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ROOSEVELT AGAIN TALKS OF TRUSTS

Compares Them to the Mississippi River.

THIS CANNOT BE DAMMED

Levees May be Built to Keep it Within Bounds.

SO OF TRUSTS. THEY MAY BE CONTROLLED

But the First Thing is to Give the National Government Power. This Address at Wheeling is Greeted With Great Applause.

(By the Associated Press.)

Wheeling, W. Va., Sept. 6.—President Roosevelt and party arrived over the Baltimore and Ohio at 8:30 this morning from Washington. He was greeted by a vast crowd at the depot and smiled his appreciation despite his badly discolored face. His right cheek was rather badly swollen and contused, and his left eye showed signs of discoloration.

Mayor Sweeney, President Laughlin and Secretary Birch, of the Board of Trade, Postmaster Hall and Councilman Waterhouse formed a committee which received the President. The entire party, which embodied Secretary Cortelyou, Secret Service men and a staff of correspondents, entered vehicles and were driven to the McClure House, headed by a military band.

Throughout the entire route enthusiasm was rife, the streets being lined with people from western Pennsylvania, eastern Ohio and West Virginia. At the hotel the Chief Executive met a delegation of the prominent citizens of Wheeling, introduced by senator Nathan Scott.

President Roosevelt seemed in a very jovial humor and joked with his newly made acquaintances. He addressed an enormous crowd from the balcony of the hotel. He spoke long beyond his scheduled time, which necessitated the curtailment of the regular program. The President said:

"A great period of national material well-being is unavoidably one in which human minds are turned to the way in which those interested in the management of the gigantic capitalistic corporations, whose growth has been so noted a period of the past half century, flourish. We have grown to speak of certain corporations rather loosely as trusts, using the word in its usual and common significance of a big corporation, usually doing business in several States at least, beside the State in which it is incorporated. It seems to me that in dealing with this problem of the trusts (perhaps it would be more correct to call it a group of problems), we have to class all of our fellow citizens. One is composed of those men who refuse to admit that there is any action necessary at all. The other is composed of those men who advocate some non-effective action or action which if effective, would be effective only by destroying everything good and had connected with our industrial development. In every governmental process, the aim that a people capable of self-government should keep in mind, is to proceed by evolution rather than by revolution. On the other hand, every people that has self-government must beware of this fossilization of mind which refuses to allow of any change, as conditions change. Now in dealing with the problem of a change in our great industrial civilization in dealing with the tendency which has been accentuated to an extraordinary degree by steam and electricity, and by the tremendous upbuilding of industrial enterprises, dealing with these problems, I think we must set before ourselves, a desire not to accept less than the possible, and at the same time not to bring ourselves to a complete standstill by demanding the impossible.

"It is a good deal like taking care, through the engineers, of the lower Mississippi River. No one can dam the Mississippi. If the nation starts to dam it, its time would be wasted. It would not injure the Mississippi, it would only damage the population along the banks. You cannot dam the current, so you build levees, and keep the current within bounds and shape its direction. Now, I think that is exactly what we can do with these great corporations, known as trusts. We cannot dam them, we cannot reverse the industrial tendencies of the age. You can control and regulate them so that they will do no harm.

"We can do something. I believe we can do a good deal, is conditional upon setting to work in a spirit as far removed as is possible from hysteria. A spirit of sober, steadfast, kindly (I want to emphasize the word kindly), determination not to submit to wrong ourselves and not to wrong others. Not to interfere with the great business development of the country, but at the same time so as to shape our legislation and administration to regulate, if we cannot remedy the vicious features connected with that industrial development. I am sufficiently fortunate to be defying now as President, precisely the remedies that I advocated two years ago. I am advocating the motto in any partisan spirit, because, gentlemen, this is a problem which affects the life of the nation as a whole. I am advocating them simply as a man who for the time being stands as the chief executive and

the special representative of his fellow American citizens of all parties. A quarter of a century ago, there had been no development of industries such as to make it a matter of the least importance whether the nation of the State took charge of the great corporations and industrial organizations.

"Some of the ultra-conservative friends have professed to be greatly shocked at my advocating governmental control of corporations. I would explain to those gentlemen once for all that they err whenever they think that I advocate the stamp anything I will not try to put into effect after election. Now the point is made that working alone these lines will take time. So it will. The first thing is to give the National Government the power. What power is given, I can assure you, will be used in a spirit as free as possible from favor, but with the firmest determination to make big men and little men alike obey the law. The first thing would be to find out the facts. For that purpose I am absolutely clear that we need publicity, not as a favor from any one corporation, but as a matter of right. The mere fact of the publicity itself will tend to stop many of the evils, and it will show that some of the alleged evils are imaginary. And, finally, in making evident the remaining faults, those that are not imaginary, and are not cured by the light of day itself, it will give us an intelligent proposition as to the methods to take in getting at them." (Applause.)

At the conclusion of the speech the party re-entered the train of carriages and were driven over a route of the principal thoroughfares of the city. The decorations were of an elaborate and festive order. All along the route vast crowds cheered the President to the echo. The party was driven to the Southern portion of the city, where the Baltimore and Ohio special train was boarded and the trip to the South continued.

To Present a Cane to Roosevelt.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 6.—A committee of Atlanta citizens, bearing invitations from Governor Candler, Mayor Mims and the Chamber of Commerce, will leave tomorrow for Chattanooga and will attempt to induce President Roosevelt to visit Atlanta during the Southern Interstate Fair, which will be held here in October. Colonel Robert J. Lowry of the Governor's military staff will present Governor Candler's invitation to the President.

A number of citizens of Rome, Ga., will also meet the President at Chattanooga, and present to him a handsome souvenir cane cut from wood grown on the battlefield of Chickamauga. The stick is encased in six silver bands, bearing the names of Generals Bragg, Longstreet and Wheeler of the Confederate army, and Generals Rosecrans, Thomas and Howard of the Federal army, all of whom participated in the battle of Chickamauga.

On the Diamond.

National League.

(By the Associated Press.)

At Boston—R. H. E. Boston...0002000100-3 10 3 Chicago...3000000002-5 8 3

At Philadelphia—R. H. E. Cincinnati...100131001-7 9 3 Philadelphia...100000010-2 5 3

At Brooklyn—R. H. E. St. Louis...000000101-2 6 1 Brooklyn...302000000-5 10 0

At New York—R. H. E. Pittsburgh...100002303-9 11 3 New York...000010002-3 6 5

At St. Louis—R. H. E. St. Louis...000410000-5 11 2 Foston...102000300-6 14 6

At Cleveland—R. H. E. Cleveland...000014000-2 8 0 Philadelphia...000003000-3 4 2

American League.

(By the Associated Press.)

At Detroit—(First Game.) R. H. E. Detroit...402032010-12 14 3 Baltimore...100102000-4 4 4

(Second Game.) R. H. E. Detroit...320000100-6 10 1 Baltimore...100000010-2 7 2

Chicago...10000312\*-7 13 2 Washington...100000012-4 7 0

Southern League.

(By the Associated Press.)

Atlanta 4, New Orleans 8. Birmingham 3, Shreveport 1. Second game: Birmingham 1, Shreveport 9.

Chattanooga 7, Memphis 9. Nashville 3, Little Rock 9.

Eastern League.

(By the Associated Press.)

Worcester 13, Newark 4. Second Game—Newark 8, Worcester 7. Montreal 6, Rochester 2. Second Game—Montreal 6, Rochester 3. Providence 3, Jersey City 1. Second Game—Providence 4, Jersey City 3.

Buffalo 8, Toronto 5.

Weekly Bank Statement.

(By the Associated Press.)

New York, Sept. 6.—The statement of the associated banks for the week (five days) ending today, shows: Loans, decrease \$3,665,290; deposits, decrease \$12,600,300; circulation, increase \$629,900; legal tenders, decrease \$2,962,609; specie, decrease \$5,833,290; surplus reserve, decrease \$5,645,725.

15,000 ORDERED BACK TO WORK

The Strike in the Kanawha and New River Fields a Complete Failure.

(By the Associated Press.)

Charleston, W. Va., Sept. 6.—The coal miners' strike in the Kanawha and New River fields, involving 15,000 miners, which has been in existence since June 7th, is practically at an end. Each local union is instructed to go back to work on the best terms possible without regard to the action of any local. Several of the largest operators in the New River field have made terms with their men and will resume on Monday. No concessions have been granted and from the miners' standpoint the strike is a complete failure, the men returning to work at the same rate as before the strike. There has been great activity among the operators getting ready to start up. Evictions will stop now and old men will be given employment where possible. Most of the strikers are happy that it will soon be over, as many went out under protest in the beginning.

One Thousand Return to Work.

(By the Associated Press.)

Bramwell, W. Va., Sept. 6.—About a thousand more striking miners resumed work today in the Norfolk and Western fields, making a total of 2,500 to go back since yesterday morning. All armed guards have been withdrawn from the coal mine property. Hundreds of miners families are today moving from the little tents on the mountain tops back into the company's houses in the narrow valleys from which they were evicted since the strike began. Many mines are today running in full, employing more men than before the strike. Business in this region will be fully resumed by Monday.

THE PUBLIC BUILDING SITE.

The Kirby Property Beautifully Situated Accepted For This Purpose.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Greensboro, N. C., Sept. 6.—The site for Greensboro's public building has been settled upon. The Humphrey-Gibson Company, real estate agents, this city, having withdrawn the Allen property, were advised this afternoon, by the department at Washington of the acceptance of the Kirby property, which site was also offered by them. The price agreed on for the site is eight thousand dollars. The buildings on the lot were not included in the deal. The lot is 10x150 feet and fronts both John and Mulberry streets, being within one block of the passenger depot and in the same block as the present site of the postoffice. The Kirby site is without question, the most beautiful situation for the public building of the several offered by the Humphrey-Gibson Company and others here.

Woody Sends For a Preacher.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Greensboro, N. C., Sept. 6.—Woody, the man in jail here charged with assault on a young girl at the park, it is said, begins to feel the weight of his sins to such an extent that he sent for a preacher last night to obtain some comfort from religion. In the report yesterday of the trial, injustice was inadvertently done the officers who served the warrants which were lost. It was through no fault of the sheriff or his deputies, the officer bringing Woody from Salisbury having forgotten to leave the warrant here, carried it home in his pocket and returned it today. Greensboro has saved her manners but lost an eagerly coveted opportunity of extending hospitality to the Chief Magistrate of the nation. The following telegram has been received from Senator Pritchard:

"Marshall, N. C., Sept. 5. "Mayor W. H. Osborn, Greensboro. "Telegram received. The President advises me that he cannot stop at any point in the State except Asheville on account of other engagements. I regret this greatly and beg to thank you sincerely for your cordial invitation to our Chief Magistrate."

The Greensboro Schools.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Greensboro, N. C., Sept. 6.—At a meeting of the trustees of the Greensboro Graded School last night Miss Sallie Kirby was elected to a position on the faculty of the school. She will preside over the primary department. The school has a number of new teachers for the next session, which will begin on the 22nd instant. The school now has twenty teachers beside the superintendent, Prof. T. R. Foust.

The two commodious and handsome new brick buildings of the school that have been erected, one at each end of the original building, are now receiving the finishing touch and will be ready for occupancy by the date fixed for the opening of the school. The old building has also been remodelled inside and equipped with the same modern furnishings as the new buildings.

New Military Post at Chattanooga.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, Sept. 6.—Captain H. J. Slocum, quartermaster, has been ordered to proceed to Chattanooga, Tenn., and assume charge, under the instructions of the Quartermaster General, of the construction of the new military post at Chickamauga, Ga.

Seven Thousand Ballots Cast.

(By the Associated Press.)

Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 6.—The deadlock in the Twelfth district Democratic Congressional Convention at Cleburne, was broken today by the nomination of O. W. Gillespie. It required more than seven thousand ballots to make a nomination.

BARELY ESCAPED WITH LIVES.

S. H. Buchanan's Cottage Near Jonesboro Burned, Probably by Incendiary.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Sanford, N. C., Sept. 6.—The handsome cottage this side of Jonesboro, belonging to S. H. Buchanan, and known as the Eccleston house, was burned this morning at 2:45. The present occupants barely escaped with their lives, as the house was burned almost to the point of falling in when the fire was discovered. S. H. Buchanan, the owner of this property, was not in town when this house was burned, but was in Baltimore on business. It is said that the insurance is about half enough to cover loss. The fire is supposed to be of incendiary origin. The Pitts-Crabtree Manufacturing Co., having increased their capital stock to \$10,000 and will begin the manufacture of furniture as soon as the new machinery can be installed. It is reported on good authority that the charter will be amended during the next six months, and that there will be a further increase and that the capital will be increased to \$25,000.

Sanford can now boast of two well organized fire companies, Lion Fire Company, No. 1, was organized July 15th, and is the city company, with the following officers: R. E. Holton, foreman; T. S. Cross, assistant foreman; A. M. Clark, secretary; and G. H. Wilkie, treasurer. The Independent Hose Company, was organized September 1st, and is the property of the Sanford Furniture Manufacturing Company, with the following officers: R. V. Hilands, captain; W. M. Crouch, foreman; R. F. White, secretary; W. J. Gaines, treasurer. These two companies are now being equipped, and when all equipments are ready there will be some warm competition between the two companies.

At a meeting of Lion Fire Company, No. 1, held in the office of the secretary, last night, a resolution was passed by the company thanking the secretary and the ladies of the town for the aid they gave the company in the success of the entertainment given a few nights ago.

FELL DOWN ELEVATOR SHAFT

Mrs. Frazier of Savannah Meets With a Terrible Accident

(Special to News and Observer.)

Asheville, N. C., Sept. 6.—Mrs. Frazier, of Savannah, today fell down two stories of the elevator shaft at the Windsor Hotel in this city. She is in a grave condition.

WON WATERMELON CAKE.

Free Rural Delivery From High Point and Uniforms For Firemen.

(Special to the News and Observer.)

High Point, N. C., Sept. 6.—It will be of interest to those familiar with the case to know that Mr. A. H. Ninstein, a commission broker of this place, won out at court in Salisbury this week. It will be remembered that Mr. Ninstein sold a load of watermelons to the merchants in Salisbury early in the season and on going there and delivering them was arrested, the Salisbury officers claiming that Mr. Ninstein had violated the law in that he had not paid the local tax for that place. The United States Civil Service Commission announces that free delivery will be established in High Point December 1 next and that a special examination will be held in this city October to select clerk and carriers. Steps are being taken to raise enough money to uniform the volunteer fire companies of this place.

NAPHA LAUNCH BURNED

Engineer Blows Overboard by Explosion But Only Slightly Injured

(Special to News and Observer.)

Beaufort, N. C., Sept. 6.—The Naptha launch Kitty Watts, owned and operated by the Beaufort, Morehead City and Ocracoke Steamboat Company, was burned and sunk at her dock at Ocracoke at 7 o'clock last night. The boat is a total loss, as she was not insured. The crew had all left her for an hour. The engineer returned first and on opening the saloon door struck a match. There being a leak in the gasoline tank, it is supposed an explosion occurred, blowing the engineer overboard. He was rescued and was but slightly injured.

GEORGE E. COOKE THE WINNER

Results in the President's Match Made Him the Military Champion.

(By the Associated Press.)

Rifle Range, Sea Girt, N. J., Sept. 6.—The most largely attended and successful rifle tournament ever held on the New Jersey range was terminated late this afternoon with the close of the firing of the President's Match for the military championship of the United States. The champion is George E. Cooke, of the First District of Columbia regiment. In order to win the title he found it necessary to shoot better than forty-three other competitors. The victory scored a total of 189 out of a possible 210. The winners in connection therewith having been in progress daily throughout the meet, have not yet been announced. It will take some time to figure out the results.

WOODARD AND JONES TO SPEAK.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Greensboro, N. C., Sept. 6.—Hon. John E. Woodard, of Wilson, and Hon. Armistead Jones, of Raleigh, will speak at the court house in this city on Monday at 12 o'clock. Senator Simmons may possibly be here also.

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All the riflemen, except those who are to compete for places on the all-American team, have departed and tonight the range is quiet. The following telegram was sent to the President of the United States at the conclusion of the President's match:

"President Roosevelt, Chattanooga, Tenn. "We, the riflemen assembled at Sea Girt, N. J., recognizing in yourself a kindred spirit, sincerely congratulate you in your recent escape from a serious accident, and trust you will suffer no permanent ill effects from it; that your eye and aim in the future as in the past, may assure you a bulls eye every time. The President's Match shot today was won by George E. Cooke, score 189 out of a possible 210.

(Signed.) "GENERAL BIRD W. SPENCER. "CAPTAIN ROBERT TAYLOR. "SERGEANT F. T. ALDER. "CORPORAL W. B. SHORT. "Committee."

THE WAR BALLOON'S PART.

Played a Very Important One in the Recent Maneuvers.

(By the Associated Press.)

New London, Conn., Sept. 6.—With the game of war ended, the officers and men of the respective commands of Major General MacArthur and Admiral Higginson are once again in peaceful co-operation. Early this afternoon the flagship Keearsarge with the Alabama and Indiana came through the race, made a loop toward the harbor's mouth and then sailed back toward Newport.

General MacArthur went out in his yacht Kanawha and exchange salutes with Admiral Higginson by dipping flags as the Keearsarge passed.

Through his chief of staff, Thomas H. Barry, Major General MacArthur today sent a telegram to all commanders, expressing his entire satisfaction with the work of the army during the war maneuvers, and the first which came to a close this noon.

The first news given out at headquarters regarding the war balloon used in connection with the war maneuvers, came today when the following message was received from the balloon by telephone:

"Ascended at 8:30 a. m. Ascension successful in spite of wind and the great difficulties we have encountered. Lieutenant Clifton and myself ascended in the balloon. Discovered the enemy's full squadron off Andy Point, Block Island. Can command entire country in adjacent waters from balloon. A military balloon will always prove of great value for military purposes when used in serviceable weather. (Signed) "REBER."

American Officers Meet the Kaiser.

(By the Associated Press.)

Berlin, Sept. 6.—Major Generals Corbin and Young, and Brigadier General Wood were presented to Emperor William today at the Markendorf parade field, near Frankfurt-on-the-Oder, after the parade was finished. General Corbin was presented first. The Emperor welcomed him most cordially. Among His Majesty's first words were hearty thanks for the attentions shown to Prince Henry during the latter's visit to the United States. After further conversation Emperor William presented General Corbin to the Emperor. While General Corbin was conversing with Her Majesty the other American generals were presented to the Emperor.

A Republican Split

(By the Associated Press.)

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 6.—The Republicans of the Sixth district met here today to nominate a candidate for Congress in opposition to the present Representative, John W. Gaines. The convention was inharmonious and the old Brownlow-Evans feud was revived. A split followed and the Brownlow men nominated District Attorney Tillman, while the Evans followers named H. A. Luck. The Brownlow faction organized the convention.

Collision at Glasgow.

(By the Associated Press.)

Glasgow, Sept. 6.—A tram car became unmanageable while going down the Renfield Street incline tonight and crashed into three cars which were waiting at a crossing. One of the waiting cars was driven through the front of a shop. Twenty of the passengers who were in the cars were taken to an infirmary. The drivers of two of the cars and several of the passengers are in a critical condition.

The Christian College.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Wilson, N. C., Sept. 6.—The Christian College opened with eighty-five students. They will probably have one hundred and fifty enrolled during the first session. Dr. Coggins, the president, is well pleased with his opening and bright prospects. There will be a faculty reception Monday night, a musical and reading reception Tuesday night of next week.

THE GATHERING OF THE INDEPENDENTS

Wake Republicans and Populists Their Allies.

NOMINATE NO TICKET

Propose to do This on Twentieth of September.

THE ATTENDANCE WAS VERY SMALL

An Exhortation by G. Bent Alford, Warm Words by Erastus Ballentine, Fis'icuffs By Thad Ivey and Pambing Discourse by John Atwater.

The Wake "Independents" met yesterday in the court house.

They came in response to a call issued by parties stating they were Democrats, and inviting all conservative white voters of the county, regardless of past political company, to meet in Raleigh and help nominate a full county ticket.

The meeting was set for 12 o'clock, but a private caucus with a guardian at the door began shortly after 10 in the court house. In this private meeting came the Republicans and Populists of Wake, because the call had asked them to come. But these were not wanted at the preliminaries, and on motion of Mr. Bryant Smith, were invited to get out till the doors were open for the regular meeting. This they did.

Left in the court house were about thirty whom the signers of the call considered regular enough to attend. These mapped out the work of the main meeting, which was to consist of nothing but to agree to a primary and a convention, on the 20th of September.

The caucus had elected Mr. L. E. Wyatt chairman, and Mr. D. I. Fort secretary. The following resolution committee was appointed to prepare the views of the convention: J. E. Ballentine, A. F. Taylor, W. H. Chapell, B. P. Sanderlin, W. P. Smith and W. H. Jones. It was decided that every precinct in the county should be entitled to send one delegate for each twenty-five Democratic votes cast in the last election.

Having fixed the slate behind closed doors these were opened and the Republicans and Populists drifted in, as did about eighty people from Raleigh and vicinity, drawn thither by curiosity. Dave Lane, who failed to see what was going on in the Greensboro Republican convention, in company with three or four other negroes occupied a rear seat in the court house. The "Independents," Republicans and Populists all combined, now numbered about eighty-five and a number of townships were not represented in the meeting.

The one hundred and fifty people who made up the meeting in the Wake county court-house yesterday was a conglomerate made up of five or six distinct factions. The assemblage was in obedience to a call issued some weeks ago and signed by a number of former Democrats and others who expressed themselves as dissatisfied with the regularly nominated Wake county Democratic ticket. There were perhaps thirty men present yesterday who have hitherto been regular Democrats, and who were taking part in the meeting. There were equally as many old moss back Republicans like Coburn L. Harris, L. M. Green, J. Frat Massey, J. R. Chamberlain, Ham Jones, J. P. H. Adams, Henry Pollard and others who are always ready to lend presence and any influence they may have to any movement that has in it the slightest hope of dividing the Democratic party. Then there were perhaps twenty Republicans, Populists, such as W. H. Chamblee, W. M. Arnold, Thaddeus Ivey, Oscar Robertson, Green Bagwell, Hill E. King and others, who have for years been ready at any time to lend their influence to any kind of anti-Democratic movement.

Besides these there were a few that might be termed Populist-Leaners such as Henry Chanel, B. W. Green, Raines, of Wake Forest; J. R. Gray, and others, who generally felt better and more at home in a convention of independents, or kickers, than elsewhere. There were a few others who might be termed Republican-Democratic-Populists-Gold Bug-Silverites, such as G. Bent Alford, R. M. Wynne, and others, who believe in almost anything except what other folks believe in, and there was a sprinkling of regular Democrats, who went hither to see what was going to happen, and these factions made up the great convulsion that had been promised and that was intended to be a regular Mt. Pelee in its effect on the Democratic party in Wake county, but its lava was frozen and failed to do damage.

The convention organized by making the caucus officers the permanent officers on motion of Dr. L. P. Sorrell, and about seven votes agreed. Dr. Sorrell stated that it had been agreed to hold primaries on the 19th and a convention on the 20th, and after Messrs. J. J. Raines and W. H. Chappell had been heard it was agreed to have the primary on the 18th. To call these primaries the chairman Wyatt gave authority to Secretary Fort, to appoint the committee.

Then Secretary Fort was requested to (Continued on Fifth Page.)