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HARDING WILL BASE CAMPAIGN ON PARTY RULE

SENATOR IN CONFERENCE WITH
CHAIRMAN HAYS AND GOV-
ERNOR COOLIDGE

LAWS MUST BE OBSERVED

Vice-Presidential Candidate Says
That Public Must Return to
Self-Control

Washington, June 30.—The republican presidential campaign will be based on "an appeal to restore party government as a constitutional substitute for personal government," Senator Harding announced today after a conference with Calvin Coolidge, his running mate, and National Chairman Hays.

At the same time Governor Coolidge, in a formal statement declared there must be "a return of public opinion toward self-control by the people and toward the great and overmastering desire to observe the law."

NEW TRAIL WILL CUT DISTANCE DOWN RIVER

Portland, Ore., June 30.—A trail that will cut off about 30 miles from the present trip is being constructed from the lower Rogue river country to the railroad above, according to word received from Forest Examiner M. L. Merritt, who has just returned from the Rogue river country, where, with K. P. Ceell of the forest service, he went to Powers. A trail crew is working on a stretch of about five miles over the west end.

Work for this season has just been started by the forest service and it expects to complete from a half to two-thirds of the work this year, as insufficient funds make necessary the postponement of completion until next season.

Two miles of trail will be built by the service on the Rogue river to one of the hills between Kelsey and Mud creek and Mr. Ceell will remain in the region and do location work on another three miles with the expectation that the service will work on them next year. He will also run a preliminary line over the next nine miles towards Grants Pass, so that the service will know just how much more work there is to be done. The service plans to keep the trail crew busy every season for several years to come, working the trail system out gradually and fighting fires in the dry season.

Mr. Merritt says that the Rogue river trail follows the Rogue river canyon and in many places it is cut through cliffs and slides that are continually falling with loose rocks which roll down from above, making it the most difficult trail the service has to contend with. Because they are used by the United States mail carriers on their regular route from Illabe, Agness and the entire Rogue river territory, the trails in that region are of more than usual importance.

Legion Had Meeting—

The meeting of the American Legion was well attended last night, a number of the members coming in from different points in the county. A full explanation of the merits of the government insurance was offered by C. H. Ernst, a local insurance representative. His remarks were seconded by M. C. Gaston, who also is representative for an insurance company. Both advised the men to carry as much of the insurance as possible. After the business session, a number of candidates were initiated. Refreshments were served.

BOOZE QUESTION RILES W.J. BRYAN

Exponent of Grape Juice Expresses
His Dissatisfaction Over Present
Situation

San Francisco, June 30.—William J. Bryan is in a fighting mood. Speaking at a breakfast gathering early today he expressed his dissatisfaction with the wet and dry situation before the resolutions committee. He said that he expected a fight in the convention, and that he "hoped to gain the distinction as a reviser of platforms."

"It takes only one man to bring in a minority report, and there is that one man on the resolutions committee. I came here as a delegate from Nebraska to take the case before the thousand other delegates assembled here and to let them answer."

"I came here to do what I can for the people, not to see what I can get the people to do for me. If I can help this world to banish alcohol, and after that to banish war, and, if I can do that, no office or no presidency can offer honors that will be mine."

After the roll call of the state had been called Alabama passed, Arizona yielded to Oklahoma, D. Hayne Lincoln, of Muskogee, placed the name of Senator Owen in nomination.

Talks at Medford—

President F. S. Bramwell, of the local Chamber of Commerce, George Sabin and Frank Mashburn went to Medford today to attend the forum luncheon of the Medford commercial organization. The subject under discussion will be the development of the tourist traffic, and will be presented by President Bramwell. A number of invitations have been received by the local chamber but this was the first opportunity that they had had to make the trip. Medford is very much interested in the tourist trade and the Medford body hopes that they will be able to get a number of valuable suggestions from Mr. Bramwell.

GERARD WILL SPEAK AT ASHLAND SUNDAY

Featuring the three day celebration at Ashland, Oregon, will be addresses by James W. Gerard, ex-ambassador to Germany, who trod the toes of the kaiser during the first four years of the world war, and Bishop William O. Shepherd.

The beautiful Lithia park will be the setting of miners' row, reproducing the days of '49, with its faro, dice and roulette. The bar will overflow again, and the dancehall will be there in all its old time splendor. Parades of all characters, historical and comical, will be sprinkled throughout the three days.

Bishop Shepherd will take charge on Sunday, the Fourth, and will officiate at the unveiling of a tablet in memory of the brave boys of Ashland and vicinity who died in the service of their country during the world war.

The days will be replete with entertainment for everyone. Ashland and Yreka will strive for honors at the baseball park; games and contests will be in order for the children; and the fireworks which close the celebration will be the best ever.

Secretary Is Here—

Clarence D. Smith, field secretary of the Kimball School of Theology, of Salem, arrived in Grants Pass Tuesday in the interests of Kimball and will be here for a few days. The Kimball college is the theological school of the northwest and is endorsed and authorized by the Methodist Episcopal church. It is wholly independent of Willamette University in administration and maintenance, but its students have free admission to courses of study offered by the university. The Kimball school is much in need of further endowment, and it is for the purpose of securing this that Mr. Smith is in the city.

MOIST PLANK TO BE DRAFTED BY DEMOCRATS

SUBCOMMITTEE IS PRACTICALLY
AGREED TO HOLD FOR WET
PLATFORM

LEAGUE AS WILSON WILLS

Covenant Plank Will Be Left as
President Says Without Any
Change Whatever

San Francisco, June 30.—According to administration chiefs, the sub-committee drafting the democratic platform has practically agreed on a prohibition plank which is described "as slightly moist" and as being in "support of the constitutional amendment," but with declarations for personal liberty, against "vexatious interference." The league of nations plank, the same administration chiefs said, has been agreed upon, "just as Woodrow Wilson want it, without the dotting of an 'i' or the crossing of a 't.'"

San Francisco, June 30.—The democratic platform still was in an embryonic stage, but there are prospects of presentations tomorrow to the convention when the platform builders reassembled today. Although many minor planks had been virtually settled, most of the troublesome major problems remained unsolved when the subcommittee of nine, preparing the tentative draft, reconvened today. The league of nations and prohibition remained the big barriers to an agreement. The adjustment of the league question, however, was said to be in a fair way to realization.

By afternoon or night, Chairman Carter Glass said, it was hoped to go finally before the full committee, when a long and spirited discussion was in prospect. With the late session tonight, leaders hoped to be able to bring the completed product before the convention tomorrow.

Some subcommittees are optimistic over the prospects of harmony on the league dispute. On prohibition the subcommittee remained largely at sea. All suggestions for a wet plank which would declare for the repeal of the 18th amendment or the annulment of the Volstead enforcement act were said to have been virtually thrown overboard by tacit consent in the subcommittee, but the fight for the "beer and wine" plank on one hand and some sort of prohibition declaration on the other was reported still in progress. Secretary of State Colby, according to reports slipping out from closely sealed quarters, was said to be favoring the beer and wine provision. The report was accorded significance because of Colby's recent conference with President Wilson. So far as the main body of the platform is concerned, the subcommittee found little difficulty in agreeing. The Virginia platform, endorsed by President Wilson and brought here by Senator Glass was said to have furnished the basis for declarations readily agreed to, regarding the general principles of the party.

When the full platform committee reassembled at 11 o'clock, Senator Glass reported that the subcommittee was not ready to report and a recess was taken until 7:30 tonight. The subcommittee again went into session with its members divided in opinions as to whether there will be a possible report at the hour fixed.

Takes Bonds North—

Wilford Allen, secretary of the Grants Pass Irrigation District, left Tuesday evening with \$134,000 of the bonds of the district. He is taking the bonds to Salem for certification and will then deliver them to the Ralph Schueloch bonding house at Portland, this house having decided to buy all the bonds of the district. The money from these bonds will be applied on the new contract. This money will be the first to be expended on the new work authorized by the board of directors.

M'ADOO NOT TO ALLOW NAME TO BE PRESENTED

DEFINITE AND FINAL INSTRUC-
TIONS RECEIVED FROM THE
EAST

ACTION HAS HIS APPROVAL

Refuses to Comment Further Than
That the Move Has His Official
Approval

San Francisco, June 30.—Definite and final instructions came from the east today that William Gibbs McAdoo's name was not formally to be placed before the democratic national convention. Burriss Jenkins, of Kansas City, who was prepared to make the speech nominating McAdoo revised his plans and decided not to offer his speech.

New York, July 30.—"This action was taken with my entire approval," McAdoo said today when told that "definite and final instructions" had been received at San Francisco that his name was not formally to be placed before the democratic national convention. He would make no further comment.

George Kearns went to Medford today on a short business trip.

W. B. Sherman, of Sacramento, is spending a few days in the city looking after some business interests.

Mrs. Cecil Hayes returned to her home at Roseburg this morning after a visit here with Mrs. H. R. Faubion. C. I. Penileton is a Medford visitor today attending to business matters.

Mrs. A. L. Johnson went to Klamath Falls this morning and will visit with a daughter for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Smith returned to their home at Gold Hill today after visiting here with friends.

F. C. Bramwell is spending the day attending to business matters in Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Perk left this morning for San Francisco where they will visit for the next week.

Mrs. W. H. Dana left last night for Portland to spend a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. D. A. Bonner, who has been visiting here for several days with Mrs. W. H. Dana, left yesterday evening for her home at Glendale.

Rev. L. Myron Boozer, of Medford, is spending the day in the city, being here for the A. H. Carson funeral.

Mrs. Earl Brown arrived this morning from Medford for a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Slover.

W. L. Regis, of Glendale, stopped off here a short time today to attend to some business before continuing on a trip to Klamath Falls.

Misses Margaret Bartlett and Helen Shank have arrived from Portland to spend the summer with friends in the city.

Eugene Smith, of Bakersfield, Cal., spent a short time in the city leaving this morning for Hugo. Mr. Smith expects to return here later to make his home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hulsey have been visiting here for a number of days with friends. They returned this morning to their home at North Bend.

Miss Pearl Youngblood returned last night from Washington, D. C., where she spent the past few years in the insurance department. Miss Youngblood will visit here all summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Youngblood. She spent the past four days visiting with a sister in San Francisco.

Water Is Warm—

The water in the river has begun to take on an August temperature. Yesterday afternoon the thermometer showed that it had reached 70 degrees, the warmest of the year. Last year in August it got a little warmer than this. The water is falling fast and the present indications point to the lowest stage for a number of years.

EXPRESS ROBBED OF LARGE AMOUNT

Bandits Take Thousands of Dollars
in Georgia Robbery—Money Was
for U. S. Marines

Augusta, Ga., June 30.—An express car on the Charleston and Western Carolina railroad was reported robbed near Leno early today by bandits who gagged and bound the messenger and armed guard and made away with \$59,000, constituting the payroll for the marines at Paris Island the South Carolina station.

Dr. Stearns Returns—

Dr. R. W. Stearns returned this morning from Salem where he was called last Friday by the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. F. G. Stearns. On Friday Mrs. Stearns Sr. was taken by an attack of paralysis and did not recover, passing away Sunday evening. Funeral services were held in Salem Tuesday. Mrs. R. W. Stearns of this city, left Monday evening for Salem and will remain there for a few days.

PORTLAND MARKETS

Portland, June 30.—Cattle, hogs, sheep and eggs are steady but unchanged. Butter firm, cubes, extras, 52c at 53c.

SUGAR PRICES DROP A LITTLE IN SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, June 30.—All sugar allotments placed on sale today were quoted at \$22.75 per hundred weight, refiners price, a drop of 25c since yesterday.

ALBANIAN CITY HELD BY ITALIANS CAPTURED

Belgrade, June 30.—A report that the Albanian city of Avlona has been captured from the Italians by Albanian insurgents has been received by the newspaper Prava, in a dispatch from Uskub, Southern Serbia. The report adds that the entire Italian garrison was taken with the town.

BISHOPS LEAVE FOR LONDON CONFERENCE

London, June 29.—Many bishops of the Anglican church, including 12 from America, are already on their way from distant dioceses to attend the Lambeth conference, which will begin here early in July. This conference has met at intervals of about ten years since 1867, when Archbishop Longley, first invited all the bishops in communion with the Church of England to a conference at Lambeth.

The American bishops have already taken a prominent part in preparing for the conference, but, for some reason which is not very clear, says the Times, they have not appointed the four representatives to which they are entitled on the Central Consultative Body. It is expected that about 279 bishops will attend this year's deliberations, 100 of them from the British Isles, 107 from overseas and 72 from America. A representative group of American bishops is preparing a number of papers on Christian unity.

Employed in Chicago—

Mrs. Joseph Harper has received word from her son, George Harper, that he is now employed in Chicago. He is working with the Union Station Company, which is building a new union station for a number of lines. Mr. Harper has the supervision of a viaduct over one of the streets. He says that he would like to see any of his old friends if they ever get to Chicago, his office being at 507 South Canal street.

Injured by Fall—

Mrs. I. T. Gallagher, of Rogue River, fell last night and broke both bones in her right arm, the injury being very painful. Dr. Lockbridge was summoned and the bones were set. Mrs. Gallagher is getting along excellently.

DAY SPENT IN LISTENING TO NOMINATIONS

ONLY CHANGE IN SCHEDULE IS
WITHDRAWAL OF McADOO'S
NAME

SESSION TO BE CONTINUOUS

Speeches to Put Out of Way Today
With Beginning of Balloting
Tomorrow

San Francisco, June 30.—At 1 o'clock today, the democratic national convention was on the business of hearing the nominating speeches. The names of Senator Owen, Ex-Ambassador Gerard, Homer Cummings and Senator Hitchcock had been presented during the first hour and a half.

Mrs. Susan Fitzgerald, of Massachusetts, was the first woman to make a seconding speech in the convention. She seconded the Owen nomination. The band played "Oh, You Beautiful Doll" as she took the platform.

The demonstration which followed the nomination speech for Owens was not lengthy.

Mrs. Force Parker, of Los Angeles, seconded the nomination of Cummings. Mrs. Parker spoke less than a minute and the delegates in appreciation of her brevity gave her a rising demonstration of thanks.

The nomination of Attorney General Palmer was accompanied by the first real noisy and prolonged demonstration of the convention, it ran up towards half an hour with the delegates from Pennsylvania and Georgia leading the crowd. The standards of Maine and Porto Rico also got into the parade as it churned around the convention floor. Maroon Palmer attendants and small American flags were carried by the marchers as they cut lines through the crowd of delegates and sang their marching song over and over again. The Palmer men pranced about chanting the celebrated parody "Glory, Glory, Pennsylvania," to the tune of "Glory, Glory, Hallelujah." The same tune was kept up by the band in the organ loft and in between the times a crew of cheer leaders kept the convention floor pepped up.

Auditorium, San Francisco, June 30.—The democratic national convention assembled today to hear the candidates placed in nomination, with another last change of plans or the McAdoo forces which finally precluded the presentation of his name. There were no changes respecting the placing of other candidates in nomination. Prospects were that the convention would go through in a continuous session today and get all the nominating speeches out of the way, leaving tomorrow free for balloting.

Chairman Robinson began whacking his gavel at 11:14 o'clock. The Cox delegation, however, insisted on having a demonstration and the convention awaited its end. It was short.

It was 11:30 o'clock before the convention came to order for the day of nominating speeches.

Candidates for presidential honors were being placed in nomination at today's session of the democratic national convention. While the committeemen struggled behind closed doors, attempting to draft a platform acceptable to all elements of the party, the convention under the rule approved yesterday, saved time by having the nominating speeches made in advance.

Beginning before noon, oratory held forth and was expected to continue throughout the day.

Crop Specialist Here—

W. S. Carpenter, crop specialist at O. A. C., is pending a few days in the county with County Agent Miller. Today they are visiting the Merlan and Wilderville districts inspecting potato crops for certification for seed. They will also visit a number of farms in the immediate vicinity of Grants Pass.