

Nixon Foisted on Republicans by Party Bosses, Stevenson Declares

Libertyville, Ill. — (U.P.) — Adlai E. Stevenson, serving notice that his 1956 presidential campaign will be a fighting one, told Republicans Saturday their vice-presidential candidate was foisted on them by party "bosses" and their platform was full of "broken promises."

Stevenson, Democratic presidential candidate, stood with vice-presidential hopeful Estes Kefauver beside him in front of the Stevenson farm home near here and said he did not know whether President Eisenhower wanted Richard M. Nixon renominated by the Republicans "but certainly the Republican bosses wanted him on the ticket and saw to it he was put on."

collections of already broken promises in modern political history."

Kefauver flew here Saturday to confer with Stevenson before leaving with him on a tour of five sectional Democratic meetings next week. Stevenson said the Democrats had a "fair and open convention... important at a time when the vice-presidency is so important," and their choice of Kefauver under those conditions was a "contrast" to the Republican renomination of Nixon.

"I have reason to know something of Sen. Kefauver's talents

as a campaigner," said Stevenson, referring to the primary contests the two men waged during the spring and early summer. "I am happy to know he will be using them against Eisenhower and Nixon exclusively. I think he'll give them something to remember him by."

Kefauver, too, referred to the "open convention" of the Democrats, and said "I want to hold up my end of the load" in the campaign. "We'll be wearing someone else out now," he said.

"We will finish the campaign as we started it—together," said Stevenson.

Dulles Asks Egypt To Respect Proposal For Control of Suez

Washington — (U.P.) — Secretary of State John Foster Dulles called on Egypt Saturday to "respect" the proposal of 18 nations to place the Suez canal under international control.

Dulles urged Egypt to respond favorably to the proposal and make an "indispensable contribution" to the peaceful solution to the Suez controversy.

Returns From London

Dulles directed his plea toward Egypt upon returning from the London meeting at which 18 of the 22 nations agreed on a proposal for international operation of the Suez waterway.

The London meeting, Dulles said, set in motion processes designed to achieve "a fair and peaceful solution to the grave

problem" raised by Egypt's seizure of the canal.

Dulles said he expects to report on the London conference to President Eisenhower by telephone within a matter of hours. He said he will report personally to the Chief Executive when Mr. Eisenhower returns from his brief California vacation.

The secretary of state said he has no plans for reporting on the London conference by radio and television, as he has frequently after similar international meetings in the past.

Committee Named

"We hope that the government of Egypt will respect the opinions thus soberly but fairly expressed (at London) and respectfully make its own indispensable contribution to the peaceful solution which is enjoined by the principles and purposes of the United Nations."

The London conference named a five-nation committee to submit the conference proposal to Egyptian President Gamal Abdel Nasser.

It is the hope of western nations that Nasser will agree to negotiate a Suez settlement on the basis of the London proposal. But there were diplomatic suspicions that Russia is working to undo any progress made at the London conference.

Shady Cove School Announces Plans For School Opening

Children who plan to enter the first grade at Shady Cove school, District 89, will be registered Thursday, Aug. 30, at the school office. Hours will be from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Parents are advised to bring birth certificates and health certificates for their children. The school office has the health slips of youngsters who were examined by the pre-school clinic.

Any child who will be 6 years of age on or before Nov. 15 is eligible to attend school this year. Tests will be conducted for those whose birthdays are after that date but before Jan. 1, 1957. Upon acceptance by school authorities, these children are also accepted for enrollment.

Miss Grace Bigham, first grade teacher, will be available for interviews with parents during registration.

For Other Grades

Regular registration for all other grades is scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 4. All pupils are to report to their grades where they will be registered by their teachers.

This year's teaching staff includes: Mrs. Agnes Brown, seventh and eighth grades; William Croucher, sixth grade; Mrs. Sawyer, fifth grade; Mrs. Noreen Conway, fourth grade; Mrs. Annie Briggs, third grade; Mrs. Greenly, second grade, and Miss Bigham, first grade. R. A. Mullen, is principal.

No school will be held Sept. 6 or 7 due to teacher in-service training. The school cafeteria will be open Monday, Sept. 19. Lunch prices remain the same as in the past.

Injured Flier Taken to La Grande

La Grande, Ore. — (U.P.) — A 34-year-old flier who survived five nights in the open near his wrecked plane was brought out of the Willowa mountain wilderness Friday, and the body of his wife who was killed in the crash was brought out later.

Vernon Enger, Vancouver, Wash., operator of a service station and a garage in North Portland, was reported in "serious condition" at St. Joseph hospital here Saturday. He suffered fractures of both knee caps and both ankles, but his physician said "He is doing pretty well. He is a remarkably tough fellow."

Enger's 32-year-old wife, Ruth, was killed when the plane went down in a deep canyon. Enger said a downdraft caught the plane shortly after it had taken off from Red's Horse ranch. The plane was wrecked in rugged country only four miles from the ranch. Enger was brought out to the ranch, then flown to the airport here and taken to St. Joseph's hospital.

The body of Mrs. Enger was brought to La Grande by Union County Coroner Norman Daniels.

Labor Leader Backs Stevenson

Albany, N. Y. — (U.P.) — A labor leader who was described in a Republican National Convention speech as friendly to the Eisenhower administration has urged labor to rally to the Democratic hammer of Adlai E. Stevenson and Estes Kefauver.

Jacob S. Potofsky, president of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, charged that the present national administration had reserved prosperity for big business and "put out the welcome sign to anti-labor employers and reactionaries in both parties."

Potofsky was one of three labor leaders who Colorado's former governor, Dan Thornton, said in a convention speech Thursday night could be counted on to comment favorably on the Republican administration.

Speaking before the annual meeting of the New York State CIO Council, Potofsky uttered no such kind word. He especially attacked Vice President Richard M. Nixon who, he said, "more than any other individual, symbolizes the anti-labor views and actions of our government."

Agging Committee Urged by Governor

Salem — (U.P.) — A permanent state committee on aging composed of private citizens, legislators and state agency representatives has been recommended to Gov. Elmo Smith by an informal committee of citizens.

Gov. Smith told the group that the state needs to establish its responsibility to a greater degree toward the increasingly important problem of elderly people.

He said he believes much of the problem revolves around employment, housing, education, recreation, health and rehabilitation of the aged. He said he hopes to bring the matter to the attention of the 1957 legislature.

Under recommendations made by the group, headed by Dr. Ernest J. Jaqua of Portland, the permanent advisory committee on aging would have as chief functions:

1. Continued research into the nature and extent of the aging population of Oregon.
2. Preparation of reports for the governor, legislators, public and private agencies and the public.
3. Recommendations with respect to legislation of any essential phase of aging problems.
4. Co-ordination of the work of state and private agencies concerned with any phases of aging.



HOLDING HAND HIGH IN AIR, President Eisenhower acknowledges cheers of enthusiastic Republicans following his nomination by the Republican party at its San Francisco convention to be 1956 candidate. (International)

Truck Driver Found Sleeping in Street

Portland — (U.P.) — Portland police Friday rushed to Northwest 14th and Front avcs. after motorists complained that a truck was stopped in the middle of the road, obstructing traffic.

Officers arrived to find a large truck and trailer in the street. The driver, Cecil Kirkpatrick, 35, of Pendleton, was sleeping peacefully, oblivious of the commotion he had stirred up.

The red faced truck driver told officers he had stopped while a train passed the intersection and had fallen asleep.

Grange Notes

Phoenix Grange will meet on Tuesday, Aug. 28, at 8 p.m. The program will be put on by the executive committee, Charles Johnson, chairman.

There will be a display of patchwork and applique quilts.

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Four-Year-Old Girl Given Plush Treatment by British Army Staff

London — (U.P.) — Grizzled old recruiting sergeants gaped in astonishment Friday when a pig-tailed, four-year-old girl sporting a Davy Crockett hat and a brace of toy pistols turned up for military service in the British army.

The little girl, Grace Gayle, came along with her Jamaican immigrant father, Dean Gayle, when he was ordered to report for military duty.

"Her mother died last October, and I refuse to leave her behind," Gayle explained.

Members of the Military High Command worked for 20 hours to find a solution to the problem, while little Grace investigated life in the army. Soldiers transformed a medical ward into a private nursery for the girls, and a sergeant escorted her to the television room to watch a children's program.

Soldiers dropped by throughout the day to play with Grace, and she was served her meals in bed. Officers threatened hobnobbed recruits with disciplinary action if they disturbed her sleep by stomping through the halls, and the colonel dropped by to say hello.

Finally, the army granted 25-year-old Gayle an extended leave to straighten out his personal affairs and find a home for his daughter.

"They sure were good to me and my little girl," he said gratefully.

Rev. Tomisser Becomes Assistant at Eugene

The Rev. Robert J. Tomisser, assistant pastor at Sacred Heart Catholic church here for the past year, will leave Monday to assume the assistant pastorate at St. Mary's church, Eugene.

He will be succeeded in the Medford parish by the Rev. John Ilg, from Springfield, who is newly ordained.

While here, Father Tomisser served as athletic director for St. Mary's school. Father Ilg will take over those duties.

Salem Woman Dies In Fall Down Bank

Salem — (U.P.) — A Salem woman died Friday from effects of a 25-foot tumble from an embankment along the Willamette river here Thursday.

The woman, Betty Hunter was at first thought to be only very slightly injured. An autopsy was to be held Saturday.

Raymond Hunter the woman's husband, and Lloyd Neal Stout, a friend, were walking with Mrs. Hunter when she fell. They were arrested on drunkenness charges.

ROYALTY AT PARTY

Monaco — (U.P.) — Prince Rainier and Grace Kelly attended a gala ball at the Sporting Club here Friday night, their second appearance at such festivities since their marriage last spring.

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Spinster Jailed Following Audit Of Firm's Books

Chicago — (U.P.) — A spinster bookkeeper "with an altruistic heart" Saturday faced arraignment on charges of embezzling \$457,228 to help out struggling small business firms.

Miss Bessie E. Roth, 49, of suburban Berwyn, Ill., was jailed Friday following an audit of her accounts at the Lawndale National Bank while she was away on vacation.

"She didn't keep a dime of the money for herself, and just did the thing out of the goodness of her heart," reported First Assistant U. S. Attorney Frank McGarr.

McGarr said Miss Roth began to "take pity" on seven small accounts in the bank where she was bookkeeping supervisor and didn't process them through the regular procedures.

Books Juggled

The federal prosecutor said the trusted employee juggled the bank's books when auditors appeared to make their periodic checks. She temporarily credited funds from larger depositors to accounts that were short of cash, he said.

Meanwhile, Miss Roth lived a quiet life with her aging parents. She had lived with them since she began working for the bank 33 years ago. Her father said the bank hired her because she had

the highest marks in her school business courses. She never held any other job.

"She was just a prim lady with an altruistic heart," McGarr said.

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