

SUFFRAGE BELL TO BREAK SILENCE

First Clang From Duplicate of Famous Relic to Be Heard Here September 25

PLAN BIG CELEBRATION

The suffrage liberty bell which will ring for the first time on Saturday in Independence square has figured in many picturesque suffrage demonstrations and was the means of collecting thousands of dollars for the Liberty Loan.

Philadelphia and Pennsylvania suffrage leaders took a prominent part in the ceremonies when it was cast at the foundry of the Menely Bell Co., Troy, N. Y., March 31, 1915.

Its clapper has never been unchained. "We hope its peal will reverberate across all the states on Saturday, thereby announcing that American women have at last secured justice," said Mrs. Charles W. Ruschenberger, of Stratford, Pa., today. Mrs. Ruschenberger is the donor of the bell.

Like the original Liberty Bell, the suffrage bell bears the inscription, "Proclaim Liberty Throughout the Land to All the Inhabitants Thereof." The absence of the crack and the addition of its own motto, "Establish Justice," are the only things by which it can be distinguished from the national relic.

Took Part in State Tour
Months ago a motortruck, the suffrage bell was taken through virtually every county and town in the state in a big as part of a campaign to secure favorable action on the suffrage amendment.

The bell's journey was one continuous demonstration for suffrage. In many towns the bell was welcomed by thousands of waving yellow blossoms. It also was taken to a number of other states to aid in the campaigns for woman's suffrage.

Originally the bell was the idea of Mrs. Ruschenberger to celebrate the suffrage victory in Pennsylvania. As time went on this purpose was expanded.

Justice will be woman's contribution to the nation through the ballot, says a letter sent to Mayor Moore in reply to his proclamation on the suffrage jubilee.

The Philadelphia League of Women Voters and joint committee of organizations accept for themselves and for the women voters of Pennsylvania and as a nation the invitation of Mayor Moore for a national reception to be held at Independence square on Saturday, September 25, at 3 p. m. In honor of this occasion, and to mark the new era into which the nation is entering, we will ring for the first time on the suffrage bell, a bronze replica of the Liberty Bell, cast on March 31, 1915, to proclaim completion of democracy in the United States of America, and to establish justice. Men gave liberty to America and to the world. Women will bring to the nation as their gift justice.

Governor to Be Present
The bureau of city property has been asked by Mrs. Ruschenberger, to provide a suitable platform for the suffrage bell, Independence square. It will be rung by Miss Katherine Wentworth, of Roanoke, Va., a niece of Mrs. Ruschenberger.

Governor Spruell, Mayor Moore, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, Mrs. Maud Wood Park and other notables have

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Colby Is Not Coming for Suffrage Fete

Secretary of State Colby will not attend the suffrage victory jubilee in Independence square Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. George A. Piersol, Philadelphia chairman of the League of Women Voters, received word to this effect from him today. "A conflicting engagement," according to Secretary Colby, will prevent him "joining with you in this momentous occasion."

A reply to an invitation extended to Governor Roberts, of Tennessee, is being awaited by Mrs. Piersol.

FUNERAL OF MR. JORDAN

Oak Lane Rector's Ancestry Traced to Early Britons
The funeral of the Rev. Walter Jordan will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning in St. Martin's Episcopal Church, Oak Lane, where he was rector twenty-nine years. Mr. Jordan died Sunday.

The clergyman traced his ancestry to the early days of England, his family being linked with Swedish and French ancestors also. He was a member of many patriotic societies.

Mr. Jordan is survived by a widow and a daughter, Miss Eleanor Beaumont Jordan. Mrs. Jordan's father was Dr. Cyrus Dawson Glominger, of Lebanon, Pa. Mrs. Glominger was Julia Ann Beaumont, of Wilkes-Barre.

Mrs. Jordan is a niece of Admiral John Beaumont and Colonel Eugene Beaumont, of Wilkes-Barre.

COLBY HALTS MOVE AGAINST SUFFRAGE TO QUIT NAVY YARD

Secretary of State Refuses to Rescind Proclamation of Ratification

WANTS APPEAL DISMISSED DID MUCH IN TWO YEARS

By the Associated Press
Washington, Sept. 21.—Secretary Colby has refused to grant the request of anti-suffragists from Tennessee that he rescind his action in proclaiming ratification of the federal suffrage amendment on the basis of favorable action on the amendment by the Tennessee Legislature.

After the secretary announced his decision to the delegation at a conference yesterday, he was requested at least to publish all of the documents regarding action by the Tennessee Legislature as received by him from the governor and other state officials. These documents, it was said, showed that the Legislature first ratified the amendment and that the lower house then rescinded its action.

Secretary Colby said today that the delegation had brought up the question of political exigency in connection with their request that Tennessee be stricken from the list of states which have ratified the amendment. They suggested that the secretary issue a new proclamation on the basis of ratification by Connecticut, but the secretary told them that was not possible.

Through Federal District Attorney Laskey, Secretary Colby today filed in the District Court of Appeals a motion to dismiss the appeal taken by Charles S. Fairchild for the American Constitutional League from the decision of District Justice Bailey refusing an injunction to prevent the proclamation of the suffrage amendment.

Mr. Colby said the object of the proceedings was to prevent that which already had become a fact.

ADMIRAL HUGHES TO QUIT NAVY YARD

Popular Commandant Will Take Charge of Fourth Division of Atlantic Fleet

DID MUCH IN TWO YEARS

Rear Admiral Charles F. Hughes, commandant of the Philadelphia Navy Yard and of the Fourth Naval District, has received notice from Secretary Daniels that he has been relieved of his dual command and has been selected to take charge of the fourth division of the Atlantic naval fleet.

He succeeds Rear Admiral Long, who has been appointed director of naval intelligence, succeeding Rear Admiral Niblack. Admiral Hughes' flag ship will be the Kansas.

Captain Louis McCoy Milton, who is now in command of the superdreadnought Pennsylvania, anchored in New York harbor, is expected to arrive here next Saturday to succeed Admiral Hughes as commandant of the yard. Whether Captain Milton will also become commandant of the Fourth Naval District is not known.

Captain George Day assumes command of the Pennsylvania. The news that Admiral Hughes was to be relieved from his post at the navy yard came as a great surprise to the navy and marine officers stationed at the yard. They, however, point out that in being selected to take charge of the fourth division of the Atlantic fleet Admiral Hughes is receiving a promotion.

Ever since he took charge of the Philadelphia Navy Yard Admiral Hughes has received the praise and confidence of civilians and enlisted men alike. He was appointed to take charge of the yard on October 11, 1918, and during that short time he has accomplished much to make the Philadelphia yard and the entire Fourth Naval district one of the most important and reliable in the country. He has been from the first a strong advocate of a deeper channel for the Delaware river and has boosted the idea in official circles at every opportunity.

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