

MIDDLE WEST CANDIDATES FORM DEFENSIVE ALLIANCE AGAINST ROOSEVELT OR JUSTICE HUGHES

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Arguing that inasmuch as the battleground for next fall's presidential election assuredly will be in the Middle West, campaign managers for Republican candidates from that section are planning a defensive alliance which will prevent the nomination of either Col. Roosevelt or Justice Hughes.

While these plans still are tentative, it was learned today that among the men behind them are some of the cleverest politicians in the party. They expect to raise the argument that not only will the presidency hinge on the outcome of the fight in the Middle West, but that control of the United States Senate likewise will be in the balance in that section.

Arguing that New England and New York are "certain Republican territory" these political leaders insist that the real battle will of necessity be fought out in Minnesota, Illinois, Ohio, Indiana, Missouri, Kansas, Wisconsin, Michigan and Iowa. Minnesota, Missouri and Wisconsin each elect a United States senator and Indiana two. The combined votes of the Middle West in the Republican convention, voting for any agreed on candidate after the "favorite sons" are disposed of, can count on the support of the South, where there are about 200 additional delegates, thus could prevent the nomination of any eastern man. This is just what will be done, Republican leaders here believe.

About one-third of the delegates to the convention already have been elected. Practically all of them are unpledged. The majority of them have been sounded out by the managers of the Middle Western candidates and it

is said here that they do not consider Col. Roosevelt as available.

Burton, Fairbanks, Sherman and Cummins are about equal favorites in the minds of these delegates, if the opinions of the political leaders now here are to be accepted. They want to keep as far away from 1912 as possible, most politicians now here agree, and to do so

must refrain from accepting Col. Roosevelt.

The slogan agreed on, politicians here say, and which soon will be launched, will be:

"The Middle West has suffered from the Democratic policies and the remedy is a Middle Western candidate."

Queen Helps Allies



SEVEN COLLEGES ENTER SPEAKERS

The Indiana state peace contest will be held at Indiana University Friday evening with seven colleges contending for premier honors. Two prizes are at stake, the first being a \$75 award given by the Seabury sisters of Massachusetts, and the second a gift of \$50 offered by the Indiana Peace Society. This is the first time prizes have been awarded in the Indiana peace contest. The colleges and orators follow:

Indiana University—"Peace; Our Opportunities and Responsibilities," J. W. Gillespie, Jr.

Manchester College—"America's Preparedness," Floyd Irvin.

De Pauw University—"Co-operation and Peace," J. N. Simmons.

Earlham College—"Futility of Armed Force," Lloyd Reath.

Van Pelt University—"The Future Hope," A. L. Yerex.

Butler College—"World Peace," David S. Benson.

Goshen College—"Science and International Harmony," Frank Stoltzfus.

SNYDER REPRESENTS EARLHAM IN CONTEST

Donald Snyder, representing Earlham College and the state of Indiana, will try for interstate honors in the annual oratorical contest held at Athens, Ohio, Friday evening. He speaks on military training in the schools. Seven colleges are represented. The winner of this contest will go to the big contest at Fairfield, Iowa, where on May 5, the champion of the middle west will be settled. Friday night the following colleges will contest: Earlham, Hock College, Michigan; Beloit, Michigan; Knox, Illinois; William Jewell College, Missouri; and Ohio University.

HUNT FOR SECRETARY TO SUCCEED HAAS

L. S. Bowman, president of the Commercial club, today appointed a committee to canvass the field for a successor to E. J. Haas, as executive secretary of the club. Mr. Haas resigned at the annual meeting of the board of directors several weeks ago. His future plans have not been announced.

The following men will constitute the committee: William Romey, Howard Dill, J. H. Mills, Elmer Eggemeyer, Fred Bartel.

ST. JOHN'S HOLDS MEETING.

St. John's Benevolent Society held its monthly meeting last night. An addition to the constitution was proposed but action was postponed until the next meeting.

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You may suffer a great deal with pain in the back, headache, loss of ambition, nervousness and may be dependent and irritable.

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SENT TO COMMITTEE

Advisability of federal appropriation for vocational training extension work, will be taken up by the chamber of commerce committee of the Commercial club, S. E. Swayne, chairman, according to the action of the board of directors last evening. A referendum vote has been asked by the national chamber of commerce on the Page bill now pending in congress. Richmond is particularly interested in this

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M. E. PASTORS RETURNED FOR ANOTHER YEAR

Methodists were pleased to learn today that all ministers, including Rev. U. S. A. Bridge, Rev. H. C. Harman and Rev. Joseph Chamness had been returned for another year's work here when assignment of pastors was made by the North Indiana Conference at Fort Wayne yesterday.

Rev. Somerville Light was assigned again a district superintendent. Other pupils in the Richmond district filled by the conference were:

Somerville Light, district superintendent; Cambridge City, R. C. Jones; Centerville, L. P. Pfeiffer; Charlestown, E. H. Taylor; Dunkirk, Benjamin Kendall; Economy, C. G. Yeomans; Farmland, J. S. Phillips; Fountain City, Leroy Huddleston; Greenfield, O. A. Trabue; Hagerstown, A. C. Wissner; Kennard, C. A. Mitchell; Knightstown; J. H. Runkle; Lewisville, M. E. Barrett; Losantville, W. O. Power; Lynn, E. C. Hullman; Markleville, O. P. Van; Maxwell, F. A. Shipley; McCordville, C. W. Anderson; Millgrove, A. J. Duryee; Modoc, J. H. Richardson; New Castle, S. L. Cates; Parker City, C. B. Sweeney; Philadelphia, H. C. Campion; Portland, A. S. Preston; Portland circuit, E. M. Dunbar; Redkey, C. B. Croxall; Richmond, (First), H. C. Harman, (Grace), U. S. A. Bridge, (Third), J. P. Chamness; Ridgerville, R. H. Wehrly; Salamone, Weber Roohrig; Saratoga, I. W. Zerber; Shirley, Clyde S. Howard; Spiceland, E. A. Bunner; Union City, L. J. Natzger; Williamsburg, Louis Ulmer; Willow Branch, Raymond H. Stone; Winchester, H. S. Nickerson; Winchester circuit, B. H. Franklin.

Rev. W. B. Freeland, former superintendent of the Richmond district, will again be pastor of the Grace church at Kokomo. Rev. Arthur Cates for several years pastor of the Grace Methodist church here, was returned to Tipton. Rev. R. J. Wade, formerly pastor of the First church, will again serve as superintendent of the Goschen district. B. E. Parker, at one time pastor of the First church, was returned to the First church at Marion. A. L. Lampert was transferred to New Paris, Indiana. Earl Naftzer goes to Wabash.

JOINS PALL STAFF

Succeeding Louis Francis Ross, who is now employed as reporter on the Toronto World, Basil Walters, of Frankfort, has accepted a position on the Palladium reporter staff. Until a short time ago Mr. Walters was a student in the State university.

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Switches also connected with the C. & O. railroad will be changed. The switch from this railroad enters the property directly north of the administration building.

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