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FALL OF CZERNOWITZ MATTER OF SHORT TIME

The Russian Offensive in Galicia Is Being Pressed With Still Further Successes—Strongholds Are Falling Into the Hands of the Russians and More Prisoners Are Being Captured. Germany Claims the Advance on Hindenburg's Army Was Repulsed—No Changes at Verdun.

(By Associated Press.)

Petrograd, June 14.—In the advance on Czernowitz the Russians occupied the village of Sniatyn, 20 miles northwest of the city, the Petrograd official statement said today. The Russians have taken an additional 6000 men. The German statement on the Russian fighting says the Russian offensive has broke out again against Hindenburg's forces 75 miles north of Pinsk. The Germans claim they were repulsed with heavy losses.

War Summary.

(By Associated Press.)

London, June 14.—A violent artillery engagement took place last night near Vaux, but there were no infantry attacks before Verdun, the French statement says today. The Austrians are encountering a stiff resistance in Southern Tyrol, which they are unable to break. Czernowitz, the capital of Bukovina, apparently is about to fall into Russian hands.

THE NEW U. S. MILITARY BILL

Provides for Six Months Enlistment By All Males Over 18 for Military Training.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, June 14.—Details of the new universal military training and service bill, which will be offered in congress this session, became known today. The bill provides that all male citizens shall enlist for six months military camp training during the calendar year in which they become 18 years of age, and thereafter shall be discharged into the reserve. In times of war these trained men might be called into service by classes of years, the youngest first. The bill is designed as a substitute for the Chamberlain measure now pending.

"Mrs. Chatter seems to be quite a conversationalist." "Yes. She has three cars to brag about and six servants to complain of."—Boston Globe.

DEMOCRATIC HOSTS IN ST. LOUIS

Sentiment Favors Making Overtures to Progressives—Hot Labor Plank Prepared.

(By Associated Press.)

The Coliseum, St. Louis, June 14.—With the keynote of "Americanism, peace, preparedness and prosperity," the democratic national convention began its first session at 12:31 today with not a single element to disturb the harmonious renomination of Wilson and Marshall. All prospect of a fight in the convention went glimmering with Bryan's announcement that he would not press certain planks, and world stump for Wilson. Prolonged cheers greeted Bryan's entry to the hall. The first "stunt" of the convention was put on by the Texas delegates who tossed miniature bales of cotton from the floor to the gallery. Chairman McCombs delivered a brief opening speech followed by Rev. Lee offering a prayer. After the call for the convention, McCombs announced the temporary officers and Governor Glynn opened with the keynote speech. He was given an immense ovation as he stepped forward to speak.

Want Progressive Votes.

(By Associated Press.)

St. Louis, Mo., June 14.—Expressions of approval were heard today among the delegates to the democratic national convention on the suggested plan to win over the progressives by making overtures in the democratic platform. Frank P. Walsh, former chairman of the Federal Industrial Relations Committee, submitted a proposed industrial plank today denouncing the use of the militia against organized laborers. The plank also declares for the rights of labor unions to organize.

Objected to Plank.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, June 14.—Efforts to insert a plank in the democratic platform favoring a law prohibiting federal judges from resigning to accept elective offices, will not be countenanced by President Wilson. The president sent word to St. Louis that he did not want to play petty politics.

Suffragettes Cheered.

(By Associated Press.)

St. Louis, June 14.—Under a sweltering sun and intense humidity, 8000 suffragettes carried out their "golden lane" demonstration on twelve blocks of Locust Street leading to the convention hall. They were enthusiastically cheered by thousands of delegates and convention visitors who passed between their white and yellow garbed lines.

PYTHIAN SISTERS.

The Pythian Sisters will hold their meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. There will be election of officers. A full attendance is urged. Mrs. H. L. McKnight, L. E. C.

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CHAIRMAN M'COMBS FIRED FIRST SHOT

Called Democratic Convention to Order and Takes a Few Shots at the Republicans.

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 marvelous 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 deceived the country. Now it is deceiving itself. In its platform it offers pulchritudinous promises—but with vacuous intent.

"It promises the country in the main what the democratic party has already done or is in the process of doing, saving always, the bogus god, 'protection.' It has cloaked its iniquity with a judicial robe, but the cloven hoof of special interest still protrudes.

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

"We have witnessed the drab spectacle of two groups 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 fall.' We are proud in the thought that 'united we stand.' We welcome the pent-up Americanism of the real progressives individually to our ranks, offering them a haven, in principle. Their leader has abandoned them.

"This is a crucial hour in the history of the world, an hour when every one should see whether 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 dig-

COTTON CLASSER COMES TO BRYAN

Commercial Association With Colonel Ousley Gets Cotton Classer for Brazos County Farmers.

A standard cotton grader, which is furnished by the United States, has been secured for the City of Bryan and the farmers of Brazos County, Colonel Clarence Ousley, head of the extension department of the A. & M. College, and the Commercial Association of Bryan are those who deserve the credit for this new enterprise. There will be five of these classing stations in Texas this year and this city is one of the chosen few. The object of the classing station is for the farmers or any one who has cotton to sell to take the samples of same to the man in charge of the station and get it graded so that he can get an idea as to what it is worth. After same has been graded he will be told the market price for the grade he has and can figure out exactly what he should get for the staple.

ELKS DANCE WILL BE INFORMAL

The social session committee of the local Elks lodge is busy today arranging for the informal dance which will be given at their handsome club rooms tomorrow evening, complimenting the visitors in our city. The affair will be strictly informal and no invitations have been issued, but all Elks and all visitors, and especially visiting ladies, will be expected to be present. Dancing will begin promptly at 9 o'clock.

nity in the face of circumstances which 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 proven 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 LEADS GREAT PARADE

Seventy-five Thousand in Preparedness Parade in Washington Led by Wilson Carrying U. S. Flag.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, June 14.—Led by President Wilson carrying the Stars and Stripes, nearly 75,000 persons marched up Pennsylvania Avenue today in a preparedness parade arranged to emphasize the national capital's demand for an adequate army and navy. The occasion was also Flag Day.

COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE IN SCHOOLS.

The increasing acceptance of the idea of compulsory attendance in schools is one of the most gratifying signs of progress in the South at this time.

The South is today about the only considerable portion of the civilized earth in which it is thought fit and proper for a careless and ignorant parent to bind his children for life in the bonds of ignorance, blind them for life to the light of knowledge, and cripple them for life in the struggle for existence; and this fact is a blot upon our boasted civilization, a blot we should like to enlist every man, woman and child in our Progressive Farmer family in helping to wipe out.

The argument of "personal liberty," "the rights of the parent," etc., which have been so long invoked in this matter cannot stand the light of reason. What about the "rights of the child" and his own God-given right of "liberty" of mind through the emancipating power of knowledge? And as for the parent, we may well say in the language of the great philosopher Huxley: "I have liberty to do right; I will thank any man to take away my right to do wrong." The right to keep a child in ignorance is "a right to do wrong," and it should be taken away from every careless parent in the South, as it has already been taken away from such parents nearly everywhere else outside of heathendom.—The Progressive Farmer.

NO PRAYER MEETING.

There will be no prayer meeting at the First Baptist Church tonight on account of the picnic at Oak Grove this afternoon and evening. Services will be held in connection with the picnic. Everybody is invited. M. E. WEAVER, Pastor.

Oil is used for locomotive fuel on forty railroads in the United States, operating in twenty-one states.

CONTEST CLOSING DRAWING NEAR

Contests for Free Scholarships to A. & M. Short Course Will Close on June 30.

The scholarship contest, inaugurated by the Womans Club of this city, which gives free scholarships at the A. & M. College short course this summer, closes Friday, June 30.

An unusual interest has been manifested in this contest from its very beginning, there being about forty names enrolled upon the list, and many others came in later. It has already proven a benefit to all, for it has aroused a greater interest in the art of home canning, home gardening and the care of poultry. All cannot win the scholarships offered as prizes, but all share in the benefits derived from competing for them, and this benefit is not confined to that individual alone but to the members of her home, her neighborhood and county as well.

Mrs. Albert Buchanan, the retiring president, is still in charge of this scholarship contest, as it is a continuation of this year's work of the club. All committees to arrange for the success of the closing day, June 30, will be announced next week, and all contestants are reminded to watch The Eagle for the program of the day, and other important announcements. This work as undertaken by the women of our town and county is a worthy one, and one from which only good and real benefit to all can be derived, and it is hoped that the people of Bryan will join with the tireless, faithful women of the Woman's Club in making the closing day, Friday, June 30, a splendid and successful event.

COMMERCIAL CLUB DIRECTORS MEET.

The regular weekly meeting of the Commercial Association directors was held this morning in the club rooms. Very little business of importance was brought up. The matter of Bryan securing from the United States government one of the five cotton grading stations to be established in Texas was announced and is referred to in another column. A communication from the newly elected secretary, Mr. W. A. McElroy, was read in which he stated that he had tendered his resignation to the Board of Trade at Glimmer and that same had been accepted and that he would be in Bryan the first of July to take up his duties. Bills against the association were audited and ordered paid.

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