

KNOX CONTINUES SPROUL SUPPORT

Senator, at Valley Forge Home, Reiterates Governor Is His Choice

MUM ON OWN CANDIDACY

Senator Knox, absent delegate-at-large to the Republican National Convention, continues to support the candidacy of Governor Sprout for the presidency.

Seated on the spacious veranda of his home at Valley Forge this afternoon, the junior United States senator from Pennsylvania reiterated his declarations that Sprout was his choice.

Senator Knox then said that he expected to be in this city tomorrow and would probably go to New York the following day. He made it emphatic, however, that his trip was on personal business and had nothing to do with politics.

WARN CHICAGO DRUGGISTS

Delegates' Boze Prescriptions Mere Scraps of Paper

Chicago, June 8.—Many unboasted delegates, accustomed to an "eye-opener" or a "nightcap," came to Chicago prepared with a stack of "prescriptions" from the doctor back home.

GEORGIA CASE DEADLOCKED

Further Conferences Today Will Try to Settle G. O. P. Row

Chicago, June 8.—The Georgia contest between the faction led by Henry Lincoln Johnson, colored, of Atlanta, and Roscoe Pickett, has developed further complications in an effort to agree upon a slate of committee nominations.

Johnson Ahead in N. C. Primaries

Raleigh, N. C., June 8.—One hundred and eighteen precincts out of 1084 in the state of the Republican presidential preferential primary, according to figures compiled by the News and Observer late last night, give Johnson 1187, Wood 207, Thomas 100.

Epidemic Ends School Term

Bridgeboro, N. J., June 8.—Because of a double epidemic of mumps and measles the body of a man found yesterday for the term. Finding that numerous pupils are suffering from one or the other of the maladies, educational and health authorities decided to end the school sessions at once to prevent a further spread of the diseases.

Seek to Identify Body

Efforts are being made today to identify the body of a man found in the Philadelphia and Reading Railway tracks near Ninth and Diamond streets. The body was mangled. The clothes were of good quality, bearing marks of a man in Leavenworth, Kan. A ticket from Wayne Junction to Lansdale was found in a pocket.

Republican Conventions Since Birth of G. O. P.

Chicago, June 8.—(By A. P.)—The Republican national convention meeting here today is the tenth to be held in Chicago.

CALMLY AWAITING G. O. P. RESULT



While confusion rules at the Republican convention at Chicago, and candidates for the nomination for the presidency and the big chiefs of the party are thrilled with expectancy and stirred by indecision, Senator Knox, one of those mentioned as a possibility for the high honor, and a delegate-at-large, is resting at his home at Valley Forge. Senator Knox picks Governor Sprout as the best choice of the convention. The above photograph was taken today on the veranda of his residence.

OLD GUARD SAWING WOOD—THE GENERAL, OF COURSE

Trying to Saw Off Hi Johnson Also—Conservative Candidates Advised to Fight Until Knockout Blow Is Given

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL

Chicago, June 8.—The labor question has been mentioned as yet at this great Republican convention, but that is not necessary. It is the paramount obstacle to be contended with and one stumbles over it at every turn.

Just because the labor men have not boosted a candidate does not mean they have been shuffled into the discard. Far be it from that. Nobody wants the job as President. It pays but \$75,000 a year and what working man would accept a job at a starvation wage like that? Anyway, there wouldn't be a chance to go out on strike.

What Sacrifices Just get an eye-full of the following list and note the sacrifices a lot of people are willing to make, just to become President of the United States. It shows they are willing to give up everything to serve their country. Have a look!

Leonard Wood, general in the United States army.

Hiram Johnson, United States senator from California.

Frank O. Lowden, governor of Illinois.

Calvin Coolidge, governor of Massachusetts.

William C. Sprout, governor of Pennsylvania.

Warren G. Harding, United States senator from Ohio.

Miles Poindexter, United States senator from Washington.

Joseph Irwin France, United States senator from Maryland.

Nicholas M. Butler, president of Columbia University.

Samuel M. Vauclain, president of the Baldwin Locomotive Works.

Herbert Hoover, food administrator or something like that.

There is a dark horse stabled around here some place and the chances are he, too, will give up a life-time job just to help us out for four years. Patriotism like that is worthy of mention.

All Saving Their Voices

But everything depends upon the delegates. They still are wondering that believe around airing their views and believing they have the proper dope. I stopped six differently tagged gentlemen last night and received six different versions of the convention would not with long-winded reasons to prove it.

All of these conversations were held in the body of the inside stuff and this, but you can't prove it here.

Spooking the Native Male Offspring

"Strictly to the ship," they have advised Lowden, Sprout, Butler, Harding, Poindexter, Coolidge, Sutherland and the others. "There is no use in your going on for there is a good chance for your nomination. Hold your delegations as long as you can."

JOHNSON ASSAILS LEAGUE COVENANT

Declares Convention Delegates Must Not Try to Evade Issue

SPEAKS AT MASS-MEETING

Chicago, June 8.—Addressing an audience that filled the Auditorium Theatre and overflowed into Michigan avenue boulevard, Senator Johnson last night declared that the Republican party must not "hide or skulk" on the league issue, and that it must go to the country with clean hands.

The meeting opened with a boisterous greeting for Senator Johnson and Senator Borah as they walked on the stage together. The outburst lasted twenty minutes. Johnson's attack upon the league upon reservations were received with prolonged cheering. In part, the senator said:

"The Republican party stands today upon the brink of new history. Before it stands the problems of reconstruction; confronting it again the preservation of the republic's traditions and ideals. The great question now for the Republican party is to decide whether it shall, in the early days of its history, boldly and courageously, inspired by the old heaven-born hopes and aspirations, with head high, eyes clear, and hands steady, meet the tests and timidity hide within the shadows of privilege.

"Victory is within our grasp. After eight years of high sounding promises and actions wholly at variance, the American people demand the rescue and regeneration of their government. Under Democratic leadership they have blindly groped in a mystic maze.

Assails League Covenant

Senator Johnson reaffirmed his opposition to the peace treaty as it was negotiated at Versailles and his intention to fight to the end for its rejection. He said:

"Instead of a pact to prevent war we were given a league to maintain present existing power. Instead of that which would enable humanity to expand, to grow, to progress and to prosper, we found humanity shackled, the world put in a straitjacket and the evils of a static condition imposed for all the years to come.

"We would never be selfish or ungenerous with the rest of the world. In the future, as in the past, we would ever respond to humanity's call and civilization's cry. All that we insist upon is that when the crisis comes, when the time arrives, the American people shall determine whether they act and how they act, and no European nation shall determine it for them. We want our independence of action unfettered, our freedom untouched, our sovereignty unimpinged. We want to lead our lives in our own way. We want to follow the path which we have followed for 130 years in the past. We want, in short, to be just Americans again.

CUMMINS 10,000 AHEAD

Iowa Senator Has Good Lead in Race for Renomination

Des Moines, Iowa, June 8.—(By A. P.)—United States Senator A. B. Cummins was leading Smith W. Brookhart for the Republican senatorial nomination by 10,000 votes in 706 precincts out of 2347 in Iowa, according to the unofficial tabulation of returns from yesterday's primary, made today by the Des Moines Capital.

Cummins's vote was 46,384; Brookhart's, 36,506.

In 601 scattered precincts the Republican vote for governor showed N. E. Kendall leading with 20,281 votes; E. R. Moore, 17,147; H. M. Havner, 14,406, and J. F. Deems, 14,817.

LOUISIANA SUFFRAGE GAINS

Amendment Goes to Third Reading After Heated Debate

Baton Rouge, La., June 8.—The Senate passed the federal suffrage amendment to the third reading last night after heated debate. It will come up the bill recently passed by the House on the resolution came after the leader of the state-right bill withdrew the Senate resolution to take up the bill recently passed by the House, thus emptying the Senate amendment resolution from its place on the Senate calendar and putting the federal amendment ahead.

BOLSHEVIK REPEL POLES

Successful Soviet Attacks in Kiev Region Reported

London, June 8.—(By A. P.)—Repulse of Polish-Ukrainian attacks in the Kiev region and further south is reported in Monday's official Bolshevik statement from Moscow, received by wireless today. An engagement to the east of Bobruisk in which the soviet forces were successful is also reported.

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THIEF ELECTRICALLY CAGED

Teller Pushes Button, Doors Close and Suspect Is Caught

New York, June 8.—An assistant paying teller of an uptown branch of the Pacific Bank pushed an electric button yesterday, which brought instantaneous automatic closing of all doors and the simultaneous lowering of "pill boxes" with pistols to within reach of guards stationed at the exits.

The bank is at 110th street, near the Hudson river, where a man, who had presented an alleged forged check, was placed under arrest as he was walking from the assistant paying teller's window.

Kiddies to Stage "Flower Carnival"

The Rev. J. Ramsey Swain will address the board of managers of the Northern Home for Friendless Children at their anniversary meeting this afternoon at 2 o'clock. After the meeting the children of the home will present "The Carnival of Flowers," an entertainment which they have prepared for the occasion.

Convention Travel Falls Below Expectations

Chicago, June 8.—Passenger agents of the railroad lines centering in this city announced today that convention travel had fallen considerably below their expectations. While exact figures are not available at this time, it was said the volume of travel was considerably below that of the 1912 and the 1916 conventions. The highest estimate made this year is 150,000 and the lowest from 25,000 to 40,000.

EDWARDS'S BOOM JOLTED

Supreme Court Dry Decision Is Blow at His Presidential Hopes

Atlantic City, June 8.—Except in the Boardwalk "high-ball belt," news from Washington that the Supreme Court had blasted the last lingering hope of irreconcilable "wets" scarcely caused a tremor in Atlantic City yesterday afternoon.

Stanch friends of the governor, some "wet" Republicans among them, expressed belief, almost tearfully, that the trouble Jolt from Washington will just about knock into smithereens what there is left of the Edwards' presidential campaign.

Fortnightly Elects Officers

Haddonfield, N. J., June 8.—At the annual picnic of the home section of the Haddon Fortnightly, at Laurel Springs, which ended the activity of the organization for the season, these officers were elected: Chairman, Mrs. A. R. Driscoll; vice chairman, Mrs. Frederick Sweeten; secretary, Mrs. J. Curtis Hartel, and treasurer, Mrs. George H. Richardson.

P. R. R. SUMMER SCHEDULE

Lists 32 Daily Shore Expresses. Also Week-End Specials

Summer schedules on a pre-war basis of communication to all New Jersey coast resorts and the Pocono mountain region will be resumed by the Pennsylvania Railroad Sunday, June 20, ten days earlier than usual. Thirty-two express trains daily between Philadelphia and Atlantic City will be run. Six will leave Broad Street Station and nine steam and seventeen electric trains will be scheduled out of the Market street wharf. Additional trains will be run Saturday afternoons and Monday mornings, with special Sunday trains.

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Bryan Sees Presidential Timber in Gov. Sprout

Chicago, June 8.—Governor Sprout is said to be the possible "man of the hour," by William Jennings Bryan. Sprout heads the list of dark horses, according to Mr. Bryan, who believes he would be especially acceptable to those who are fighting for business methods at Washington.

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FIND MISSING GIRLS IN WOODS; ONE DEAD

Children Lost Week Ago While Hunting Cows in Dense Forest

Special Dispatch to Evening Public Ledger

GERMAN CONSUL A SUICIDE

Kills Himself as Persians Demand Surrender of Radicals

London, June 8.—Herr Wustrow, German consul at Tabriz, Persia, committed suicide Wednesday according to a dispatch from Tehran, while the consul was being besieged by a crowd demanding the surrender of Persian Bolsheviks who, it was alleged, were being harbored in the building.

Advertisement for Eveready Daylo contest. Features a large illustration of a man sitting at a desk with a typewriter, and another man standing nearby. Text includes: 'Four ways to get \$3,000.00', 'WIN IT!', 'Borrow it', 'Another Eveready contest!', '\$10,000.00 in Cash Prizes', 'AMERICAN EVER READY WORKS', 'Long Island City, New York', and a detailed list of prizes including a \$3,000.00 first prize, a \$1,000.00 second prize, and 104 other prizes ranging from \$100.00 to \$250.00. Contest conditions and dates are also provided.

Advertisement for Oriental Rugs, featuring the text 'H. TERZIAN & CO.' and 'Kensington and Allegheny Aves.' with a small logo.

Advertisement for Kensington Trust Co., featuring the text 'Kensington Trust Co.' and 'Kensington and Allegheny Aves.' with a logo.