

ROOSEVELT HAS 63 IN PENNSYLVANIA

Only Half of Voters in Some Districts Participate in Primary Election.

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Local Questions Have Effect on Result—Wilson Wins All but Two of 76 Delegates—Exceptions Being for Hazleton.

PHILADELPHIA, April 14.—Latest returns from yesterday's primary indicate that Roosevelt will have 43 of Pennsylvania's 76 delegates to the Republican National convention with a possibility of 45.

Colonel Roosevelt won 51 district delegates and his supporters captured the convention which will name 12 delegates-at-large. The state convention has the power to elect the Democratic nominee to succeed the late Senator Penrose and the National delegates can elect a new National committee from Pennsylvania to succeed Penrose.

Woodrow Wilson, according to figures at hand, will have 74 of the 76 Pennsylvania delegates in the Democratic convention. The other two delegates are favorable to Champ Clark but are not pledged.

Local Issue Interjects.—The regular Republican organization headed by United States Senator Penrose, which withstood the fury of many political storms, received a crushing defeat in the loss of control of the state convention. It is the first time in the present generation that it has lost control of that body.

In addition to naming the 12 delegates-at-large to Chicago, the Democratic convention will elect 28 Presidential electors, four candidates for Representative-at-large and candidates for State Treasurer and Auditor-General. All to be voted for at the November election. The delegates in control of the state convention have the power to elect the state chairman and under party rules the delegation to the National convention elects the National committee. At present Senator Penrose holds both positions.

Some Roosevelt Men "Regular."—It was said by a prominent member of the state convention tonight that some of the Roosevelt delegates elected to the state convention are regular organization men, who while nominating Roosevelt do not intend to stand by the state organization.

Some of the organization leaders who refrained from personally entering the primary as candidates, remarked that they had expected they would be elected as delegates at large. Among those understood to have been looking upon as the likely delegates were Senators Penrose and Oliver, Governor Tener, Secretary of State McAfee and State Senator McNichol, leader of the party organization in Philadelphia.

The vote polled was high. In some districts, it did not go much over 50 per cent of the vote at the last general election. Colonel Roosevelt is said to have received his heaviest vote from the reform element represented by the Keystone party, which succeeded in electing a reform Mayor in Philadelphia last year.

Idle Men Are Factor.—Another element of strength of the Roosevelt forces was the 170,000 idle anthracite miners among whom the ex-President ran strong.

In Philadelphia, the delegates were captured in three of the six districts and split the delegation in another, giving the President seven delegates to Roosevelt's five. The reform element in Allegheny County, which includes Pittsburgh, Colonel Roosevelt captured all eight delegates in four districts.

Among them is W. Flynn, who has fought the regular state organization for years.

Governor Wilson had an easy time in winning 74 of the 76 delegates to the Baltimore convention. At present there are two Democratic organizations in Pennsylvania and each indorses the New Jersey Governor for the Presidency.

"Reorganized" Faction Wins.—Figures at hand indicate that the "reorganized" Democratic faction headed by George W. Gilchrist, of Pittsburgh and Representative Palmer, elected a majority of their delegates in opposition to the regulars, headed by James M. Guffey.

Each faction has called a state convention at Harrisburg on the same day. Negotiations have been pending for a single convention and it is not known whether the primary result will hasten harmony.

All political parties in the state named candidates for Congress from the 12 districts and also nominated candidates for the Legislature.

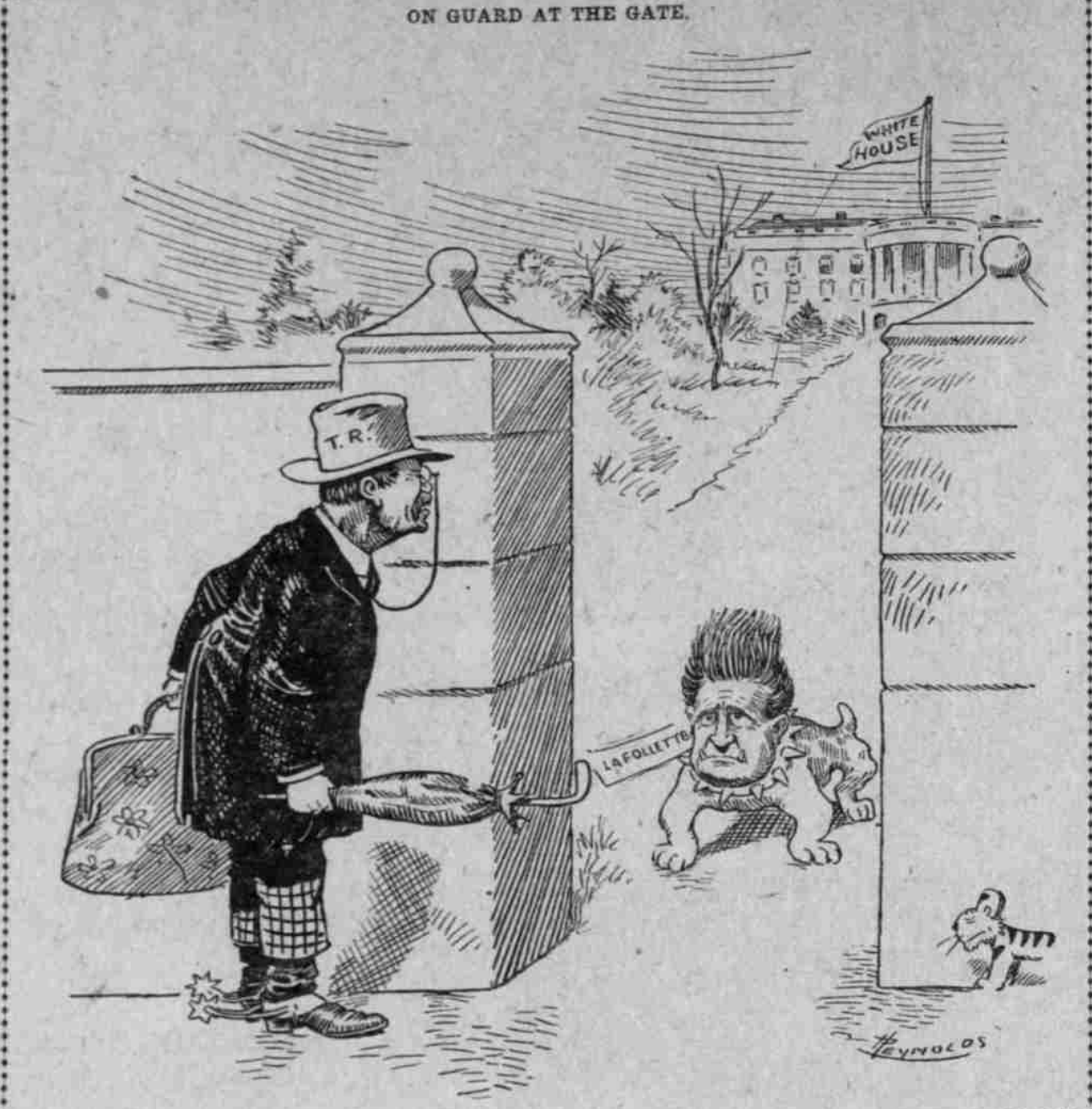
The Democratic members of Congress who came up for re-election generally were successful, but there were a number of surprises in the ranks of the Republicans. One of these was the defeat of Reuben G. Moon in one of the Philadelphia districts by an independent Republican, in Pittsburgh John D. Bell, long a member of the National House, is not sure of being returned, according to the latest returns. He is opposed by M. Clyde Kelly, a prominent independent in the last Legislature.

DELAWARE FOR PRESIDENT—Roosevelt's Strength in State Convention Infinite.—WILMINGTON, Del., April 14.—Republican primaries were held in the three counties yesterday to elect delegates to the state convention, which will select delegates to the Chicago convention.

Taft leaders assert that while the National delegates will be distributed, they will favor the nomination of President Taft. Four of the six will be United States Senators Richardson and Dupont, Representative Head and Governor Pennwell. The state convention will meet in Dover next Thursday.

Taft leaders figure that the total Roosevelt strength will be five out of a total of 184 delegates.

ALBANY PLANS WARM WELCOME—La Follette to Be Heartily Received by Republican Adminis.—ALBANY, Or., April 14.—(Special.)—When Senator Robert M. La Follette, of Wisconsin, candidate for President of the United States, arrives in Albany next Monday afternoon with his



ON GUARD AT THE GATE.

TAFT IS CONFIDENT

McKinley Declares Chances in Nowise Impaired.

ROOSEVELT IS SCORED

"Acme of Demagoguism" Seen in Claim to Toga of Lincoln. Wilson and Clark Do Not Agree as to Results.

EUGENE FOR LA FOLLETTE

Senator and Party Arrive at Lane County Seat Last Night.

EUGENE, Or., April 14.—(Special.)—More than a score of Wisconsin people were at the trail late tonight to greet Senator La Follette and party who arrived from Portland. The Senator will make a political address tomorrow morning. If it is agreeable to the Senator there will be an informal breakfast at the Osborn. Senator La Follette is to speak at 10 o'clock in the public park, opposite the Courthouse and leaves for Albany on the noon train.

The Fortnightly (women's) Club is trying to make arrangements for Mrs. La Follette to make a talk either tomorrow or Tuesday on equal suffrage.

Clark Representative Named.—CHICAGO, April 14.—Announcement was made here tonight of the appointment of Guy E. Gotterman, of St. Louis, as a special representative of Speaker Clark's candidacy for the Democratic Presidential nomination. Mr. Gotterman will probably go to the Washington headquarters of the Clark campaign.

SERIOUS CLASH BREWS

COOK COUNTY DEMOCRATS OBJECT TO MILITIA. Chief of Police Advised by Corporation Counsel That Use of Troops Is Illegal.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Possibility of a serious clash tomorrow between state militia and the Chicago police at the Webster and Albanese convention developed when Mayor Harrison telegraphed Governor Deneen a protest against possible use of members of the Seventh Regiment as a guard at the convention hall.

At the same time Corporation Counsel Sexton sent to Chief of Police McWosny a written opinion that the militia had no right whatsoever to interfere at the convention until martial law is declared. The police and Sheriff's office announced that opposition would be made to the use of troops. Judge Owens appointed Anthony Carnecci, Republican member of the Board of Election Commissioners, to act as temporary chairman of the Democratic convention, and Dr. Howard E. Taylor, Democratic member of the Board, to act as temporary chairman of the Republican convention.

The Republicans said they would accept Dr. Taylor, but a storm of protest arose from the Democrats. Roger C. Sullivan, head of the faction opposed to Mayor Harrison, issued a statement in which he questioned the right of Judge Owens to enter such an order.

CLARK IS LEADING IN IOWA—Three Counties and Split Delegation Added in Single Day.—DES MOINES, April 14.—Delegates who favor the nomination of Champ Clark for President were elected in three of the five counties in Iowa that held Democratic conventions yesterday. Webster and Albanese Counties instructed for the Speaker, while Story County elected a Clark delegation, but gave no instructions.

Iowa County is about equally divided between Clark and Woodrow Wilson. Marion County named Wilson delegates to the state convention.

A Threat and a Hat-Cut.—New York Satire.—Barber—Have a little tonic, sir. Doctor—(Smiling)—Not another drop! Gimme a clasp.

Clark Says No One Knows.—At Speaker Clark's headquarters a statement was issued saying in part: "No one knows now how the Pennsylvania delegation to the Baltimore convention stands. There is nothing in the Pennsylvania law, or any state

committee order that imposes any obligation upon any delegate to vote for any particular Presidential candidate. In Illinois the names of the Presidential candidates were on the ballot and the vote was directly preferential; but the names of Presidential candidates were not on the Pennsylvania primary ballots.

"Speaker Clark's friends made practically no fight in Pennsylvania beyond laying by correspondence. The Speaker's cause before a portion of the Pennsylvania electorate. We believe Clark will secure the votes of delegates in eight or ten districts in Pennsylvania. The latest advice from the Speaker's friends assure at least 17 votes as a result of yesterday's primaries."

SPICECKELS HEADS LA FOLLETTE FORCE

Energy Is Injected Into Campaign for Wisconsin Man in California.

ORGANIZERS FEEL SURE

Vice-President of Committee Says Loyal Supporters Have Accomplished What Opponents Declared Impossible.

Bob SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—(Special.)—Permanent organization of the La Follette campaign committee was effected last night in the La Follette headquarters. Rudolph Spreckels was elected president, Wallace C. Wise, vice-president, Ray W. Ryder, secretary, and the following were chosen members of the executive committee: Rudolph Spreckels, Joseph Kahn, Ray W. Ryder, G. H. Von der Mehden, who acted as chairman of the temporary organization; Mrs. Helen Moore, Joseph Rose, Wallace C. Wise, Mrs. Mary McHenry, Keith, Professor D. E. Jones, Kenneth McLeod, C. L. McInerney, Dr. H. M. McKinley, Mrs. Ringrose and A. L. Johnson.

Owing to his illness, Rudolph Spreckels was not present. Wallace C. Wise, vice-president of the organization, took the chair.

Bullet Proof of Perseverance.—"I take pleasure in presenting to you a sample ballot forwarded to us by the La Follette force," he said, "which shows that hard work, perseverance and loyalty to the cause did what those who favor the opposing candidate for the Republican nomination for President said was a physical impossibility when we commenced two or three weeks ago to start getting signatures for the placing of Senator La Follette's name on the ballot.

"If the same perseverance, energy and loyalty are displayed during the time intervening between now and the primary election we shall, I am sure, meet with the same marked success by winning for Senator La Follette the nomination for the Presidency from the State of California.

Candidate Is Extolled.—"La Follette is the original 'simplon' progressive." He made it possible by his aggressive and strenuous fight against the trusts in Wisconsin for the plain people in other states to take notice and to fight for the same cause and win.

"I sincerely hope the voters in favor of a 'progressive' movement for the uplift and betterment of conditions in this great state will seriously ask themselves the question why Roosevelt, the man who made it possible for this movement to root and grow in many of the states of the Union, is not entitled to first consideration and 'should have it.'"

CRAFTS PLANNING UNION

CO-OPERATION AMONG 200,000 SHOPMEN SOUGHT.

Representatives of Railway Workers Now in Kansas City for Conference Today.

KANSAS CITY, April 14.—Representatives of five craft organizations of railway shopmen are here to attend a meeting to effect an organization embracing 200,000 shopmen employed by 47 railroads west of the Mississippi River.

It is the aim to unite the mechanical trades so that concerted action may be taken when differences arise between the unions and the railroads. In case of a strike all the railroads in the territory would be involved simultaneously. March 4 originally was set for the meeting, but was postponed by the international officers of the unions, who said that publicity had interfered with their plans.

Among the leaders in the movement here tonight are: William H. Johnston, Washington, president of International Association of Machinists; J. W. Kline, president of the International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths; J. A. Franklin, Kansas City, president of the International Brotherhood of Boiler-makers; M. L. Sullivan, Kansas City, president of the International Alliance of Sheet-metal Workers, and M. R. Ryan, of Kansas City, general president of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen.

TAFT HAS 347 DELEGATES

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mark their preference for President on the ballot in such a way as to bind the delegates to support the choice of the majority.

Massachusetts is to have its first Presidential primary on April 30, and it is predicted that Taft will have the seven, but the endorsement of the President by the committee of the Ninth district, the home of Walter F. Brown, who is conducting Roosevelt's campaign. But Roosevelt is likely to capture some of the northern delegates, Taft being secure in the south and the central part of the state being debatable ground.

South Dakota will vote on three tickets for delegates at the primaries and the insurgents will be divided between

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chance in two districts and is believed to have about seven chances with La Follette in two. Efforts of the Roosevelt men to secure an extra session of the Legislature to pass Presidential primary laws has been blocked by Governor Eberhard, who is a Taft man.

While Taft has a majority of the district delegates so far elected in Missouri, the prospects are that Roosevelt will control the state convention, to be held April 25, and capture the delegates at large, as well as a good share of the district delegates remaining to be elected.

The Roosevelt men are making an aggressive campaign in New Hampshire, aided by Governor Bass, one of the seven, but the New York Herald predicts that all the eight delegates will be for Taft.

Election of a solid Taft delegation from New Jersey is said to be a reasonably safe prediction, although this is disputed by the Roosevelt and La Follette men.

T. H. Losing Ground in Ohio.—Ohio is the scene of a hard fight by Roosevelt, but his forces have been depleted by desertions to La Follette and he is handicapped by the Taft men's control of the state committee. La Follette's boom has revived and his western tour, though his successes of last week may revive his prestige.

From Cincinnati comes a dispatch predicting a solid Taft delegation and capture of the state by Roosevelt. As a straw wind indicator of the President by the committee of the Ninth district, the home of Walter F. Brown, who is conducting Roosevelt's campaign. But Roosevelt is likely to capture some of the northern delegates, Taft being secure in the south and the central part of the state being debatable ground.

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