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SANTA FE WINS CONVENTION ON TECHNICALITY; MILNE PRESIDENT

Albuquerque Loses After Having Secured Majority of Votes on Face of Returns; Election Is Set Aside.

IRREGULARITIES IN BALLOTING ALLEGED

Confusion as to Place of Voting and Other Objectionable Features Cause Upset in Result as First Announced.

Santa Fe gets the convention of the New Mexico Educational association, at least the executive committee, at its business meeting yesterday afternoon...

THE WEATHER

WEATHER FORECAST. Denver, Nov. 24.—New Mexico: Thursday, generally fair south portion, snow north portion, colder, high south of winds, Friday, generally fair, colder south portion.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT.

For twenty-four hours, ending at 6 p. m. yesterday. Maximum temperature, 52 degrees; minimum temperature, 27 degrees; barometer at 6 p. m. yesterday, 54.2; wind, colder south portion.

Milne Elected Unanimously.

The vote was announced as follows, only 704 ballots out of a total enrollment of 1,315 having been cast. For president, John Milne, of Albuquerque, unanimous.

There were only five Santa Feans in the convention when the result of the election was announced and when the action was taken throwing the convention honors to Santa Fe.

VILLA ASSAULTS HERMOSILLO AND GENERAL BATTLE IS CONSEQUENCE

Rebel Chieftain and Dieguez Engaged in Bloody Fight at Time Wireless Message to Oregon Is Sent.

CALLES REPORTS GAIN OVER BANDIT'S CAVALRY

Three Sections of Reinforcements for Constitutionalist Army Arrive in Douglas on Way to Naco.

Don Douglas, Ariz., Nov. 24.—General Villa assaulted Hermosillo yesterday, a general engagement of the Carranza forces and General Dieguez followed, according to a wireless message received today by General Obregon from General Dieguez, dated yesterday.

BILLARD PAID A SMALL SHARE OF PROFIT MADE ON NEW HAVEN DEAL

Morgan Said Gain of \$2,750,000 Was "Unconscionable" and Coal Dealer Was Allowed Reasonable Amount

ABOUT \$150,000 ONLY ALLOWED BY DIRECTORS

Straw Man in Financial Whirlwind Failed to Collect All Which Might Have Passed Into His Hands.

New York, Nov. 24.—John L. Billard, a coal dealer, never net the \$2,750,000 profit that was coming to him as the result of his deal with the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, whereby he bought 100,000 shares of Boston and Maine stock from the road at \$7 and sold it back a year later at \$10. This was his net profit at the trial of the eleven former directors of the road on the charge of criminal violation of the Sherman law.

NAME OF BOY-ED AGAIN BROUGHT UP IN TRIAL OF STEAMSHIP MEN

Testimony Twice Implicates German Naval Attache in Alleged Conspiracy to Defraud Federal Government.

DEFENDANTS ADMIT THEY CHARTERED 12 VESSELS

All Illegality Denied in Answer Which Confesses Employment of Merchantmen; Indiscreet Telegrams Figure.

New York, Nov. 24.—Twice again today the name of Capt. K. A. Boy-Ed, German naval attache, was brought into the testimony of witnesses at the trial of the "Hamburg" defendants, Joseph Papenhelm and George Kotter, officials of the Hamburg-American line accused of conspiracy to defraud the United States by chartering 12 ships with supplies to German raiders in the Atlantic and Pacific at the beginning of the war.

IMPROVEMENT IS NOTED IN GREEK SITUATION DUE TO ALLIES' NOTE

Premier Said to Have Informed Representatives of Entente Powers His Country Will Not Oppose Plans.

SERBIAN CONDITIONS ARE DECIDEDLY GLOOMY

Austro-German and Bulgarian Troops Enter Kossovo Plain in Three Columns and Force Serbs Back Across River.

London, Nov. 24 (10 p. m.)—There has been a distinct improvement in the diplomatic relations between Greece and the entente powers following the presentation of a collective note by the representatives of the allies. The Greek premier is reported to have stated that while Greece put forward theoretical objections to allied troops entering Greek territory and using it as a vanguard base she would not raise a finger against them.

AMERICANS URGED BY EXECUTIVE TO AID WAR VICTIMS

"An Appeal" Issued From the White House Pleads for Consideration of Those Less Fortunate on Thanksgiving.

Washington, Nov. 24.—A Thanksgiving appeal to Americans in the form of a plea to consider those less fortunate in Europe's vast war area by contributions to the Red Cross was issued tonight by President Wilson.

The chairman of the election board officially pronounced the polls closed on Tuesday evening and posted a notice at the high school in that effect. Many teachers accepted that notice as final and did not vote, although they had expected to vote on Wednesday forenoon when the polls were reopened and kept open until almost 1 o'clock.

Mrs. Asplund to the Rescue. The convention was adjourned. For a time it was at sea and it took the knowledge of parliamentary law by Mrs. R. F. Asplund to unshackle the parliamentary law.

Red Cross Nearing Exhaustion. "The American Red Cross, through whose instrumentality thousands of our people have been enabled to give substantial expression to their pity for those who have fallen under the stroke of war, is nearing the exhaustion of its resources."

Cannot Stop Activities. "That the splendid work of this organization, which, more than any other, represents the sympathy of its aid, should be permitted to cease, is unthinkable. I therefore earnestly call upon the people of the United States once again, by their generosity to ensure the Red Cross against the curtailment or discontinuance of the large activities in which it is engaged."

Schwab Urges More Attention for Marine. The Santa Feans in Albuquerque are not pleased with circumstances under which the convention was obtained, but there seemed to be no way out of the dilemma that it was once established that the election was in any form or manner unfair.

RUSSIAN LEADER THINKS COUNTRY WILL AID ALLIES

Take Jonescue, Former Member of Cabinet, Quoted as Saying His Nation Will Join Entente Powers Soon.

Geneva, Nov. 24 (via Paris, 9:10 p. m.)—The French correspondent of the Geneva Tribune sends a dispatch in which Take Jonescue, a former member of the Rumanian cabinet and leader of the liberal party in the Rumanian parliament, is quoted as saying that the Rumanian government is desirous of following the national policy and soon will intervene in the war on the side of the entente powers.

CARRANZA VICTORY IS REPORTED FROM TAMALIPAS. Brownsville, Tex., Nov. 24.—A victory for the Mexican government troops in the capture of Tamalipas, near the border line between the states of Tamaulipas and San Luis Potosi, was reported in official advices received today at Carranza headquarters in Mexico.

VILLA SOLDIERS GAIN VICTORY AT GUADALUPE. El Paso, Tex., Nov. 24.—Villa troops from Juarez met and defeated a small body of Carranza soldiers at Guadalupe, thirty miles from Juarez, opposite Fabosa, Texas, early today. The report of the fight was the first since the entrance of Carranza forces in this vicinity, although a Carranza report was that Carranza soldiers held Oquiza opposite Marfa, Texas, had been reinforced by 500 troops today.

SALES OF RED CROSS SEALS TO BREAK RECORD. Washington, Nov. 24.—Proceeds of sales of Red Cross Christmas seals which are devoted to the study and prevention of tuberculosis in the United States, promise this year to exceed all records. This year's supply totals 225,000,000 seals—30 per cent greater than last year and should net \$2,250,000.

BRITISH PRISONERS ARE BETTER TREATED. London, Nov. 24 (2:40 p. m.)—Replying to a question on the reported sufferings of British prisoners in Germany, Harold I. Tennant, parliamentary under secretary of war, said in the House of Commons today that conditions in the majority of war camps in Germany and the treatment of those in them had materially improved since the outbreak of the war.

DECLARES CARNEGIE PRACTICES PREACHINGS. Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 24.—Speaking at the celebration here today of Andrew Carnegie's eightieth birthday anniversary, Dr. Henry D. Pritchett, president of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, said:

"The most noteworthy thing about Mr. Carnegie's preaching of the doctrine of conservation of wealth is the fact that his practice has squared with his preaching. The great bulk of his accumulations, nearly \$400,000,000, has been turned back to the cause of human betterment. He is today a man of moderate fortune."

ARKANSAS GOVERNOR PARDONS TWELVE MEN

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 24.—In commemoration of Thanksgiving day Governor George W. Hunt today pardoned twelve convicts from the state penitentiary.

WARRANTS ISSUED FOR POSTOFFICE EMPLOYEES

Fairmont, W. Va., Nov. 24.—United States Commissioner J. W. Nathan today issued warrants for the arrest of one and twenty-five employees of the Fairmont postoffice who recently left their positions and temporarily fled up the mountains as a protest against the dismissal of W. H. Grand, for seven years, in violation of the civil service law.

QUESTIONS TO BE SETTLED BROADLY

Washington, Nov. 24.—All questions affecting the status of diplomatic and consular representatives of belligerent governments in the United States will be determined by the state department on broad grounds of policy with especial reference to the maintenance of friendly relations with foreign governments.

MORE EMBARGOES PUT UPON ENGLISH EXPORTS

London, Nov. 24 (1:41 p. m.)—The exportation of cotton wadding, cotton wool and iron ore of all descriptions is prohibited to all destinations by an order in council published tonight.

REF. MR. HILLIS AGAIN FIGURES IN LITIGATION

New York Pastor Sues His Former Attorney for Accounting, Alleging He Converted Property to Own Use.

New York, Nov. 24.—The Rev. Newell D. Hillis, preacher and lecturer, who is pastor of Plymouth church, today took action in his controversy with Frank L. Ferguson, an attorney, by filing a suit here against Ferguson, who was formerly Hillis' financial adviser to Dr. Hillis. Dr. Hillis, in an accounting the return of property alleged to be held by Mr. Ferguson, the appointment of a receiver for the property held by Ferguson and an injunction against Ferguson preventing him from disposing of the property during the life of the action.

In his bill, Dr. Hillis alleges that on June 11, 1914, at Mr. Ferguson's suggestion, he gave the attorney power of attorney over certain real estate and property in Canada valued at upwards of \$100,000. Dr. Hillis says he also gave Ferguson a signed promissory note in which, which, he filed in the office of the court, he alleged Ferguson turned to his personal use. The bill alleges that Ferguson exchanged the property for stocks and bonds in a corporation which Ferguson organized and in which Ferguson owned a large interest.

The congregation at Plymouth church has pledged its support to its pastor in the controversy with Mr. Ferguson, who is a former president of the board of trustees of the church.

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AMERICAN WOMEN TO BE HONORED BY FRANCE

Paris, Nov. 24 (5:55 p. m.)—Three gold medals of the French office received for acts of great devotion are in their way to America to be presented by Ambassador Jusserand to three American women. Those receiving the medals, on direction of President Poincaré, are Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, for her work in the American ambulance corps, Mrs. Robert Wood, wife of the secretary of the American embassy in Paris, for her organization for the care of orphans, and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, for founding a hospital for the wounded on July 1.

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