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G. O. P. CONVENTION NOW IN FULL SWING

National Chairman Hayes
Called Order at 11:34—
Bishop Offers Prayer

LODGE MADE CHAIRMAN

Understood That Temporary Organ-
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nent—Adjournment Taken
Tomorrow Forenoon.

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, June 8.—The republican national convention was actually called to order at 11:34 this morning when Chairman Will Hayes called the assembly to order. The convention opened with a prayer by Bishop Charles E. Woodworth of Louisville, followed by the reading of the opening prayer by a long one, and then the reading of the platform. The convention then adjourned until tomorrow forenoon.

CHICAGO COLISEUM

For three hours before the doors were opened at the big coliseum this forenoon, thousands of intensely interested people were waiting in front of the building hoping to get a look at the unbossed republican national convention. Only a fraction of the great mass of humanity applying for seats could be admitted, however, despite the coliseum's seating capacity of over 10,000. The political activities of a pre-convention nature moved out of the districts and into the coliseum today at noon. It was the first opportunity afforded managers of candidates to meet the delegates all together, and instead of buttonholing the delegates singly and in groups they went after them in delegations. Today's proceedings in the convention hall had little to do with the actual nominations, being merely routine but indispensable preliminaries to the sessions which will follow.

COLISEUM

CHICAGO, June 8.—Forty minutes before the convention was due to open, the band struck up and delegations began to move into positions. The hall filled rapidly, with many notable politicians arriving. There was a marked ab-

WILL H. HAYS



To Will H. Hays, as chairman of the Republican national committee, falls the duty of calling to order the Republican national convention.

Some of any confusion, and old convention habits remarked that the thing was almost as tame as four years ago.

Organization Effected.

CHICAGO, June 8.—Although the convention met about an hour later than had been anticipated, all preliminaries were disposed of in a short half hour, and the 822 delegates stepped down to hear the keynote speech of Senator Lodge, who spoke from a manuscript. The temporary organization of the convention was quickly perfected by acclamation, and there was a general understanding that an agreement would be made to accept the temporary organization as permanent, and thus making the matter in the hands of the delegates, who will preside during the several days of the convention.

Delegates or visitors were very polite in the reading of the call for the convention, and embraced the opportunity for conferences with colleagues or friends and the steady hum of conversation prevailed during the entire time of the reading. Chairman Hayes checked so hard for order that he jarred the glass of water on the secretary's

table off, and it fell to the floor, and he then stepped to the front of the platform to speak, saying: "The republican party has met in this free, open convention to accept from the people a mandate for the government of the United States. As chairman of your national committee I report progress. There will be no bolt in this convention."

Roars of cheers greeted this statement. Hayes then introduced Senator Lodge as temporary chairman, a swelling chorus of voices affirming the selection. Another wave of deafening cheers greeted the senator as he stepped onto the platform. It was just a minute before noon when Sen. Lodge began speaking and his address was punctuated with cheers and applause, and especially was this a fact when he referred to the party of 1860 and declared that it must again come to the front for a like service to the country. Prolonged cheers and roars of approval again burst forth until the very foundations of the building appeared to vibrate with the demonstration when Lodge declared everyone connected with the "dynasty of Wood-

SENATOR LODGE KEYNOTE ADDRESS

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Perishing to Retire.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Unless a situation arises that will justify his remaining in the army, General Pershing will retire from active service within a few months. In a letter to Secretary Baker yesterday the general asked for retirement.

Ebert Government Resigns.

BERLIN, June 8.—The cabinet today tendered its resignation to President Ebert. The government advisers were however requested to remain in office provisionally.

Dempsey on Trial.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—The trial of Wm. Harrison (Jack) Dempsey, heavyweight pugilist champion of the world, on direct charges of evading the draft, began in the United States court here today. The jury was completed two hours after the case was called.

DWELLING BURNED.

J. M. Pratt, who recently purchased the Thos. Hastings place on North Myrtle, lost his house and the contents by fire Sunday afternoon. The fire originated from a defective stove flue and was beyond control when discovered. Mr. Pratt threw some of his belongings out of the burning building, but they were later destroyed by taking fire from the burning house. No insurance was carried. The loss will total several hundred dollars.—Myrtle Creek Mail.

John W. Waggoner, who was over from Drain today, says the work of rebuilding the Pacific highway there is being rushed from daylight to dark. The big trucks hauling the surfacing material are on the go about 16 hours a day at present. As a result the highway will be in fine condition before another winter.

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COUNCIL TALKS OF IMPROVEMENTS

Spur Track for Cannery is Requested by A Rupert Co. to Aid New Building

SIDEWALKS ORDERED

On Complaint of Marshal Council Orders John Hunter to Build a Concrete Sidewalk East of Pine Street Warehouse.

Improvements to the Sidewalks.

The buildings and streets of the city, received a great deal of attention at last night's council meeting. On account of the absence of Mayor Hamilton, W. S. Powell, chairman of the council, presided.

One of the first matters considered was a petition presented by the A. Rupert company, requesting a franchise granting permission for a railroad spur across Washington street. In order to reach the cannery which will be built it will be necessary to put in a spur track and the company asks permission to cross the street with this track. It was stated that an application has been made to the public service commission and City Recorder Whipple stated that he had received notice from the commission of the filing of such a request.

City Engineer Summers stated that the railroad company engineer had called on him and had requested the city not to give up the right of way but to give the company 42 feet instead of 39 from the center of the right of way. It was stated that the company desires to put in two additional tracks and that more room will be needed. The contract for the paving of the street has already been granted, and the council was undecided regarding the action to be taken. It was the consensus of opinion that everything possible to aid the cannery company should be done and any reasonable request will be carefully considered. The street committee was instructed to make an investigation and report at the next meeting in order that proper action might be taken.

Considerable discussion followed regarding the condition at the Hunter warehouse occupying the corner at Pine, Sheridan and Oak streets. Along the east side of this structure there is no sidewalk, the warehouse having old loading platforms extending out to the curb line. Marshal Shambrook has made frequent complaints regarding these platforms, claiming them to be in violation of the sidewalk ordinance and also stating that they are an eyesore. He requested the council to force Mr. Hunter to build walks on both the east and west sides of the building.

Practically all of the members of the council opposed the forcing of walks along the west side, where there is a spur railroad track from which cars are unloaded directly into the buildings, but on the east side it was held that the walks should be constructed and after considerable discussion a resolution was passed instructing the marshal to notify Mr. Hunter to build the walks at once and in the event of his failure after proper notice to proceed to have the walks constructed and assess the cost as a lien against the property.

Another improvement discussed was the matter of requesting the railroad company to make repairs at the various crossings. It was shown that all of the crossings are very rough and that some action should be taken to make repairs. The city engineer advised proceeding with the work and assessing the cost to the company but the council voted to first request the company to make this improvement and then in the event of failure to proceed to smooth up the crossings at the city's expense and then tax the company for the cost.

It was also voted to grant the petition of George Chandler, Charles Erickson, E. Summers and D. J. Stewart for the paving of the alley from Douglas to Court street directly east of the courthouse property. The alley is to be paved with concrete. The wooden sidewalks east of the courthouse on Douglas street were ordered torn out and concrete walks put in.

While discussing sidewalks Councilman Creason brought up the condition at the north end of the Deer creek bridge. On account of the bridge being narrower than the street the sidewalks are not built on the same line as is followed in other places. On this account the city has been endeavoring to reach an agreement with the property owners to construct these walks. So far these attempts have failed and the city recorder was instructed to again take up the matter with the proper persons and endeavor to reach an agreement whereby the walks can be built at once.

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Dillard Resident Passes Away

Mrs. Mary Ann Parker, aged 64 years, passed away at her home at Dillard late last night after an illness of some weeks. Mrs. Parker had resided in that section of the country for the past 19 years, and had a host of friends who are sincerely grieved at her death. She had been prominent in affairs there, and was well known in this county. She is survived by her husband, and two children, a son and daughter, Mrs. Effie Stubbfield. The exact date of the funeral service has not yet been announced, but will probably be held tomorrow. It will take place at the Civil Bend cemetery, near Dillard.

Marten Martens Dies at Home

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Firemen to Get More Apparatus

A request for additional fire fighting apparatus was granted by the city council last night with only one exception. The fire commissioners reported that the council should purchase a 16-foot scaling ladder, a 40-foot extension ladder, a life net, a Siamese coupling, a revolving cellar nozzle and another fire axe. These articles were all deemed of importance and the approximate cost was said to be \$350. The council, however, could see no necessity for a life net at this time and as it would cost in the neighborhood of \$150, it was voted to eliminate this item. The other articles were ordered purchased.

Flag Day Will be Observed Sunday

The B. P. O. Elks will celebrate Flag Day next Sunday at a roving meeting in the lodge rooms preceded by a street parade led by the Roseburg band. All Elks are requested to wear their white festival hats and to appear promptly at the rooms at about 1 o'clock in order to take part in the street demonstration. Following the parade a fine program will be given in the lodge rooms, Rev. Conder being the speaker of the day. Songs, music and everything with a tendency towards undulterated patriotism will be given and this annual event promises to be one of the most interesting in years. The parade will be started about 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon and the assembly will be called to order at 2 o'clock. This will be a fine time for a real patriotic gathering and everyone is invited to attend.

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