

Stevenson's Supporters Feel Nomination Coming

Los Angeles - (UPI) - Adlai E. Stevenson's partisans claimed today that the rousing welcome he got at the Democratic National Convention showed he would be nominated a third time for the presidency.

Angered backers of Sen. John F. Kennedy cried "foul," however.

Sen. Mike Monroney (D-Okla.), chief strategist in the "draft Stevenson" camp, contended jubilantly that the demonstration showed that the delegates would settle on a Stevenson-Kennedy ticket on the fourth or fifth ballot. Ohio Gov. Michael DiSalle, a Kennedy lieutenant, charged that Stevenson backers apparently had packed the seats in the lower gallery of the Sports Arena. He said they were trying to "stampede" the convention through the demonstration.

"Sombody should answer for that," DiSalle declared.

The Kennedy camp split over whether Stevenson's dramatic entrance showed he was or wasn't a candidate. He has repeatedly refused to declare his candidacy but said he would bow to a draft.

DiSalle said it was a tradition for a candidate not to go to the convention floor until after a nominee is picked and therefore he assumed "Stevenson no longer is a candidate."

But Kennedy's brother, Robert, said that while he hadn't thought previously that Stevenson was a candidate, the events of Tuesday convinced him the twice-defeated presidential candidate was a trying new.

Robert Kennedy minimized the importance of the reception accorded Stevenson. He said that if any of the candidates entered the hall, they would receive a similar ovation.

Extensive Use of Howard Prairie Is Noted by Director

Howard Prairie reservoir is being used extensively by the public this summer, Robert Haworth, county and city parks and recreation director, told the Jackson county parks and recreation committee Monday night.

No definite boundaries for water-skiing and fishing have had to be set up so far this season, he added.

Haworth said the big problem in the Howard Prairie recreation area is road dust. The contractor is still working on connecting roads.

A county road behind the lake is oiled up to the last mile, he said, and is in "good shape" to the intersection with Howard Prairie and dam site road. This is an all-weather road, he added.

Comparatively few water-skiers are using the lake, and only on week ends, Haworth said. Number of fishermen using it all week is fairly steady. So far there has been no conflict between skiers and fishermen. No hard and fast control program has been set up this summer, he added.

Fewer Skiers
Fewer skiers will use the lake as the water continues to decrease because of irrigation needs. About 12,000 acre feet will be drawn out before the summer is over, he said, or 11.2 feet vertical draw down.

Construction of a water system to the reservoir area was scheduled to start yesterday, Haworth reported. The contract calls for completion in 60 days or by the end of August. The water storage tank will be ready in 30 days, he said.

Camp stoves, picnic tables and garbage disposal cans are already in place, and Johnston stores have constructed one of two mobile stands and are building a floating dock for the concession.

A national park service official, following an inspection, has agreed that the south of the lake is the best area for organizational camping area. This will be available to all groups including youth organizations, Haworth said.

Boy, 14, Runs Into Side of Bus, Injured
Beaverton - (UPI) - A 14-year-old boy suffered a badly mangled left leg this morning when he ran into the side of a bus on a highway intersection here. The victim was Ned Sunderland.

Bus driver Warren E. Dillon of Portland told officers the youth ran across the intersection in a crosswalk, but against the signal. He struck the front side of the bus.

The present Missouri State Capitol in Jefferson City is the third state capitol building. Fire destroyed the previous two capitols.



GETS WILD WELCOME—Former Illinois Gov. Adlai Stevenson, above, received a wild welcome as he arrived on the floor of the Democratic National Convention in Los Angeles. As he walked down the jammed aisles of the Illinois delegation, the twice-defeated Democratic candidate heard cries of "We want Stevenson" and "All the way with Adlai." (UPI Telephoto)

Burmese Forester Visits Operations in BLM District

Saw Moses Kadoo, Burmese forester, is a guest of the local Bureau of Land Management this week. Kadoo is in the United States studying road construction techniques.

Kadoo explained that one of the most impressive aspects of American forestry is mechanization.

"In Burma we work our forests extensively. Here you work your forests intensively as well as extensively," he said.

In Burma there are few roads, Kadoo said. Logging is done with the help of elephants and the country's waterways.

Common Burmese logging practices call for the teke tree to be girdled three years before it is cut. This is done because green teke is too heavy to float.

Then the cut logs are dragged to streams and floated to the sea.

Young Burmese foresters want to see some of these practices changed, he said.

"I would like to see us have more access roads and a combination of land and water transportation," he said.

Kadoo spent three years at Rangoon University until World War II started. Following the war, he received a scholarship to Edenborough, Scotland, where he graduated with a degree in forestry.

He is now studying at the University of Washington for his masters degree, the topic of which is tentatively "Road Construction, Location, and adaptation to Burmese Conditions."



BURMESE FORESTER—Saw Moses Kadoo, "Mo" to his friends, discusses a proposed tour of southern Oregon logging roads with his BLM guide Ed Hasty, project engineer in logging engineering. Kadoo will study forestry methods in southern Oregon during the week. Among them is a tour of Elk Lumber Company's forest operations.

Nixon Maps Plans To Oppose Kennedy

Los Angeles - (UPI) - Vice President Richard M. Nixon predicted the identity of his Democratic presidential opponent months ago and today he is planning a campaign to meet an expected aggressive drive for the White House by Sen. John F. Kennedy.

The fact that Nixon saw what many Democratic pros failed to recognize or underestimated may sound a warning bell for the Kennedy managers in the battle ahead.

Portland Youth Gets Prison Term

Portland - (UPI) - Billy Joe Baker, 16, Portland, who was indicted for the robbery of a 52-year-old Connecticut housewife on Feb. 9, was sentenced to four years in the Oregon State Correctional Institution here Tuesday.

The sentence was passed by circuit court Judge Virgil Lantry on a charge of unarmed robbery. Baker, a promising athlete, pleaded guilty to the robbery charge.

Nixon believed the Kennedy pre-convention effort would succeed because of the New Englander's "tremendous organization," limitless financing and personal drive. He thought Kennedy was "running so fast he couldn't be caught" by his less active opponents.

Truman's Sister Taken To Hospital

Independence, Mo. - (UPI) - Former President Harry S. Truman's sister, Miss Mary Jane Truman, was admitted to Research hospital in Kansas City for observation today but Truman's office said her condition would have no effect on whether or not Truman would attend the Democratic National Convention in Los Angeles.

"Mr. Truman has no comment on reports that he may go to the convention depending on his sister's condition," said Moss Rose Conway, the former President's private secretary.

Assessors Call Parley To Tackle Trailer House Tax

Salem - (UPI) - The legislative committee of the county assessors of Oregon has called a meeting here Thursday with the State Department of Motor Vehicles to thresh out problems the assessors face involving Oregon's new Trailer House Tax Law.

Robert Kline of Newport, Lincoln county assessor and chairman of the committee, said that the law, effective last Jan. 1, is "vague and needs amending."

The Motor Vehicles Department collects a property tax on trailer houses in the form of a license fee, then gives the money to counties where the trailer is located for distribution to the appropriate taxing district within the county.

Inadequate Addresses
Kline said some of the problems assessors have run into are inadequate addresses for trailers, absentee owners and whether certain trailers on foundations classified as realty.

Kline said that right now he is holding \$5,000 in license fees but he is not certain yet which taxing districts in Lincoln county should get the money.

Trailer owners also pay a registration fee as in years past.

The meeting will be in the Marion county courthouse starting at 10 a.m. Motor Vehicles will be represented by Robert Holland, assistant attorney general attached to that department.

COOL DELEGATES

Los Angeles (UPI) - Air conditioning equipment at the Memorial Sports Arena is working hard enough to supply a 100-pound block of ice for every delegate and spectator at the Democratic national convention, according to engineers of the Carrier Air Conditioning company.

Oregon Delegation Caucus Reveals Definite Indications of Break in Solid Kennedy Backing

Los Angeles - (UPI) - Oregon's delegation to the Democratic National Convention caucused at the 11th hour today but there were definite indications of a breakthrough in the solid Kennedy backing.

Mrs. Virginia Grant, Oregon Democratic National Committeewoman, made it official by announcing that she does not consider herself committed to the state's May primary election winner, Sen. John F. Kennedy.

"I am weighing very carefully a decision over who I will support when my vote is cast," she told United Press International. "They are all very able."

"It is my understanding that the primary law does not commit me to vote for Kennedy. These are very critical times and what is for the benefit of the whole nation will benefit my state also."

Mrs. Grant's announcement brought a charge from Mrs. Edith Green, chairman of the state's contingent and an avid backer of Kennedy, that her co-delegate should be "morally" bound to support Kennedy.

Under the state's primary law all but two members of the 17-vote contingent are

committed to vote on at least the first two ballots for the primary winner, Kennedy defeated a "favorite son" try by Sen. Wayne Morse.

The two members not tied down by the primary are Mrs. Grant and National Commit-

teeman C. Girard (Jebby) Davidson but Davidson is supporting Kennedy.

Meanwhile, there were reports that could not be confirmed that Davidson and Mrs. Green were possibilities for posts in the Kennedy cabinet, if the Democratic front runner is nominated and elected.

Mrs. Green was mentioned as secretary of health, education and welfare and Girard as secretary of interior but both denied any negotiations

were underway for the posts. "There is no foundation for it," said Mrs. Green, an attractive 51-year-old grandmother who will second the Kennedy nomination tonight.

"This is just silly," she said. "I'm very happy where I am in Congress and this matter hasn't been discussed at all." Mrs. Green is in her third Congressional term and a candidate for a fourth term.

Davidson's mention for the interior spot was nothing new - except that this time it was under Kennedy rather than Adlai Stevenson. He refused to say he would turn down such a job if it is offered.

Stock Prices Suffer Third Setback on Reduced Turnover

New York - (UPI) - Stocks suffered their third successive setback today, but the drop was milder than the last two and came on reduced turnover.

Aircrafts and oils racked up gains, while steels, chemicals, electrical equipments, papers and motors were mostly lower.

Vending machines ran into further selling today with Vendo off more than a point and Automatic Canteen down a large fraction. Some in Wall Street believe that current weakness in this group may mark the end of the vending spree, just as the boating spree slowed down in mid-June.

DOW-JONES AVERAGES
New York - (UPI) - Dow-Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 632.11, off 2.01; 20 railroads 139.44, off 0.27; 15 utilities 93.34, up 0.25, and 65 stocks 208.85, off 0.35. Sales today were about 2,590,000 shares compared with 2,860,000 shares Tuesday.

Today's prices on selected stocks:	
Allied Chemical	53 1/2
Union Carbide	127
Alum. Co. Am.	82 1/2
American Can	39 1/2
American Motors	21 1/2
A. T. & T.	89 1/2
Anacostia Copper	50 1/2
Arco Steel	67 1/2
Bendly Corp.	65 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	45 1/2
Boeing Air	30
Caterpillar Corp.	26 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	44 1/2
Continental Can	38 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	43 1/2
Curtis Wright	19 1/2
Dow Chemical	87
Du Pont	204 1/2
Eastman Kodak	120
General Electric	88 1/2
General Foods	120 1/2
General Motors	43 1/2
Georgia Pacific	34 1/2
Graham Paige	17 1/2
Greyhound	22 1/2
Gulf Oil	37 1/2
Homestake Mining	38
Idaho Power	53 1/2
I. B. M.	504
Int. Paper	97 1/2
Johns Manville	59
Kaiser Ind.	9 1/2
Katy	4
Kennecott Copper	75 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	22 1/2
Montana Power	30
Natl. Biscuit	63 1/2
New York Central	21 1/2
Pac. Gas & Elec.	64 1/2
Penn. RR	43 1/2
Radio Corporation	63 1/2
Richardson Oil	73
Safeway	37
Sears	32 1/2
Shell Oil	34 1/2
Sococon Mobil Oil	37 1/2
Southern Co.	48 1/2
Southern Pacific	20
Standard California	41 1/2
Standard Indiana	37 1/2
Standard Oil	40 1/2
Sun Mines	53 1/2
Texas Co.	16 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulfur	14 1/2
Texas Pac. Land Trust	23 1/2
Trans World Air	13 1/2
Transamerica	38
Tri-Continental	127
Union Pacific	27 1/2
United Aircraft	41 1/2
United Airlines	30 1/2
U. S. Rubber	52 1/2
U. S. Steel	80 1/2
Youngtown S & T	102



FOILED ROBBER JAILED—Robert J. Tesdahl, would-be bank robber, is led to jail by arresting officers Herbert Miller and John H. Yador after an attempt to rob the Oregon Security Bank at Portland. Tesdahl, 31, was paroled from the Oregon State Penitentiary July 5. (UPI Telephoto)



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