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The Republican Party Is The Ship, All Else Is The Sea.—Fred Douglas.

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COULD PEAK TO CROWDED HOUSE ON TEXAS POLL TAX

Says Lily Whites Repudiate Old Republican Principles and Oppose Civil Liberty and Just Government; Urges Wholehearted Support of Black and Tan Ticket in November Elections.

A huge crowd packed the church of Rev. L. K. White in Queen City, on the night of September 24th, to hear the address of Wm. M. McDonald, veteran politician of Texas, now campaigning for the Black and Tan Republican party of Texas.

"League of Nations" The voters therefore, this year will have to decide largely between men or cast their vote for this or that candidate by reason of the party's stand on the League of Nations.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: Once upon a time Shakespeare made Hamlet say: "To Be Or Not To Be, The Question." Hamlet is said to have uttered these words at a moment when he was seriously contemplating self destruction.

WAR. In 1914 came the crash in Europe and all the languages of the World cannot describe or tell the agonies suffered by the people of Europe and America from 1914 to November 11th, 1918.

Government of Law. Our government of law and not a government of a Party but is functioned by men selected by a party. We have two great political parties, the Republican and the Democratic.

League of Nations. A thousand theories are born of the League of Nations. It is the theories of the trouble it will make for the American people.

Platforms. The platform of a party is a sacred pledge to all the people that if its candidates are elected they will formulate policies and enact certain legislation or measures into law which are set forth in the platform of the party.

War Won't Make Prosperity. War won't make prosperity. War is God's way of killing off people and that the Amplitude of law which prospers and have more money in the banks and in circulation than ever before in the history of the United States.

Fire St. Louis Janitor Who Supported Negro Candidates.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 7.—Wm. H. Parker, 1118 N. Whittier, for over three years chief janitor of the City Hall and a prominent supporter of the Negro candidates in the last election, was today told by Director of Public Safety James N. McKeely that he was laid off because of his support of the Negro candidates.

Local Harding-Capers Club Holds Big Meeting.

The Grand Court room of the Pythian Temple was crowded by the enthusiastic Black and Tan supporters last Thursday night when they listened to speeches on principle and citizenship delivered by such party leaders as Harry Beck, Wm. M. McDonald, S. E. Starnes, candidate for lieutenant governor of Texas.

Called on the Carpet. In relating his experience just before the primary election, Mr. Parker made a speech for Wm. M. McDonald, and was called on the carpet by the organization. He closed by prophesying a sweeping victory by the Republicans in November both in Texas and the nation.

WOMEN VOTERS ATTENTION. By a special ruling of the Texas Legislature, the period between October 6, and October 22, has been set apart as the time in which women and men who have not paid their poll tax may pay it.

UNITED STATES MARINES WILL LEAVE BLACK REPUBLIC

JACK JOHNSON STILL WEARS HIS "GOLDEN SMILE" AS HE ENTERS IRON GATES AT LEAVENWORTH PRISON.



The above cut shows Jack Johnson as he enters Leavenworth prison accompanied by Negro deputy of Cook County. The man seated is Harry Gillean, former staff correspondent of the Dallas Express now Editor of the St. Louis Clarion.

Leavenworth, Kans., Oct. 7.—The defeated heavyweight champion of the world's prize fighters entered the Federal prison here with a smile on his face, stepping as lightly as a feather across the threshold of the prison. He was accompanied by Harry Gillean, former staff correspondent of the Dallas Express now Editor of the St. Louis Clarion.

Limited speeded into Joplin, Ill. one Sunday morning about two weeks ago and was stopped on orders from the United States government officials, so Jack could be taken off the train to avoid the big demonstration that this big prize fighter planned for him, I was doing some work for one of the Hearst papers. Gus Rhodes, Jack's nephew and myself and two or three other newspaper men had come down from Chicago to meet the champion and I happened to be in the railroad telegraph office when the wires began picking the information that Jack should be taken off the train.

Washington, Oct. 7.—Senator Harding's recitation of facts concerning the American occupation of Haiti and Santo Domingo, has evoked the Democratic Administration responsible for that occupation. Mr. Harding charged that because of the meddlesome policy of the Democrats thousands of Haytianians had lost their lives and many American marines had been sacrificed.

Charges of James Weldon Johnson and Speech of Harding Cause Democrats to Cease Reign of Terror in Haiti. Daniels Charges Criticism of Marines in Reply To Harding's Questions.

Today the State Department let it be known that the withdrawal of occupation of the island republic was under consideration at the White House and that Administration Secretary Daniels also issued a reply to Senator Harding.

In his reply to Senator Harding's charges Secretary Daniels stated that the Republican candidate had attacked but the Administration policy. The Secretary did not mention the fact that several writers in the island republic had been arrested for agitating against the occupation of their country and were released from prison only when it became apparent that their only chance of freedom was to leave the island.

Inter-Racial Conference Held in Oklahoma City.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Oct. 7.—With a voice quivering and shaking with emotion, D. G. Keaton, pioneer near Oklahoma, stood in the Senate Chamber, Thursday evening and delivered a stirring address in which he pleaded with a fervor and righteous indignation that was gripping and compelling. He told us of the wrongs that slaves in this country once had, and of the wrongs that are still being done to the colored people.

Secretary Daniels then continued his report on the situation in Haiti. He stated that the marines had been most gratified by the report, now in preparation, which detail the operations of the marines had been most gratifying. He reported, now in preparation, which detail the operations of the marines had been most gratifying.

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Ku Klux Klan Begins Operations in Virginia.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 7.—"Knights of the Ku Klux Klan" organized a few days ago, met "somewhere in Richmond" for the purpose of taking into the order a number of men who have signed their desire to join. The order, an organizer stated, will have a membership here more than 10,000 within a few weeks. At present time there are more than 200 accredited members. Five men are in charge of the organization work here, which is to be done on all over the state.

Texas Legislature Approves Florida Democrats Fear Of Inter-Racial Conference.

Austin, Texas, Oct. 7.—The closing hours of the thirty-sixth Texas Legislature fourth called session will go down in history as a memorable event when the law-makers of the Lone Star State went on record with their unanimous vote when they enacted a law which would prohibit the giving their approval to the Inter-State Inter-Racial Conference that is to be held during the week of October 20th to 22nd, during the annual convention of the General Missionary Baptist Convention of Texas. This conference is to be held on Friday, October 22nd, at Texas, and has the approval of Governor W. P. Hobby, who is to deliver one of the principle race adjustment addresses. Among the other dignitaries that are scheduled to deliver addresses are Governors of Arkansas, Oklahoma, and Louisiana, Dr. H. M. Williams of Galveston; Dr. A. S. Barber of Galveston; Hon. W. M. Worth; Attorney Scipio Jones, Little Rock; Editor C. F. Richardson, Houston; Hon. W. S. Willis, Grand Chancellor Knights of Pythias of Texas.

Florida Democrats Fear Domination of Women.

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 4.—Frightened because of heavy registration of colored women, the Democrats here have raised high the scarecrow of "Negro Domination" and are warning the white women of Florida to gather up their skirts and rush to the registration office to register. The daily John E. Mathews, a white political leader, sounds a warning to Florida, and the Metropolitan prefacing Mathews statement, carried the following: "The white men and white women of Duval county are going to register 'Negro' white women and cooks in the country. 'Do the white men and white women know that so far more Negro women have registered in Duval county than have white women? 'Are the white men and white women going to prevail on their wives not to register, and to keep away from the polls, when the registration of Negro women in Duval county exceeds that of white women? 'Do the white men and white women of Duval county realize that there is a 'guiding mind' behind the heavy registration of Negro women in Duval county? 'What are the white men and white women of the city of Jacksonville doing to do about the new political situation which has arisen in what is characterized as a white man's country and government: white by the right of might; white by the right of brain and energy contributed to its building and development? 'These pertinent questions are raised by John E. Mathews, prominent lawyer, secretary of the Citizens' Registration Committee during the primary campaign. Mr. Mathews in response to a request of the Metropolitan Express, on the fact that 886 Negro women had registered and only 313 white women up to Wednesday night, issued a stirring appeal to the white men and women of the county to awaken themselves to the true situation now confronting the Democratic party in this county.

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Carried That Precedent. The precinct referred to by Mr. Parker was the Ninth—on Finney near Vandewater. The count showed that McKeely carried it by 12 votes. This enabled him to get a majority of 4 votes in the four "Colored" precincts.

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