

MARION WAITS IN HOLIDAY ATTIRE

Harding Notification Will Be Like Circus in Town.

MARION, O., July 21.—Warren G. Harding put in a quiet day preparatory to the ceremonies tomorrow officially notifying him of his selection as the republican candidate.

While Marlonites were busy hanging bunting, flags and Harding posters, the center of political activity shifted to Columbus temporarily, while the republican national executive committee and the ways and means committee met to consider raising funds for the campaign and other questions.

Harding's recent request that campaign contributions be limited to \$1,000 each, has forced a general canvass for money, and likewise made necessary all possible economic campaign preparations.

Last night touches were put on here and excitement attending approach of the biggest day in Marion's history was apparent everywhere.

A new flag was brought out to fly from the weather-beaten flagpole which stood in McKinley's front in 1896 and was transplanted to the Harding lawn this morning.

In the business section, banners, horns and all kinds of circus day paraphernalia were displayed.

Street vendors were looking over the ground.

Taxi drivers were bringing in scores of automobiles to drive visitors around.

THREE SPECIAL TRAINS ARE DUE.

Twenty special trains were scheduled to run into Marion Thursday and automobiles will count into thousands.

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ROAD HEADS PLAN TO MEET AWARD

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Says Lighted Candle and Alcohol Did It

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Polaski, the police said, told them he had gone into a storeroom where he kept a large supply of alcohol, with a lighted candle.

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Askin & Marine Co.
127 West Washington**JAIL MADE LAST JOY RIDE STOP****All-Night Party Fails to Pay Taxi—One Beats It.**

Two men and two women went on a joy ride, which started last night and ended this morning.

Today the women and one of the men are under arrest because they failed to go through the formality of paying the taxi driver.

The man arrested gave his name as Ed Schubler, 23, 1472 Charles street.

The women gave their names as Iona Bohanan, 19, 285 East Minnesota street, and Rose Hunter, 19, 405 East Ohio street.

According to Roy Hooper, 919 North Alabama street, the taxi driver, he was employed to drive to Danville and back.

CHINESE ARMY IN RETREAT TO PEKIN**Defeated Faction May Fight at City's Outskirts.**

London, July 21.—The defeated Chinese army of Gen. Tuan Chi Jai is falling back on Pekin, pursued by the victorious troops of Gen. Chang Tso Lin, and a battle is threatened on the outskirts of the city, according to a Central News dispatch from the Chinese capital.

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