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Democratic Hosts Endorse Wilson

President's Foreign Policy Given Enthusiastic Approval by Delegates to Convention

RUSSIAN DRIVE ACROSS GALICIA GAINING FORCE

SINCE OFFENSIVE BEGAN ELEVEN DAYS AGO CZAR'S TROOPS HAVE DRIVEN TEUTONS BACK EIGHTY MILES

121,000 PRISONERS TAKEN

Austrians Announce German Offensive and Hold Further Attacks Against Lemberg's Positions—Canadians Have Ground Taken From Germans Tuesday

Kentuckian Who Is to Preside Over Convention

SENATOR OLLIE JAMES

PRESIDENT SCORES DISLOYAL AMERICANS OF FOREIGN BIRTH

CHARGES THAT HYPHENATED CITIZENS ARE TRYING TO LEVY POLITICAL BLACKMAIL

THEY MUST BE CRUSHED

PLATFORM TO DEAL GENTLY WITH MEXICO

NO SPECIFIC MENTION OF CRISIS BELOW THE RIO GRANDE WILL IT IS SAID BE MADE IN DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES

STRONG FOR PREPAREDNES

Declaration Will Be Made in Favor of Army and Navy of Sufficient Strength to Protect This Nation From Aggression of All Times.

DELEGATES ROAR IN APPROVAL OF WILSON POLICY

PRESIDENT'S ACTION IN STEERING THIS COUNTRY CLEAR OF ENTANGLEMENT WITH FOREIGN POWERS GIVEN ENDORSEMENT

ENTHUSIASM IS RAMPANT

Gov. Glynn's Keynote Speech at Opening Session of Convention Interrupted at Its Conclusion by Demonstration That Were Hard to Quiet.

AMERICANISM AND PEACE, PROSPERITY AND PREPAREDNESS DEMOCRAT WAR CRY

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"From the party platform down to the candidate will come a united voice based on sound patriotism and the good whole-souled common sense.

"This command will be heard in the congressional halls and in the cabinet at the bench. It will reach the President in his office and the lowest of the land. We stand to help in correcting our mistakes to those who may be there if we permitted any remnants of partisan profit, any considerations of political advantage to obscure our vision of the transcendent issues now before the people of the United States. We must not yield an inch to selfish, sectional or partisan interests of a minority confident in advance only that the best of the country, the lovers of our institutions, consider the selection of what all they consider to be a crisis in the national affairs.

Wilson's Peace Policy.

In addition to the endorsement of the President's peace policy, Mr. Glynn said:

"The law under the world has been alive the realization that we have been cast up to be mankind's arbiter in the history. Proofs from the three conflagrations now blazing in our own above scores of our strife have sounded at our very doors. That we with hearts that bleed, with sentiment, but that but the United States may hold the balance of peace. Now let it be recorded the people from participation in the conflict.

"With the people of the United States most determined though their suffrage is whether the desire the country has proved through the peace still period is to be continued, whether the principles that have been asserted as our national policy shall be endorsed or withdrawn.

"This is the paramount issue. No other issue must cloud it, no party be allowed to divert from it.

"It is further that the voice of our country is one American to the American, that all, those asserted that

"The great President of the United States was the first man to proclaim publicly a rule of international conduct.

"In 1821 John Washington declared the doctrine and within a month John the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, in an opinion and the Court's action would create interest and personal bond with the principle into the law of this land. The Declaration of Independence and Freedom, it is declared, the rest of mankind consists in war, in peace, France, the Constitution, represented in fact the First President of the United States by proclaiming the first chief justice by interpretation with it the letter and power.

"The President of the United States stands today where stood the men who made America and who served America. He stands where John Adams stood when he told King George that America was the land he loved and that power was his grandfather and her mother. He stands where General Grant stood when he said there never was a war that could not have been settled other than other way, and he has shown his willingness to try the peace of peace before he seeks the order of war. He stands where George Washington stood when he prayed that this country would never prostitute the sword except in self-defense as long as justice and our essential rights cannot be preserved without it.

"For this glory or for selfish purposes, others may see up a cause of blood and iron, but the President of the United States has acted on the belief that the leader of a nation who planters his people into an unnecessary war like Pontius Pilate lightly washes his hands of innocent blood while the earth quakes and the heavens are darkened and the thousands rise on the shout."

American Neutrality.

The justification of our policy of neutrality is expressed by Mr. Glynn in these words:

"Before this declaration every war was a world-war, since this declaration nearly every war has been a local war. Before this declaration war was a whirlpool ever increasing in area and in its whirl dragging down the nations of the earth; since this declaration war has become a sea of trouble upon which nations embark only from self-will, from self-interest or the necessity of incorporated section of financial domination or political alliance.

"Neutrality is the policy which has kept us at peace while Europe has been driving the nails of war through the hands and feet of crucified humanity."

In concluding this issue, Mr. Glynn said:

"To the critics of the present administration believe that Lincoln should have risked national disaster to unite the sword rather than the pen in preaching the Alabama claims? Are they willing to brand Grant as a coward because he kept us at peace with Spain?"

In answer to those who say that President Wilson's policy does not sat-

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McCOMBS BARES RANK HYPOCRISY OF REPUBLICANS

DEMOCRATS HAVE ALREADY DONE WHAT OTHERS IN THEIR GREED FOR OFFICE NOW PROMISE TO DO.

NATION'S HONOR AT STAKE

Bull Moose and G. O. P. Denounced for Trading Principles for Pelf and Attempt to Hide Their Iniquity Beneath a Judicial Robe

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 14.—In calling the Democratic national convention to order at noon today, Wm. F. McCombs, chairman of the Democratic national committee said:

"Ladies and gentlemen of the Convention: We are in an atmosphere of victory. We meet to celebrate the many signal achievements of the Democratic party since it came into power and to place a milestone upon the path of its future success.

"The Republican party for years dominated the country. Now it is destroying itself. In its platform, it offers patchwork promises—but with vacuous intent.

"In contrast the country in the main which the Democratic party has already done or is in the process of doing, working always the 'higher good of humanity.' It has checked its impetuosity with a judicial case, but the clamor band of special interest still persists.

"We have recently witnessed the spectacle of two great American parties at Chicago putting self-glorification in place of national honor; reactionism and progressivism, so called, in place of our only 'isms'—Americanism.

"We have witnessed the drab spectacle of a group of men trading principles like competitors in a fish market. In the hope that some compromise would win public support. They have not come together, they have fallen out over the 'swag.' The result is inevitable—divided they fail. We are proud in the thought that I said we stand. We welcome the rounding up Americanism of the real progressives individually to our ranks, offering them a haven, in principle. Their leaders have abandoned them.

"This is a crucial hour in the history of the world, an hour when everyone should ask himself his conscience squares with the periods of dramatic episode when this country resolutely maintained peace with honor.

"The Democratic party, in the face of vicious attacks, has maintained this great American ideal. While for peace it has worked for sound and powerful preparedness. It has maintained dignity in the face of circumstances that might have drawn it into the vortex of a world destruction. It has maintained friendly relations throughout the world. It has been true to the spirit of America. The country has found that its confidence has been well bestowed. The Democratic party has proved itself a party of principle, a party of constructive ability, a party of performance. It has proved that ideals can be realized. United we stand for America!

"Ladies and gentlemen, the Elephant is dead, the Moose is dead. Long live the American Eagle!"

PRESIDENT WRITES AMERICANISM PLANK FOR PARTY PLATFORM

WOULD DENOUNCE FOREIGN-BORN CITIZENS WHO ARE SHOWING DISLOYALTY.

BRYAN HAS ONE PLANK

ST. LOUIS, June 14.—The resolutions committee of the democratic convention was informed tonight that Bryan had only one plank to offer and that it was a Wilson plank. Bryan expects to go before the people, he is quoted tonight, on the resolutions that the committee reports. The committee was still in session late tonight hearing persons who desire to have various declarations incorporated into the platform.

Wilson's Americanism plank received by telegraph tonight, charges conspiracy by some foreign-born citizens to influence foreign and internal affairs for the benefit of other governments and condemns organizations countenancing such movements. This probably will not be considered until tomorrow, when the subcommittee makes final draft of the platform. Committee members talked in a guarded manner of this plank tonight, realizing that much depends on the phraseology in which it enters the platform.

PROS DETERMINE TO MAKE STRAIGHT OUT SUBMISSION FIGHT

NATIONAL PROHIBITION AND KINDRED SUBJECTS NOT TO FIGURE IN CAMPAIGN

ATTACK BARTON'S LEAGUE

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PESKY "CHIGGERS" EASY TO CIRCUMVENT

HOT SALT BATH IN EARLY STAGES OF THEIR OPERATIONS WILL REMOVE THEM

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TODAY'S CALENDAR.

Local forecast for today: Generally fair.

At the Theatres.

Majestic (Pantages) presents Fannie Rockwell in "He Fell in Love with His Wife" a live reel version of the famous play.

Lyric—First episode of the wonderful serial "The Secret of the Submarine" featuring Jennie Hanson and Thomas Chatterton.

Today's Local Calendar.

Weekly luncheon Rotary Club, Nueces Hotel 12:15 o'clock.

Directors Commercial Club to meet tonight at 8 o'clock for weekly business session.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—For East Texas: Thursday and Friday, generally fair.

West Texas: Thursday and Friday, fair.

GREAT FLOOD OF GOLD.

NEW YORK, June 14.—The receipt today of an additional three million dollars in gold from Canada, consigned to J. P. Morgan & Co., brings the total gold imports from across the border during the past five weeks to about five million dollars, with no signs of abatement.

CARRANZA'S RULE, WASHINGTON BELIEVES IS ABOUT TO COLLAPSE

DE FACTO GOVERNMENT EXPECTED TO GO TO PIECES ON FINANCIAL ROCKS

CHAOS THEN MAY FOLLOW

WASHINGTON, June 14.—There seems to develop today in Washington Mexican situation. Whatever is the outcome in the situation beyond the border officials here are convinced that the pressure of American forces on Mexican soil is only one factor, and perhaps the lesser one, causing some constitutionalists in Mexico to consider the question of a settlement. The real cause for the adoption of the Carranza government's efforts to adjust financial questions is believed to be the apparent collapse of the Carranza government's efforts to adjust financial questions is believed to be the apparent collapse of the Carranza government's efforts to adjust financial questions is believe