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OPERATION ON THE PRESIDENT

MADE NECESSARY BY A BRUISE ON LEG IN ACCIDENT AT PITTSFIELD, MASS.

Operation Successfully Performed in Indianapolis Yesterday Afternoon—Speedy Recovery Expected.

ABRUPT ENDING OF THE WESTERN TOUR

THE TROUBLE, THE DOCTORS SAY, IS NOT SERIOUS, BUT TEMPORARILY DISABLING—PRESIDENT MUST REMAIN QUIET.

Indianapolis, Sept. 23.—The bruise received by President Roosevelt in the accident at Pittsfield, Mass., caused trouble sufficient to interrupt his western tour and make an operation on his leg necessary. The operation was performed at St. Vincent's hospital this afternoon, and less than four hours later the president had taken a special train which immediately started for Washington.

Indianapolis, Sept. 23.—After the operation Secretary Cortelyou issued a bulletin saying an operation had been performed by Dr. Oliver of Indianapolis in consultation with the president's physician, Dr. Lung, and three other physicians. At the conclusion of the operation the physicians authorized the following statement:

"As the result of traumatism from a bruise received in the trolley accident at Pittsfield, Mass., there was found to be a circumscribed collection of perfectly pure serum in the middle third left anterior tibial region, the sac containing about two ounces, which was removed. The indications are that the president should make a speedy recovery. It is absolutely imperative, however, that he should remain quiet and refrain from using the leg."

The trouble is not serious, but is temporarily disabling. For several days there has been pain in the lower part of the president's left leg, just above the ankle, while swelling developed over the shin bone where the pain was. The president made light of it, but the swelling increased to such an extent that by Monday night Dr. Lung declared an operation necessary. It was explained to the president that

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there was danger that the matter gathering in his leg would turn to virulent pus and might result in blood poisoning. Drs. Oliver and Cook, two of the best surgeons of Indianapolis, were called in consultation when the president arrived there. When it became certain that an operation would have to be performed, arrangements were made for ending the trip, and it was decided that he deliver his speech on tariff revision which was to have been delivered in Milwaukee tomorrow night in Logansport today. On the arrival of the train at Indianapolis two surgeons, who had been summoned, were awaiting it. They subsequently went to the Columbia club and waited until the president made his address to the Spanish war veterans at Tomlinson hall. At its conclusion he was driven to the Columbia club for luncheon. Before he went to luncheon the doctors who were waiting made an examination of the swelling, and all agreed an operation was necessary. Secretary Root was also awaiting the president at the club. The president sat down to luncheon and ate heartily, but broke off half way to address the people in the streets from the balcony of the club. The president returned and drank his coffee and was shortly after driven to the hospital, when the operation began. Dr. Oliver handled the instruments. There were local anæsthetics used in the locality of the swelling. Then an aspirator was inserted in the swelling and the serum was drawn off. When the needle of the aspirator was jabbed into the swelling it was evident that some pain was felt by the patient. He gritted his teeth and remarked that if the surgeons desired any expert information on the subject he could inform them that something was happening in the vicinity of his shin bone. The withdrawal of the serum relieved pain. As soon as the wound made by the needle had been dressed a number of persons were admitted to the room. The president conversed continually with the visitors and expressed sorrow to have to abandon his trip. He was carried to the train on a litter by six pullman palace car porters.

Washington, Sept. 23.—A telegram was received from Secretary Cortelyou at the temporary white house tonight directing that private apartments be placed in readiness for immediate occupancy by the president. It is expected the president will reach Washington tomorrow.

Indianapolis, Sept. 23.—President Roosevelt was the guest of Indianapolis for four hours today. The special train bearing the presidential party arrived at Noble and Washington streets shortly before noon. The party was driven directly to Tomlinson hall, where the president addressed the Spanish-American War veterans, now holding their annual reunion in this city. Long before the arrival of the president Washington street was packed with people eager to see and hear him. All along the route to Tomlinson hall the chief executive of the nation was kept busy bowing his acknowledgment to the cheers.

A great ovation awaited him at the hall where he made his principal address. The hall had been elaborately decorated and there was nothing lacking to make the president's welcome hearty and enthusiastic. Senator Beveridge introduced him. At the conclusion of the speech there the president took luncheon at the Columbia club and then addressed the crowd in Monument Place, from the club gallery, being introduced by Senator Fairbanks.

Logansport, Ind., Sept. 23.—President Roosevelt and party reached Logansport at 7:15 this morning. A large crowd was assembled at the Wabash station to greet him. His stop was unusually long, due to his train being transferred from the Wabash to the Pan-Handle tracks here. The distance being great between the stations, however, left him only five minutes for his speech, which was made from a platform built on the high school lawn. The party was driven to the high school at a brisk trot, the Spanish veterans and G. A. R. marchers hustling to keep up.

McKAY & FARR HAVE DISSOLVED PARTNERSHIP

Edwin McKay and William Farr, who have for a long while conducted an electrical contracting business under the firm name of McKay & Farr, have dissolved partnership. The business will be continued by Mr. McKay at the present stand on Church street, under the title of The Edwin McKay Electrical company.

Mr. Farr will probably engage in the same line of business, but has not yet completed all his plans.

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JOINT DEBATE AT SMITHFIELD

CRAIG ARGUES HIS QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE SENATE BY TALKING NIGGER,

Senator Pritchard Reproves Him for Bringing the Discussion Down to Such a Low Plane.

IMPORTANCE OF PROTECTION TO PEOPLE OF THIS STATE

UNDER REPUBLICAN GOVERNMENT EVERY PRODUCT OF THE FARM BRINGING GOOD PRICES—STOLEN SCHOOL MONEY NEVER REPLACED.

Special to the Gazette.

Payetteville, N. C., Sept. 23.—The second debate was held today at Smithfield between Senator Pritchard and Hon. Locke Craig. Smithfield was at one time the scene of many outrageous acts on the part of the Red Shirts but this is all in the past. Senator Pritchard found a number of old friends here and the audience of five hundred manifested marked interest in his presentation of the issues.

Mr. Craig opened today with an expression of gratitude that the amendment had been adopted which eliminated the negro as a political party. He charged that the republican party was a party that legislated for the few while the democratic party stood for the greatest good to the greatest number. The republication party, he said, stood for trusts, that violated laws, human and divine, and that never opened their purse strings except when the cause of the republican party was in jeopardy. Then apparently forgetting his first sentence, which was to the effect that the negroes no longer cut any political figure in the state, he wanted to know if Senator Pritchard accepted the amendment as final, and said the republican party had a record as damnable as hell itself and that he did not believe in giving the negro any public school education, in fact much of his time was devoted to the negro.

Just as he had been on the day previous, when Senator Pritchard arose to reply he prefaced his remarks by saying he thought Mr. Craig would feel ashamed of himself for bringing the discussion down to such a low plane and that the exhibition of such a spirit did more to retard the progress of North Carolina industrially and in every other way than any other one thing.

Senator Pritchard dwelt at length on the soup house period of democratic administration, when the lumber mills were closed in the state and the manufacturing establishments were run three days a week. The democrats of Johnson county knew these facts to be so, he said, and there was no way to doubt. Now even the shadow of a calf is worth more than the calf itself under democratic rule and every product of the farm is bringing good prices. Once more he spoke of the powerful resources of North Carolina and of the importance of affording this raw material ample protection.

Referring to a statement of Mr. Craig's, Senator Pritchard again called attention to the fact that his father was a Confederate soldier and created the inference that Mr. Craig's father was not. To this Mr. Craig objected and the senator said he would not again allude to the subject if Mr. Craig found it objectionable, but that he would not allow himself to be brow-beaten off the stump with a charge that he was against the Confederate soldier.

Then Senator Pritchard replied to some of Mr. Craig's negro questions and observations. He said no one contemplated a suit to test the legality of the amendment and that in so far as he was personally concerned he certainly had no intention of bothering with it. Mr. Craig had charged him with appointing negro office holders. Senator Pritchard said that democrats in Bertie and Vance counties had asked him to appoint some negro postmasters.

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but that he would not make the desired recommendations. Mr. Craig said he repudiated the democrats who would make such a request.

As to the charge that democrats had borrowed money to repay an amount that had been stolen by a man employed by the fusion administration, this was not true. Treasurer Worth had made the amount good, but when Stephen D. Pool stole the school money under democratic administration it had not been made good.

Senator Simmons had admitted that eighteen thousand white men would be disfranchised by the poll tax provision of the election law, and he (Pritchard) did not believe a poor man should be made to pay for that which had been purchased on a thousand battle fields. It was not true, he said, that the county commissioners of Madison county had relieved an unusually large number of people from the payment of the poll tax, and Mr. Craig's authority for that was a scurrilous sheet printed at Marshall that decent men would not allow in their houses.

Mr. Craig has in his possession a wonderful lot of statistics. He insists that the Philippine war has cost six hundred million dollars and that there are twenty million sheep in the United States.

JOINT CANVASS BY COUNTY CANDIDATES

The following letter is self explanatory:

"Chairman County Republican Executive Committee, Asheville, N. C.:

"Dear Sir: Both political parties have now named their respective candidates to be voted for in this county at the ensuing election. Believing that the people desire to hear a discussion of the questions upon which the present campaign will be conducted, and following the custom which has prevailed in this county for several years, I suggest that there be a joint canvass between the candidates for the senate, house of representatives and county officers. I will be glad to meet you at any time and arrange the details of same.

Respectfully yours,
"J. J. MACKEY,
"Chairman Dem. Executive Com."

It is probable that the details of a joint canvass, as suggested by Mr. Mackey, will be arranged in a few days.

MEMORIAL SERVICES TO CAPTAIN DAVID VANCE

On October 7 there will be a memorial service at Reems Creek in commemoration of Capt. David Vance, if the plans now on foot are carried out. A memorial stone has already been put in place.

October 7 is the anniversary of the battle of King's Mountain, in which Captain Vance played a conspicuous part. Captain Vance was the ancestor of the Vances and Davidsons of this section, and a number of his descendants will be present at the exercises.

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PART OF TWELFTH REGIMENT ORDERED THERE BECAUSE OF DISTURBANCE.

Soldiers Checked Demonstrations by Charging Crowd and Taking Six Prisoners.

TREASURER RICHARDS 'SLIGHTLY WOUNDED'

THERE WAS A BIG CROWD AT THE STATION, AND A DEMONSTRATION AGAINST SOLDIERS ON THEIR ARRIVAL WAS IMMINEENT.

Harrisburg, Sept. 23.—The governor tonight ordered the first battalion of the Twelfth regiment to Lebanon, because of the trouble at the nut and bot works there.

Lebanon, Sept. 23.—The second battalion of the twelfth regiment arrived here tonight from Shenandoah. There was a big crowd at the station and the soldiers checked the incident demonstration against them by charging on the crowd and taking six prisoners at the point of the bayonet. The soldiers immediately marched to the American Steel company's works and the shooting in vicinity of the works ceased. No one is allowed to approach the works. Treasurer Richards of the company was shot and slightly wounded this evening while standing in the office of the Steel company.

CONDITIONS WORSE

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 23.—Sheriff Jacobs of Luzerne county has not yet asked Governor Stone for troops, but conditions are growing worse.

Some non-union miners were stoned at Warrior Run and the sheriff had to send two squads of deputies to the place. All is now reported quiet at the scene of disturbance.

Shenandoah, Pa., Sept. 23.—General G-bin left here this morning for Scranton. Before going the general said the troops in the field would probably be changed about, but just what disposition would be made of them he would not know until he looks into the situation in Lackawanna county. It is likely, however, that the Eighth regiment will be taken away and succeeded either by the Thirteenth or the Fourth. A member of Company A, Eighth (Continued on eighth page.)

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