

REAL STRUGGLE NOT YET BEGUN

Fight on California Machine So Far Is Preliminary Skirmish.

BREAKING ENDLESS CHAIN

League Will Cut System by Which Herrin Rules Republicans—Bell Has Already Deposed McNab as Leader.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—(Special Correspondence.)—There is something at once encouraging and instructive in the efforts of the two old parties of California to free themselves from the thrall of the machine which they have long been held.

McNab would have stopped there, but not Mr. Hearst. He insisted that Mr. Hearst be read out of the party—the same party, mind you, that had endorsed him for the Presidency of the United States two years before.

Cause of McNab's Fall. The first big mistake that Mr. McNab made occurred last year when he sought to avoid the re-nomination of William H. Langdon for District Attorney.



W. F. Herrin, Republican Boss of California, Inventor of Endless Chain System of Political Control.

Endless Chain of Machine.

It would appear to the outsider that, were the people minded to do so, they could at the polls wipe out the old and substitute the new. It is not that such machinery has been built up that an expression of popular sentiment can only be made manifest after patient and persistent efforts.

The condition may be illustrated by taking the actual situation in the ranks of the Republican party. There can be no genuine difference of opinion. Everybody knows the truth, but skillful distortion can be made effective at times, as was recently shown in the state convention.

The Republican party in California is controlled and guided by the executive committee of the state central committee. One would naturally suppose that the executive committee should represent the public choice. Here is how the game is worked: The retiring chairman of the state central committee appoints the executive committee of the state central committee and the executive committee in turn appoints the temporary chairman of the next convention.

Wins, Though in Minority.

It does not take a keen intellect to perceive that by this means the faction in control can continue its domination of the party indefinitely. This example of the workings of this system, thought out and put into effect by W. F. Herrin, of the Southern Pacific Company, was presented to the public at the recent state convention at Sacramento.

HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Wisconsin Society Will Celebrate the State's Admission Friday.

The annual meeting of the Wisconsin Society of Oregon will be held Friday night at the Woodmen of the World Temple, 128 11th street. May 29 is the anniversary of the admission of Wisconsin to the Union and it is expected that all Wisconsin people now living in Oregon, will be present.

TAKES THE WITHERS STAKE

James R. Keene's Colin Wins \$12,000 at Belmont Park.

BELMONT PARK, N. Y., May 22.—Before a crowd of 35,000 persons James R. Keene's Colin, the champion 2-year-old of the last year and making his first appearance of the year, today easily won the Withers stake, worth \$12,000 at one mile. Summary: One-half furlongs, straight—Sir Martin won, Uncle Jim second, Troiltemp third. Time, 3:39 4-5.

At Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, May 22.—Results: Six furlongs—Minot won, Frontenac second, Hannibal Boy third. Time, 1:12. Five furlongs—W. A. Leach won, Aquila second, Direct third. Time, 1:09 4-5. Six furlongs—Baltus won, Honest second, Great Pirate third. Time, 1:12 3-5. One mile—Dark Night won, Lena second, Question third. Time, 1:46. The Gentlemen's Cup race, one mile—Lavelle won, Dario second, High Bear third. Time, 1:46. Mile and sixteenth—Cymbal won, Hostile Hyphen second, Margaret Randolph third. Time, 1:48 1-5.

Rev. C. H. Prescott, of Fresno, Mich., is a millionaire preacher and stock raiser. He owns land in six states and Canada, and he has spent his whole life either in

JOHNSON AGAINST PUBLICITY BILL

Says the Crumpacker Amendment Makes Measure Vicious in Character.

PUTS SOUTH AGAINST TAFT

Minnesota Governor Thinks President Cannot Conscientiously Sign It—Action Would Defeat War Secretary's Nomination.

NORFOLK, Va., May 22.—Governor John A. Johnson, of Minnesota, while in Norfolk today, denounced the Crumpacker amendment to the nominating publicity bill passed by the House yesterday. He declared that if the Senate passes it he does not see how the President can conscientiously sign it.

When questioned in regard to his name being presented to the Denver convention in case Mr. Bryan had pledged or instructed for him two-thirds of the delegates, Governor Johnson intimated that he did not believe Mr. Bryan would enter the convention with a nominating majority pledged to him. He was adverse to being interviewed on National political questions. He said he would not enter into detailed discussion of the Presidential nomination fight.

Platt Not Going to Convention.

NEW YORK, May 23.—For the first time in years, Senator Platt will not attend the Republican National Convention this year. He was elected a delegate from his home district, but his alternate will go to Chicago in his place. Senator Platt was chairman of the New York State delegations to the National Conventions of 1896, 1900 and 1904.

STANDS FOR OPEN DOOR

Sakutani Says Japan Agrees With American Policy.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Officials of Japanese financial institutions in New York today gave a luncheon at the Hotel Astor to Baron Sakutani, the distinguished Japanese financier, and to F. Kimura, director of the Bank of Japan.

MRS. CALLFAS SURRENDERS

War in Woodmen Ends After Poisoning Has Failed.

OMAHA, May 23.—Dr. Jennie Callfas, supreme physician of the Woodmen Circle, the women's auxiliary of the Woodmen of the World, today announced her resignation, to take effect June 1. Mrs. Manchester, supreme guardian of the circuit, said she did not know Mrs. Callfas' reason for tendering her resignation, but admitted it would be accepted.

SUMMER THOUGHTS.

If you drop in at Le Palais Royal Monday you will have thoughts of Summer when you see the beautiful white lingerie dresses, linen skirts, waists, etc. Just arrived at 215 Washington street.

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KEPT IN MEMORY

Statue of Hanna Unveiled at Cleveland.

SET HIGH ON HONOR ROLL Efforts for Industrial Peace Commemorated by Leaders of Capital and Labor—Griggs Delivers the Chief Oration.

CLEVELAND, May 23.—A monument in memory of the late Senator Marcus A. Hanna was dedicated here this afternoon in the presence of many distinguished guests and thousands of spectators.

ex-United States Attorney-General, who was followed by Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Vice-President Fairbanks was to have presided, but he was unable to attend.

The invocation was delivered by the Right Rev. George F. Houck. The statue was unveiled by Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick and Mrs. Mabel Hanna Parsons, daughters of the late Senator. The benediction was delivered by the Right Rev. W. A. Leonard, bishop of Ohio.

Mrs. Callfas stated that conditions surrounding her position had been unpleasant and that she had resigned on condition that she be paid two years' salary, amounting to \$7,200.

Mrs. Callfas was the victim of an attempted poisoning a month ago, when a box of poisoned bonbons was left on her porch, from which she ate enough to become violently ill.

THE STATE OF OHIO glories in a long roll of illustrious names of sons of hers who have won fame for themselves and undying honor for their state.

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Advertisement for Morgan-Atchley Furniture Company. Features a cartoon illustration of a man carrying a large box labeled 'THE BIG RENT PRICE BOYS ON THE RUN'. Text includes 'HIGH RENT PRICE & SONS WEST SIDE FURNITURE DEALERS' and 'MORGAN-ATCHLEY FURNITURE COMPANY EAST STARK STREET GRAND AVE'.

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