

WATER FAMINE IS THREATENED

Newport News, Hampton and Fort Monroe Suffer From Effects of Dry Spell.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Newport News, Va., November 26.—Newport News, Hampton, the Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute, and Fort Monroe are facing a water famine as the result of the unprecedented dry spell which has been on here for seven months. It was announced by the local water company to-day that there is only a little more than a two-weeks' supply in the reservoir at Leeball, and unless there is an abundant rainfall before that time, a famine will result. The inflow of water now is only 2,000,000 gallons daily and the total amount used is more than 5,000,000 gallons. The consumers have been urged by the company to be as economical with the use of the water as possible. Special arrangements have been made so that in case of a famine the city mains can be flooded with salt water from the shipyard, thus giving an ample water supply to fight fire.

THOUSANDS JOIN IN CELEBRATION OF BIG VICTORY

(Continued From First Page.)

It symbolized the demise of William H. Taft. The humor, it must be admitted, was crude and robust, but there were those who liked it. Kenneth's Band marched in front and provided the tempo for the first division.

Alas! on the March.

Colonel Henry M. Boykin commanded the second division, assisted by Gilbert K. Peacock, Major L. T. Christian and D. C. O'Flaherty. It included the various departments of the city government and a brass band from Newport News, caps equipped with miniature electric headlights. By the side of the squad of Aldermen and Councilmen marched Mayor George Ainslie, topcoat and stick in hand. They followed in uniform a detachment from the City Fire Department and squads from the Engineering, Gas and Street Cleaning Departments. The street cleaners had a horse-drawn float stuck with corners with large brooms, and bearing high a large banner with the inscription, "A Clean Sweep—Taft and

BROTHER HURRIES FROM THE WEST

To See Sister, Thinking She Would Die, But He Helped Her To Recovery.

Nashville, Tenn.—"I was passing through the critical stage of life," writes Mrs. Kate E. Weaver, of 1715 Cockrill Street, this city, "and for three years and nine months, to the day, I was in a serious condition. I could not walk alone across the floor, I was so weak. My brother came from Dallas, Texas, to see me, thinking I was going to die. But he gave me the money to buy six bottles of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I began to improve with the second bottle. The six bottles made me well, strong and hearty. Since getting well I have been to see my brother in Dallas. Have talked to several of my lady friends, and now they are taking Cardui—my daughter for one—and it is helping her. She is 27 years old, and I am nearly 51. Cardui helped us all. I certainly do not know how to praise Cardui high enough. You may publish this letter if you wish, for Cardui certainly saved my life, and I cannot say too much for it. I shall always recommend your wonderful medicine." Cardui is good for young and old. It costs but little to try, and may mean so much to you. Get a bottle of Cardui to-day. N. B.—Write to Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper on request.

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MRS. RICHIE PATTERSON, 428 23d Street, Paris, Texas. Sworn and subscribed to before me, this February 19th, A. D. 1912. CHAS. S. NEOTHY, Justice of the Peace and EX-Officio Notary Public in and for Lamar Co., Tex.

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Teddy Still Running." On an improvised dais sat Superintendent Henry Cohn. The South Richmond Democratic Club marched with its president, Carter C. Jones at its head. Mr. Jones and his five aides wore silk hats and frock coats. "And there are more like Wilson in Virginia," read their banner. They also had a "clean sweep" broom outfit.

Ball Moose Captured. In the third division came the soldier boys and boy scouts. The Richmond Light Infantry Blues' Band furnished the music, and the military organizations of the city marched behind in civilian clothes. The Blues, the Richmond Grays, the Howlers, the cadets from Benedict College and the khaki-clad boy scouts made up the division.

Honors went to Captain Myers Howitzers. A float pulled by a team of donkeys showed a funeral car draped in mourning and carrying a casket. At the head of the float were four men clustered about an upright staff bearing a banner with the legend, "Rest in Peace, G. O. P." Two Howitzers contrived, with the aid of a faked elephant hide, to present a good imitation of the Republican beast of burden, and a squad of others held in leash a being built on the lines of a division was headed by Major C. O. Saville, assisted in the command by his aides, Blanchard Forbes, A. C. Harman and J. T. Wilson.

Band From Petersburg. A band from Petersburg led Division No. 4, commanded by Walker A. Cottrell and a staff composed of A. Cottrell and Sgt. Hutaler and Harry Hubert. It included in the order in which they are named the members of the Retail Clerks' Association, students of the Massey Business College and the membership of the Motorcycle and Noide Democratic Clubs.

"Virginia has given eight, and can give 900," ran the inscription on a banner borne by the University of Virginia alumni marching in the final, fifth, division. Behind them came delegations from the two medical colleges, the John Marshall High School and Richmond College. The division was commanded by Dr. H. Norton Mason, assisted by his aides, Clyde H. Ratcliffe, George M. Cease and Harry Tucker.

The march began shortly after 8 o'clock from Broad and Twelfth Streets and proceeded in a wide loop westward to the City Auditorium, where the speakers of the evening held forth. The route led west through Ninth, Grace, Fifth, Franklin and Monument Avenue and back on the east side of Monument through Allen, Grove, Park and Cherry, to the Auditorium. Approximately 2,000 marchers were in line.

At the Auditorium. Warmed to a high pitch of party enthusiasm by the brilliant torchlight procession which had preceded for miles through cheering crowds, Richmond Democrats, assembled in the City Auditorium last night, cheered to the echo the leaders of the party in the state who, in brief and well-chosen phrases, told of the victory that had been won, and of the outlook for restoration of the government to the people. Miles M. Martin, chairman of the City Democratic Committee, presided.

As it was fully 10 o'clock before the parade had reached the building and those participating had been seated, most of the speakers cut short their remarks. Chilled by the long exposure, many of the marchers did not attempt to enter the hall, the doors of which were not opened until 11 o'clock, when the cheering people made the occasion one long to be remembered.

Attitude Welcomes Visitors. Mayor Ainslie welcomed the audience, thanking all those who participated in the result of the last election, and expressing his appreciation of the presence of those from other parts of the State. He presented Governor Mann as an old war horse of Virginia, whose services had contributed largely to the result of the recent campaign. Governor Mann told of campaigning in Northern and Republican States, which, when Wilson's name was presented, "knew a good thing when they saw it, though for the past forty years the Republican party had run over them roughshod." He predicted that the President-elect would carry out faithfully and effectively every plank of the Baltimore platform.

"It is a fine thing," said the Governor, "that the men of the North, and of the East, and of the South, and of the West, have forgotten sectional differences and have come back to the old breeding ground to select as their leader the eighth President that Virginia has given to the American people, and so demonstrated that Virginia is still the mother of States and of statesmen."

Largest Majority of Any. Lieutenant-Governor J. Taylor Elliott, chairman of the State Democratic Committee, said that Virginia had given the largest majority candidate in the past forty years. He expressed his appreciation of the splendid work of the city committee in piling up that total, and of the work of the chief marshal and his aides in arranging the celebration.

Richard Evelyn Byrd, speaker of the House of Delegates and leader of the Wilson prevention forces in Virginia, said that the consummate ability with which Wilson had managed his campaign had showed him to be one

of those rare men who could "grasp the philosophy of reform, carry men on to political equality, translate his principles into policies and his policies into results."

Has Met Every Crisis. "In every crisis of this country's history," said Mr. Byrd, "there has come a deliverer. The torch of progress has not fallen, and it is for us to rejoice that in every such crisis of this nation it has been a Virginian who has stood forth as the leader, from the days of Washington and Jefferson and Marshall to the present. When Theodore Roosevelt, the most consummate politician of the day, attempted to make political capital of the discontent and unrest of the times, the nation looked to Virginia to furnish a deliverer to meet the crisis, and that deliverer has been forthcoming in one of our own sons, Woodrow Wilson."

Captain John Lamb spoke briefly, defending the actions of the Democrats of the present Congress, and predicting that the incoming Congress would fully redeem every promise of the campaign.

Henry C. Stuart, who was next presented, said that for the first time a faithful Democratic pilgrim could now travel from Maine to Mexico, or from ocean to ocean, without planting foot on Republican soil.

"Never before," said Mr. Stuart, "has a party stood face to face with greater responsibilities and at the same time with greater opportunities. The Republican party, weighted down with its long record of reactionary Bourbonism on the one hand, and the Progressive party with its alluring professions and promises of policies of untried and ultra radicalism on the other hand, left the Democratic party as the only party of true and genuine conservatism; a conservatism which has found its highest expression in the leadership and triumphant election of a Democrat who is and will be conservative of the rights, interests and liberties of all the people, and not alone of the vested rights and interests of a small class of the people; a Democrat who is a progressive not in the fields that lie outside the landmarks and danger signals set for us by our fathers, but in the direction of bringing the people back to a more direct management of their government, always under and with the self-imposed restraints written in their Constitution, and laws enacted in pursuance thereof; a Democrat who is a radical only in the determination to use every constitutional means within his power to free the government from private control."

Restored to Popular Control. Congressman H. D. Flood, of Appomattox, because of the late hour, spoke briefly but convincingly of the work of Democracy in Congress in fulfilling every important plank in the platform of 1908, and of the prospect of even greater progress now that the government is "restored once more to wise and sound and patriotic principles."

H. St. George Tucker said that the victory meant the redemption of the people from the hand of monopoly and the placing back in the hands of the people the reins that had been taken away from them.

Chairman Martin announced that because of the late hour he would not call on other speakers, but despite the efforts of the band to play "Dixie," the crowd cried loudly for "Montague" and the procession moved on to the City Auditorium for a moment here, merely to acknowledge the ovation and to add his voice to the general acclaim over the Democratic victory.

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King Albert's Mother Dead. Brussels, November 26.—The death occurred this morning of King Albert's Princess Marie of Belgium, which is to be solemnized Wednesday evening, December 11, at 6 o'clock, at the First Presbyterian Church.

WILL REMAIN IN JAIL UNTIL SECOND TRIAL

Gibson Apparently Is Stunned by Disagreement of Jury—Vote on Final Ballot Is Nine for Acquittal and Three for Conviction.



BURTON W. GIBSON.
Gibson, N. Y., November 26.—Burton Gibson, the New York lawyer, concerning whose guilt or innocence the jury was unable to reach a verdict to-day, apparently was stunned to-night by the disagreement of the jury. He said he had firmly staked his position on the final ballot taken by the jury stood nine for acquittal and three for conviction. The jury announced at 11:20 o'clock this morning its inability to reach a decision, and was discharged. "I am bitterly disappointed," Gibson said to-night. "Now nothing can be done until March. I have been wronged, for it is unjust for an innocent man to remain under a cloud of this sort." "I know he is innocent, and I am sure he will remain in jail here in all probability until he is given a second trial. His lawyers claim to have an offer by the State to drop the charges if Gibson will plead guilty and in New York County, this the State desires.

GO TO SING SING TO AWAIT DEATH

Gunmen Sentenced to Die in Electric Chair During Week of January 6.

New York, November 26.—"Gyp the Blood," "Whitey Lewis," "Lefty Louie" and "Dago" Frank, the gunmen convicted of the murder of Herman Rosenthal, were sentenced by Justice Goff to-day to die in the electric chair at Sing Sing during the week of January 6.

Each of the prisoners was sentenced separately, and in each case Charles F. Wahle, their counsel, moved that the verdict be set aside and the judgment be arrested. Each motion Justice Goff successively denied. One of the grounds for Mr. Wahle's motion was that the verdict was the result of "passion, prejudice and other influences."

None of the condemned men gave any visible signs of his feelings. Accompanied by Sheriff Harburger and twelve deputies, the four were taken to the Grand Central Station, where they boarded a train for Sing Sing. There, with Charles Becker, former lieutenant of police, condemned as instigator of the Rosenthal murder, they will await execution.

TO INVESTIGATE HIGH COST OF COAL

U. S. District Attorney Will Look Into Situation at Norfolk.

Norfolk, Va., November 26.—Announcement was made to-day by D. Lawrence Groner, United States District Attorney, that he has been instructed by the Department of Justice to investigate the causes for the high cost of coal prevailing in this city.

Mr. Groner said he has been ordered to ascertain if the conditions are such as to justify a combination in restraint of trade or other infraction of the interstate commerce laws. Norfolk's industrial commission also has the case under advisement. While dealers here are charging \$8.50 for anthracite, it was asserted to-day that \$7.75 is the prevailing price at Hampton. The shortage is attributed to the railroads, which charge \$2.15 a ton from Philadelphia and Baltimore, Norfolk's principal sources of supply, while the water freight rate is 85 cents.

Dealers say that a famine here is imminent unless they can secure more coal soon.

IN HAMPTON ROADS.

Norfolk, Va., November 26.—Two divisions of the Atlantic fleet arrived in Hampton Roads to-day from Charleston, S. C. The vessels were the battleships Utah, flagship of Rear-Admiral Osterhaus, the commander-in-chief; North Dakota, Florida, Rhode Island, Iowa, the Delaware and the Arkansas, also a part of the fleet, had previously arrived.

The battleships Utah and Florida are scheduled to go to New York, but the movements of the other vessels belonging to the fleet are uncertain.

Invitations Issued.

Lynchburg, Va., November 26.—Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. J. Tinsley Coleman to the approaching wedding of the daughter, Miss Sallie Kimbrough Tinsley, to Isaac Funston Adams, which is to be solemnized Wednesday evening, December 11, at 6 o'clock, at the First Presbyterian Church.

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News of South Richmond

Brave Showing

Southside Contingent in Parade Makes Unqualified Hit With Richmonders. Headed by the Petersburg Band, the South Richmond Democratic Club made a brave showing last night in the torchlight parade in honor of the election of Woodrow Wilson. In line with the organization were two floats, and last, but not least, a real live Uncle Sam mounted on a fiery mule.

In the line were 250 men garbed in red, white and blue linen costumes cut to represent the classic garb worn by Professor Wilson. The costume was topped off with a white beaver of the vintage of 1892—indeed, they were used in the celebration of Cleveland's election. The men carried brooms to signify the clean sweep made by the party. In addition to the uniformed men, 163 torchlights were carried by men and boys making the Southside delegation one of the largest in the entire parade.

Carter C. Jones, president of the club, acted as chief marshal. His assistants were D. L. Toney, W. E. Duval, Charles Burkert, F. E. Lutz and A. L. Sampson. The chief and his aides were rigged out in the regular top hats and canes, upon the end of which glowed small electric bulbs.

Before going to Richmond, the organization paraded the Southside streets. The Third District police, fifteen in number, led the column. They were followed by the band and the Southside contingent. The march started at Tenth and Hull Streets, and after going up Bainbridge to Fifteenth the column swung out to Hull and down Hull to Seventh. They were met on the Free Bridge by President R. L. Peters, president of the Common Council, who escorted them to their places in the line.

The Southside contingent made an unqualified success. The appearance of the club was felt to compare favorably with that of any other political organization in line. It drew many favorable comments from the spectators, as it was the only organization, with the exception of the military, fully uniformed.

Deceit Is Nabbed. As a suspected deceiver from the United States Navy, W. J. Ryan was arrested by Officer W. E. Waymack yesterday morning. Ryan, when taken to the Third Street station, admitted leaving the training ship Franklin at Hampton Roads. He is being held until the arrival of the Federal authorities.

Earl and George Puckett, charged with fighting on the street, were each fined \$2.50 and costs yesterday morning in Police Court, Part II. J. H. Honbeck, who was arrested with the men on the same charge, was dismissed.

Chappell Light-colored, charged with interfering with a woman on Hull street Monday night, was fined \$10 and costs yesterday morning by Justice Maurice.

Negro Dies Suddenly. Before the arrival of the city ambulance which was summoned to his aid, A. Bennerman colored, fifty years old, died yesterday morning at 10 o'clock in the terminal of the Richmond-Petersburg electric line at Seventh and Perry Streets.

Bennerman was employed on the construction gang which is working on the new belt line of the Atlantic Coast Line. He was taken suddenly sick, and was conveyed to the depot to be sent to his home in Cumberland County, when he became worse. He was taken into the station and the ambulance summoned, but he died before its arrival.

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