

SOCIALISTS HEART BLOW AT RELIGION

Friendship of Labor, Not Its Enmity, to Be Sought.

HOBOS ASK FOR HELP

Debate Over Platform Grows Heated at Times but Radicals Are Beaten Eventually.

NEW YORK, May 12.—The "religious issue" today plunged the national convention of the socialist party of America into a turmoil of excited debate, out of which conservative forces won the eradication of reference to churches from the first half of the party's 1920 "declaration of principles."

National Creed Voted Down.

"The dictatorship of the proletariat" and limitation of citizenship, elements of international socialism, which the Illinois delegation fought yesterday to incorporate into the convention declarations, were effectively eliminated in adoption this afternoon of the primary constitution for socialization of the nation "for the equal benefit of all."

Tonight, in special session, the convention thrashed out its attitude toward enforcement of political action by industrial revolution, and development of one big union for all labor and its co-operating force.

The question of the party's attitude toward labor organizations and movements brought a storm of heated discussion during the late afternoon.

George Hansen, a New Jersey delegate, finally gained the floor to plead for a better understanding and more temperate view of the American Federation of Labor.

"We must not keep running away from the millions in the Federation," he said. "We must begin working from within through its local unions, eventually to control it, instead of forcing it upon us."

Bernard Berlin of Chicago declared it was "due to the socialists in 1894 that Samuel Gompers became president of the American Federation of Labor today."

Sam Longuet, leader of the French socialists, whose passport the American embassy at Paris refused to issue, greeted the French socialist party.

Cameron H. King of California was elected chairman for the day over William Kruse of Chicago.

A representative of the International Brotherhood Welfare association, known as "the Red," appeared at the convention to ask endorsement of a proposed amendment to the United States constitution providing that all citizens shall vote in the general election, regardless of race, sex, color, or habitation, occupation or "lack of occupation."

The amendment is in direct opposition to the platform of the Illinois delegation, which provides that citizenship be limited to only persons "permanently employed."

James H. Maurer, president of the Pennsylvania State Federation of Labor, sent a telegram to the convention today declining to be a candidate for the nomination for vice-president on the national ticket.

SOCIALISTS TO BE HEARD

Plea for Debs Will Be Received by Palmer and Baker Saturday.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Attorney General Palmer, Secretary Tumulty and secretary Baker will receive the committee of the socialist national convention which is to come here from New York today to make arrangements for the release of Eugene V. Debs, who is serving a sentence in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta for violation of the espionage act.

Both Mr. Palmer and Mr. Tumulty will receive the committee Saturday.

THOMAS PREDICTS EXILE

(Continued From First Page.) during the war "he was so unfortunate as to incur the president's displeasure" because of his position on

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I. N. DAY.

AUTOIST TO GO TO JAIL

TEN DAYS AND \$50 FINE GIVEN MAN ACCUSED OF BRIBERY.

Mike Sirich, arrested for speeding, shown to have had five accidents since September.

Mike Sirich, automobile driver who was arrested by Police Lieutenant Ervin on a charge of speeding on Milwaukee avenue, and who is said to have offered the arresting officer \$50 to release him, was fined \$50 and sentenced to ten days in jail on the speeding charge by Municipal Judge Rossmann yesterday morning.

Sirich has until today to inform the judge whether he will appeal. His bail was placed at \$200.

Sirich was arrested going 20 miles an hour on Milwaukee avenue. A liquor charge against him is said to be pending in the federal court at this time. Records at the police station also show that he has had five accidents since September 1, 1919.

F. J. Walker, 18 years old, who was arrested for speeding on his motorcycle at the rate of 35 miles an hour down Lombard street, will be deprived of his motorcycle for the next 30 days. The judge declared that he considered it better for the safety of the boys and the public that he walk for a few days.

H. Burley had a dealer's license on one end of his machine and an ordinary license on the other. He was consequently assessed a fine of \$10 on the charge of having an improper license.

Other traffic fines levied follow: L. Watkins, speeding, \$10; K. Krivick, violating the traffic ordinance, \$1; T. Nagano, violating the traffic ordinance, \$1; E. E. Harmon, violating the traffic ordinance, \$1; Willard Alphin, speeding, \$10; A. Hartford, speeding, \$10; H. Burley, speeding, \$5.

BATTLE FOUGHT IN RIVER

WARDEN AND FISHER SCUFFLE IN STREAM BELOW FALLS.

Prisoner Accused of Snagging Salmon and of Resisting Officer Making Arrest.

Almost at the deadline below the Oregon City falls, of the Willamette river, where he trailed for salmon, John Larson, a Portland angler, was arrested early this week by Deputy Warden Charles J. Smith after a thrilling struggle in mid-current with two boats swaying dangerously in the rough rapids.

Three charges are filed against Larson—snagging without having his license on his machine, resisting an officer in the performance of duty and snagging salmon as they crowded close to the barrier of the falls. Unless he makes an earlier appearance and pleads guilty, Larson will be tried before Oak Grove justice on Friday morning. His tackle was seized and held in the possession of the state.

"I guess you'd better pull up and come ashore," remarked Long, above the roar of the cataract. "You're under arrest. You're under arrest." As he spoke the warden laid his hand upon the gunwale of the salmon angler's boat.

Larson raised an oar, it is alleged, and struck viciously at the warden. He dodged the blow, but swung the two boats side by side. Possing in the swift water the boats dipped dangerously as the warden and his prisoner engaged in a struggle across the gunwale. Larson endeavored to break the warden's hold, cut the painter and switched the license from one auto to another and back again at convenient periods. The arrest was made yesterday on his arrival in the county jail. It was shown that Gary Grant had only joined the I. W. W. to get a job.

FRIENDS HONOR HOWELLS

Foremost Figures in Literary Life Attend Funeral.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Funeral services for William Dean Howells, distinguished novelist and editor, in the Church of the Ascension in Fifth avenue today drew a throng of friends and admirers, among whom were many of the foremost figures in American literary life. In accordance with Mr. Howells' request, Rev. Dr. Percy S. Grant, a lifelong friend, had charge of the simple services.

The body will be cremated and the ashes taken to Cambridge, Mass. Bishop Julius Walter A. Wood of Arizona assisted Mr. Grant with the service. Members of the American Academy of Arts and Letters acted as honorary pallbearers.

I. N. DAY'S RECORD

TOLD TO ELECTORS Former State Senator Again Seeking Office.

PUBLIC CAREER ACTIVE

Distinct Influence Exerted on Legislation for Several Years Even When Not Member.

I. N. Day, former state senator and candidate in the republican primaries for nomination as senator from Multnomah county, has had one of the most active careers of any of the various candidates before the public. He was admitted to the bar in California in 1887 and never practiced. He has been a distinct influence on legislation for many years past and was largely instrumental in the preparation and passage of the \$6,000,000 road bond bill of the 1917 session, although not a member.

Some idea of the activities of Mr. Day in and out of the legislature are indicated in the following summary:

Elected state senator and served in 1913 and 1915 sessions of the legislature. Served upon the following committees in the 1913 session: Public land, commerce and navigation, highways, roads and highways, enrolled bills.

In the 1915 legislature: Federal relations, insurance, public lands, roads and highways, ways and means, a committee to constitute commissions.

Member of Oregon national guard. Served by appointment upon the staff of Governor and chief of engineers, with rank of colonel.

Reappointed and served through the term of Governor Geer. A present member of the tax conservation committee headed by Governor Olcott with J. D. Farrell and W. H. Hunt.

Member of the Central California railroads commission appointed by Governor Olcott with Senator Roy Ritter and Representative Denton J. Burdick.

Proposed in the 1915 session an amendment requiring all voters of Oregon to be citizens of the United States.

Introduced and passed the referendum bill for the protection of the State University appropriation bills.

Supported the widows' pension bill, the industrial safety bill, the industrial accident commission bill.

Served upon the committee to investigate the Celilo water-power possibilities. Supported the land grant resolutions for the Southern Pacific land grant resolution. Proposed the "Baker act" lands upon the tax roll of the state, thereby saving nearly half a million dollars annually on the state treasury.

Member of the Red Cross drive for 100,000 Portland members, which was successfully carried out.

Supported the passage of the army bills for the Oregon National guard.

Member of the committee to investigate the "milk tax" wherever the first high-way commission was organized.

Member of the ways and means committee. Treated all charitable institutions alike.

Noted and supported the interstate bridge bill. Member of the committee to investigate the 1919-20 budget.

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DEMOCRATS IN BIG FIGHT

SPLIT MAY OCCUR IN STATE CONVENTION OF PARTY.

Chairman Confidently Predicts Win for "Liberal" Wing and Defeat for "Federal Crowd."

SPOKANE, Wash., May 12.—(Special.)—A double delegation to the national democratic convention at San Francisco from this state, with the state chairman, was announced today by State Chairman George E. Christensen upon his arrival in Spokane for his home in Stevens to be here until after the state democratic convention, which opens at the state auditorium morning next.

Mr. Christensen's central committee headquarters in the Davenport hotel on his arrival here and immediately into the city with local democratic leaders.

The state chairman announced that Washington county delegates do not record a convention of the size of what the state democratic convention will be, more than 100 delegates from the 1400 delegates on the ground seeking recognition from the credentials committee in the party.

There are 1168 accredited delegates, but Pierce county is sending a double delegation of 100 delegates and King county is sending a duplicate delegation of 268, while five or six other counties are sending 100 delegates each with a half vote for each delegate.

The liberal will win. The federal crowd is beaten now and the results of the convention will bear out my prediction in 100 months if the liberal is still in control and not the federal crowd."

TITLOW SUPPORTER CHOSEN

TACOMA Democrats Foresee Contest in Seating of Delegates.

TACOMA, Wash., May 12.—(Special.)—In the naming of Maurice Langhorne of the convention committee on Wednesday night, a group from the county Titlow delegation today, Tacoma democrats foresaw a concerted effort against the so-called federal group when the contest for the seating of delegates at the Spokane gathering next Monday began.

Langhorne is an avowed supporter of A. R. Titlow, democratic national committee man, and is credited even by the opponents of the party with being a fighter and these qualifications, local democrats say, forecast a lively contest for the delegates to be taken at the factory back by D. J. Williams, which is endeavoring to put W. R. Rust across for national committee man.

Mr. Rust, with his family, returned last night from Europe, after a sojourn of two months in France and Belgium. The Pierce county delegation pledged to the support of Titlow will be headed by Browder Brown.

FIRES ROUT 6 FAMILIES

TOTAL DAMAGE IS ESTIMATED AT ONLY \$5000.

Defective Wiring and High Wind Are Blamed for Flames That Causes Small Blazes.

Three fires in different sections of the city did damage estimated at an aggregate of \$5000 and drove six families from their homes yesterday. Two of the fires were caused by sparks carried by the wind and the other was caused by defective wiring.

The day started with a fire which broke out on the roof of a building at 166 Sunnyside street, owned by J. Kirby of Oregon City. The building, a two-story frame structure, was damaged to the extent of about \$200 and there was a furniture damage of about \$1000. The entire upper floor of the structure which was occupied by four families, was gutted and the roof burned off. The lower floor, on which the family of Mrs. M. W. Gardner, 166 Sunnyside street, was housed, was gutted and the roof burned off.

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CAR THIEVES INTERRUPTED

Motorcycle Sergeant Arrives and Boys Flee Into Brush.

Residents in the neighborhood of East Twenty-first street and Alameda drive last night called police headquarters to report that two boys were displaying an unusual interest in

car which was parked near the street intersection. Motorcycle Sergeant Goodstone was dispatched to the scene and arrived in time to see the boys flee into the nearby brush. They were in the act of stripping the car when interrupted.

Other motorcycle policemen were sent to scour the neighborhood in an effort to find the thieves. The car is the property of John Crawford, 480 East Twelfth street north.

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