

## GUFFEY DECLARES STATE DEMOCRATIC

Convention Held Great Success, Indicating Victory in Fall.

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PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 29.—The State of Pennsylvania, second largest in the United States, about which there has been grave doubt whether it would support the Roosevelt-Garner ticket, especially since the collapse of the Guffey coal bill, "is surely going Democratic." This assurance was given yesterday by the jubilant Senator Joseph Guffey, who brought the convention to Philadelphia, and by Representative Patrick J. Boland of Scranton, the Democratic "whip" of the House. Both also predict the re-election of Roosevelt and Garner with an increased majority.

"Just an increased majority," Senator Guffey nonchalantly remarked. "Before the convention came here I predicted that Roosevelt would carry the State by a larger majority than I did—128,000. I did not carry Philadelphia, but he will. I confidently expect him to sweep the State with a majority of 250,000 to 300,000. I did not see a delegate or an alternate who is not going home satisfied. Every one in Philadelphia—including those who 'put up' the money for the convention—is satisfied."

"Wonderful Convention."  
"It was a wonderful convention and the notification-acceptance ceremony was the greatest, most inspiring, spectacle in the history of the country. There were enough in Franklin Field Stadium last night to carry Philadelphia for the ticket. And they went away impressed. Through radio broadcasts the entire country was impressed, and their support of the ticket will be intensified. The delegates and alternates spread their reports in the home areas."

The convention was a tremendous thing for Philadelphia—a civic and political way. It helped the city to find itself, just as the convention in 1912 helped Baltimore. Representative Boland is almost as optimistic as Senator Guffey about the Democratic ticket carrying Pennsylvania. He figures the majority will be 150,000 to 200,000. Mr. Boland, in his capacity as "whip" and in co-operation with Representative Pat Drury of Virginia, chairman of the Democratic Congressional Committee, has been making a canvass of delegates to sound out the feeling of the country—asking for facts and not party hallyhoo. He says the returns this year will be stronger for Roosevelt than four years ago.

No "Knockers" Present.  
"There was general satisfaction with the convention and the feeling of the usual 'knockers'—among those who came here to spend their money in an effort to advance party interests. Many of them said the demonstration Saturday night, a marvelous spectacle, was worth the trip—and they are going home enthusiastic about the President and the platform. The platform was different and impressive—a frank statement of a continuing policy, instead of blatant promises. The people felt the sincerity of it. It stated that the question of wages, housing and social welfare 'are matters of concern for the Federal Government.' I am satisfied that the Democratic Congress will pass legislation to that conclusion."

Mr. Boland and interests, which it has been argued would flop back to the Republicans on account of the coal bill fiasco—will do nothing of the sort. Representative Boland was in conference with John L. Lewis, head of the United Mine Workers—and it is pretty safe prediction that he will go to Boland's home city, Scranton, as a campaign speaker for the Democrats. Mike Kosik, president of district No. 1 of the United Mine Workers, has also been in conference with Boland. They are hopeful that an adaptation of the Guffey bill, or some other bill, will be passed by the Congress soon after it meets in January.

## AMPHIBIAN RECORD SOUGHT BY ANDREWS

Headquarters Force Commander Leaves Puerto Rico for Newark Airport.

By The Associated Press.  
The War Department announced today that Maj. Gen. Frank M. Andrews, commanding general of the Army's General Headquarters Air Force, is attempting to establish a new record for amphibians in a flight from Puerto Rico to Newark Airport.

Gen. Andrews left San Juan at 5:30 a. m. today, carrying on board with him Maj. Gen. R. M. McCoy, one major, two lieutenants, a corporal and two privates.

The National Aeronautical Association is in touch with the plane and has on hand both at Langley Field and Newark Airports the necessary officials to check the flight.

The Army said that if the plane encountered no adverse weather it should reach Newark Airport at 6 p. m.

## DUTY-FREE LIQUOR CUT CATCHES PASSENGERS

Cruise Travelers Return to Find All in Excess of One Wine Gallon Now Assessed.

By The Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, June 29.—More than 100 southern cruise passengers returned yesterday to find Uncle Sam had reduced the free import liquor limit in their absence. As a result there was much scurrying around for money to pay the extra levies, while many bottles were put in scow.

The passengers, arriving on the Peten, had bought their liquor, thinking the old rule, permitting as much as \$100 worth to come in duty free still stood. They found regulations imposed Saturday put the limit at one "wine gallon."

About 800 passengers returning on the Carinthia received wireless notice of the new rate Saturday, and opened up their stores and treated everybody to free drinks down to the last "wine gallon."

Philippine Receipts Gain.  
Internal revenue collections in the Philippine Islands are reported to be "excellent."

## Washington Wayside Tales

Random Observations of Interesting Events and Things.

IDEA.

THERE is a man wandering around Washington with an idea which he is afraid is a little too big for him. The idea involves the creation of a national organization composed of men and women who refuse to discuss, or listen to discussions of politics during the next four and one-half months. The symbol of the society would be a button worn behind the lapel of the coat, carrying the legend "Shut Up," and kept always in readiness to flash upon the person who started the subject of politics on its conversational way.

"I could work it out in a few minutes," he says. "If I could ever find a few minutes freedom from persons who want to talk politics. But, then, maybe I'm not big enough to handle it."

Sometimes, however, he just closes his eyes and sees the idea sweeping the country. That, in itself, is quite a satisfaction to him.

POPULARITY.

If he reads this item, the chap who does the buying for one of Washington's largest hotels can get something of a clue as to the reason for his popularity.

"You ought to know him," said the first young man. "A great fellow. Grand personality. Splendid-looking fellow. Full of fun. Likable in every way. I'd say he's the most popular man in town."

"What does he do?" inquired the second young man.

"He buys the food and liquor for a large hotel. Gets a million samples of the food and liquor and drops them in the trash."

GUEST.

A YOUNG woman who lives alone in a downtown bachelor apartment had opened wide all the windows of her domicile before retiring, but neglected to adjust the half screens over the open space. When she blithely arose and went to close the windows the next morning, something dark fluttered into the room. Something gigantic on wings. The young lady took one look at the vicious mosquito hawk, screamed, and ran into the bath room. The unwelcome guest settled itself on the wall between the two rooms, leaving the frightened hostess impassioned. After pacing the floor for half an hour waiting for the bug to leave, she finally decided to dress.

Another interval of waiting. Then with a burst of courage, she dashed into the hall to summon the elevator boy. He marched in bravely as the woman waited outside. There was no broom or fly swatter in the apartment; a desperate search revealed a tennis racket as the only available weapon. After several vain attempts to swat the elusive insect which buzzed about the boy, whose teeth were chattering and whose arms were trembling, managed to crush the disturber of peace. Order was once more restored in the apartment.

Ask the screen manufacturers.

NON-SEQUITUR.

AN INSPECTOR of the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, testifying at a recent injunction hearing in the Arlington Circuit Court, was asked by defense counsel if he had attended the State Democratic Convention at Norfolk this year.

"No," he replied, "I told you before I do not drink."

SORREHEAD.

The angriest robin in the world, unless one digs up an angrier one, exhibited his fury to a Somerset, Md., resident the other morning. The robin, whose whole demeanor was that of a male who quarreled with his wife, was digging furiously at a lawn when a squirrel intruded upon the scene.

Uttering a raucous cry of rage, the robin flew at the squirrel, landed on the animal's back, buried its beak in the squirrel's face and remained there for the district court up the trunk of a tree that probably any robin ever has had.

FEAT.

WE CAN imagine two small boys in one large pair of trousers, but we have been unable to make reasonable calculations regarding the rest of the costume.

A recent police incident reported the theft of a dog from a woman of this city. After the woman's name, address and a description of the missing pooch was the following sentence: "Suspects two small boys in a cowboy suit seen in rear of above."

ETIQUETTE.

It is not easy for newspaper photographers who invade Mount Vernon.

There is a faithful attendant who sees to it that no one—no matter how distinguished—ever is photographed at the tomb unless he faces "the general."

"No sir," says the guardian "you can't have your picture taken with your back to the general."

That makes it hard when the photographers want to snap the laying of a wreath on Martha's tomb, as they occasionally do.

DE LASTEYRE DIES

Count Was Finance Minister for Poincare.

PARIS, June 29 (AP).—Count Charles de Lasteyre, 58, minister of finance in the Poincare government from 1922 until 1925, died yesterday of embolism in his Paris home.

He was a rightist member of the Chamber of Deputies.

## Suitor, 99, Jilted



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Strobe Lander, pilot and owner of the plane, who was brought ashore with a broken nose and facial cuts, said the plane went into a tailspin.

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Thiergarten and his hired hand pulled Feaganes from the wreckage of the plane, and he was taken to nearby Mechanicsburg, where he died as he was carried into a doctor's office.

At Dayton, Army authorities said Feaganes, whose home was in Wytheville, Va., was flying one of four planes which left Patterson Field between 9:30 and 10 a. m. for Selfridge Field.

WOMEN RESCUED.

Escape Injury After Crash on Fog-Cloaked Mountain.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 29 (AP).—Details of an airplane crash on a fog-cloaked mountain top were told today by two women flyers who escaped serious injury and spent more than 24 hours hiking out of the wilderness.

The women, Mrs. Alyce Pashburg and Miss Irma Westover, were brought to a Portland hospital, the latter suffering from back injuries. Mrs. Pashburg, the pilot, escaped with scratches and bruises.

A few minutes after taking off from Vancouver, Wash., early Saturday they encountered a thick fog bank. In attempting to fly under it they crashed on Archer Mountain, 14 miles northwest of Cannon Beach.

While resting in the day they heard airplanes overhead, but were unable to attract the attention of flyers who organized a search when the women failed to arrive at Spokane, where they were to take part in air races.

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## TEN PERSONS DEAD IN PLANE CRASHES

Six Killed in Water, Four on Land in Week End of Accidents.

By The Associated Press.

At least 10 persons died in airplane accidents in the United States over the week end.

Frank Saglimbene, 30, piloting a plane from Roosevelt Field, Long Island, to Montreal on a "good-will" flight, plunged to death in the waters of Lake Champlain, carrying with him three passengers—Steve Kaye, George W. Ericson and Dolly Zarling. All lived in the metropolitan New York area.

Off Daytona Beach, Fla., Al Stanley, 29, a band leader of Montgomery, Ala., and Mary Lee Butler, 20, Daytona Beach night club employee, died in the waters of the Gulf, trapped in the cockpit of a plane in which they were passengers. Pilot Strobe Lander was injured.

Near Marysville, Ohio, Flying Cadet Joseph F. Feaganes of Selfridge Field, Mich., whose home was in Wytheville, Va., lost his life in the crash of his low-flying ship.

On Long Island, Joseph Franco, 24, and Anthony Trinka, both of New York, were half buried as the plane they had rented plummeted from a height of several hundred feet.

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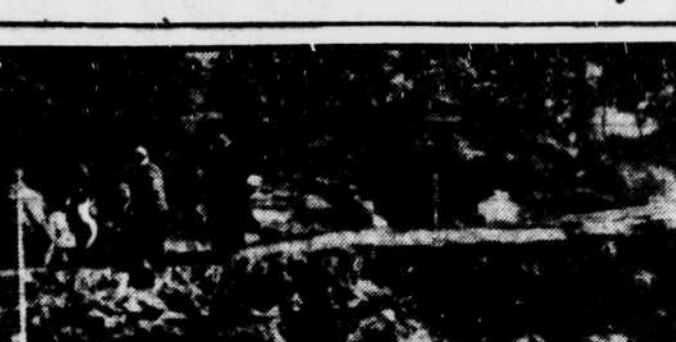
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## All Lived to Tell the Story



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## MOSES CANDIDATE IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

Enters Race With Keyes and Bridges for G. O. P. Senate Nomination.

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