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NOMINATION OF TAFT VIRTUALLY ASSURED

CONVENTION NAMES LEADER TODAY

COLONEL TO AWAIT DEVELOPMENTS

PLAN OF EX-PRESIDENT IS TO ADVISE WITH SUPPORTERS BEFORE NAMING OF IN- DEPENDENT TICKET

CHICAGO, June 21, (Special).—That Taft will be nominated on the first ballot is virtually assured. The permanent organization of the convention will be completed tomorrow afternoon, when there will be a debate on the report of the committee on rules. The convention adjourned tonight until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. If good time is made the candidate for President may be named late tomorrow night. Otherwise the convention will not finish its work until Monday.

CHICAGO, June 21.—If Colonel Roosevelt eventually heads an independent ticket, it seems certain tonight that the convention which will name him will be held at a time considerably after the adjournment of the Republican National convention, now in session in this city.

As a result of the decisive votes in

his supporters return to their homes and learn the sentiment. A month or six weeks later, should conditions warrant, his leaders from the different parts of the country will assemble to determine whether there exists a sufficiently widespread sentiment to justify the creation of a party. If the decision is in the affirmative, a National convention will be held.

Colonel Roosevelt said tonight he would adhere to the course he has mapped out regardless of what the Roosevelt delegates in the convention decide upon. He has taken a position apart from the present struggle with the idea that as long as the 78 delegates whom he says are his are not seated he cannot be influenced by any act of the National convention. If the bulk of his delegates choose to follow the course he has mapped out he expects to preserve the present organization of his forces. If only a handful should decide at the final count to stand with him his decision will not be influenced.

The convention in the face of one of the most brilliant speeches ever heard in a national convention, from Governor Johnson, of California, laid on the table the minority report of the credentials committee, which would have substituted the Roosevelt delegates in the fourth California district. The result was so close that many of the Taft leaders were on the verge of nervous prostration before the result was announced.

When it was seen that motion to table won by a margin of two votes over 540 needed, William Barnes in his seat in the front row, wiped his brow, down which perspiration was pouring and heaved a sigh of relief.

Governor Johnson's face became even more firmly set and his mouth was a straight line while his jaws were



—Rogers in New York Herald.

COMMITTEE VOTES TO IMPEACH JUDGE

WASHINGTON, June 21.—The house judiciary committee, which investigated charges of judicial impropriety against Judge Robert F. Archbold of the commerce court, voted unanimously today to recommend that the house prefer articles of impeachment against him. The house probably will adopt the report of the committee, which has already drafted specifications.

The charges against Archbold consist of his transactions in culm banks at Scranton, Pa., with railroads while he was sitting on the bench of the commerce court. If the house votes favorably on the impeachment recommendation, members will be appointed by the speaker to prosecute charges against the judge as provided under the constitution of the United States.

bert of Minnesota presented the minority report which scored the majority. Its action was characterized as "a tyrannical overthrow of the will of the people of California."

The minority report held that the majority violated the tenets of fair play in seating the Taft men in the face of a 77,000 adverse majority. "In the judgment of the minority of the credentials committee, a more deliberate attempt to thwart the will of the people has never been witnessed," began Halbert.

He was checked by Senator Root who refused to let him debate the report at this time.

At this ruling the Roosevelt men began shouting "Gag rule, gag rule."

Hadley then moved to substitute the minority for the majority report on the fourth California contest. Watson was recognized by Root. He moved to table the motion.

Heney opened the argument for the minority report. Payne replied to Heney. He was followed by Governor Johnson.

By a vote of 564 to 497, 17 not voting the convention refused to accept the minority report of the credentials committee on the Arizona contests, and accepted the Taft majority report. The six delegates from that state were seated by viva voce vote.

Conclusive proof that the Taft followers have the votes to seat all of their contested delegates in the Republican national convention was furnished today when the 605 delegates—as announced on a revised count—voted to seat the Taft delegates in the ninth Alabama district. This was the first district that Colonel Roosevelt declared was stolen from him and the unusually high vote greatly pleased the Taft men.

A small classified ad will rent that vacant room.



J. Bruce Ismay, Managing Director of White Star Line, Who With Captain Smith was declared equally responsible for the Titanic Disaster by Attorney Scanlan at the Board of Trade Inquiry in London.

CHAUTAQUA RATE AMAZINGLY LOW

PURCHASERS OF SEASON TICKETS WILL PAY LITTLE MORE THAN 15 CENTS DAILY

PROGRAM IS BEST EVER ARRANGED

Finest Music, Lectures, Instruction And Athletic Contests Provided—Summer School Plans Made

A maximum of entertainment at a minimum expense to its patrons is the motto adopted this year by the Willamette Valley Chautauqua Association, which will conduct an assembly at Gladstone Park July 9 to July 21 inclusive. The assembly will have an expense of about \$500 daily and the cost to persons obtaining season tickets will be about fifteen cents a day. High class attractions have been provided for almost every minute of each day



Fred Emerson Brooks, Famous Reciter and Orator, Who Will be One of the Chautauqua Entertainers.

of the chautauqua, and the patrons will be repaid at least a thousandfold. The program for the first day gives an idea of what may be expected by persons attending the chautauqua.

Several concerts will be given by the band beginning at 10 o'clock and at 10:30 o'clock C. H. Dye will deliver an address of welcome, and S. Platt Jones will respond to it. The summer school will be organized by the instructors at 11 o'clock and the practical work started. Chapman's Orchestra will give a concert at 1:15 o'clock and Miss Leah Slusser will render several solos. Byron's Troubadours, vocalists and instrumentalists, will entertain at 2 o'clock and at 3:30 o'clock the baseball series will be started, two of the best teams in Oregon playing. The orchestra will play at 7:15 o'clock with Miss Slusser as soloist and at 8 o'clock the Troubadours entertain again.

There also will be other forms of entertainment. The programs for several of the other days are even more attractive so there is no chance of the patrons of the chautauqua not being well paid for attending.

Couple Gets License

A license to marry was issued Friday to Sarah Bengli and George Kirk, of Silverton.

If it happened it is in the Enterprise.

ALUMNI TO RECEIVE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS

The Oregon City High School Alumni Association, at a meeting at the High School this evening will receive the class of 1912 into membership and elect officers. It is probable that the officers will be chosen from the latest class to be graduated as was the case last year. The present officers are Ray Scott, President; Hazel Tooze, Vice-President; Maude Price, Secretary and Bothwell Avison, Treasurer. Refreshments will be served and the following program will be rendered:

Piano solo—Florence Grace.
Reading—Evdana Harrison.
Piano solo—Anne Tolpolar.
Reading (Burns)—Mrs. Forbes.
High School Orchestra.
Duet—Miss Cis Barclay Pratt and Joseph Sheehan.
Addresses by member of faculty.
Piano solo—Madge Brightbill.

STREETS CLEANED, READY FOR OILING

Superintendent of streets Babcock, has had Center and Madison streets thoroughly cleaned preparatory for the oiling which will be started in a few days. Other Macadam streets will be cleared, and it is planned to oil virtually all of them. Councilman Tooze said Friday night that the Oregon Road Oiling Company, which has been awarded the contract, would begin sprinkling the streets with oil just as soon as the rain ceased and the thoroughfares had dried somewhat. The bid of the Oregon Road Oiling Company was lower than that which obtained the contract last year.

TRAIN MAN, MINUS PASS, PUT OFF CAR

Richard Waggoner, who says he is employed as a track walker at Turner, was ejected from the train which arrived here from Portland at 4:40 o'clock Friday afternoon. Waggoner early Friday morning went with his foreman W. E. Barnes to the car barns to work. Early in the afternoon he took a trip to Portland, with the understanding that he was to meet Barnes who had passes as he returned from the city. Barnes, however, did not get on the train and when the conductor asked Waggoner for his fare he refused to pay or get off the train. When the train reached this city E. L. Shaw was called and made the trainman get out of the coach. He was not arrested.

VICTIM OF WHISKEY, SOLDIER ENDS LIFE

VANCOUVER, Wash., June 21.—Thomas McCormack was addicted to drink. The habit grew and grew on him till it interfered with duty, and Captain Page, head of McCormack's company at Vancouver barracks, exacted a pledge from him last week that he would drink no more.

Yesterday McCormack went on a spree and when he reported to Captain Page was threatened with the guard house. He begged one more chance.

This morning he was found where he had placed a Winchester in his mouth and struck the trigger. His head was blown off.

McCormack was a cook in company C, age about 42, relatives not known here.

WAR ON PARKER IS STARTED BY BRYAN

NEBRASKAN WIRES THAT HE WILL FIGHT ON FLOOR OF CONVENTION

MESSAGES SENT OUT TO CANDIDATES

Commoner Demands For Support On Followers of Wilson And Clark—Line Is Clearly Drawn

CHICAGO, Ill., June 21.—Colonel William Jennings Bryan threw his hat into the Baltimore ring today, when he declared open war on the selection of the Democratic nominee for temporary chairman—Alton B. Parker—and announced his intention of leading a fight to prevent the ratification by the convention of the national committee's choice. Bryan's defiance, which took the form of a telegram to all the presidential candidates whom he regards as progressive was followed by the announcement that he would leave Chicago for Baltimore tomorrow morning.

The telegram is regarded as an adroit move by Bryan to put each of the men addressed on record as to his progressiveness. Neither Underwood Governor Harmon nor Governor Marshall of Indiana was addressed by Bryan, but Speaker Champ Clark, Governor Wilson, Governor Burke, Governor Foss, Mayor and Governor Baldwin received the following telegram: "In the interest of harmony I suggested to the subcommittee of the



Governor Thomas R. Marshall, of Indiana, Candidate for Democratic Nomination for President.

Democratic committee the advisability of recommending as temporary chairman some progressive acceptable to the leading progressive candidates for the presidential nomination. I took it for granted that no committee member interested in Democratic success would desire to offend the members of a convention overwhelmingly progressive by naming a reactionary to sound the keynote of the campaign.

"Eight members of the subcommittee, however, over the protest of the remaining eight agreed upon not only a reactionary but upon one Democrat, who among those not candidates for the presidential nomination, is in the eyes of the people most conspicuously identified with the reactionary element of the party. I shall be pleased to join you and your friends in opposing his selection by the full committee or by the convention. Kindly answer here.

"W. J. BRYAN."
That Bryan will oppose Parker's election to the last is declared by his close friends, who will direct the progressive forces until the Commoner himself arrives from Chicago.

Bryan is said to be depending for support on the followers of Champ Clark and Woodrow Wilson. The Harmon and Underwood delegates are entirely satisfied.

Rumors were flying thick today that the Clark people were dickering with the conservatives, especially Murphy of New York, and Taggart, of Indiana and that the deal involves throwing the Clark strength to Parker, in return for which the votes of the New York and Indiana delegates, besides some unattached delegates, would be given to Clark on the first ballot.

AGED WIDOW DEAD

Mrs. May Swanson a widow, died Thursday evening at her home in the northern part of the city. She was born in Sweden, January 23, 1852. Her husband died several years ago.

Boost your city by boosting your daily paper. The Enterprise should be in every home.

MISSING FARMER DROWNED HIMSELF

BODY OF GUY IRVINE IS FOUND IN RIVER NEAR OAK GROVE

SPIKES AND STONES IN POCKETS

Suicide Left Letter Announcing That He Was Bleeding To Death Internally As Result Of Accident

The body of Guy Irvine, a farmer, who lived near Oak Grove, which was found in the willamette River near the man's home Thursday evening was buried in this city Friday. Irvine disappeared June 13, leaving a letter in which he intimated he would end his life. Friends looked for him vainly for several days, and it was finally decided that he had either carried out his threat or left the county. The letter in part follows:

"Do not look for me. You will not find me. I am bleeding to death on the inside on account of an accident. I do not care to live longer. Am not trying to prevent the bleeding. By the time this is read I will be far from here and out of human sight."

The body was found by Dr. W. F. Felbig and C. A. Chambers, and Coroner Wilson was summoned. It was badly decomposed, and in the pockets of the clothing were spikes and rocks indicating that the man wanted to sink as soon as possible. Coroner Wilson had the body brought to this city Friday, and the funeral was held at the Holman Undertaking establishment. The corpse was identified by several neighbors of the dead man. Coroner Wilson communicated with A. K. Irvine, a son of the suicide, who lives in Salem, and was instructed to have the funeral at once. The man's widow Mrs. S. Irvine, lives in Menomnie, Dunn County, Wis.

HUBBARD TO HAVE BIG JULY 4 CELEBRATION

A grand Fourth of July celebration will be held in the grove at Wilber's Mineral Springs, Hubbard. The Hubbard band of 25 pieces will furnish music and there will be a fine musical and literary program from 1:30 until 3 o'clock. W. A. Dimick, of this city will be the orator of the day. Among the features will be a base ball game between Mount Angel and Hubbard, the game to be played at 3 o'clock. Mount Angel has not lost a game, and Hubbard has lost only one. There will be horse races, foot races, boys' races, girls' races, wheelbarrow races, fat men's race; high jumps, tug-of-war, etc. The races will take place in town after the ball game, and there will be prizes for the winners of each event.

A grand ball will be given in the armory, the music to be furnished by Dubois' orchestra. The president of the day will be George N. Beck.

FORMER OREGON CITY GIRL BECOMES BRIDE

Cards have been received in this city announcing the marriage of Miss Bertha C. Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kennedy, of Chico, Cal., formerly of Oregon City, and Mr. Frank Wilde. The marriage was solemnized in Chico Saturday, June 8. The bride was formerly a teacher of Clackamas County, and resided with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kennedy on Clackamas Heights. She accompanied her parents to Chico several years ago where she has since made her home. She is well and favorably known in Oregon City.

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The Little Watson Sisters
Will appear in something different.

The GRAND
Doyle and White
Will open an engagement here Sunday.