

TAFT AND T. R. SAYS THE LAW IS IGNORED TOURING OHIO

Encouraged by Yesterday's Results, President Again Attacks Col. Roosevelt in Many Towns.

DELEGATES CHOSEN IN 4 STATES TODAY

California Women Expressing Presidential Choice for the First Time—Taft Claims Tennessee.

Bellair, O., May 14.—Colonel Roosevelt opened his Ohio campaign today speaking here this morning. He will remain in the state until the primaries next Tuesday. In a speech in the public square Roosevelt made practically the same plan for support he has presented elsewhere, saying that the present fight was "a straight line-up." Between the plain people and the "bosses."

Steubenville, O., May 14.—Several thousand people heard Roosevelt speak here today. "Our opponents contend against the bread-and-butter brigade," said the colonel. "We have to contend against the big bosses and special interests. I see that yesterday Taft alluded to me as a demagogue and egoist. I want to point out that four years ago Taft had not discovered these things about me. I stand now where I did then."

Roosevelt makes sixty speeches in Ohio and will travel nearly 2000 miles.

East Liverpool, O., May 14.—Encouraged by his reception along his eastern border line yesterday, President Taft started with vigor the second day of his campaign tour of the state. Taft spent the night in his private car at Steubenville but left there early this morning to the accompaniment of steamboat and factory whistles. The day's program included a sweep over the northern and western part of the state, including stops at Alliance, Canton, Massillon, Akron, Kent, Ravenna, Warren, Niles and Youngstown.

Washington, May 14.—Telling of unwholesome conditions in the meat packing establishments where he was stationed, J. W. Burroughs, former federal meat inspector, today continued his testimony before the agriculture expenditures committee. Burroughs said the inspectors were confused by frequent changes in regulations by the bureau of animal industry. Burroughs charged that the Roach company in Philadelphia and Peabody in Germantown were granted government inspection in violation of regulations before their plants were put in sanitary condition. The witness alleged that under the regulations, butchers were able to ship uninspected meat in interstate traffic.

AIRMAN AND PASSENGER ARE KILLED IN A FALL

Victor L. Mason, Prominent Mining Man, Meets Death in London.

London, May 14.—Victor Louis Mason, the American identified with extensive mining interests and at one time private secretary to the American secretary of war, R. A. Alger and to his successor, Elihu Root, was killed yesterday while making a flight at Brooklands with the English aviator, E. V. Fisher. Fisher also was killed by being pitched out of the machine when at a height of about 150 feet.

Fisher was about to give an exhibition and picked Mr. Mason as a passenger from among the spectators. They circled the track once, when, eye-witnesses say, the machine, which was a monoplane, made an abrupt turn. It wavered a moment and then fell straight to earth. The sudden stoppage in the air threw Fisher headlong from his seat. Mason was pinned beneath the wreckage, which caught fire, and he was badly burned before being extricated. Physicians say both men died almost immediately.

It was surmised that some fault developed in the engine of the aeroplane which caused the accident, as weather conditions were perfect. The bodies were removed to a mortuary to await an inquest which probably will be held Wednesday.

Fisher was regarded as a daring aviator.

Victor Louis Mason resided in Passaic, N. J. He was born in Washington in 1870. His wife was Miss Daisy Comstock Simons, of Washington. He was assistant secretary of the republican national committee in charge of the eastern division campaign of 1908. A widow and three children survive him.

DIXON CONFIDENT

Declares the Results in Wyoming Means Roosevelt Will Get the Republican Nomination.

Gazette-News Bureau, Wyatt Building, Washington, May 14.

Senator Dixon, campaign manager for Colonel Roosevelt, today said: "It looks like a continual performance from this time on. Wyoming elected an unstructured delegation yesterday. That means Roosevelt at Chicago."

SNOW IN COLORADO

Ten-Inch Fall at Denver—Little apprehension is felt by the fruit growers.

Denver, May 14.—There has been a ten inch snowfall and it is still snowing in many parts of the state today. Little apprehension is felt by the fruit growers.

SAWED-OFF LIMB ON WHICH HE SAT DIED

Richmond, Va., May 14.—Augustus Davis, a negro, aged 55, sawed from a tree the limb he was sitting on yesterday. He died today.

Cyclone Storm Kills Many.

Bucks Post, May 14.—Many villages in Tennessee were destroyed, and many inhabitants were killed by cyclones which swept over the district yesterday. About two hundred persons are missing.

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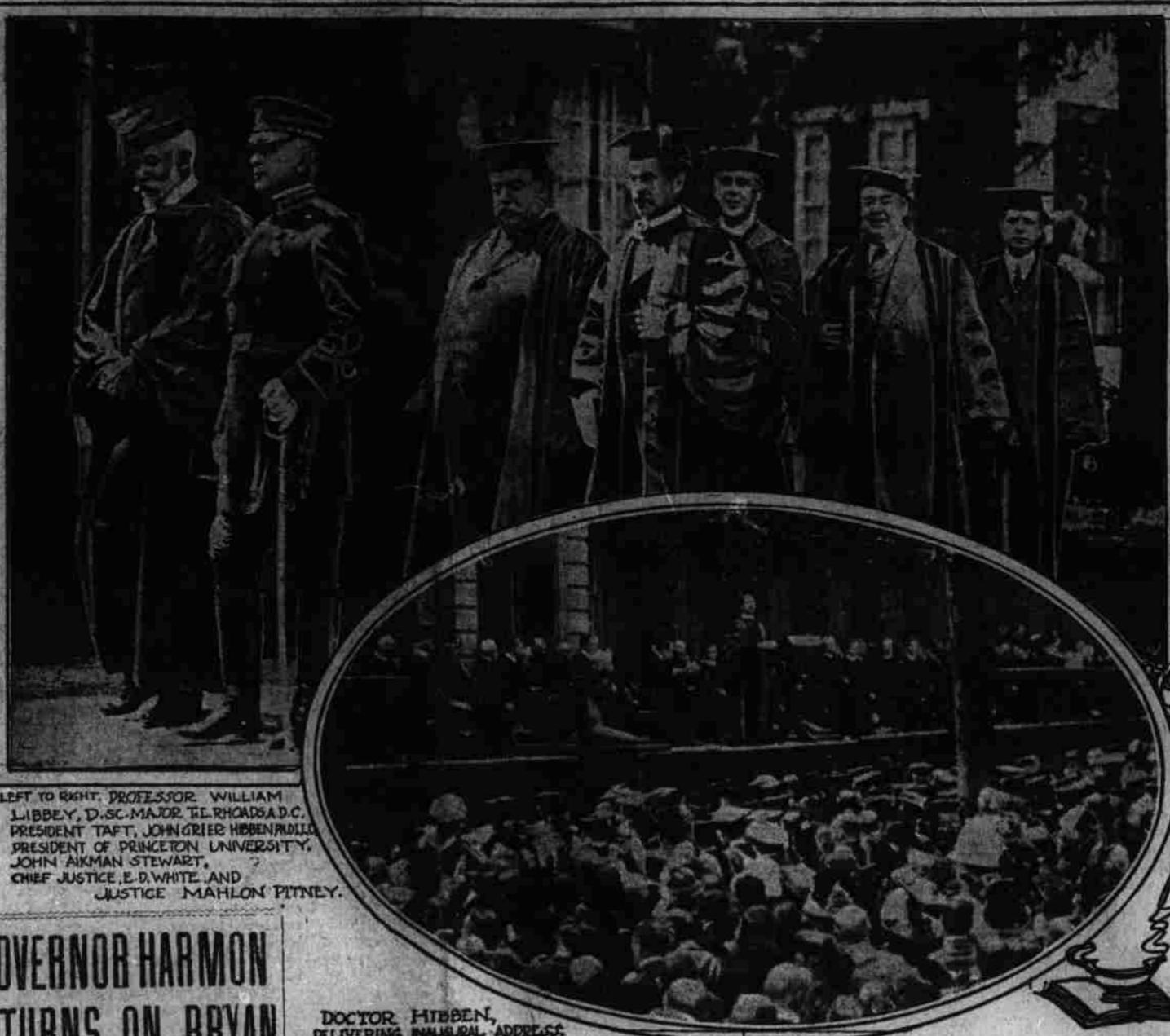
Baltimore, May 14.—The state democratic convention met today to choose delegates to the national convention. There is a warm contest between Clark and Wilson adherents.

Nevada, May 14.—Speaker Clark and Governor Wilson are the chief contestants in primaries throughout Nevada today to select delegates to the state convention.

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LEFT TO RIGHT: PROFESSOR WILLIAM LIBBEY, D.S.C.; MAJOR TILGHMADAC, PRESIDENT TAFT, JOHN GRIER HIBBEN, PRESIDENT OF PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, JOHN ARKIN STEWART, CHIEF JUSTICE E.D. WHITE, AND JUSTICE MAHLON PITNEY.

DOCTOR HIBBEN, DELIVERING INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

Revolt against radicalism both in politics and education marked the inauguration of John Grier Hibben, who took the oath of office as head of Princeton University in the presence of the president of the United States and the Chief Justice of the Supreme court of the nation.

Upon William Howard Taft the university conferred the degree of LL. D. giving among other reasons for this action that he had maintained "the independence of the judiciary," and to Chief Justice Edward Douglass White was accorded the same honor. Both the Chief Executive and the distinguished jurist in accepting spoke emphatically on the need of preserving the ideals of popular government under the constitutional guarantees which makes us free and liberty.

In the exercises no mention whatever was made of the absent Woodrow Wilson, formerly president of Princeton and now governor of New Jersey and presidential possibility.

ROOSEVELT FORCES BAER SUBPOENAED TO TAKE CONTROL IN COURT SCANDAL

Both Duncan and Morehead May Go at Tomorrow's Convention.

Gazette-News Bureau, The Hotel Raleigh, Raleigh, May 14.

John M. Morehead, chairman of the republican state executive committee, and William Grissom, secretary, were among the first to arrive here for the state republican convention tomorrow. Roosevelt buttons are much in evidence and it is said the Roosevelt crowd not only will capture the four delegates-at-large but will likely change the plan of organization and put in control a complete set of Roosevelt men. It will not be surprising to see Morehead and Duncan both go. Both Richmond Pearson and Marion Butler want to be national committeemen and Zeb Vance Walser has an eye on the chairmanship.

Will Elect Roosevelt Delegates. The fourth district congressional convention, in session this afternoon, will elect two Roosevelt delegates. A lively fight is expected between the Duncan and Morehead factions.

SENATE TO DISPOSE OF TARIFF MEASURES

So Declares Senator Simmons, Who is in Charge of the Pending Legislation.

Washington, May 14.—All tariff bills that passed the house will be disposed of by the senate before the end of this session and possibly without interfering with plans for an early adjournment. This was announced today by Senator Simmons of North Carolina, in charge of these measures in the senate.

Awaiting Senate's Action.

Washington, May 14.—"We must have something more from the senate than talk before we introduce more tariff bills," said Democratic Leader Underwood at the conclusion of a meeting of the democratic members of the house and senate committees on ways and means yesterday. Underwood continued: "We will have a certain bill in the senate ready to pass through it in the senate as soon as that is done before it."

OROZCO ATTEMPTS FLANK MOVEMENT

President of the Reading to Testify as to Archibald's Conduct.

Washington, May 14.—The house judiciary committee investigating charges against Judge Robert W. Archibald of the commerce court today subpoenaed George F. Baer, president of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad. Baer will testify about the scale of certain culm dump property.

The committee recessed today because of house consideration of the anti-junction bill.

TOMORROW MAY DECIDE THE FATE OF RICHESON

State Executive Counsel Then May Pass on Petition for Commutation.

Boston, May 14.—The executive council, which has the power to save Clarence V. T. Richeson from paying the extreme penalty for murdering Avis Linnell, meets at noon tomorrow. If the governor is satisfied from the alianists' reports of reasonable doubt regarding Richeson's mental responsibility, he has the power to refer the petition for commutation of sentence to the council with or without suggestions. The governor has no power to order a stay, reprieve or commutation without the consent of a majority of the council. If the petition is referred to the council, the matter first will be considered by the pardon committee of the council which may hear testimony and consider what evidence the governor has to submit, after which a report will be made to the council.

Dr. L. V. Briggs, report is the only one on file with the governor. Its nature is secret. Other alianists—Drs. Stedman, Tuttle and Frost will submit their reports to the governor before the council meets tomorrow.

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SUGAR TRUST HEARING BEGUN IN NEW YORK

Rebel Officials Claim Success for Effort to Check the Federal Advance.

Juarez, Mexico, May 14.—Rebel officials here were informed today of the capture of Mapimi by insurrectos, under Colonel Canaleja. Confirmation of this report would indicate that Orozco's success was accomplished fully in his flank movement to the southwest of Conejos Sunday to check the federal advance.

El Paso, Tex., May 14.—General Huerta, commanding the federal troops, with headquarters at Conejos, recently abandoned by the rebels, today ordered in advance on the main body of Orozco's army at Escalon and Bahane.

Colonel Canalejas, commanding the rebels at Des Cubridora, Durango, Mexico, telegraphed that the rebels in capturing Mapimi, Durango, Sunday, made prisoner of Raoul Madero, brother of the president and commander of rurales.

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Cotton Cargo Damaged by Fire.

New York, May 14.—The cause of the taking of testimony in the federal action to dissolve the American Sugar Refining company, began before Special Examiner Brice here today. There will be reproduced much evidence developed at the recent trial of the sugar trust officials under indictments for restraining interstate trade.

Gen. J. W. Duncan Dead.

San Antonio, May 14.—Brigadier General Joseph W. Duncan, commander of the department of Texas, died suddenly today. The body will be buried in Arlington cemetery. Captain Thomas Duncan, a son, is stationed at Fortress Monroe.

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Dr. J. T. Sawyer was the first witness to be examined, and he told of treating the wounded chieftain and the mortality of the wound. Chief Lawyer of the police department went on the stand and told of having dispatched the patrolo to Asheville to arrest a negro who had stolen some cows, having received the information over the telephone.

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BREWER'S SIDE OF TESTIMONY

D. H. Webb Swears Negro Who Killed McConnell Had Scars That Negro on Trial Has Not.

CHAIN OF EVIDENCE PRESENTED BY STATE

Positive Identification of Brewer as Huff Is Made by a Number of Witnesses for State.

The state having rested, the defense began the introduction of evidence this morning in the case of Wes Brewer, alias John Huff, who is charged with the murder of Patrolman E. C. McConnell, and some of the defense's most material witnesses were called to the stand. A large number of witnesses were sworn. Probably the most valuable testimony was given by D. H. Webb, who conducts the store where the negro was arrested and where he tried to sell the cows, for the larceny of which he was arrested. Mr. Webb was kept on the stand about two hours and was subjected to a vigorous cross-examination by the prosecution, but it failed to shake him in the main points of his testimony, which was to the effect that the prisoner is not the man that the officer arrested. He swore to the best of his knowledge Brewer is not the man he saw then.

Mr. Webb told how the negro had come to his store and proposed to sell the cows, how he suspected that he might have stolen the cows and that he might be called upon to identify the negro; that later he had received a telephone message that some cows had been stolen and went out again to examine the negro more closely.

He swore that the negro had a scar over his right ear, had five pox marks on his right cheek and seven on the left; was of reddish yellow color, all of which does not fit the prisoner; that he wrote his name on a piece of paper, giving it as Charles Hill, and the address as Miles River, R. F. D. No. 3, box 44. He also sent his son and clerk, Alexander Lyda, out to look at the man, telling them that they might be called upon to appear against him. He heard the negro tell Officer McConnell that his name was Brewer. It was brought out that at the preliminary hearing Mr. Webb testified that the negro had said that his name was Wes Brewer.

He admitted that he had talked about the case with one of the ventriloquists yesterday, but said that he did not know the man was on the ventriloquist.

Mayor Rankin, Dr. C. W. Byrd and Marcus Erwin were then called as character witnesses and all testified that Mr. Webb has a good character.

Alexander Lyda testified to about the same effect that Mr. Webb did, and said that the prisoner does not look like the man with whom he talked about buying the cows.

Three other witnesses were examined before court took recess at noon, but their testimony was not such as to have much influence on the results of the case. These were J. W. Brown, J. W. Cox, and a young colored woman from Henderson county, who had seen the man with whom the prisoners thought that the prisoner might resemble Huff a little.

The introduction of evidence in the case was begun yesterday afternoon, immediately after court had assembled from noon recess, and some dozen of the state's witnesses were examined expeditiously. Of these four or five were positive that the defendant is the man that Fatrolman McConnell arrested at Webb's store on South Main street about 10 o'clock of the morning of July 3, 1911; others swore that he is the man to the best of their knowledge and others thought he looks like the man. Some of the witnesses suffered rather severe cross-examinations but their testimony did not suffer materially. Some very interesting testimony was given by Mrs. M. A. Lansing who was at Webb's store before and after the shooting and who "viewed the man several times" for some reason she could not tell, and felt it her duty to swear positively that he is the man, although she had tried hard not to think so.

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