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Republican Convention Accepted Invitation Extended by the Progressive Convention

REPUBLICAN APPOINTEES ARE ANTI-ROOSEVELT

Republican Nomination Made an Uncertainty Until the Conferees Report—A Half Minute Demonstration Followed When Roosevelt's Name Was Mentioned—Senator Lodge Cast Suffragists From Jubilation to Gloom When He Said He Favored the Extension of Suffrage to Women and Then Qualified It by Declaring He Recognized the Right of Each State to Settle the Question for Itself—Nominating Speeches Will Start This Morning—Platform Calls for Enforcement of American Principles at Home and Abroad.

Chicago, June 8.—The republican convention today accepted the invitation of the progressive convention for a conference for harmony. A proposal to that end, adopted first in the progressive convention, was received in the republican convention and adopted with a few cheering "noes" and virtually no demonstration.

Republican Conference Committee. Senator Reed Smoot of Utah, Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, former Senator W. Murray Crane of Massachusetts, Nicholas Murray Butler of the New York delegation and former Representative A. R. Johnson of Ohio were appointed as the republican conference committee. They at once began arrangements for meeting the progressives.

Anti-Roosevelt Men. The completion of the committee was generally regarded as one that would not accept Colonel Roosevelt for the republican nomination, but on the other hand would not insist on a demonstration for Senator Hughes. The whole effect of the development was to throw the republican nomination into uncertainty until the conference report.

Developments of the Day. The other principal developments in the republican convention were the adoption of the platform as reported by the resolutions committee headed by Senator Lodge; a half minute demonstration for Senator Hughes when his name was mentioned for the first time in the convention; the perfection of the permanent organization and adjournment until 11 a. m. tomorrow.

Demonstration for Roosevelt. Senator Lodge mentioned Colonel Roosevelt's name in reading the Philippine plank, which declares the policy inaugurated by McKinley and continued by Roosevelt. The demonstration that followed was principally in the galleries, although it was joined by some delegates on the floor. Senator Lodge, well identified as a personal friend of the colonel, smiled and waited, and it subsided in less than a minute by the watch.

Woman Suffrage Plank. "The republican party, reaffirming its faith in government of the people, by the people and for the people, as a necessary for which declares with the adult people of this country, favors the extension of suffrage to women" read the senator, and there he paused, while the suffragists began their demonstration.

Minority Reports. The temper of the convention managers to hear the minorities might well be illustrated by their conduct especially Edward J. Gross of Milwaukee, who as a member of the resolutions committee presented his own minority report, containing practically all the much-discussed proposals characterized as ultra-radical, ranging governmental manufacture of munitions to the initiative, referendum and the recall.

Monroe Doctrine. "We reaffirm our approval of the Monroe doctrine, and declare its maintenance to be a policy of this country and that all seconding speeches made after the nominating addresses have been concluded, and then only by arrangement with the chair. About the only thing that can interfere with this programme, he said, would be a report from the peace conference committee. According to present plans there will be no time limit placed on nominating speeches. Seconding speeches will be limited to five minutes each.

Platform Submitted by Resolutions Committee. Comprehensive Declaration of What the Republican Party Stands For—Strong for American Principles at Home and Abroad.

Cabled Paragraphs Suffrage Plank in Rep. Platform Progressives Are Firm for Roosevelt

Hampshire Sank in Deep Water. Aberdeen, Scotland, June 9.—The cruiser Hampshire sank in deep water two miles from Inverness, Wick Head and the Brough of Birsay, on the west coast of the Orkney Islands.

Condolence for Loss of Kitchener. Paris, June 8, 8.36 p. m.—The senate and the chamber of deputies today unanimously voted condolences with the British government and the parliament and people of Great Britain on the loss of Field Marshal Earl Kitchener.

Count and Countess Plunkett Released. Have Been Ordered to Leave London by Next Saturday.

London, June 8.—Count and Countess Plunkett, who were arrested early last month, shortly after the suppression of the Irish rebellion, were released from custody last Wednesday and ordered to leave Dublin by next Saturday, according to a Central News despatch from Dublin today.

Chicago, June 8.—Woman suffrage plank in a curious course today in the republican convention. First denied a place in the platform, then accepted as a party plank without reservation, it finally found its resting place in the republican resolutions as a favored proposition in principle, but with a caveat that each state should settle the woman suffrage question for itself.

Russian Successes Against Austrians. Far More Important Than Appeals From Announcements.

London, June 8, 2.30 a. m.—Special despatches from Petrograd express the belief that the Russian successes against the Austrians are far more important than appeals from the official announcements.

26 to 21 Vote for Suffrage. The adverse decision that five of the sub-committee of the republican resolutions committee had voted against recognition of woman suffrage in the platform and four had favored it, came early in the evening. There was a hurried meeting of the friends of suffrage and three hours later the resolutions committee received the read and made the unfinished business.

Justice Hughes Works on Court Opinions. Talked for Half an Hour With George W. Wickersham.

Washington, June 8.—Justice Hughes remained in his study nearly all today continuing work on court opinions to be handed down Monday, but talked for a half hour late in the afternoon with George W. Wickersham of New York, former attorney general, who was consulting with him on a matter more for a social call and "carefully avoiding mentioning politics."

6,000 Canadians Have Fallen Within a Week. In the Desperate Fighting Around the Sanctuary Woods.

Ottawa, June 8.—More than 6,000 Canadians have fallen within a week in the desperate fighting in and around the Sanctuary woods, according to a statement made by Major General Sir Sam Hughes, minister of militia, in presenting colors to a Canadian regiment on Parliament Hill today.

PROSECUTION FOLLOWS BURNING OF FLAGS. Magistrate McCaDoe Convinced That Ames is Mentally Unbalanced.

New York, June 8.—Ten persons who are arrested in connection with the burning of the American and other national flags at the Church of the Social Revolution last week were arraigned before Magistrate McCaDoe today. The ten defendants submitted to Magistrate McCaDoe a statement signed by them in which they declared that in burning the various national emblems no desecration was intended.

FEARS FEDERAL COURTS WILL DESTROY THE REPUBLIC. Representative Murray Deplores Movement to Nominate Senator Hughes.

Washington, June 8.—Representative Murray of Oklahoma, democrat, made a speech in the house today deploring the movement to nominate Justice Hughes for the presidency and quoting Tinscott Fry's prediction that some day Federal courts would destroy the republic. It drew no reply from the republicans, Representative Mann merely remarking that the democrats seemed to be very much afraid of Hughes, and calling for the regular order.

WHEAT CROP FALLS OFF ABOUT 300,000,000 BUSHELS. Due Largely to Ravages of Insects in Kansas and Oklahoma.

Washington, June 8.—Present indications point to a crop of 100,000,000 bushels smaller this year than that of last year. Department of agriculture today indicated a winter wheat crop of 468,000,000 bushels, a million bushels less than forecast in January. Conditions, due largely to the ravages of insects in Kansas and Oklahoma, and a spring wheat crop of 246,000,000 bushels, due to a decrease of 8 per cent. in the acreage from last year and to the

Condensed Telegrams

Li Yuan-Hung took the oath of office as President of China.

The British army has gone into mourning for Earl Kitchener.

Brig. Gen. Bernard G. Farrar, U. S. A. died at his home in St. Louis.

Japan's exports to Russia since Jan. have reached a total of \$18,000,000.

Michigan's state crop report places the condition of winter wheat at \$1.

Yaqui Indians are reported to be actively raiding in Southern Sonora.

Joe Vizzini of Torrington was found guilty of assault with intent to kill.

Directors of the Savage Arms Co. declared a dividend of 1 1/2 per cent.

Cavalry is the most popular branch of training with the recruits at Plattsburg.

Germany's new war credit of 15,000,000 marks was adopted by the Reichstag.

Premier Asquith has temporarily taken personal charge of the British War Office.

The French torpedo boat destroyer Fantasque was sunk in collision with another ship.

A report from The Hague says that Holland is suffering from a wheat and flour famine.

Cleveland's new \$3,000,000 art museum was thrown open to the public for the first time.

The Rev. Denis J. Dougherty, D. D., was installed fifth bishop of Buffalo, N. Y. diocese.

A charter was granted at Dover, Del., to the Cuban Northern Railway Co., capital \$1,000,000.

Fifty tank cars were purchased from the American Car & Foundry Co. by the Gasoline Corporation.

The Shackleton relief expedition will start from Montevideo toward Elephant Island in less than a week.

Degrees and diplomas were conferred on 2,207 at the close of the 1922 year of Columbia University.

Four men were injured in an explosion in one of the buildings of the Edison plant at Silver Lake, N. J.

Taxes on war profits effective until one year after the war has ended has been voted by the French Senate.

Capital stock of the R. L. Doolings Co. of Columbus, Ohio has been increased from \$60,000 to \$3,000,000.

Mrs. Claude Grahame-White, of New York, was granted a divorce in London from her husband, the aviator.

Bulgaria will meet the further cost of the war by raising at home, instead of in Germany, as heretofore.

Ranney G. Foster, a former postmaster, and also pharmacist at Winsted for twenty-two years, died yesterday.

Tuesday set a record for the number of marriage licenses issued in Chicago, 382 couples being authorized to wed on that day.

"Human Roses," a pageant in which 10,000 school children will participate during the tenth annual rose festival of Portland, Ore.

Nearly all the zinc mines in the Joplin, Mo., district are now operating, the strike fomented by the I. W. W. having died out.

RUSSIAN PRESSING TEUTONS WESTWARD

In Numerous Places the Muscovites Have Crossed the Ikwa and Styr Rivers

ATTACK DUAL MONARCHY SOLDIERS IN GALICIA

They Have Captured Heavily Fortified Positions Along the Lower Reaches of the Stripa River—Russians Have Added Materially to Their Prisoners and Their Stores of Captured Guns, Machine Guns and War Materials—Germans Are Showing Activity Against the Russians on the Northern Sections of the Russian Front—French Barrier Fire Effectually Stopped Attempts of Teutons to Advance Their Line East and West of the Thiaumont Farm, Northwest of Verdun—Italians Have Stopped Advance of Austrians.

Having captured Lutsk, one of the triangle of Russian forts in Volhynia, from the Austrians, the Russians are pressing their adversaries westward. In numerous places the banks of the Ikwa and Styr rivers, but have crossed the streams and continued their offensive against their foes.

In the region of Kovel, midway between Lutsk and Brest-Litovsk and in the vicinity of Rovno, southeast of the fortress, the Russians have begun attacks against the Austro-Hungarians.

Likewise in Galicia there has been no letup in the Russian attacks against the soldiers of the dual monarchy, from whom they have captured along the lower reaches of the Stripa river heavily fortified positions. In the fighting the Russians have materially added to their prisoners and their stores of captured guns, machine guns and war materials.

Considerable activity has been shown by the Germans against the Russians on the northern sections of the Russian front, where the German guns have heavily bombarded the line along the Dvina to the lake region south of Divno, where the German infantry attacks against the Russian positions south of Smorgon. In this latter region the Germans report the capture of the village of Kunawa, but Petrograd asserts that all their attacks were repulsed.

With the capture of Fort Vaux, northeast of Verdun, the Germans have attempted to advance their line against the French. East and west of the Thiaumont farm, south of Douaumont, the French barrier fire, however, held them back. Northwest of Verdun, around Hill 304 and in the region of Chantreaux, the artillery duel continues to keep the Austrians against Italian positions.

Intermittent artillery duels have given way to vicious infantry attacks and counter-attacks by the Austrians against Italian positions. Sniping operations between the Vimy ridge and Labussée canal and west of the French barrier, however, in the advantage of the British, according to London.

The Italians south and southeast of Trent continue to keep the Austrians from further advances. South and southeast of Asiago attacks by the Austrians against Italian positions were entirely repulsed, according to Rome, while along the Lagarina valley concentrations of Austrians were dispersed by the Italian batteries.

Northwest of Trent in the Orter region the Italians have attacked and captured several points on the front from the Austrians and farther south in the Chies valley, have repulsed Austrian offenses.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEES DISCUSS PEACE PLANS. No Name Except That of Colonel Roosevelt Mentioned.

Chicago, June 8.—The conference committee on the republican and progressive conventions began discussion of peace plans at 10.40 tonight, and Senator Borah, one of the republican conferees, predicted a session would last at least three hours.

This was the situation as epitomized by one of the conferees after the conference had been in session a little more than an hour: "The utmost harmony had reigned in the room. There was no name except that of Colonel Roosevelt had been mentioned. Progressives, while showing a decided preference for Colonel Roosevelt as a nominee, did not say they would not support any other man."

Encouraged by the happy opening of the conference, it was said there was a possibility of the republican and progressive conferees remaining in session most of the night, or until they had reached some tentative agreement or complete disagreement.

ROOSEVELT CONTINUES TO HOLD OFF. Sees Nothing That Requires His Presence in Chicago.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., June 8.—Colonel Roosevelt declared tonight that he had nothing whatever to add to the sentiments expressed by him earlier in the day in his message to Former Secretary William B. Jackson of Maryland, in response to the suggestion that he appear before the national republican convention. He still maintains the position that nothing has developed in the situation at Chicago which requires his presence there and there were no indications late tonight that he was making preparations for the trip.

The correspondents were received by Colonel Roosevelt as usual tonight at Sagamore Hill. He entertained them for some time with the story of how he shot his first bear and later invited them to visit the fatality where he displayed some of his cherished trophies of the hunt.

ELECTRIC CURRENT OF 110 VOLTS PROVES FATAL. N. W. Venting of Westport, the Victim Had a Weakened Heart.

Westport, Conn., June 8.—N. W. Venting, 38 years old, was instantly killed today by coming into contact with an electric light switch in a laundry. The current was of only 110 volts, but Medical Examiner Frederick Powers, in giving an opinion of acute coronary thrombosis, said the fatality was mainly due to the weakened condition of Venting's heart. Venting leaves a widow and two small children in this town. How he came in contact with the wire is not known.

Greece Places Embargo on Coal. London, June 8, 12.32 a. m.—All exports of coal to Greece have been prohibited.