

HOOSIER G.O.P. SPLIT ON MARTIN

Some Believe Indiana Man Should Have Been Chosen;
McNutt Moves Offices to Chicago Despite
Pessimism of 'Insiders.'

By NOBLE REED

Some Indiana Republican leaders today were divided in their opinions over the decision to select Rep. Joseph W. Martin Jr. (R. Mass.) as the campaign manager for Wendell L. Willkie.

Many of them thought that an Indiana man should have been given the post to add a little more Hoosier flavor to the nominee's campaign.

The State Republican Committee went so far as to recommend formally the appointment of Homer E. Caphael, wealthy Indiana manufacturer, for the post. Committee members expressed their choice in telegrams to Mr. Willkie last Saturday.

But the old-line Republicans, who have been learning their 1940 political lessons rapidly and with jarring finality these days, said:

A few short weeks ago only an obscure handful of Indiana party leaders were singing praises for Mr. Willkie. Now those who vigorously opposed the Hoosier for the Presidential nomination are cheering him loudest on the popular theme song that Mr. Willkie will make the State G.O.P. ticket invincible this fall.

Offices of the McNutt-for-Presidential headquarters will be moved to Chicago late today for the National Democratic Convention.

Some Democratic leaders who have been in the game practically all their lives contend the McNutt headquarters in Chicago can be only a flop.

They said they have "inside" information that President Roosevelt will not permit Mr. McNutt to get on the ticket and that the Presidential nominee and running mate "already have been selected."

But Mr. McNutt has instructed his campaign staffers to get to Chicago in full force and pitch politics furiously. His backers say there will be no let-downs in the campaign until the last ballot is taken.

Mr. McNutt was regarded by many as a leader who practically eliminated from the picture last week following his payment of \$3000 to the U. S. Treasury as a tax settlement. The payment was made following nearly a year of investigations conducted by the Treasury department in Indiana.

Democratic candidates nominated at the State Convention here recently got together for their first pow-wow last night as guests of Frank M. McHale, manager of the McNutt-for-President campaign and State Democratic Chairman Fred F. Bays.

They had a chicken dinner in a secluded spot north of the city. All said it was purely social and that no campaign matters of importance were discussed.

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CARDENAS MAY END MEXICAN DEADLOCK
MEXICO CITY, July 9 (U. P.) — President Lazaro Cardenas may be compelled to intervene personally to end a deadlock between Gen. Manuel Avila Camacho and Gen. Juan Andreu Almazan in their claims to success in Sunday's Presidential election.

The party of the Mexican revolution, supporting Avila Camacho, the Government Party, issued an estimate of votes of the basis of an incomplete tabulation, giving Avila Camacho 2,172,616 votes and Almazan 601,414.

Almazan, however, had said in advance that they expected any pro-government Party estimate to give Avila Camacho 10 votes to Almazan's 1. He insisted that Almazan would prove the winner by a big majority.

The returns are to be tabulated officially Thursday, but according to Mexican electoral laws they are to be proclaimed publicly until after the meeting of Congress Sept. 1.

FRENCH PERFUME ARRIVES AT CANAL
CRISTOBAL, C. Z., July 9 (U. P.) — The French freighter Indiana today was unloading a cargo of perfume for local merchants.

It was expected to be the last cargo from France for the duration of the war because of the British blockade. The Indiana has been here for two weeks. Its sailing date and plans are uncertain due to lack of instructions from the owners.

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Gallup Poll Shows Willkie Topped Dewey And Taft in Public Eye Before Nomination

By DR. GEORGE H. GALLUP
Director, Institute of Public Opinion
PRINCETON, N. J., July 9.—A composite picture of the astonishing rise of Wendell L. Willkie as a rank-and-file Republican choice for the Presidency—one of the most revealing case studies of a Presidential boom ever made—shows that in the final days before his actual nomination, Mr. Willkie passed all other G.O.P. candidates and became the first choice of his party's "grass-roots" membership.

As late as March of this year the nation-wide surveys of the American Institute of Public Opinion, conducted among Republican voters in all parts of the United States, found less than one per cent naming Willkie as their choice for the nomination. The G.O.P. nominee was scarcely known at all in the West and Midwest, the surveys indicated.

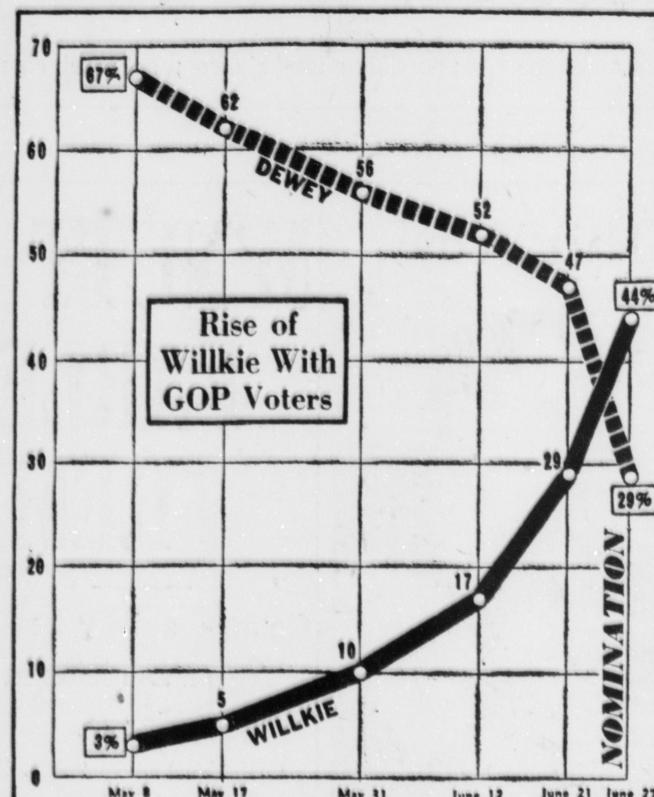
Then, according to successive Institute studies, began a Willkie trend that gathered momentum with the passing weeks, until the actual nomination.

How Willkie's sentiment mounted in the last days of the race is shown by the fact that on June 21—just three days before the convention opened in Philadelphia—the popular vote was Dewey, 47 per cent; Willkie, 29 per cent; Taft 8 per cent, and the remainder of the vote scattered among a dozen other candidates.

To see whether the phenomenal Willkie rise had continued during the actual convention period, the Institute's next regular ballot—sent to interviewers in all parts of the country late Tuesday night, June 23—contained the usual question for Republican voters: "Whom would you like to see elected President this year?"

Many political observers and statisticians had pointed out that if the Willkie boom were continuing among the rank-and-file at its previous rate, Mr. Willkie could be expected to be the new leader.

Ballotting which took place after the actual nomination shows the



How Mr. Willkie's popularity increased with rank-and-file Republicans. In March (not shown on above chart) Mr. Willkie received less than 1 per cent of the mentions.

candidates before the actual convention-balloting began.

This proved to be the case.

Ballots from all sections of the country—covering the interviewing between Tuesday night and the actual nomination of Mr. Willkie on Thursday night—show the following division of sentiment:

Final Pre-Nomination Survey

Wendell Willkie 44%
Thomas E. Dewey 29
Robert A. Taft 13
All others 14

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CHICAGO INFLUX TO CONVENTION SET AT 100,000

Stores Expect \$10,000,000 Harvest as Democrats Converge on City.

CHICAGO, July 9 (U. P.)—The convention that nominates the Democratic Party's Presidential candidate will be a 10-million-dollar show which will bring at least 100,000 visitors to the nation's second largest city.

From every state and the territories convention delegates, party officials, semi-official visitors, and fun-seeking tourists will pack the hotels and the Chicago Stadium, where the convention sessions will be held, starting July 15.

The Democrats are meeting this year in the same hall where they nominated Franklin D. Roosevelt for the first time in 1932, under physical conditions almost identical with those eight years ago.

City Spends \$175,000

Chicago spent \$175,000 to get the convention—a cash payment of \$125,000 plus the cost of preparing the Stadium, printing tickets and similar perquisites.

In return, the Association of Commerce believes city merchants will receive 10 million dollars if the convention runs the five days it is scheduled. The association believes each visitor will spend at least \$20.

There will be 100,000 votes on the Presidential roll call, but alternate delegates and split votes in which several men cast fractions of one vote will boost the delegate strength to approximately 3000.

Oliver A. Quayle Jr., treasurer of the national committee, predicted that for each delegate there would be nine or 10 semi-official visitors such as state candidates and committee members.

The Stevens Hotel is the official convention headquarters.

Presidential Law Missing

One feature of most past conventions may be missing however. Uncertainty about Mr. Roosevelt's intentions toward a third term may eliminate the familiar "Presidential row" where aspirants for the nomination hold open house in hotel suites.

A notable exception is Paul V. McNutt, Federal Security Administrator and former Indiana Governor, who has dedicated his entire campaign on the possibility that Mr. Roosevelt may not choose to run. Mr. McNutt reserved far in advance of the convention opening a large hotel ballroom and other space in which to entertain his followers.

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The association is holding its convention here with headquarters in the Hotel Seville and sessions in Tomlinson Hall. The convention is expected to last about eight days.

Glass, made principally from sand, does not depend on import materials. According to Mr. Maloney, U. S. glass containers are made for national consumption and for Canada and neighboring islands.

"The biggest problem of our industry," Mr. Maloney said, "is the invasion into the beverage field of tin and paper containers." To combat this the glass industry has developed a "one trip" bottle which, weighing about seven ounces, is only half the weight of the ordinary bottle.

The bottle need not be returned to the retailer and costs the wholesaler one and one-half cents.

The old time glass blower who with skillful hands and a blower created art glass products has practically vanished from the industry, according to Mr. Maloney. "Everything is being done with machines."

FIRST LADY FAVORS TRAINING FOR ALL

NEW YORK, July 9 (U. P.)—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt is in favor of compulsory military training only in the event it is part of a broad program of universal service to instill "fundamentals needed to make a soldier" in all sections of the population.

Guests on the program of Drew Pearson and Robert Allen, Washington columnists, Mrs. Roosevelt last night said:

"I do not believe in compulsory military service by itself. I believe in universal service which shall take the young and old, rich and poor, boys and girls, a service which shall give the fundamental qualities which are needed to make a soldier—discipline, good character, obedience."

There will also be music by the Rhythm Tot band, composed of youngsters ranging from three to six years old.

Show that the work of the safety patrol at the playgrounds is appreciated. Recreation Director Hugh Middesworth has made arrangements for the patrol boys and girls to be guests of the Indianapolis baseball club Thursday night when the Indians play Kansas City at Perry Stadium.

Street Work Confirmed

More street improvements were confirmed by the Works Board yesterday. The improvements and approximate costs are:

Paving of North St. from Tibbs to Alton Aves. Engineer's estimate, \$275,70. Linear foot cost, \$1.90 for oil aggregate to \$2.00 for brick.

Installation of sewer in the first aisle south of 38th St. from Keyes to Hillside Aves. Engineer's estimate, \$1180. Cost an average size lot, \$43 by \$142.38, \$171.90.

Paving of Hawthorne Lane, from St. Joseph to 10th Sts. Engineer's estimate, \$5413. Linear foot cost, \$5.03 for concrete, \$6.82 for brick.

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