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THE PROGRESS OF THE WAR

The eyes of the world just now are on the Russians in their drive to the west. Three times the Teutons have overrun a large part of Galicia and other Russian provinces and twice the Russians have driven them back again and now for the third time the Russians are on the offensive and have pushed the Teutons backwards for a very considerable distance and are still advancing. The whole battle line is about 600 miles long and the advance has been in the central and southern parts. Russians claim to have taken over 100,000 prisoners in their operations during the last month.

A naval battle in which the Russians sank a warship and several merchant vessels which were being convoyed is reported. It is also rumored that there is a large British naval force now in the Baltic.

Heavy fighting continues at Verdun, the Germans making some important gains in territory but with a considerable loss of men. Undoubtedly some eight or ten square miles northward from Verdun contains more human blood than any other similar area has ever contained.

The British and particularly the Canadians have been fighting hard a great deal of the time for the last fortnight and casualty lists as printed show large losses. The Germans drove them backwards near Ypres on June 2nd, but the British have taken most of the lost area back again.

Affairs in Mexico are no better. Some 1,500 more regulars were ordered to the border last week.

THE DANDYLION.

Why the "dandy"? Why the "lions"? Why the "dandy lion"? It is a "dandy" in dress. There is no flower more brilliant and gaudy. Even the stems of the flowers are something of the unique compared with the supports of other blossoms. A luxuriant green lawn or field through which these golden tops are scattered gives a contrast and beauty only rivaled by the stars in the firmament above.

because it is "the king of vegetation" or from the tawny name of its namesake we are not sure. Like the king of beasts it also lies low and springs on its prey. Its flat leaves fight by lying on and over the surrounding grasses and thus smother them to save its own existence.

As a whole from its own deep rooted standpoint the dandy is a decided success. It is the living expression of "root hog or die" and usually the hog lives. It fights both from the trench and with its aeroplanes.

Even from the standpoint of its enemies it is of some value. A dish of "greens" make a fine addition to anyone's meal, while it makes a dandy wine (even in prohibition North Dakota) and its roots are valuable as medicine and it is said that just now the drug men are looking for supplies from this country which in former and more peaceful years they got from Germany. Think what fortunes await the North Dakota farmer and householder if the demand only keeps up. The average North Dakota dandy is a biped—it has two feet to each root.

But nobody (but children) loves the dandy. It is friendless. Men, women and other vegetation hate, despise and fight it. With all its beauty, with all its energy and initiative, we despise the one and combat the other.

Why? Young man, young woman and other old people take notice and meditate. It is just a case of being too fresh. Too much and too often a "butt-in". Beauty, good looks, energy, ability are all good things to have—but there can be too much of any good thing—if it interferes with the good things of others. Don't be too fresh.

DRAIN NO. 16.

The complete report of the financial statistics of Drain No. 16 situated in Carlisle and Hamilton townships given us by Auditor Felson will not only be of value to those who were taxed for that drain but to others who have such drains in prospect.

We are not intending to criticize the cost of construction of this particular drain, but the fact remains as shown not only in his drain but in all others in which the figures have been given to the public, that the actual work of the excavation is generally proportionately small compared with other items of expense.

The average public drain as constructed in this level country is but little larger, and often no larger, than the average highway ditch. Graded highways are built with drains on two sides for from \$150 to \$200 per mile. Compare this cost with the cost for the county drain.

We need drainage. We need comprehensive and connected drain systems. But the farmers better build their own ditches by private communities and thus save a lot of money.

FOR PRESIDENT.

CHARLES E. HUGHES.

While the name of Mr. Hughes had been prominent before the assembling of the Chicago convention, and though he was the most popular candidate, yet until he was notified of that nomination he had not uttered a word as to his personal standing on current and important issues.

In this respect his practically unanimous choice by the delegates was perhaps one of the most unique things in our political history. The nomination was made solely on account of his known character and ability, and not because of any expressed personal ideas. This in itself means very much, and perhaps the greatest possible compliment.

But in his brief answer to the notification of the chairman of the convention he expressed opinions that should satisfy every loyal citizen of the United States, no matter what his political affiliation.

It is something for self congratulation to know that if the other candidate is to be elected that he is a good American citizen, with all that name implies.

Mr. Wilson will be selected by the coming Democratic convention this week. Mr. Roosevelt was nominated by the Progressive party but has stated that if Mr. Hughes' views suit him that he may not accept.

If Roosevelt declines to run we believe that Republican success is assured, and by no means a lost cause if Roosevelt runs. Conditions in all parties are very different than they were four years ago and party lines will be drawn in very different directions. The effects and phases of the European war have pretty well broken up former party lines and issues, and the platforms of all three parties will read very much alike this year. The personality of the candidates and their records will be the controlling motives in casting ballots this year.

It is yet four months to election and history is being made rapidly these days. New questions and new issues are likely to arise that may make present prophecies null and void because of the different conditions, but as things are, taking all things into consideration it looks like Hughes after the next fourth of March.

"GREAT BENEFITS" INDEED.

When the Democrats took the Tariff off of leather to make the shoe and harness cheaper, they did a great thing for the country, for the fact is demonstrated in the continued increase of the price of shoes and harness. That is where the profit gets into the pudding. And now comes the manufacturer with the statement that another advance in shoes must be expected. Leather of all kinds, they say has gone up. Shoes must go up, too. As a matter of course, they can't stay down when the Democrats give us free hides and take the Tariff off of all kinds of leather.

Great are the blessings Free-Trade, and great is the party that inaugurates such blessings. Truly the Wilson administration ought to be canonized for the benefit it has bestowed on the people. Selah.—Portland (Ind.) Commercial Review.

County News

F. A. Argue has sold his 480 acre farm in Carlisle.

Albert Gansels has opened an implement business at Cavalier.

J. E. Lee of Neche has spent two weeks on the Federal jury at Fargo.

Earl Parks of Hamilton has four young red foxes he captured while quite young.

Albert Gillis of Gardar has accepted a position with Schultz, Hinz, Johnson & Co. of Crystal, as clerk.

E. T. Thompson and George J. Smith were elected directors of the St. Thomas schools at the recent elections.

Rev. E. E. Parks of Stanley, this state has taken up his duties as pastor of the Presbyterian church of Cavalier.

The Cavalier Chronicle says that the condition of Mrs. Aug. Short is somewhat improved although yet very sick.

Frank Fraser, J. F. Hemsley and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Lee were delegates to Wahpeton last week to the Odd Fellows and Rebekah grand lodges.

The work on the new addition to the Drayton hospital is progressing and when completed will more than double the capacity of that institution.

Announcements are out for the wedding of Miss Laura G. Daubenberg, to William M. Stone at Crookston soon. Miss Daubenberg has been court stenographer for Judge Kneeshaw for many years.

Mrs. N. Deichert who recently arrived from California to visit relatives at Cavalier suffered a serious stroke of paralysis while visiting a son at Grand Forks last week. According to last reports she was very low.

The Standard Oil Company emptied one of their large storage tanks that had been used for motor spirits at Walhalla and loaded it on a car and shipped it to Souris. The contents of the tank was transferred to Cavalier.

Prof. Pleasant who has been in charge of the Crystal schools, goes to San Marcos, New Mexico, a place of a thousand people and nearly a mile above sea level, where he will have charge of the schools there.

Mrs. J. W. Scott of Bathgate, who remained in California with the family, while Mr. Scott returned to dispose of his property, arrived home last week, and Bathgate will be their home in the future as the proposed deal fell through.

Petitions all Filed.

Petitions of all state and county candidates for office have been filed and the primary election campaign from now to June 29th will take on a more lively aspect.

STATE OFFICERS

U. S. Senator—L B Hanna, Porter J McCumber, Herman N Mitbo, R A Nestos.
 Representative to Congress, First District—H T Helgeson, Frederic T Cuthbert.
 Governor—Usher Burdick, John H Frane, Lynn J Frazer, George J Smith.
 Lieut. Governor—A T Krabell, Oscar J Sorlie.
 Secretary of State—Thomas Hall, Jacob Hjort.
 State Auditor—Carl O Jorgenson, Carl R Kositzky.
 State Treasurer—John Stein.
 Atty. General—William Langer, Henry J Linde.
 Commissioner of Insurance—S A Osmess, Walter C Taylor.
 Commissioner Agriculture and Labor—John N. Hagan, Robert F Flint.
 Commissioners of Railroads (—vote for three) Charles W Bleick, M P Johnson, W H Mann, W H Statsuman, S J Aandahl, O. P. Anderson.

COUNTY CANDIDATES

REPUBLICAN TICKET
 Auditor—W. W. Felson
 Treasurer—Hugh Gibson
 Register of Deeds—Geo. Roadhouse
 County Judge—H. G. Vick, W. H. Otten.
 Sheriff—Chas. Atkinson
 States Attorney—W. J. Burke
 Public Administrator—Geo. Peterson
 Commissioner Fourth District—W. J. Watts.
 Legislative Representatives—P. H. McMillan, W. N. Husband, F. King, Henry Geiger.
 State Senator—A. J. McFadden

DEMOCRATIC TICKET

U. S. Senator—John Burke, Frank O. Hellstrom.
 Representative to Congress—First District, George A Bangs.
 Governor—D H WcArthur, L S Platou, Halvor L Halvorson.
 Lieut. Governor—M J Kitzman.
 Secretary of State—William Olson.
 State Auditor—G I Solum.
 Treasurer—P M Casey.
 Atty. General—G. S. Woledge.
 Commissioner of Insurance—Dennis M Lynch.
 Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor—John Harvy.
 Commissioners of Railroad—Charles Hein, Martin C Murphy, D S Brookhoff.
 There is a few names on the State Socialist Ballot but are not of general interest in this county.
 Auditor—Herb Kibler
 Clerk of Court—J. D. Winlaw
 Register of Deeds—Paul Williams
 States Attorney—Wm. McMurchie, J. E. Garvey.
 Commissioner Second District—John Staples, Jonas Hall
 Legislative Representatives—Wm. Pleasance, J. J. O'Connor
 State Senator—Walter Wolford.

NON-PARTISAN BALLOTS

There are also two "Non-partisan" ballots (not the political party so-called). The Judicial Ballot has the following names; for Supreme Court judges, Charles Fisk, E B Gross, R H Grace, J E Robinson, Burleigh P Spalding, John C. Adamson, Luther E Birdzell, ET Burke.
 For Judge, 7th Judicial District, William J Kneeshaw.
 The School Ballot has the following names.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction—W E Hoover, N C MacDonald.
 County Superintendent of School—Charlotte A Jones.

City Council.

Adjourned regular meeting of the city council, Monday evening, June 12, 1916. Present, Aldermen King, Benson, Shumaker, Heneman, Thompson and Wilkins.

Bills audited and allowed:
 Pembina Grain & Elevator Co., lumber and coal \$152 30
 The city marshal was ordered to tear down the band stand on Ramsey street the same being rotten and dangerous.
 The city assessor turned over assessment books for examination by the city council.

On motion books were placed in charge of the auditor for examination by taxpayers, and that the council adjourn from day to day until next Monday evening, June 19th, unless business requires a meeting sooner.

On motion adjourned to June 13th, 1916.

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