

Smith at To-Night's Notification Will Answer Miller's Attack and There'll Be Political Fireworks

Will Use Governor's Own Figures to Refute Charges of Extravagance, and Lunn of the Sharp Tongue Will Be There.

By Joseph S. Jordan.

Former Gov. Alfred E. Smith and the rest of the candidates on the Democratic ticket will be notified to-night of their nominations at the Democratic National Club on Fifth Avenue and 50th Street. Mayor Hackett of Albany, who was permanent Chairman of the Democratic State Convention, will preside and will tender the nominations to the candidates.

Gov. Smith will sound the keynote of the campaign in his speech of acceptance and will answer the statements of Gov. Miller at the Republican gathering of notification. Mr. Smith will be specific in his reply to the Governor's charges of the wasteful extravagance of the Smith administration and will go down the line on each charge. Those in the confidence of the former Governor say that he will take the Miller figures and that his answers will put a different construction on what the Governor was pleased to call the "bold facts."

The meeting at the National Democratic Club will fire the opening gun of the Democratic campaign. George R. Lunn, nominee for Lieutenant Governor, will be among the speakers, and from those who know the Mayor of Schenectady comes the assurance that he will add to the fireworks set ablaze by Gov. Smith. Mayor Lunn is an orator and, while he is charged with being a radical, his utterances carry the logic and wisdom of experience.

Mayor Lunn was once a Socialist, but when the Socialist Party of Schenectady sought to tell him what he must do after his election as Mayor, he saw the error of Socialism in politics, so far as appointments went. The party insisted upon dictating the names of the Mayor's Cabinet, and those which should shadow the Schenectady payroll, and the Mayor retorted that he didn't understand that kind of Socialism. So the Socialists read him out of the party and he in turn read them out of the office. His firm stand made him the idol of Schenectady County. He was re-elected Mayor and sent to Congress on the Democratic ticket and became one of the strong men up-State among all kinds of people with the exception of the Socialists.

Mayor John Fleming of Troy, Democratic nominee for Comptroller, arrived at the Hotel Biltmore last night to be in attendance at the no-

DAY DENIES LOAN THROUGH MAN IN BOOTLEGGING RING

Prohibition Director Says He Didn't Borrow to Help His Business.

Ralph A. Day, returning to-day from Washington, where the acceptance of his resignation as Prohibition Enforcement Director for the New York district was announced yesterday, took occasion to deny having figured in any transaction in which a person in close touch with bootlegging interests had engaged.

The published story was to the effect that Mr. Day had been asked to wanted it clearly understood that he was not a soldier candidate.

"My record," he said, "was obtained because I had the honor of being with a distinguished regiment and of returning home at its head. The men who were responsible for its record were left behind in France."

Contrary to the assertions of the Colonel, the records show that there was no more distinguished soldier, no braver or more considerate officer than "Wild Bill" Donovan, the last Colonel of the Fighting 69th.

All interest in the campaign seemed lost yesterday, and a close-up of the Polo Grounds would have disclosed the familiar features of most of the politicians and candidates watching the opening game of the World Series. The Democratic candidate for Governor was there and threw the first ball across the plate. Gov. Miller was to have been on the mound to cast the first ball as he had cast the first stone in the campaign the night before. But the Governor was unable to attend and so "Governor" Al took his place. And Senator "Jimmy" Walker, minority leader, of whom Gov. Miller had said his lamentations shook the Capitol at the vision of discharged department heads and employees walking down Capitol Hill under the Miller economy plan, said out loud:

"And Al will take his place again on Jan. 1 in the Executive Chair in Albany."

And as "Al" marched across the field at the head of the band he got as great a hand as later did the heroes of the game. Even the fever of a World Series baseball game couldn't dampen the fervor of Al's constituents in the little old City of New York.

discuss a report that he had recently borrowed from or through this man a large amount of money to be put into the business of R. A. Day & Co., garment manufacturers.

"I have borrowed no money from any person or group of persons who have any interest in the violation of the Volstead act," Mr. Day said to-day. "Further than that I must refuse to discuss my business affairs."

Mr. Day repeated his statement that he had asked to be allowed to go back to his manufacturing business Nov. 1, as he had stipulated on being appointed a year ago, but had consented to remain until the end of the year.

The matter of finding a successor to Mr. Day was causing some deep thought in Washington to-day, it was reported. One of the names mentioned was that of John Fox jr. Mr. Fox informed The Evening World that under no circumstances would he take the offer of an appointment under consideration.

It may be necessary to bring back E. C. Yellowley, the general agent who held the position temporarily between the resignation of former Judge Hart of Birmingham and the appointment of Mr. Day.

The Director assented to-day that the suspension of six of his most active agents, Henry Gruenwald, George Fannell, Abraham Toplitz, Ross Sawyer, George Fasullo and Irving Garrison, had nothing to do with his resignation, which he said had been under discussion with Commissioner Haynes and others in Washington for a month.

The Federal Grand Jury continued to-day its investigations of corruption in the personnel of the local enforcement offices. It was predicted about the Federal Building that there will be a series of indictments within a week, naming a former city official

JUDGE FORFEITS \$15,500 IN BONDS

Defendants in Criminal Cases Fail to Appear; Court Angered.

Three bail bonds totalling \$15,500 were abruptly forfeited and bench warrants for as many defendants in criminal cases were issued by Judge Morris Koenig in General Sessions Court to-day when the defendants failed to appear for trial.

"I'm sick and tired of the attempts made to impose on this court," said Judge Koenig. "Defendants who delay justice by non-appearance when their cases are called can expect hereafter to find their bonds forfeited. Such tactics, which mean later attempts to get cases transferred to other courts, with corresponding delay, will not be countenanced."

The forfeitures were: Louie Weiss, No. 160 West 57th Street, under indictment since 1919, charged with bringing \$20,000 worth of Liberty bonds, stolen from a Water-viet, Ill., bank, into the State for disposal, \$10,000 bond.

William McGlynn, No. 235 West 56th Street, indicted July 21, charged with possessing a dangerous weapon, \$2,000 bond.

Charles Carlisi, No. 360 Pine Street, Brooklyn, indicted June 28, for criminal assault, bond \$3,500.

Judge Koenig said the bonds would not be revoked.

SOUTHEASTERN ROADS SIGN WITH TRAIN MEN

Old Wage Schedules Extended for Another Year. WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—Railroads of the Southeastern section of the United States and Brotherhood organizations of conductors and trainmen to-day signed an agreement settling all outstanding differences between them and extending present wages and working regulations until Oct. 31, 1923.



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