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CHANGES OVER FLOOR

HOUSE SUPPORTS HARDING'S PLEA

Nominee Quotes Colonel as Favoring G. O. P. Peace Plan.

COULD HAVE HAD PACT

Peace Before League Wanted by Europeans; Obvious Thing to Do Says Texan.

SENATOR TO FIGHT LEAGUE

"Fighting Blood" Is Up; Accepts Challenge on Wilson's Foreign Policies.

MARION, Ohio, July 19.—Senator Harding's offensive against the "foreign commitments" of President Wilson, initiated yesterday in a policy of questions for Cox, was developed today toward a new quarter.

In his second statement on the subject in 24 hours, the republican nominee declared the republican conception of what should have been done at Versailles has been vindicated by Colonel House, the friend and adviser of the president.

He quoted the colonel as saying that negotiation of a peace treaty before creation of a league of nations was suggested by European powers and would have been the "obvious" thing to do.

The arduous with which the senator pressed his attack was interpreted by his associates here as meaning that he now regards the Wilson foreign policy as having assumed a position of paramount importance in the campaign, and that he determined to take the aggressive and hold it as the fight develops.

There was no indication that the republican "front porch" campaign would be modified.

Fighting Blood Up.

On the question of unqualified approval of the president's conduct of foreign affairs, it was said the republican nominee today was in a position to indicate in his speech of acceptance, he might be expected to carry his attack a step further and to enliven the fight with more constructive suggestions of his own on the league question.

After two weeks of confinement in preparation of his acceptance speech the senator adopted a program of more recreation today and in the afternoon motored to Mansfield, 10 miles away, for a golf game. He conferred today with H. H. Hensley, republican national committeeman for Ohio, and James G. Darden of New York, one of those active in working for Mr. Harding's nomination, and also a guest at the Harding home.

News League As Issue.

Apparently foreseeing the league and paramount campaign issue as a result of the white house conference, the republican candidate adopted a new line of striking at the Wilson policy wherever it showed its head.

He took for the text of today's attack a statement on the league attributed to Colonel House and published in this country.

"We are beginning to understand," said Senator Harding, "the mistakenly plighted relationship of the United States to Europe just in time to proceed to a referendum intelligently. This one representative of this country, other than the president, who best knew of the whole situation at Paris, was Colonel House. He tells us now, in a cabled statement from London, that the suggestion of a preliminary peace treaty was made very soon after the armistice, and that such a treaty could have been made before Christmas of 1918."

Was G. O. P. Plan.

"All along this has been the republican conception of what ought to have been done, but this is the first official knowledge that Europe wished such a procedure and was deterred by its inexpedient peace. The authentic revelation is peculiarly interesting at the moment when it is announced that the continuation of a democratic administration means a continuation of the foreign policy which has so grievously disappointed both Europe and America."

LA FOLLETTE MAY RUN

Senator Is Considering Taking of Liberal Party's Nomination—To Give Decision This Week.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Senator Robert M. LaFollette will decide this week whether he will be a candidate for the presidency if nominated on the liberal party ticket, leaders of the party announced tonight.

A delegation representing the newly organized party, which broke away from the committee of 48 at the convention here last week, visited Senator LaFollette at his home in Madison, Wis., and asked him whether he would accept the nomination to be ratified at a mass convention later, members of the party said. Senator LaFollette, they said, replied that he "would take the proposal under serious consideration and would give a definite decision before the end of the week."

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SPECIAL AGENTS

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Wire Flashes

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 19.—Two bandits robbed the salesman and cashier of the Queen Creamery company here today of between \$4,000 and \$5,000 in currency and checks as the creamery employees were en route to a bank.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Italy is sending troops to the line of demarcation between Jugoslavia and Italy in anticipation of fresh disorders on the Dalmatian coast, according to cable dispatches today to the Jugoslavia legation, from Laibach, via Belgrade.

NEW ORLEANS, July 19.—The largest cargo of Java sugar ever shipped here, and the first consigned to this port for several years was at the mouth of the river today in the hold of a Japanese steamer. The cargo is consigned to the Chalmers refinery of the American refining company and consists of 18,000 bags.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., July 19.—Missouri today celebrated her 100th birthday, having become a free state with full complement of officers and adopted a constitution July 19, 1820. Officially the centennial anniversary is being celebrated as the state was not admitted into the union until August 10, 1821.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 19.—Djemal Pasha, minister of public works, and Fahreddin Bey, minister of education, who were both members of the Turkish cabinet, are expected to resign today. The prospect is that the entire cabinet will resign because of the row over the treaty.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 19.—Mrs. Alberta Wheeler of Grand Rapids, a linotype operator, employed in the government printing office at Washington, D. C., today announced her resignation from the republican congressional nomination in the Fifth Michigan district.

CORK, Ireland, July 19.—Two military lorries loaded with soldiers which passed through the streets of Cork at 4 o'clock this morning were attacked by civilians with bombs and bludgeons. Between 40 and 50 soldiers were injured. The civilians threw 19 bombs.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad today applied to the federal court in Washington to issue \$9,943,000 in common stock to raise the balance of \$1,000,000 of convertible gold bonds of the issue of 1919.

PARIS, July 19.—The secretary-general of the league of nations in announcing the results of the conference on the Brussels financial conference, says the definite date for the conference will be fixed at the meeting of the council of the league at San Sebastian, Spain, July 20.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 19.—Governor Cox today selected the official photograph of himself which will be used during his campaign. It is known in Ohio as the "Republican Cox picture," having been almost exclusively in the governor's three successful campaigns and also for posters at San Francisco.

MARION, Ohio, July 19.—Marching clubs that come to Marion to boost Senator Harding's front porch campaign will have a center of like demonstrations at the McKinley residence at Canton 24 years ago. The teacher-union picnic, donated by Harding enthusiasts at Canton, was brought here today.

LAWRENCE, Mass., July 19.—The Lawrence Independent of the Ohio Action League, that a meeting of the executive committee of the national organization will be held at the Hotel Hamilton in Washington, D. C., Thursday to determine whether the organization will support Governor Cox, the democratic presidential nominee, or Senator Harding, the republican presidential candidate or neither.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., July 19.—The police today arrested a man who yesterday jumped from the abutment at the American end of the suspension bridge here, and who had reported to them that he was about to jump. After leaping from the bridge the man was struggling in the water in an attempt to reach the other side, but sank before aid could reach him.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 19.—If Governor Cox or Senator Harding will issue a "clear cut statement opposing weakening of the prohibition law," the Lincoln National Convention which opens here today will support the republican presidential candidate, W. J. Calderwood, chairman of the party's national committee, and will not support the republican platform.

THE WEATHER

TULSA, July 19.—Maximum, 91; minimum, 75; south winds, clear.

OKLAHOMA: Tuesday and Wednesday partly cloudy; Thursday cloudy; Friday partly cloudy to cloudy.

ARKANSAS: Tuesday partly cloudy; Wednesday cloudy; Thursday partly cloudy to cloudy.

KANSAS: Generally fair Tuesday; Wednesday partly cloudy and somewhat unsettled.

DEMOCRATS WANT CUMMINGS AGAIN

Moore Can't Run Cox's Campaign; Talk of Re-election Heard.

SILENT ON HARDING

Democratic Nominee Says He Will Answer G. O. P. Leader in Acceptance Speech.

MAP CAMPAIGN PLAN TODAY

Democratic National Committee Meets With Governor at Columbus, Ohio.

Moore Refuses to Take Chairmanship

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, July 19.—E. H. Moore, democratic national committeeman for Ohio, today refused to accept the nomination for Governor Cox, who returned to his home here from San Francisco Sunday night, stated today that he positively would not accept the nomination of chairman of the democratic national committee and manager of Governor Cox's campaign for the presidency.

COLUMBUS, O., July 19.—Democratic leaders gathered here today to counsel with Governor Cox and Franklin D. Roosevelt, the party's presidential and vice presidential nominees, on their national political battle.

The democratic national committee meets tomorrow to organize the campaign. Much preliminary work was done today in conferences by early arrivals with Governor Cox and Mr. Roosevelt following their return from Washington.

Selection of a committee chairman to manage the campaign, naming of headquarters, choosing an executive subcommittee, plans for financing the campaign, arrangements for nominating delegates for the two nominees, and their itineraries were the major affairs to be considered at tomorrow's meeting.

Governor Cox declined to respond to the request of Senator Harding, his republican opponent, for details of the campaign, but he said he would answer anything desirable in his acceptance address.

Disinclination of Edmond H. Moore, national committeeman from Ohio and Governor Cox's floor manager at the San Francisco convention, to assume management of the campaign left unsettled tonight the election of a national committee chairman.

Governor Cox said that in a telephone conversation Mr. Moore indicated he did not desire the place, but wished to serve in other and unofficial capacities.

"The question will be left to the committee," said Governor Cox.

Mr. Moore's reasons for not wishing to manage the campaign were said by close friends to be personal, based largely on necessities of his law practice at Youngstown.

The chairmanship also was discussed late today by Governor Cox with Homer S. Cummings, secretary of the party, and the present chairman, Mr. Cummings has stated that he wished to avert the responsibilities and labor of another campaign, but many committee members were urging that he be "drafted" by re-election tomorrow.

Governor Cox in declining to reply to the statement of Senator Harding, stated he was "very much pleased" with the result of his talk with the president, Governor Cox reiterated, and that he would not engage in a wire debate with the opposition.

Committee women chosen under the new rule giving women equal representation were here for tomorrow's meeting and there was discussion to give them places on the executive committee. Woman suffrage leaders will urge the committee to make another move toward ratification of the federal suffrage amendment. Norman E. Mack, New York committee member, will offer a resolution urging the Tennessee and North Carolina legislatures to ratify.

Sentiment regarding notification of the nominees seemed settled in favor of dates early in August, so that hot candidates of the federal suffrage call for a tour of three weeks in eastern and central states by Governor Cox, beginning the middle of August, and there was discussion to give them places on the executive committee. Woman suffrage leaders will urge the committee to make another move toward ratification of the federal suffrage amendment. Norman E. Mack, New York committee member, will offer a resolution urging the Tennessee and North Carolina legislatures to ratify.

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Britain May Bar Divine Who Gets High Honor Here

LONDON, July 19.—The question as to whether the Most Rev. Daniel Mannix, archbishop of Melbourne, Australia, shall be barred from Ireland, in view of his recent utterances in the United States which are reported here as anti-British, is under consideration by the British government today.

This statement was made by Andrew Bonar Law, the government spokesman in the house of commons today.

NEW YORK, July 19.—Archbishop Daniel Mannix of Australia was extended the freedom of the city and officially welcomed by Mayor Hylan at the city hall here today. He entered the building through cheering crowds escorted by Bishop Patrick Hayes and a committee of priests from this diocese.

America, delights to honor those who have stood courageously in defense of freedom, justice and humanity," said Mayor Hylan in his welcome.

"This city, so typical of America, in its support of the ideals of liberty and independence for all struggling and oppressed peoples, recognizes in your grace a spirit kindred with its own."

"America may not need Australia," replied Dr. Mannix, in thanking the mayor, "but Australia may need America."

BOLSHEVIKI OPEN WAR ON ARMENIA

Reds Ordered to Advance When Ultimatum Is Rejected.

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Johnson to Support Harding If Stands for Americanism

BOSTON, July 19.—Senator Hiram Johnson of California, in a letter to Bancroft Abbott, leader of the Johnson forces in the pro-convention campaign in this state, made public tonight, said that if Senator Harding in his speech of acceptance should stand for Americanism, he would cheerfully and enthusiastically go forward with the republican party.

If, in his speech of acceptance, he should evade the issue," Senator Johnson added, "and a more difficult situation will be presented to men like myself."

The republican platform plank on the league of nations, Senator Johnson said, "was not such as I would have written, but nevertheless its language seemed to me capable of but one construction."

"The big issue, which has engrossed me for so long and which has become a part of my life, seems to have been met by both platforms, the republican as well as the democratic."

ONE MAN SLAIN IN FIRE ON CROWD

Machine Gunners Shoot at Durham, N. C., to Protect Negroes.

CROWDS AROUND JAIL

Attempt Believed Near to Get Three Blacks for Attack Upon Woman.

MORE TROOPS ARE CALLED

Adjutant General of State Goes to Scene of Rioting; Reports Conflicting.

DURHAM, N. C., July 19.—Jim Ray, 40, of Graham, was killed; Willie Phillips of Graham, seriously injured and Clem Bradshaw of Haw river slightly wounded tonight when a masked mob attempted to storm the Alamance county jail, where three negroes charged with attack on white woman are held, according to a statement made by Capt. Marion J. Fowler, commanding the Durham machine gun company guarding the jail.

"Absolutely false," Captain Fowler said in connection with the report that no reason could be assigned for the shooting. "The masked mob," Captain Fowler said, "fired the first shot. The machine gunners returned the fire with machine guns and other arms."

The man killed and the two men injured were not members of the mob," Captain Fowler said.

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"He Needs Me, Life or Death" Says Fickle Saleman's Wife

"But I Am Not Going to Leave Him Now." Mrs. Sarah Feist Jonas Declares After Husband Is Shot by Affinity—Mother of Girl Who Kills Self and Shoots Salesman for All.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Mrs. Barbara Meglitz, mother of Miss Pauline Meglitz, both formerly of St. Louis, today declared Julius Jonas, salesman, whom Miss Meglitz shot last night, afterward killing herself, was to blame for the tragedy.

"It was his fault as much as—or more than—hers. Jonas would never let my daughter alone," said Mrs. Meglitz. "There were times when she was ready to quit, but when they came he was more determined than ever to make the affair last."

"It was funny. Whenever one of them was ready to stop the other would insist on going on."

Physicians at Mountrose Avenue hospital, where Jonas was taken after the discovery of the shooting, said today that he might live, but that he was certain to lose his sight.

The man's wife, Sarah Feist Jonas, a sister of Leo Feist, the New York music publisher, visited him at the hospital.

"I have done everything I can to help my husband and it has all come to this," she said. "But I am not going to leave him now. If he is dying I wish to be with him; if he lives he will need me more than ever."

In a letter addressed to the public, Miss Meglitz explained her act. The motive for the tragedy is further amplified in her diary and a letter addressed to "Dear Julie."

Also Mrs. Jonas showed that on previous occasions Jonas had confessed to her his escapade with other girls. In these cases she wrote that she was concerned and they dropped her husband, she said.

BRYAN IS CHOICE OF DRY'S PARTY

Delegates Want Him and Talk of Drafting Commoner.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 19.—The prohibition party is preparing for a finish fight in the coming presidential campaign, according to W. G. Calderwood, vice chairman of the party's national committee, and the various delegates who have arrived for the national convention opening Wednesday. Every delegate here declares that a presidential ticket will be placed in the field and they are unanimous that William J. Bryan and "Billy" Sunday are the men to head the ticket. The question of whether Mr. Bryan will consent to head the ticket is uppermost.

"If Bryan wants the nomination he can have it by nodding his head," said Mr. Calderwood today, "and if he doesn't want it we probably will force it on him. His recent statement in the Commoner that a man must accept such an honor is as tantamount to a declaration that he will accept."

Neither Mr. Bryan nor Mr. Sunday are expected to attend the national convention, but it is not yet significant whether he would be willing to run.

Mr. Calderwood today issued a statement in which he said the only thing which could avert a national prohibition ticket would be a "clear-cut statement by Senator Harding or Governor Cox opposing any changes in the 18th amendment."

"We consider such a statement impossible, however," he continued, "and we are preparing to go to the mat in the coming campaign. We are going to name a ticket which will draw hundreds of thousands of voters."

While the delegates here announce themselves as favoring Bryan as first choice, all have some pet candidate whom interests they are furthering in case the national ticket is not nominated as refuse the nomination.

Dan Poling, 35-year-old international president of the Christian Endeavor society apparently has a strong following and Clinton N. Howard of Rochester, N. Y., is another who is furthering his presidential aspirations. Robert Patton of Springfield, Ill., Charles H. Hancock following and Clinton N. Howard of Rochester, N. Y., is another who is furthering his presidential aspirations. Robert Patton of Springfield, Ill., Charles H. Hancock following and Clinton N. Howard of Rochester, N. Y., is another who is furthering his presidential aspirations.

Delegates express the opinion that a woman is not chosen for the vice presidential nomination.

DEMAND REDUCED; WALKOUT FEARED

Board to Announce Its Findings This Morning in Chicago.

GET HALF ASKED FOR

Chairman Says Estimates of Between 50 and 60 Per Cent "About Right."

STRIKE POSSIBILITY SEEN

Union Chiefs Pessimistic Over Decision; Referendum to Be Taken Among Them.

By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 19.—The railway board, created under the Esch-Cummings transportation act, will hand down tomorrow its first award, increasing the pay of virtually all the 1,000,000 railroad employes of the country.

Tonight's report from reliable quarters indicated the award would average 40 to 60 per cent of the amount asked by the men, or between \$500,000,000 and \$600,000,000 of the billion dollar total they sought.

Judge R. M. Barton, chairman of the board, said tonight that he was "off" when shown the report. The board decided today to announce its decision at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow, instead of 10 o'clock as first planned.

Whether an award on the basis reported would be acceptable to the men and union officers tonight was prepared to discuss the board's award to a referendum.

The labor board began an investigation today of the looting of its office last night, when someone broke in and stole, among other things, a copy of the award. Two copies had been prepared, one for the board's files and the other for the printer. It was the former which was stolen.

While an air of doubt hung over the railroad situation here, it was announced from Philadelphia that the Pennsylvania planned a 10 per cent reduction in its working force this week. The road's announcement said that in the eastern region alone between 11,000 and 15,000 workers would be laid off.

J. G. Rodgers, vice president of the Northwestern region of the railroad at Chicago, said that the reduction applied only to the eastern region, but that a reduction in this region was under consideration. He said, however, that the percentage to be laid off and the date when the order would be effective had not been decided.

From the office of the Southwestern region of the railroad in St. Louis it was learned that no reduction in working force was contemplated.

Reports from Chicago that the railroad organizations probably would reject the proposed reduction in working force, active transportation shares averaging 1 point decline.

The most closely watched conference of rail leaders today was that of the "big five" group, comprising the Brotherhoods of Railway Engineers, firemen, conductors, trainmen and switchmen. Representatives of the six federated shop units, including the blacksmith, boiler-makers, carpenters and electricians

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Ship Eggleston Body to Sister's Home in Kansas

The body of Walter C. Eggleston, who was instantly killed Sunday evening when the car he was driving turned turtle on the Broken Arrow road, was shipped last night at 10:15 to the home of his sister, Miss Mary Eggleston, at Leavenworth. Funeral arrangements were not announced, but the service would be held the latter part of the week.

Los Angeles Shaken by Another Quake

LOS ANGELES, July 19.—A sharp earthquake shock was felt here at 6:48 o'clock tonight. No damage was reported from any quarter of the city. Evidence of panic were also absent.

Thoughts to Think About

AUTO DEALS

This is the season of the year when a great many owners of automobiles have, for various reasons, decided to dispose of used cars.

There's a way to get quickly in touch with the automobile used car market—consult the Want Ads. There are many really wonderful opportunities in the Wants to buy used cars.

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