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EXPECTED SENTIMENT FOR COL. ROOSEVELT FAILS TO CRYSTALLIZE; NO DANGER OF STAMPEDE

Ultimate Strength Will Not Be More Than 200 Delegates at the Most; It Is Asserted Remaining 800 Would Not Vote For Him Under Any Circumstances; Justice Hughes Will Make Satisfactory Statement on His Position on National Question if Nominated

Chicago, June 5.—The movement for the nomination of Justice Hughes to-day took on the aspects of a genuine boom.

Arriving delegations brought evidences of sentiment in favor of the jurist and men who have been identified with the Old Guard of the Republican party declared that many delegates instructed for others were ready to turn their votes to him after the first ballot.

The lack of controlling leadership by the men who have composed the Old Guard is emphasized on every hand. They express themselves as not favoring Justice Hughes for any reason of personality but because the delegates bringing first hand reports of sentiment from the States believe he can be the harmonizer who can rehabilitate the party and bring in the Progressive strength.

T. R. Sentiment Fails to Crystallize

On every hand explanations are sought of the failure of expected sentiment for Colonel Roosevelt to crystallize. A week ago those who opposed the nomination of Roosevelt were fearful of a stampede to him, but now it is said that is impossible. Many cannot understand what brought this change.

Republican leaders after a canvass to-day declared that Colonel Roosevelt's ultimate strength would not be more than 200 delegates at the outside and they believe the number would be nearer 150 delegates. It is asserted that the remaining 750 or 800 delegates would not vote for him under any circumstances.

Mass of Delegates Uninstructed. It was pointed out that when State delegations were selected it was known that Roosevelt would be a strong factor and probably a candidate. The great mass of the delegates are uninstructed and are counted on to vote for any man who can bring a majority of the Progressive back to the Republican fold.

All talk of demanding a pre-convention statement from Justice Hughes as a candidate of his nomination has practically been abandoned. It was being talked of last night but to-day it has been eliminated from the discussion. It is generally agreed that the justice will continue to preserve his silence while he occupies a place on the Supreme Court bench but that if nominated he will immediately make a satisfactory statement of his position on national questions which will be an issue in the campaign.

Past Addresses Show Position

In discussing proposals of pre-nomination statements from Justice Hughes his supporters point out that so far as his position on national issues is concerned, addresses made before he went on the bench show him to be preparedness and sound from

a party point of view on all of the more important issues. It is being argued that lack of information regarding Mr. Hughes' declarations is wholly responsible for the charge that he is "a mystery candidate." Word has gone out from Governor Whitman's headquarters that it is fitting to look forward to any spectacular eleventh hour move on the part of those who are demanding the jurist's nomination. No one will go to Washington, said Governor Whitman, to induce Justice Hughes to send a "night before the battle" message nor will the long distance telephone wires be working between Chicago and the office or home of Justice Hughes in Washington. Governor Whitman made it clear that no one of the men fighting for the nomination of Justice Hughes have had direct word from him that their efforts have his approval. It was reiterated that neither Governor Whitman, who shares with former Postmaster General Hitchcock the leadership of the Hughes movement, nor any other man has been delegated by Justice Hughes to work for his nomination.

Cannot Be Headed Off. In discussing the Hughes movement to-day, Whitman said he believed it had attained proportions of a boom and cannot be headed off. The Governor added that his call to the Hughes movement was from the people of New York at large and that this support alone was sufficient to warrant continuance of his efforts either in the Justice or in the Senate. He said that he had been defeated or word had come from him that he disapproved the movement in his behalf.

On every hand there seems to be sentiment to avoid making the nominee the campaign issue and to select some one on whom Republicans and Progressives can agree so that word can go out to the country that the party has been rehabilitated by the uniting of factions which split it four years ago. It is realized that of all the possibilities, Colonel Roosevelt has the greatest personal following but at the same time he has the most enemies. The Republican leaders charged that many voters would be alienated for one or more of several reasons. The conviction that Colonel Roosevelt would not be able to unite the party has led to general declarations in favor of the nomination of some strong man who may not have the popularity of Colonel Roosevelt but whose nomination would be a signal to the country that the factional strife has ended.

Favorable Dark Horse. The situation respecting both Roosevelt and Hughes contains all the necessary elements to produce a dark horse among the favorite sons that the possibility of the selection of someone yet unmentioned is minimized.

All forces are careful not to express hostility to Colonel Roosevelt or to say anything which would make it impossible for Progressives to come back into the party. It is recognized that Colonel Roosevelt can prevent the nomination of any one or two men who may be urged by Republican leaders but that should he attempt to go further than this and, as some say, scratch the whole ticket, the convention would be very likely to proceed without giving further consideration to his views.

Want Roosevelt's Help. The attitude of men taking this

HUGHES' LOOMING LARGE AT CHICAGO



ASSOCIATE JUSTICE CHARLES E. HUGHES

Supporters of Charles E. Hughes are confident he will be named during the Republican National Convention which opens at Chicago, Wednesday.

METHODIST MEN ASK WHY AUDIT COSTS INCREASE TO MEET HERE

State-wide Convention of De-nomination's Laymen in October County Commissioners Hold Up Attorney W. B. Boyd's Bill of \$427

A State-wide convention of the Methodist men of Pennsylvania will probably be held in Harrisburg the latter part of October. Plans for this meeting are being made by a local committee including the pastors of the city Methodist churches, and to-morrow evening a rally of the men of Harrisburg and vicinity will be held in Grace Methodist Church.

Hershey to Build Cuban Sugar Mill and Railroad

Hershey, Pa., June 5.—M. S. Hershey returned on Saturday from Cuba, where he spent the last six months in the sugar growing section of the island. He arranged for the building of a large sugar mill in the province of Matanzas and has purchased plantations covering 10,000 acres. He will also build a railroad through his sugar fields and to the mill, necessitating about thirty miles or more of construction. It will be called the Hershey-Cuban Railway and will start at Casa Piana on the eastern side of Havana harbor and run to Matanzas. Final surveys have been made and work will be started at both ends of the line in a short time. This investment is being made to insure a steady supply of sugar for the Hershey chocolate business here.

The line will touch the Hershey sugar mills so that it will be possible to load the sugar on the Hershey plantations and unload it from the same cars at the Hershey factory in Hershey, the freight ferry across the Straits of Florida being used to carry the cars from Havana to Key West.

SEMPSON 1917 LANDSTURM

London, June 5.—A Reuter dispatch from Zurich says that members of the German Landsturm class of 1917 who are living abroad have been ordered to return home immediately.

The Landsturm is a home defense force which includes, in addition to trained soldiers between the ages of 23 and 45, all those between the ages of 17 and 29 who have received no military training.

ASK WHY AUDIT COSTS INCREASE

County Commissioners Hold Up Attorney W. B. Boyd's Bill of \$427

Payment of a bill of \$427 presented by Special Auditor William B. Boyd was held up to-day by the county commissioners pending an inquiry into the method of compiling the report and the reason for the big increase over previous charges for preparation. Attorney Boyd to-day submitted his report of the audit of the books and accounts of the prothonotary, the recorder of deeds and the register of wills for 1915 and the Dauphin county court directed it to be filed. If no objections are made within thirty days the report will be approved. The audit as submitted shows that the amounts of fees reported by Messrs. Holler, Wickersham and Danner during the past year were correct. The county commissioners, however, were curious as to the big bill which Mr. Boyd presented to-day. Although the same work was covered during the previous three years, they pointed out the charges have materially increased. For instance in 1915 Auditor Boyd charged \$381.50; in 1914, the audit was completed at a cost of \$242.50 and in 1913, the charge was only \$150.

"We'll take this question up with the court before paying this bill," said Commissioner H. M. Stine to-day, "and naturally we want to look into the charges a little and determine whether or not the report has been completed properly. The growing increase. The cost of this work is a matter of some moment as it materially affects the purses of the county's taxpayers."

SUFFRAGE CAR TO PASS THROUGH CITY THIS EVENING

The special car containing the Pennsylvania delegates from the eastern part of the State to the suffrage parade in Chicago on June 7 will arrive in Harrisburg at 7:13 o'clock to-night. The delegates from the counties west of Altoona will leave Pittsburgh at 9 to-night in another special. It is expected that Pennsylvania will have about one hundred women in line. Pennsylvania suffragists will carry two huge banners bearing the inscriptions, "382,348 Men Voted For Suffrage in Pennsylvania" and "32 Counties Carried For Suffrage in Pennsylvania." A delegation of Harrisburg suffragists will welcome the party at the station.

3 MONTHS OLD, SHE GOES TO DAUPHIN COUNTY JAIL

The small daughter of Mrs. Lillie Null, of 924 Ash street, got into jail early yesterday morning just because she was so very, very young. She is only three months old and shortly after her mother and May Cressman were arrested by the police in a disorderly house, it was deemed advisable to take the youngster to its mother.

BRITISH CLAIM GREAT VICTORY IN NAVAL FIGHT

Expert Asserts German Fleet Was Outfought and Lost Heavily

HINDENBURG WAS SUNK

Survivors Say Pride of German Navy Was Sent to Bottom and Seydlitz Damaged

Berlin.—A statement by the admiralty given out to-day leaves much to be explained of Germany's part in the big sea fight and it is said that "This statement for obvious reasons leaves untold the tale of damages sustained by the German units and the losses in personnel." The Germans content themselves by saying they were outnumbered by the British.

London, June 5.—British officers of the fleet which participated in the Jutland battle and have returned here identify two of the big German warships sunk as the Hindenburg and Lutzw. The Seydlitz, another dreadnaught cruiser, is also reported sunk.

Latest Type Warships. The Lutzw, a battle cruiser of 26,000 tons, was built at Danzig, and completed in 1915. She was armed with eight 12-inch, twelve 6-inch and twelve 24-pounder guns and equipped with five torpedo tubes. Her armor belt was about 13 inches in thickness amidships. She was 659 feet long, 95 feet beam and drew 27 1/2 feet. She was of the latest and most powerful battle cruiser type. The Hindenburg is not listed in the latest naval records. It has been reported, however, that she was a battleship of the largest and most powerful dreadnaught type, launched in the Fall of 1915.

London, June 5.—The naval battle off the coast of Jutland is claimed to have been a complete victory for the British by the naval expert of the Morning Post, who writes in this morning's issue.

The salient fact is that the German fleet was completely outfought, lost heavily and was chased in disorderly retreat into its ports. Admiral Jellicoe brought his forces to bear upon the enemy at a time and place chosen by him.

The outcome is described in the morning Telegraph under the heading of "The Greatest Naval Battle in History," as absolutely favorable to the British. The Telegraph says: "Whatever hopes the Germans have entertained of interfering with the allied control of the world must be abandoned probably for the whole of this summer. The movement by sea of troops and their equipment will proceed with greater safety even than in the past. Thus this action will directly contribute to the strength of the allied armies everywhere."

Seydlitz, Badly Damaged. The battle cruiser Seydlitz was one of the German vessels which suffered heavily in the Jutland engagement of last week, according to reports in Sweden. These alleged that the Seydlitz

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Five Arrested Charged With "Snoring" in Park

Because they were snoring in the park in South Harrisburg, Warren Witmer, Charles Yeager, Charles Wells, Frank Moyer and Charles Corkle, were arrested this morning by the police, according to the officers, were sleeping off the effects of a "celebration." They were held for a hearing.

READY FOR JUNK HEAP?

Dr. Wells, New York, Will Give Interesting Talk at Chamber Luncheon To-morrow. "When a man of affairs loses his health he is ready for the junk heap." That will be the keynote of an interesting talk which Dr. Franklin C. Wells, medical director of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, New York city, will deliver to-morrow at the noon luncheon of the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce. "Conservation of Health" will be the subject of Dr. Wells' talk.

BAYLES ILL AT DESK

Clerk to Poor Board Crumples Over Chair While at Work. While at work this morning at his desk in the Poor Directors' office William J. Bayles, clerk to the Poor Board, and formerly German of the Seventh ward, was seized with a sudden heart attack and crumpled in a little heap over his chair. Sturtle friends who happened to be in the office at the time hastily called a taxi and a doctor and hustled the former magistrate to his home. At a late hour this afternoon he was resting fairly comfortably.

NOW IT'S ALDERMAN DESHONG

Twelfth Ward Leader Appointed to Succeed George V. Bolton. Dr. James B. Deshong, a well-known up-town druggist and one of the leading Republican ward leaders of the city, to-day was appointed alderman of the Twelfth ward to succeed George V. Bolton, who resigned a few days ago to take over the wholesale liquor business of Frank F. Sless, 900-02 Market street. Mr. Bolton, who was well known throughout the city as proprietor of the old Hoy barber shop had been appointed several years ago to succeed Alderman Lutz. Mr. Bolton and his brother, John T. Bolton, formed a partnership in buying out the Sless liquor establishment.

PAPER GOES TO TWO CENTS

Scranton, Pa., June 5.—Beginning with this morning's issue, the Scranton Republican announced that its price would be raised from one to two cents a copy.

EXPECT 3,000 VETERANS HERE FOR 50TH CAMP

G. A. R. Men From All Over Pennsylvania Will Attend State Sessions

BIG REVIEW WEDNESDAY

General Committee Will Complete Details Tonight; Headquarters Opened

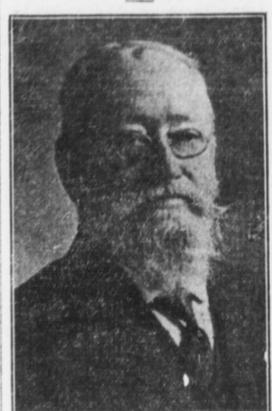


Photo by Roshon. THOMAS NUMBERS, Chairman of Local Committee on Arrangements.

The most important event of the week in Harrisburg will be the fiftieth annual encampment of the Department of Pennsylvania, Grand Army of the Republic which will bring between three and five thousand veterans of the Civil War from all parts of Pennsylvania to this city. While the encampment will not go into business session until Thursday morning, convention headquarters were opened this morning in the

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NO LETUP IN GERMAN EFFORT TO TURN LINES

Driving Unsuccessfully Against Fort Vaux With Undiminished Violence

RUSSIANS RETREATING

Turks Force Them to Retreat 25 Miles West of Erzerum

There is virtually no letup in the German effort to push back the French lines on the Verdun front northeast of the fortress. After falling in an assault yesterday afternoon northwest of Fort Vaux the Crown Prince's troops returned to the attack last night, driving against the French between the fort and village of Damloup, to the southeast. There as in other efforts, they were unsuccessful and General Nivelle's forces still remain in possession of the fort. Paris declares to-day. The Turkish war office claims further successes against the Russian army operating west of Erzerum. The Russians, who recently were compelled to evacuate Mamakhatum, west of Erzerum, have been forced to retreat some 25 miles altogether, according to Constantinople, sustaining large losses.

Saloniki Is Placed Under Martial Law by Allies

London, June 5.—The Allied troops have occupied the telegraph offices, the port and customs house at Saloniki, according to a Reuter dispatch from that city. At the same time they have taken extensive precautionary measures about the town to prevent possible opposition. The commanders of the gendarmes and the police have been relieved of their functions, the dispatch adds, and martial law has been proclaimed.

Paris, June 5.—A dispatch from Saloniki says the proclamation by General Sarrail of martial law in the entire zone occupied by the entente allies, a step taken as a result of the occupation of Fort Rupel by Bulgarian and German troops, has been favorably received by the population. The crowds manifested their friendly

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PEACE IS THE WATCHWORD

Chicago, Ill., June 5.—"Let us have peace" is the dominant note in all verbal exchanges between the leaders and delegates now foregathering for the most important convention since the Civil war. Every trace resentment has disappeared and upon all sides is a desire for harmony and constructive party action. Even Pennsylvanians are concealing their factional differences and there is hope that the convention may mark the end of an unfortunate party discord. It is quite conceivable that this great party conclave may conclude with a spectacular reunion of Stalwarts and Progressives having one aim and purpose. Hughes and Roosevelt are the outstanding factors. Senator Penrose is not committed to Hughes or Roosevelt, neither is he opposed to one or the other. Perhaps his real favorite is Knox.

Washington, June 5.—Louis D. Brandeis, of Boston, to-day took his seat as an associated justice of the Supreme Court, the sixty-second citizen to rise to that high distinction.

BABY SWALLOWS "JACK"

Ten-month-old Minnie Lipsitz, 586 South Third street, Steelton, was brought to the institution by her frantic mother, late to-day, the infant having swallowed a "jack." It was removed.

London, June 5.—Later reports received by the British Admiralty are declared to show that the German losses in the Jutland naval battle comprised two battle cruisers; one, at least, and probably two battleships, four light cruisers, eight destroyers and a submarine.

Vienna, June 4, via Berlin, and Wireless to Sayville, N. Y.—Notwithstanding staunch resistance by the Italians, the Austro-Hungarian troops have made further gains in their offensive, the war office announced to-day and yesterday took 5,600 prisoners.

Petrograd, June 5, via London.—Russian forces have won great successes along the front from the Pripet marshes to the Rumania frontier, according to an official statement issued here to-day. It is stated that the Russians took 13,000 prisoners.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Herbert Dayton Penny, Mecklenburg, and Marie Eleanor Turner, city. William Arnold Conter and Ellen Catherine Taylor, city. Frank R. Bailey and Marion Helen Davis, city.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair tonight and probably Tuesday moderate temperature. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Probably fair tonight Tuesday not much change in temperature; light to moderate west and southwest winds.

River. The Susquehanna river and all its branches will fall, except the lower portion of the main river, which will continue to rise slowly or remain nearly stationary tonight and begin to fall Tuesday. A stage of about 4 1/2 feet is indicated for Harrisburg Tuesday morning.

General Conditions. Low barometric pressure persists over the greater part of the United States, except in the North Pacific States, and over British Columbia, where it is moderately high for the season, and in the Southeastern States, where it is nearly normal. It is somewhat cooler than on Saturday morning in the Western Canadian Provinces, the Northwest States and in Northern California; also in Minnesota, East Tennessee, North Georgia, New Mexico, the interior of Texas and in the Upper Ohio Valley; elsewhere it is slightly warmer.

Temperature: 8 a. m., 81. Sun: Bites, 4:37 a. m.; sets, 7:50 p. m. Moon: First quarter, June 8, 6:50 a. m. River stage: 0.5 feet above low-water mark.

Yesterday's Weather. Highest temperature, 75. Lowest temperature, 51. Mean temperature, 63. Normal temperature, 66.

Vacation Season Is Here

Rest and recreation will not be complete unless you have all the news from home daily. The Harrisburg Telegraph will fill the gap. Don't spend your precious vacation time trying to "get used" to strange newspapers. Just drop a postal or call the Circulation Department and the next issue will meet you, no matter where you are.

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