

SEATTLE PROPOSES TO PUT OVER SLATE

Service Forces Recognized by Republicans.

POINDEXTER IS IN FIGHT

Rank and File Are Puzzled by Theory Advanced for Appointing Alternate Delegates.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 30.—(Special.)—As the day for electing delegates to the King comes, the republican convention approaches, political leaders are trying out this suggestion to see how it will take with the rank and file.

Select one former service man, one former progressive and one regular for whom Seattle will make a fight for election as national delegates; apportion the alternates as may be determined upon later.

In theory this suits a lot of republican leaders, but there are others who are insisting on further details. They want to know who the men are that the divisionists or apportionists have in mind. It is insisted, by the way, that the trio would be bound to support the Poindexter presidential candidacy.

Poindexter Plan Scouted.

The plan for this allotment of delegates is declared to favor the selection of George H. Walker as delegate-at-large from Seattle. Walker, it is insisted, is the man whom Senator Miles Poindexter has asked to be elected and some of the politicians claim he has been chosen to place Poindexter's name in nomination before the national convention.

At the outset Jack Sullivan was the only former service man in the fight for national delegate, but now there are half a dozen or more who are making an aggressive fight. Some of the republican leaders, who are trying to apportion the places, insist that the service men, but others declare if they fight at all they will wage a battle for all they can get.

Several names have been suggested as the regular to be chosen from the first district, but as rapidly as names are put forward the owners deny that they are in an open fight. While probably a dozen men have been mentioned as candidates for delegates, the fight has not narrowed down enough so that any could be said to be leading candidates, except George H. Walker, former progressive.

Wood Forces Want Support.

Just how this sort of a Seattle fight would affect Chairman Sam A. Walker in his campaign for national delegate has not been determined. It is understood Walker is keeping out of the King county fight, but he expects to be elected from the state at large, if necessary without King county support.

The Wood forces, it is officially announced, are satisfied to have Poindexter endorsed at the state convention and the national delegation instructed to use all honorable means to bring about his nomination for president. Poindexter forces want the delegation instructed to go to the last ditch with the Spokane senator, but the Wood forces will not consent to this arrangement. They want better than an even break to get the Washington delegation if it leaves Poindexter for some other presidential candidate.

Politicians are beginning to figure with some confidence that Poindexter will show up in the state about convention time and may attend the Bellingham meeting. At that time, if he is there, a change in the program might be brought about through his personal influence, though some of the Poindexter men insist he will keep his hands off the actual choosing of delegates if he gets the endorsement he seeks.

RAIL INSPECTION IS ON

Officials Size Up Property on Return to Private Control.

Executive and traffic officials of the Northern Pacific railroad are en route westward from St. Paul making a thorough trip of inspection over the system. A. D. Charlton, general passenger agent, will leave tonight to meet the official party in Montana and will accompany the special train.

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Bystanders say that the driver of the larger car, which was not damaged to any extent, did not identify himself as having been involved in the accident. Major White is confined to his bed with a badly injured hip, while members of his family are suffering from severe cuts and bruises.

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Lewis & Clark to Act as Consulting and Managing Engineers.

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The recent Peru-Bolivian conflict, says the newspaper, "produced new intervention from the White House by means of telegrams, the style of which appears to be more suitable to the action of a tutor toward disorderly pupils than to the diplomatic style usual in dealing with sovereign states. Opinion in the republics directly chafed by these telegrams laments that the United States treats them like protectees or countries with limited sovereignty."

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