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chairman of the convention. The Roosevelt managers claimed to be extremely confident of their ability to swing the situation to their candidate. They declared that they would nave many additional votes in future roll calls. To support this claim they said that they woud have eight votes from Maryland, which went to Senator Root on the temporary chairmanship decision, and additional votes from North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Illinois and Oregon.

body.

"We will win out beyond question," said United States Senator Dixon, Roosevelt's campaign manager, today.

Senator Miles Poindexter of Washington was among the Roosevelt 'eaders who intimated that the possibility of a bolt

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by their forces was imminent.

"In case these contested delegates are allowed to pass on their own claims," will be a candidate."

This assertion was construed as meaning but one thing, a bolt, if Roosevelt finds himself in the minority.

Roosevelt May Visit Convention. Although Roosevelt may visit the convention as a spectator, Taft leaders today insisted that he could not under the regulations imposed by the national committee, take any part in the deliberations from the floor.

"There is but one way that Colonel Roosevelt could get on the floor and act- Taft's veto of the army appropriation bill ually participate in the envention." said may prevent this year's maneuver camps one of the Taft managers. "That would of the regular army and the national be by resolution of the convention itself guard. and if he could get the vote on such a resolution he could, I think, control the convention. And I don't think there is

a ghost of a show of that." The Taft leaders, particularly the president's campaign manager, Congressman William B. McKinley, were just as confident of final success in the convention as were the Roosevelt men.

Mr. McKinley declared that President Taft had won a number of Roosevelt delegates through the medium of the roll call on the temporary chairmanship. He said that nearly all the Roosevelt delegates who voted for Senator Root would remain with the Taft organization through the remainder of the convention. It was evident that the forces of the president were placing great dependence on Senator Root's personality in their efforts finally to control the convention for the president.

Delegates Talk Compromise.

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Another fact which became evident as the day wore on was that most of the compromise or third candidate talk was being done by the delegates themselves, and not by the leaders. No great weight was attached to the compromise talk by the leaders on either side of the Roosevelt-Taft fight.

The Roosevelt managers made repeated assertions that today's developments had placed President Taft out of the race for the nomination. In return the Taft managers said that Colonel Roosevelt was absolutely out of the nomination contest.

Governor Hadley, after a mass meeting of delegates said that the situation today was just the same as that which confronted the delegates when they first entered the Collseum vesterday noon. He insisted that the election of Senator Root as temporary chairman had not altered the situation in a single detail.

Men of shrewd observation and experience in many national political conventions declared that two points in today's deliberations could be depended upon: First-That no contests will be decided

as Governor Hadley desires until the matters of contests has been gone into and returned from the committee on credentials.

Second-That there will be no compromise candidates until the Taft and Roosevelt forces have tested their strength further in roll calls.

Interest in the proceedings at the Coliseum increased rather than diminished today and the scramble for tickets was renewed by hundreds who were unable to get into the hall yesterday.

McKinley is Confident. Up to the very moment the convention was called to order the Taft managers labored mightily to maintain their narrow hold on the majority. All through the night and morning delegates crowded the antercoms and conference rooms of Director McKinley's headquarters where Mckinley and his aides argued and pleaded with them to remain firm. McKinley neglected everything else to

labor with the delegates. When it was

time to start for the convention he ex- ordered for before the middle of July. pressed confidence that the Taft vote Preparations have been made for the en said Mr. Poindexter, "Colonel Roosevelt in the convention today would be fully as campment of northwestern states troops strong as it was yesterday.

"The Tait forces will stand together Idaho, on July 21. exactly as they did yesterday," he said, "if there is any shifting we will gain as much as, if not more than we lose."

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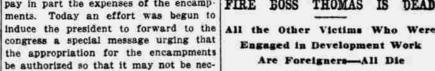
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essary to postpone them. Caught in the Act and arrested by Dr. King's New Life Pills, bilious headache quits and liver, stomach and bowels act right. Only 25c.

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THIRTEEN KILLED IN MINE Mrs. Smith Faints

ENOVEL

Overcome by the sight of the ugly revolver that dealt death to her husband when Ezra E. Koontz pulled the trigger, Mrs. Frank W. Smith fainted during Koontz's trial for murder before Judge Willis G. Sears.

Witnesses of the shooting were about TRINIDAD, Colo., June 19 .- Thirteen to be asked to identify the weapon. Paul miners are entombed and are believed F. Steinwender, assistant to County Atto be dead as a result of an explosion torney James P. English, secured the gun from the exhibit case and handed it to in the rew slope of the Hastings mine of the Victor American Fuel company his chief. With a little cry Mrs. Smith swooned. She was assisted to the court's shortly after midnight. Another miner, badly injured, has been rescued. The chambers, where she was resuscitated. mine is located eighteen miles north of The state rested before noon and the defense offered testimony of neighbors The main slope is badly caved and res. and fellow employes of Koontz that he cuers have been able to make but little acted queerly during the weeks preceding progress. Rescue equipment is being the killing of Smith. Testimony as to

brought before the committee.

The call is being sent out to all mem-

bers of the state committee and to all

the candidates on the state ticket, includ

the senate. Ine candidates will be espe

Call for Meeting

numerous cases of insanity among the The mine officials believe the explosion ancestors and relatives of Koontz was in was caused by a "windy shot," which set troduced. The defense will be concluded off a quantity of gas. The explosion took with the testimony of expert witnesses place in the new stope of the maine 3,000 on mental diseases, who are expected to feet from the mouth of the mine, where give opinions that Koontz was insane development work is in progress. The when he killed Smith.

fourteen men who were in the night shift were shot-firers and entrymen. A large Republicans Issue is at work. Rescuers who entered the mine early

of Suffocation.

today returned soon afterward with a Greek, who was badly burned. A number of bodies have been located. According to the mine superintendent, who be held at headquarters in the Millard came out after a hasty investigation, both hotel on June 25 at 7:30 o'clock in the the main slope and the new air evening. The meeting will be held to

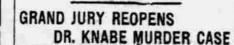
course, the only means of exit, are badly issue a call for the republican state concaved. He thinks the thirteen men were vention to be held on June 30, and to prokilled. Air is being forced into the vide for the representation of the counwrecked entry and the rescuers hope to ties of Nebraska, and also to transact recover the bodies within a few hours. any other business that is properly The Hastings mine is one of the largest producers in the southern Colorado fields. The main portion of the colliery has not been damaged. The coroner's office here has received ing Judge Norris, who is a candidate for

an order for thirteen coffins. Fire Boss Killed.

John Thomas, fire boss, is believed to day evening. have lost his life. The other victims are believed to be foreigners. The new mine taps what is known as the "B" seam of coal, which lies below the "A" seam, or old workings, and which has been driven a distance of 4,500 feet. The explosion took place near the face of the new workings shortly before 10 o'clock last night. No concussion was felt even in the immediate vicinity of the mine and the first warning of the disaster came when a night watchman saw some smoke issuing from the mouth of the new slope shortly before midnight.

Superintendent Cameron and party succeeded in locating a number of bodies behind heavy falls and no hope is held out that any are alive.

Cameron believes those who were killed died of suffocation. The wrecked slope is slowly being cleared of poisonous gases.



INDIANAPOLIS, June 19 .- Acting on 1 statement of Harry C. Webster, a private detective in the employ of the local council of women, that he had evidence that would result in the indictment of the murderer of Dr. Helen Knabe, the county grand jury today reopened investigation of the case. Websie, refused to discuss the nature

of the information he bas submitted to the grand jury.



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