

JOHNSON VISITS DELEGATES FROM ANTELOPE STATE

"I'll Win if You Nebraskans Stick With Me," Hiram Says in Early Morning Call.

By E. C. SNYDER. Washington Correspondent Omaha Bee. Chicago, Ill., June 9.—(Special Telegram)—Senator Hiram Johnson began a strenuous day, seeing delegates and counseling with his lieutenants, by making an early morning call of courtesy on the Nebraska delegation.

Johnson told them that if they would stick to him, he would win the nomination. Senator Johnson made a very favorable impression on the members of the delegation, and they expressed themselves as greatly pleased over the little act of politeness shown them.

Iowa Delegates Peaved. Fred Davis of Sioux City, secretary of the delegation said, "The articles and cartoons, appearing in a Chicago newspaper against Governor Lowden are an insult to the intelligence of Iowa."

"Iowa will give Governor Lowden its unequalled support until he is nominated or withdraws from the race." This brings me to a serious consideration of the situation, as it obtains tonight. It is the judgment of the older politicians and veteran newspapermen that Johnson has been eliminated from the contest.

More Hughes Talk. Back in the suggestive minds of the delegates is the fixed determination to nominate some one who can be elected. Some one who is best for the nation, and by the procedure of elimination, all the candidates heretofore suggested are thrown into the discard, and Hughes or Knox loom large on the horizon.

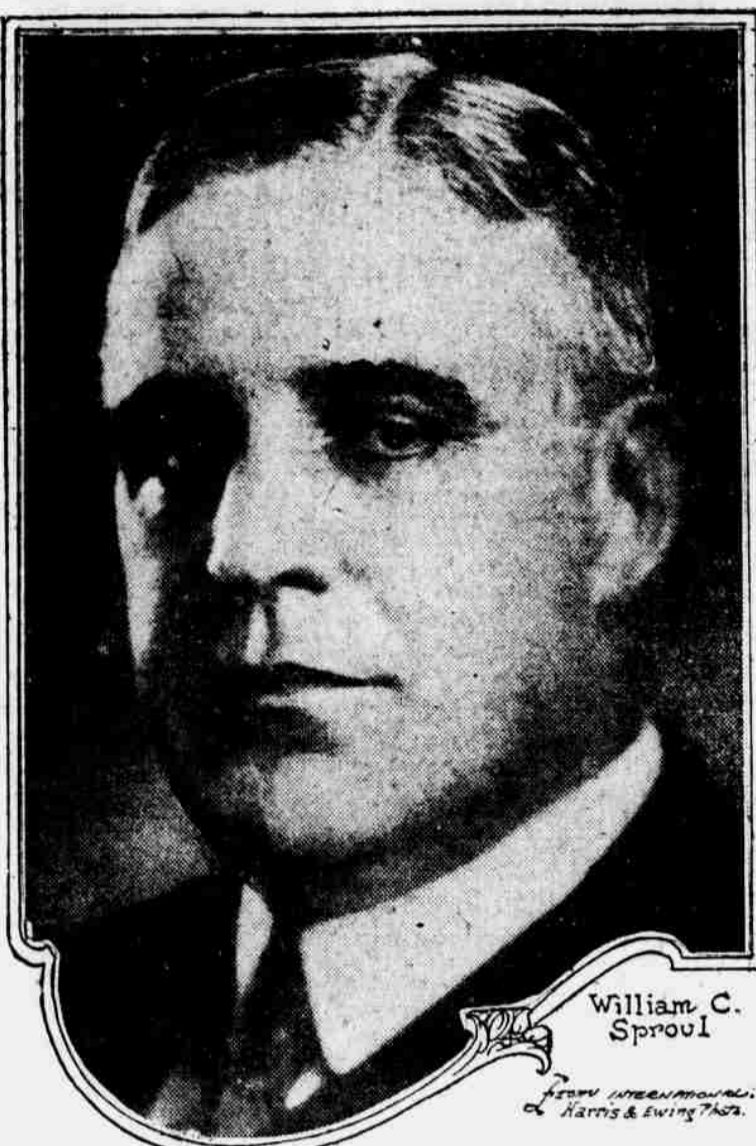
National Committeeman Howell, who is regarded here as one of the very able men on the committee, achieved a new distinction today in settling the demands made on the national committee by republican women seeking representation on the committee.

A committee of five of the national committee was appointed by chairman Hayes yesterday, to meet the delegation of republican women seeking representation, and learn their views. Mr. Howell was a member of this committee.

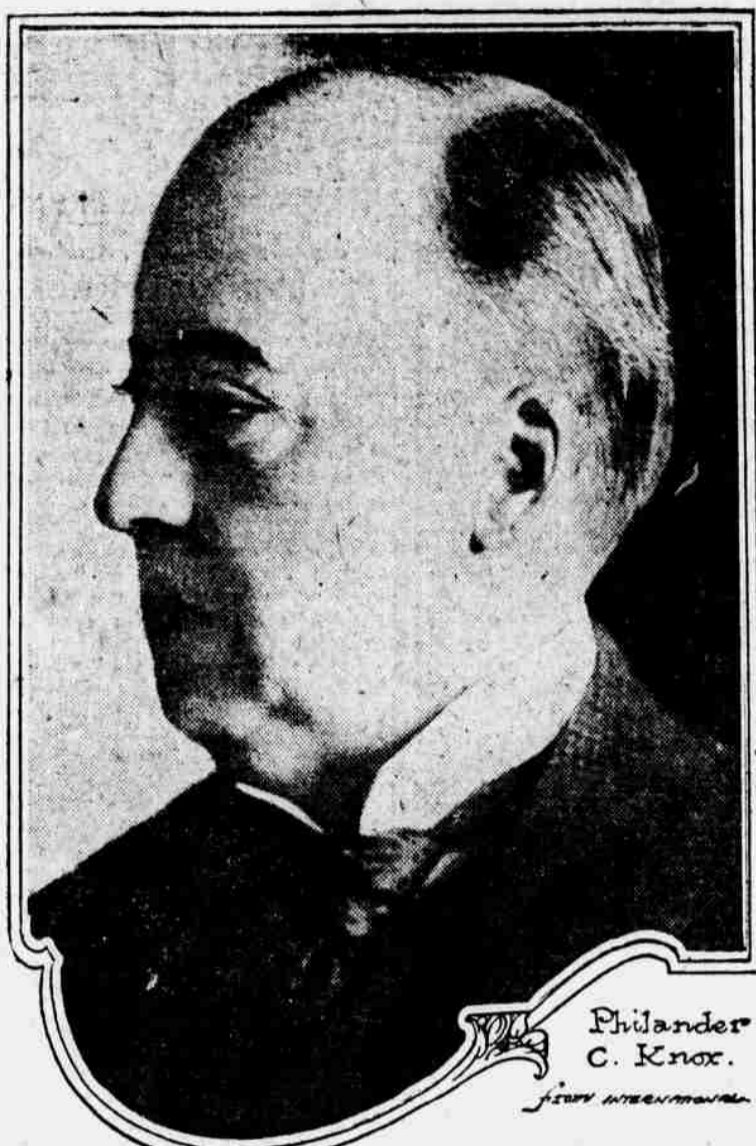
The committee of five held a meeting at which this counter proposition was adopted, that they would suggest to the rules committee that the executive committee be increased from 10 to 15 members.

Increase Committee. Today in the absence of the chairman of the subcommittee, appointed to deal with the women, Mr. Howell moved before the rules committee, that the executive committee be increased to fifteen members, which was adopted as a happy solution of a very delicate question.

Three Dark Horses Coming to the Fore at Chicago



William C. Sprout



Philander C. Knox



Henry J. Allen

Boomlets Born Half Dead And Lack Patriotic Fire Of Old Time Conventions

Republican Meeting in Chicago Drama From Start to Finish—Delegates, Wives, Daughters and On-lookers All Actors in Makeup That Leaves No Mistake of Native Heath.

Chicago, June 9.—(Special Telegram).—Everybody is saying that this is the clam-or-icest convention on record and that every little boomlet is born half dead with a general effect of having been kept too long in cold storage instead of coming hot and sizzling from off the fires of patriotism as they did in other times when a free people met together to select a new savior for their country.

secretaryship of the national committee. The women started in by insisting that there should be two committees, one for the men and one for the women, but the compromise outlined above, is satisfactory to the women.

Mr. Howell also succeeded in getting an additional order of business adopted, to be known as "unfinished business," coming after the "nomination of vice president," which will give him a chance to bring before the convention the question of southern representation, a subject to which he has given much consideration. It may be that he will leave the question for settlement to the national committee, asking the convention to pass upon the matter in that way.

In any event "unfinished business" will give the Nebraska member on the national committee an opportunity to present the matter, which ever course is decided upon.

Former Congressman E. M. Pollard of Newark appeared before the resolutions committee today and in a three-minute speech told the committee what the "Farmers' union" wanted as to collective bargaining, and an enlarged farm loan bank. He made a very favorable impression.

or farce or tragedy, depending upon whether you are the delegate from Rabbit Track with an ornate badge on your breast and mother and the girls hanging on your arms, and rubbering at what the city women are wearing; or whether you are a solemn lady politician with your first innings as a real citizen instead of being a woman's annex of a citizen; or whether you are a picket, wicked and feloniously deprived of your crown of martyrdom of being given free leave to go along and picket to your heart's content if it amuses you; or whether you are one of those who came hoping and praying to be struck by divine lightning of the nomination and who will go home with crushed ambition and blighted aspirations, the sport of the gods.

Politics Makes World Kin. The sense of play acting is in the air. The streets are crowded with good natured people plastered with badges and trinketry until they look like mountebanks. Staid fathers of families have stuck scarlet feathers with Wood's name on their hats. Men, who on ordinary occasions would perish the thought of chagrin if they had a necktie a quarter of an inch wider or narrower than the prevailing mode, wear badges bearing the name of Johnson or Lowden, across their chests. A man goes up and down a block stopping everyone he meets and uttering merely the cryptic words, "Hoover, the engineer," and nobody yells for the police.

Everybody talks to everybody else for we are at the convention and a touch of politics makes the whole world kin. Moreover, whether we are wise or not, nobody can deny that playing politics is the great American game and we certainly do enjoy it and we pity from the bottom of our hearts those poor unfortunate people who have a hereditary monarchy and don't get a chance every four years to go on a nominating-the-president orgy.

All Sections Meet. And so, laughing and gossiping, the crowds mill around the lobbies of the hotels and the various headquarters. Here an ebullient delegate from a southern state, puffing out his chest and beaming with importance. There a lean, sunburnt man from the western plains. Here a dapper easterner with a coat which shrieks Fifth avenue at you. There a soft-voiced southerner and here there a sprinkling of women delegates whose clothes refute the old theory that woman's interior

Los Angeles Largest City West of St. Louis

(Continued From Page One.) 10th place and San Francisco in 11th. Population of other cities follows: Stockton, 17,043, or 73.3 per cent. Pittston, Pa., 18,494; increase, 2,230, or 13.7 per cent. Everett, Mass., 40,109; increase, 6,625, or 19.8 per cent. Pensacola, Fla., 31,035; increase, 8,053, or 35.0 per cent.

Big Growth Shown. Announcement tonight of the populations of San Francisco and Los Angeles, the two largest cities of the western half of the country, left only five of the 20 largest cities of the United States to be heard from in the 1920 census. These five are Chicago, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Detroit and Kansas City, Mo., and until their populations are made public the ranking of the country's 20 largest cities will remain somewhat doubtful.

San Francisco ranked as eleventh most populous in 1910 with 416,912 inhabitants, having shown an increase of 74,130, or 21.6 per cent during the decade. Los Angeles ranked as 17th city in 1910 with a population of 319,198, an increase of 216,719, or 211.5 per cent during the ten years.

How They Stood in 1910. San Francisco up to 1910, made its most rapid growth during the decades 1860 to 1880, while Los Angeles made its most rapid strides during the more recent decades. Of the 22 cities of more than 25,000 population, which in 1910, had more than doubled their population in the 10 years, Los Angeles had the largest growth numerically, and stood fifth in its percentage of increase. Pasadena was fourth in its percentage of increase, in 1910, its rate being 232.2 per cent.

San Francisco ranked just under Buffalo, N. Y., in 1910, with 42,000 less people. Buffalo's 1920 population is 505,875. Milwaukee ranked just below San Francisco with 38,000 people less, and now has a population of 457,147. Los Angeles ranked next below Washington, D. C., in 1910, with about 12,000 people less and just above Minneapolis with about 18,000 more people. Washington's 1920 population is 437,571 and Minneapolis has 380,498.

Convention Sidelights

By FREDERICK PASLEY. Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Chicago, June 9.—In seat three, row A, Coliseum, you will observe Addison G. Procter, one of the most distinguished delegates to the convention. He is the only surviving delegate of the republican national convention that nominated Abraham Lincoln for the presidency in 1860.

Where to go and how to get there, is the title of a 34 page booklet now being presented to visitors and delegates, in all hotel lobbies and in the street. The bally hooos invariably make a presentation speech which concludes with, "with the compliments of our greatest booster, Mayor William Hale Thompson."

Today Uncle Joe Cannon will go to Riverview park, to see the school children, who will be there some 20,000 strong. "Just going out for an hour," said Uncle Joe. "I don't want to do any speech-making or anything. You'd think I ought to know better but I just can't keep away from these conventions. And I ain't a candidate for a darned thing, either."

Acoustics of the Coliseum was declared perfect. Persons most remote could hear the speakers. The special apparatus, a multiplying sound device, was installed by the American Telephone and Telegraph company, the Chicago Telephone and the Western Electric companies.

Governor Allen of Kansas, who will place General Wood in nomination, has completed his speech and taken it to Fort Sheridan, Wood's headquarters, for final approval. The speech, it is said, will not run more than 2,400 words and shouldn't take more than 15 minutes to deliver.

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McAdoo Here Half Hour on Way Home

(Continued From Page One.) the station to greet the McAdoos, other friends were: Paul Rigdon, secretary to Carl Gray, president of the Union Pacific, was there to express Mr. Gray's regrets that he could not welcome them in person. Mr. Gray is absent on railroad business. Tolbert Henry, engine driver on the Missouri Pacific train named the "Kansas City Special," also was there to greet them. Mr. Henry became acquainted with Mr. McAdoo when the latter was administrator of railroads. Mr. Henry's train raced the Overland Limited into the station and won by a length, which gave the latter considerable to crow over when he renewed his acquaintance with the McAdoos.

Anxious to Get Home. Both Mr. and Mrs. McAdoo bore evidence of their long, hot trip. Their brief stay in the city was spent in a walk in Tenth street in company with Mr. Rigdon and representatives of the press. "I'm sorry I didn't see Jim," Mr. McAdoo remarked as he sought his car. "Suppose he's too busy, though. Say, maybe you think we won't be glad to see the kids again. You'd be surprised how long four weeks can seem."

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SEVEN KILLED, 100 INJURED IN BIG WIND STORM

Heavy Property Damage Reported in Minnesota and North Dakota — Fear More Persons Dead.

St. Paul, June 9.—Seven persons killed, more than 100 injured and property losses that will aggregate hundreds of thousands of dollars were the toll taken by the terrific wind and electrical storm that swept northwestern Minnesota and eastern North Dakota Tuesday night.

Richard Hoelmer, farmer and 11-year-old son, Fergus Falls, Minn.; Mrs. R. H. Wilke, 61 years old, Grey Eagle, Minn.; William Roeder, farmer, Gardner, N. D.; A. Sternberg, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Mrs. H. Thompson, farmer's wife, Urbana, N. D., and Martin Peterson of near Osakis, Minn.

Swedish Baptists Meet. The annual convention of Swedish Baptists is being held at the Swedish Baptist church, 618 North Eighth street, starting yesterday.

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Women's G. O. P. Executive Committee



Seated, left to right—Mrs. Margaret Hill McCarter, Miss Mary Garrett Hay, Mrs. John G. South, Mrs. Josephine C. Preston. Standing, left to right—Mrs. Florence C. Porter, Mrs. C. A. Severance, Maude Wetmore, Mrs. George W. Reinecke and Mrs. Raymond Robins.