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Taft Denounces Wilson Policies and Hits Bryan

Former President Says Nation Has Utterly Disregarded Washington's Advice.

'HAS FAILED TO PREPARE'

Speaker at G. U. Graduation Says Country Failed to Steer Clear of Entanglements.

William Howard Taft came back to Washington yesterday, went to the mat with the Democratic administration on the Georgetown University campus, and won three quick falls.

The former President came back to the National Capital to deliver a commencement address to the students of Georgetown University based, by request, on preparedness. He did not diverge. Nevertheless, he managed thoroughly to express his opinion of Messrs. Woodrow Wilson, W. J. Bryan, et al. Incidentally, he shattered the hopes of the suffragists as to their prospects if a Republican President is elected next November.

"If I read the Republican platform correctly," he said, "the plank relating to votes for women is a barren idealism."

William Jennings Bryan was likened unto Thomas Jefferson by the former President, but not to the credit of either.

Jefferson a Half-Pacifist.

"Jefferson was a sort of half-pacifist—a thing I can't tolerate," said Mr. Taft. "He wasn't either one thing or the other. His idea of a navy was to build a lot of little flat-bottomed boats and stick some little guns on them. He was going to keep the boats pulled up on the shore. Then in case of war he was going to rely on the public spirit of the citizenry to push them off the bank, paddle them out in the ocean, and give battle to Nelson's fleet. Bryan is Jefferson's logical successor."

Wilson and his foreign policies were for the most part treated with mild ridicule. "I will not express my opinion of the present policy in the Philippines," he said. "I will not because there are ladies present." Then the former President veered to the European situation, and hinted at the President's leaning toward England.

"Wilson Has Disregarded Advice."

"George Washington gave this nation two wonderful messages of advice and warning," he said. "He urged an adequate preparation for war in order to secure peace, and he warned us not to enter into entangling alliances with European countries."

"We have religiously failed to observe the former, and have just as religiously done the latter."

The Mexican situation was described by Taft as an "international nuisance." In case of war with that nation he declared he had been informed, when President, by his chief of staff, that conquest of that country would require at least four years and 250,000 men. Then he said: "After we have subdued it, it may be necessary to take it. What are we going to do with it? It's all wrong!"

Sufficient defense to withstand an attempted invasion by Germany was the final plea of the former President.

Nation Needs to Prepare.

"The other countries of Europe—England, for instance—are not much stronger than we are, normally," he said. "Germany alone would be able to raise an army of invasion numbering 500,000 men in three or four weeks. Consequently, it is to be on a footing better than, or at least equal to Germany, that we must prepare."

"It's all very easy to sit back, throw out our chests, and say we can get ready overnight," he concluded. "But that's ridiculous. It can't be done. Some of the pacifists like to talk about the Spanish-American war—which we wound up gloriously in a few months. But they forget to mention the fact that the good God which seems to be always looking out for us, picked out the one country in the world for us to lick that was less prepared even than we were."

"As the farmers say when they see rain coming during harvest time, 'we've got a lot of hay out.' Our hay consists of valuable territorial possessions. We want to keep those possessions. I've found that the best way to remove temptation is to make it both difficult and dangerous for other parties not to keep their hands to themselves."

Americans Reported Killed in Chihuahua

(By International News Service.)

El Paso, Tex., June 13.—A rumor that several Americans had been killed in an uprising of natives at Chihuahua City gained wide circulation here this afternoon. The rumor was credited to a dispatch coming over the wires of the Mexican Northwestern Railroad, but officials of that company denied that any such message had been received.

TEN KILLED IN BIG FIRE

Thirty-five Others Seriously Injured When Baltimore Grain Elevator Burns.

TWO STEAMERS DESTROYED; BOMB PLOT IS SUGGESTED

(By the Sun News Service.) Baltimore, Md., June 13.—Ten men were killed, thirty-five more or less severely injured by burns and falls, from a great height, about \$2,000,000 in property was destroyed, and the grain industry of Baltimore given a severe blow when No. 3 elevator of the Northern Central Railway, the superstructure of the vast grain driers, and the big ore pier at Canton, were burned this afternoon, and two steamships and several schooners were partially destroyed.

Estimates of the actual loss of life vary. From best posted authorities it seemed assured that ten men died by fire in the grain elevator itself, or died in leaps of from 150 to 180 feet to the pier and water, while many sailors were injured. The side walls of the elevator crushed upon the Dutch steamer Wilhelm Van Driel, sr., smashing the superstructure of the ship.

The cause of the fire can only be conjectured. The officials charge it to spontaneous combustion. Men at work in the neighborhood insist it was a bomb that caused the trouble as the explosion blew out a side of the wall on the fourth floor, and immediately after the flames shot out of the upper story windows.

Most of the hospitals in the central and eastern section of the city have their quota of injured. As far as known thirty-five were more or less injured and some of them are expected to die.

Brawl in Saloon Angers Mexicans

Clash Between U. S. Soldiers and Natives Causes Tense Feeling.

(By the Sun News Service.) El Paso, Texas, June 13.—A fight in a saloon between Casas Grandes and Chihuahua, participated in by American artillerymen and Mexicans, resulted in further prejudicing the natives against the Americans, it is said tonight. Several shots were fired and it is understood the pistols that the American soldiers dropped in their haste to get away are in the possession of Col. Samuel Gonzales, who will protest against the action of the Americans to local army authorities, producing the revolvers as evidence.

News of the affair was brought to the border by an American mining man who has been operating in the state of Sonora. "I understand one Mexican was killed and two shot during the affray," he said. "An artilleryman told me of the fight and said that the pistols dropped by the American soldiers were in the hands of Col. Gonzales."

Greek King Fears Revolt.

Rome, June 13.—The correspondent of the Sun News Service is informed through diplomatic channels that King Constantine, of Greece, has left Athens for Larissa, as a precaution, because he fears that there may be a revolution in Greece. From Larissa he will be able to seek refuge in Monastir.

"We Want Preparedness" War Cry Of 60,000 Citizens Led by Wilson Who Today March Through City

Republican Nominee Hughes Wires Regretfully That He Cannot Get Here in Time to Join Paraders.

At dawn this morning workmen had finished roping off Pennsylvania avenue, the stage upon which 60,000 men, women, and children today will enact the biggest community demonstration in the history of the National Capital—a parade for preparedness.

When the curtain rises at 9:30 o'clock sharp the waiting throngs along the line of march will see Woodrow Wilson, playing the leading role in American politics this week, walking on foot like the humblest American citizen in line.

A final boost was given the parade last night when the sergeant-at-arms of the United States Senate notified the parade committee that the members of Congress who desire to march in the parade will meet in their respective chambers at the Capitol at 9 o'clock and march in a body across the lawn to Peace Monument, where they will fall in line directly behind the President. Among the members of Congress in line will be Republicans as well as Democrats.

In a telegram to Chairman William F. Gude last night, former Justice Charles E. Hughes, Republican candidate for President, stated that he was "heartily in sympathy with" the idea which prompted the parade, but would be unable to return from New York in time to march.

Mr. Hughes emphasized his belief in the need for adequately preparing the nation, and expressed keen regret at being unable to take part in the demonstration. The parade will start from Peace Monument at 9:30 o'clock, proceed up Pennsylvania avenue to Fifteenth street, thence north to New York avenue, thence west

Perfect Parade Day, Says Weather Wizard

Come out, come out, kind gentlemen, and fair ladies, nor need you fear to wear your best bib and tucker.

For the Weather Bureau man chartered a dream aeroplane, and took a trip to Medicine Hat, the place where they make weather, early this morning, and found the employes of the weather factory were all in favor of preparedness.

As a result, they promised faithfully to furnish plenty of sunshine, some nice gentle breezes—and absolutely no rain. In other words, they agreed to put out a "perfect day"—one built to order especially for parading.

In Pennsylvania avenue to Eighteenth street, south to New York avenue, east to Seventeenth street, and thence south to the Monument, where the Flag Day exercises will be held.

Maj. Pullman, superintendent of police, gathered the 400 members of his public order committee in the small ballroom of the Willard last night and swore them in as special officers for the parade. In addition to this committee, the police will be assisted by 100 troopers from Fort Myer and fifty marines from the barracks.

Hustle at Headquarters. Although the entry list formally closed Monday night, there was no let-up in the hustle-bustle at parade headquarters in the Star Building yesterday. The candy merchants of the city, through George J. Mueller, made application for a place in the line. They probably will be placed

Practically Every Resident of Washington Either in Line of March or Lending Moral Support from Sidewalks.

In the merchants' or the detached section.

The first glimpse the thousands along the avenue will get of the parade will be Maj. Pullman on his snow-white mount and a platoon of mounted police, their horses prancing to the airs of the Marine Band behind them. Behind the police will come the honorary grand marshal, Gen. S. M. B. Young; the grand marshal, Melvin C. Hazen, and their aids.

Then will come President Wilson, making history as he walks, accompanied by his secretary, Joseph P. Tumulty; Col. W. W. Harts, U. S. A., his military aid, and a corps of Secret Service men. Then will walk the small band of men who conceived and carried out the whole demonstration in two weeks—the executive parade committee. William F. Gude, chairman, will lead the committee.

The remainder of the first division will be made up of members of Congress and the clerical force of the Senate and House office buildings. It is practically certain that every Senator and Representative—barring the pacifists—who is in Washington today will follow the President in line.

Then will follow column after column of just plain American citizens of all creeds and classes, and all carrying the Stars and Stripes. Never before was a more democratic body of men and women assembled in Washington. Physicians and machinists, lawyers and mechanics, actors and stage hands, architects and artists, all will rub shoulders in line.

A final appeal to all division commanders to have their respective units at the points assigned them on time was

Russ Threaten Galician Capital

Armies on Three Sides Make Fall of Lemberg Probability of Near Future.

(By the Sun News Service.) London, June 13.—Lemberg, capital of Galicia, is threatened from three sides by the Russian armies under Gen. Brusilov, whose smashing advance in Volhynia, Galicia and the Bukovina continued without substantial check during the last twenty-four hours, despite the German aid rushed from the north. Field Marshal von Hindenburg's apparent hauling out for a general offensive on the Riga-Dvinsk front has thus far failed to exert any influence upon the Russian drive in the south.

Czernowitz, capital of the Bukovina, is being masked by the extreme left wing of the Muscovite armies, and its fall is only a matter of hours. Russian cavalry already is on Snalitz, twenty miles northeast of Czernowitz, according to official admission by Vienna. The Austrian war office also reports the presence of Cossacks in Sadgora, only three miles northeast of Czernowitz.

COL. ROOSEVELT CONFERS WITH MOOSE LEADERS

(By the Sun News Service.) New York, June 13.—Col. Roosevelt is in town for a conference with Progressive political leaders. One of his conferees tonight was George W. Perkins, chairman of the executive committee of the Progressive National Committee, who, following his talk with the Colonel, issued a statement urging Progressives all over the country to take no action until the national committee meets on June 25.

It is at this meeting that Col. Roosevelt's conditional refusal of the Bull Moose will be reported on, and Mr. Perkins' statement is taken to mean that the Progressives will keep their party intact for a short time at least.

HYGIENE SCHOOL PLANNED.

Rockefeller Foundation to Establish Innovation at Hopkins.

New York, June 13.—The Rockefeller Foundation has decided to establish in Baltimore as an integral part of Johns Hopkins University, a school of hygiene and public health, which will be devoted to training students in preventive medicine and public health work. It is expected that the school will be opened in October, 1917. The work of organization will be undertaken by Dr. William H. Welch, now professor of pathology, and Dr. William H. Howell, professor of physiology, of Johns Hopkins. Dr. Welch has been selected as director of the new school.

Lincoln Held for Forgery.

London, June 13.—Ignatius T. T. Lincoln, the self-confessed German spy, who recently was extradited from the United States, was again arraigned today in Bow Street Court and remanded until June 19 on a charge of forgery.

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MEXICO SENT NOTE PRELUDE

State Department Calls Attention to Carranza Officer Killed in Raid.

(By the International News Service.) London, June 13.—Once more the German pendulum has swung in the battle of Verdun and assaults in force are being delivered on the French positions east of the Meuse.

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HUGHES AND COLONEL MAY SPEAK TOGETHER

(By the Sun News Service.) Columbus, Ohio, June 13.—Charles E. Hughes, Republican nominee for President, may make his initial public appearance June 21 in an address before the Republican State convention. It is possible that Theodore Roosevelt and Charles W. Fairbanks, Republican nominee for Vice President, may speak from the same platform.

"SUFF" PUNCHES SOLON.

Reaches Over During Church Service and Bangs "Anti."

Watertown, N. Y., June 13.—Assemblyman Henry E. Machold, right-hand man of Speaker Sweet, was the victim of a sound punch from the fist of Mrs. M. J. Pennypacker, of Ellipsisburg, where he lives, Sunday.

Honor Paid Kitchener's Memory.

London, June 13.—Enormous crowds flocked to St. Paul's Church today, where memorial services were held in honor of Lord Kitchener, the secretary of state for war, who lost his life when the British cruiser Hampshire struck a mine in the North Sea. King George, Queen Mary and Queen Alexandra attended the services.

\$1.00 to Harpers Ferry, \$1.25 Martinsburg, \$1.50 Berkeley Springs, \$2.00 Cumberland and Return. Baltimore and Ohio, 8:25 a. m. Sunday, June 13, including principal Stations Metropolitan Branch.—Adv.

Germans Renew Verdun Attacks

Fresh Troops Hurlled Against French Following Terrific Bombardment.

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Bandit Leaders Reported Taken.

El Paso, Texas, June 13.—Gen. Jacinto Trevino has informed Gen. Francisco Gonzales, commander of the garrison at Juarez, that Carranzistas under Gen. Jose Elisondo, yesterday captured the bandit leader Gen. Domonquez and the outlaw officer, Col. Cruze Vasquez, near Temochache.

Turks' Captive Reaches New York.

New York, June 13.—Miss Mary Silliman, the American teacher held a captive in Turkey for a number of months on the charge of espionage, reached New York today on board the Holland-American liner Ryndam.

More Mails Are Seized.

Berlin (by wireless), June 13.—The Dutch steamer Roepat, from Amsterdam to the Dutch East Indies, was compelled to put into Falmouth and leave her mails, says the Overseas News Agency.

German Ship Torpedoed.

Copenhagen, June 13.—A big German merchant ship was torpedoed off Carlskrona on Monday by a Russian submarine, according to information received in shipping circles here today.

PEACE DOVE HOVERS OVER DEMOCRATS ON EVE OF CONVENTION

Bryan, Properly Chastened, Declines to Start Row, and Cut-and-Dried Program Will Be Closely Adhered to.

HUGHES NOT TO BE ATTACKED

Secretary Baker Arrives with Planks O. K'd by President and Prepares to See That Steam-Roller Works Properly.

(By JAMES J. MONTAGUE. (International News Service.) St. Louis, Mo., June 13.—The national Democratic convention which is to name Woodrow Wilson for President and Thomas Riley Marshall for Vice President will meet in its first session at 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Secretary of War Newton D. Baker arrived in St. Louis tonight, bringing with him the convention platform. He also brought the intimate opinions of the President. Baker announced definitely that the President did not want any plank denouncing Hughes for deserting the Supreme Court to enter into the campaign. He also surprised the delegates by announcing that he was for suffrage.

The situation tonight, if it may be called a situation: First—William J. Bryan has arrived and promised not to start anything. He will take the stump for the ticket this fall, and promises he will let Mr. Wilson make his own platform without any suggestion or opposition.

Second—Led by A. Mitchell Palmer, of Pennsylvania, an aggressive fight has been started against the proposed platform attack on Justice Hughes for deserting his post on the Supreme Court bench at the call of high political ambition. Palmer will carry the fight to the floor of the convention if necessary. Senator Stone, its sponsor, gave up his fight for it this afternoon.

Important Features of Democratic Platform

(By the Sun News Service.) St. Louis, Mo., June 13.—The Democratic platform will contain: Praise of Wilson's administration as one of great achievement. Strong defense of President's foreign policy predicated on desire to maintain a strict neutrality and for this country to remain at peace.

Approval of the President's plan for a peace league among the nations. Reaffirmation of tariff for revenue only with recommendation for a tariff commission, and an anti-dumping measure. Indorsement of suffrage, but leaving it to the States. Pledging the party to preparedness and as an earnest of this, pointing to the military and naval bills just passed.

Indorsement of the administration ship purchase bill as a step in building up our mercantile marine. Advocating closer relations and greater co-operation with South American countries and rigid insistence upon the Monroe doctrine.

Approval of the rural credit bill agreed upon in Congress, and pointing to recent achievements of the Department of Agriculture. Strong approval of the President's course in Mexico, pursued with the idea of securing there a representative and democratic government able to maintain order.

Approval of the sending of the American expedition into Mexico. Kentuckians in Wreck.

Owensboro, Ky., June 13.—Kentucky's delegates to the Democratic national convention at St. Louis were badly shaken up early today when a passenger train on the Louisville, Henderson and St. Louis road was derailed near here.

In the party were Governor A. O. Stanley and former Governor McCreery. No one was seriously injured.

Barbers Deplore Whiskers Of Hughes and Fairbanks

(By the Sun News Service.) St. Louis, Mo., June 13.—The hirsute characteristics of the Republican ticket nominated at Chicago may be food merely for happy jests in the newspapers, but the barbers of St. Louis evidently look upon whiskers as the paramount issue which should be viewed with alarm during the coming campaign.

Last night more than 500 barbers of this city met in Central Trades and Labor Union Hall, and applauded a flowery but fervent address by James C. Shanessy, international organizer of the International Journeymen Barbers' Union, in which he pointed with pride to the close shave of Washington and Lincoln and viewed with alarm the tendency of latter-day statesmen toward the cultivation of

facial weeping willow, wistaria and trailing arbutus. F. A. Heller, organizer of the barbers in St. Louis, then arose and proposed the following resolution: "Whereas, the Presidential and Vice Presidential nominees of the Republican party are guilty, and have been guilty for some time, of wearing long, unshorn whiskers. Therefore, be it resolved, that this organization go on record as objecting to these whiskers, claiming that the said whiskers are a detriment to the barbers of St. Louis and of the United States in the example they set. It is, therefore, desired by the barbers of St. Louis and vicinity that said whiskers be removed. Journeymen Barbers' local, No. 106."

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