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REPUBLICANS MEET IN NATIONAL CONVENTION

G. O. P. DELEGATES IN FIRST SESSION THIS MORNING NAME TEMPORARY OFFICERS AND HEAR "KEYNOTE" SPEECH.

The republican national convention met in the Coliseum at Chicago today at 10 o'clock a. m. It was called to order by Will H. Hays, the chairman of the National Committee, who read the call, and then announced the temporary officers which had been chosen by the committee. Henry Cabot Lodge was named temporary chairman. He took the chair and proceeded to deliver his "key-note" speech.

Senator Lodge is delivering the "keynote" speech as temporary chairman, following which the committees will go to work. The convention will be in adjournment then, pending results of committee deliberations, and logrollers will be as "busy as a one-armed weaver with the itch."

In the noisy turmoil of convention

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...say the numerous press reports, the only definable trend seemed to be driving Wood, Lowden and Johnson into a deadlock fight which it was recognized might destroy them all. The old-timers, reflecting that it is but a step from a deadlocked convention to a stampered convention, wondered what might happen next unless some tried and trusted leader settled himself in the saddle.

Many were recalling the Chicago convention of 1880, when the favorites were all deserted after a deadlock of 35 ballots, and James A. Garfield, who had won the convention by a nominating speech, was nominated.

Talk of a dark horse, in which some of the more experienced practical politicians joined last night for

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the first time, began to resolve with an increasing frankness about the disclosures of the senate's investigation of campaign expenditures. At many

conferences those who advocated a dark horse predicted that in the end no man whose name was involved at all in the evidence of the investiga-

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ting committee could be put before the country as the party's choice.

In the main, however, the leaders and near-leaders caucused and conferred and brought forth nothing. Even those who held the whip hand over a few delegates here and there seemed unable to get together with the other greater and lesser potential dictators of party policy. The result was a foggy picture of the possibilities.

It became apparent that unless there came a dramatic and unexpected change, the first ballot Wednesday or Thursday will record votes for between 15 and 20 candidates, with scarcely more than half enough to nominate in the Wood, Lowden or Johnson column.

To what extent managers for the leading three can hold their delegates in line after an unsuccessful test of strength is a subject of controversy. There are those who contradict the claims of the Wood, Lowden and Johnson whips that their organizations are cohesive enough to stand the strain of a failure to nominate on an early ballot.

It is a situation which gave the bosses of other days many a good laugh in their sleeves as today's developments moved in feverish circles. Those of the old-time, out-of-date school who are here at all remained largely to themselves, however, hoping for the best, but shaking their heads sadly at the memory of steamrollers used and wires pulled in the times when a leader could be sure of his ground.

One effect of the prospective deadlock was to add impetus today to the

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FEDERAL PROHIBITION DECLARED GOOD LAW

United States Supreme Court Holds Amendment to Federal Constitution Binding Enactment.

The prohibition amendment and the enforcement act were held constitutional by the supreme court Monday in a unanimous decision.

The court's opinion, rendered by Justice Brandeis, was sweeping. It held that the amendment not only came within the amendment powers conferred by the federal constitution, but was lawfully proposed and now was law. While recognizing that congress has limitations as to the enforcement of laws regarding beverages the court held that those limits were not transcended in the enactment of the enforcement act restricting alcoholic content of intoxicants to 1/2 per cent.

Concurrent power granted by the amendment to federal and state governments to enforce prohibition, the court further held, "does not enable congress or the several states to defeat or thwart prohibition, but only to enforce it by appropriate means." The decision was set forth in 11 conclusions covering seven proceedings. These proceedings included original suits brought by Rhode Island, directly attacking the constitutionality of the amendment.

BEE DEMONSTRATION AT CHAMBERS PRAIRIE

State Bee Inspector Will Illustrate Modern Systems in the Care of Bees—Cage for Visitors.

Complying with the request of a large number of farmers in Thurston county for a bee demonstration, the County Agent has succeeded in making arrangements for one.

This demonstration will be held at the Chambers Prairie Grange hall, on the Olympia-Yelm road about four miles from Olympia. The date will be Monday, June 14, at 1 p. m.

W. L. Cox, state bee inspector, of Elma, will give a demonstration on transferring bees to modern hives, introducing queens, different varieties of foulbrood, and all problems encountered by bee raisers. Mr. Cox is proprietor of a large apiary, besides being state inspector. He is thoroughly familiar with all problems that arise in bee raising and is thoroughly competent to give an excellent demonstration.

A safety first bee cage will be constructed, so that those attending the demonstration will be in perfect safety.

BUILDING LABORERS ENTERTAIN FRIENDS

Local Union Stages Intellectual Program, Followed With Banquet and Dance.

The local union of Building Laborers were hosts to guests which numbered in the hundreds at a most successful open house meeting in Eagles' hall yesterday evening. A program of speech-making and music was followed by a lunch and dance.

Will Everett of Spokane was the principal speaker, his remarks, along labor lines and the political duties of labor men in these critical times, was enthusiastically received, the guests responding with generous applause. Mrs. C. P. Merwin sang "The Rose of Washington Square" and responded in encore numbers upon the loud demands of the appreciative listeners.

Bill Brenner, well-known local tenor, sang two numbers.

After the program of speaking and music, a lunch of sandwiches, cake and ice cream and coffee was enjoyed, and following the lunch the floor was cleared for dancing and this pleasure was enjoyed until a late hour.

AMERICANIZATION WORK BY TWO LOCAL COMMITTEES

Representatives of Two Local Organizations Continue to Promote Americanization of the Alien Residents.

The Americanization Council committee has voted to cooperate with another patriotic organization committee of which J. M. Hitt is chairman, in making the reception to be given for the foreigners who will receive their citizenship papers on June 21, appropriate to the occasion.

The council, which met Monday afternoon in the Woman's Club, discussed ways and means of reaching other women's organizations throughout the county and decided to send a committee to visit the clubs at their regular meeting days to interest them in the Americanization campaign.

The Americanization school will be opened in Olympia in September with Miss Mauryce Currie, as supervisor. Miss Currie is at the present time doing work in Seattle along this line. The course will cover five sessions and will be attended by delegates and women interested in the Americanization movement. The course will give them knowledge of the work that will enable them to go into the homes of the foreign born and teach them Americanization principles.

Food Demonstrations in Austria. Riots occurred in Austria Tuesday over the high cost of food. Many persons were killed or wounded.

SNYDER MOTOR COMPANY OPEN THEIR NEW GARAGE

Automobile Business Now Installed in New Building, Built for Their Especial Use.

The Snyder Motor Co. moved, Saturday last, to its new location at Franklin and Sixth streets, opening to the automobile public a new building, erected to the order of the company for their especial use.

The new garage is one of the most attractive garages in this section of the country, and it is conveniently arranged and equipped to handle all phases of the sale of new cars, the repair of motor vehicles, and the supply of accessories to the trade.

The Snyder company are agents of the Maxwell and Reo automobiles and Mack trucks. They have added the Cupples tires and tubes to their line.

A machine department, equipped with the most modern facilities, is under the managing direction of J. T. Eppley.

LEAGUE AND ALLIANCE DECIDE ON COUNTY TICKET

County Convention of Non-Partisan League Enters Into Agreement With Triple Alliance for County Campaign.

Thurston County Non-Partisan League met in county convention in Socialist hall, this city, today, 80 delegates being present, representing the precincts in the county where the non-partisan league has perfected a permanent organization.

The convention organized with the election of M. W. Pinger of Little Rock as chairman and Guy Taylor of Mud Bay, as secretary.

The usual committees were selected and the convention recessed until 1 o'clock, at which time the platform committee made its report, and after some vivid oratory this was adopted. The platform as submitted follows closely the lines of the declaration of principles of the workers' non-partisan league and the farmers' non-partisan league.

It declares for control of the machinery of government by and in the interest of the workers in field, factory, mines and the home.

A conference committee from the County Triple Alliance was present with a list of endorsements of county candidates. The alliance had met in convention Sunday afternoon and declared its preferences, instructing the committee to meet with the non-partisan league and make concessions that would promote complete harmony between the farmer and labor forces of the county.

The league convention selected a conference committee and the joint alliance-league committee reported to the convention a list of candidates for endorsement. After discussion and voting upon the names presented by the conference committee, the list of candidates as approved stands as follows:

Sheriff, L. Wiley; Treasurer, Grover Adair; Clerk, F. A. Schmidt; Assessor, Geo. W. Parse; Auditor, Marie Young; Superintendent of Schools, Emmet Brown; Engineer, P. Oulette; Senator, J. A. Donnelly; State Representative, City District, Fred Hudson; State Representative, County District, Guy R. Taylor.

There will be a further conference to determine upon endorsements for places left vacant upon the candidates' list. The question as to which party primary these candidates are to go in and capture also was left in abeyance.

Veterans to Dance. Ira L. Cater Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will hold a dance at the rink Saturday evening, June 12.

The dance at Zanaton has been cancelled so the McLane orchestra would be available for the Veterans' dance. As a special feature the committee has obtained the only counter-tenor singer in the state to entertain while the dancers are tripping the light fantastic.

BACCALAUREATE SERMON AT METHODIST CHURCH

The baccalaureate services for the graduating class of the High school were held at the Methodist church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. All the congregations united in the services. Rev. R. Franklin Hart, rector of the Episcopal church, read a selection of Scripture, followed by prayer led by Rev. James W. Countermine, pastor of the United Churches.

Rev. Chas. T. Goodsell, pastor of the Baptist church, preached a most eloquent and inspiring sermon on the subject, "The Most of Life." The benediction was pronounced by Rev. A. H. Lathrop, pastor of the Methodist church.

The church was beautifully and appropriately decorated for the occasion, and the musical program was excellent. Members of the class, the school board, and the high school faculty attended the services in a body. The church was crowded to its capacity by an appreciative audience.

ELKS OPEN DOORS OF FINE NEW BUILDING

Local Antlered Herd, With Many Visitors From Near-by Towns, Enters New Hall.

Brotherhood Protective order of Elks of Olympia have relinquished their old quarters and occupied the fine new Elks building on Main just south of Sixth Street.

Members of the order to the number of 500 met at the old hall and preceded by the Elks band marched to the new temple Monday evening. Visitors from Centralia, Seattle, Tacoma and other lodges in Western Washington attended the first services in the new home.

The Shelton Elks presented the lodge with a beautiful silk flag handsomely mounted.

Announcement was made that formal dedication of the new building will be celebrated June 26 and arrangements are being made to take care of thousands of Elks.

The Olympia lodge will observe Flag day Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the lodge room of the new building. Scott Z. Henderson, of Tacoma, will deliver the address.

Following the regular lodge meeting last night members and visitors returned to the old hall where Chef Sticklin and the kitchen committee had prepared a fine farewell banquet.

STIMSON TEAM OF SEATTLE DEFEATS OLYMPIA BALL CLUB

Playing on a field that was wet and slippery, the Stimson Mill Company's baseball team of Seattle, defeated the Olympia team at Athletic park last Sunday, by the score of 10 to 8.

The game was interesting because of the uncertainty of the ball being fielded. As both teams were hitting freely, there was doubt as to who would be returned victors.

Next Sunday, June 13, the locals tangle with the McCleary ball team.

American Legion to Elect Officers

The commander and vice commander of Alfred William Leach Post, American Legion, have both tendered their resignations. Commander Fullerton, in order that he may run for the office of prosecuting attorney, and Vice Commander Coulter because he will be absent from the city for most of the rest of this year.

Virgil Baker was nominated for the office of commander. John Dunbar and William Kelly were placed in nomination for vice commander. The elections will occur at the next meeting.

Tacoma Man Arrested in Olympia

Police Officer Endicott arrested Edgar Huntington in this city Friday night on a warrant sent down here by the Tacoma police. Huntington was wanted on a charge of grand larceny. He was taken to Tacoma for trial.

Lawyers in Free-for-All Fight

Representative Flood and half a dozen lawyers and witnesses in the famous Portner will case at Manassas, Virginia, engaged in a free-for-all fight in the Prince William county circuit court, Tuesday.

GRADUATION EXERCISES THURSDAY EVENING

DIPLOMAS FOR 47 SENIORS—ADDRESS BY PROF. R. F. SCHOLTZ OF THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON.

The close of the school year of 1919-20 occurs this week and the graduation exercises of the High School will occur at the High School Auditorium Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Forty-seven young ladies and young men will finish their high school work with honor, and be ready to enter college to complete the preparation for life which they have so well begun.

Miss Marie Chesser, as the winner of the highest standing, is valedictorian of the class, and Allen White, who stood second highest, is salutatorian. The faculty selected two honor students to take part in the program, Misses Estella Larson and Florence Bateson, and the senior class selected two others, Charles Tyler and Ottmar Kotick.

The address will be given by Richard F. Scholtz, professor of history, University of Washington. Professor Scholtz is not only one of the most eloquent speakers on the U. S. staff, but he is one of the deepest thinkers. He is a rapid-fire speaker, and can probably say more good things in an hour and say them better than any other man in the state.

An informal reception will be held in the gymnasium at the close of the program, for the graduates and their friends. The program of exercises is as follows:

Overture "Lustspiel" (Kele Bela) - High School Stringed Orchestra
Invocation - Charles Tyler
Solo - "Our City; Why It Should Be Beautiful" - Allen White
Piano solo, "Pollichnele" (Rachmaninoff) - Florence Bateson
"Rosemary for Remembrance" - Marie Chesser

"The New Leaf" - Estella Larson
Melody in A (Parker) - Ottmar Kotick
Address, Richard F. Scholtz, of the History Department of the University of Washington.

Presentation of Class of 1920, by Leland P. Brown, Principal of High School.

Awarding of diplomas, Member of the School Board.

Overture, "Schlepegroll" - Orchestra

The seniors who completed the course are: Esther Adams, Birdie Churchill, Allen, Reuben Ames, Ethel Ayers, Henry Bacon, Florence Bateson, Jennie Benson, Wynne Bragdon, Thelma Bricker, Oscar Bullock, Helen Carlson, Marie Chesser, Marjorie Cook.

Doris Delbridge, Clara Doyle, Ruth Elbertson, Ida Erickson, Bruce Gerth, Ruth Glinder, Irene Granger, Newton Grim, George Gunstone.

Frederick Johnson, Neomi King, Orval Kisor, Ottmar Kotik, May Kreider, Stella Larson, Earl Lavary, Harry Lounsbury.

Lena Martinson, Beulah Monroe, Irene Nelson, Mabel Norrie, Virgil Owings, Mary Owings, Ruth Pickett, Roland Reynolds, Harold Robertson, Dorothy Rose.

Waldo Stentz, Geraldine Troy, Charles Tyler, Vivian Utterback, Donald Webb, Florence Willey, Allen White.

Western Union Changes Managers

G. A. Goforth, Western Union local manager, leaves today for Bellingham, where he will look after the Western Union interests in that city. He will assume charge of the Vancouver, B. C., office as well, dividing his time between the two cities.

R. E. Michaels will assume the duties of manager in the local office.

Steamer Mizpah to Run Again

The steamer Mizpah has been purchased by D. L. Wyman, who is giving her a thorough overhauling, and will place her upon the Shelton-Olympia run.