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## REPUBLICANS SOUND CAMPAIGN CRY THROUGH TAFT

### INDEPENDENCE PARTY NATIONAL DELEGATES FAVORABLE TO HISGEN

### HEARST'S SPEECH LOUDLY PRAISED

Charles F. S. Neal May Be Thomas Hisgen's Running Mate.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Chicago, July 28.—Delegates to the national convention of the Independence party spent the morning about the headquarters or seeing the sights of the city, and resumed the sessions at 2 o'clock this afternoon, when the report of the resolutions committee was made by Chairman Howard S. Taylor of Chicago.

There is much talk of Charles F. S. Neal of Indiana as the vice-presidential nominee. He was one of the most active Hearst workers in Indiana in 1904 and lives at Lebanon, in that state, though he conducts his business in Chicago.

Though there is still a large number of candidates, it seems to be generally believed that Thomas L. Hisgen will receive the presidential nomination. The speech of William H. Hearst last night and his attacks upon the two established parties was the subject of much discussion during the morning. The delegates continued in highest terms the utterances of their leader.

During last night's session the following Hearst slogans were much in evidence:

"The Democratic machine, the platformer chip, the Republican machine, the dollar, pass current at the same counter."  
"New Jersey: The home of the trusts; wants to smash 'em."  
"Indiana wants a new deal with a clean deck."  
"Oregon—No Chicago steam-roller; no Denver rock-crusher."  
"Rhode Island—Aldrich owns the senate; we want the people to own both."  
The entrance of George W. McCaskey, whom the Illinois delegates are supporting for the gubernatorial nomination, was a sign for cheers "for the next governor of Illinois," last night.

The hall was in an uproar as he

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William Randolph Hearst, Independence League Leader.

### RESIGNATION OF CAKE IS DEMANDED

Chairman of State Central Committee in Boston to Ask Jonathan to Come Through With Pin Money to Pay Campaign Bills.

Disgruntled Factions Will Consider Chairman As a Has-Beener and Elect New One Whether Resignation Comes or Not.

Oregon's Republican leaders, of the Republican faction, do not want William M. Cake to retain his place as the head of the state central committee. They want him to get down and out and let them take hold of the reins, the rudder and all the other guiding apparatus of the Republican ship of state in this neck of the woods, and try to give William H. Taft a majority of 50,000 votes or more in November.

If they do not get their hands on the throttle of the machine they contend that it is very probable that four men will go back to the electoral college pledged to vote for William Jennings Bryan instead of for William Howard Taft.

Consequent to this feeling, if Mr. Cake does not resign and get out of the way peacefully, the gathering clans will arise in their might and hurl him bodily out of the camp and into the outer darkness of political oblivion. That's the way it is going to be, according to the prophets who contend that they have a second sight on things political.

**Demand Cake's Resignation.**  
Mr. Cake has attended the national conference of state chairmen and he has come back empty-handed and badly hazarded by those of the stalwarts who demanded of him why things are as they are in Oregon. Now he has gone again to the east, leaving instructions that a meeting of the state committee be called the first Tuesday in September for the purpose of mapping out the plans for the presidential campaign.

Some are going to go before that time because the report has filtered back that Mr. Cake is to meet Senator Bourne in the east and from him attempt to get money to carry on the campaign. Senator Bourne is not optimistic regarding the election of Taft. He believes that the state chairman is being outwitted by the Taft campaign.

The election of Taft is being argued by a big Taft majority is argued to be a knock at Cake. Therefore, the boomers argue, Cake has no money to carry on, and making a Taft campaign, they don't believe that the state chairman would be pleased with a big Taft majority. Therefore, they are all agreed that the money being spent by the state chairman is being spent for a still lower level.

A still lower level, but a growing one, is being sent up from all over the state, though it sprang from Multnomah and Clatsop counties, demanding that Mr. Cake abdicate, and is being argued that time is flying and that the Taft battlements ought to be put up and manned long before the first Tuesday in September.

Accordingly it is being urged that a meeting of the state committee should be held in the near future and that at that time Mr. Cake ought to pack up his traps and go, leaving the way clear for the election of a new chairman. It is being argued that if Mr. Cake stays, he will be "safe" who would pick up the Taft banner and carry it up to unassailable heights.

It is very probable that the meeting will be held, and soon, and that if Mr. Cake is not at home in person, his resignation will be signed by proxy. If there should be a delay in the matter, it is probable that the resignation will be considered to have been given and a new chairman will be elected anyway. Mr. Cake has got to go under some pretext or other, or he will be willing or unwilling.

**Wound Still Fresh.**  
The situation is about this: If M. M. Cake, brother of Will, was a candidate for senator and took Statement No. 1, he would be elected. It is being argued that if there should be a delay in the matter, it is probable that the resignation will be considered to have been given and a new chairman will be elected anyway. Mr. Cake has got to go under some pretext or other, or he will be willing or unwilling.

### TAFT DECLARES HE WILL FOLLOW POLICIES ADOPTED BY ROOSEVELT



Four Prominent Men on the Taft Nomination Committee. At the Upper Left, C. A. Rook of Pennsylvania; Upper Right, Hon. George P. Codd of Michigan; Lower Left, George Ade of Indiana; Lower Right, J. Warren Keifer of Ohio.

### FIRM STAND ON UNION QUESTION

Practically Goes on Record in Favor of Open Shop—Interesting Document.

Cincinnati, July 28.—William H. Taft, Republican candidate for president, was today formally notified of his having received the majority vote of the Republican national convention. Senator William Warner of Missouri introduced Mr. Taft to the audience that has gathered to hear his ideas of government of the people upon which shall be hinged all the important phases of the approaching campaign.

The ceremonies were prefaced by striking scenes. The marching clubs from many nearby cities were in attendance and a program of entertainment including many special features was rendered prior to the notification.

At 12:30 o'clock members of the notification committee left their hotels and were escorted to the residence of Charles P. Taft, the candidate's brother, where they were joined by Senator Warner. Senator Warner's speech introducing Mr. Taft was brief and the candidate's address to the people of the United States was then delivered, simply but impressively.

"Safe government," as opposed to radicalism, formed the keynote of the Taft speech. Assurances were given that the election of Mr. Taft would mean that the principles advocated by Theodore Roosevelt as President would continue to be urged until they ultimately become the law and settled policy of the United States. Reduction of the tariff was advocated, and attention directed to the plans suggested by Mr. Bryan for controlling railroads and the large combinations of capital were attacked as injurious and productive of no real benefit to the country at large. Other matters touched upon in the address included the injunction plank of the Republican platform and the revision of the currency laws.

Frank H. Hitchcock, the Taft manager, arrived at 1 o'clock this morning from Chicago and went immediately to his hotel. Later, Taft, Hitchcock and Arthur C. Vreeland of a conference. It is supposed that the subject was the question of inviting Senator Foraker to participate in the campaign opening at Youngstown, Ohio, September 2.

The matter of whether Foraker should be invited to the Youngstown meeting is the most perplexing question before the leaders just now. They are anxious to show him the courtesy and take the step toward harmony, but they are afraid of what he will say. It has been proposed to invite him to speak upon condition that he submit his remarks in writing to the managers of the meeting. This, however, is said not to be favored by Taft.

Senator Warner in introducing Mr. Taft as presidential candidate, said: "Warner's Speech of Notification. Mr. Taft: You are, of course, not unaware that Mr. Roosevelt's term as president of the United States will expire on March 4, 1909; that the political parties of our country are perfecting their organizations preparatory to presenting to the people at the general election to be held in November next their respective candidates for that high office; that the Republican party, in national convention, composed of delegates representing every state and territory and the outlying possessions of the United States, assembled in Chicago June 16 to 19, inclusive, has completed its deliberations; that it has outlined and submitted to the citizenship of the republic for consideration and adoption governmental policies which it confidently believes will be of the highest service to the nation in her every part; that it has, from among its strong and experienced statesmen—men whose service to the public has demonstrated their worthiness in clearness of character, devotion to country and to the welfare of the individual citizens, and with full understanding of the nation's needs in her highest and best aspirations, selected you as its candidate for president—the highest honor that can be conferred by this constitutional body."

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### SULTAN STARTLES TURKEY

No Longer Will He Be Despotic, Secretive Monarch but Will Throw Off All Conventionalities and Become One of the People.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Constantinople, July 28.—As a climax of the most remarkable series of kaleidoscopic revolutionary changes in the history of Turkey that have succeeded each other in rapid succession during the past two weeks, Sultan Abdul Hamid II issued an imperial decree today that changes the entire social existence of the imperial family in conformity with the reforms recently granted to his subjects.

Henceforth Abdul Hamid, no longer despotic ruler of an absolute despotism but constitutional monarch by his own declaration of Friday, will live the life of a democratic monarch who depends on the good will of the people for his power.

The trade issued today declares officially that Abdul, who has been a self-imposed prisoner in the imperial palace for the past 21 years, will henceforth appear on the streets like any other citizen of Turkey.

No less sweeping in its revolutionary aspect is the second decree of the trade, which announces that henceforth princesses of the imperial family must observe monogamy. They will not be permitted to have more than one husband, a chief of a harem, but must be queen in their household.

The sultan has long been known to fret under the bondage imposed on him by the customs of his country and it is said today to be the happiest man in all Turkey.

The entire country is amazed at the latest decree of the sultan, and he is today the most popular man in Turkey.

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### LOWER LUMBER RATE HELD UP

Commission Notifies Espee of Postponement on Willamette Stuff.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, July 28.—Word has been received by the law department of the Southern Pacific company here that the interstate commerce commission has ordered postponed the new rate on lumber shipments from Willamette river points in Oregon to San Francisco bay points. The new rate was to have become effective on August 15, but the order issued delays its operation until October 1.

The new order came from Washington, following upon the suit brought against the interstate commerce commission by the railroad to restrain the enforcement of the new rate.

The commission in its letter to the railroad asks that the suit be heard at the end of September, instead of August 5, the day set by the federal court here, because the members of the commission wish to take that period of time for vacations.

**High Prosperity Note from South**  
Roads Increase Shop Forces; Rates and Salaries Are Not to Be Changed.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 28.—Following the announcement that there will be no increase in rates nor reduction in salaries on the railroads entering Los Angeles, men are being added to the forces at the Santa Fe shops at San Bernardino and the Southern Pacific shops here.

Officials of the Southern Pacific, Santa Fe and Salt Lake roads joined in declaring today that no further reduction in forces would be necessary. The machine of retrenchment is past, they believe, and further increases in the working forces will be made within a short time.

**Great Typhoon Sinks Steamer**  
Three Hundred Chinese Perish When Ying King Sinks Off Coast.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Canton, China, July 28.—Three hundred Chinese were drowned yesterday by the sinking of the Chinese passenger steamer Ying King, which foundered in a great typhoon that swept the Chinese coast yesterday. It is not believed that any Europeans or Americans were on board, though the details received today still are incomplete.

### SOCIALISTS WANT TO PREVENT WAR

The Netherlands Threatened With Revolt if Venezuela Is Bombarded.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
The Hague, July 28.—Interference by the Dutch Socialists may prevent a declaration of war against Venezuela by the Netherlands government.

The Socialists threaten a revolt as the result of their objection to the belligerent attitude of Queen Wilhelmina, and it is possible that their stand may result in a decision not to bombard the Venezuelan ports of La Guayra and Puerto Cabello under the plan announced Monday.

The Socialists make their complaint on the ground that the expense of a war is borne by the common people and that the crown has no right to throw this expense upon them without consulting their wishes.

The plans of the government, however, are being guarded most carefully and the greatest secrecy maintained.

**Directoire Gown Before Justice**  
Justice Liked It and Refused to Be Blindfolded by Arguments.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Muncie, Ind., July 28.—"Now that doesn't look so bad, does it?" asked Miss Isabel Turner of Justice Pierce. The pretty young actress was arrested for appearing on the streets in a directoire gown and as she asked the question, she exhibited a pretty calf and ankle through the slit in the garment.

Justice Pierce was hearing the case against the actress, and, of course, was unable to express an opinion. The fact that she acquired her of the charge of indecency was proof that he thought it did not "look bad."

After the trial Justice Pierce said: "I don't look so bad, does it?" in comparison with some of the sights you see on any rainy day."

**JOURNAL WANT ADS BRING RESULTS**  
LOST AND FOUND 21  
LOST—FRIDAY EVENING ON 16TH ST. N. between Irving and river, or on 17th last block from river, gold watch, chain and pearl earring. If returned to Holmes business college.

**LOST SUNDAY AT NORTH END**  
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### AGED MAN'S SLAYER CAUGHT

Corporal Frank B. Barker Found Hiding in Lodging House in Spokane.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Spokane, Wash., July 28.—Corporal Frank B. Barker, Company D, Third Infantry, was arrested at midnight in a lodging-house here for the murder of Ira Nessinger at Medical Lake Saturday night. He confessed to the crime early this morning. He was rushed to Medical Lake, the scene of the murder, by officers. A crowd gathered about the auto and threatened lynching. The machine was forced through the crowd and the party got back to Spokane with the prisoner.

Barker claims that he got into a dispute with Nessinger, who called him names. He said he picked up a lead pipe and beat the old man's brains out, but did not rob him. Nessinger was known to have had \$15, which was missing with his watch. When slain the body of the victim had almost collapsed. When arrested here last night the chevrons had been torn from his sleeves.

Barker had previously borne an average good record as a soldier.

### GROSSCUP-LANDIS FEUD IN EVIDENCE

It Recurs in Habeas Corpus Case Affecting Army Officer.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Chicago, July 28.—Attorneys Adams and Yeatman today sued for a writ of habeas corpus for the release of Captain Daniel F. Keller, formerly a captain in the army, who is confined in prison at Fort Leavenworth on order of Judge Kenneth Mountain Landis, and it is likely that this action will be followed by a suit against the jurist for \$50,000 damages for false imprisonment.

The legal part comes in as an aftermath of a feud between Landis and Judge Keller. Keller is accused of having committed Captain Keller to prison in the face of writs of supersedeas and error, which had been issued by Judge Grosscup.

Captain Keller was charged with having collected more than \$10,000 on forged checks and was sentenced to two years' imprisonment by Judge Landis after a trial alleged to have been full of errors.

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