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FIFTY-THIRD YEAR

MINISTERS AND BISHOPS TALK OVER LABOR SITUATION IN FRISCO

Issue A Statement Regarding Stand

CHURCHMEN SAY EQUAL JUSTICE MUST BE ADMINISTERED TO ALL; WILL NOT ATTEMPT TO DESTROY UNIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Ministers of several denominations, including Bishops Hanna, Catholic; Nichols, Episcopalian, and Leonard, Methodist and Rabbi Martin Meyer, were luncheon guests of the law and order committee of the Chamber of Commerce to afford an opportunity for the discussion of the industrial situation in San Francisco, the open shop principle and allied questions. The ministers issued a subsequent statement that they would not attempt to destroy the unions but that their object would be to work to see equal justice administered to all.

Lumbermen Prepare To Rebuild Europe

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—Representatives of American lumber interests conferred with government experts today and planned to secure a big share of the business of rebuilding devastated European towns after the war. Agents will go to Europe in November to study conditions. Hundreds of towns, thousands of farm buildings and a large railroad mileage must be reconstructed. Reports indicate that France plans to purchase a large number of knock-down houses to erect immediately after peace is declared.

MEXICAN TROOPS DEFEATED BY VILLA BAND

DE FACTO COMMAND OF 100 MEN IS ROUTED BY 60 BANDITS NEAR SANTA YSABEL.

EL PASO, Aug. 21.—A force of 60 Villa bandits engaged and defeated a larger command of government troops in the vicinity of Santa Ysabel, Chihuahua, last Friday, according to private dispatches here today.

The de facto command approximated 100 men and lost 20, while the out laws, under J. Dominguez, lost but 12.

According to meager reports reaching here today, the government troops, commanded by Colonel Carlos Carranza, a nephew of the first chief, had been pursuing the bandits west along the line of the Mexico Northwestern railway.

The outlaws reached a secluded canyon, and choosing their positions, gave battle, completely routing the Carranza command, which fell back toward Chihuahua City.

Begin Inspection Of Troops Under General Pershing

FIELD HEADQUARTERS, AMERICAN EXPEDITION IN MEXICO, Aug. 21.—The opening step in the general inspection of the troops in the American expeditionary command was taken today when Brigadier-General J. J. Pershing reviewed all the men on station here. It is planned that each organization shall be inspected by its commanding officer.

Thousands of men, infantry, cavalry and artillery, bronzed by sun, hardened by field service and equipped to the smallest detail, filed past the reviewing stands.

It is expected that the inspection which will take in every department of the service represented at headquarters, will require at least a week.

COPPER
NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Electric, \$26.50 and \$27.

GUARDSMEN TO BE RETAINED ON BORDER

SECRETARY BAKER SAYS MILITIAMEN WINNING 'BLOODLESS VICTORIES' EVERY DAY.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—The national guard will be retained on the border until the withdrawal of troops does not endanger American lives and property, Secretary Baker declared today as the administration's policy. He answered letters from many sections of the country complaining that the troops being held in service is unnecessary hardship. He told one complainant that the guard was "winning bloodless victories daily." The secretary said the national guard exists for just such exigencies and that the guardsmen were aware of their duties when enlisting.

VILLA "DIES" AGAIN
EL PASO, Aug. 21.—Numerous reports of Villa's death from Sangerino, Chihuahua, say he died of blood poisoning near Parral, July 9th. The local consulate discredits the report.

Republican Victory In Texas Predicted

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—H. F. McGregor, Texas Republican national committeeman, told headquarters here today that he believed there was a possibility that Hughes would carry Texas. He says the Texans are especially dissatisfied with Wilson's Mexican policy.

FORMER BANDIT LEADER IS EXECUTED

By Associated Press.
CHIHUAHUA CITY, Aug. 21.—Frederico Charvez, formerly a Villa general, was executed recently by a Villa band in Southern Chihuahua, according to a report of Commandant Jiminez, of the garrison here, to General Trevino. Trevino announced today that investigation had disclosed that most of the persons arrested for connection with alleged revolutionary plots were apparently dupes. Probably Salazar and a few other leaders will be the only ones tried.

AMERICA MUST PREPARE FOR COMMERCIAL WAR SAYS HUGHES

National Unity Is Urged By Candidate

REPUBLICAN NOMINEE IS GREETED BY CROWDS AT LOS ANGELES; SAYS UNITED STATES FACES PROSPEROUS PERIOD.

By Associated Press.
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 21.—Charles E. Hughes spoke at the Shrine auditorium tonight. He said in part: "This is not an ordinary campaign. We are to determine whether or not we are to halt prosperity. A new Europe will emerge from the war that must be met by a new America. We cannot meet the exigencies before us unless we have patriotic consciousness, power and unity. I desire to see a dominant sense of national unity rising above the race creed and inspiring a single desire to build up and maintain the honor and prosperity of the United States."

He spoke of conditions of commerce after the war. "Let the United States take count of her resources, strength and capacity for co-operation and self-knowledge. It is not a question of a few years. We must plan long ahead. We should protect human rights, safety and comfort. I regard human rights as paramount. We should protect women and children. We cannot afford to trifle with a future race. I believe we are past the time when community interests should be ignored. I am against the abuse of community interests for the sake of private advantage. I did something in New York along that line and have not changed my mind."

Before speaking in the auditorium the candidate addressed an overflow crowd that filled the street outside for a block. The building was jammed at 7 o'clock. Half of the reception committee were Progressives and half Republicans. The auditorium was decorated with flowers and flags. Hughes left at 10:15 p. m. for Sacramento where he will speak tomorrow night. He expects to deliver a number of platform addresses en route.

NEW STEEL RECORD
NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The common stock of the United States Steel corporation made a new high record price in the stock market today, selling at 95, just at the close of the market. The previous high sale was 94 1/2 in October, 1909. The corporation's earnings this year have been enormous.

Famous Smuggler Taken On Coast

By Associated Press.
SAN DIEGO, Aug. 21.—Edward Hall, husband of the late Ethel Hall, known as the "Queen of the Smugglers," was arrested here today, ending a five-year search. Hall is wanted by Federal authorities on the specific charge of smuggling 32 Chinese into Monterey bay in 1911. The Chinese were captured but Hall and his companions fled.

KING IS GUARDED
ATHENS, Aug. 21.—The royalist party in Greece is taking precautions preparatory to the coming election. King Constantine is constantly guarded, and visits the capital only on rare occasions.

COTTON GOES UP
NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—In the cotton market today, October sold up to \$14.67 of fully \$2 per bale above Saturday's closing.

Japs Attempting To Get Land In The Canal Zone

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—Investigation of reports from Panama that a 60,000-acre land concession at the Atlantic end of the canal is being sought by a Spaniard named Fernandez, presumably for Japanese interests, was ordered today by Secretary Lansing.

Rumors of a similar nature have been common since the canal was well under way, but it was not till several months ago that they reached a well-defined outline.

At that time, it was commonly believed, in diplomatic circles, that private Japanese shipping interests were seeking land through Spanish intermediaries to establish a base for storing coal at lower rates than could be had from the American government monopoly base.

Sprinter Suffers Paralytic Stroke

By Associated Press.
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 21.—Howard Drew, famous sprinter, was confined to his home today by a stroke of paralysis as the result of injuries received in New York last March, aggravated by recent efforts at San Diego. Drew gained prominence as a sprinter when in the high school at Springfield, Mass. He went to Stockholm as a member of the American Olympic team in 1912 and later entered the University of Southern California, where he made numerous records.

REVOLT AMONG DEMOCRATS BREAKS OUT

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—The expected revolt of Democratic senators resulted today over the immigration bill being considered in defiance of a caucus. The measure may displace the revenue bill as unfinished business and indefinitely delay adjournment.

FUNSTON NAMES NEW MILITIA COMMANDERS

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 21.—Major-General Funston today gave out the tentative assignment of commanders of eight of the new divisions of the national guard. They will have to be confirmed by the war department and definite assignments also must await the signing of the commissions by the president. The divisional assignments are:

- Ninth—Brigadier General William L. Sibert.
 - Tenth—Brigadier General Charles G. Morton.
 - Eleventh—Brigadier General Geo. Bell, Jr.
 - Twelfth—Brigadier General H. A. Green.
 - Thirteenth—Brigadier General Jas. Parker.
 - Fourteenth—Brigadier General G. Adams.
 - Fifteenth—Brigadier General Win. A. Mann.
 - Sixteenth—Brigadier General Edw. H. Plummer.
- Headquarters of the commanders have not all been designated but Generals Bell and Morton will be at El Paso; General Green at San Antonio; General Parker at Brownsville; General Mann at Laredo, and General Plummer at Nogales.

PORTUGAL WILL ENTER WAR; ITALIANS TO JOIN THE ALLIES

Bulgars And Serbs Are Again Enemies

SALONIKI OFFENSIVE IS DEVELOPING; FRENCH MILITARY COMMISSION GOES TO LISBON TO ARRANGE FOR AID.

By Associated Press.
LONDON, Aug. 21.—The Saloniki offensive is developing although no decisive action is reported. The British and French have crossed the Struma towards the Bulgarian frontier. The Serbians report the capture of first line Bulgarian trenches, but south of Monastir they have suffered a reverse and evacuated Banjica. In the Vardar valley violent artillery action is progressing.

According to Saloniki reports the Italians are preparing to join the drive which means a formal declaration of war against Germany. On the Eastern front fierce fighting continues in the region of Stokhod. The Carpathian battle is still raging. No material change is noticed along the western front. Unofficial reports that Portugal is about to enter the war were confirmed by the Paris announcement that a military commission has gone to Lisbon. Military preparations in that city are extensive.

Reports have been renewed that Rumania is about to join the Allies. Major Morah, military critic, believes Russia and Rumania are negotiating. If Rumania enters the war her material aid will be important. She has 500,000 or 600,000 well equipped and trained troops mobilized.

TAX WITHDRAWN
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Judge William C. Van Fleet, of the United States District court, relieved the Western Pacific railroad today from payment of a Federal income tax of approximately \$15,000 on the road's earnings of \$1,500,000 while it was in the hands of receivers during 1915.

EXPLOSION KILLS EIGHT
JACKSON, Tenn., Aug. 21.—Eight men were killed and a number are missing as a result of a boiler explosion today at the Harlan-Norris stove factory.

BREAKS NECK DIVING
CLOVERDALE, Aug. 21.—Francis A. White, high school principal, broke his neck today when he dove into shallow water in the Russian river.

Killed While Taking His First Auto Ride

By Associated Press.
SALEM, Va., Aug. 21.—While A. W. Garner, 90 years old, was enjoying his first automobile ride today, the car plunged over a 60-foot bank, turned over five times, killed Garner and injured four others, including his wife.

ORDERS NAME OFF
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—According to Attorney General U. S. Webb, the name of Judge Bordwell should be removed from all official primary ballots without further proceedings. County clerks and registrars were notified to this effect.

OFFICIALS HOPEFUL
NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Officials are more hopeful over the infantile paralysis situation than for weeks. Two hundred and twenty-two deaths occurred during the week ending Saturday against 301 the preceding week.

White And Welsh Are Training For Labor Day Fight

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Aug. 21.—Freddie Welsh and Charlie White began serious training today for their 20-round bout for the lightweight championship here on Labor Day.

The morning was devoted to road work and, in the afternoon, each planned to devote an hour or so to working in the gymnasium and boxing.

The bag punching and boxing performances will be staged in the quarters of the Hundred Million Dollar Club.

White and his sparring partners were to begin their work at 3 o'clock. Welsh and his crew were to use the club's room beginning at 4:30 p. m.

The Chamber of Commerce has begun a canvas of Colorado Springs, Colorado City and Manitou to determine what accommodations can be had for visitors, at hotels and private residences.

DISAPPEARANCE OF DIRECTOR CAUSES RIOT

PATRONS OF WINDY CITY BANK RELIEVED WHEN TOLD SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES UNTOUCHED.

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—After a day of riotous scenes about the Adolph Silver Company's private bank, closed on account of the disappearance of Director Max Silver, hundreds of depositors were relieved by learning that Silver did not have access to the safe deposit boxes. Under the direction of a receiver, two men began drilling into the vault today as none of the employees knew the combination.

FARM BANKS HEARING

AUGUSTA, Me., Aug. 21.—The first of a series of hearings to determine the apportionment of districts and the location of banks under the new Federal farm loan law was held here today. William G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury and chairman of the board, created by the act, presided and explained the provisions of the law.

Mexican Prisoner Is Taken To Coast

Joaquin Avilla, arrested in Jerome several days ago by Deputy Sheriff Fred Hawkins, was taken to Los Angeles Sunday by a deputy sheriff from that city to answer to a charge of attempt to commit murder. The complaining witness in the case is Avilla's wife.

HUGHES VISITS SAN DIEGO'S EXPOSITION

SAN DIEGO, Aug. 21.—Charles E. Hughes, Republican nominee for president, and party arrived in San Diego early this morning and got a stay of ten hours.

Following breakfast in his private car, Hughes was taken in charge by a reception committee of prominent San Diegans and given a trip to Point Loma and several other nearby points of interest, after which he was met by President G. A. Davidson of the Panama-California International exposition and escorted by a large parade to the exposition grounds.

WILSON MAKES APPEAL TO PATRIOTISM OF RAILROAD PRESIDENTS

Again Urges Them To Prevent Strike

EXECUTIVES' SENTIMENT IS STILL OPPOSED TO ACCEPTANCE OF PLAN; ARBITRATION PRINCIPLE HOLDS UP ISSUE.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—President Wilson appealed to the railroad executives as one citizen to another today urging them to avert a strike on the grounds of patriotism. After leaving the White House the president held another conference. They said later that the sentiment was opposed to acceptance of the president's plan in its present form. The task of drafting a final reply to the president has been assigned to a committee. The committee of the employees' has remained inactive. The railroads are still insisting on the principle of arbitration and issued a long statement today reviewing their position.

Japs And Chinese Withdraw Troops

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—Chinese and Japanese troops which came in conflict recently have been withdrawn to a considerable distance, while diplomatic negotiations are under way to seek a settlement of the difficulties. The Chinese representations to Japan allege that the Japanese troops entered the official headquarters of a Chinese magistrate and seized him and a Japanese merchant under arrest.

SILVER
NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Silver, 66c.

ADMINISTRATION ASSAILED BY CATHOLICS

DEMOCRATS DENOUNCED FOR RECOGNIZING CARRANZA; FAVORITISM TO ALLIES CHARGED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The Federal administration was assailed today at business sessions of the American Federation of Catholic Societies.

Anthony Matre, secretary of the federation, said that Catholic priests' protests to the government against the recognition of Carranza were like a voice in the wilderness. At a meeting of the German Catholic Central Verein, the administration was charged with favoritism towards the Entente Allies in an address by Charles Koz, president of the New York State body.

Matre, in his annual report, dwelt at some length on Mexican affairs. Speaking of the recognition of Carranza, he said:

"Despite our honorable protests, the arch persecutor of the church in Mexico was recognized and the voice of Catholics was like one crying in the wilderness."

WEATHER FORECAST
For Southern California and Arizona: "Fair."