

BALLOT ON PRESIDENT ADVOCATED

Direct Election of Executive, Abolishment Life Tenure Federal Judges Urged By Sen. Norris in Address at Unveiling Statue of Lincoln—New Slavery Told.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Constitutional amendments providing for direct election of the president and for abolishing life terms of the federal judiciary were advocated here today by Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, in an address at the unveiling of a statue to "Lincoln the Debater," given to the city by W. T. Rawleigh.

Lauding the leadership of Abraham Lincoln in the successful fight against slavery, he charged that a new kind of slavery "has followed in the form of combinations and trusts formed for profit."

He also proposed a progressive inheritance tax as a means of curtailing "the evils of unreasonable wealth," called for the overthrow of a "power trust," which he said is getting a monopoly on the necessities of life, condemned the rivalry in armaments among the nations, and urged that America permit no armaments to be built for private profit.

On the subject which interests him particularly as chairman of the senate judiciary committee he declared "the time will soon come when we must, by constitutional amendment, take away the life tenure of office of men appointed to the judiciary through the influence of partisan political machines."

Influence of Wealth.
"We must have seen in recent years federal judges who were appointed in most cases through the direct influence of wealth to positions of unlimited power, for the reason that the influence of wealth is being increased in the hands of a few, which, in effect, is doing what involuntary servitude," he said.

Declaring the "ordinary citizen had nothing to say as to who shall be president," and that there is no such thing as electing an independent candidate for president, he proposed the abolition of the electoral college and giving to the electors the freedom of the ballot.

"The power and influence of a monopoly in the control of our political and economic system," he continued, "had been recently very effectively shown by the investigation made by the federal trade commission of the activities of the so-called power trust. The evidence produced demonstrates that the power trust is the greatest monopoly which has ever been put together by human ingenuity."

Explaining his proposal for a progressive inheritance tax, he suggested that it contain liberal exemptions to provide for the comfort and even the luxury of those dependent upon the testator during his life. He urged that the rate be advanced "so as to make it impossible for a human being to continue combination and monopoly beyond his natural life."

Suspend Pass Water Rate.
SALLEM, Ore., Aug. 27.—(AP)—The public service commission today suspended until November 25, pending an investigation, a tariff of the Grants Pass Water company, which proposes new and increased service rates.

ANOTHER TENNIS GENERATION



Dorothy May Bundy, 12-year-old daughter of May Sutton Bundy, who won several championships 20 years ago, is playing her first season of tournament tennis.

CHICAGO BATS EARN VICTORY AS HOPE DIMS

Rally in Eighth Against Reds Scores Seven—McMillan Makes Circuit On Single That Lodged in Stand—Phils Win.

By Herbert W. Barker, Associated Press Sports Writer.

When the Cub pitcher falls, Joe McCarthy's batsmen come to the rescue with a salvo of base-hits to keep the frame well in advance of any National league pursuit. It was a terrific batting rally in the eighth inning yesterday that enabled the Chicago pennant hopes to down the Cincinnati Reds, 4 to 5, and stretch their lead over the second place Pittsburgh Pirates to 14 1/2 games.

Until the fateful eighth, Eppa Dunlap Bixey, elongated left-hander, waved an ominous spell over the Cub bats while the Reds were hounding Charley Root for a run here and there, enough, it seemed, to win the game. Until the eighth Bixey emitted only six hits, one of which was Rogers Hornsby's 25th homer of the year, in the fourth. In the Reds' half of the eighth, Root was bunched for two runs, leading the team 5 to 2.

Then the Cub swatmen got busy. A walk and two singles and Bixey was replaced by Eppa Dunlap. Five more hits rolled off the Cub bats, one of them a break home run by Norman McMillan, with the bases filled. This blow began life as an ordinary single, but bounced into the stands for a four-bagger. All told, the Cubs scored seven times and the game

was over. Hornsby and Riki Cuyler were the most active batsmen, with three big apiece.

A crowd of 35,000 turned out to see the battle. In the only other National league game of the day, the Phillies nosed out the St. Louis Cardinals, 7 to 5, in a hectic fray decided in the last two innings. The Phils, trailing by 6 to 2 at the end of the first half of the eighth, came within one of a tie when Davis hit a home-run with two on. In the ninth three singles and a wild throw by Ernest Orsatti gave the Phils two more runs and the old ball game.

Haid pitched the whole distance for the Cardinals, although he was socked for 14 hits. Claude Wiltonby was hit freely by the Cards in the early innings and finally retired in favor of Dalley, who received credit for the victory. One of the Cards' 11 hits was Jim Bottomley's 26th homer of the year.

The American league had a day off while eastern teams were getting back to their home bases from the west.

LARGEST BASS IS LANDED AT LAKE

The honor of catching the largest black bass of the season at Lake of the Woods, weighing six and one-half pounds, goes to E. O. Fisher of Klamath Falls, who Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Christy and Mrs. Fisher, during two hours' casting, caught 27 of the bass.

Mr. Fisher presented the prize to the manager of the Lake of the Woods company, to have it mounted, so that it may eventually be hung over the mantle in the new lodge. According to Fred Wall, as soon as the fish is mounted, it will be on display at the local Chamber of Commerce.

The black bass seem quite plentiful this year, and those who "know their stuff" have reported good catches. Pikey and black musky, however, were used as bait by Mr. Fisher. "Those who have had difficulty in catching the zesty black bass should get in touch with Mr. Fisher, who will gladly give them a tip," said Mr. Wall. The bass hanging over the mantle of the lodge will be a challenge to ambitious fishermen to try for a large one, he further stated.

CRUCIAL SERIES OPENING TODAY FOR PORTLAND

Ducks Face Angels in Test for Leadership—Mission Reds in Third Place—Hollywood Has Chance for Gain.

(By the Associated Press.)

Pacific Coast league clubs today were prepared to take up the crucial series in the crucial offensive for the second half banner of the 1929 season.

That this week's series would inaugurate the most intensive campaign among five closely grouped clubs was an admitted fact, partly because the end of the season is not far off, but more because of the almost phenomenal progress made by clubs which in ten days were able to forge to the top after a long sojourn in the cellar of the league.

A shining example of what can be done in baseball with a dash of pep and plenty of determination might be derived from the experience of the Portland Ducks last week. Portland, almost since the beginning of the season, has remained in the second division, trailing places with the Seattle Indians in the cellar. Last week they defeated the San Francisco Seals seven in a row, and took the Coast league by storm.

The standings today gave the Portland Ducks 31 won out of 56 and the Los Angeles Angels second place with 23 won and 23 lost. A full game behind them were the Mission Reds. Next stood Hollywood one more down and San Francisco was in fifth place half a game behind the Reds.

Today the Portland Ducks were scheduled to face the Los Angeles Angels in the boss city. With the first and second place teams as rivals for the lead, one of the wildest series of the second half was in sight. The Angels were rated a strong team and were expected to give the Webfoot club a tough week. The southpawers have clung near the top of the league for weeks, playing consistent baseball and boasting a well-balanced team.

Oakland and the Mission Reds were slated to fight it out this week at recreation park here, while the San Francisco Seals were pitched against the red-tinted Seattle Indians, the black sheep of the league. The Seals were expected to have a highly successful week against the Indians, and stand an excellent chance to regain their prestige.

Sacramento and Hollywood were matched for a series at Los Angeles. With a good week in the south, the Hollywood club has a fair chance of sliding back into first place at the top of the league. The Sacramento Senators, who have been playing mediocre ball the last few weeks, were next to last in the standings.

STANDINGS OF THE CLUBS

(By the Associated Press.)
National League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	31	27	.534
Pittsburgh	27	29	.481
New York	26	33	.441
St. Louis	25	30	.452
Brooklyn	24	35	.406
Cincinnati	22	39	.359
Philadelphia	20	42	.323
Boston	18	44	.291

American and Coast league teams were idle.

CARLSBAD, Czechoslovakia, Aug. 27.—(AP)—M. Niemczewski of Denmark tonight won the international chess masters' tournament by defeating Dr. Tartakover of France. Niemczewski's score was 15 after his victory against 14 1/2 each for Jose R. Capablanca of Cuba and Rudolf Spielman of Austria.

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Fights Last Night

(By the Associated Press.)
Philadelphia—Jimmy Graham of Ohio, N. Y. outpointed Vitali Girovski, Spain, (10). Alf Bos, France, stopped Eddie Dempsey, Philadelphia, (7).

New York—Sammy Dorfman, New York, defeated Augie Pinao, New York, final (12).

Baltimore—Walter Cobb, Baltimore, knocked out Johnny Gross, New York, (12).

Toronto—Red Dragan, Toronto, outpointed Eddie Woodward, Los Angeles, (12).

SAET STE MARIE, Ont., Aug. 27.—(AP)—A smooch of relief by 59 inmates of the Carbon Club of America is recorded on motion picture film. The happy few, celebrating freedom from the affliction by cashing in on the before the camera.

BERLIN, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Heinz Arns has concluded a 70-hour piano program with "Deutschland über Alles" and the "Star Spangled Banner."

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