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VICE PRESIDENT MARSHALL WANTS RETURN TO FAITH

Sees Danger To Country And World In So-called Unbridled Democracy

HONORED DOCTRINES CORNERSTONE OF PEACE Announces Candidacy To San Francisco Convention On Old-Line Platform

Washington, Feb. 15.—Vice President Marshall, in a letter to E. G. Hoffman, secretary of the democratic national committee, made public tonight, announced his candidacy as a delegate-at-large from Indiana to the coming San Francisco convention upon "an old-time democratic platform."

Unbridled Democracy "I have watched in other countries the effects of so-called unbridled democracy," the vice president wrote, "and I have seen its menace to this country, until I am quite convinced that the peace, prosperity and perpetuity of the American republic must rest finally upon a few ancient and time-honored democratic doctrines."

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LABOR WILL WAGE CAMPAIGN AGAINST HIGH LIVING COST

Government Criticized For Its Alleged Failure To Control Profiteers

"ACTION AND RELIEF" DEMANDED BY UNIONS Labor Federation Will Engage Aggressively In Coming Political Campaign

Washington, Feb. 15.—Formulation of a definite program as a basis on which to continue its campaign against high living costs has been initiated by railroad labor, it was disclosed tonight by union officials. While the wage demands of the two million railroad workers, which have held official attention since Feb. 3, will be held in temporary abeyance at the request of the president, there is no disposition on the part of union leaders to regard their work as complete or to await a final decision on the whole wage controversy to be given by the conference of general committee men to be held here Feb. 23.

Union Officials Attitude The attitude of the union officials, while they expressed gratification at the recognition of certain of their principles by President Wilson, is predicated on an apparently general belief among them that the government has "not held together in any of its drives since the high cost of living spectre."

Demand Action and Relief Intimation also was given that a plan was being made to more definitely terminate the railroad union members, who have relentlessly demanded "action and relief."

Those appointed were: Miss Elizabeth Marbury, New York; Miss Caroline Rutts-Reese, Greenwich, Conn.; Mrs. Kellogg Fairbank, Chicago; Mrs. Stiles W. Burr, St. Paul; Mrs. Helen Greaves, Denver; Mrs. Overton G. Ellis, Tacoma; Mrs. John B. Castleman, Louisville; Mrs. Patti Ruffner Jacobs, Birmingham; Mrs. Josephus Daniels, Raleigh; Mrs. John K. Otley, Atlanta; and Mrs. Beverly B. Mumford, Richmond.

Princeton Man Loses His Life In Snowstorm On Mountain

Caught In Snowstorm And Lost Way While Climbing

Dublin, N. H., Feb. 15.—Charles MacVeagh, Jr., of New York, a graduate student at Princeton, died of exposure on Mount Monadnock early today during an attempted snowshoe trip to the summit in company with Charlton Reynolds, of New York, a senior at Harvard.

Georgia Lynching Narrowly Averted Aged Negro Spirited From Claxton To Savannah In An Automobile

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 15.—After a threatened lynching at Claxton, Ga., early this morning, when twenty-five or thirty angry men stormed the Evans county courthouse and shot out many window-panes, Andrew Jones, an aged negro, who was saved from the mob through the efforts of Sheriff T. W. Rogers, was brought to Savannah in an automobile.

Budget System Passed By Sub-Committee Bill Will Be Favorably Reported During Week

Washington, Feb. 15.—A bill providing for a national budget system has been agreed upon unanimously by the special senate sub-committee appointed to consider such legislation and will be favorably reported to the full committee this week, Senator McCormick, republican, Illinois, chairman of the sub-committee announced tonight.

PRESIDENT SAYS CANNOT APPROVE ADRIATIC PLANS

Threatens To Withdraw United States From European Matters In Consequence

Premiers Have Drafted The Reply To America White House Officials Will Not Confirm Nor Deny The Reported Memoranda

Paris, Feb. 15.—Hugh C. Wallace, American ambassador, yesterday delivered to the foreign office a memorandum from President Wilson, according to the Temps, in which the President said he could not approve of the Adriatic question, which has been submitted to the Jugo-Slavs. The newspaper says that an identical memorandum was delivered to the British embassy in London.

Solicitor Under Arrest For Overcharging Client Kineton, N. C., Feb. 15.—C. A. Rainey, white, is awaiting trial on a charge of financial irregularities preferred by Miss May Bachmann, of Portsmouth, Va. Rainey was employed by a picture enlarging house at Portsmouth as a solicitor.

Pastor's Conference Held At Charlotte Raleigh, Feb. 15.—Dr. E. N. Orr, field secretary for the Interchurch World Movement in North Carolina, announces that the big pastor's conference, to which all the white pastors in the state have been invited, will be held in Charlotte March 8-10.

Postpone Caucus Call Washington, Feb. 15.—House republicans in favor of legislation in behalf of soldiers have agreed with the republican steering committee not to call a caucus until the house has disposed of the railroad bill, which probably will not be ready for consideration before Wednesday.

MOST DANGEROUS TERRORISTS TAKEN IN FEDERAL DRAG-NET

Members Of The Notorious L'Era Nuova Group, Whose Creed Is Assassination And Violence, Captured In Dramatic Raid On "Red" Headquarters In New York

Paterson, N. J., Feb. 15.—Twenty-nine radicals, said by secret service agents to include the most dangerous terrorists in the United States—members of the notorious L'Era Nuova group, whose creed is assassination and violence by individuals without waiting for "mass action"—were captured early today by 100 picked agents of the department of justice in a dramatic raid on "red" headquarters here.

Decisive Stage In Treaty Fight Before Senators Opinion Divided As To Whether Outcome Will Be Ratification Or Rejection

Washington, Feb. 15.—The peace treaty fight will pass into another and perhaps decisive stage tomorrow with the best opinion in official and political circles divided as to whether the outcome will be ratification or rejection.

Each Side Committed At the same time the difficulties over Article 10 have drawn each side to commit itself in such positive terms that it would be exceedingly difficult to change its position.

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THE CABINET CRISIS HOLDS ATTENTION OF THE POLITICIANS

Strained Relations Between Wilson And Lansing Had Lasted A Year Probable Successor Is Being Discussed Cabinet Meetings Were Only An Incident In The Existing Differences

Washington, Feb. 15.—Secretary Lansing's enforced resignation continues to hold the attention of official Washington, and all the talk among politicians, members of congress and government officials continue to center about it.

Practically Predicts Elimination Of Governor Edwards And Soldier Candidates Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 15.—The Plain Dealer tomorrow will publish an interview with William J. Bryan, obtained by its staff correspondent at Miami, Florida, in which the former democratic candidate for President, named the principal planks he hopes to see incorporated in the democratic national platform at the San Francisco convention.

Merely An Incident Persons who are well informed of what has been going on in the details of the administration hold the belief that the cabinet meetings were only an incident, and that President Wilson himself, in one of his letters to Mr. Lansing, had said that "more important reasons than he wrote that the cabinet meeting incident only strengthened a feeling he had had for some time, and that for some months he had considered the possibility of yielding to his decisions with more reluctance."

Polk Is First Choice Speculation as to Mr. Lansing's successor continued to involve the names of Frank L. Polk, who yesterday became secretary ad interim of the state department; Secretary of War Baker, John W. Davis, ambassador to Great Britain; and Hugh C. Wallace, ambassador to France.

Influenza Epidemic Subsidizing At Asheville Asheville, N. C., Feb. 15.—The influenza epidemic which has raged here for six weeks claiming nearly twenty-five victims about 2,900 cases being reported, 75 of which had pneumonia, is subsiding and the city health officials stated today that it is believed the worst part of the epidemic is over.

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