

# ROOSEVELT FACES HARD BATTLE FOR DELEGATE MARGIN

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from the convention, or sit in a corner and keep quiet.

But not Roosevelt's opposition. Now that the patrician smoke of Wednesday's Democratic "harmony" meeting in Washington is clearing away, it appears the Democratic plum will be kept dangling until the very last minute. Roosevelt will be so close to it that he can almost pick it off at once, and it will take a desperate struggle to keep it out of his grasp.

**Bombshells Land**

Two bombshells have landed within the last few days in the pathway of the Roosevelt advance, but it does not yet appear whether they are duds. "Al" Smith's slashing attack at the Democratic banquet here disclosed at last his opposition to Roosevelt "to the bitter end," but it cast no light on the number and identity of the troops that may be counted on to stand at the last ditch. Smith has no delegates instructed for him—the one from Wisconsin which had been credited to him was eliminated by the official count. It has been assumed New Jersey, Louisiana and Delaware, with 58 votes, would be irrevocably anti-Roosevelt. Where will the others come from to make up a veto bloc of 385?

**Favorite Sons Problem**

There are several places they might come from—or might not. More than 250 will be locked up, temporarily at least, behind favorite sons. No one knows how any of the delegations will perform when the pressure is put on. The New York state has 94 and possession of them may easily bring on a tug of war. Seven or eight other states may fairly be classed as doubtful. Three of these, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and California, have a total of 156 delegates.

Considering all of these possible sources, the effect of Smith's deft is to center attention sharply on the Pennsylvania and Massachusetts primaries, both to be held on April 26. If Roosevelt sweeps these states, it is entirely possible the "bitter-end" battalion will dissolve before it ever goes into action.

The second major projectile hurled at the Roosevelt camp this week was the charge of "Alfalfa Bill" Murray that votes have been bought for the New Yorker in the west. Senator threats to investigate have followed, but the upshot is yet to be seen.

## Gold Hill

GOLD HILL, April 15.—(AP)—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson and Mrs. John Logan motored to Hill, Calif., Monday where Mrs. Logan's husband is working.

Mrs. Otis Johnson and son, Sonny, of Ashland, are guests here of Mrs.

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Johnson's mother, Mrs. Roy Cameron. They expect to be here until June.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hoff were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson Sunday.

Howard Drake was a business visitor in Grants Pass Tuesday.

Ed Bolt spent the week-end here from the Newham mine near Achar, where he is employed.

Mrs. John Logan was a Medford visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lewis and Tom Smith were Medford callers Tuesday.

Mrs. Rickner of this city is having dental work done in Medford.

Mrs. George Meisinger, Mrs. Paul Thompson and Mrs. Minnie Byerly were recent Medford visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Tracy, Mrs. George Peterson, Mrs. George Meisinger, and daughter Patricia, and June Moore were in Medford Saturday.

Mrs. Aurele Meisner, and Mrs. Joe Blair were business callers in Grants Pass Tuesday.

Jerald Smith was returned to the Sacred Heart hospital again Sunday, after being at his home here for about two or three weeks. He was at the hospital for about two weeks in March, owing to a serious case of pneumonia. He was not recovering as the doctor thought he should so he returned to the hospital. He is now recovering nicely.

Mr. Doty and Dick Robinson were Medford visitors Monday.

Miss Margaret Moore is teaching the third and fourth grades this week, due to the absence of their regular teacher, Mrs. Minnie Sargent, who has been at Ashland, on account of the death of her mother there.

Mrs. Marjorie Penn, a local school teacher, spent the week end at Medford as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Skeeters.

Mrs. George Hammersly and children, Bill and Jeanie, who have moved temporarily to Rogue River, spent the week end in this city.

A group of high school girls accompanied by Mr. Bonney went to the home of Mrs. Minnie Guy, at Medford Wednesday evening where they practiced songs for the "Music Festival," to be held at Ashland, April 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Shuler and sons Diane and Meredith of Medford spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Grimes.

Mrs. B. A. Ross was employed at the Hi-Way Inn Saturday due to the illness of Mrs. Jim Grimes.

Boyce Kellogg was a guest of friends and relatives in this city Sunday.

Mrs. Madeline Pendleton and children Billy and Betty were guests of relatives in Medford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Matrous of Medford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stone here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stone and daughter Netty, and Zella Smith were Medford visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Merriman spent the week end in Weed, Calif.

Mrs. Frank Childers and Mrs. Harry Childers attended the Music Festival held at Rogue River, April 8.

Mrs. Bud Condit of Grants Pass was visiting her mother, Mrs. Letta Bowers here Tuesday.

Gold Hill members of the W. E. C. entertained the senior class Wednesday at a dinner which was served at noon in the city hall where the W. E. C. holds its meetings.

**Section Foreman Killed**

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 15.—(AP)—Umakichi Yabuki, 63, Japanese railroad section foreman, was killed near here today when a Spokane-Portland & Seattle freight train struck the gasoline tender on which he was riding.

**Butler Sees Dry Repeal**

CHICAGO, April 15.—(AP)—Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university predicted to reporters today that the republican national convention next June would approve a resolution to repeal the prohibition amendment.

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# ANTI-PROHIBITION SOLONS RECEIVE PLEAS FOR BEER

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bility of its enforcement it works disastrously to respect for law and creates demoralizing disdain of government."

Harry F. Kilnefelter, of Self-Government representing the Local Self-Government league, told the committee he personally "did not believe 10 per cent of the senate and house are actually dry."

He added he did not blame them for not obeying "such a law" and scored "wets" who "vote dry," asserting they were "worse" than dry who "make a drink."

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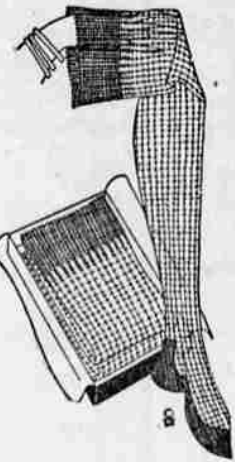


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