

SMASH GOES ANOTHER DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM PLANK

Big Business Receives the Latest Surrender of the Ruling Party

"ME, TOO"



HOPE BURNS AFRESH IN WOODROW'S BREAST

HIS TALKS WITH BIG BUSINESS LEAVE THE PRESIDENT FEELING FRISKY.

Washington, July 9.—President Wilson believes that men are coming around to the administration's view of anti-trust legislation and are willing and ready that the program laid out be put through during the present session of congress.

As a result of his recent conferences the president told callers he knows more about the attitude of business men than he did before, and believes that their attitude is not hostile to anti-trust legislation.

TRACK IS SOAPED PROGRAM CHECKED

Washington, July 9.—Consideration of the trade commission bill, initial measure of the administration anti-trust program, was abruptly halted today and the senate adjourned until Monday to allow the perfection of the remainder of the trust legislation in committee.

Meanwhile the judiciary committee will endeavor to complete its perfecting of the Clayton bill, amending the anti-trust law, and the interstate commerce committee will prepare its report on the Rayburn bill authorizing the interstate commerce commission to regulate issues of railroad securities.

WILSON MUST FIGHT TO SAVE THESE MEN

Senate Committee Turns Down Jones and Will Not Consider Warburg for the Bank Board.

Washington, July 9.—The administration met defeat today in the first stage of its fight to have the senate confirm the nominations of Thomas D. Jones of Chicago and Paul M. Warburg of New York as members of the federal reserve board.

No further action will be taken by the committee on the Warburg appointment unless the New York banker changes his mind and decides to accept the committee's invitation to submit to its questioning.

The committee's action on these two nominations was taken in the face of a determined effort on the part of the president to obtain approval of them.

In his conference with the newspaper men today the president made it clear that he would continue the fight.

It was pointed out tonight that in insisting on confirmation of Warburg the president was running into the question of senate prerogatives and might find many votes against him which otherwise would be on his side.

consideration of the trade commission bill came at the end of a day of parliamentary and legislative gymnastics to the senate. Once the anti-trust democratic side was forced to vote down a proposal to continue consideration of the trade commission bill.

The senate has grumbled for years about the invasion of its prerogatives by presidents, and in this case many senators feel they have found an issue on which they can stand together.

Objection to Mr. Jones was based on the fact that he is a director of the International Harvester company, now being sued by the government as a combination in restraint of trade and illegal under the Sherman anti-trust act.

There was little criticism of Mr. Jones other than that he was a director of the harvester company, but several members were said to have declared they could not conscientiously approve a man connected with a concern now being prosecuted.

Objection to Mr. Warburg so far is based on an entirely different reason. The committee has asked him to appear and submit to questions about his business connections. He has refused and the question as now viewed by the senate is whether it should confirm any man who will not accept such an invitation.

MONTANA BENEFITED BY TWO AMENDMENTS

Washington, July 9.—(Special.)—Representative Evans today secured house action, rejecting the senate amendment to the Indian appropriation bill, requiring assurances from the attorney general that in the expenditure of the appropriation of \$259,000 for the Flathead Indian irrigation project, the rights of Indians would be fully protected.

Senator Walsh has secured the adoption by the senate of an amendment to the sundry civil appropriation bill, increasing the appropriation for roads in Glacier National park from \$75,000 to \$100,000.

Wabasha, Minn., July 9.—His mind affected, it is supposed, by the excessive heat, Keith Woodman, a young landscape gardener employed about the city, jumped into the river here last night in view of a crowd of people starting on a moonlight excursion. He was rescued.

Lexington, Ky., July 9.—A special from Jenkins, Ky., says that James Turner, who killed his sweetheart, Anna May Warner, shot and killed William Carter, a member of a posse sent out to arrest Turner. After a battle with the posse Turner was captured.

COURT HEARS THE BIG CASE

CONSTITUTIONALITY OF REFERENDUM IS ARGUED BEFORE HIGH TRIBUNAL.

A DECISION IN A WEEK

No New Contentions Are Advanced by the Men Who Attack the Law's Regularity and the Defenders Combat Argument With Argument and Precedent.

Helena, July 9.—(Special.)—The supreme court now has the matter of the constitutionality of the initiative and referendum amendments under advisement. It was argued four hours today, two hours by O. W. McConnell and Henry C. Smith, representing the boxing clubs and the Gallatin Valley anti-consolidators, respectively, and by C. B. Nolan and W. D. Rankin of Helena, Alex. Mackel of Butte, and E. K. Chandle of Lewistown, for the Peoples Power league.

They further argued that the initiative was one thing and the referendum another thing, and that their submission on one question was also in violation of the constitutional provision, that not more than one matter can be incorporated in one question.

While not admitting that publication of the amendment had been in error, it was argued in support of the amendment that, even assuming its publication had been faulty, no substantial damage had been done and no elector had been deprived of any privilege through the failure.

It was contended that the initiative and referendum are parts of the same thing, and the fact that 22 states have adopted provisions similar to that adopted in Montana, is conclusive proof of their recognition in the mind of the public as one question.

ONE A MONTH.

St. Clairsville, Ohio, July 9.—Twins were born to Mrs. Louis Boston on different days and in different months. A report of the register of vital statistics shows that a little girl was born to Mrs. Boston shortly before midnight, Tuesday, June 29. A few minutes after the stroke of 12, on the morning of July 1, a sister arrived.

BOYCOTTS ALL OFF IN MISSOULA TOWN

Missoula's labor difficulties are in line for a speedy adjustment—may be entirely settled today, in fact—as the result of the action taken last evening by the Missoula County Central Trades and Labor council. It has been known for several days that every effort was being put forth to terminate the unsettled conditions due to differences between labor organizations and several of Missoula's business firms, and that some definite action would result from last night's meeting of the trades council.

It was the regular meeting of the trades council last night and considerable business, including the election

Constitutionalists Defeat Twelve Thousand Federals and Capture Many Supplies

Saltillo, Mexico, July 9.—General Carranza was advised officially late today of the fall at noon Wednesday of Guadalajara before the constitutionalist forces. The news was received with elation at constitutionalist headquarters, where it was regarded as preliminary to the occupation of Mexico City itself.

General Obregon, constitutionalist commander, in his dispatch to General Carranza reported that the federals had been completely routed and that he was in control of the entire city, including the federal palace.

Five thousand federals had been taken prisoners, according to Obregon's report, and the retreat toward Mexico City of those who had escaped had been cut off by troops of the command of General Blanco, detoured from Ameca to destroy the federal lines of communication. Much ammunition, arms and supplies were captured.

The federals were reported scattered in all directions and great punishment inflicted on them in retreat, but no figures of losses on either side were available.

The line of combat, it is said, extended 55 miles with General Blanco in pursuit of Obregon's advance guard. General Obregon personally led the main attack.

Great Victory.

Douglas, Ariz., July 9.—Telegraphing from the governor's palace in the city of Guadalajara, General Alvaro Obregon today informed P. S. Elias, border representative of the constitutionalists, that he had captured the city Wednesday morning and utterly routed 12,000 federals commanded by General Miel, federal governor of the state of Jalisco.

In a fierce battle extending over a zone of 80 miles, the federal army was cut to pieces by Obregon's force of less than 10,000 men. Five thousand federals were captured, Obregon said, along with all the artillery and ammunition of the enemy.

Those who escaped are being pursued by constitutionalist cavalry. General Blanco was sent to cut off all communication with Mexico City. He tore up the railroad line and prevented the federals moving any stores out of the city. Very few of the attacking force were killed or wounded, Obregon reported. He informed Elias that he personally led his forces into Guadalajara. The city went wild with enthusiasm over the entrance of the revolutionary forces, and it is estimated here Obregon will secure 15,000 recruits in the city before marching on Irapuato, the railroad junction on the Mexican Central railroad connecting the City of Mexico with northern and western Mexico.

No Conference.

Washington, July 9.—General Villa has voted against informal peace conferences between representatives of the constitutionalists and the Huerta government, as proposed by the South American mediators. His attitude was revealed in a telegram sent to General Carranza, copies of which have reached here. This information, together with the knowledge that general Pablo Gonzalez, chief of the division of the east of the constitutionalist army, is opposed to the conferences, has upset all of the hopes of the constitutionalists here.

The telegram from Villa to Carranza advising the rejection of the invitation extended by the mediators for informal conference was phrased in emphatic terms. They declared there should be no parleying with Huerta except on the battlefield. Carranza and Villa have, temporarily, at least, patched up their differences, it was announced today by persons in communication with General Carranza. The military campaign of the constitutionalists against Mexico City now will be pressed forward as soon as more ammunition is obtained, which is expected to be within a few days.

In support of the claim that Gen-

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WHO IS TO BLAME FOR THIS WRECK



RUINS OF NEW YORK TENEMENT (TAKEN JUST AS UPPER STORIES COLLAPSED) IN WHICH FOUR WERE KILLED BY DYNAMITE BOMB.

New York, July 9.—Who is to blame for the destruction Saturday of the upper stories of the Harlem tenement in which Arthur Caron, Carl Hansen and other free speech leaders had their headquarters? The bomb which killed the two men and two others in the same tenement undoubtedly exploded while in Caron's hand. At first it was generally believed that Caron lost his life while making an informal machine with which to take the lives of others.

Leonard Abbott, and Alexander Berkman, leaders of the free speech movement, defend the memory of Caron.

It is my belief that Caron was making a bomb and that it accidentally exploded, said Inspector Owen Egan of the bureau of combustibles. "Dynamite is very erratic. Sometimes it goes off and sometimes it doesn't. The maker of the bomb might have been taking out an electric wire to add a powder fuse."

of the World must that Caron was not connected with their organization. They say the L. W. W. did not approve of his methods or verbal attacks on John D. Rockefeller, Jr., at Tarrytown.

ROOSEVELT HEARS NEW LINE OF TALK

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 9.—Former President Roosevelt may be forced to accept the progressive nomination for governor, it was said tonight, to prevent William Sulzer, deposed governor, from capturing the nomination. The former governor has developed much strength in the state, it is said.