss" Flinn and others at the convention. Flinn uses the same cigar during an entire session.

The record of Republican National conventions and candidates held since the close of the Civil War is as follows:

Chicago, May 20, 1868—Ulysses S. Grant of Illinois, and Schuyler Colfax of Indiana.

Philadelphia, June 5, 1872—Ulysses S. Grant of Illinois, and Henry Wilson of Massachusetts.

Cincinnati, June 14, 1876—Rutherford B. Hayes of Ohio, and William A. Wheeler of New York.

Chicago, June 2, 1880—James A. Garfield of Ohio, and Chester A. Arthur of New York.

Chicago, June 8, 1884—James G. Blaine of Maine, and John A. Logan of Illinois.

Chicago, June 19, 1888—Benjamin Harrison of Indiana, and Levi P. Morton of New York.

Minneapolis, June 7, 1892—Benjamin Harrison of Indiana, and Whiteley Reid of New York.

St. Louis, June 7, 1896—William McKinley of Ohio, and Garret A. Hobart of New Jersey.

Philadelphia, June 19, 1900—William McKinley of Ohio, and Theodore Roosevelt of New York.

Chicago, June 21, 1904—Theodore Roosevelt of New York, and Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana.

Chicago, June 16, 1908—William H. Taft of Ohio, and Jaa. S. Sherman of New York.

The convention of this week is the seventh that the Republican party has held in Chicago. Of the Republican candidates nominated in that city, Lincoln and Garfield were assassinated. Blaine died a disappointed, if not a heartbroken man. Arthur, who succeeded Garfield, lived to realize the full meaning of political ingratitude. Harrison, although renominated at Minneapolis, was defeated. The defeat of Grant in the

WANTED—A MAN.

The above three words tersely represent the existing situation at the Republican National convention in Chicago Thursday and today. After the big 40 minutes demonstration for Hadley and Roosevelt on Wednesday afternoon the roll call which came a little later showed conclusively that the Taft forces could not be stamped, the delegations standing solid, almost to a man. This practically ended the hope of the Roosevelt men for gaining control of the convention or seating the contested delegations in his behalf. It was also found that to bolt would be hopeless as many of the Roosevelt supporters would not leave the regular convention.

On Thursday it was equally plain that the Taft men could force through his nomination if they so desired, but they faced the alternative of almost certain defeat in November if they did so. Here is doubtless the reason why no sessions were held Thursday and none of any consequence today. A diligent search, and Rosa, is being made for a candidate who can sufficiently unite the factions to give a reasonable degree of hope for success in November. A new man is wanted, like James A. Garfield in 1880, during the great fight of the Grant and Blaine factions. Who is he? Is the question of the hour. While a multitude of rumors are flying in all directions, this question is the real problem before the great forces which will finally determine the nomination. It is true that Taft may yet be nominated. In the face of almost certain defeat in November. Today's indications, however, are that it is more likely to be someone not yet prominently mentioned nor radically aligned with either of the struggling factions.

While the great by-plays are going on—and these may last for several days—the real problem remains. Wanted—a man! What will be the answer?

convention which met in Chicago in 1880 was the occasion of a bitter feud in the Republican party, and incidentally led to the defeat of the party four years later. Mr. Roosevelt was nominated in Chicago in 1904, and Mr. Taft in 1908. These two, of the seven standard bearers named by the Republican party in Chicago conventions, are the only ones living.

ROOSEVELT HAS STRONG PROGRESSIVE FOLLOWING.

CHICAGO, June 20.—Colonel Roosevelt today decided to take the bit in his teeth and repudiate the present Republican convention without further delay.

In a carefully prepared statement, which he read to his personal advisers and announced would be printed and handed to all his delegates today, the Colonel announced his willingness to lead an independent fight for the principles of the progressive movement, and called upon such of his friends as placed these principles above party loyalty to join with him in the fight.

The following persons were assembled in Roosevelt's apartments today when he announced his purpose to lead an independent fight with a new party for progressive principles: Governor Hiram W. Johnson of California, George L. Record of New Jersey, James R. Garfield of Ohio, Senator Joseph M. Dixon of Montana.

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Roosevelt promised to make the fight to the finish, regardless of consequences and regardless of the number of his followers. He thanked his friends in the Republican organization and the party who have fought with him up to the present time, and released them from any obligation other than their own desire to join him in the fight for principle.

CONGRESS VOTES TO IMPEACH JUDGE HANFORD.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—By a unanimous vote the House committee voted to impeach Federal Judge Hanford of Seattle. The House will probably adopt the report of the judiciary committee, which has already drafted the specifications for articles of impeachment.

HARVARD DEFEATS YALE.

NEW LONDON, Conn., June 21.—Harvard won the freshman eight-oared two mile race from Yale today. Harvard also won the varsity four-oared race by two lengths.

ODD FELLOWS, ATTENTION.

All members of Rising Star Lodge No. 171 are requested to be present this evening for the purpose of conferring degrees.

By order of the Noble Grand,

C. H. TERCINSKI.

LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Belle Nowland left this afternoon on her return to Gardiner to resume school teaching.

Charles Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schwartz, is a patient at Mercy Hospital, having suffered a slight stroke similar to paralysis.

Miss Veva Carr, the stenographer, until recently employed by the Luse Land Company at Seaside, has accepted a position with the Douglas County Abstract Co. in this city.

Mrs. Katherine Neate left for Red Bluff, Cal., this morning to visit with her sister. Enroute she will visit with friends at Ashland and Dunsmuir. She expects to be gone about a month.

The firm of Walker & Ritter, real estate and insurance, is this day dissolved. D. S. H. Walker, retiring, George Ritter continues the business at the same location, 211-12 Perkins building.

W. R. Godfrey, Tennille, A. Larson, Looking Glass, W. H. Wigan, Bridge, H. J. Russell, Wilbur, F. H. Albro, Clarence Albro, Glendale; H. D. Tidale, B. F. Mathes, Rock Creek, were among the Roseburg visitors today.

At the school election at Bend, Or., Thursday, J. M. Lawrence, former land office official of Roseburg, was a candidate for clerk and tied with his opponent, Ralph Poindexter. They will probably draw lots to see who will fill the position for the next 12 months.

A Roseburg business establishment changed owners this afternoon. F. Long selling his fruit and confectionery stand opposite the Hotel McCallen, to R. E. and H. R. George, of Garden Valley. The new owners will do business under the firm title of George Bros.

Rev. and Mrs. J. N. McConnell and son, Charles, left this afternoon for Turner to attend the annual camp-meeting of the Christian Church of Oregon, which will be held next week. Mrs. A. P. Lovell and Miss Hulda Edlund, members of the local church, follow tomorrow.

Gordon Gage and Custer Lawrence, young men of Dillard, plead guilty in Justice Masters' court this afternoon to the charge of disturbing the peace and paid fines of \$25 each. They were accused by M. L. Norris with using indecent language in the presence of women and children.

A serious accident was very narrowly averted as the southbound local train came into the Roseburg station Thursday evening. Roy Pilkington attempted to alight at the Oak street crossing before the train stopped and missed his footing. He clung to the rod at the car entrance and W. L. Walsh, a traveling man who was on the car steps, seeing his predicament, seized him by the collar and saved him from being dragged under the car wheels. Fortunately no one was hurt, but it was a very narrow escape.

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COUNTY CONVENTION OF W. C. T. U. IN SESSION.

The Douglas County W. C. T. U. opened their 17th annual convention at the Baptist Church in Roseburg at 10 a. m. Friday. Devotional exercises were followed with music by members of the convention. Fifteen delegates to the convention were elected and committees for the many branches of the work were appointed.

An address of welcome was given by Mrs. Ida Marsters, the county president. This included a history of the temperance work in this county. There are now eleven local unions in the county, which shows that the temperance work by the noble mothers and sisters is going on.

Reports from the local unions were read by the county corresponding secretary. Five towns were represented, showing 178 active members, of whom 89 members are in the city of Roseburg.

It was found that the carlaw law has been a great benefit to the communities where it has been enforced. Through the efforts of the W. C. T. U. scientific temperance is taught in the public schools, showing the pupils the bad results of alcohol on the human system.

Reports of the local and county superintendents were read, showing that many articles of clothing and food had been supplied to the needy, flowers sent to the sick, comfort bags made for soldiers and sailors, and many thousand pages of literature distributed.

Report of the county treasurer was read and on motion all the reports were adopted.

The election of officers for the county resulted:

President, Mrs. Ida Marsters, Roseburg;

Vice-President, Mrs. L. E. Edwards, Drain;

Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Della Jewett, Roseburg;

Treasurer, Mrs. Helen G. Riddle, Roseburg;

Recording Secretary, Mrs. Zadie Bishop, Yoncalla.

Reports of the Y. P. B. were read, showing that good work is being done among the young people.

Nontide prayer was followed by adjournment for lunch. S. X.

OREGON G. A. R. MEETS IN NEWBERG NEXT YEAR.

SALEM, Or., June 20.—The state encampment of the G. A. R. today voted to hold the next annual encampment at Newberg. T. B. McDevitt, of Lincoln-Garfield Post No. 3, Portland, was elected department commander.

Figures reported this afternoon show that the membership of state organization on January 1, this year, was 1942, against 1970 on December 31, 1910.

Mrs. Hattie Reeves, of Woodburn, and Jennie C. Pritchard, of Portland, were elected department presidents of the Ladies of the G. A. R. and Women's Relief Corps, respectively.

IDAHO COUNTY STAYS WET BY INCREASED MAJORITY.

BOISE, Idaho, June 20.—Ada County yesterday voted to retain the licensed saloon by a majority of 1790. The fight waged in this city and the country precincts was one of the most bitter in the history of the state. Boise rolled up a majority for the "wet" issue that the "dry" country precincts could not overcome. Returns tonight give the licensed saloon a larger majority by 1000 than they received two years ago, when an attempt was made to place this county under the local option law.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Enger left this afternoon for Portland, where they will make a brief visit.

ACCIDENT IS FATAL

Frank Kent, of Elkton, Killed in a Runaway

ENROUTE HOME FROM DRAIN

Slippery Road on Hancock Hill Makes Wagon Uncontrollable—Driver Thrown Under Wheels

(Special to the Evening Review).

DRAIN, Or., June 21.—Frank L. Kent, whose farm lies four miles south of Elkton, on the Umpqua River, met a tragic death at about 6 o'clock yesterday evening while on his way home from here, where he had come the previous day with a load of wool. He was nearing the foot of the Hancock mountain, on the Elkton side, when the horses started to run and on account of the slippery condition of the road he was unable to hold them. He was thrown from the wagon seat and was caught under one of the wheels and was dragged for some distance, the wheel finally passing diagonally across the left breast and killing him almost instantly. The team ran a short distance further, and being unable to make the turn at the bridge, at the foot of the mountain, they were precipitated into the small creek, but suffered little damage. He had just passed a road-workers' camp and one of the men witnessed the accident, finding Mr. Kent dead when he reached the place where he lay. The remains were brought to Drain during the night, where his family resides.

Mr. Kent had resided nearly all his life in this part of Douglas County; was an upright citizen and honorable in all his dealings with his fellow men. He leaves a widow and three daughters, two of whom are nearly grown, the other about three years old, and three brothers, three sisters and a half brother and a half sister. These are: John and Albert E. Kent, of Elkton; W. W. Kent, Mrs. Ira Winbury and Mrs. Anna Drain, of Drain; Mrs. J. M. Isham, of Grants Pass; Mrs. Dr. Wm. Kaykendall, of Eugene, and A. E. Aysom, of Redding, Cal. He was in his 45th year. Mr. Kent was a member of the Masonic and Woodmen of the World lodges. Funeral services will be held from the home at Drain, Saturday, and burial will follow in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

CRAWFORD RULING GIVES DOUGLAS COUNTY A WINERY.

SALEM, Or., June 20.—It is lawful for a person to manufacture wine in a dry county providing he does not sell his product in dry territory, so says an opinion from the Attorney-General's office.

Robert C. Pliske, of Portland, is the man who raises the question. He wants to establish a winery in Douglas County, which is dry under the provisions of the local option law.

Portland Oregonian: Gus Perot, of Yoncalla, a professional shot, has just returned from a trip to Alaska and with him is bringing as a trophy of his hunt a bear pelt measuring ten feet nine inches.

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