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Temperature
Highest yesterday 89
Lowest this morning 56

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GARNER NAMED RUNNING MATE

Comment on the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

THE Democratic convention goes on record flatly favoring repeal of the eighteenth amendment and modification of the Volstead law.

That is to say, the Democrats, who WANT VOTES, believe that people are going to vote as they are talking.

THE Republican convention went on record as favoring "revising and liberalizing the prohibition laws," so that states that want booze can have it while those that don't want it may have the aid of the federal government in keeping it out.

THE Republicans, you see, also want votes, are doubtful as to whether people are going to vote as they are talking.

WHAT will actually happen? This writer, who believes in open confession, doesn't know, or even profess to know.

You can't always tell by the way people talk how they will vote.

THERE is the famous story, for example, of the candidate who on the day before election was certain he would be elected overwhelmingly, and told his friends so. As a matter of fact, he was SNOWED UNDER.

Questioned about it the next day, he answered: "Well, all I can say is that this county is inhabited by the d—dest liars on earth."

SALEM dispatches inform us that a plan providing for installment purchase of automobile licenses is to be worked out. Quarterly payments are proposed under this plan, and it is to be presumed that these payments will be indicated by windshield stickers, or some similar device.

At any rate, it is apparently going to be made possible for you to buy your license plates on the easy payment plan, just as you buy a washing machine. If you so desire.

THERE are objections, of course, to the installment plan of license purchase. It will probably cost more to get the money, and every dollar added to the cost of collecting the license money means a DOLLAR LESS spent on the roads.

Receipt of license money will be spread out over a whole year, which means that the highway commission will not have on hand funds with which to meet its commitments. It will therefore be compelled to borrow against anticipated receipts, which will also mean added expense and consequently somewhat less money to be spent on roads.

THIS writer, considering both the arguments for and the arguments against, believes that the plan for quarterly payment of license fees is WISE.

Automobile license fees in Oregon are rather high—necessarily so, because we have built a lot of fine roads, for which we have gone into debt, and these fine roads must be paid for.

Whether it is justified or not, there is considerable complaint against high license fees. If this complaint can be avoided by making it easier to pay for licenses, the result will be good—even if it does mean a little less money for actual construction.

THIS interesting statement was made yesterday to this writer: "In periods of depression, you know, the death rate of this country GOES DOWN materially. That is to say, fewer people die in bad times than in good times."

Did you know that? This writer didn't.

STILL, there isn't anything particularly unreasonable about it. In good times, people go to excesses. They eat too much—far too much. They play too much and work too little. And an awful lot of people displease too much.

We are wicked, you see, when we are prosperous, and we incline to be virtuous when we are broke.

And it is our sins, rather than our virtues, that carry us off ahead of our time.

SO, while this statement is surprising, it is quite possible indeed that it is accurate.

Two-Fisted Texan Choice Democratic Conclave to Round out Party Ticket

"Cactus" Jack Who Shattered Deadlock By Releasing Votes to Roosevelt Expected to Add Power

By Cecil B. Dickson, Associated Press Staff Writer
CHICAGO, July 2.—(AP)—A rugged, two-fisted Texan—Speaker John Nance Garner—was selected today by the democratic convention as the running mate to Franklin D. Roosevelt. His overwhelming choice placed a strong national democratic ticket before the American people.

A popular candidate for the presidency himself, it was he who made it possible for the New York governor to receive the nomination on the fourth ballot by releasing the 90 votes pledged to him by Texas and California.

Colorful, dynamic, enthusiastic, the Texan undoubtedly will make many friends when he takes the stump throughout the country on campaign tours. He is a good speaker and thinks fast on his feet.

Back of him, in the house, the silver-haired and ruddy faced veteran has thirty years of service through three of the most interesting decades in United States history. He became speaker last December.

Known by friends over the country as "Cactus Jack," the 63-year-old Texan is recognized as an astute and bold politician. His capacity for making and holding friends and ability to quickly reach the crux of a situation, made him long ago a potentiality for high party office.

Long a member of the powerful ways and means committee that formulates revenue and tariff legislation, Garner became the leading expert in the house on those subjects. He made that known in 1924, when he re-wrote a Mellon-Mills tax bill on the floor through knowledge and aggressiveness.

It was in the seventy-first congress he assumed the leadership of his party in the house.

He coalesced varying factions of his party into a solid working organization that contributed much toward the seizure of the house last December. Garner succeeded his personal friend but political enemy, the late Nicholas Longworth, as speaker.

With the White House and senate in control of republicans, and republican insurgents encouraging left wing democrats to desert the organization, Garner had a difficult time in getting the house to pass a tax bill. But, he let the revolt run its course and when he took it had no place to go, Garner took the unusual procedure of going onto the floor to take control of the situation.

Within three days the measure was sent to the senate.

Garner's decision to accept the vice presidency surprised many of his friends. Previously, he had frowned on the idea.

FARLEY ELECTED PARTY CHAIRMAN

By Francis M. Stephenson
(Associated Press Staff Writer)
CHICAGO, July 2.—(AP)—Governor Roosevelt in a move for party harmony extended the olive branch of peace tonight at a meeting of the democratic national committee to the retiring chairman, J. J. Raskob, chairman of the executive committee under Raskob, and Charles Michelson, publicity director, who served under the Smith regime.

James A. Farley of New York, the manager of the Roosevelt pre-convention campaign, was elected chairman of the national committee just before Roosevelt arrived to speak.

Reminding the committee of \$420,000 in outstanding obligations, Raskob left the room after turning the gavel over to Farley. He was not present to hear Governor Roosevelt.

GARNER SLEEPS DURING NAMING

WASHINGTON, July 2.—(AP)—The democratic vice presidential nominee—Speaker John N. Garner—slept peacefully today while the Chicago convention went through the formality of naming him for second place on the national ticket.

Later he disappeared from his office and friends began a frantic search to locate him. After more than two hours, he was found seated before a radio in a secluded capitol office listening to the convention speech of Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Injured in Crash
PORTLAND, Ore., July 2.—(AP)—Berta Bridge, 17, of Salem, suffered face lacerations today in an automobile collision south of Oswego on the west side Pacific highway.

ROOSEVELT STIRS CONVENTION WITH ACCEPTANCE TALK

By Edward J. Duffy
Associated Press Staff Writer
CHICAGO STADIUM, July 2.—(AP)—Proclaiming his plans for an intense campaign on "the main issue" of the economic situation, Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt personally accepted the democratic nomination for president today with declaration to the national convention that its platform suited him "one hundred percent."

As the convention itself had done by resolution while waiting for him to arrive by airplane from Albany, he invited dissatisfied republicans to march in the attack on the Hoover administration between now and November.

Amendment Doomed
"The 18th amendment is doomed," he cried with his eyes glistening, as he congratulated the cheering delegates "for having had the courage, fearlessly to pledge repeal of the prohibition amendment. He did not mention modification of the Volstead act to allow beer and wine, which the platform calls for.

Without going deeply into detail, he promised a program aimed to alleviate distress and unemployment, restore the farmers purchasing power, slash government expenditures drastically and adjust tariffs in the interest of the people.

The convention had wound up its business a while before with the unanimous nomination of Speaker John N. Garner for the vice presidency.

Parade in Welcome
As in the case of Roosevelt after the overwhelming selection of him last night, a turbulent parade of the states welcomed the choice of Garner. It had been actively seconded from the Smith block of states and Territory which held out to the last for Alfred E. Smith to top the ticket, but Smith himself was missing.

Taking the defeat to heart, he left for New York without waiting to hear Senator Walsh of Montana formally notify his rival of the victory.

Huge crowds greeted Roosevelt on his arrival, after a touchy trip packing the headlines, a sally at the airport of "don't forget to make up with Al Smith" brought the laughing reply "I'll do that."

But some friends of Smith remained skeptical. Some expect him to leave the country for the duration of the campaign, possibly for a European trip.

Smiles Broadly
Governor Roosevelt was smiling broadly as he walked into the seething stadium, where thousands filled the police patrolled galleries. Leaning on his cane and on the arm of his towering son, James, he was escorted by a committee which formed two lines for him to pass through to the speakers stand.

Among the escort were Harry F. Byrd of Virginia, John F. Curry, the Tammany leader; Senator Connally of Texas, Mayor Anton Cermak of Chicago, and James A. Farley, the Roosevelt manager through the turmoil of the convention.

For minutes the nominee stood between his son and Mrs. Roosevelt, now and again waving a happy response to the applauding thousands. A red carnation shone in the lapel of his blue suit, a pencil peeked forth from his coat pocket, the one used for last minute alterations in his speech as the airplane whirred across the country.

Arduous Days
Soon he stepped forward with the manuscript, and quiet fell. He read it clearly and slowly, bringing a laugh at the start when he referred to "the sleepless hours that you and I have had," the six arduous days past.

Referring to the tradition that he broke in coming to the convention at once to accept the nomination, he asked that it be considered symbolic of his intention "to be honest and to avoid all hypocrisy and sham."

The way he firmly gripped the table in front of him, and that his powerful chest heaved as he emphasized points here and there, reminded one of four years ago at

Among the most enthusiastic cheerers was Mrs. Elizabeth Beas of Illinois. She said:

Democratic Standard Bearers



FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT



JOHN N. GARNER

DEFEATED SMITH LEAVES CHICAGO WITHOUT WORDS

Aboard Smith Train En Route to New York, July 2.—(AP)—Alfred E. Smith tonight considered softening the bitter memory of what happened in Chicago by going abroad and staying there during the 1932 presidential campaign.

CHICAGO, July 2.—(AP)—Alfred E. Smith, a silent, defeated man, turned off his back tonight upon Chicago and the arriving democratic presidential nominee.

Surrounded by members of his family and close friends, he boarded a special train for the return trip to New York while Franklin D. Roosevelt, his successful opponent and former close friend, was approaching the scene of his triumph to accept the decree of the party.

Smith gave no indication of whether he intended to support the nominee in the coming campaign. From his associates, however, there came expressions of belief he would not. A member of his party said he had not seen a communication of any kind to Governor Roosevelt.

The one-time intimate of Roosevelt who made good his threat to take off his coat and fight—but who lost that fight—carried home from the fray a feeling of bitterness.

Strangely enough, William Gibbs McAdoo, his rival of eight years ago, was one of those who again helped to defeat him.

MANN'S WILL START HUMOROUS AD SERIES

A series of very humorous ads dealing with the early life of silk hosiery will be run in the Mail Tribune by Mann's Department store starting Wednesday, July 6th. This series is called "Do You Remember?" and will take a number of people back to the gay Nineties when silk hosiery was anything but a success. Watch for these clever bits of comedy in Mann's ads from time to time you'll enjoy them.

Women Cheer and Jeer Roosevelt's Nomination

CHICAGO, July 2.—(AP)—Democratic women came through the climax of the convention's nomination of Franklin D. Roosevelt with spirits buoyant, howling and squealing and throwing kisses and mingling diatribe jeers with the cheers.

Nellie Taylor Ross, their top sergeant, proclaimed their part in reaching harmony "the greatest work for humanity which women have recently performed."

"The next thing to do," she added, "is to abolish the two-thirds rule so that one-third of the party can not enforce its will over the majority."

BASEBALL RESULTS

Coast League	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	1	5	2
Hollywood	2	6	2
Tincup and Wirtz; Thomas and Bauser.			
Oakland	9	15	1
Mission	3	4	2
E. Walsh and Gaston; Bowler, Briggs and Ricci.			
Los Angeles	9	9	0
Portland	4	6	2
Sutzel, Ballou, Moss and Campbell; Bowman and Fitzpatrick.			
Sacramento at Seattle, postponed (rain).			

MATCH PLAY FOR HOLIDAY GOLFERS

There will be match play against par at the Rogue Valley Golf club today and Monday with prizes for each day and a grand prize for the best 36 holes made during the two days.

Ralph Virden and Bayard Getchell play at 9:00 o'clock this morning in their President's cup match. George Pphythan defeated Tunny 1 up last week; Russell Seamon defeated Homer Marx 4 and 2, and Seamon and Pphythan will meet during the coming week. Harry McMahon won from D. G. Tyree 4 and 2 and the winner of the Getchell-Virden match will play McMahon in the semi-final.

In a hotly contested electric match Grover Tyler tied R. B. Hammond. Tyler being forced to shoot a 79 to pull even with the veteran telephone magnate.

No Paper July 4th

Following its long established custom there will be no issue of the Mail Tribune on July Fourth, so that its employees may enjoy a well earned double holiday. There will be the usual issue, Tuesday afternoon.

EX-KING MANUEL OF PORTUGAL IS DEAD IN LONDON

LONDON, July 2.—(AP)—Former King Manuel II of Portugal, a business man, sports enthusiast and, in his day, the subject of considerable personal scandal, died today at his home, Fulwell Park, Twickenham.

A throat ailment, which had been troubling him periodically for a long time, was the cause of death. The end was unexpected.

Yesterday he sat in the Royal Box at Wimbledon, where he saw Helen Willis Moody win her fifth singles championship. He had planned to go to the tennis courts again today.

The former monarch would have been 43 years old November 15. He died in the 22nd year of his exile, most of which had been spent at his large and splendid estate at Twickenham, dubbed "the Exiles' club," by the numerous colony of royalty of other lands enjoying asylum in the neighborhood.

In the public mind the name of Manuel was linked for years with Gaby Deslys, the blonde and slim French actress with a liking for gowns that would make onlookers gasp.

There were those who said "Gabrielle of the Lilies" caused Manuel to lose his throne, asserting the Portuguese people were indignant at the king's lavish gifts to her, notably a pearl necklace of great price.

DOWNTOWN SEES SATURDAY THROUGH

Medford's downtown district took on something of an old time gusto Saturday evening, with the heaviest pedestrian and auto traffic in months on Main and Sixth streets. During the rush, policemen were stationed at Main and Central streets to keep the traffic from becoming congested.

Stores of the city reported the best business of the summer, and cashed many pay checks.

Highways north and south and to Crater Lake were crowded in the early evening hours, as the magnet of a double holiday lured many from Klamath county and northern California points, on trips to the seashore and lake resort.

CURTIS CONVICTED ON RANSOM HOAX

FLEMINGTON, N. J., July 2.—(AP)—A jury of seven men and five women convicted John Hughes Curtis, Norfolk, Va., boat builder, today of aiding the kidnapers of the Lindbergh baby and preventing their capture. They recommended mercy.

Curtis was returned to the jail where he has been six weeks to await sentence July 11 by Judge Adam O. Robbins. The maximum penalty is three years imprisonment and a \$1,000 fine.

CITY EMPTIES AS RESIDENTS ENJOY DOUBLE HOLIDAY

General migration of citizens of the city and county to the hills and seashore for the annual Fourth of July holiday started Saturday afternoon. Crescent City, Prospect, Diamond Lake, Crater Lake, Lake of the Woods and way points were mecca of the vacationists with many local residents planning on spending Independence day at Ashland where a celebration will be held.

Banks, city and county offices, and stores will be closed Monday. There will be a general suspension of business.

Vacationists are warned by the forest service to exercise caution and comply with the campfire regulations as the timber is rapidly approaching the fire danger point, under a warm sun.

There will be no special observance of the day in this city, a majority of the local population planning on two days away from the routine.

The celebration at Ashland will be one of the day centering in cool Lithia park. The main sport attraction of the day will be the baseball game between the Jackson County team of the American Legion Junior Baseball League and Ashland, at 1:00 p. m. There will also be a band concert, boxing bill, a dance and other attractions in the evening.

HOSS ABANDONS PAYMENT PLAN

A number of social week-end and holiday gatherings are planned at summer cabins of the southern Oregon district.

SALEM, July 2.—Abandonment of any plan for quarterly installment payments for automobile licenses was indicated in a statement released today by Hal E. Hoss, secretary of state. Hoss said the sticker receipt idea for partial payments appears impractical and that he would announce a definite decision on the matter later.

In his statement Hoss said the only legal way for relief along this line would be through a special session of the state legislature.

TWO ASK CHANGE IN LIQUOR CASE VENUE

Harold Thacker, local taxi-cab driver, jailed ten days ago on a liquor charge, was released from the county jail Friday afternoon after \$250 bail had been raised. An application for a change of hearing was made Saturday and the case will be heard this week in Jacksonville court, according to Judge Glenn O. Taylor's office.

Glen Jones, another cab driver charged with the sale of liquor, requested a change of venue, and will also be heard by the Jacksonville judge.

EARL FEHL FILES COUNTER CLAIM IN NIEDERMEIER SUIT

Weekly Editor Alleges Theater Owner Owes Him \$22,410.60 for Promotion and Labor on Structure.

In the suit of Niedermeier, Inc., against Earl H. Fehl, the Pacific Record-Herald, a weekly, Sheriff Ralph G. Jennings, the Eagle Point Irrigation District, and Roy M. Parr, Fehl, through his attorneys Saturday afternoon, filed an answer and counter-claim alleging that L. Niedermeier, owes him the sum of \$22,410.60 for services and labor.

Fehl alleges in his counter-claim, that Niedermeier owes him \$5,235 as his share of the lot upon which the Holly theatre stands, \$10,000 for promotional efforts before the Holly theatre was started, and \$7,175.60 for supervision of the construction of the theater, and labor performed thereon.

Made Many Trips
It is set forth that Fehl, in the promotion of the Holly theatre structure, made numerous trips to Portland and San Francisco, conferring with architects and moving picture interests and that he was instrumental in the securing of the ornamental street lights on Sixth street and that he secured a bonded lease of the theater to Walter H. Leverette for ten years for \$85,000. Fehl also avers that he secured Frank and King Comedians, a tent show, to hold forth on the Holly site to demonstrate its fitness as an amusement place location.

Fehl alleges that he took the initiative in purchasing the lot from the Knights of Pythias lodge and put up an option, afterwards interesting Niedermeier in the theater project. He asks \$5,235 as a half interest in the lot.

Asks Ten Per Cent
For supervision of the construction of the Holly theater, which cost \$71,185.60, Fehl asks ten per cent of the total cost, or \$7,118.56.

Fehl sets forth that he toiled in several capacities, during a period of 18 months in arranging for and building the Holly theater, and secured tenants after it was erected.

The answer says that the dealings, now in controversy, were negotiated with L. Niedermeier as an individual and that afterwards Niedermeier, Inc., was formed.

In opposition to the \$22,410.60 claim of Fehl, Niedermeier, Inc., in its complaint admits that Fehl worked for approximately 236 days, and claims that \$10 per day is a fair wage, which they are willing to deduct from the mortgage against Fehl and his printing house and equipment.

\$4400 in Mortgage
The amount involved in the mortgage is approximately \$4,400. Sheriff Jennings and the Eagle Point Irrigation District are named.

WILL ROGERS SAYS:

CONVENTION HALL, Chicago, July 1.—Did the Democrats go wet? No. They just laid down and wallowed in it. They left all their clothes on the bank and dived in without even a bathing suit. They are wetter than an organdy dress at a rainy day picnic. The plank was made from cork-wood nailed together with a sponge.

Both conventions' minds and time have been so taken up with getting the country wet that they forgot to put in a plank to provide the price of this much talked of drink. It's going to be lawful to get a drink but not possible.

Al Smith was by far the sensation of the convention and had by far the best speech. I just want to know what all these old dry office-holders that went wet over night are going to tell those Baptist preachers back home. They going to say "Father, I can't tell a lie, I saw the votes going and I had to go after 'em!"

Will Rogers

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