

TAGGART CROWD TRY TO "HAND ONE" TO MARSHALL

TIMES' BUREAU
AT THE STATE CAPITAL.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 1.—The more one sees of the democratic presidential political game in Indiana the plainer it becomes that the Taggart machine is seeking to "put one over" on Governor Marshall. As has been said repeatedly before, the general belief among politicians is that Taggart and his crowd are trying to bring about a situation in this state that will finally land the Indiana delegation to the democratic national convention for Governor Harmon of Ohio instead of for Governor Marshall, and developments day after day add strength to this view of the matter.

Friends of Governor Marshall, and even the governor himself, have been advised by good democrats to look out for a double cross from the Taggart crowd. The danger to the governor's chances has been pointed out and he and his friends have been advised to not allow the Taggart machine to select the delegates who shall go to the national convention from this state. As a matter of course, since Indiana has a candidate for the nomination for president, Indiana's delegates will go to the convention to vote for him, but the governor is being advised on all sides to look out for breakers ahead. It is pointed out to him, that if Taggart is allowed to have a hand in the selection of the delegates they will be men who will be for Marshall on the surface, but for Harmon underneath, and that the Indiana delegation would slip away from Marshall at the proper time to go to Harmon and help to nominate him.

Whether the governor believes any of these or not is not known. He has been keeping still about the matter, but some of his close friends have about come to the conclusions, so it is said, that if Marshall wishes the solid vote of Indiana in the convention he will have to go out and make his own fight for the nomination.

The Taggart crowd has been loud in its protestations of loyalty to Marshall, but those who know the Taggart crowd best know that loyalty is a thing for that faction to be disloyal.

The protestations of loyalty to Marshall have sounded very good to the Marshall followers. The Taggart adherents have said all along that they were going out and help the governor to select the delegates to the national convention. They were going to help elect Marshall men. And there is little doubt that they will do this, for practically all of the democrats in Indiana will be for Marshall the next election. That is taken as a matter of course. So it will be easy to elect a Marshall delegation for this state.

But the Marshall followers are beginning to realize that it would be dangerous to allow the Taggart element to select the delegates, even if they are all for Marshall. In the first place, if the Taggart crowd selects the delegates it will pick men who will do whatever Taggart tells them to do. If he tells them at any time during the convention to slip over into the Harmon column they would proceed with the slipping. This would be a soft situation for the French Lick boss and would place him in a position where he could deliver Indiana to Harmon at any moment.

In the second place, such a course would place Governor Marshall in the position before the people as being a

Officer Stanford and will be tried at Crown Point tomorrow morning.

Recently the youngest lad got into trouble when he started an electric runabout in front of St. Margaret's hospital and, unable to stop it, he ran into a horse and buggy. He then jumped out of the car and ran home, leaving the machine where it came to a stop against the curbing. These are only a few of the charges lodged against the two young culprits. They have always been under the eyes of the police.

An older brother just returned from a reform school on parole, where he spent a sentence on similar charges. The lads are thought to have entered a number of other homes in Hammond, but refused to commit themselves.

They then told that they stole the watch and had sold it to a West Hammond boy for 30 cents. They got into the flat by a rear window.

Earlier in the afternoon they were seen by Mr. Arkin loitering in the alley. He did not suspect them until he came to the police station. The watch and chain was recovered.

They also broke into the home of William Taylor, Russell and Hohman streets, on Wednesday while the family were all away. They entered the house by a rear window and after rummaging through a trunk they came across a lot of rare American coins, consisting of old half dollars, quarters, nickels and pennies. They took twenty-eight of the half-dollar pieces, four quarters, thirty foreign coins, Lincoln pennies and rare nickels. Of these about half have been returned to the lads when arrested.

When Mrs. Taylor came home yesterday she found the two lads in the house and, catching the youngest boy, she held him and notified the police. Unable to hold him because he kicked and bit her, the lad got away and ran down the Monon tracks. Officers hunted high and low for them, but they could not be found until yesterday morning.

After escaping from Mrs. Taylor they ran up town where they took a car for Lakewood park. Seeing the sights they came back to Hammond and took in the nickel shows and ice cream parlors and spent the night in a hall-way over the Lion store.

Yesterday morning they went to East Hammond where, they thought, they could spend the balance of their money without being detected. Officer Lamme would not take any charge with his hand bands and in fear they would get away he grabbed each by the neck and marched them to the station.

They were held at the station yesterday and were released last night on \$100 bonds furnished by their father. They were then turned over to Juvenile

declares that Parks actually did hit him, Foley. Baranowski, refusing to take out a warrant against Foley, Parks did so himself in behalf of Baranowski, whereupon Foley retaliated by taking out a warrant against both Parks and Baranowski. The charge is assault and battery in each case.

The case will be heard before Judge George Reiland tomorrow.

**FAG-END SEASON
BALL YARN**

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that "each week brings us closer to the end of the season." We believe that is quite new.

Well then. Each week brings us closer to the end of the baseball season. As the season advances, enthusiasm will, or should increase. "Should" is new. Heretofore enthusiasm always has increased. A good crowd is expected. (Note change in sentence generally reading "an immense throng is assured." "Good crowd is expected" is a bit more conservative. What?) The first of the week will witness two games devoted to baseball, Sunday and Labor Day. (Note reference to Labor Day.) Owing to this fact a considerable change in the standing of the teams is looked for. (Simply can't get away from that. It's such a dead open and shut certainty.) The most crucial test will be brought upon Crown Point, which has three games for the two days, playing a double header with Gary on Sunday and another game with Indiana Harbor on Monday. Should cruel fate cause Crown Point to lose all three games that town would be out of the running. (Note the novelty in abstaining from what might be the situation should Crown Point lose two and win one, or vice versa. Also nothing said regarding how the situation would be should East Chicago win and Whiting lose, or should Indiana Harbor lose, or should Whiting win and Indiana Harbor lose. Also Hammond. Also Gary.)

The schedule Sunday: (is as follows, unless verbiage.)

Sunday, Whiting at Indiana Harbor, East Chicago at Hammond, Gary at Crown Point, double header. Monday, Crown Point at Indiana Harbor, East Chicago at Whiting, Gary at Hammond, double header.

SAVINGS BANK DOES VERY WELL

Some of the democrats fear that the governor will not resent the effort of the Taggart machine to take charge of his boom and pose as its sponsor, because he will be willing to accept support from any and all sources. But there are others who believe that the governor still has enough backbone to run his own affairs and that he will make his own campaign for delegates, independently of the Taggart machine, rather than take any chances on a double cross.

The governor has been out of the city for several weeks, until Tuesday, when he returned from Bay View, Mich., where he had been spending his vacation. He is too busy with the accumulation of business in the governor's office to talk any politics just now, but it is understood that as soon as he gets his desk cleared he will look into things and see what has happened during his absence. If he decided to make an independent campaign the fact will probably develop before long.

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CHILDREN LANDED AS CRIMINALS

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avenue, and stole a revolver which they sold a small amount. As they were telling this story Joe Arkin, of the Hamm Furniture company, 67 State street, complained that some one had entered his flat and stole a gold watch, a chain, some butter and other eatables.

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HARBOR MAN HURT AT PICNIC

(Special to THE TIMES.)

Indiana Harbor, Sept. 1.—John P. Smith, 381 Pennsylvania avenue who was injured at Michigan City where he had gone on the Inland picnic. He was a member of the picnic party. He was in a big crowd which made a rush for a South Shore Line train. He was pushed and jostled between two moving cars and dragged for nearly twenty feet. His injuries while painful were not painful and he was given prompt medical attention in the office of Dr. Snider in Michigan City. He was later sent to his home. It is as much as Mr. Smith has an aged mother to support. The accident which takes him from his work temporarily works a hardship on him.

NYHOFF TO START 20 MEN MONDAY

The John J. Nyhoff Coal company, the recipient of the Chicago Telephone company's Gary exchange grading contract, will put twenty teams to work on Monday morning. Nyhoff expects to have the contract completed within three days.

Immediately upon the completion of the grading contractors for the superstructure will start work at once. The exchange will be one of the most modern of its kind. It will be located in Madison street opposite Jefferson Park. The estimated cost is between \$35,000 and \$40,000.

An official of the company recently declared that in time Gary would be made the district headquarters for this section of Northern Indiana.

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Hammond's Greatest Department Store

Remember this is a Sale of Childrens Needs, Here's your chance to save on everything your boy or girl needs at school opening time.

Extraordinary Values for Saturday's Selling
We Close our Store all day Monday, Labor Day.



Special Sale of Plain and Fancy Silk Waists, 2.98

This special sale consists of all plain colors, stripes and plaids, neat and serviceable to wear with suits and dressy wear. Regular 2.99 and 4.50. Saturday only 2.98.

Ladies Flannel 'Shirt' Style Waists, 1.69-2.48

Comes in plain and stripe flannels, negligee collar and cuffs, ideal for school and business wear.

Early Autumn Coats, Dresses, Skirts and Waists are being continually added to the stock, giving excellent opportunity to make your selections for the coming Labor Day outing. We take pleasure in show you.

New Novelty Mixture Coats, 15.00

Beautiful Zebeline cloths, having large collar and revers, new musketeer cuffs, trimmed with coronation purple broad cloth, the waist self lined.

New Serge Coat, 10.00—Extra Value.

This Coat for Ladies and Misses comes in navy and black, all wool serge, has the new large collar and cuffs, trimmed with satin and dome buttons.

Handsome Serge Empire Dress, 10.00

For real nifty style and value these Dresses cannot be surpassed, kimono sleeves, panel back and trimmed in tailored style with one and half inch silk braid and buttons, also Venise lace collar.

Girls' School Dresses in Great Variety of Material

1.98 Black and white, wool mixture, trimmed with scarlet flannel.

2.98 — 3.98 Plain and fancy Serges, made pretty girlish styles, lined, some trimmed with braid and buttons, others contrasting materials.

98c Dark Percale Dresses, trimmed with red piping and tie, guaranteed, fast colors, extra special value, 6 to 14 years.



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Drugs at Cut Prices

Colgate's Shaving Stick, 25c size..... 20c

Carter's Writing Fluid for office or school, 1-pint, 50c size..... 35c

Swift's S.S.S., the great blood tonic, 1.00 size, 64c 1.75 size..... 1.19

Dabrook's Toilet Water, all odors, 50c size, very special..... 39c

Cleansing or Cold Cream, 25c size..... 15c

Neuralgine Tablets stops aches and pains, 25c size..... 18c

Boraxo Bath Powder, 10c size..... 8c

Hot Water Bottles, 2-qt., 1.00 value, at..... 69c

Palm Olive Soap, 3 cakes for..... 25c

Piso's Remedy, for coughs and colds, 25c size..... 18c

Carbolized Mutton Tallow with glycerine, for chapped hands and sore lips, 25c size..... 15c

Vaseline, a box..... 3c



New Fall Millinery

For Women who appreciate the height of style with the limit of low price, we have an unusually fine selection of new Fall Hats.

A new Felt Hat for half what you pay elsewhere. The much-wanted and popular White Felt Hat on sale Saturday at

198 and 2.25

25 dozen on sale in five very best styles and all the leading colors, 1.98, 1.49 and 98c

98c Misses and Children's School Hats, an almost unlimited display of attractive Hats and Bonnets, up from

98c

The most popular Trimming of the day is the Ostrich Band, in all colors, 2.00 value, for this sale.

98c

Dry Goods Dept. Labor Day Specials

You will need some preparation to help you fully enjoy this great holiday. We invite your attention to the items named below. Other equal attractions are here for you. Come in and look them over.

Ladies' Neckwear, Specially Priced, 50c

A big assortment of Neckwear, consisting of Venise Dutch Collars, eyelet embroidered Dutch Collars of every finest quality and work, tailored Stocks, fine Venise Stocks and you are certain to find just what you wish.

Ladies' Large Venise Collars, only 43c

These are exceptional values, some that usually sell as high as 75c, all are good styles having the very latest and newest designs.

Hand Bags—Very Latest Novelties

48c For Black Velvet Bag, 6-inch frame, is neatly embroidered, has long silk cord.

For Fancy Caratol Bag, has pear shaped frame, comes in brown and navy.

For fancy Beaded Bag, size 5 1/2x4, has 2-inch bead fringe—a very big value.

For Fancy Beaded Bag, size 6x4, has beaded fringe, 1 1/2 inch.

For fancy Beaded Bag, made of gold and silver beads, size 4 1/2x4 1/2, has 1-inch beaded fringe, a big value.

A Few Items That Show Immense Savings

41c Per yard for Calicoes, choice styles, not short lengths, but full pieces of light and dark work in light blue,