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WILL NAME CANDIDATE FOR THE PRESIDENCY TOMORROW

Taft Supporters Say That He Will Win On First Ballot.

IOWA MAN MAY GET SECOND PLACE.

Dolliver or Cummins Likely to be Nominated For Vice-President.

Lord's Prayer Only.
(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, June 16.—The prayer of the opening session of the Republican National Convention was delivered by Archbishop Muldoon of the Catholic Diocese of Northern Illinois, and will be the Lord's prayer only.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 16.—The first day's session of the National Republican Convention was devoted to preliminary work and the speech of Senator J. C. Burrows of Michigan, the temporary chairman. Tomorrow, the nomination of a president will be taken up. The Taft supporters insist that he will be nominated on the first ballot, but his opponents hint otherwise. As soon as the presidential nomination is disposed of, the vice-presidency will be taken up. While there is a strong belief that either Senator Dolliver or Governor A. B. Cummins of Iowa, will be named, the eastern delegations are insisting that if Taft is nominated for president, an eastern man be given the second place on the ticket.

The tap of Chairman News' gavel calling the convention to order fell at 12:28 o'clock, but quiet was not secured for some time. Part of the delay was due to the late arrival of the delayed portion of the delegation with big banner picture of Taft lithographed upon it. There was cheering and the band struck up "Hail to the chief." The demonstration was not a sustained one. The Taft banner was not allowed to remain in the hall and was taken to a side room. A flashlight picture of the gathering was taken.

Chairman News spoke briefly, pointing to the achievements of the Republican administration in the past twelve years, and especially commending the policies of Roosevelt. The mention of the name of Roosevelt brought an outburst of cheers which however lasted but a few seconds. Mr. News introduced Bishop Muldoon of Chicago, who recited the Lord's prayer. Secretary Malloy read the call for the convention and his fine delivery aroused considerable applause. Mr. News then announced that the National Committee had recommended Senator J. C. Burrows of Michigan, as temporary chairman. Mr. Burrows was warmly received. He bowed his acknowledgement and at 12:34 o'clock began the keynote address lasting about six minutes before the first mention of Roosevelt's name came. At once, a demonstration was begun, one by one the delegations taking up the cheering until the applause became general. The mention of Vice-president Fairbanks name also brought forth cheers. Burrows completed his remarks at 1:42 o'clock, and at 2:03 o'clock the convention adjourned until noon tomorrow.

Third Term Talk.
The manner in which the name of Roosevelt will be presented to the convention for renomination is not disclosed, but that it will be undisputed. Just what the outcome of the movement will be is an unfeeling topic for conjecture and the explosive possibilities of its injection at the psychological moment are fully realized by all concerned. Close friends of Roosevelt and Taft on the ground declare themselves to be prepared to meet it in whatsoever form it arises with convincing proofs of Roosevelt's views of any such attempt and his disapproval so emphatic as to leave no room for a doubt of tolerance.

Launch Cummins Boom.
A boom was formally launched late today for Governor Cummins of Iowa, for vice-president by Senator

MUST STICK FOR BRYAN

Colorado Democrats Give Their Delegates Iron Clad Instructions.

(By Associated Press.)
GLENWOOD SPRINGS, June 16.—The Colorado delegations to the National Democratic Convention was instructed to vote for Bryan "while his name is before the convention as a candidate."

Borah of Idaho. The movement is significant, coming as it does following the announcement that President Roosevelt and Taft were prepared to insist that the vice-presidential candidate come from Iowa and the stand Borah had heretofore taken was in favor of Dolliver.

Interest in Vice-Presidency.
Interest grows hourly in the vice-presidency and was augmented by conflicting reports regarding the preference of the president and Taft on the subject and the effect upon the political situation in Indiana and Iowa by the possible nomination of Fairbanks or Dolliver, respectively. There is a strong sentiment in the New England delegations that the ticket can be strengthened by the nomination of a New York statesman and has complicated the situation. The name of representative Sherman of Utah, is being strongly urged in some quarters, but it is probable that Hughes's candidacy will have to be disposed of before Sherman's name can be properly brought forward. The names of Cortelyou, Ex-mayor Seth Lowe of New York, Governor Guild of Massachusetts, Governor Sheldon of Nebraska, ex-Governor Murphy of New Jersey, John Hayes Hammond of Boston, George A. Knight of California, and others are more or less prominently brought forth.

Work On Platform.
Up to a late hour last night, again early this morning and throughout the day and after the adjournment of the preliminary session, the leaders continued their work upon the matters remaining to be settled. The platform polishing, and more especially the sharp controversy over the plank having reference to the limitation of the court in injunctions in labor disputes, went on. Planks of the widest interest on tariff, railroad regulation, currency reform and the endorsement of the administration of President Roosevelt, have been fully or substantially agreed upon.

Speaker Cannon, backed by prominent leaders in various states, continues vigilant opposition to any radical utterance on the injunction question and the lines are more sharply drawn upon that than any other.

Anti-Injunction Plank.
The proposed anti-injunction plank of the platform which was passed upon in Washington, is as follows: "We declare for such amendment of the statutes of procedure in the federal courts with respect to the use of the writ of injunction as will on the one hand, prevent the summary issues of such orders without proper consideration, and, on the other, that will preserve the undiminished power of the court to enforce their process, to the end that justice may be done at all times, and to all parties." There is much speculation as to exactly what the terms mean. Its opponents declare it can undoubtedly cover any proposed law containing the word "injunction" and arguments against the plank are being made by many members of congress. Speaker Cannon is working hard to have the plank modified. The defenders of the plank insist that there is nothing in its terms to be feared.

Weather Favors Opening.
Chicago put forth its best in the way of weather conditions, for the opening of the convention. A strong breeze off the lake cleared the humidity and smoke and greatly refreshed the residents and visitors. The doors of the cavernous convention hall were thrown open at 10:30 (Continued on Page 2.)

OVER 350 JAPANESE ARE DROWNED

Fifty Fishing Boats Wrecked by Squall Off Coast of Kagoshima—Details Are Lacking.

(By Associated Press.)
TOKIO, June 16.—Fifty fishing boats were wrecked off the coast of Kagoshima and 350 members of the crews were drowned. The boats were caught in a squall

that came up suddenly, the violence of which prevented them from reaching a cove or landing.

Only partial reports of the disaster have reached here and many believe that the number of drowned will exceed the present estimate.

Whether the storm, which was practically a hurricane, did any damage on land has not been ascertained.

MC FARLAND DIRECTOR

Elected at an Interesting and Lively School Election Last Evening.

FOR DIRECTOR—3 YEARS TERM.
W. S. McFARLAND 48
F. A. SACCHI 27
FOR CLERK.
JOHN F. HALL Unanimously
FOR CONSOLIDATION BAY CITY DISTRICT.

Yes 49
No 8

There are the results. The simple statement however, conveys little of the tense strenuousness involved in their attainment. The school election at the Marshfield High School last evening developed into an interesting session that at times made a wet and dry campaign look like a Sunday school picnic at Charleston Bay. People who went expecting to find it as insipid as a plate of cold soup were pleasantly surprised to discover it as full of pep as a hot tamale. If the same energy and ginger could be injected into a commercial campaign Coos Bay would have a railway inside of sixty days. The ladies were there in force, but strangely enough there did not seem to be unity of action. Men who feared that woman suffrage would result in a union of the fair creatures against the aggressions of the sterner sex were disillusioned. The brand of politics was very similar to the one bearing the masculine label. It also destroyed all hopes that woman suffrage in Oregon would transform our elections into social functions of the pink tea order. The women, God bless 'em, have their principles and stand up for 'em like men.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman J. W. Bennett at 8 o'clock. John F. Hall occupied the chair at the clerk's desk. On the opening of nominations for director Henry Sengstacken placed the name of John S. Coke before the meeting. This was followed by the presentation of W. S. McFarland as a candidate by Dr. E. Mingus. Mrs. A. H. Stutsman then announced the candidacy of Mrs. Minnie Bradley. Mrs. J. T. McCormac arose to a question of eligibility, Mrs. Bradley not being a property owner or taxpayer. Without withdrawing, Mrs. Bradley's name Mrs. Stutsman promptly nominated F. A. Sacchi. This was met with the announcement that Mr. Sacchi had authorized the statement that he was for W. S. McFarland and would positively decline the nomination. Mrs. Stutsman, however, while admitting Mr. Sacchi's declaration to vote for McFarland maintained that did not disqualify him as a candidate if his friends chose to vote for him. There was a rapid fire of parliamentary procedure that would puzzle the man who wrote Robert's Rules of Order or make the author of Cushing's Manual dizzy. When the chairman announced the nominations closed and called the clerk to read the list of nominees Judge Hall announced the names of John S. Coke, W. S. McFarland, Mrs. Bradley and F. A. Sacchi. This caused another flutter and when the white wings of silence were folded once more the quartette was a duet and W. S. McFarland and F. A. Sacchi went before the meeting as the only candidates. Before proceeding with the ballot chairman J. W. Bennett began an announcement in which he stated he desired an expression of the candidates as to their attitude toward the present school administration. Dr. Mingus rose to a point of order. Chairman Bennett refused him recognition and he appealed from the chair but the chairman refused to put the question. I. S. Smith also objected

MANY BIDDERS FOR CHANDLER

Bids For New Hotel Opened and Contract Will Be Let Soon.

Bids for the proposed \$75,000 Chandler hotel for Marshfield were opened last evening by Architect Hendricks and the board of directors in the office of the President John S. Coke. The award of the contract will not be announced until the contract is signed and the lucky man qualifies. There were eleven bidders on the general structural work, two from Marshfield, and six bidders on the plumbing and heating. The bids were considered very reasonable, some being lower than most of the directors had anticipated. The exact figures of the bids will not be given until announcement of the award of the contract is made and this will not be until the contract is signed and bonds are furnished to guarantee its execution.

The hotel will be of brick and six stories. Work is to commence as soon as possible and the building is to be completed and be ready for occupancy within six months.

to such a statement and the incident was closed by appointment of D. L. Rood and Henry Sengstacken as tellers. The qualifications of voters were announced and "ladies first," the ballots were deposited with the results as printed above.

MERGER IS DEFEATED.

Bay Park and Bunker Hill Residents Turn Proposition Down.

At the annual election of District No. 85, which comprises Bunker Hill and Bay Park additions, at the C. A. Smith mill last evening, the proposition to merge the district with Marshfield was defeated by a vote of twelve to eight. This defeats the proposition although the Marshfield district voted in favor of it.

The meeting in District No. 85 was a warm one and the discussion kept it in session until about 10:30 o'clock, the supporters of the Merger proposition fighting to the bitter end. The selection of a site will be left to the directors who will probably choose the Flanagan estate property, a small tract between Bunker Hill and Bay Park, if it can be obtained for a reasonable amount. The election resulted in Dan Matheson being chosen for three years, J. D. McNeal for two years and Wm. Phillips for one year. Mrs. W. F. Squires was elected clerk.

NORTH BEND CONTEST.

L. F. Falkenstein and C. E. Maybee Re-elected In School Election.

North Bend yesterday had one of the most animated school elections it has had in years, 114 voters being got out. The result was the reelection of L. F. Falkenstein as a director for three years, and of C. E. Maybee as clerk.

The contest was sprung by the Socialists and Labor Unions uniting on C. A. Strickland for director, and E. P. Anderson for clerk. The contest resulted in the ministers and a number of the liquor men, who have been bitterly fighting each other, lining up for Messrs. Falkenstein and Maybee.

The vote was as follows:
L. F. Falkenstein 63
C. A. Strickland 51
C. E. Maybee 62
E. P. Anderson 45

SAME good old Club dance Wednesday night.

MAKE ORGANIZED EFFORT TO COMPEL HARRIMAN TO BUILD

SHOOTS AND KILLS HUSBY

Bellingham Woman Kills Spouse In Presence of Young Children.

(By Associated Press.)
BELLINGHAM, Wash., June 16.—In the presence of her two young children, Mrs. Frank W. Eggleston sent two bullets from a 32-calibre revolver into the heart and breast of her husband this morning, killing him instantly at their home in West Bellingham. The woman states that she killed her husband to prevent him killing her and the children. She states that he tried to shoot her with a rifle, but missed fire. She ran to the bedroom, seized a pistol and killed him. Eggleston was out of work and about to lose his home. The woman has not been arrested.

DEAL WORKED ON ROOSEVELT

Idaho Appointee Said to be Attorney For Men Accused of Land Frauds.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 16.—President Roosevelt knows nothing of the report that C. H. Lingenfelter, who yesterday was appointed district attorney for Idaho, was counsel of the men charged with land frauds in Idaho, whose cases are still pending. He will have the charges looked into.

KANSAS CITY FLOOD OVER

Missouri and Kaw Are Falling But Property Loss Will Be Heavy.

(By Associated Press.)
KANSAS CITY, June 16.—The Kaw and Missouri rivers are falling and the worst of the flood is over. The lower sections of the city are still inundated and will probably not be accessible for several days. The exact extent of the damage or property loss is not known yet. Great precaution will be exercised in visiting buildings in the flooded district, as it is feared that many of them were so badly undermined that they will collapse under the slightest jar after the water recedes.

MANY TO GRADUATE.

University of Oregon Commencement Opens June 21.

Alumni and friends of Oregon University on Coos Bay have received invitations to the annual commencement exercises of the institution which will be held during the week commencing June 21. A special program has been prepared. This year, fifty-eight will receive diplomas from the institution.

A number of the institution's alumni on Coos Bay are planning to attend the exercises.

PIANO STUDIO of Louis H. Boll, located in First Trust and Savings Bank building, second floor, parlors 17, 18, 19 and 20. Will teach during the summer months.

ALL TRIMMED HATS at and below cost. Mrs. L. M. Perry, North Bend.

Southwestern Oregon Counties Propose to Force Construction of Railway.

PROPOSE TO CALL CONVENTION HERE.

Meeting Likely to be Held On Coos Bay Sometime In August.

PORTLAND, June 16.—The Telegram says: "Organized effort will be made within the next few weeks to attack and overthrow the Harriman tyranny in Oregon. A convention for this purpose will be held at Coos Bay some time in August, and the campaign against the throttling "Wizard of Wall Street" will be conducted along altogether novel lines. Its effectiveness will depend first upon whether Harriman has influence in the next Legislature, and, secondly, upon the attitude of the voters of the state, for the matter will be made a subject of referendum petition, as well as legislative enactment.

"The convention will represent what will be known of the "Railroad Neglected Areas of Oregon," and no delegate living nearer than 50 miles to a railway station will be entitled to a seat during the deliberations of the unique association. But even at this the membership roll-call will show that all of Harney, Malheur, Coos, Curry and Tillamook counties are eligible to participation.

"The Harriman bulwarks will be assailed in a bill which will be drawn up by the proper committee of the convention, which will be submitted to the legislature next January. The measure will attack the present law, which has enabled Harriman to secure strangleholds on every available pass or gap through the mountains, over into Central Oregon for a period of five years. A provision of the bill will probably require that no railroad shall be allowed to gain permanent control of more than one such strategic position, and then only for a limited time, within which a certain amount of actual railroad construction work must be done, as evidence of good faith. This is much after the fashion of the homestead act, which requires that the settler do a certain amount of improvement work each year.

"This, of course, is only a rough outline of how the great regions of Oregon, rich in undeveloped resources, hoodwinked and toyed with by the Harriman interests for many years expect to throw off the shackles which have checked the onward march of civilization and industrial development of one of the greatest empires in America.

"Whatever fate may attend the career of this important measure in the legislature, the people of Oregon will be called upon to say whether they or Harriman shall guide the fortunes of the state in the future.

"Those who are behind this movement have great confidence that the voters of the state will come to the front with an overwhelming majority in favor of "trimming the Harriman claws." At the same time, a mighty effort will be made to accomplish the results desired when the legislature meets, and the support of other railroad corporations which Harriman has managed to keep from invading this treasureland of Central Oregon will probably be forthcoming, in the shape of definite propositions in the way of construction of new arteries of commerce in the new untapped regions.

Invitations will be sent to every commercial organization in the state to send delegates to this convention, and another powerful ally is looked for in the press of the state. August has been selected, though the exact date has not been fixed, for the reason that the roads are in the best possible condition at that time the delegates will have the least sible trouble in reaching Coos Bay.

D. W. Yoder, of Burns, Harney County, and Walter Lyon, secretary of the Coos Bay Chamber of Commerce.

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