

TAFT'S THREAT OF NEW VETO

President Says He Will Fight for the Commerce Court All Summer if Needful.

RETALIATORY ACTION CONSIDERED IN HOUSE

State Department Appropriations May Be Curtailed—La Follette Denounces Roosevelt and Allies.

Washington, Aug. 17.—The president today told visitors he intended to fight congress for the retention of the commerce court...

Wool Bill in Senate

Senator LaFollette yesterday afternoon made the motion to pass the wool bill. He asserted that the bill was a protective tariff measure...

Senator Heyburn Denounced the Bill as a Democratic Measure

When the vote finally was taken 39 senators voted in favor of passing the bill and 38 against it.

Senators Blawie, Clapp, Crawford, LaFollette, Pollock and Works

LaFollette's Outburst. In a picturesque, spontaneous outburst during debate Senator LaFollette attacked the new progressive party...

The "Original Insurgent" Quivering with Emotion

The "original insurgent," quivering with emotion, with clenched hands and strained face, poured out a flood of impassioned oratory...

After Reviewing Briefly the Trust Record of Colonel Roosevelt

Senator LaFollette declared that the former president "was not the man to find the way out."

He Declared that when the Republican Party, through its progressive associates, had reached a point where it would respond to the purposes for which it was born

an attempt is made at Chicago to divert it.

The Record Cited.

On the day that Theodore Roosevelt was made president of the United States, there were 149 trusts and combinations in the United States...

About 20 Progressives Attending Meeting at Greensboro.

At the call of National Committee Chairman and Secretary W. S. Penrose about 20 progressives gathered here at 2 o'clock in the first state organization meeting...

Penrose's Plan of Organization

The main purpose of the gathering is declared to be the issuance of a call for a state progressive convention and the perfection of a progressive organization.

Opinion as to Time Varies, but it seems now that the convention will be called to meet in Greensboro just prior to the republican gathering in Charlotte.

Iredell Mears, James Williamson, Erwin Holt, Joe Hoskins, Jake Newell, Riggs of Durham, Clyde Eby of Newbern, E. N. Hallyburton of Burke, W. S. Abiley of Springhouse, J. M. Burgess of Elizabeth City, Maj. W. A. Guthrie of Durham and others are sitting as committeemen.

McCombs Said to Be Better

New York, Aug. 17.—William F. McCombs, the Wilson chairman, is said to be better. Thomas J. Pence, his assistant, predicted that McCombs would be back at democratic national headquarters in a few days...

Nevada Bull Moose Ticket

Reno, Nev., Aug. 17.—A full state ticket and presidential electors have been selected at a meeting of the progressive party state central committee.

Gen. Mills' New Position

Washington, Aug. 17.—Brigadier General Albert L. Mills, president of the army war college and former commander of the department of the Gulf, with headquarters at Atlanta, has been made chief of the division of military affairs at Washington.

3000 PERISHED IN EARTHQUAKE

Rescue Party Brings Appalling Story of Death and Ruin in Region About the Sea of Marmora.

NUMBER OF INJURED ESTIMATED AT 6000

Odor Arising from Corpse—Strewn Ruins Prevents Many Towns from Being Approached.

Constantinople, Aug. 17.—An appalling story of suffering and damage caused by the recent earthquake about the sea of Marmora was told today by members of the relief expedition which returned here.

ANOTHER INQUIRY IN POLICE GRAFT

New York's Underworld Denizens Scurry from City at the News.

New York, Aug. 17.—New York's underworld received a shock today when it heard that the Supreme court intended to conduct a grand jury inquiry into the police graft investigation...

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New York, Aug. 17.—Jane Addams of Hull House, who seconded the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt at Chicago, will probably join George W. Perkins and Ben Lindsey of Denver, on the executive committee of the progressive party.

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Fifteen members of the Buncombe county Republican executive committee were present this afternoon when the committee was called into session at the court house.

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