

TAFT AND SHERMAN TICKET NAMED BY G. O. P. CONVENTION

TAFT RECEIVED 561, 344 DIDN'T VOTE

CHICAGO, June 24.—President Taft received 561 votes, Senator Cummins 17, Senator La Follette 41, Colonel Roosevelt 107, Justice Hughes 2, absent 6, and not voting 344. This was the result of the first ballot taken at the national republican convention.

CHICAGO, June 24.—With nearly 250 of the Roosevelt delegates declining to vote and hastening away at adjournment time to tender Colonel Roosevelt the nomination of the new party, the fifteenth republican national convention at the end of a long and tumultuous session Saturday night renominated William H. Taft of Ohio for president and James S. Sherman of New York for vice president. President Taft received 561 of the 1078 votes in the convention, or twenty-one more than a majority.

The decision of the Roosevelt people under the direction of their leader to refrain from voting, left no other candidate near the president. The announcement of a Taft victory was greeted with cheering from his adherents and groans and hisses from the opposition.

When it became absolutely certain yesterday that Taft would be nominated without great difficulty leaders in control of the convention decided to give him as a running mate his companion on the ticket of 1908. All others dropped from the race and Sherman was the only candidate regularly placed before the convention. The motion was made from New Hampshire to make the nomination by acclamation, but this was declared out of order. There were many scattering votes on the roll call which ensued. The result was: Sherman 597, Borah 21, Merriam 20, Hadley 14, Beveridge 2, Gillett 1, absent 71, present, but not voting, 352.

The convention amid much confusion adjourned sine die. At no time was there any indication of a walk-out of Roosevelt delegates. They expressed their revolt in silence.

In the confusion just before adjournment a resolution was adopted giving the national committee power to declare vacant the seat of any man on the committee refusing to support the nominees of the regular convention of 1912.

The first mention of Taft's name in Warren Harding's nominating speech was the signal for a wild demonstration on the floor and in the galleries.

When Harding first mentioned Taft's name the Taft delegates and balconies jumped to their feet, cheering wildly.

The Roosevelt delegates sat stolidly in their seats. So did the Wisconsin delegates. Jeers of the Roosevelt men were drowned.

Senator Root remained seated, but almost every other notable on the stage joined in the cheering.

The demonstration lasted exactly fifteen minutes. Harding resumed, making brief reference to the applause.

The Roosevelt supporters "heckled" Harding throughout of his speech, hissing and booing his oratory, hurling taunting questions at him during his pauses meant to be effective in parts of his peroration. A delegate in the back of the hall tooted vigorously on a "steam roller" whistle whenever Harding made reference to Taft's strength.

John Wanamaker of Philadelphia seconded Taft's nomination.

"In the love of country," said Wanamaker, "I am proud to stand before you today. It was worth a hurried trip across from Europe. I accepted the personal invitation of the president and then was elected without instructions. I have tried to be a good juryman and to vote as I thought right and just."

Alabama, Taft 22, not voting 2; Arizona, Taft 6; Arkansas, Taft 17, not voting 1; California, Taft 2, not voting 24; Colorado, Taft 12; Connecticut, Taft 14; Delaware, Taft 6; Florida, Taft 12; Georgia, Taft 28; Idaho, Taft 1, Cummins 7; Illinois, Taft 2, Roosevelt 52, absent 2, not voting 2.

Indiana, Taft 20, Roosevelt 3, not voting 7; Iowa, Taft 16, Cummins 10; Kansas, Taft 2, not voting 18; Kentucky, Taft 24, Roosevelt 2; Louisiana, Taft 20; Maine, not voting 12; Maryland, Taft 1, Roosevelt 9, absent 1, not voting 5; Massachusetts, Taft 20, not voting 16; Michigan, Taft 20, not voting 9; Minnesota,

ROOSEVELT GIVEN NOMINATION UPON INDEPENDENT TICKET

CHICAGO, June 24.—Colonel Roosevelt was nominated Saturday night on an independent ticket in the dying hours of the republican national committee in which he met defeat. His followers met at Orchestra hall, less than a mile from the Coliseum, and pledged support to the former president.

In accepting the nomination the Colonel appealed to the people of all sections, regardless of party affiliations, to stand with the founders of the new party.

Colonel Roosevelt thanked the delegates for the nomination by what he declared "the lawfully elected delegates to the republican convention," who represented the majority of the voters who participated in the republican primaries and accepted, subject to but one condition.

He advised the delegates to return home and ascertain the sentiment of the people and then reassemble and formulate a platform. The only condition was if when reassembled they would be entirely free to substitute someone else for him as their candidate for president. The colonel declared the convention "what has just sat did not represent the republicans of the country, but was only organized to carry out the sinister purposes of political bosses."

He said the time had come when all who believe not only in the progressive policies, but elementary principles of public morality, should join in one movement. He declared in this fight his principles should be "Thou shalt not steal." It was immaterial, he said, whether they stole the nomination, stole in politics or in business or stole the birthright of the people to rule themselves.

The informal nomination of Roosevelt was said to be chiefly for the purpose of affecting a temporary organization. Beginning tomorrow, when a call will be issued for a state convention in Illinois, the work of organizing will be pushed forward rapidly, state by state. Later, probably in August, a national convention was suggested by Roosevelt in his acceptance of the nomination, and will be held.

LIVESTOCK PRICES SLIGHTLY HIGHER

PORTLAND, June 24.—Receipts for the week have been as follows: Cattle 1943; calves 90; hogs 1405; sheep 4202.

Although there were more cattle than last week, the market remained about steady. Prices held up better than expected on account of the run of grass cattle, tops bringing from \$6.90 to \$7.00, the ordinary lot of grass cattle bringing around \$6.75. Rough cattle were quoted lower. Cows found ready sale at from \$5.75 to \$6.00. There were a good many calves on the market, the best light grade selling from \$7.75 and the heavier at \$5.00.

The hog receipts were lighter than last week and brought 5c over last week's quotation, the top being \$7.80 and others selling from \$6.50 to \$7.75.

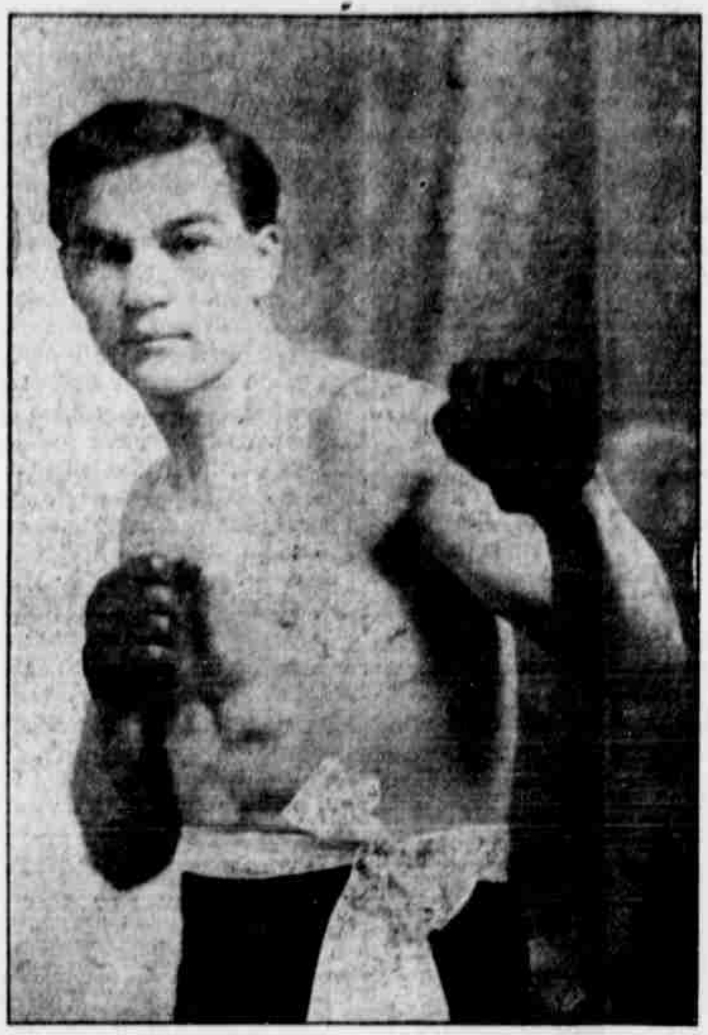
The sheep receipts were also lighter than the previous week. The extreme top on lambs was \$6.00, but some sales were made under that figure. Yearlings and two year old wethers brought \$4.25 and \$4.10. Medium stuff was 25c lower; best ewes \$3.50 to \$3.75.

Missouri, Taft 16, not voting 20; Montana, Taft 8; Nebraska, Roosevelt 2, not voting 14; New Hampshire, Taft 8; Nevada, Taft 6; New Mexico, Taft 7, Roosevelt 1; New York, Taft 76, Roosevelt 8, not voting 6; New Jersey, Roosevelt 2, not voting 26; North Carolina, Taft 1, Roosevelt 1, not voting 22.

North Dakota, La Follette 10; Ohio, Taft 14, not voting 34; Oklahoma, Taft 4, Roosevelt 1, not voting 15; Oregon, Roosevelt 8, not voting 2; Pennsylvania, Taft 9, Roosevelt 2, Hughes 2, not voting 62, absent 1; Rhode Island, Taft 10; South Carolina, Taft 16, absent 1, not voting 1.

South Dakota, Roosevelt 5, La Follette 5; Tennessee, Taft 23, Roosevelt 1; Texas, Taft 31, absent 1, not voting 8; Utah, Taft 8; Vermont, Taft 6, not voting 2; Virginia, Taft 22, absent 1, not voting 1; Washington, Taft 14; West Virginia, not voting 16; Wisconsin, La Follette 26; Wyoming, Taft 6; Alaska, Taft 2; District of Columbia, Taft 2; Philippines, Taft 2; Porto Rico, Taft 2; Hawaii, Taft 6.

BEST BATTLE LOCAL RING PROMISED TONIGHT



The pride of Medford "Bud Anderson" who boxes the clever Abe Label tonight.

Tonight Bud Anderson is called upon to stand the test of his boxing career. If successful, this young man has a bright and prosperous future before him in the line of professional boxing and would bid fair to go down in history as one of the world's great lightweights. Anderson has been in the boxing game about four years, during which time he has engaged in twenty-two contests, winning all, with the exception of two bouts with Danny O'Brien, which were declared a draw. In the last five months Anderson has been forging his way to the front in leaps and bounds.

Tonight's bout with Abe Label will decide Anderson's future. If he can get by this Label he is very apt to keep on going right to the top, whereas the sad taste of defeat would spell gloom to the Anderson camp and would mean that Bud would have to confine his milling with the mediocre class of ringmen.

Anderson has only one advantage over Label, and that is nature's youth, but it has served many a time to win a victory over old Father Time. Label is not old, nor does he use crutches. He is still a very young man, only 27, but in prize-ring annals the party so blessed is considered well on his way—in other words, it is the turning point of a boxer, especially after having seen ten years of service.

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PEAR SHIPMENT FROM CALIFORNIA

California fruit distributors issue the following market letter from Sacramento, June 22:

The following gives number of cars of deciduous fruit shipped from all points in California for the week ending Friday evening, June 21st, 1912.

Cherries: 46 cars. From the early sections practically all varieties of cherries have now been shipped with the exception of Black Oregon, and another week will mark the conclusion of this movement.

Apricots: 71 3-4 cars. Movement of this fruit shows a gain over that of last week of practically six cars per day.

Plums: 32 1-4 cars. Clyman plums are still moving from the river districts. The early sections have now finished on this variety. Fruit is not running quite as large as usual and there is no question but that the crop of all early varieties will fall considerably short of previous estimates.

Peaches: 11 1-2 cars. Alexanders are going forward, and considerable quantities of Triumphs are in evidence. A few days will finish the movement of the former, but there is a fine crop of Triumphs which will materially increase the shipments of this variety.

Pears: 1-2 car. A few Comet and Lawson Pears have appeared in the early sections. No Bartletts have been offered as yet. Reports from Sacramento river indicate that the crop is growing nicely and the fruit will be smooth and of good size.

Comparative statement of shipments:

	June 15th	1911	1912
Cherries	107 3/4	110 1/2	
Apricots	20	43 1/2	
Peaches	24	1	
Plums	24	4 1/2	
	132 1/4	159 1/4	

S.S.S. PURIFIES BAD BLOOD

Bad blood is responsible for most of our ailments, and when from any cause it becomes infected with impurities, humors or poisons, trouble in some form is sure to follow. Muddy, sallow complexions, eruptions, pimples, etc., show that the blood is infected with unhealthy humors which have changed it from a pure, fresh stream to a sour, acid fluid, which forces out its impurities through the pores and glands of the skin. A very common evidence of bad blood is sores and ulcers, which break out on the flesh, often from a very insignificant bruise, or even scratch or abrasion. If the blood was healthy the place would heal at once; but being infected with impurities which are discharged into the wound, irritation and inflammation are set up, the fibres and tissues are broken, and the sore continues until the blood is purified of the cause. S. S. S. is Nature's blood-purifier and tonic, made entirely from roots, herbs and barks. It goes down into the circulation and removes every particle of impurity, humor or poison, restores lost vitality, and steadily tones up the entire system. S. S. S. neutralizes any excess of acid in the blood, making it pure, fresh and healthy, and permanently cures Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Boils, and all other skin eruptions or disease. Book on the blood and any medical advice free.

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VITAL POINTS IN G. O. P. PLATFORM

CHICAGO, June 24.—Vital points in the national republican platform were: Unchanging faith in the government by the people; the authority and integrity of the courts; legislation against delays and costly appeals urged; monopoly and special privileges opposed and the federal trade commission commended.

Belief in the protective tariff was reaffirmed with duties high enough to protect American industries. Some duties are now too high and must be reduced. It declares the high cost of living is attributable to the protective tariff. A scientific inquiry into the high cost of living is recommended. A revision of the banking laws and currency system is advised.

Investigation into the agricultural credit systems is recommended with state and federal laws for future control.

Laws prohibiting campaign contributions in a campaign directly or indirectly by president, vice-president, senators, representatives of congress. Campaign publicity is approved. The policy of the republican party of conservation of natural resources is to be continued with more laws to aid the bona fide homesteaders and settlers. Adequate parcels post is favored and the merchant marine is cited as one of the country's urgent needs. The reclamation policy and continuance is recommended. A liberal system of improving the rivers and harbors and liberal Alaska policy to insure development.

PLANS HOTEL AT OREGON CAVES

Dr. Maxime Shurman, of Portland, is in southern Oregon for the purpose of once again looking into the matter of building an auto road to the Oregon caves and establishing a summer resort there. His plans so far have been blocked by the refusal of the government to issue a permit.

If Dr. Shurman succeeds in inducing the government to grant him a permit he will proceed with his plans. The caves would prove an added attraction to southern Oregon.

Undesirable immigration to be restrained; more and better safeguards life property at sea; greater economy and efficiency in the government affairs and constructive accomplishments.

President Taft set forth as "unexamined" and to which any administration could point with confidence.

COUNTRY IS SAVED SAYS PRESIDENT TAFT

WASHINGTON, June 24.—President Taft in a statement issued Saturday declared the issue before the republican convention was whether it would abandon its principles of standing for constitutional guarantees of life, liberty and property. He said the campaign to seize the republican party and "make it an instrument of reckless ambition" was so sudden time was not given to properly show to the people what dangers confronted them. "The importance of the great victory which had been achieved cannot be estimated." He said it was not necessary now to speak of the result in November. "It is enough now to say that what will happen in November is a great victory for the republican party and the United States."

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