

TELEGRAMS URGE RALSTON TO PUT UP NAME AGAIN

'You're Only Man That Can Unite Party,' Says Wire to Senator.

Scores of telegrams poured in to United States Senator Samuel M. Ralston today, urging him to reconsider his action of Friday, definitely withdrawing his name as a candidate for the nomination for President, at the Democratic national convention in New York.

Typical of the messages received is the following from Maurice P. Murphy, an attorney of St. Joseph, Mo.:

"Please reconsider and allow your name again before the convention. You alone can unite the party and lead it to victory."

Ralston Is Silent

Until a late hour Ralston had declined to make a statement other than to say: "The telegrams speak for themselves."

The Senator this morning was an interested listener over radio throughout the parliamentary debate between Senator Walsh of Montana, chairman of the convention, and Delegate Fitzpatrick of New York, on a point of order relative to a motion before the convention as to whether it should adjourn, to meet July 21 in Kansas City, Mo.

Ralston laughingly remarked: "They might send it out to Indianapolis."

He made no comment when the motion was defeated overwhelmingly. While listening to the report of the Ohio vote on the seventy-fifth ballot, which gave him 4½ votes, Ralston remarked to his daughter, Mrs. W. Stewart La Rue, perched on the arm of his chair:

"Well, Ruth, listen to that. We're going to be nominated yet."

The Senator laughed heartily.

In Dark on Conference

For the first time Ralston ate lunch with newspaper men. He was extremely jocular and amiable. Mrs. Ralston prepared the meal, an excellent one, and she, too, sat at the table.

Regarding a reported conference in which Thomas Taggart was closeted with Cordell Hull, chairman of the national Democratic committee, Senator Walsh, convention chairman; George Brennan, leader of the Illinois delegation; Homer S. Cummings, national committeeman from Connecticut; and Norman Mack, manager of Governor Smith, campaigner, Ralston said he was in the dark.

According to the dispatch, Taggart appeared on the convention platform waving a paper and called these men into a side room.

Ralston said he had sent no message to Taggart and did not know the significance of such a move.

The Senator and Richard T. Buchanan, his secretary, took a walk down through the cow pasture. Buchanan remarked, in explaining his efficiency as a secretary, that he could milk a cow as fast as any one there.

Home Is Deserted

Despite press dispatches, Thomas Taggart, Ralston's manager and leader of the Indiana delegation at the convention, as saying that the Hoosier Senator was not out of the race, and that his chances were as good as ever. Ralston appeared to believe his name would not be considered further.

In commenting on possible turns the convention would take Senator Ralston said he would not be surprised if Senator Robinson of Arkansas should get a good vote sooner or later.

The Ralston home was deserted this morning, except for newspaper men, the Senator and Buchanan. The Senator's wife made a shopping trip. She returned about noon.

CAR TRACKED; 3 HELD

Police Say They Found White Mule on Driver.

After trailing an auto from 318 N. Senate Ave. to Washington St. and Capitol Ave., police arrested Raymond Graham, 21, of Bloomington, Ind., and charged him with operating a vehicle while intoxicated, operating a blind tiger and failure to have certificate of title to the auto. Officers found Lon Altrop, 38, of 22 N. Elder Ave., and Isaac Sparks, 22, of Bedford, Ind., in the auto and charged them with intoxication and vagrancy. As they started away from the scene Graham ran out and claimed to be the driver of the auto. He had a pint of white mule in his pocket, the officers say.

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COMMUNISTS REFUSED SEAT

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to represent unemployed of Chicago from the front of the convention shortly after it got under way and persisted in shouting that he wanted recognition despite the refusal of the chair to recognize him. He was swiftly escorted to his seat when Chairman Johnston announced that the delegate wanted recognition to announce him as a presidential candidate.

The platform committee did not conclude its deliberations when the time came for adjournment of the morning session this delaying consideration of its report until this afternoon.

La Follette headquarters will be opened Monday in Chicago by his campaign manager, John M. Nelson, Congressman from Wisconsin.

These plans were announced by Nelson following the dramatic first session of the convention when Robert La Follette, Jr., standing behind a big portrait of his father, delivered a message formally announcing his father's candidacy as an independent.

CONFIDENCE GROWS

Delegates Talk of Electing Progressive Solon President of U. S.

By LOWELL MELLETT
Times Staff Correspondent

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 5.—They are talking today in Cleveland of electing Bob La Follette president. This may be tall talk but it has ceased to sound so to the delegates attending the Cleveland convention of the Progressive party. A week ago they talked of La Follette carrying six or eight northwestern States and furnishing an object lesson to leaders of the old parties. They talked of La Follette receiving enough electoral votes to throw the election into the hands of Congress. But they didn't talk of electing him president. The completely conservative character of the Republican platform and the candidates, Coolidge and Dawes, encouraged La Follette supporters to believe that an immense body of progressive Republicans would be alienated. The delegates gathered here, however, are telling one another that the number of such Republicans alienated has been much greater than could have been anticipated.

Dawes Contributed

Many say that Dawes' selection as Coolidge's running mate has contributed to make the defections from the Republican ranks greater than perhaps would have been the case had any other man been nominated. As for the Democratic convention every day of futile balloting in New York seems to have added to the confidence of the progressives. The feeling had developed that the Democratic party, as a result of the bitterness engendered by the religious and racial warfare let loose at the outset, was more likely to finish third than second in the fall election. The factional fights in New York which have followed the wide breach on the Klan issue are now thought to have so disorganized Democratic leadership that no effective campaign can be made for any man who may be named.

An even greater effect upon the progressives of course resulted from the unsatisfactory nature of the Democratic platform. They are convinced that Progressive now have nowhere to go except to La Follette.

Illinois Promising

The biggest factor in the new optimism is the character of the reports that the delegates are bringing to one another from their own cities and States. Chicago and

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call, was ruled out. Motion for abolition of the two-thirds rule lost on a viva voce vote.

Governor Al Smith was said early today to be willing to withdraw from the race if McAdoo would agree to do so at the same time. McAdoo was not willing.

Talk of "drafting" Senator Samuel Ralston, despite his withdrawal Friday, or of nominating Owen D. Young, the man who made the Dawes reparations report possible, gained overnight. John W. Davis also appears a likely choice again.

McAdoo Has Veto

McAdoo has now led Governor Smith by from 100 to 200 votes through seventy ballots. He has demonstrated on several occasions, particularly Friday afternoon, when two trick moves were made by the Smith leaders to suspend the rules, that he has the veto power over the convention. He can, at any time, prevent a two-thirds vote.

The effort of Smith Friday to have the convention permit him to address it was the first indication that he regarded his own position as desperate and requiring some dramatic coup to save it. McAdoo checked him and then to further reprimand him, wrote a letter to Chairman Walsh saying he hoped his friends among the delegates would unite in giving unanimous consent for Smith to appear and address them. This enraged the Smith leaders, particularly George Brennan, and a point of order was sustained that the afternoon session on the question could not be reconsidered.

But the second and most striking evidence of the collapse of Smith's ambitions came early today when the New York Morning World, under the caption, "Shall the Democratic Party Die?" editorially called upon Smith and McAdoo to withdraw from the race simultaneously. "The World has been most outspoken of the New York press in its support of Smith. All the Democratic newspapers, with one exception, concede today that Smith is whipped."

One motion has been made to suspend the rules for introduction of a resolution calling on both La Follette and McAdoo to withdraw candidates to withdraw was howled down on a viva voce vote. There may be others. The delegates, however, held the point that they want the deadlock broken somehow and they don't care much how.

Opinions Differ

Opinion of leaders differ on how long the jam will last and the balloting continue. Norman Mack, national committeeman and Smith general, thinks the convention will go over the week-end. David Rockefeller, manager for McAdoo, believes the nomination will be accomplished today.

When Chairman Walsh called the convention to order at 10:48 a. m. less than a fourth of the delegates were in their chairs and virtually no one in the spectators' seats. Chairman Walsh asked for the invasion, however, with the intention of proceeding to business immediately.

There were not ten people on the platform and not fifty people in the spectators' seats on the floor.

Young Man Struck by Auto

Leon Osborn, 21, of 720 Blake St., was taken to the city hospital today after he was struck by an auto mobile driven by Leonard Harris, 41, colored, 525 Agnes St., at 741 Indiana Ave. Osborn was not injured seriously. Police arrested Harris on charges of assault and battery, blind tiger and transporting liquor.

SAM RALSTON IS CONSPICUOUS BY VOTING ABSENCE

Feeling That Taggart Is Withholding Pervades Convention.

By C. A. RANDAU
Times Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, July 5.—A feeling that Taggart has not by any means played out his hand with the announcement of Senator Ralston's withdrawal pervaded the convention today as the monotonous rounds of roll calls proceeded.

Though Taggart insists he is compelled to refrain from further advocacy of Ralston's cause it is well known that he still believes Ralston will be the compromise selection as soon as Smith and McAdoo can be made to realize that they are both absolutely out of it. He can make no headway during their death grip battle, however, and consequently there is good reason to believe that Ralston's withdrawal was in part brought about by a desire to prevent any more premature Ralston booms.

To Foretell Friends

Taggart insisted throughout the Ralston flurry on Thursday that he had not started the ball rolling. The prompt withdrawal of Ralston's name after the temporary boom was apparently decided on as the most effective way of preventing Ralston's elimination through his over-zealous friends' effort to throw him into the fight while the struggle of the giants was still going on with unabated force.

Some there are who take the withdrawal at its face value. Among these are the more ardent Smith backers. The New York World, which set out to kill off Ralston by giving him Klan label, this morning practically admits that Smith like-wise is through, and calls on party and quote all that is wisest and suggest within it, to break the deadlock by the simultaneous withdrawal of both leading candidates, and the selection of a leader out of a list composed of such men as Baker, Glass, John W. Davis, Robinson, Ritchie, Underwood, Owen, D. Young, Thomas J. Walsh, Houston, Cox and Franklin Roosevelt, unknown.

Name Conspicuous

Ralston's Name is conspicuous by its absence from this list, which includes all other even remote possibilities.

Republican newspapers, such as the New York Tribune, take the position that Taggart has given up hope for the first place on the ticket and now is playing for second place. His claim on the vice presidential nomination for Ralston would be based on his helpful move to withdrawing Ralston, it is held, and for this reason the Indiana vote is distributed between Smith and McAdoo so that, regardless of which may remain in control of the convention proceedings, Taggart will have a just claim for assistance.

ABNER PEEK DIES; VICTIM OF BANDIT

Wound Inflicted While Defending Grocery Fatal.

Abner A. Peek, 49, of 2340 Speedway Ave., died at the Deaconess hospital early today from a bullet wound inflicted by a bandit whom he resisted in an attempted hold-up of his grocery at Speedway Rd. and Tibbs Ave., Thursday evening. The funeral will be held Monday.

When the bandit attempted the hold-up, Peek, who owns the store with his father and brother, jumped for him. The bandit fired, the bullet striking Peek in the head. Fred Peek, the brother, started in pursuit with a revolver. The bandit fired at him, but missed.

Peek is survived by the widow, one daughter, Geraldine, 7; his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peek; the brother and one sister, Miss Jennie Peek, all of Indianapolis. He had lived all his life in Indianapolis and was a member of the Masonic and K. of P. lodges.

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'BACK TO NORMALCY'

Weather More Like July Weather Should Be—Warmer Sunday.

"Back to normalcy" was the motto of the weather man today. Temperatures were more like July temperatures should be, with ever warmer weather forecast tomorrow. The thermometer was flirting with 80.

Chair 'Recognizes' Beauty as Well as Delegates



AFTER THE TRYING HOURS OF GAVEL-RAPPING AND SHOUTING AT THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION SENATOR THOMAS WALSH, CHAIRMAN, APPRECIATES A LITTLE RELAXING CHATTER WITH A SELF-CONSTITUTED ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE OF TWO: MRS. MILTON V. O'CONNELL (LEFT) AND MISS REGINA KELLY (RIGHT), BOTH OF NEW YORK.

CANADIAN AND BRITISH CRISIS IS WATCHED

Premier King, in Bold Speech, Outlines Alternative.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—The crisis in the relations between Canada and the British Empire is being watched with intense interest here, where it is regarded as one of the most important international developments in years.

Canadian Minister of Justice Lapointe is of the opinion that an imperial conference will be necessary to define not only Canada's rights, but the rights of the various other parts of the empire.

Canadian Premier Mackenzie King, in a studied speech, frankly declared that Canada confronts three alternatives.

1. Complete independence.
2. Annexation with the United States.
3. A more clearly recognized relationship as a self-governing nation within the empire.

Bold Statement

Minister Lapointe just as boldly stated Canada's position. Canada must be consulted as an equal in matters affecting the empire, he said, "for Canada is a sister nation and nothing else would she be." The crisis was brought to a head after several years of Anglo-Canadian misunderstanding—when the British government signed the Locarno treaty, ending the war with Turkey, without consulting Canada and without a Canadian representative at the parity.

Canada was asked to ratify the treaty. She instantly refused. Not only that, but Premier King and his cabinet refused even to submit it for ratification to the Dominion House of Commons. And he promptly told London why.

"We believe Parliament would not approve it in view of the course pursued in this case," he said.

Canada readily recognizes the Locarno Treaty but would not be bound by any obligations which the pact might tend to impose upon her in the future. She would not bind herself to go to war or take any which she had no hand in making, thus establishing a far-reaching precedent.

Full Government

Premier King favors full and complete self-government within the empire, rather than to set Canada up as a separate nation or join the United States.

Ireland is watching events closely. Her status as a free State puts her on exact equality with Canada, and whatever Canada gets in the way of independence that Ireland gets also.

South Africa expects to follow suit and subsequently Australia, New Zealand and the rest of the empire. Annexation of, with or by Canada is not seriously considered here. But developments are being watched as epoch making.

In this connection it is recalled by John McCordie, chairman of the public service commission that measured service proved a failure when tried out on two-party residence lines two years ago.

"Never did we have so much trouble or so many complaints as with this service," he said. The service was discontinued at the request of the commission.

The conference of the public service commission and the sub-committee of the Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday at 11:30 a. m. John B. Reynolds, general secretary of the Chamber, said today. Recommendations of the sub-committee will be made to the board of directors at a special meeting next Thursday noon.

The sub-committee is composed of O. D. Haskett, chairman of the committee; Henry L. Dithmer, president of the Chamber, and Reynolds.

There are 9 different kinds of Brussels sprouts, 120 kinds of lettuce.

Home-grown roasting ears were selling at city market today two for 25 cents. Black raspberries were 15 cents a pint and red raspberries were 30 cents a pint. Honey Dew melons were bringing 50 and 75 cents each. Watermelons were down to \$1. Scarcity of radishes advanced the price to 10 cents a bunch. Indiana cherries were few and were selling at 20 cents a quart.

Other heat and humidity produce prices: Asparagus, 3 bunches for 25 cents; new green Transparent apples, 2 pounds for 25 cents; green beans, 15 cents a pound; green peas, 10 cents a pound; cucumbers, 15 cents each; head lettuce, 20 cents; leaf lettuce, 10 cents a pound; cauliflower, 15 and 20 cents a bunch; peppers, 5 cents each; gooseberries, 15 and 20 cents; fresh limes, 40 cents a dozen; best oranges, 60 cents a dozen; tomatoes, 20 cents a pound.

Herron Art Institute Notes

On exhibition at the John Herron Art Institute, Sixteenth and N. Pennsylvania Sts., during July and August will be a group of paintings lent by local owners. The display will be in galleries 10 and 11.

In gallery 2 beginning June 29, will be a display of lithographs by American and British artists. They are George Bellows, Joseph Pennell, Arthur B. Davies, American; Frank Brangwyn, Charles

Pears, and G. Spencer-Pryse, English. The annual exhibition of students work in gallery No. 1 and the sculpture court closes Sunday night.

Three unusual "missal covers" have been purchased by the institute from the Niblack collection.

Miss Dorothy Blair, assistant director of the institute, has gone to Lake Chautauque, N. Y. On her way she will stop for special research work in the Cleveland Museum of Arts.

STATE WAR ON PHONES OPENED

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there is a possibility that attempts to enforce penalties provided in the State law may be made.

The old Telephone Patrons' Union, which was active in attempts to prevent the merger of the independent and Bell interests several years ago, may be revived and take a hand in the fight. T. Ernest Mahon, counsel for the organization, said today. He said a meeting probably will be held Tuesday.

Civic Clubs Meet Monday

A meeting of the Indianapolis Federation of Community Civic Clubs also will be held Monday at 7:30 p. m. to discuss the situation. County Attorney Russell J. Ryan has been instructed to offer his services to state officials in the phone fight. John Kitley, president of the county commissioners, said.

"The increase is preposterous," said Kitley. "There is a lot of talk now about it, but the outcry is nothing to what it will be when the bills have to be paid."

Cost Prohibitive

Kitley said farmers were preparing to have phones removed, as the new cost is almost prohibitive, he said.

"It will cost a farmer nearly \$40 a year to keep a phone for a few calls a day, and they can't stand it under the present state of rural finances."

The State Chamber of Commerce move initiated today by John H. Fredrick, president of Kokomo, and G. H. Mosser, managing director of Indianapolis, is in the line of an attempt to get a settlement of the rate question by agreement.

The commission and telephone company will be asked to send representatives. Mosser says he hopes an amicable settlement may be made by agreement or possibly by arbitration.

The first meeting of the new board of directors of the Chamber will be held Wednesday morning, and the thirty-six members will take part in the afternoon meeting.

Meantime civic associations and business organizations were preparing to cooperate with State and city officials in resisting the rate increases.

Business men are particularly antagonistic to abolition of unlimited service and substitution of measured service. They point out that the subscriber has no check upon the company's charges as to the number of calls made, and that the company is sole keeper of the records, judge and jury of its own case.

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Courtesy

This, according to the Indianapolis committee on public utility information, is probably the way a Chinese conductor would ask his patrons to move forward in his car:

"If the heaven born son of a most illustrious father will but honor his servant by transferring his august presence to a position further to the front where he belongs always, he will have rendered a service which will be in keeping with those which his noble ancestors have rendered."

DELEGATE ASKS SENATE BODY FOR INVESTIGATION

Anti-McAdoo Alternate Gets Reply From Senator William Borah.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, July 5.—Senator William E. Borah, chairman of the Senate committee to keep tabs on campaign expenditures and contributions this year, today sent the following wire to Timothy T. Ansberry, alternate delegate-at-large at the New York convention and opponent of McAdoo, in reply to Ansberry's request that his committee investigate expenditures in election of delegates.

"Timothy T. Ansberry, care So-Called Democratic National Convention, New York: 'I doubt if the resolution under which the committee is authorized to act used any investigation other than those which pertain to candidates after nomination.'

"Wish you would consult with Senators Caraway and Bayard, who are in the convention, and advise me as to their views. Jones and Shipstead out of the city. If it appears that we have the authority and the facts at all to justify. I will undertake to get the committee together."

The Senator referred to are members of the committee.

TRIP TO WOMEN'S CONVENTION FATAL

Mrs. Emma D. Trick Dies at Yellowstone Home.

News of the death of Mrs. Emma D. Trick, wife of Henry F. Trick, 1814 N. Illinois St., which occurred at Mammoth Hot Springs, Yellowstone Park, Col., Friday was received here today. Mrs. Trick, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Gladys P., was on a return tour of the West after attending the biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's clubs at Los Angeles. Monday she contracted a heavy cold which developed into pneumonia.

Word was received Tuesday of the seriousness of her illness and her husband left immediately, reaching her bedside just before she died.

Mr. Trick and his daughter are expected to arrive in Indianapolis Monday night with the body. Plans for the funeral services are incomplete. Burial will be at Logansport. Surviving besides the husband and daughter, is a son, Omer S., who also lives in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Trick was a member of Central Avenue M. E. Church.

CHURCH NOTICES

PLEASANT SUNDAY AFTERNOON MEETING

CADLE TABERNACLE Under the auspices of the CHRISTIAN LAYMEN'S COMMITTEE

PROGRAM Sunday July 6th, 2:30 O'clock Organ Recital by Mrs. William Duthie. Song Service, Conducted by A. Greenwald.

Scripture reading and Devotional by H. V. Clark (Chairman).

Quartette, Irvington Ladies. Gospel Solo by Marie Easton.

Pleasant Sunday afternoon address by EVANGELIST ARMIN A. HOLZER.

Holzer's theme for the afternoon will be THE PROPHETIC TEACHING ON THE SECOND COMING OF CHRIST COMPARED WITH PRESENT DAY EVENTS AMONG THE NATIONS AND CHURCHES.

Subdivisions of the address: Is Christ a fact or a myth? Does the Bible really tell us that the world is coming to an end? What will happen to the Jews? Will 1929 mean Armageddon? Will the Lord come in the clouds? BRO. SCRIGGS WILL AGAIN CONDUCT DIVINE HEALING AFTER MEETING.

These pleasant Sunday afternoon meetings are to minister to the spiritual life and also to the body. Those afflicted in body are asked to attend to be helped according to the word of God by prayer and the laying on of hands. Many souls were saved and people bodily afflicted were healed. Let Christians of all denominations cooperate with the laymen's committee in this noble effort to provide spiritual and physical healing for the world. Most churches are closed. Why not all Christians in Indianapolis unite in this worthy effort and give this movement—most hearty support and cooperation.

South Side Spiritualist Church Fountain Square—Fountain Block, Third Floor—Corner Virginia and Erie Streets—Prospect St. Sunday Evening, 8:00 P. M.

Lecture by REV. A. A. HAMILTON

Message by MRS. BERTHA HOLTZ HAMILTON and

MRS. GEO. BISHOP Twenty Minute Musical Program Preceding the Service.

PROF. F. P. DILLON At the Piano EVERYBODY WELCOME.

THE SECOND SPIRITUALIST CHURCH Red Men's Hall, W. Morris and Lee Sts. Services Sunday, 7:45 p. m. Messages by spiritualists. Ladies Aid at 1856 W. Minnesota St. Wednesday 2 p. m. A cordial welcome extended to all.