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WILSON URGES HIS NOMINEES

President Gives Out Statement In Support of Warburg and Jones For Federal Reserve Board.

PARTY NOT ENEMY OF "BIG BUSINESS"

Does Not Regard Men With Suspicion For Simple Connection With Great Enterprises.

Washington, July 8.—Declaring it was unfair to regard the democratic party as the enemy of big or little business, President Wilson today gave out a statement in support of Paul Warburg of New York and W. J. Jones of Chicago, as nominees for the federal reserve board.

The president's statement follows: "It would be particularly unfair to the democratic party and to the senate itself to regard it as the enemy of business, big or little. I am sure that it does not regard a man as an object of suspicion merely because he has been connected with great business enterprises. It knows that the business of the country has been chiefly promoted because of the men connected with it. We have come to call big business honest, incorruptible and patriotic. The country may be certain that it is clear to members of the senate as it is clear to all thoughtful men, that those who have tried to make big business what it ought to be are the men to be encouraged and honored, whenever they respond without reserve to the call of public service. I predict with the greatest confidence that nothing done by the democratic majority of the senate of the United States will be of a sort to throw suspicion upon such men. Jones and Mr. Warburg, in manifesting their willingness to make personal sacrifices and put their great experience and ability at the service of the government, without thought of personal advantage, in the organization of a great reform which promises to be so serviceable to the nation, are setting an example of patriotism and of public spirit which the whole country admires. It was the obvious method of statesmanship at this turn in our advance to recognize ability and character wherever it has been displayed and unite every force or the upbuilding of legitimate business along the new lines which are now clearly indicated for the future."

The president said today he earnestly hoped that Mr. Warburg would reconsider his decision not to accept the nomination and that he was urging him to do so. He expressed confidence that Mr. Jones would be confirmed.

Washington, July 8.—With three members of the federal reserve board, Charles S. Hamlin, W. F. G. Harding and W. C. Miller, confirmed, the board soon must come into actual existence as the act creating it provides that members must take the oath and qualify within 15 days after notice of appointment. These three active members of the board, together with the comptroller of the currency and the secretary of the treasury, give the necessary five votes out of the total of seven required to pass any measure through the board. It is known that the three members already confirmed and the comptroller of the currency, who is ex-officio members, prefer to wait if possible before rushing through organization plans, until the board is complete. Several experts have been called on to draw up a satisfactory and speedy plan for organization of the board. These will be presented to the board as soon as it is completed. Designation of one of the new board as governor and one as vice-governor will probably be three weeks before all the votes are in to designate the directors of the regional banks.

SOON START WORK ON FEDERAL-AIDED ROAD

Special to The Gazette-News. Stateville, July 8.—The county commissioners yesterday ordered that all the road forces of the county be removed to the Stateville-Mocksville-Winston-Salem highway within 29 days to begin the construction of Ireland's portion of the Federal aided highway. The forces will be stationed at points along the road between Stateville and the Davis county line. At yesterday's meeting it was decided to borrow money to meet present needs until a bond issue of \$40,000 is arranged for.

MR. COLLIE STRONGLY FAVORS PRIMARY LAW

Overwhelming Sentiment in His District For Statewide, Legalized Primary. Gazette-News Bureau, Wyatt Building, Washington, July 8. James Redmond Collie of Louisville, recently elected secretary of the state executive committee returned to Washington yesterday and said that there is an overwhelming sentiment in his congressional district for a statewide legalized primary law. Mr. Collie stated that he is heartily in favor of such a law and believes the legislature will take the necessary steps to enact a primary law that will satisfy the democratic party. "So far as my section of the state is concerned," said Secretary Collie, "there is an overwhelming sentiment for a primary law. I am heartily in favor of a law and I think the legislature will enact a primary law for all parties that will be entirely satisfactory."

H. Bruce White, of Franklinton, also declared that he favored a primary and said he hoped the legislature would pass a primary law at its next session. Mrs. Ed W. Pou and Misses Annie Ibris and Margaret Pou left for Smithfield today to spend the summer. Thomas M. Washington, of Wilson, has been offered the place of special delegate to a conference on statistics between Secretary Redfield and tobacco men throughout the south and east.

PARLEY IS LIKELY TO BE IN MEXICO

With Rebel Feud About Settled Plans For Huerta-Carranza Conference Made.

Washington, July 8.—Mexican territory will probably be proposed for the proposed conference between the constitutionalists and Huerta delegates. The constitutionalist representatives in Washington today said in their opinion a place along the border would probably be chosen. With discussion among the constitutional leaders apparently nearing adjustment, members of the revolutionary junta repeated expressions of confidence that the proposed Huerta-Carranza parley would be arranged. It was said by Carranzaists that a final answer from their chief would arrive within another week.

Conference Ends. Torreon, July 8.—The Carranza-Villa reconciliation commission completed its last session last night, although it had been announced that all matters under discussion had been settled satisfactorily on Monday. It was understood that yesterday's session was called for the purpose of drawing up a statement to be made public, outlining what had been done at the conference. It was predicted by Roque Gonzalez Garza, a Villa man who has been acting as one of the secretaries of the conference, that the statement would bring about a complete understanding between Villa and Carranza.

TO BE TRIED FOR HUSBAND'S MURDER

Mrs. Joe Johnson Arrested for Shooting Husband While Out Riding.

Raleigh, July 8.—Preliminary hearing of Mrs. Joe Johnson, charged with the murder of her husband Saturday night, was to be held at Oak City, Martin county today before Justice R. J. House. A special today from Scotland Neck, several miles from the place of homicide, says that it was currently reported that Johnson, who was a "holiness preacher," and his wife had not been getting along well together. The special says that the ball entered the man's head from the side on which his wife sat in the buggy, this fact strengthening the theory, it is said that the woman was the slayer.

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ROOSEVELT WILL MAKE HIS FINAL DECISION

Conference Will Determine Whether He Will Run For Governor. New York, July 8.—Whether or not Colonel Roosevelt will accept the progressive nomination for Governor of New York will today be decided at a council of progressives at national headquarters here. Delegations of progressives came to New York from various parts of the state today to urge the ex-president to take the nomination. He has said several times he would not do so.

FAVOR ABOLITION OF TAX ON MORTGAGES

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 8.—Abolition of taxes on mortgages and the establishment of an interest tax were among projects officers of the national association of real estate exchanges of America expected to launch during their seventh annual convention which opened here today. President C. L. Simpson of Kansas City and many of the 1200 delegates who arrived last night and early today, were preparing for the presentation of numerous subjects for consideration. The convention will adjourn July 11.

SUFFRAGETTES AGAIN ACTIVE

Mrs. Pankhurst Resumes Command of Forces But Is Immediately Taken Into Custody.

VIOLENT DISTURBANCE IN CRIMINAL COURT

Attempt Is Made to Burn Cottage Where Burns Was Born By Two Members of "Arson Squad."

London, July 8.—The brief respite in the militant suffragette agitation ended today when Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst resumed command of the forces of the woman's social and political union at their London headquarters. Mrs. Pankhurst, who re-occupied the offices at noon, was, however, permitted to remain in active command and for only a very brief period. When she emerged from her headquarters she was met by the police and taken to Holloway jail. Simultaneously with the re-appearance of Mrs. Pankhurst, a violent scene was created in the central criminal court where Mrs. H. F. Alice Hall, Miss Grace Roe, Miss Julia Jameson and Miss Ellen Armes were brought up for trial on charges of conspiring with others maliciously to commit damage and injury to spoil certain real and personal property of the liege subjects of Our Lord the King. The prisoners had been arrested during a raid on a west end flat May 21. In their rooms were found a new shrapnel grenade of ingenious manufacture; coils of fuse, and plans of houses with instructions how to reach them and as to the usual movement of the police in the vicinity. Miss Roe and Miss Hall, when brought into court surrounded by women wardens, refused to plead. They threw papers and pens from the prisoner's enclosure and shouted a commentary on their treatment in Holloway jail. Two policemen and five women attendants started to carry them out of court to the cells below. When the judge decided to proceed with the trial in the absence of the two women, Miss Hall threw herself on the floor and kicked several policemen and it took some minutes to remove her. The other prisoners pleaded not guilty.

CHICAGO MEN TO VISIT PRESIDENT

Chamber of Commerce Delegation to Confer About Trust Legislation.

Washington, July 8.—An important conference on the industrial and commercial situation of the country, will take place at the White House late this afternoon. A delegation of business men representing the Chicago chamber of commerce, will call on President Wilson at the former's request and discuss the situation fully. Tomorrow the president has an engagement with Henry Ford, the Detroit manufacturer, a committee of bankers from Illinois and a delegation of the National Association of Supervisors of State banks, who have been holding their annual convention at Atlantic City.

NEW ORLEANS RAT SURVEY WILL INCLUDE ALL TERRITORY IN CITY LIMITS.

New Orleans, La., July 8.—Dr. William C. Rucker, assistant surgeon general of the public health service, today opened headquarters here preparatory to a more complete campaign for eradication of bubonic plague. An effort was being made today to trace the movements prior to July 2 of John Jackson, the nine-year old negro who died from plague on that day. The purpose was to ascertain if a second focus of infection exists. Although bacteriologists confirmed the suspicion that Jackson's death was due to plague, health authorities today declared that the situation was not alarming and that they soon expected to thoroughly stamp out the contagion. The rat survey, originally confined to the infected area, will be enlarged so as to include all territory within the corporate limits.

STRIKERS USE CRUEL TACTICS

Beat Former Westinghouse Employee Insensible When He Said He Would Resume Work.

FOREMAN ATTACKED; SKULL IS FRACTURED

State Troops Hurried to Scene; Arrests Made and Lines Widened—Intense Excitement. Pittsburgh, July 8.—Sanley Flalek, formerly employed in the Westinghouse factories, who last night told friends he was going back to work today, was rescued shortly after midnight from three men on Maddock avenue, who had beaten him into insensibility. Two arrests have been made and the troopers are looking for a third man. Flalek said at a hospital his remarks about deserting the ranks of the strikers was made jokingly. There was no change in the situation in the strike district today. Again state troops and pickets worked side by side in the streets and company officers said they had more men in the shops than at any time since the strike was called. Pickets intercepted a number of men brought from Cleveland and induced them to return, paying their way.

DR. JORDAN TO BE PRESIDENT

Harmony Prevails Among Educators With Withdrawal of His Opponents From Presidency Fight.

EDUCATIONAL WORK BEGUN WITH ENERGY

Use of Moving Pictures in Schools Recommended; Also Segregation of Mentally Defective.

St. Paul, Minn., July 8.—With harmony in the ranks of the National Education association assured by the withdrawal from the presidential race last night of Dr. David B. Johnson of Rock Hill, S. C., and L. R. Alderman of Portland, Ore., in favor of Dr. David Starr Jordan, the convention today set aside political activity and held 22 meetings for the discussion of different phases of the present system of education. Dr. Jordan will be unanimously elected president at the annual business session tomorrow is regarded as certain. Committees reported today and speakers discussed salaries, mental tests for children, school gardens, moving pictures in schools, sex hygiene and other problems. Segregation of mentally deficient children was recommended by Dr. Franklin Barrows of Buffalo, N. Y., medical inspector of schools, before the department of special education. "Children who are teachable, all those above the stage of idioity, should be gathered into special classes under special teachers," Dr. Barrows said. "Children not fit for schools should be instructed regularly by experts. The home life of sub-normal and abnormal children often suppresses the little mentality that they possess."

WELSH GETS BEST OF WILLIE RITCHIE

Referee Gives Decision to Englishman Over American—Ritchie Protests.

London, July 8.—Fred Welsh, lightweight champion of England, last night out-boxed Willie Ritchie, the American champion, and on the referee's decision won the lightweight championship of the world. The fight took place at Olympia and 8000 spectators witnessed a fast and clever bout. Rapid foot work and much in-fighting were pronounced features. The British victory was cheered to the echo, although there was some dissatisfaction among the American spectators at the decision, because neither man was bested at the finish. Although Welsh scored the most blows, those of the American appeared to be the more telling. It was a fine exhibition of boxing. Neither man went to the floor and the struggle during the last six rounds was of a hurricane character, Welsh was quicker and tapped Ritchie repeatedly on the face, finally drawing blood. The American tried continually for a knockout, but either he was short, or Welsh got inside or under the swing. Ritchie cried when the decision was given against him. He refused to talk in his dressing room, but later at his hotel, he said: "I do not intend to make a 'holier,' but I do think the worst I should have was a draw. Welsh was holding all the time and I was doing the fighting. Therefore I think the decision was not fair to me."

WILL NOT LET TROOPS PASS THROUGH STATE

Savannah, Ga., July 8.—Governor Bleasie of South Carolina has declined to grant permission for the Georgia Hussars, a cavalry company of Savannah to travel through South Carolina, enroute to the state military encampment at Augusta, next Monday. The Hussars had been routed by way of Knoxville, S. C., but the commander is adviser by the Georgia military authorities must be changed because of the attitude of Governor Bleasie. The re-routing will cause no serious inconvenience.

FREE COUPON

IDEAL ART PATTERN OUTFIT AND TO-DAY'S MAGAZINE PRESENTATION BY Gazette-News, Wednes. July 8. SIX OF THE ABOVE COUPONS ENTITLE EVERY READER TO THESE TWO GREAT GIFTS. GIFT No. 1—IDEAL ART PATTERN OUTFIT—Containing 125 Newest Embroidery Patterns of absolutely the latest designs which, at 10 cents each, regular retail value, would cost more than \$12.50. Book of Complete Lessons in Embroidery Stitching by Miss De Paragon. Use noted French expert. Ideal Embroidery Hoop which cannot get out of order. GIFT No. 2—TODAY'S MAGAZINE—FOR ONE YEAR The Great New Woman's Magazine—giving you each month for 12 months the most up-to-date Woman's Journal, mailed direct to your home by the publishers of the magazine. Bring 6 of these Coupons and 50 Cents to this office and receive complete GIFT No. 1, and write name and address to which you wish Today's Magazine (GIFT No. 2) mailed you each month for one year on the blank below. The 50 Cents is to cover the expense of freight from the factory and cost of handling the Pattern Outfit and the cost of mailing to you each month for a year the current issue of Today's Magazine. Out of Town Readers will add 5 Cents Extra for postage and mailing. Send TODAY'S MAGAZINE for One Year to: NAME: STREET and No.: CITY or TOWN:

BAILEY INQUEST AGAIN RESUMED

Detective Tells of Installing Dictagraph in Carmen's Office Where Murder Occurred.

PROSECUTOR BELIEVES MYSTERY IS SOLVED

District Attorney Smith Will Ask Grand Jury to Indict Woman He Thinks Did Murder.

Freeport, N. Y., July 8.—Gaston Boissonault, manager of the detective division of a company which manufactures telephone devices to record conversations, testified today at the inquest into the death of Mrs. Louise Bailey. Mrs. Bailey was mysteriously shot a week ago Tuesday night while in the office of Dr. Edwin Carman of Freeport. Boissonault's company installed a telephonic device in Dr. Carman's office some time before the murder at the order of Mrs. Carman. The witness told of the first call of Mrs. Carman at his office. She first said she was a dress maker, then admitted her identity, adding that she had many domestic troubles and wanted to hear what went on in her husband's office. This was on May 22. The witness said arrangements for the rental for the instrument were made that day. On the same day Mrs. Carman made plans to take her husband away for two days while the instrument was being installed. "The witness said Mrs. Carman had told him about seeing a nurse kiss Dr. Carman and she knew her husband met many women in his home and outside. She asked the witness whether he could furnish detectives to follow him. Mrs. Carman and her mother called upon him next on May 25, said the witness. Mrs. Carman told him she was "satisfied" and that she had been keeping in a diary a record of everything she had heard over the instrument. He said she had some difficulty in hearing all that went on in the doctor's office because the doctor and his women patients sometimes whispered. Elizabeth Carman, twelve years old, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Carman testified that directly after the shot was fired she ran up stairs and saw her mother, her aunt and her grandmother there. Her mother, she said, was in a kimono. Freeport, N. Y., July 8.—The murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey on Tuesday of last week in the office of Dr. Edwin Carman is no longer a mystery in the belief of Lewis J. Smith, district attorney of Nassau county. Tomorrow Mr. Smith will appear before the grand jury and ask that an indictment be returned against the person he suspects of having killed Mrs. Bailey. Detectives, however, still were active today, running down a new theory of the killing that was advanced in Freeport yesterday. "This witness played a part in it, that he brought the weapon from New York, broke the glass of the window looking upon Dr. Carman's office, handed the gun to the slayer, took it back after the shooting and then escaped with it. Several subpoenas have been issued ordering witnesses to appear before the grand jury. Among those in Freeport who received one is Miss Hazel Coombes, the (Continued on page 9)

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