

## HARDING NOMINATED BY REPUBLICANS

Governor Coolidge of Massachusetts Named As His Running Mate.

Chicago.—Warren G. Harding, United States senator from Ohio, was nominated for the presidency Saturday on the tenth ballot, after a deadlock which had lasted for nine ballots.

As his running mate, the convention named Governor Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts, upsetting a plan of a combination of the Harding backers to nominate for the place Senator Irvine L. Lenroot of Wisconsin. Coolidge was nominated by Wallace McCamant, Oregon.

### Harding Was Dark Horse.

Entering the convention as a candidate distinctly of the "dark horse" class, Senator Harding got only 64 votes on the first ballot and on the second he dropped to 56. When the convention adjourned Friday night at the end of the fourth ballot he had 61.

In all-night conferences among the party chiefs, however, he was mentioned many times as the most likely to break the nomination deadlock should neither Wood, Lowden nor Johnson take a commanding lead Saturday. They failed to do so, Wood and Lowden running a neck-and-neck race for leadership on four ballots, while the strength of the California candidate dwindled steadily.

Meantime Harding pushed his total to 133, individual delegates from many states swinging to him from the columns of the leaders and of various favorite sons. The Johnson managers, fearing a landslide was impending, then made a last play to save the

Harding standard. It was reserved for Pennsylvania to add the crowning touch of enthusiasm. When the Keystone state was reached the Ohio senator needed 32 to nominate him and Pennsylvania gave him 60. It was Governor Sproul himself, the candidate of his state on every preceding ballot and mentioned many times as a possible dark horse to break the deadlock, who announced the big Pennsylvanian vote for Harding. Entering the Coliseum floor for the first time since the balloting began, he made his way to the Pennsylvania standard and amid cheers released the delegates from longer supporting him. Then he took a poll, got the floor and threw in the winning Harding votes.

### Final Ballot Gives Harding 692.

The final check-up showed 692 for Harding, with only 12 left supporting Lowden, 157 for Wood and 80 for Johnson. At their best, earlier in the day, the Wood people had mustered 312 votes and the Lowden forces 311. Johnson's high point was 148, recorded third on the ballot Friday.

The plan to nominate Senator Lenroot for the vice-presidency had the backing of many of the men who had helped put Harding over, but the name of Governor Coolidge stirred the delegates and galleries to repeated cheering and he was swept into second place on the ticket before the first rollcall had gone two-thirds of its length. Again it was Pennsylvania which furnished the winning votes.

Governor Coolidge got 674 votes to 146 for Senator Lenroot and 68 for Governor Allen of Kansas. Several others got scattering support without being placed formally in nomination. The result was greeted with another demonstration and there was renewed cheering.

### Organization Made Permanent.

After the temporary organization headed by Senator Lodge as chairman was made permanent the republican convention marked time during the

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fortunes of their candidate. They moved to recess for a couple of hours in order to take an inventory and seek a new combination. The Wood and Lowden forces, both virtually at the peak of their strength but disheartened at the long string of ballots without material gains, fell in with the recess plan and the convention adopted it.

**Succession of Conferences Held.**  
In the dramatic succession of conferences that followed, the fate of the candidates virtually was sealed. Some of the Wood and Lowden managers tried ineffectually for an agreement which would hold their delegates in line and kill off the Harding boom. Some tried to get a Wood-Lowden-Johnson agreement to adjourn till Monday without making a nomination.

It was the parleys between the Harding and Lowden men, however, which apparently bore the most fruit when the balloting began again, for Governor Lowden came to the convention during the ninth rollcall and, reversing a previous plan to go before the convention itself, issued instructions from behind the scenes releasing his instructed delegates.

Almost as soon as the alphabetical call of states began after the recess the ground swell for Harding demonstrated that it could not be forestalled. Connecticut, when her name was called, took 13 of her 14 votes from Lowden and gave them to Harding.

**Delegates Flock to Harding.**  
Amid scenes of rising enthusiasm other blocks of Lowden delegates followed suit, while many of the routed Wood supporters also went into the Harding camp. By the end of the rollcall Senator Harding had rolled up a total of 374, putting him far into the lead, and several score of votes nearer the nomination than any candidate had been before.

Lowden at the end of the ninth had only 121 votes left out of the 307 with which he ended the eighth, and General Wood's strength had fallen from 299 on the eighth to 249 on the ninth. Johnson dropped from 87 to 82.

As the 10th rollcall began delegates quit Lowden, Wood and Johnson right and left, and the big hall was in almost continuous applause as state after state announced accession to the



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early sessions while the leaders fought out the league of nations issue. Several hours were whiled away with music, speeches and cheering before Senator Watson of Indiana, chairman of the resolutions committee, brought in the platform.

The real excitement commenced at the Coliseum Friday morning when the names of aspiring Republican standard bearers were placed before the convention in nomination.

The big three—Lowden, Johnson and Wood—were placed in nomination before the Republican convention during the first four hours of a sweltering session.

### Seconding Speeches Limited.

Forcing the convention along at express speed to make up for the time lost in settlement of the treaty issue, efforts were made to hold the time given to demonstrations down to a minimum. Seconding speeches were limited to five minutes, and to two minutes when there were more than two seconds.

Major General Wood of New York was the first man whose name was put in nomination, Governor Henry J. Allen of Kansas formally presenting his name and describing the general as "the outstanding candidate in the minds of the whole people."

Representative William A. Rodenberg of Illinois nominated Governor Lowden.

### Johnson Speaker "Booed"

Charles S. Wheeler of San Francisco made the nominating speech for Hiram Johnson.

The first reference to campaign expenditures brought a flurry, a roar of laughter and boos greeting a statement of Mr. Wheeler referred to Senator Johnson's campaign fund as "inadequate to meet legitimate needs."

Former Governor of Ohio, Frank B. Willis, made the nominating speech placing Warren B. Harding, the successful candidate, in nomination.

The other candidates named were: Governor Coolidge of Massachusetts, Judge J. C. Pritchard of North Carolina, Governor Sproul of Pennsylvania, Senator Poindexter of Washington, Senator Sutherland of West Virginia, Nicholas Murray Butler of New York and Herbert Hoover.

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### Time's Changes in Bisbee.

Bisbee, Ariz., where is now heard the honk of the modern automobile, the tick of wrist watches and the wail of silk hose of all colors extending over the tops of \$15 shoes, was entirely different 16 years ago, reminisces a writer in the Review of Bisbee. Then the hard-working miner had to struggle for hours to get a seat at a poker table or a "look in" at a faro game.

Main street was once one of the liveliest thoroughfares in the western hemisphere, saloons, gilded and otherwise, having been the honored business enterprises which lined both sides of the street. If anybody had predicted that a street railway would at some future time run through the center of Main street, or that it would some

day become as dry and arid as the Sahara and Gobi deserts, he would immediately have been taken before a lunacy commission.

### Too Much Ceremony.

The battalion was resting beside the road toward the end of its 16-mile hike. After the weary marchers had eased their packs and slipped from their nearly empty canteens, they watched dispiritedly the energetic setting-up exercises being gone through by a strange outfit in a nearby field.

"What's that there gang?" inquired Private Hanks of Oklahoma without enthusiasm.

"Infantry candidates' school," replied the captain.

"Candidates! Infantry candidates!" exploded Hanks. "My good gosh! Do you have to make application and be initiated to get into this mess nowadays?"—The Home Sector.

### Sculptors in the Doldrums.

According to American Art News, the sculptors complain that there is little work at present in their line of endeavor, and even the leading men are "waiting." The commemorative war-statues and patriotic groups that were to decorate cities, towns and cemeteries have not thus far materialized. The unsettled conditions of the country, they contend, which are holding up building, are accountable for the present "doldrums."

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