

CONVENTION IS CONTROLLED BY "RING" DELEGATES

Democrats of County Meet to Select Delegates to the State Convention.

"Ring" delegates are in control of the Democratic county convention held in the 24th district court room. The "ring" claims 150 "faithful" were selected as delegates to the county convention.

The "anti" delegates are known to have selected delegates from precincts Nos. 11, 12 and possibly 3. They may also have delegates from some of the county precincts, but there are not more than 10 "anti" delegates in attendance.

There was talk of the "ring" contesting some of the "anti" delegates. Judge T. A. Falvey, nominated chairman of the county Democratic executive committee during the recent primaries, was chairman of the convention.

The convention is expected to adopt a resolution endorsing the national administration. The most important business before the convention is the selection of delegates to the state convention which will convene here on August 11.

HARNESS SHOP ROBBED. A harness shop at Canutillo, owned by Joe Monfort, an employe of the Shelton-Payne Arms company, was burglarized sometime Thursday night and good to the value of about \$300 carried away, according to a report made to the sheriff's office Friday.

Chief deputy Stanley Good, sr., went to Canutillo Friday and made an investigation of the robbery, but so far no clue to the burglars has been discovered.

HASLEN A FIREMAN. William Van Haslen has entered the employ of the city as a fireman at the central station. He started to work Saturday morning. He is the son of H. C. Van Haslen, janitor at the court house.

CAROTHERS GIVES VIEWS OF VILLA

Washington, D. C., Aug. 1.—George C. Carothers, special representative of the state department, who has been accompanying Pancho Villa, arrived today from El Paso and had a long conference with secretary Bryan.

Neither Mr. Bryan nor Mr. Carothers would discuss the matter, but for several days reports of Villa's disinclination to submit to Carranza have been reaching officials here.

Another aspect of the situation, which was not regarded as favorable, was the reported attitude of Carranza on the subject of amnesty. Some doubts are expressed in official reports as to whether Carranza would give a pledge for amnesty in any form of way, being opposed to the idea that Carranza's surrender should be conditioned.

CARRANZA PROMISES TO PROTECT SPANISH. Spanish neutrals in Mexico are to be given all possible guarantees, they will be reimbursed for their property losses and will be permitted to return to Mexico when the "Constitutionalist" party is in control.

These assurances were given Gen. Manuel Walls Merino, special envoy from the Spanish government to Venustiano Carranza, who was received by Carranza at Monterey Friday.

Senor Walls Merino was in El Paso several days before going to Monterey. He was sent there for a conference with the first chief of the revolution, which was arranged in advance by telegraph.

A telegram has been received by Gen. Rafael E. Muzquiz from minister Yedro Fabela, of the department of interior in Carranza's cabinet, saying that the meeting between the Spanish envoy and Carranza was most cordial and the envoy was assured that his people would receive all guarantees from the "Constitutionalist."

Carranza also told the envoy that if some of his nationals had suffered loss of property it was the result of civil war or of meddling in politics on their part and that just reimbursements would be made to them.

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DUTY OFF FOODSTUFF TAKEN INTO C. JUAREZ

All food stuff is to be admitted through the Juarez port free of duty by the "Constitutionalist" government. This was announced by the Juarez custom officials Saturday morning upon receipt of a telegram from Francisco Villa, ordering that this ruling be enforced at once. The duty will be levied not only on food stuff consigned to the "Constitutionalist" army, but to all merchants that it is consigned to.

PARADES WON'T BE STOPPED AT TAMPIO. Veracruz, Mex., Aug. 1.—Eugenio Parades, former treasurer general of the republic; Lieut. Lorenzo Elizaga, a brother-in-law of Gen. Porfirio Diaz, and other prominent adherents of former president Huerta, went aboard the Hamburg-American line steamer Angonia today, expecting to sail for Tampico, Spain. Learning, however, that the ship would first make a stop at Tampico, the party came ashore, having been informed that they would be arrested at Tampico and subjected to execution.

CLERGYMEN ROBBED, THEY CLAIM. Laredo, Tex., Aug. 1.—Thirty clergymen, including one American, together with 10 other American refugees, all from San Luis Potosi, constituted Friday night arrivals from Mexico. It is reported that the priests were held up en route from San Luis Potosi and robbed of 4000 pesos.

DEMING COMPLAINS OF FREIGHT RATES. Santa Fe, N. M., Aug. 1.—The state corporation commission today received a complaint from Deming, the first complaining that the freight on a truck had been charged as freight on a spring wagon and the other that while the Deming is only 15 cents a hundred, the railroad charges 16 cents a hundred to carry the tires 16 miles out of Deming.

BELL BOY BRINGS SUIT FOR ALLEGED INJURIES. Suit for \$20,000 damages was instituted in the special district court Friday afternoon against Charles and Lewis Zeiger, by Fred Merkent, by his next friend, H. G. Merkant, for alleged injuries received. The alleged injuries were received June 2, 1914, while the plaintiff was in the employ of the defendants as a bell boy. The plaintiff alleges that the defendants employed an incompetent elevator operator, that while in the discharge of his duties he (Merkent) was riding on the elevator and was caught between the cage and the wall and so seriously injured as to make him a cripple for life.

MOTORISTS UP FOR NOT LIGHTING LAMPS. The police cited D. C. Crowell to appear in corporation court Saturday afternoon to answer to a charge of blocking traffic in front of the Mills building, Friday night. N. E. Good, sr., A. E. Schuster and the driver of car 224 also were cited to appear and explain why the tail lights on their machines were not burning Friday night.

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RIO GRANDE STATIONARY. The water discharge of the Rio Grande at the Leasburg dam remained at 5988 cubic feet per second Saturday, the same amount being discharged Friday morning.

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COUNTY COMMITTEE CANVASSES THE VOTE

The last act of Tom Lea, "anti" ring chairman of the county Democratic executive committee, was to call the members of that committee together Saturday morning when the returns of the recent primary election were canvassed and those candidates receiving the highest number of votes were declared the nominees. With the exception of Lea, George Harper, judge Peyton F. Edwards and county clerk Park Pittman were the only ones who took part in the meeting. Pittman was there to receive the returns of the county nominees. There is any contest brewing, there was no hint of it at the executive committee session. A defeated candidate desiring to contest the election will have five days after the posting of the returns, to file his notice.

Lea will forward to Walter Collins, state chairman at Houston, Tex., returns for all state officers, the county chairman and newly elected members of the executive committee. He will be certified to Charles F. Combs, most of the returns of the county judges at Anson, Tex. J. H. Gibson, chairman of the eighth supreme judicial district, will receive the returns of Judge A. M. Walcott's election. The returns of state senators Claude Hudspeth and those of congressman W. W. Bridges will be forwarded to J. Y. Canon, Van Horn, Tex. The votes returned for these take in Calhoun and El Paso counties.

BUDGET FUND IS GROWING RAPIDLY. Last year's budget fund has been surpassed by the budget committee of the chamber of commerce and the campaign is little more than half completed. The budget fund last year amounted to \$30,175 when the campaign closed. Friday the committee obtained enough to make the total \$51,000. This is almost \$20,000 more than the total amount of the fund last year and has encouraged the committee in its work of raising \$100,000 this year.

The property owners' committee is getting results. W. H. and Fred Fenchler had the honor of being the first property owners to subscribe to the fund. They mailed their check for \$250 to the chamber of commerce in answer to the personal letter sent out by the property owners' committee. Mrs. B. F. Hammett, wife of former mayor of El Paso, is the first woman property owner to subscribe to the property owners' fund.

CHAPMAN GIVEN CITY JOB; LEAVES HERALD. R. G. Chapman, for the past two years a member of the editorial staff of the Herald, during which he has "covered" the court house and city hall, has been appointed assistant city purchasing agent by mayor C. E. Kelly and will enter upon his new duties Monday, August 3. His successor, Henry Schaffer, who recently resigned to become city school auditor, Mr. Chapman begins his new duties Monday.

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LIMITED COURT REVIEW IS VOTED INTO BILL. Washington, D. C., Aug. 1.—The Cummins amendment for a limited court review of the proposed trade commission orders, as distinguished from the broad review proposed by the Pomernoy amendment, was incorporated by the senate today in the trade commission bill by a vote of 33 to 25.

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TWO INJURED IN AUTO COLLISION

Little Vera Goebel was knocked unconscious and Mrs. John F. Goebel with her little baby in her arms was thrown out of the car and bruised and scratched, when the automobile in which John F. Goebel was driving his family home, collided with another automobile on Monday and Newman streets shortly before 7 o'clock Friday night.

Both cars were reported to be going at a slow rate of speed at the time of the collision. Mr. Goebel's car was coming toward town down Montana street and the other car was crossing Newman.

Mr. Goebel's car was turned over on its side and the occupants thrown out on the ground. Dr. J. A. Paget, who happened to be passing in his automobile, and with Dr. H. M. Worsham attending Mrs. Goebel and her daughter. Their injuries are not serious. The radiator of the car was damaged.

DETECTIVE GIVES MASHED A BEATING. Detective George Harold administered a severe rebuke to an alleged "masher" Friday night when he knocked the man down twice, following an insulting remark addressed to the detective by the man. The fellow, who was walking along South El Paso street.

The "masher" made the remark in Spanish, thinking the detective might understand it. Quick as a flash the officer struck the man, and when he got up, again knocked him down. The fellow, on arising the second time, beat a hasty retreat.

A companion who was with him, told detective Harold that he did exactly right. He said the man had been making remarks about numerous women who had passed the spot during the evening.

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CHAPMAN GIVEN HEARING. W. E. Chapman, charged with negligent homicide, was released Saturday morning on his own recognizance, after being given a preliminary hearing before Judge E. H. McClintock. Chapman is alleged to have run down a Mexican who later died of his injuries.

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