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CONVENTION IS AGAINST OUTLAWS

LOWDEN WINNER OF PRIMARY

Forty Thousand Voters in
Illinois Write Senator
Johnson's Name on Their
Ballots.

BY GILMAN PARKER
(STAFF CORRESPONDENT I. N. SERVICE)

CHICAGO, April 14—Gov. Frank O. Lowden today is the winner of the presidential endorsement of the republicans of Illinois, his home state.

His plurality in Tuesday's preferential primaries is more than \$0,000 ahead of his nearest competitor, Leonard Wood.

Johnson showing sensation. Despite the number of votes polled by Lowden and Wood however, the big sensation of the day, was the showing made by Senator Hiram Johnson.

His name absent from the ballots, no less than 40,000 voters in Cook county alone wrote it in as their choice for president, a result unparalleled in the history of Illinois politics.

In the democratic primaries, latest returns indicate that Herbert Hoover, will win by a small margin, with Gov. Edwards, Atty. Gen. Palmer, W. G. McClellan, Wm. Jennings Bryan and James Hamilton Lewis receiving most of the remainder of the votes.

In the republican primaries, the returns from 5,248 precincts out of a total of 5,990 precincts in the entire state show that Gov. Lowden polled 223,928 votes, Gen. Wood 157,868, and Senator Johnson 43,876. This gives Lowden a plurality of \$5,111 votes, and with this as a basis it is figured that complete returns will show him a winner by more than \$0,000.

HERE ARE THE FIGURES—
The following are complete returns from the Cook county ten congressional districts, which include Lake county:

Candidate	Men	Women	Total
Wood	87,511	18,266	105,777
Lowden	84,245	14,099	98,344
Johnson	45,516	5,265	50,781

WHAT THE VOTE MEANS
Gov. Lowden's victory means that the Illinois delegates of fifty-eight to the republican convention will be divided about as follows, if all the delegates follow the preferential vote cast: For Lowden, 44; for Wood 17; for Johnson 1.

THOMPSON WINS AGAIN
Another powerful actor enters into the situation, however, in the sweeping victory registered by Mayor Thompson and his city hall machine in Chicago. The Thompson candidates for ward committees won in all but one of the thirty-five wards of the city, a landslide. It is declared that will insure Mayor Thompson the control of G. O. P. political machinery in the state and his re-election as republican national committeeman.

The returns indicating the mayor's victory were scarcely in before a report was freely circulated by his supporters that Thompson would be the republican "darkhorse" candidate for the presidency and that the delegates brought under his control through his Chicago clean-up would swing for him at the republican convention.

WILSON'S CABINET DISCUSSES STRIKE

Palmer is Only One of Body
Who Gives Report on
Meeting.

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
WASHINGTON, April 14—President Wilson's cabinet discussed the railroad strike for more than an hour and a quarter today but no announcement was made at the conclusion of the session as to whether any action has been taken.

"We discussed the strike and I rendered a report," Atty. Gen. Palmer said. "I can make no further statement at this time, although I may be able to do so later in the day."

Other members of the cabinet refused to talk.

It was learned that a plan was discussed for providing immediate increases in wages for railroad workers as one means of discouraging the present strike and forestalling further strikes. Under the plan discussed the railroad labor board, upon confirmation by the senate, will meet with Atty. Gen. Palmer and Secretary of Labor Wilson and agree upon a wage adjustment which will be temporary but will become effective at once and remain in force until the railroad board can make a final adjustment of the wage question.

Brissey Record One Of Much Distinction

James W. Brissey was born in Kentucky and came to Fountain county, Ind., with his parents in his infancy. He was raised on the farm and attended the district schools. He spent two years in the West, herding sheep and cattle. He found time meanwhile to continue his studies, and afterwards taught school in Kansas; later returned to Indiana, attending the state university, and became County Superintendent of Schools.



JAMES W. BRISSEY.

of Fountain county. He began to practice law at Covington, Ind., was Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for two years under James Bingham, and four years under Attorney General Stansbury. He was afterwards elected Prosecutor and served two terms, having Fountain, Warren and Benton counties in his district. He came to Indiana Harbor with his family in 1910, where he has built up a reputation as a capable and successful lawyer. Mr. Brissey has been active politically and until he entered this campaign was City Chairman of East Chicago. Mr. Brissey is a man of wide experience as a lawyer and in the councils of the republican party. He has a large acquaintance in Indiana, and is well fitted to care for the interests of Lake county in the senate.

FIRST IRISH SOVIET FORMED AT GALWAY

Announce They Will Control
City for the Duration
Of the Strike.

(STAFF CORRESPONDENT I. N. SERVICE)
LONDON, April 14.—The first Irish soviet has been formed at Galway. The workers who joined the Irish general strike formed a local council and announced that they would control the city for the duration of the strike.

According to the Daily Herald, the official organ of the Labor party, the Council of Federation of Railway men has demanded that a meeting of the "Triple Alliance" be held to support the Irish general strike.

The "Triple Alliance" is the most powerful labor organization in Great Britain. It is composed of the railway workers, the coal miners and the transport workers.

A report was circulated here that the Irish strikers had cut the telephone and telegraph wires connecting Northern and Southern Ireland, but this was denied by the postoffice department.

MANY TO HEAR NOTED SINGER

On Sunday, May 2, at 2:15 p. m., the Garry theatre will be filled to the capacity. Never before had music lovers the opportunity to hear the great European singer Joseph Rosenblatt. Mr. Rosenblatt is known as one of the greatest singers in Europe. He is a great tenor and gives concerts in French, Italian and Jewish. Mr. Rosenblatt has recently made several appearances in the largest theatres in the middle west including the Chicago Auditorium. Mr. Rosenblatt is engaged with a big western theatrical management and his service commands the minimum price of \$1,000 for each performance.

During Mr. Rosenblatt's stay in Chicago, E. Muscat, Max Bernstein, Alexander Stein, M. Kahan and Mr. Marks as a committee interviewed Mr. Rosenblatt and persuaded him to come to Garry.

Mr. Rosenblatt is on his way to Detroit, Mich., where he will perform on May 1. Mr. Rosenblatt brings with him his own piano and pianist. The news of his coming will be welcomed by music lovers of Garry, Hammond, Whiting, East Chicago, Indiana Harbor, Valparaiso and other towns too numerous to mention.

GAS EXPLODES; TWO ARE HURT

While playing around an abandoned car in Garry yesterday evening, two young sons of officer Mayehski, of the Garry police department were severely burned when the gasoline tank was set on fire and burned them about the face and hands. They were taken to their home at 1723 Monroe street where at noon today they were reported getting along nicely.

Sue For Four Inch Land Strip

For possession of a strip of land four inches wide and the length of one side of a Garry city lot, suit was filed in the Hammond superior court today by Petro Dzakula against Samuel Michopoulos and his wife.

The complain, which was filed by Attorney McMahon & Conroy, says that the parties to the suit own adjoining lots in Garry and that the defendants have recently erected a flat building so that one of its walls is situated four inches across the lot line on the plaintiff's property. Dzakula also alleges that when the defendants dug the trench for their wall it caused the east side of the Dzakula house to settle and ruined a sidewalk.

The plaintiff asks for possession of the real estate and for \$2,000 damages for the expense to which he will be put in leveling up his own house.

Women Out of Co. Office Race

State Election Board Says
National Suffrage Amend-
ment Must First
Be Ratified.

(TIMES BUREAU AT STATE CAPITAL)
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 14.—Although Thomas Taggart and James E. Watson have no opposition for the nomination as United States Senator on the democratic and republican tickets respectively, their names shall appear on the primary ballots, according to an interpretation of the election laws by the state board of election commissioners.

The state board also held that women cannot be delegates to the state conventions of the political parties and cannot be candidates for county offices prior to the ratification and promulgation of the suffrage amendment to the constitution.

Another important decision of the election board was that as there is no township elections this year all township offices that have been appointed to fill vacancies shall serve until their successors are elected in 1922 and have qualified.

Where a precinct has been divided any candidates for precinct committee-men who have filed a declaration of candidacy in the old precinct is not available for the new. If no candidate has filed in the new precinct the county committee shall name the candidate, the state board ruled.

Although all state candidates and candidates for precinct committee-men shall have their names on the ballots even though they have no opposition, the board ruled that candidates of all subdivisions of the state shall not have their names placed on the ballots if they have no opposition.

The state board also made a ruling regarding the corrupt practices act of 1914. Candidates for president, governor, United States senator and lieutenant governor shall be governed in their election and primary expenses by the number of votes cast in 1916, but where an individual is a candidate for an office for which there was an election in 1918, his expenditures are to be based on the votes for such office in 1918. The law provides that a certain amount can be spent for expenses, the amount to be limited by the number of votes cast at the next preceding election.

BACK TO FARM FOR WELBY RASOR

Kouts Crap-Shooter Can't
Stand the Bright Lights
Of A Great City.

Welby Rasor, the young man from Kouts, Indiana was found guilty last night in the Hammond city court of passing a worthless check. His father was present at the trial and pleaded for clemency for his son. Rasor was fined \$100 and costs and given a sentence of six months suspended servitude.

A few weeks ago Rasor entered a Hammond department store and cashed a \$50 check. He lost the money in a crap game and returned to the store to cash another check. Detectives were waiting for him and nabbed the young man just as the cashier was tendering him the second amount.

Rasor had been found guilty of previous charges of a like nature. According to his father the son will return to the farm.

UNUSUAL ACCIDENT

Charles Tobey, 14 years old, 2724 Toney street, Tolleston, was shot in the neck in a most unusual accident yesterday afternoon.

Prominent Hammond Man Arrested

U. S. Commissioner C. L.
Surprise Really Surprises
His Friends Last Night.

U. S. Commissioner Charles L. Surprise of Hammond, than whom in the matter of law respect, there is no whome, was arrested in Chicago last night.

Pact, and he can't get out of it. Not only that, but Bishop Quayle of Chicago was with him when he was arrested. Sounds interesting, eh?

But we have to let the cat out of the bag. Bishop Quayle has been lecturing in Hammond last night and Mr. Surprise took him into Chicago in his car on a rush mission to catch a train and a burley cop found Mr. Surprise "riving altogether too fast, in fact speeding."

You will have to ask Mr. Surprise what happened after that.

POURS FIVE BULLETS INTO HIS BODY

Indiana Harbor Mexican is
Held Awaiting Hospital
Report, Anent Victim.

Charles Neamtu lies in the Hammond hospital with five bullets in his body as the result of an argument with three Mexicans whom he ordered out of his soft drink parlor at 3532 Pennsylvania avenue, Indiana Harbor. Doctors do not think that he can live.

Neamtu was in the store when three Mexicans came in last evening and began to cause trouble. According to the testimony of witnesses Neamtu told the three to get out of the place and without warning Elaro Armandes, one of the three, pulled a revolver and started shooting. Neamtu was shot five times in a head bullet took effect. One bullet passed entirely through one arm and into the body and the other four struck Neamtu in the chest and abdomen.

Armandes is being held by the East Chicago police awaiting developments. If Neamtu dies he will be charged with murder. Dr. J. A. Teegarden gave first aid and rushed Neamtu to the hospital.

Neamtu, only a short time ago, lost \$200 when fake officers entered his place and arrested him for selling liquor. He gave \$200 cash bond and the men disappeared.

THIS NEGRO WAS "SUTTINLY" BAD MAN

Bill Horace Cunningham
Crazy to Get at Watch-
man With a Cleaver.

For attempting to slaughter Phillip Schoenfelder, a watchman at the Swift fertilizer plant with a meat cleaver, Bill Horace Cunningham, colored, was handed \$200 and costs this morning by Judge Kowalski in the West Hammond police court.

The trouble which led to Cunningham's arrest occurred Saturday night. Cunningham was employed at the plant and was also charged with the supervision of the bunk house. He was supposed to see to it that no crap games were indulged in. It developed that he had been shielding a game regularly and had been getting a "rake-off."

Saturday Cunningham went to Chicago and borrowing a friend's "subscription" he said he purchased three pistols of which at a drug store. Somewhere on Plummer avenue, in Hammond, he also ran into some "white mule" and with this supply he returned to the plant.

Schoenfelder visited the bunk house and found several men drinking and gambling. He ordered it stopped and after Cunningham had dared him to come out of the bunk house several times he took him up and went a little farther, putting him out of the main gate. As Schoenfelder turned his back at the gate, the negro jumped on his back, seized his club and beat him about the head. Several stitches were necessary to close the gashes in his scalp.

After the watchman had escaped, the colored man found his old meat cleaver and started after him again. Thinking Schoenfelder was in the office, he started to chop the building down and spoiled several windows with the cleaver before the West Hammond police arrived and took him in tow. At his trial this morning he said the "moonshine" made him crazy. He admitted having served a year in prison in South Dakota for murderous assault.

CANDIDATES DRAW THEIR LUCKY NUMBERS

(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES)
CROWN POINT, Ind., April 14.—Candidates for office whose names will appear on the ballots in the republican primary election May 4 have been assigned the numbers which will appear opposite their names. The Lake county board of election commissioners met yesterday and assigned the numbers to the candidates.

Following is the order in which the names will appear:
For president: 12. Johnson; 14. Lowden; 16. Wood.
For U. S. senator: 15. Webster; 17. Watson.
For governor: 18. J. W. Foster; 19. Warren McCray; 20. Ed. Toner.
For U. S. representative: 21. Will R. Wood.
For prosecuting attorney: 22. A. A. Broder; 23. James Burns; 24. D. M. Kinder; 25. W. O. Thomas.
For judge circuit court: 26. E. Miles Norton.
For judge criminal court: 27. Martin J. Smith.
For state senator: 28. J. W. Brissey; 29. Thomas Grant; 30. Oliver Holmes; 31. Frank H. McIlroy; 32. James J. Nejd; 33. A. J. Schulte.
For senate representative: 34. Oscar A. Ahlgren; 35. James J. Day; 36. Otto F. Neid; 37. J. Glenn Harris; 38. A. H. Sambor.
For joint state representative: 39. R. F. Carlin; 40. J. J. Overmeyer; 41. Joe W. Todd.
For county auditor: 42. George M. Folsom.
For county treasurer: 43. Ralph Bradford.
For county recorder: 44. Herbert C. Francis; 45. E. M. Hazelgreen; 46. A. C. Huber; 47. William Rose; 48. Thomas W. Spencer.
For sheriff: 49. James E. Dowling; 50. Joe Graham; 51. Albert E. Halstead; 52. Eric Lund; 53. W. H. Olds; 54. Fred M. Stults; 55. Jay A. Umpleby; 56. L. Bryce Whitaker.
For county coroner: 57. E. E. Evans; 58. Antonio Giorgi.
For county surveyor: 59. Ray Seeley.
For county commissioners: 60. Leonardas Boyd; 61. George A. Schaaf; 62. James Black.

As a result of his refusal to halt at the command of a Garry police officer, Pete Letovsky is confined at the Mercy hospital in Garry today, suffering from the effects of a bullet which lodged in his back.

While investigating a prairie fire in the marsh south of the Michigan Central road east of Virginia st. early last night, Detective Sergeant Elmer and Officer "Zigzag" Miller, saw a man walking away from the direction of the fire. He proved to be Letovsky.

Following him, he was stopped and questioned and failing to give a good account of himself the police officers decided to take him to the police station. On reaching Seventh ave. and Virginia st., Letovsky remarked, "Me do nothing. I give you \$5 if you let me go."

"Where do you get that stuff," said Officer Miller, "you're going to the police station with us," and with that Letovsky made a break for freedom and started to run down an alley. When Letovsky failed at three commands to halt, Officer Miller fired low into the ground, expecting to stop him, but the prisoner kept on going.

At Eighth ave. and Virginia st. they captured Letovsky again and it was not until they had reached the police station did the officers know that the bullet had taken effect. It is presumed that the bullet struck the pavement and glanced up, striking Letovsky in the back. He was taken to the Mercy hospital, where an operation was performed and the bullet removed.

Following the shooting and investigation last night, it was learned that Letovsky has been living in Garry about two weeks and worked two days at the Garry Screw & Bolt Works under the name of William Lipski.

At the Metropolitan hotel, where Letovsky resided, two revolvers, several skeleton keys, a flash light, and some jewelry was found in his room. Considerable incriminating evidence is being weaved around Letovsky and important developments are expected in the next few days.

GAS SHIPMENTS HINDERED BY STRIKE

Paul Moorhead, manager of the Texas Oil Company here, is another man who is worrying over the strike, with seven cars of gasoline somewhere in the vicinity and yet untenable he hopes the trouble will soon be settled.

Down at Muncie because of uncertainty as to when they will receive additional shipments owing to the rail strike, local dealers in gasoline are contemplating placing a restriction on sales.

If this is done gasoline may be bought only by physicians, undertakers, ambulance owners, fire and police departments and persons engaged in transporting food and fuel and other essentials.

Advertise in The Times and advertise again. Results come with constant effort.

5 P.M. NEWS FLASHES

(BULLETIN)
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 14.—Serious rioting has broken out in Kewanee, Henry county, where a tube workers' strike is in progress, according to an appeal received this afternoon by Acting Gov. Oglesby, from Sheriff Wilson of that county, asking for troops.

Gov. Oglesby immediately ordered the first battalion of the 110th regiment of the Illinois reserve militia of Chicago, under command of Lieut. Col. Wm. E. Swanson, to Kewanee.

(BULLETIN)
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
WASHINGTON, April 14.—It was officially stated this afternoon that Atty. Gen. Palmer's department, President Wilson's cabinet that he has "confident evidence" that the moving spirit behind the nation-wide railroad strike is the Communists International, working through the I. W. W.

(BULLETIN)
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
NEW ORLEANS, La., April 14.—Federal Judge Rufus E. Foster convened the federal grand jury in session here today and charged them to indict every man who was guilty of calling the railroad strike in New Orleans. The judge stated the evidence showed that the strikers had conspired to violate the laws and dignity of the United States and were guilty of felony as murderers.

(BULLETIN)
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
ALBANY, N. Y., April 14.—The Betts bill making it a misdemeanor for anyone to wilfully furnish false information to a newspaper, passed the assembly this afternoon, 102 to 15 votes.

(BULLETIN)
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
ELKHORN, Wis., April 14.—Julius Kutz, a farmer, and his wife and their four children were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their farm house three miles west of here today. Kutz met his death in an attempt to rescue his wife and children.

(BULLETIN)
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
A. G. Wharton, international president of the department and one of the members of the board, announced last night that \$10,000 had been spent for the services of a nationally known statistician who has made a thorough survey of the increasing living cost with particular references to profiteering outrages.

All this information will be submitted to the labor board and it will startle the country," Wharton declared. "RADICAL ELEMENT STRONG"

The outlay strike issue provoked an all day battle behind the locked doors of the convention hall. The radical element was surprisingly strong and there were many wild demonstrations availing the insurgents. The general officers, led by Wharton and Jewell had difficulty in keeping the meeting in hand. A group from Chicago and other Illinois towns led the attack upon the law and order plan. The fight over the resolution has reached its latest pitch when news of the appointment of the labor board in Washington was flashed into the meeting by the International News Service. Jewell came out of the meeting and was supplied with a list of the president's appointees. He carried it back into the meeting and made the announcement. It brought a tremendous burst of cheering and the tide swiftly turned and from then on ran strongly in favor of the law and order plan.

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WHY SHOULD CHICAGO HARASS TRUCK DRIVERS?

Thirty Hammond truck drivers and owners of delivery firms appeared this morning in the South Chicago police court, where they were arraigned on charges of operating, over the streets of Chicago, trucks which carried no vehicle license.

All were unconditionally released except Fred Jurgens and Harrison S. Voorhies, who are to appear April 28, when the warfare on Hammond trucks will again open unless the test case (Thornton Mineral Springs Co. of Chicago vs. The City of Hammond), which is now pending in the Hammond Superior Court has been decided.

Owners of commercial trucks in Hammond which ply between this city and Chicago are up in arms against the vindictive attitude of retaliation which has been adopted by the South Chicago police. Because Chicago trucks driven over the streets of Hammond are made subject to the same tax as home-owned vehicles the ire of metropolitan firms has been aroused and for several weeks no Hammond truck has ventured into Chicago except the driver was immediately arrested.

Attempts to take out a Chicago vehicle license have met with failure on the part of Hammond motorists and they are in a quandary as how to meet the demands of the Chicago police.

According to several of the men who appeared in the South Chicago court this morning, there will be a lull in the arrests of Hammond truck drivers and chauffeurs of commercial firms of this city may now enter Chicago without facing arrest. But the amnesty is guaranteed only until April 28.

Fred Jurgens tells his experience: "I wanted to avoid all this trouble about license and so I sent my wife into the Chicago city hall where she was to pay for a vehicle license. They refused to give her one because all licenses expire on May 1, and they said it would be foolish to pay \$20 for a license for only a few days. Then they sent her to 150 N. LaSalle, police headquarters, where she was given a card with which the truck driver was to carry and show to the Chicago police, who would let him go. Now I drive into Chicago and am picked up by a policeman in South Chicago. I showed him the card, but he didn't pay any attention to it and they made me put up a \$25 cash bond to appear this morning. Again they tell me I have to come back the 28th."

RADICAL MOVEMENT IS DEFEATED

Kansas City Convention Stages
An All Day Battle For
Supremacy.

BY E. RUSSELL PALMER
(STAFF CORRESPONDENT I. N. SERVICE)
KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 14.—Having come out definitely against the outlay strike which has paralyzed transportation in many parts of the country, the 700 delegates to the fifth biennial convention of the railway department of the American Federation of Labor—representing more than 750,000 railway employees—today pitched into the work of preparing their wage increase program for submission to the new labor board.

DEMAND NEW INCREASE
It was learned today that the increase sought for as long ago as January, 1919, and still pending, will be further augmented by from 12 to 15 per cent. This new increase will be demanded in order to keep pace with the steadily mounting cost of living since the request for increase was first made.SUBMIT CLAIMS APRIL 28
The general chairman of the 18 registered railroad organizations and all of the members of the board, announced last night that \$10,000 had been spent for the services of a nationally known statistician who has made a thorough survey of the increasing living cost with particular references to profiteering outrages.Obtain Starting Information
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PREDICT END OF
REBEL WALKOUT(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
CHICAGO, April 14.—The watchmen's strike in Chicago, will end by Thursday night, breaking the back of the rail walkout of the railroads throughout the country, declared the heads of the big brotherhoods here today.

"After a round of the strikers' camp I can give the assurance that Thursday, possibly today, will be the last of the strike, so far as the middle west is concerned," said Edward F. Corrigan, one of the heads of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. "The settlement among the strikers here is overwhelmingly in favor of a return to work."

Mr. Corrigan announced that switch men on the Burlington and the Chicago Junction roads already have voted to go back to their jobs and that the switchmen on the other roads with Chicago terminals will vote on proposition today and Thursday.

Conditions at the stock yards were reported as nearing normal, with 315 cars of live stock received today.

SHOCKING
ACCIDENT

William Peoples, a pan tender at the Harbison Walker Refractories Company at East Chicago, was instantly killed yesterday when he became caught in the cogs of a mud grinding machine. The body was badly mutilated by the cogs before the machine could be stopped. Peoples lived in Chicago and has no nearer relatives than a half brother who will have charge of the funeral services.