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FIRST TEST VOTE IN CONVENTION MAY NOT DECIDE NOMINEE

Roosevelt, Lafollette and Cummins In Pact So Taft Can't Win On First Ballot

IOWA MAN EXPECTS TO HOLD KEY TO DEADLOCK

Plan Is To Seat McGovern as Temporary Chairman Instead of Root

BY GILSON GARDNER

CHICAGO, June 13.—On the choice of a temporary chairman for the national convention the first test of strength is likely to come between the Roosevelt and Taft forces.

Gilson Gardner.

Root is the Taft candidate.

McGovern, of Wisconsin, will probably be the Roosevelt candidate.

If Root wins the same vote would be sufficient to nominate Taft.

If McGovern wisn, the same vote would not necessarily be available for the nomination of Roosevelt. After defeating Root and checking Taft, the votes of Wisconsin, North Dakota and Iowa would go back to their favorite son candidates.

Thus the result of McGovern's selection as temporary chairman might easily be a temporary deadlock between Roosevelt and Taft, with the balance of power temporarily in the hands of Cummins and LaFollette.

On one proposition Roosevelt, Cummins and LaFollette are agreed—that Taft must not have enough votes to win on the first ballot. In order to prevent this it will probably be necessary for Roosevelt, Cummins and LaFollette to unite on the organization of the convention. It is now figured by the Roosevelt managers that the addition of Wisconsin, North Dakota and Iowa to the Roosevelt strength would make the defeat of Root certain. If this figuring is accurate the same vote could reject the report of the credentials committee and seat Roosevelt delegates in place of those seated by the national committee. But it is reasonable to expect that the Cummins and LaFollette forces will see that only enough delegates are seated for Roosevelt to spell Taft's nominating majority and to leave Roosevelt with less than enough to put over his nomination.

This is the plan of the "balance of power" combination.

In this situation it is the frankly expressed expectation of Cummins that he will hold the key to the deadlock. He has been courting the friendship of both sides. The Taft managers, particularly Crane and McKinley, have been encouraging Cummins to hope that he might be heir to the Taft delegates IF Taft is finally and admittedly out of it. His friends say that the entire Taft strength with Iowa would be enough to nominate if LaFollette were willing to contribute his 36 and LaFollette's feelings toward Roosevelt are notoriously such as to lead to the inference that he would help Cummins to the nomination in order to beat Roosevelt.

The Roosevelt people, of course, do not admit that the withdrawal of Wisconsin, North Dakota and Iowa would leave Roosevelt short of a nominating majority. They are willing, they say, to abide by the results of an organization accomplished with the help of Cummins and McGovern. They figure that the moment it is evident that Taft cannot win the fight to name Root as temporary chairman and put over at first ballot nomination, the opposition will crumble and the result be a Roosevelt stampede.

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NEW MICHIGAN CENTRAL DEPOT APPROACH WILL COST CITY ABOUT $400,000

Times Makes Careful Estimate Based On the Assessment Figures

THREE BLOCKS REQUIRED

In Addition To Original Cost, City Will Have To Make Big Outlay For Grading

It will cost the city at least $331,065 to buy the property between Michigan-ave. and the new $2,000,000 Michigan Central depot—the property which some of the aldermen of the west side wards are planning to convert into a park-like approach to the depot. It may cost as high as $441,420. The actual cost, if the plan most favored is carried out, will probably be somewhere between the two figures.

Since the plan was broached by Ald. O'Brien, of the Tenth ward, there have been many estimates of the probable cost, varying from $100,000 to $500,000. The last step taken by the council committee on street opening in considering the project several weeks ago was to have the city engineer instructed to draw a map of the property with an estimate of the cost of the land needed and the improvements to be made. The engineer's office is not now working on the plan, the statement being made that the office was never instructed to get out the plan and estimate.

To obtain an accurate estimate of the cost of the undertaking to the city The Times looked up the assessments against every lot and building which will be required to carry out the plan. It is proposed to condemn all the property from Fourteenth-ave. to Seventeenth-st. and from Michigan-ave., on the north, to Dalzelle-st. and the depot on the south.

Several plans were submitted by the city plan commission to the aldermen proposing to cut a wide thoroughfare from the depot directly to Michigan-ave. This thoroughfare would cut through the intervening lots on a slant and the aldermen did not consider the plan satisfactory. They want two or three entire blocks condemned. The position of the depot is such that a portion of it would be obstructed to the view from Michigan-ave., if only two blocks are devoted to the approach. The plan most favored now is to condemn all three blocks.

The assessment on the land in the three blocks is $118,120. The assessment on the buildings is $102,590, the total being $20,710. The total assessment represents, conservatively, two-thirds of the actual cash value of the property. This would mean that if the city could purchase all the land and buildings at cash value, it would have to pay $331,065. There are evi-

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WOMAN FINDS NEGRO THIEVES IN HOME; FAINTS

Intruders Gone When Mrs. Jacob Grosda Recovers Consciousness; No Loot Taken

When Mrs. Jacob Grosda returned to her home, No. 109 Division-st., from a trip to the butcher shop, Wednesday afternoon, she found two Negroes in the house, which they had entered by means of a false key and were just starting to plunder when the woman walked in.

Mrs. Grosda fell in a faint at sight of the intruders, and when she recovered they had gone, leaving their key in the lock.

The fact that nothing was taken, indicates that the two daylight burglars were as badly frightened as Mrs. Grosda, and did not tarry a moment after seeing her, though she was helpless.

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TAFT DELEGATES FROM MICHIGAN SEATED BY NATIONAL COMMITTEE

Rules There Is No Foundation In Fact Or Law For Roosevelt Claim

ROLL CALL IS TAKEN

Counsel For Both Sides Make Lengthy Arguments To Support Claims

DELEGATES SEATED.

John D. MacKay, Detroit.
William J. Richards, Crystal Falls.
George B. Morley, Saginaw.
Eugene Fifield, Bay City.
Fred A. Diggins, Cadillac.
William Judson, Grand Rapids.

ALTERNATES.

Alton T. Roberts, Marquette; Herbert A. Thompson, Williamston; Crawford S. Reilly, Cheboygan; Charles B. Warren, Detroit; Charles E. White, Niles, and Ray Hart, Battle Creek.

CHICAGO, June 13.—On the ground that the claims of the Roosevelt contestants from Michigan were unfounded either in law or in fact, the national Republican committee last night seated the Taft delegates-at-large from that state, even without a roll call.

George L. Record, of New Jersey, and Judge William D. Gordon, of Midland, presented the Roosevelt side, and Alexander J. Groesbeck, of Detroit, and Paul H. King, of Grand Rapids, made arguments for the Taft side. Because he had been sitting on the national committee under a proxy for several days, Gerrit J. Diekema, President Taft's manager for Michigan, decided he would not appear as a spokesman for the president. With John W. Blodgett, national committeeman from Michigan, he sat as a judge on the Michigan controversy.

The contesting delegates declared unentitled to seats are Chase S. Osborn, Sault Ste. Marie; Charles A. Nichols, Detroit; Sybrant Wesselius, Grand Rapids; Theodore Joslin, Adrian; Herbert F. Boughey, Traverse City, and William D. Gordon, Midland.

The losing alternates are Jeff G. Brown, James Kinnane, A. D. McBirney, Perry L. Abbey, J. B. Barron and Edward Anderson.

Mr. Record argued that two conventions had been held in Bay City, that the state committee had taken upon itself the decision as to what county delegates ought to be placed on the temporary roll of the state convention, and that more than 100 regularly elected delegates were kept out of the hall by force. He said two conventions were held in Wayne county; that in 31 precincts in that section in the primary election, the polls were kept open less than the specified four hours; that the Wayne county delegation numbered 253, and that the Roosevelt forces elected a majority.

Judge Gordon declared the Michigan counties sent a majority of Roosevelt delegates to Bay City but the "infernal machine organized by the Taft men" had thrown out 112 uncontested Roosevelt delegates without admitting them to the convention hall.

Mr. King, secretary of the state central committee, said he issued the call for the meeting of the Republican state central committee because Frank Knox, state chairman, declined to call the meeting together, and that a majority of the committee had acted without him. Mr. King declared the temporary roll call had been properly made up. He said the removal of Truman H. Newberry, who had been slated for temporary chairman, and the selection of another chairman, was authorized by the state committee in regular form.

Mr. Groesbeck said Charles A. Nichols, of Detroit, one of the Roosevelt contesting delegates at large had helped to place the militia in charge of the Bay City armory, and had kept the central committee ut. He charged that Mr. Nichols made a "phony" list of delegates from Wayne county.

ANOTHER IRONWOOD BANK CLOSES DOORS

MARQUETTE, Mich., June 13.—After standing a run which lasted for two weeks, the People's bank, at Ironwood, of which S. S. Curry, is president, suspended payments yesterday. The liabilities are placed at $82,000, but it is said there are ample assets to pa ydollar for dollar. The suspension is directly due to the closing of another bank at Ironwood, a private institution owned by the late Fred Karste, of Cheboygan, Wis. The latter had deposits of $300,000, and its affairs are said to be in bad shape. It was only three years ago that the First National bank of Ironwood failed, resulting in the president taking his own life, and the cashier going to prison.

ALDERMEN TO BE HOSTS TO CLEVELAND SOLONS

The aldermen will be hosts to the councilmen of Cleveland next Wednesday, the council of that city having accepted an invitation to come here for a good time. Later the local aldermen will go to Cleveland to return the visit. A committee composed of Ald. Gutman, Watson, Harpfer, Littlefield and Garvey will attend to the little details of the celebration. They are planning to play a game of baseball on Belle Isle, enjoy a dinner and later go to the theater.

POLICE SEARCH FOR "PHONY" CHECK MEN

The police are looking for a young man who has been busy passing "phony" checks on down-town merchants. The Newcomb-Endicott company and the E. J. Hickey company are among the losers.

MAKERS OF HISTORY AT CHICAGO CAUGHT BY CAMERA

The portraits show (top, left) Gov. Wm. E. Glasscock, of West Virginia, who helped make Roosevelt candidacy and is working for T. R.'s nomination; Senator W. D. Clark, of Wyoming, standpatter slated for chairman of credentials committee, which will hear re-hash of delegate contests; "Jimmie" Garfield, chief Roosevelt promoter from Ohio; (bottom) Gov. Herbert S. Hadley, of Missouri, Roosevelt choice for convention chairman against Senator Root, and a very possible vice-presidential nominee if Teddy wins.

BOARD OF COMMERCE CRUISERS ON THE WAY

First Stop Is at Mackinac Island This Afternoon—Party To Reach Chicago Saturday

(By United Wireless to The Times.)

STEAMER CITY OF CLEVELAND III., June 13.—Under the guidance of Chairman Hugh Shepherd, the Board of Commerce cruiser made a good start. The members of the party spent Thursday morning getting acquainted with one another.

MURCHEY.

The annual excursion of the Detroit Board of Commerce began Wednesday night when the Steamer City of Cleveland III. set out with 450 prominent Detroiters. This year's trip takes in Mackinac, St. Ignace, Escanaba and Chicago, and the steamer will bring the party back to Detroit next Monday noon. All along the route the attractions of Detroit and of the Cadillaqua celebration to be held here this summer will be thoroughly advertised.

Thousands of people gathered at the wharf and crowded on the steamer during the two hours preceding departure, and during the informal farewell reception a musical program was furnished by the Metropolitan Four, the quartet engaged to go with the excursionists on the trip, and a band.

The steamer was scheduled to arrive at Mackinac Island at 3 p. m., Thursday, and make a three hours' stop there, afterwards staying at St. Ignace one hour.

Friday, from 9 a. m. until 6 p. m., the party will be at Escanaba, where the local commercial organizations have made elaborate preparations for their entertainment.

The Chicago Association of Commerce will take the Detroiters in hand, Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, and keep them busy until midnight when the steamer will begin the return trip to Detroit.

PRESIDENT TAFT TO SAVE COMMERCE COURT

WASHINGTON, June 13.—So strongly is President Taft said to believe in the need for the commerce court that his friends predicted today that he would veto the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, which provides for abolition of the court. The bill also provides for salaries of officials.

The veto would be unusual, although government officials did not believe last night that it would mean anything more than a second consideration of the bill and possibly the passage of a separate bill abolishing the court.

Although some of the legal advisers of the president were inclined to the view that the president could veto the amendment passed by the senate repealing the act creating the court, without vetoing the appropriation part of the bill, that view was not agreed to by many members of the cabinet, and it was said Mr. Taft himself did not concur in it.

EIGHT YAQUIS KILLED IN FIGHT WITH TRAINMEN

TUCSON, Ariz., June 13.—Eight Yaqui Indians were killed and many were injured yesterday in a battle between a band of 150 of their tribe and the crew of a work train of the Southern Pacific of Mexico, between Limones and Potrero, Sonora.

J. Jackson, the conductor of the train, and members of his crew, repulsed the Yaquis, and though many of the Indians' bullets found lodgment in the train, none of the trainmen was injured.

In retreating, the Yaquis destroyed the telegraph line and burned bridges. Railroad officials have asked the governor of Sonora for permission to send out a pilot train to fight the Yaquis.

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DOMESTIC RELATIONS COURT PLANNED FOR CITY BY ATTORNEY I. W. JAYNE

S. P. C. C. Official at Work On Scheme and Hopes To Have It Adopted

WORKS WELL ELSEWHERE

Non-Support and Similar Cases Are Given More Careful Attention

Ira W. Jayne, attorney for the S. P. C. C., is starting an agitation, and feeling out the public pulse on the subject of the establishment of a court of domestic relations for Detroit, similar to the ones now in vogue in New York, Chicago, and other big cities, and he says he hoped to have definite action taken on the matter soon.

Supt. Thomas E. Dolan, of the board of poor commissioners, who is vitally interested in domestic relations, insofar as they concern matters of non-support and other troubles which break up families, and add to the number of public charges, is enthusiastic in his indorsement of the plan.

Mr. Jayne has consulted Supt. Dolan about his pet hobby, and received the latter's promise of support in any effort toward the establishment of such a court.

"Since Detective James Cotter of the local bureau, has been assigned to the sole duty of investigating family troubles, non-support cases, and cases of abandonment, there has been a big improvement in this matter," said Mr. Dolan. "It indicates what could be done with an organized court, to take non-support cases away from the congested police courts, and to also cut down the number of cases in the circuit and juvenile courts.

"All matters of a domestic nature would be handled in the court of domestic relations. Quarrels can often be settled, if tactfully handled. Husbands who fail to support their wives can be watched, and kept under the 'tab' of a card index system, subject to frequent reports. Children, not properly cared for, would also come under the jurisdiction of such a court, which could find and place the responsibility, and remedy the condition."

Mr. Jayne declared that such a court was sure to come to Detroit within a short time, or as soon as the public is sufficiently aroused to its necessity. He plans to interest various public officials in the plan, and arouse enough interest in it to have legislation framed for the establishment of a Detroit court of domestic relations.

BREWER ENDS LIFE ON HIS MOTHER'S GRAVE

CHICAGO, June 13.—Otto L. Tosetti, vice-president of the Tosetti Brewing Co., committed suicide yesterday on his mother's grave in Oakwood cemetery.

Mr. Tosetti was 39 years old and unmarried. A bullet penetrated his brain and caused instant death. Grief over the recent death of a relative is believed to have been the cause of the act.

The brewer was a son of Ernst Tosetti, for years head of the brewing company which bears his name. The trip to the cemetery was made in an automobile, and on arriving Mr. Tosetti bought flowers and directed the chauffeur to the family lots, of which there are two. He left the automobile at the first lot and put flowers on the graves there, then reentered the automobile and proceeded to the plot where his mother is buried.

The brewer placed the remainder of the flowers on her grave and told the chauffeur to return to the first lot for his keys, saying he would wait at his mother's grave.

HOBSON WILL RUN ON ANTI-LIQUOR PLATFORM

Alabama Man Is To Oppose Joseph F. Johnson For Re-election To Senate

TROY, Ala., June 13.—Richmond P. Hobson, representative from the sixth Alabama district, in an address here, announced that he would oppose Joseph F. Johnston for re-election to the United States senate in the primaries of 1914. Senator Johnston's term expires in March, 1915.

Capt. Hobson said he aimed to "purge the government of men who serve sinister liquor interests, and depend for their success upon debauching the people's morals." He declares himself a protagonist of the direct primary system.

THREE BATTERED IN AUTOMOBILE WRECK

One Man's Arm and Shoulder Are Broken and He Is In Serious Condition

CHARLOTTE, Mich., June 13.—When their new automobile turned over twice north of this city last night, Bert Losey, of Charlotte, and Guy Bracey and Anthony Day, of Olivet, weer badly injured and the car smashed.

Bracey and Day weer taken to the Lansing hospital and Losey was brought here. Bracey is in a serious condition with an arm and shoulder broken and suffering with internal injuries.

DIVORCED MAN WINS IN SUPREME COURT

LANSING, Mich., June 13.—An important decision regarding the power of circuit court judges to restrain the guilty party in a divorce suit from marrying for two years, has just been handed down by the supreme court.

Edwin W. Crane, of Flint, whose wife recently obtained a divorce, was ordered by the court not to marry for two years. A few days later Crane went to Windsor with Anna Heimger, and was married. Upon his return to Flint he was arrested and sentenced to jail for 30 days on a charge of contempt of court.

He at once tok out a writ of habeas corpus and the matter was carried to the supreme court. The higher court held that the local court had no power to punish Crane, for criminal contempt, and ordered his release.

ACCUSED OF THEFT OF $4,000 WORTH OF GEMS

SAGINAW, Mich., June 13.—Frank Bonus, a Pole, aged 37, wh ois alleged to have stolen $4,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry from the room of W. H. Ryan, a Chicago millionaire, while he was washing the windows of Ryan's room in the Palmer house, Chicago, last Friday, was captured here Wednesday.

The arrest was made by Detective McCaffrey, of the Pinkertons, and Detective Owens, of this city. The officers were returning from searching the home of Bonus' sister, when they met a man who answered his description. They spoke to the man, who in replying showed his protruding teeth. Bonus put up a fight when the officers seized him, and had to be clubbed into submission. The missing jewelry was found on his person or on the ground near him. He will not return to Chicago without requisition papers.

MARKET OPENING

NEW YORK, June 13.—The stock mrket opened strong ,prices being from fractions to about a point above yesterday's close.

Patent Applications filed by Barthel & Barthel 37 Congress-st. west

CHARGES OF BRIBERY FILL AIR AS BITTER STRUGGLE GOES ON

Taft Forces Allege That Attempts Have Been Made To Tamper With Delegates

ROOSEVELT MANAGER MAKES QUICK DENIAL

Supporters Urge Former President To Go To Chicago To Direct Fight

COLISEUM, CHICAGO, June 13.—A motion was made by Committeeman Sturgis that the proxy of F. J. Heney be rejected by the national committee on the ground that he is a Democrat. Heney took the floor to deny that he is a Democrat.

The motion was tabled by viva voce vote.

The committee seated the Taft delegates from the second, fourth, sixth and seventh Mississippi districts adding eight delegates to the Taft roll during the first 45 minutes' work.

CHICAGO, June 13.—The charges of bribery and attempted tampering with delegates brought by the Taft forces and challenged by the Roosevelt managers, overshadowed all else in the minds of the Republican party chieftains here today. Following the emphatic denial of Senator Dixon, for the Roosevelt forces, that there was the slightest foundation for the charges, came a concerted demand that Congressman McKinley cite specific instances instead of generally alleged facts. This demand McKinley, it was understood, was considering, and a further statement on the matter was looked for.

The charges, coupled with the action of the national committee in throwing out all of the Roosevelt delegates up to the present, has infuriated the Roosevelt men to such a pinch that they have no hesitancy in declaring that if necessary they will resort to force to "get their rights."

An extended conference which lasted well into this morning and which begun last night at 6 o'clock was renewed today. Every one of the big leaders of the Roosevelt organization participated. It was directed that word would be sent Col. Roosevelt that he was needed here next week. There is littl edoubt in the minds of the Roosevelt forces that their chief will ventually decide to come here and lead the fight in person. Francis J. Heney and Fov. Johnson both declared today that they knew positively that Roosevelt was coming. That was the reason they said, that the contemplated big mass meeting of the Rooseevlt forces had been put over until Monday. Roosevelt, they said, would come here by that date and would tell the people of the country geenrally, and the delegates particularly, that he intended getting his rights if he had to fight for them.

Senator Dixon, Roosevelt's manager, declined to discuss the report and insisted he saw no reason yet for the colonel to come to this city. But the rank and file of the Roosevelt men are already preparing to welcome him.

The Taft forces expect Roosevelt to come here. They also expect that he will swoop down on the hall with his delegates who have been thrown out by the national committee and demand that they be restored to the roll. And whether the colonel is here or not, Bill Flinn, Heney, Johnson, Cecil Lyon and Gov. Hadley, as field captains for the Roosevelt forces, will insist on sweeping all before them and the national committee and the Taft leaders are preparing for anything that may develop.

For hours today the Taft men continued in consultation. William Barnes, Jr., who has been selected to match wits with Flinn and to checkmate any more that may be made by the Roosevelt cohorts, talked things over with Penrose, Crane, Mulvane, Stevenson and other Taft men. They all agreed that the Roosevelt forces would try to seize the temporary organization from the moment Victor Rosewater, as chairman of the national committee called it to order.

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CITY MUST SETTLE WITH TAX TITLE BUYER

The city must settle with Charles H. Wiltsie, tax title buyer, of Rochester, N. Y., for back taxes assessed against its own property which was sold for the non-payment of taxes. This unusual situation was detailed, Wednesday, in a letter from Mr. Wiltsie to Council Secretary Schreiter. The property involved is an unnamed street running from Michigan-ave. north, between Larkins and Martinsts., in the Eighteenth ward. The property was donated to the city by adjoining property owners many years ago, and, while used as a street, there is no record of the city having accepted it.

The property was assessed to adjoining property owners, but they disclaim ownership. It recently came into Wiltsie's ownership on a tax title. Now Wiltsie asks the council to refund the taxes he paid, plus six per cent for his trouble. The total amounts to $86.58.

THE WEATHER

For Detroit and vicinity: Thursday night, fair; Friday, unsettled with showers; rising temperature; moderate to brisk, east to southwest winds.

Lower Michigan: Rain late tonight and Saturday; slightly warmer in east portion tonight.

For the Upper Lakes: Moderate east winds; unsettled weather with probably rain tonight and Friday.

For the Lower Lakes: Moderate northeast to east winds; increasing cloudiness followed by rain in early morning or on Friday.

The sun sets at 7:08 p. m. and rises Friday at 3:56 a. m.

The moon rises Friday at 2:46 a. m.

Get What You Want

By W. C. KENAGA

When you buy groceries and other household needs do you ask for advertised lines?

Do so and you will find a greater satisfaction in your housekeeping.

Whenever a good article is brought out and extensively advertised a number of "near-like" articles soon make their appearance. As a rule the "near-like" goods resemble the original outwardly, but are so made that their makers make a long profit through the advertising of the original article.

The advertised goods are guaranteed—the others you buy at your own risk. Why should you risk anything after paying for commodities?

If you have not been in the habit of doing it try it this week. Don't merely say "soap," but name the particular soap you have seen advertised and want. Do this with soap, hose, clothes, collars, etc. Demand and receive advertised goods.

Whatever is worthy of your money is worthy of a maker's backing. Insist on advertised goods and you'll get them, for there are plenty of merchants in Detroit who want to sell them to you.

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