

DELEGATES MEL AND PALMER FOR WILSON

GLASS IS TO HEAD THE GOVERNMENT ON RESOLUTIONS

Opposition to Administration Candidate Fails to Materialize When Vote Is Taken - Wilson Backers Claim Victory; Walsh Seconds Nomination

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] ADDITIONAL SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.—Senator Glass of Virginia was unanimously elected chairman of the committee on resolutions when the committee met tonight.

This first test of strength proved the chief dividing line in the administration forces that they were in control of the situation, and authorized the appointment of a sub-committee of nine to hold public hearings for those desiring to present various planks and party issues and prepare a tentative draft of the party platform.

Senator Walsh was not prepared to name the sub-committee to work on the platform at once and plans were forward for the full committee to hear some of those who had suggested planks to offer.

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Georgia Kills Amendment For Equal Suffrage

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] ATLANTA, Ga., June 28.—The proposed amendment to the state constitution giving women the right to vote was killed today in the senate. The vote was 19 to 15.

McADOO REFUSES TO CONFIRM THE LOVE STATEMENT

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] HUNTINGTON, N. Y., June 28.—William G. McAdoo informed a newspaper man with whom he consented to talk at his country home here tonight, that he does not want to be "bothered" about politics.

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He declared the reporter's offer to keep him informed of convention developments, declaring he preferred not to have the privacy of his home invaded.

"Should a very important development take place at San Francisco, may I communicate with you?" the interviewer asked.

"No, thank you. I would not answer the phone," he then volunteered to bring the message and Mr. McAdoo declined the offer.

Mr. McAdoo has taken a three-year lease on a residence here, and it was said, in planning to build a home about a mile north of his present one.

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PREDICT 3-DAY BATTLE BEFORE PLATFORM READY

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.—The first over prohibitive the league of nations, the Irish question and other subjects, which have troubled Democratic leaders in pre-convention discussions, was centered tonight in the conference room on platform and resolutions.

As the committee sessions began, some of the most experienced in ways of platform building predicted it might be three days before the finished product would be ready for submission to the convention and that there would be a three-day battle.

All factions on the committee, which had one member from each state. There were ultra wets and ultra dries, league advocates and league opponents, and representatives of nearly every other shade of opinion on many other public questions.

W. J. Bryan was there to lead the fight for a bone dry plank, and James R. Nugent of New Jersey was the field marshal of the wets. In the treaty fight, the administration representatives included Senator Glass of Virginia and Secretary Coby of the state department, while in opposition to the administration stand was Senator Walsh of Massachusetts.

Besides these there were many distinguished Democrats on the committee's roster, including Vice-President Marshall and former Secretary of State William McAdoo.

There was so much material demanding use in some form that the platform drafters soon abandoned the plan of a single plank and turned to the adoption of a platform on a postal card.

Mr. Bryan's plank on League of Nations with such reservations as a senate majority approval is proposed in the plank of William G. Bryan, dealing with the treaty and league of nations.

The Nebraska tonight made public his plank, which is to go to the national committee. It follows: "The Democratic party demands an amendment to the federal constitution providing for ratification of treaties by a majority vote, so that it will be as easy to end a war as it to declare war."

Mr. Bryan's plank is regarded by administration Democrats at the convention as embodying much the same proposal as he brought out in the national day dinner in Washington and which signaled a rift between the president and Mr. Bryan over the issue.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—Organization of a pool of American insurance companies to underwrite the American merchant marine was virtually effected today at a conference of officials of leading insurance concerns and members of the shipping board.

High Winds Do Much Damage in Globe District

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] GLOBE, Ariz., June 28.—Cutting a wind of almost 100 miles an hour, a wind of almost 100 miles an hour, a public park between the town, a public park between the town, a public park between the town.

Accompanied by Mrs. Harding and Senator Kellogg of Minnesota, Mr. Harding reached Washington shortly after 10 o'clock tonight. He went directly to his home.

The senator and Gov. Calvin Coolidge left tonight for Washington, where they will remain until the 30th.

Mr. Harding today received a small good luck horseshoe forged by Charles Doersuch of Martinsburg, Pa., who in an accompanying letter, said he hoped it would bring "the largest measure of success."

Mr. Doersuch sent a similar one in 1918, with the hope that the senator would lead the fight for divorced persons' marriage.

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DEMOCRATS ALSO HAVE BIG THREE FOR PRESIDENCY

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] McAdoo Talk Strong but Little Change Among the Three Leaders Apparent; Cox and Palmer Fight Hard to Make Impressive Showing on First Ballot

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.—There is more McAdoo talk in the air tonight but there is apparently no change in the real situation among the various candidates.

Tonight shows the first signs of a movement among the leaders and managers to round up sentiment among the uninstructed delegates and compute the possibilities of nominating somebody.

Principally, the night is given over to meetings of the four big committees in the great building which also houses the convention auditorium.

McAdoo boomers hoped all day that their candidate would make some statement amplifying the declaration of National Committeeman Love of Texas that the nomination would be rejected.

Palmer people continued their efforts to make a strong showing on the opening ballots and the Cox people are doing the same.

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OPENING SESSION GIVEN OVER TO ROUTINE--G.O.P. PLATFORM IS CRITICIZED

Cummings, Temporary Chairman, Outlines party Policies In Keynote Address—Adjournment Taken Until Tuesday Without Important Action

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.—From the shadow of the Golden Gate, the hosts of democracy sent a roaring tribute across the country today to President Wilson.

The national convention flung aside for the moment the business before it while delegates carried on a demonstration that swept the great gathering off its feet.

It was half an hour before the outburst, evoked by a sudden display of the president's portrait, could be stilled.

Arrangements for the first national political convention to be held in the far west had been well made. The grand ball, its clean architectural lines almost unmarred by added decorations, was ready and through a dozen wide entries the thousands poured in with little delay or congestion.

Over the center of the hall where delegates gathered within a wide square of seats, an inner circle was suspended, colored in soft, old blue that rested the eye and led something like a wide octagon upon the platform, a forest of stout standards bearing the names of the states and territories was the only remainder of national conventions of the past.

Perched high beside the organ in a special gallery, a military band whistled away the time. As the noon hour and the opening of the program, a color guard of marines appeared on the platform. A six-foot sergeant, with the gleaming folds of a regimental flag in hand, made a vivid spot of color on the platform.

When Vice Chairman Kremer of the national committee gave the signal, a bugler sounded "attention," and the sharp, rattle cut rang out over the top of the organ.

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OMAHA, June 28.—Omaha and vicinity was visited by a devastating wind and rainstorm late this afternoon. Trees and outbuildings were razed in the city. One woman was injured seriously.

BOSTON, June 28.—The state commission to continue the work of a hearing today on complaints of profiteering in shoe repairing, heard dealers testify that they made a profit of \$1.25 a pair on shoes repaired by outside shops.

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