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Republicans Nominate Harding.

Coliseum, Chicago, June 12.—The Republican Party today exercised the spirit of Roosevelt invoked yesterday by every man who spoke for any candidate.

The "Old Guard" seizing upon the threat of Borah to bolt if either Wood or Lowden should be nominated, pounded the liberal strength of Wood to bits, switched their own controlled strength from Lowden to Harding, and in the end nominated the "stand pat" and "old guard" senator from Ohio.

Wood was hurt and badly hurt by the tremendous sum of his campaign fund, even though no charge of its improper use was brought against him.

Lowden was barred by the proven facts of purchased votes.

When the "Old Guard" would have nominated Lowden, it found it could not, and when it turned to eliminate Wood, it found a ready excuse.

The convention has named a candidate for whom no considerable element of Republicans in the United States had called. It has satisfied no demand from its own strength. It turned its dates; ignored Hoover, for whom there was a real spontaneous call; eliminated Lowden, who had genuine support in the Central West, and finally selected Harding, who hardly carried his own state against Leonard Wood.

The people had, at the last, little to do with the results of this convention.

The results reflect the fears and jealousies, the ambitions and habits of little politicians, relieved to find things so develop that they could obey the behest of big politicians.

So—the Republican Party faces the autumn campaign with an almost unknown personality, strengthless, reactionary "favorite son," and a pitiless platform of compromise and evasion.

The Republican convention in Chicago has presented opportunity to the Democrats at San Francisco.

Walthall Board Offers \$500 For Capture of Vat Dynamiters.

Tylertown, Miss., June 9.—The second arrest in connection with the dynamiting of dipping vats in Walthall county was made yesterday, when Ross Dunaway, a young man of Darbun vicinity, was arrested and lodged in jail here. Dunaway is said to have been implicated with Dewit Walters in the attempt to destroy the Ryals vat Saturday night, when Walters was arrested in the act of applying the fuse, but made his escape with one other of the party. He will be held here temporarily.

Walters, who was conveyed to Jackson to be turned over to the federal authorities, is reported to have been released on bond and will be returned to his county for trial.

The board of supervisors have offered a reward of \$500 for the apprehension, arrest or conviction of any person destroying vats, or interfering in any way with the regular process of dipping. To date, fifteen vats of Walthall county have been destroyed, and with that number out of service the dipping in certain sections of the county is rendered difficult.

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Argyle Male Quartet Will Open Chautauqua



A twenty-minute sketch, "Jerusalem Morn," Scottish songs, presented in Highland costume by a well-known Scotch comedian, novel readings and varied song selections are striking features of the program to be given by the Argyle Male Quartet on the first afternoon of the Chautauqua.

This quartet comes with an established reputation. The members of the company are individual artists of attainment whose voices in ensemble have unusual blending qualities. They have a rare sense of program values and their offerings are sure to please the entire audience.

This splendid male quartet will not only give a full program on the first afternoon of the Redpath Chautauqua, but will give a prelude at night.

Franklinton Chautauqua In July.

A three days' chautauqua will be enjoyed by the people of Franklinton and vicinity on July 2, 3 and 5.

Six performances will be given, all entertainments being strictly first class and selected with a view to giving variety and pleasure to suit all.

Mirth and humor abound, while oratory music, science, etc. will be furnished in just the amount we as a whole need and will most appreciate.

Season tickets will be sold for \$2.50 each, and every individual in the community should be sure to see these various entertainments, for never before has such a splendid opportunity been offered our people.

For tickets and further information see W. S. Burris at the Washington Bank & Trust Co.

Back From Capital For Recess.

United States Senator Edward J. Gay reached the city Thursday from Washington and will spend the recess at his plantation at Plaquemine. He was recently elected one of the "Big Four" delegates at large by the state Democratic Convention, June 3, and his friends have urged him to make the journey to the Pacific. Senator Gay took an active part in the windup of the senate calendar and delivered a stinging rebuke to the Republican do-nothing policy. Mr. Gay believes Democratic chances have greatly enhanced in the past six weeks.

Other members of the Louisiana delegation are also here, including Congressman H. Garland Dupre, second district; James O'Connor, first district; J. Y. Sanders, sixth, and Dr. L. Lazaro, seventh, the latter having been called home by the illness of a brother.

Mr. Dupre and Mr. O'Connor are candidates to succeed themselves and Gov. Sanders is a candidate for the United States senate. All three will be actively engaged in organizing their campaigns during the next few weeks. Mr. Dupre has been greatly encouraged by recent political developments in the second district. It is current report that many of

the strongest political leaders in this district are not inclined to favor any change at this time.

These three senatorial candidates, Edwin S. Broussard, J. Y. Sanders and Donelson Caffery, are priming for their first joint appearance on the public platform at Lafayette, June 21, where they have been invited to deliver non-political addresses on the occasion of the twentieth anniversary of the laying of the cornerstone of the Southwestern Industrial Institute. Each of the candidates is a native of South Louisiana and they will engage in a symposium on "Educational and Civic Ideals in Southwestern Louisiana." At the banquet at the Gordon Hotel at 8 p. m., of that day, the three candidates will respond to these toasts: "America," "Louisiana," and "Federal Relation."

Robert Martin, of St. Martinville, known as the father of the institute, will speak on the "Origin of Southwestern Institute," and Dr. E. L. Stephens, president, will deliver an address on some of the things the institute hopes for.

Houston Post.—Please don't call it the "almighty dollar" any more, when it wont even buy a peck of potatoes or two feeds of liver.

Dallas News.—Senator Knox says the whole nation is in a toil and ferment. We haven't seen much toiling going on but he is right about the fermenting.

Wichita Beacon.—Everything at the San Francisco convention will be cut and dried. The Politicians will do the cutting and Bryan will do the "drying."

Nashville Tennessean.—Everybody has been waging a strong fight against the profiteers—on paper. And now the profiteers seem to have cornered the paper.

Philadelphia North American.—A lot of people feel that peace with Mexico would be hastened if we could only get at that Mexican oil to pour on the troubled waters.

Columbia Record.—A Presidential year is generally referred to as an "off-year" and as we listen to the ravings of the politicians we are impressed with the accuracy of the description.

How Is Your Tree Crop?

A great many farmers are tree farmers and do not know it. The land area owned by farmers in this country which is not ploughed and cultivated in the ordinary farm crops is many times greater than the part dedicated to ordinary farming. There is possibly no more than 10 or 15 per cent of the land owned by farmers in cultivated portion of the farm. Yet in some instances the harvest in timber resources exceeds in value the crop harvest from the cultivated portion of farm. We are inclined to attribute a profitable sale of cross ties, saw logs or paper pulp wood or fuel wood to luck, thinking ourselves fortunate that such came our way once in a life time, not stopping to consider the age of the trees felled and sold, and giving little or no thought to the condition under which the said trees grew.

The fact is in most cases these trees received little or no attention by the farmers. Yet the trees have produced a crop combating unaided, fires, insect pests, grazing animals and fungus diseases. Few farmers would expect to make a profit from their corn, oats, cotton, hay or orchards without giving them a great deal of care and attention.

Therefore, if we can harvest a crop of timber off our lands occasionally without giving any attention it is reasonable to say that with the expenditure of a little foresight and care the timber yields and profits would increase wonderfully.

Nearly all of our uncultivated lands or wood lots are used for pasturing stock. There is a time when even grazing is destructive to little trees. There is a proper balance as between grazing and the production of timber. Common sense and local conditions should be sufficient to determine that balance. Then the greatest enemy of all is fire. It is greatly to our advantage here in the South, and for the welfare of our children in the future that we learn this one thing, and learn it quickly. A great many people know it already and will admit it, yet we say we are powerless to prevent it. In a sense we have not learned well enough the lesson that these fires are destroying our tree crops and thereby causing us great financial loss, else we would find a remedy.

We protect our crops in the field against many enemies, one of which is fire, then by the same process why not protect our timber crop. The demand for cross ties, pulp wood, fuel wood, box boards to say nothing of lumber is ever increasing. The extension of good roads and development of the motor truck are making it practical to market our timber in less than car lots from points remote from the Railroads.

The possibilities of timber for a money producing crop are especially inviting in this part of the South. Nature offers to do it all if we will mind off the violators of her laws.

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General News In Brief.

The American Federation of Labor after denouncing the Republican platform, decided to appeal to the Democratic Party.

Bermuda planned to celebrate the tercentenary of the adoption of its constitution during the visit of the Prince of Wales next fall.

Los Angeles was officially declared to have outstripped San Francisco in population and to be the largest city west of St. Louis.

The Taxpayers' Association of New Orleans was organized Wednesday, and will endeavor to develop into an immense agency for civic betterment.

The New Orleans Board of Trade endorsed the Dock Board, port management and gas bills now before the state Legislature.

Obstructionists met with a crushing defeat in the Louisiana House which voted in favor of Governor Parker's program.

The American Federation of labor decided to wipe out the "color line" and affiliated unions are told to give blacks equal fights with whites.

The eleven-hour action to save life of Edward Doyle, cold-blooded slayer of Gus D. Levy, aroused Orleanians.

Essad Pasha, former provisional president of Albania, was assassinated by a student who blamed him for country's wrongs.

The Poles announced they were evacuating Kiev, but claimed to have regained territory recently taken by the Bolsheviks.

Two negroes were arrested as suspects after A. N. Thomas, a groceryman, had been fatally shot by a negro burglar in Vicksburg, Miss.

Postmaster General Burleson contradicted statements made in the Republican national platform concerning government wire service and salary increases.

President Dinwiddie issued a call to the people of New Orleans and Louisiana to donate \$2,000,000 to the endowment fund of Tulane to permit the university to continue its usefulness to the community.

P. M. Milner, president of the Louisiana Motor League, explained the details of the league's highway plan now before the Louisiana Legislature.

Organized labor was appealed to by Samuel Gompers to urge upon Congress the adoption of the League of Nations.

La Follette followers and the single taxers called conventions to meet in Chicago July 10 with the Wisconsin man the probable nominee.

The State Pardon Board postponed until its October session action on the case of Murderer Doyle.

Isn't It Funny

The man who thinks he is a business man will get up in the morning from an advertised mattress, shave with an advertised razor, take off advertised pajamas and put on advertised underwear, advertised hose, shirt, collar, tie, seat himself at the table and eat advertised breakfast food, drink advertised coffee or substitute, put on an advertised hat, light an advertised cigar, go to his place of business, and turn down advertising on the ground that advertising doesn't pay—Belgrade (Mont.) Journal.

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