

7-11-40 #2
Dolph Simons.

I called Bubb this morning and told him not to release my name as Secretary of the organization until we had a meeting of everyone who has been selected to serve on the executive committee. I felt that the other names should not be released either. I also told him that the National Organization should be consulted so as to be sure we were not starting an organization of rump in this county which might tend to embarrass the whole Willkie movement. Everyone seemed to be of the same mind and these boys all feel that the nomination of Willkie and the organization of these Willkie Clubs is going to help Ratner be elected. They all promised me faithfully that they were going to stay with and work for the State ticket because they feel that if Willkie should be elected there should be no greater help to him than to have a bunch of Republican Governors. Bubb

I feel that with this setup I can probably do more good for the present State administration by staying with it and seeing that no deliberate harm is done than I could by kicking out of it. I would be pleased to have your reaction on this matter and also if you have a chance to consult your mutual friend you wrote to last night to get his reaction upon it. Someone told me this morning that Charlie Harger had printed quite an article in his paper in which he gave certain delegates credit for the Kansas switch rather than parties who have been claiming credit for this action.

I arrived home about three o'clock and we will be pleased to have you if you can come out tomorrow evening. Take care of yourself in this hot weather.

With Love I remain,

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