

# GOP Chiefs Start Draft Of Platform

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(By the Associated Press)  
Republican leaders at Chicago started work today on drafting a platform designed to help the campaign to put their candidate in the White House—a candidate the party chairman says will be named by next Wednesday.  
That is the third day of the party's national convention which starts Monday; Chairman Harrison E. Spangler settled on it in a prediction there will be no balloting deadlock.  
From the various campaign headquarters of presidential possibilities, meanwhile, there continued to flow expressions of praise for their men.  
Roy D. Moore, for Governor John W. Bricker of Ohio, said "the responsible leaders of the Dewey forces are, as convention time nears, retreating from" what Moore called fantastic claims.  
J. Russel Sprague, for Dewey, commented "we are confident of the results."  
Victor Johnson, for Lt. Comdr. Harold E. Stassen, said the former Minnesota governor "is the only one who talks" the language of voters under 40 in and out of the service.  
**Rebels Spurn Coalition**  
Also in Chicago, the anti-fourth term organization American democratic national committee voted to call a convention of all organizations opposed to the renomination of President Roosevelt.  
It voted down a once-approved recommendation that the republicans nominate a coalition ticket such as Bricker and Harry F. Byrd, Virginia democratic senator.  
Governor Dewey disclosed at Albany today he had been in telephone contact with New York republican leaders at Chicago but remained silent on their statements he would accept the republican presidential nomination if drafted.  
Other political developments:  
Supporters in congress of Rep. Everett Dirksen of Illinois announced they would present his name to the republican convention for the vice-presidential nomination.  
Sidney Bones of Los Angeles, Negro member of California's republican state central committee, called on Governor Dewey at Albany to outline plans for a nationwide drive to pile up the Negro vote for the republican ticket. Bones called his visit very satisfactory.  
Glen H. Taylor former cowboy minstrel and strong backer of President Roosevelt, appeared certain of Idaho's democratic U. S. senate nomination today as official returns from 17 outlying precincts in Idaho county brought his lead over incumbent D. Worth Clark to 178 votes.  
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Today Lyttleton asked common "to believe that the fault was one of expression and not of intention, and I hope that this apology will undo any harm which the original words may have caused here or in the United States."  
A spokesman at the British embassy, describing the minister's remarks as "highly unfortunate," said it could be assumed Lord Halifax, the British ambassador, had cabled a report of American reaction to his government but had taken no other action.  
**Self-Defense, Hull Says**  
British papers expressed dismay at the United States reaction. The general theme of their stories was expressed by the headline in the Laborite Daily Herald: "U. S. Got Lyttleton Speech All Wrong."  
"The aid given to great Britain," Hull declared, "and to other countries who were resisting conquest was, in the words of the lend-lease act, 'vital to the defense of the United States.'"  
Hull sketched Japanese conquests beginning with the seizure of Manchuria in 1931 through "the unprovoked attack on the United States at Pearl Harbor."  
"The true attitude of the United States," Hull said, while Germany and Japan were preparing for war and later when they opened the flood gates of aggression "was \* \* \* the single policy of self defense."

**World Security Backed by Force, Favored by Chiang**

CHUNGKING, June 21—(AP)—A general system of collective security, backed if necessary by an adequate international force, was urged by President Chiang Kai-Shek tonight at a banquet given by him and Mrs. Chiang in honor of Vice-President Henry A. Wallace.  
Assuring the visiting American that China wishes to live in good neighborliness, harmony and peace with all nations, the generalissimo said:  
"We respect the integrity and independence of every nation. We dream no dreams of domination. We have no territorial ambitions."  
The Chinese believe, he said, in an ever-increasing cooperation with other countries in matters economic, financial, cultural and political, "and in the development of our industry and our immense natural resources we will welcome foreign investment and foreign technicians."  
Pending the inauguration of collective security, which he said could not be achieved unless the military might of the common enemies is totally annihilated, Chiang said the United States, the British commonwealth, the soviet union and China "must shoulder the responsibility of maintaining international peace."  
"In word and deed, in war and in peace, the United States of America has always been China's staunch friend," he said.  
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He asked Wallace to take back the message to President Roosevelt, the American congress and the people that the people of China deeply appreciated the moral and material support America has accorded China, and "that China is as determined as America in destroying the forces of aggression. In establishing an enduring world peace and in promoting the welfare of mankind."  
The banquet followed a tour in which Wallace met "young China," rubbing shoulders with hearing students whom he told "work for the day when all the people of China can read and write."  
Wallace prophesied on his arrival here that the Chinese-Russian boundary would become a friendly frontier like that between the United States and Canada.

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Surviving are his wife; two sons, Ivan and Elmer Lander, both of Roseburg; a brother, John Lander, Winston, and three sisters, Mrs. Susan Winston, Roseburg, Mrs. Emma Prather, and Mrs. Mable Gramstrom, both of Portland.  
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# Oregon's V. F. W. Elects New Heads

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Earl C. Mead, Portland, was elected senior vice-commander; Francis G. Gates, Bend, junior vice-commander; Fred B. Corn, Hillsboro, adjutant - quartermaster; Judge Robert Mears, Portland, judge advocate; Sam O. Plunkett, Portland, chief of staff; J. N. Brochtrup, Klamath Falls, inspector; Phillip Sherman, Portland, chaplain, and Dr. Davis W. Grisso, Portland, surgeon.  
Gilbert O. Pike, was reappointed state service officer.  
Louis E. Starr, Portland, national V. F. W. chief of staff, was endorsed for the post of national junior vice-commander.  
Dwight E. Alderman, Portland was named chairman of a committee to work for rehabilitation of returning veterans.  
Carl J. Schoeninger, national commander, said veterans of this war now make up 30 per cent of the organization's membership. The Oregon department has 5,519 members, an increase of 1,322 since 1943. Receipts from poppy sales this year are up 25 per cent.

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**Hull Raps Talk of Briton on Attack At Pearl Harbor**

WASHINGTON, June 21—(AP)—America in the months preceding Pearl Harbor was following "the single policy of self-defense."  
Secretary of State Hull declared in a sharp rebuttal to what he termed an entirely erroneous assertion by Britain's production minister—an assertion that brought a personal apology to the house of commons today from its author.  
The British minister, Capt. Oliver Lyttleton, told the house he had no intention of saying in a speech yesterday that American lend-lease aid to Britain had forced Japan into attacking the United States.  
Asserting any such statement was "manifestly untrue," he added that he was not complaining of being misquoted and acknowledged that "any misunderstanding is entirely my own fault."  
His appearance before commons came after Hull issued a statement last night declaring Lyttleton was "entirely in error" in the remarks attributed to him at a luncheon of the American chamber of commerce in London.  
Lyttleton earlier released his own version of the intercolloquy but it contained no references to this quotation ascribed to him by two American reporters at the luncheon: "It is a travesty of history to say that America was forced into the war."  
Hull took no cognizance of the later release, and today the minister's press officer said it was not intended as a verbatim report of the remarks but was "what he said as nearly as he could remember it and certainly what he intended to say."  
It had said Lyttleton described

**Beavers' Losing Streak is Broken; Rise to 3rd Spot**

(By the Associated Press)  
Portland broke an eight-game losing streak and moved into third place in the Pacific Coast league standings last night while Seattle halted the fast-moving Oakland win string at seven games to move closer to the leading San Francisco Seals.  
Portland topped the Los Angeles Angels 8-3 and Seattle dumped the Acorns 4-3.  
San Diego dropped Hollywood into fourth place behind the Beavers with an 8-2 triumph and Hurler Cecil's 15th win of the season.  
Sacramento Hurler Dreisewerd allowed San Francisco but four hits as the Seals blanked the leaders 4-0.  
**Team Standings:**

Team	W	L	Pct.
San Francisco	41	32	.562
Seattle	39	34	.534
Portland	38	35	.521
Hollywood	38	36	.514
San Diego	38	38	.500
Los Angeles	35	38	.479
Oakland	34	38	.472
Sacramento	29	41	.414

**Elkton**

ELKTON — The Methodist W. S. C. S. held its regular meeting this week. Vice-president Erda Chestnut presided. Mrs. Jessie Marlin joined the society. An offering was taken for missions, and it was voted to send a donation to Methodist student work, part of which was also an offering, and the rest made up from society funds. A report was given by the quilt committee. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Barbara Tarnowski and Mrs. Edith Adams to seventeen members and four guests.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bushong and family of Eugene have moved into the cottage on the A. L. Butler place.  
Kellogg Home Economics club met last week in regular session at the home of Mrs. Rita Minter. Miss Mary Maw, county home demonstration agent, presented a demonstration of freezing methods and vegetable cookery. A pot luck luncheon was served at noon and the business meeting followed. Mrs. Mabel Rader won the coin march prize.  
Mr. and Mrs. Miles Howell of Seattle are spending a month here while Mr. Howell attends to timber interests. They are staying at the home of Mrs. Ida Thomas.  
Mrs. Rita Peart and daughter, Mary Belle, of Eugene, are spending a week at the home of Mrs. Peart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crubbe.

**Defense Plant Workers Spending Vacation Here**

L. M. Berkey, News-Review subscriber at San Jose, Calif., has arrived in Roseburg, accompanied by John Nelson, also of San Jose, to spend a brief vacation, granted them by the defense plant in which they are employed. Mr. Berkey, who has three sons in military service