

NEBRASKA TO NAME CANDIDATES TODAY

Wet and Dry Fight to Be Democratic Issue.

TWO GENERALS ON LIST

Chairman Cummings Invades Republican "Presidential Row" and Opens Quarters.

OMAHA, Neb., April 19.—Within the next 24 hours the republican and democratic voters of Nebraska will have expressed their choice of presidential candidates to go before the Chicago and San Francisco conventions next June.

General Leonard Wood, Hiram W. Johnson, United States senator, and General John J. Pershing are contenting for the republican endorsement; Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska is on the democratic ticket, while Robert Ross of Lexington, Neb., has been elected on both the republican and democratic tickets.

The wet and dry issue will be brought prominently to the fore in the democratic primary, as William J. Bryan, an announced opponent of efforts to raise his choice of presidential candidates in Nebraska, has been named as a delegate-at-large, and himself a candidate for delegate-at-large, has announced that he will oppose another set known as the Hitchcock delegates. Mr. Bryan has announced that in case Senator Hitchcock receives the democratic endorsement and he is successful in his attempt to be chosen as a delegate-at-large, he will not vote for Senator Hitchcock at San Francisco, but will allow an alternate to act in his place. He announced that the latter's attitude toward light wines and beers.

On the republican side there are two sets of delegates, one known as the Pershing delegates and the other supporting General Wood. The organization supporting Senator Johnson has indicated that all but one of the Wood candidates for delegates, as they have pledged that they would support the choice of the voters in the presidential election.

Five Nebraskans are opposing Governor McKelvie for the republican nomination for governor, while five democrats are entered for the gubernatorial nomination honors.

CUMMINGS OPENS QUARTERS

"Republican Failure," Says Invader of Presidential Row.

CHICAGO, April 19.—The republican legislative programme is characterized as "the most complete and lamentable failure in the history of the country" by Homer Cummings, democratic national committee chairman, who invaded the republican "presidential row" at a dinner here today and opened quarters there, where plans for the San Francisco convention will be discussed.

At noon he addressed the democratic women's committee at a luncheon, where he attacked the "imposition" of republican leaders who have audaciously built up that they alone were fitted to deal with big problems.

The peace of the world has been postponed, foreign trade is slipping away, we have forfeited world leadership, the whole world is in disorder, and congress still talks," he said.

Asked whether a wet or a dry plank would be inserted in the republican platform at San Francisco, Mr. Cummings said:

"The general subject undoubtedly will be discussed, but I hesitate to predict the result."

WOOD-PERSHING PROBE ASKED

Johnson's Manager Says Senator Has Spent \$1672.75 in State.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 19.—Frank A. Harrison, Nebraska manager for Hiram W. Johnson, senator of California, today made public a statement to Secretary of State Ambrose in which Harrison said he desired to call the secretary's attention "to the need of investigation of the enormous amount spent by the two opposition headquarters in this state—amounting to from \$75,000 to \$100,000."

General John J. Pershing and Leonard Wood are entered as Senator Johnson's opponents for the republican presidential endorsement. Harrison reported \$1672.75 as the amount spent in Senator Johnson's behalf in the last seven months.

Bad roads resulting from snow and rain storms in Nebraska promised to reduce the voting in tomorrow's presidential preference primary.

GEORGIA READY FOR PRIMARY

Organization Closes; Each Presidential Manager Confident.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 19.—The presidential primary organization in Georgia closed tonight with the managers of each of the three candidates, Attorney-General Palmer, Senator Hoke Smith and Thomas E. Watson, expressing confidence to the outcome of tomorrow's vote.

Interest in the primary is based upon the effect it will have on the next senatorial race as well as upon national issues. Senator Smith has urged reservations to the peace treaty while Attorney-General Palmer announced his candidacy would afford an opportunity for Georgians to endorse the Wilson administration.

HANDS OFF, ERIN'S PLEA

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people can work out their own internal political salvation without economic ruin to Irish interests. It is true that it takes two to make a quarrel, there is in this generation no quarrel between England and Ireland, for the present generation of Englishmen has steadfastly refused to quarrel with Ireland. The British government after careful study of

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he was first, should be made first choice. With this adjustment the "first choice" percentages would make Lowden a clear leader, with General Wood coming in as second choice. The figures would be: Lowden, 40; Wood, 26.6; Harding, 20; Coolidge, 6.6; Pershing, 3.3; Knox, 3.3.

NEW CLASSES STARTED

"CASEY" OFFERS COURSE FOR SHIPPING CLERKS.

Another Course in Automobile Mechanics Will Be Begun to Meet Demands of Ex-Servicemen.

Two new classes are to be started shortly at the free evening school at 290 Grand avenue North maintained by the Knights of Columbus for the benefit of the former soldiers, sailors and marines. It was announced by J. P. O'Hara, principal, last night. One of the classes will be shipping clerk work while the second will be in automobile mechanics. This latter class will be subject to the demand of the ex-servicemen for instruction along gasoline engine lines. The automobile mechanics class will start in two weeks and the other one will also start soon, although the date has not been set.

Considerable demand is being experienced for shipping clerks, and for this reason the officials of the school here have decided to put a course at the disposal of the service men. A large registration is expected. Ex-servicemen interested in either of these classes or in any other of the many classes maintained by the Knights of Columbus committee on war activities here may register at once either at the school or at the committee's permanent bureau at room 205 Beck building.

Two of the students of the radio class at the school, Leonard Belts and Leonard E. Pines, of Spokane, were notified by last week to pass the examinations for radio operators' licenses and left yesterday for Seattle to join Alaska fishing vessels to which they had already been assigned for the purpose of the wireless equipment.

Evening schools for the ex-servicemen may be established shortly in Boise and Salt Lake, according to J. Gorman, state committee supervisor. Mr. Gorman spent a short time in Portland yesterday.

TRIPS MAY GIVE CLEW

SAN DIEGO COUNTY VISITED TO INVESTIGATE HURT CASE.

Spokane Woman, One of Supposed Victims, Attaches Account in Los Angeles Bank.

LOS ANGELES, April 19.—Investigation of trips said to have been made to San Diego county by James R. Hurl, alleged murderer, and a woman, who he is declared to have married, may be completed tomorrow, it was said by the sheriff's office tonight.

Word was received from deputy sheriff who went to San Diego county, who hoped to have their work there completed within 24 hours. They had been trying to establish the identity of a man who made mysterious trips to the Borrego valley in the eastern part of San Diego county several weeks ago.

Hurl's condition is improving, it was said tonight at the Los Angeles county hospital.

Mrs. Katherine Wombacher, who says Hurl married her a year ago in Spokane under the name of Andrews, today secured an attachment on an account held by him in a Los Angeles bank seeking to recover \$2500, which she says she lent to "Andrews."

FISH PACT NOT AFFECTED

Agreement as to Inquiry and Drafting of Bill Still in Force.

MEDFORD, Or., April 19.—(Special).—Regarding the opinion rendered by state Attorney-General Brown on the legal aspect of the proposed fish-pact settlement between the Rogue River Fish and Game Protective association and the Macleay Estate company, C. M. Tomask, who is attorney for the association and one of the prime movers in the settlement plan, said tonight:

"The attorney-general's decision does not affect the agreement itself in any manner, as the agreement provides that a committee shall be formed of representatives of the signers for the purpose of investigation and the drafting of a bill to be presented to the legislature next session. The effect of the attorney-general's opinion is only that the commission has no power to put in force or effect any of the provisions of the agreement for this season."

STOCKTON TO ENTERTAIN

CROWD EXPECTED AT ADVERTISING CLUB CONVENTION.

Head of Pacific Coast Association, Touring Clubs of Northwest, Is Portland Visitor.

Dave S. Matthews, president of the Pacific Coast Advertising Men's association, who is making a tour of the advertising clubs of the coast in behalf of plans for the annual convention to be held at his home town, Stockton, Cal., next month, was a Portland visitor yesterday. He is accompanied by Lawrence Easton, photographer and movie operator, who will be taken for an outing in Yosemite national park. In all the arrangements the women are assured plenty to make the trip one to be remembered.

DORMITORY IS APPROVED

Washington State College to Be Aided by Private Corporation.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 19.—Approval of the plan for the organization of a private corporation to finance the erection of a cost of approximately \$190,000 for grounds and building of a women's dormitory on land adjoining the campus of the Washington State college at Pullman was voted by the members of the board of regents of the college, meeting here today.

The hope was expressed that later the college would find it possible to acquire the dormitory. The building would accommodate about 100 women. The board is expected to go tomorrow to Prosser and Wednesday to Puyallup to inspect experiment stations.

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