

Deadlock Hope

Aides Seek More Wallace Votes

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Gov. George Wallace's campaign managers are mapping new contests in behalf of their wounded candidate, hoping to deadlock the Democratic National Convention.

Their optimism followed resounding victories for Wallace in the Michigan and Maryland primaries yesterday.

Wallace, who was shot by a gunman Monday on the campaign trail in Maryland, has given the go ahead to continue with his campaign, despite uncertainty whether paralysis of his legs is temporary.

Aiming for Oregon

Charles Snider, national director of the Wallace campaign, said efforts will be made in the primaries in Rhode Island and Oregon next Tuesday, and in New Mexico June 6, the only re-

maining contests in which Wallace is listed on the ballots. Wallace's outlook was far weaker in these three states than in Maryland or Michigan.

Snider said there would be Wallace campaign thrusts, too, in some states where national convention delegates are chosen by party convention instead of by primary.

He said he didn't know whether the Wallace forces would attempt a write-in campaign in the big California primary on June 6.

Strategy Uncertain

Nor, Snider said, had Wallace managers decided how to campaign without their candidate.

Snider said that if the Democratic convention is deadlocked through the first and second ballots at Miami Beach, "We feel we have as much as chance as anyone."

But in Detroit, Sen. George McGovern's campaign director, Gary Hart, said the South Dakota sena-

tor had achieved his Michigan objective by defeating Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey. Hart said McGovern and Humphrey are "The two central contenders, and once again, we have emerged in front of the other contender."

"We intend to take the nomination on the first ballot," Hart said.

California Seen as Key

California is likely to hold the key to whether that is possible, with 271 delegate votes to be awarded, winner take all.

Humphrey took note of that in offering his congratulations to Wallace on yesterday's victories, then adding: "But from here on out, the big campaigns will be in the state of California."

The Minnesota senator made campaign appearances in New Jersey and Rhode Island today before heading west for the showdown. McGovern will fly to Portland, Ore., tomorrow, to campaign for the Oregon primary, but his schedule emphasized California, too.

Senators Seek Gun Control Bill

WASHINGTON — (UPI) — Outrage at the latest attempted assassination of a major American political figure, Senate proponents of stiffer federal gun control want quick passage of long-stalled legislation to ban small hand guns.

Sen. Birch Bayh (D-Ind.), chairman of a senate judiciary subcommittee that is considering the bills, scheduled a private session today to act on his measure which would outlaw the cheap, short-barreled "Saturday night specials."

He said the gun used to shoot Alabama Gov. George Wallace Monday "would have been banned under the terms of the bill."

A subcommittee aide said this would have been so because Bayh's bill would have banned hand guns with barrels shorter than three inches, except for law enforcement, military and

sporting uses specified by the Treasury Department.

"These are weapons used in half of the nation's murders," Bayh said. These weapons must be kept out of the hands of insane, criminal and irresponsible elements of our society."

But the Senate's most outspoken critic of gun control legislation, Sen. Roman R. Hruska (R-Neb), stood firm.

"In the aftermath of such an event it is predictable, although most regrettable, that certain factions would attempt to profit politically from the shooting of Governor Wallace and the others who were also injured," he said.

Sen. Adlai E. Stevenson III (D-Ill) renewed his call for passage of a bill he introduced three weeks ago to both ban the small handguns and institute complete gun registration.