

DEMOCRATS ARE READY FOR OPENING OF THEIR MEETING WEDNESDAY

TWO QUESTIONS UPPERMOST IN DAY'S PARLEYS

One Concerns Itself With Nomination of Vice President Marshall.

SUFFRAGE PROBLEM ALSO IS IMPORTANT

Secretary of War Baker puts Quietus on Boom For His Selection.

St. Louis, June 13.—The stage is set for the opening at noon tomorrow of the democratic national convention. Two questions are uppermost in the minds of political leaders and delegates. One was whether Vice President Marshall would be nominated by acclamation or whether favorite sons would insist upon their names going before the convention for a ballot. The other was the probable action of the delegates with regard to the demand of the suffragists for an unequivocal declaration in the platform in favor of equal rights.

Late today sentiment for the renomination of Marshall appeared strong, leaders said, adding that there was talk among them of starting a movement to have him named without going through the formality of taking a ballot.

The talk of naming Secretary of War Baker for second place on the ticket died out almost as suddenly as it started. Baker had much to do with putting a quietus to his boom, when he declared he was for Marshall and that mention of his name merely was a "friendly enterprise."

TWO ESCAPE FROM PRISON

J. J. King and Mulick Make Getaway from Bismarck Penitentiary.

Bismarck, N. D., June 13.—J. J. King and one Mulick, penitentiary prisoners, escaped from the prison last night and at a late hour this afternoon had not been apprehended.

EQUITY CASE IS DELAYED TODAY

Action Seeking Annulment Continued Until Next November.

(Herald Special Service.) Fargo, N. D., June 13.—The case of North Dakota against the Equity Co-operative Exchange of St. Paul, by which the state sought to show that the Equity organization had violated its charter rights, and asking annulment of the charter, was today continued by order of Judge Pollock to the November term of court.

BANKER AND FAMILY HAVE NARROW ESCAPE IN A RUNAWAY AUTO

R. McBride, president of the Bank of Cavalier, N. D., is spending a few days in Grand Forks attending the commencement exercises and waiting for the completion of repairs on his automobile. Mr. McBride had an experience on his arrival in Grand Forks which might have had a very serious turn. In the machine besides himself and his wife and two children, were Mrs. McBride and son, Scott, who was driving. While traveling on North Third street at a slow rate of speed, the steering gear broke and the machine went beyond control. However, young McBride succeeded in stopping the car before any serious results could happen.

THOUSANDS TO ATTEND GREAT COUNTY PICNIC

Faddens Grove at Arvilla Will be Mecca for the Boosters Tomorrow.

EVERYTHING IS READY FOR FUN

Visitors Come in Eighteen Autos to Stir Interest in Grand Forks.

What promises to be the greatest outdoor picnic in the history of this part of the Red River Valley will be conducted at Arvilla tomorrow when the annual Grand Forks county picnic will be held at Faddens' grove.

A booster delegation from Arvilla, covering in about 15 automobiles, and accompanied by the Arvilla band, reached Grand Forks this afternoon, and aroused considerable enthusiasm locally over the picnic. Grand Forks will certainly be well represented at the gathering.

M. F. Murphy, J. D. Bacon, Mr. Williams and S. C. Sheets of Arvilla, covering a vast address at the corner of Alpha avenue and Third street on the arrival of the Arvilla boosters.

A large crowd of citizens gathered and heard the remarks of the speakers. The young German players several times drew attention to the band, and they moved down to the Herald building, where more music was furnished.

A fine program of sports has been arranged for the day, including baseball games and athletic events of all kinds. Picnic lunches will be brought along by the visitors, and a covery of other attractions will be offered. There will be speaking and music by the Arvilla band. Refreshments will also be at the disposal of the visitors.

The Arvilla boosters who came to Grand Forks today have also visited Emerado, Mekinock, Manvel, Honeyford, Gilby, Johnstown, Inkster, Orr, McCauley, Niagara, Rempton, Larimore, Northwood and other places in the county. All of these communities are planning to send large delegations to the picnic.

In connection with the picnic the annual meeting of the Grand Forks County Better Farming association will be held at Arvilla tomorrow morning starting at 11 o'clock. Eight members of the board of directors will be elected. Other important business will be considered.

Can't Afford to Miss It. The picnic will undoubtedly be one of the best ever held in North Dakota and no one can afford to miss it, said Secretary D. V. Moore today, who has taken an important part in making the arrangements for the annual event.

MAN KILLED BY KICK OF HORSE

(Herald Special Service.) Grand Forks, N. D., June 13.—E. T. McKee, residing here, was instantly killed by the kick of a horse while he was engaged in harnessing the animal.

WILSON GIVES FIRST CAMPAIGN ADDRESS TODAY

Addresses the Graduates of West Point Military Academy.

AMERICA FIRST, HE DECLARES

Runs Through Questions Discussed by Hughes in Acceptance.

West Point, June 13.—President and Mrs. Wilson arrived here early today to attend the graduation exercises of the military academy. Twenty-one gun salutes, given by the cadets, were answered by the yacht Mayflower. There was a cavalry escort for the president and his wife to the parade grounds.

The president's first address of the presidential campaign discussed preparedness, militarism, Americanism, the Monroe Doctrine, divided allegiance and the ideals of America. He declared it the present duty of America to be prepared, adding that "mankind is to know that when America speaks she means what she says."

The president said the United States should not be a blustering nation with a "chip on its shoulder," but a calm nation which will withhold its hand as long as possible and strike only for victory.

The president's address ran through the entire list of subjects discussed by Hughes and his telegram accepting the Republican nomination and declared that the United States is ready to join with other nations to see that the kind of justice it believes in is given.

Shaking his finger emphatically, the president told the graduates of the military academy and a large audience that nobody who does not put America first can be tolerated. He added, however, that true Americans should set a good example.

KAISER AGAIN LAUDS FLEET

Amsterdam, June 13.—In reply to the congratulations of his aunt, the Princess Marie Louise, Dowager Grand Duchess of Baden, Emperor William telegraphed as follows:

"Hearty thanks for your congratulations. How gloriously God helped our brave blue boys; praise and thanks to Him for his gracious assistance. I am deeply moved in the proud joy that my creation, which has been the work of my life, has proved, with God's help, to be such a good, sharp weapon. The young German fleet tore down the nimbus of invincibility of the British sea power. May God help further."

EVANGELIST PAYS FINE AT CROOKSTON

(Herald Special Service.) Crookston, Minn., June 13.—Friends of Rev. A. Lee Aldrich, the evangelist, who closed a five weeks' campaign Sunday, are incensed today because he was arrested by Game Warden Munch for fishing at Union Lake without a license, and catching an undersized picker. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$25.

PIONEER ENGINEER DIES AT BRAINERD

(Herald Special Service.) Fargo, N. D., June 13.—Samuel P. Olson, holding a record of 35 years' continuous service on the Northern Pacific, died shortly after midnight at Brainerd, Minn. He had been ill for several months with a complication of ailments.

BRYAN WOULD UNITE PARTY WITH MOOSERS

Opportune Time for Union Between Progressives and Democrats, He Says.

St. Louis, Mo., June 13.—Wm. J. Bryan, newspaper reporter from Nebraska, arrived today to cover the Democratic convention. He asserted most emphatically that his reportorial role shall be his first interest. But the former secretary of state, builder of many platforms, including the one the party now stands on, has a new treaty to propose, a pact between the Democrats and Progressives to induce the Bull Moosers to support Wilson next fall.

"Now is the opportune time for the Democrats to get most of the Progressives," said Bryan.

"The Progressives are not all satisfied with the results of their convention in Chicago," he said.

He intimated that the Moosers might be drawn to the Democrats by writing Progressive planks in the Democratic platform. Bryan stated he had no plan except to report the convention for newspapers and was silent when asked if he would go before the convention in behalf of peace and anti-militarist planks.

DE LA ROSA ARRESTED

Laredo, Tex., June 13.—According to a passenger arriving here from Mexico, Gen. La Rosa, Mexican bandit leader, was arrested by order of General Ricart, while he was in the act of loading into an express car a package containing several rifles.

STEAMER BY STAMTON

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., June 13.—The steamer Stanton, up-bound through the Canadian locks, was struck by the steel steamer Wolf, down-bound, yesterday, while waiting for her turn to lock. Just after leaving the lock the Wolf took a sheer and hit the Stanton in the stern, puncturing a big hole. It was necessary to pump out the water, and the Stanton will have to go into dry dock.

SUCCESSOR TO HILLES IS NOT NAMED AS YET

Will be Several Days Before Appointment is Announced.

HUGHES STATES POSITION AGAIN

Stands for "Undiluted Americanism," He Declares.

New York, June 13.—Charles E. Hughes, in response to a question put to him today by newspaper men regarding his attitude towards the support offered him by the German-Americans, said it was "one of undiluted Americanism."

"I stated my position very clearly," said the candidate, "in my message to the convention. My attitude is one of undiluted Americanism and anybody that supports me is supporting an out-and-out American and absolutely nothing else."

It was announced at the Hughes headquarters that it will be several days before a successor was chosen to Charles D. Hilles, chairman of the republican national committee. The sub-committee of the national committee will call on the nominee to discuss a successor. It was also announced that moving pictures will be used in the Hughes campaign.

PAY TRIBUTE TO KITCHENER

Memorial Services Held in London—Thousands Throng Streets.

London, June 13.—Great crowds lined the streets today in the vicinity of St. Paul's cathedral, standing for hours in the rain, waiting the arrival of King George, Queen Mary and Dowager Queen Alexandra for memorial services in honor of the late Field Marshal Earl Kitchener. Thousands were denied admission to the church.

The services were without military ceremony other than music, and no troops were lined up to salute the royalty.

The memory of the dead soldier also was honored by a ceremony at West Minister Abbey and Canterbury cathedral.

THREE MEXICANS KILLED

San Antonio, Tex., June 13.—Three of the Mexicans who raided the Coleman ranch were killed by a sheriff's posse and three captured by cavalrymen under Captain Wellborn yesterday, according to a report to General Funston from General Mann at Laredo.

U. S. TROOPERS, BUT 20 STRONG, ROUT BANDITS IN BRIEF CANYON FIGHT

FRAMING REPLY TO U. S. NOTE

London, June 13.—Delays in the examination of mails which are due to faults in administration have been corrected, according to the British foreign office which is working in conjunction with the French government in the preparation of a reply to the American note on the subject. The framing of this reply is likely to take some time.

GIRL WITNESS SURPRISES THE PROSECUTION

Waukegan, Ill., June 13.—Questions propounded by the state's attorney to Josephine Davis, a chum of Marian Lambert, for whose alleged murder Will Orpet, the University of Wisconsin student, is on trial here, assumed the aspect of cross-examination today. Miss Davis was called by the prosecution yesterday, but her testimony came as a surprise to the state's attorney, who had depended on her to testify that she had seen the cheerleader of her friend up to the last few days of a trouble which she had for four months' thinking, the witness recalled little things which indicated to her that Miss Lambert was not without troubles. She admitted today that in her testimony before the grand jury, she had jumped at conclusions in her resentment towards the defendant.

JELlicoe PRAISES BRITISH NAVY

London, June 13.—In a message to the men of the British fleet, which was given out here officially last night, Admiral Jellicoe expressed appreciation of the manner in which the ships of the fleet had fought during the Jutland sea fight on May 31. "The information which I receive is that the traditions handed down to us by generations of gallant seamen were most worthily upheld."

"The conditions that were highly unfavorable robbed the fleet of the complete victory expected by all ranks. Our losses were heavy. We miss many gallant comrades. But although it is difficult to obtain accurate information as to the enemy's losses, I have no doubt we shall find they certainly were not less than our own. Sufficient information already has been received for me to make that statement with confidence."

"I hope to give the fleet fuller information on this point as an early date. I do not wish to delay appreciation of the work of the fleet and my confidence in a future complete victory."

"The wonderful spirit and fortitude of the wounded fills me with the greatest admiration. I am more proud than ever of the honor of commanding the fleet manned by such officers and men."

MINERS RETURN TO WORK. Aurora, Minn., June 13.—The first break in the ranks of 1,000 striking mine workers occurred yesterday, when twenty men went to work at the Miller mine. There was no attempt made to start mining at any other mines affected by the strike. There was no disturbance, and it is thought by mining men that there will be a large force ready to go to work tomorrow. Thirteen men arrested Friday for attempting to parade to other mines will get a hearing at Virginia, Minn., Monday.

S. D. ROAD SOLD. Sioux Falls, S. D., June 13.—The South Dakota Central railroad, which some time ago went into receivership, was sold yesterday afternoon at a master's sale for the sum of \$932,000. It is reported that the actual purchasers are the officials of the Great Northern railway, which runs through this city.

LABOR PRESENTS BILL OF RIGHTS TO DEMOCRATS

Want Platform to Make Strong Declarations Regarding Some Demands.

St. Louis, June 13.—What is designated as labor's "bill of rights" was made public today by Samuel Gompers for inclusion in the Democratic platform. It includes declarations of the workers to organize for emigration, a compensation law, a literacy test for immigrants, industrial and vocational training, government ownership of telegraph and telephone, Porto Rican citizenship, the enforcement of a federal eight-hour law, the creation of a labor bureau of safety and civil service reform. Demonstrations against the "stop watch" system and laboring and the creation of a labor council of all the workers of the country are also included.

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The figure points out the considerable effect of the vote in the south. The women made a thorough canvass of all hotels, distributing pamphlets to the delegates.

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WHERE DEMOCRATS WILL MEET; THE KEYNOTER AND THE NOMINEE



St. Louis Coliseum, Martin H. Glynn and Woodrow Wilson.

All in readiness at St. Louis for the Democratic convention, which will be a rather quiet affair. Martin H. Glynn will deliver his keynote address; a platform will be drawn up and adopted; President Wilson will be re-nominated without opposition; then the convention will adjourn.

MEXICANS ARE SURPRISED AND FORCED TO RUN

Grabbed Rifles and Fought for Three Minutes from Behind Trees.

ALL OF HORSES ARE CAPTURED

American Soldiers Chased Them for Three Hours, Then Returned.

Field Headquarters, Gen. Pershing, June 13.—(Wireless to Columbus)—The finishing blow to the largest Villa band in Chihuahua was given by 20 troopers of the Thirteenth cavalry, commanded by Captain Rethors in a dashing canyon fight at daylight Friday. No Americans were hurt.

The Americans routed 25 bandits, killing three and wounding several, and capturing all horses, some rifles, and several thousand rounds of ammunition.

A night ride brought the Americans into the canyon at daybreak, where they followed fresh horse tracks. Riding at a gallop, they rounded the canyon turn within 300 yards of the bandits encampment in the woods. In a head-long rush, the Villa followers, completely surprised, grabbed rifles and fought from behind trees. The Americans routed the bandits within 3 minutes. Following a chase of several hours, the Americans returned, added the Mexicans' beef and coffee to their own stores, and had breakfast.

WOMEN READY FOR BIG FIGHT

Prepare for Hearing Before Resolutions Committee on Suffrage.

St. Louis, June 13.—With arrangements completed for a hearing before the resolutions committee as soon as organized, the suffragists today directed their principal efforts to an educational campaign explaining the political strength of the voting women in 12 states and forecasting the probable effect of the vote in the south. The women made a thorough canvass of all hotels, distributing pamphlets to the delegates.

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