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HAYS GIVES OUT NAMES OF THOSE WHO WILL FORM BIG G. O. P. BODY

Purpose of Committee Declares Chairman Hays is to Invite Advice and Co-Operation of Ablest Men and Women of All Groups.

NINETEEN WOMEN ASSIGNED PLACES

Men and Women Alike, Declares Mr. Hays, are Offered Right of Political Self Determination and Expression.

By The Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—Will Hays, chairman of the republican national committee, tonight made his appointments to his advisory committee on policies and platform, consisting of 171 members, 19 of whom are women. This committee includes 17 members of the republican national committee whose appointment had been announced previously by Mr. Hays.

"The purpose of this committee," said Mr. Hays, "is to invite the advice and cooperation of the ablest men and women from all groups, sections, industry, business, professions and interest in the country to gather together and data to study intensively the larger problems confronting us, and to offer the result of these efforts as suggestions to the resolutions committee.

"This committee itself will be a working body," he added, "and will engineer the line of thought and investigation for a great many others. Many of the committee will give their entire time to the efforts. Those giving a substantial amount of time will constitute an executive committee of which Odgen L. Mills, Jr., of New York City will be chairman, and John Cotton O'Laughlin, of Washington, secretary. The organization for the committee eventually will be enlarged and additional members designated as the scope of the work broadens.

"Party programs," Mr. Hays pointed, "must always be subject to development and change to the responsible living thought expressed within the party by men and women alike. The republican party's half century of achievement is the best guarantee to the country of future fulfillment, but it is only on future fulfillment that its usefulness will depend. The party must continue to be the instrument to adapt to new and changing conditions the wisdom of experience and the aspirations and honest problems service. It is the party of the future or there is no use for the party.

"To men and women alike is offered the right of political self determination. The duty of the party membership is to say what the party's platform shall be, what its policies shall become. The fundamental right within a political party is the opportunity of the membership to express itself. It is the problem of the party membership in determining what the party stands for. Through it it determines what shall be its platform, it should run a supreme mission, and in the republican party that supreme mission is the honest and fearless patriotic and intelligent effort to promote and safeguard the best interests of the republic and its citizens.

"The responsibility for usefulness to the country and the party of such a committee is very great. The problems which are placed of its are extraordinarily difficult of solution and complexity. The majority of the citizenry of the country believe that the republican party may best be trusted with the solution. The country wants and is entitled not only to that faith in the honesty of intention and fundamental sanity of the republican party, but to a well ordered statement of purpose and carry into

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THE WEATHER

Forecast till 7 p. m. Thursday: For Corpus Christi and vicinity: Cloudy, lower temperature 50 to 54 degrees, light northerly winds.

For Texas east of 100th meridian: Thursday cloudy, warmer in the interior; light northerly winds on the coast.

Louisiana: Thursday fair, except cloudy in southeast portion; Friday fair, warmer.

Arkansas and West Texas: Thursday and Friday fair.

Oklahoma: Thursday and Friday generally fair, somewhat warmer.

East Texas: Thursday and Friday fair, warmer.

A LINE O' CHEER EACH DAY O' THE YEAR.

By John Kendrick Bangs.

BLAMELESS.

I shall not chide the winter's blast
Nor chilling clouds that overcast
The heavens high for fry day
That holds now its sway so fast
For these forsooth are winter's ways.
And winter must have winter days
And some hold sway call to chide
The winterbite
That it hath not the smiling grace
We find on spring or summer's face
Nor more than we should blame the clod
That he is on thymion bed
And spring and summer to my mind
Are sweeter for the winter's wind
So here's to winter and her snow,
And for her winds, why, let em blow,
And thank our stars that winter's true
Unto the task it has to do.

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SHE IS FAIRY GODMOTHER TO N. Y. SHOP GIRLS

NEW YORK.—Miss Edith Day has earned the title of "Fairy Godmother" of the New York shop girls because of her care in dressing for them. She is pursuing several performances of "Irene," the classic she is starring in, and no one will be invited but girls who work, or as they do in New York, "go to business."

BOLSHEVISM IS CONDEMNED BY LABOR LEADER

Gompers Makes Strong Denunciation of Bolshevist in America.

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Writing in the current number of the Federal News, organ of the American Federation of Labor, Samuel Gompers, president, denounces bolshevism "emphatically, fiercely and for all time."

The editorial, which leaves no room for doubt whether the propaganda which claims a place in the American federation shall be tolerated, concludes with the statement that "bolshevism and American ideals are as far apart as the poles."

Mr. Gompers makes an emphatic reference to the attempt of Russian Americans, straight from little school what to think on to Russia and the organized labor to undertake and assume to force opinions.

"It is an insolency," says Mr. Gompers, "for Americans to know of an labor leaders who was the years years in Germany before passing judgment on the form of government existing in Germany."

At the conclusion, according to the publishing of judgment on Germany and the success of democracy, and as a share of security, he is found, "Russia is a country that is ruled by force. The wind of revolution influential in America, which was made in Lenin before proposed enforcement of nothing more than a few years which it is hoped will pass from the Russian experiment of everywhere it is spread of other countries."

Quoting from the war manifesto of the Gompers points out that while the 1919 Pan-Russian congress declared for a dictatorship of the proletariat and for present purposes, a great portion of the personality is distinguished and "the Moscow Government extends of the proletariat exploitation (been as early as the fifth of the number of peasants have a little respect and without one, to this extent) Mr. Gompers says, and a proletariat dictatorship exclusive, he says, shows that the majority of Russia does not even represent the masses of factory workers in Moscow, the best educated strongholds.

Quoting from proletarian official documents, as stated in the "Soviet," he says that the Russian Soviet, the dictatorship of the proletariat, "is not an actual reality. In national history at the present time the dictatorship problem is to do with the people, or members of the bolshevik oligarchy of government is and who what it should have an in forces in determining the judgment of any person, group or an nation." He quotes as the most direct information is dispatch from Russian trade unionists to W. A. Appleton, consul of the International Federation of Trade Unions, that the Lenin party killed labor organizations, split up trade unions, as a whole, and put down strikes "by force of arms and punitive sentences."

EL PASOAN WILL RUN FOR TEXAS GOVERNORSHIP.

By The Associated Press

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 28.—R. E. Thomson of El Paso, speaker of the last house of representatives has announced that he will open his active campaign for nomination as democratic candidate for governor about the middle of February.

SOCIALISTS' TRIAL MAKES LITTLE TIME

Arguments Over Evidence Consumes Most of Day; Some Witnesses Heard

By The Associated Press

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 28.—In an effort to find the possibility of America with the Bolshevists of Russia now succumbed the overthrow organized government, the prosecution of the "Peoples" of the five suspended assembly assemblymen charged with disloyalty today concluded its arguments in support of the motion to expel them. The prosecution outlined by the joint legislative committee investigating revolutionary activities from N. Y. A. E. Martine, former president of Russian Ambassador to the United States.

The committee conducting the investigation submitted the evidence and testimony in the assembly minutes, and counsel for the assembly asked if the defendants desired to call witnesses in their behalf.

Two witnesses were called to the witness stand for the defense. Their testimony was given by Assemblyman Charles Solomon, a democrat, who declared, in one of the Russian Soviet, affirmed with the New York Call, and another by a representative of the Bureau of Unemployment.

The chief witness of the day was Miss Mary Sperry, of Lima, a stenographer who declared he had been signed from the party after he had appointed a committee to advise members of a caucus, and that he had signed a letter which he believed was the last voted for which there was a separate candidate.

The prosecution which claims that it is impossible for any members of the socialist party to conduct assemblyman, adhered to public office through a change in the party constitution requiring members candidates to give the executive committee control over their from office, through and that Mayor Lunn, who resigned, said a resignation in full, all this to avoid trouble on other day.

Mr. Lunn then the stand after Mr. Martine, in reviewing his motion for the overthrow of a party in Moscow from other organizations, to be a peaceful transformation in the capitalistic system. "New York had declared this number of support to aid in maintaining the existence of government, and that could not be overthrown, but as a result of violated because it had been a crime."

In making this motion Mr. Martine told the courts some of Russian that several years had endeavored unsuccessfully to the socialist party, which the "left wing" and committees had honest work with that many of them acts were be long wrong and charged in the indictments.

SAYS FOOD PRICES FALLING.

"Prices are coming down in the national sense," said Mr. Sheridan, president of the North Texas Wholesale Grocers association, addressing the association in convention here. He expressed the opinion that prices of grocery staples would be lower and from now on both wholesalers and consumers may expect a gradual decline in prices.

"The drop in prices will be gradual," said Mr. Sheridan. "but never before it is bound to come. The high prices

ACTION ON BIDS FOR NUMBER OF FORMER GERMAN SHIPS STOPPED

Shipping Board Defers Action On Ships Seized in U. S. During War as Result of Protest Made by Secretary of War.

NEW PROGRAM HAS BEEN AGREED UPON

In Letter to Mr. Payne Mr. Baker Declares Mr. Wilson Has Approved Policy to Permit Building Up of Transport Reserve.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Action on bids for sale of the former German liners seized in the United States and diverted today by the shipping board on a request from Secretary Baker, subject the sale of nearly a million tons of shipping to the War Department's transport reserve.

The bids, not yet announced by Chairman Hurley, will be presented to President Wilson with the request that the matter be presented to President Wilson with the request that the matter be presented to President Wilson for his action on the question with the secretary committee which has been in deadlock as to whether a permanent policy in regard to the American merchant marine.

Chairman Hurley, in a letter to Mr. Baker, protest, promised that no action would be taken and he would confer with the War Department officials. Mr. Hurley is confined to his home with a severe cold and the date of the conference has not been fixed. It is understood however, that the question of the disposition of the vessels already has been placed before President Wilson for final action.

In his letter to Chairman Payne, the war secretary declared that the shipping board, the Navy Department, the War Department, and the Department of Commerce had agreed, with the approval of President Wilson upon a policy to be followed in connection with the former German liners to provide the building up of the army transport reserve. He said records showed to the shipping board for the service indicated, in the agreement, been released, "with the understanding that they are subject to immediate withdrawal in case of an emergency for use as transports."

In addition to these ships the army transport service has hired ships to the German liners for the transport service. They are the Cambria, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, Louisville, Harrisburg, and Von Steuben (former Washington, Minnesota and Rhode Island).

Bids on the liner, which include the former Leviathan, were received up to and including January 15 and were considered today by the shipping board. In all twenty bidders were received. One of these was for the entire group of ships, and another large portion of the vessels. After the meeting of the shipping board, Chairman Hurley said the board had prepared to make an announcement of its action on the bids.

Court of Civil Appeals Issues Seven Decisions

Special to The Caller

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 28.—Following seven decisions handed down by the Texas court of civil appeals at Austin:

Affirmed in part, reversed and remanded in part: Texas vs. Martin, damage suit; Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company vs. H. H. Hunter, suit on note; Mrs. Annie Motley vs. Mrs. Mary Brown, D. Odom, Mrs. Annie Odom, J. C. Anderson, to recover on note; Bank vs. Bank, suit on note.

Affirmed: Texas vs. Texas, suit on note.

Dismissed: Texas vs. Texas, suit on note.

OKLAHOMAN DECLARES THAT "BLOOD WILL FLOW" UNLESS TROOPS GUARDS BORDER LINE

CONFERENCE TO BE HELD TODAY ON PEACE PACT TO TELL STORY

Bi-Partisan Confab Will Decide Today on Continuation of Negotiations for Compromise or Fight It Out On Floor of Senate.

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Preparations for a party caucus on the peace treaties and perhaps final determination of compromise and reservations were made today by leaders of both parties.

Senator Lodge, who is reported to have rallied enough of his Republican colleagues to the support of reservations to insure ratification, was reported to have decided to call a party caucus for tomorrow morning to consider the reservations and other proposals.

Democrats, who hope to attack the reservations of the Republican majority, decided to do the same and perhaps have a caucus of their own. Should the bi-partisan conference which has been in session for many days, fail to agree on a compromise, it was reported today, it would be left to party caucuses to decide on these two points