

Wednesday already has crossed the Bistritza river and entered Stanislaw...

HAIG REPORTS SLOW PROGRESS ON SOMME

British Take Short German Trenches, Repulsing Germans.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—British troops continued their gains northwest of Poitiers...

North of Basentin-le-Petit, British troops captured a trench, inflicting losses on the enemy...

FRENCH TAKE TRENCH EAST OF HILL 304

Break Long Lull on Northwestern Verdun Front.

PARIS, Aug. 11.—French troops broke the long lull on the northwestern front of Verdun...

Several prisoners were taken. North of the Somme, French artillery bombarded German organizations...

RED CROSS PREPARING FOR WARTIME WORK

Membership Increased 800 Per Cent, and Personnel Obtained for Many Bases.

Remarkable progress in preparedness for furnishing volunteer aid to the sick and wounded of the army...

The membership of the society has increased about 800 per cent during the six months ending July 31...

Explaining that up until about six months ago practically nothing had been done toward organized Red Cross preparedness...

Mexican Railways Will Be Returned

Carranza Government Preparing to Give Roads Back to Their Owners.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 11.—The Carranza government having completed the nationalization of Mexican railways...

It is rumored that J. M. Galbraith will take over the management of the national railways...

At the order of General Carranza, the four children of Wilhelm Schiffer, a German subject...

True Cause for Grief.

"Ah! A package of old love letters tied round with a faded pink ribbon. I could shed tears at the sight of them."

THE WEATHER REPORT.

Forecast for District of Columbia—Fair and somewhat warmer this afternoon; tomorrow fair and warm...

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE IN ACTION



CHARLES EVANS HUGHES. Hammering Down a Point in One of the Opening Speeches of His Campaign.

STIELOW FINALLY SAVED FROM CHAIR

Murderer's Confession Frees Man Three Times Snatched From Death.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—"Third degree" police methods to obtain "confessions" from suspects got another blow today when one man was snatched from the death chair...

EUROPE TAKES MOST AMERICAN EXPORTS

Exports of the United States for the year ended June 30 totaled \$4,333,658,995, against \$3,769,599,346 in the preceding twelve months...

District Committee Fails to Meet Today

The Senate District Committee, which was expected to consider the nomination of Henry F. Baker for the Excise Board today, failed to meet.

Dynamic and Impure Blood

A Building Full of Dynamite is Dangerous. A Body Full of Impure Blood Extremely Dangerous. You feel a keen sense of anxiety when aware of the nearness of a quantity of dynamite...

DELIVERY SERVICE TO BE ABANDONED

Western Union Decides to Stop Sending Packages.

After September 1 the Western Union Telegraph Company will abandon its package delivery system. This business, which has netted the concern approximately \$1,000,000...

MARINES SET MARK FOR TROPICAL HIKE

Eighth Company, Fourth Regiment, Establishes Record.

What is believed to have been one of the longest tropical hikes ever made by American troops thrown on their own resources in a hostile country...

UNORGANIZED R. R. MEN WANT VOICE

President to Be Asked to Consider Those Not in Brotherhoods.

Robert T. Frazier, Jr., an employee of the Nashville, Chattanooga, and St. Louis railroad, called at the White House this afternoon to arrange for an appointment with the President...

CONFEREES REPORT ON NAVAL MEASURE

Additional Land for Washington Navy Yard Is Included in the Bill.

An agreement on an appropriation of \$331,000 for the acquisition of additional land for the Washington navy yard is carried in the conference report of the naval appropriation bill made to both houses of Congress today.

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HUGHES GOES INTO TRAINING FOR VOICE

Republican Candidate Faces Busiest Schedule of His Trip Today.

By PERRY ARNOLD. BISMARCK, N. D., Aug. 11.—With his voice pretty well frayed out, Presidential Candidate Hughes today faced what was probably the busiest day scheduled on his whole transcontinental trip.

He was scheduled to make eight "end-of-the-train" speeches in North Dakota and Montana towns before arriving in Billings tonight for one of his "big speeches."

Talks were delivered here, at Mandan, Dickinson, Medora, Beach, Glendive, Forsyth, and Miles City. Because of the strenuousity of his program, the Republican candidate went on training schedule today. His voice, accustomed for the past few years to the conversational tone of the Supreme Court, will have to be coaxed along carefully from now on if he is to finish the speaking schedule ahead of him during the next few weeks.

Dr. T. E. Dittmar, his physician and physical adviser on this tour, is spraying the candidate's strained vocal chords several times each day. Mrs. Hughes led a gentle rebellion today. Heretofore local committees have been anxious to have her sit on the platform beside her campaigning husband, but from now on the governor's helpmate will sit in the audience.

MONTANA CITY PAYS \$1,150 TO SEE HUGHES

Nominee Consents to Change Schedule of His Trip.

BILLINGS, Mont., Aug. 11.—Republicans of Billings and vicinity have raised \$1,150 to pay for a special train to bring Charles T. Hughes from Fargo to Billings tonight.

Mr. Hughes is expected to arrive here at 8 o'clock. Mr. Hughes will leave Billings at 12:30 o'clock Saturday morning for Helena.

Really Careful.

Natalie used the year for the first time planted some penny seeds in small boxes. One evening she rushed to water them, and, on her return, her mother said: "You know after a rain, you don't have to water them."

Very Meek.

"My wife and daughter do many things against my wishes." "If you don't presume to have any wishes so far as my women folks are concerned."—Kansas City Journal.

WOMEN EXPECTED TO DECLARE FOR HUGHES

Declaration by Convention Likely To Be Made Today As Result of His Action.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Aug. 11.—A declaration for Charles Evans Hughes in return for his declaration for Federal woman suffrage is expected to be adopted at the executive session of the woman's party convention here this afternoon.

Nonpartisan pleas by conference leaders who strongly favor indorsement of the Republican candidate, was counted on to overcome a few Socialist and Prohibition delegates who wish the declaration to stop with opposition to President Wilson for his refusal to aid in passage of the Susan B. Anthony Federal suffrage amendment.

Announcement of the woman's party election policy will be made at an open-air meeting tonight, at which the leaders, including Miss Alice Paul, Miss Anne Martin, Miss Gail Laughlin, and Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch will speak.

The Democratic Congress came in for severe criticism in speeches by Mrs. Florence Bayard Hilles, Mrs. William Kent, and Mrs. Sara Bard Field at this morning's session.

More Beer-Drinking.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Beer drinking increased 20 per cent here in July. Beer tax collections show \$200,000 more was spent in July, 1916, than in July, 1915.

Baby, Left Alone, Is Drowner in Washtub

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Mrs. Mary Gimes left her baby playing in the kitchen while she gave her husband a lunch.

The boy climbed on a box and fell into a washtub filled with clothes. He struck his head against a faucet which stunned him, and drowned.

D.C. BILL CONFEREES WILL MEET MONDAY

Senate Committee Is Standing Firm for the Half-and-Half Plan.

Conferees on the District appropriation bill will meet again Monday at 10:30.

Nothing was accomplished in the way of settling together at the first session yesterday.

Senate conferees show no disposition to give way on the half-and-half principle. Unless the House conferees give way it looks much as if there will be a deadlock which might end by continuing present appropriations.

The conferees are not disposed to grant hearings either on the Sterling amendment relating to money and credits or anything else. It was said, today, however, that written communications would be considered, and if the conferees desired more light on any subject they would hear persons who could give information. This makes it possible that a hearing may eventually be allowed on taxation of money and credits, as requested by the committee headed by W. T. Gallinger.

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