Grand Exalted Ruler Elks.

# BURLESON DENIES CHARGES MADE BY REPUBLICAN PARTY

Says Arraignment of Postal Au-thorities "Falls Harmless" At Their Feet

**FEDERAL OPERATION OF** WIRE SERVICE DEFENDED

The Postmaster General Quotes Statements of Vail and Carlton In Reply to Declaration of Inefficiency In G. O. P. Platform; Criticizes Postal Increase Measure

Washington, June 13.-Postmaster General Burleson issued a statement today declaring that "in the light of the truth" the "arraignment of the postal authorities" by the Republican party platform adopted at Chicago "falls harmless at their feet."

Replying to the declaration in the platform that the present administration destroyed "the efficiency of the telephone and telegraph service when controlled by the government," Mr. Burleson quotes from statements of the late Theodore N. Vail, president of the American Telephone & Telegraph Company. President Carlton, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, and others to show that the wire properties were successfully administered by the gov-ernment and returned in good condi-

Made "S'nister Insignation. Mr. Burleson says the Republican or ganization in a tentative draft of its platform made a "sinister insinuation" that during government control the wires were used for purposes of "political patronage" and ':political espion-age." He declared that of the four new ces created for the wire adminisration three were filled with Republicans, and challenges the Republican organization to prove there was "even an attempt at political espionage."

This charge is not made without a purpose, he declared, adding: "Watch the amount of a certain confribution to the Republican campaign fund and it will be disclosed that a certain interest, which having failed to control or even influence a Republican Congress by slimy falsehoods, because both sides could be heard, temporarily got in its work on the great Republican rganisation where the truth could not a heard and apparently was not de-Increase Bill Unfair.

Taking up the platform's declaration commending the Republican Congress for increasing the pay of postal employes, Mr. Burleson says that instead of adopting his plan "which would have resulted in an increase of salaries of postoffice clerks and city letter carriers to a maximum basis of \$2,062 yearly and like increases to those in the other lines of postal activity," Congress gives some an increase not deserved and denies to thousands of faithful and efficient employes increases com mensurate with their work and to which they are fairly entitled."
Referring to the statement in the

proposed first platform plank made pub-lie at Chicago that the Republican Congress reduced postage costs, Mr. Burleson says the Congress not only did not make any such reduction, but failed to take favorable action on his recommendation that the postage on drop or city letters, be made one cent instead of two "after an acknowledgment that it should be done."

## COOLIDGE TO RECEIVE RETURNING DELEGATES

Boston, June 13.—The plans of Gov-ernor Coolidge, Republican Vice-Presidential nominee, to go to Amherst for the opening of the commencement week of his alma mater and then to his home in Northampton, were changed to-day upon receipt of a telegram from the Massachusetts delegates saying they would arrive here tomorrow afternoon and parade to the State house. The Governor decided to remain in Boston to receive them, after which he would journey to his home. Governor Coolidge, as he was greeted

by newspapermen this morning, made a whimsical complaint of a statement published in a local paper that he paid 5 a month rent for his half-house in Northampton, whereas he actually pays \$32. He said that if the landlord should happen to see the story the rent might raised to correspond.

During the day the Governor was besleged with callers, who came to extend their congratulations on his ination. His secretary, Henry F. Long, continually brought him telegrams from a host of friends and prominent Repub-

After receiving the Massachusetts delegates tomorrow afternoon the Gov-ernor will go to Springfield to join his Amherst classmates of 1895 at a dinner in celebration of the 25th anniversary of their graduation. On Tuesday he will attend commencement week exercises at Amherst and on Wednesday he will present the diploman to the graduating classes of Holy Cross College at Wor-

# QUARREL OVER 50 CENTS RESULTS IN A TRAGEDY

Asheville, June 13 .- Quarrelling, according to the police, over 50 cents, said to have been the stake in a dice game they staged at a construction camp about 12 miles from Asheville, Charlie Brown, one of the workmen, killed Charles Columbus this afternoon and then made his escape. Officers the villages of Dukati, Thias, Radina and the made his escape. Officers the villages of Dukati, Thias, Radina and the unable to locate Brown. When the fight started Brown is said to have the recall of General Raimondo recently the command of Aviona was entrusted bend open, the man dying instantly.

Heads World Women



Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, who was unanimously re-elected president of the International Woman's Suffrage Alli-Session at Geneva, Switzerland. Mrs. Catt delivered the opening speech at the meeting, and also the farewell ad-dress. Mrs. Josephus Daniels, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, was one of the distinguished ladies from the United States who attended the suffrage conference.

## FIGHT EXPECTED OVER SOVIET RESOLUTIONS

Labor "Progressives" Would Recognize Soviet Russia and Lift Blockade

Montreal, June 13.-Labor leaders predicted tonight that the first big fight on the floor of the convention of the American Federation of Labor, now in session here, would come upon the pres entation for debate of resolutions demanding recognition of the Soviet govof "bon voyage" to come from the throng ernment of Russia and the lifting of the blockade against that country.

The committee considering these reso lutions, it was learned tonight, will recommend that the convention refuse to endorse the Soviet government or any other form of government" in Russia until the people there have estab-lished "a truly Democratic form of gov-

The "progressives," headed by James Duncan, of Scattle, are prepared to wage a bitter fight on the floor for recognition of the Soviets. They will be supported, he said, by the Internation Ladies' Garment Workers, of New York and several other international unions. One of the first matters to come be fore the delegates will be the executive council's report, which states that "notwithstanding the needs of the masses of our country, Congress failed to enact a single constructive measure that would

sid in checking profitering."

Alexander Howatt, president of the
Kansas Mine Workers' Organization, announced tonight that he will fight for the adoption of his resolution condemning the Kansas Industrial Court. The resolution also criticizes Governor Allen for his despicable efforts to enslave the working class of Kansas and finally the working class of the United States in rostituting his office as governor Kansas to the work of crucifying the working class."

# STUDENT ASSASSINATES NOTED ALBANIAN CHIEF

Essad Pasha, Former Provi sional President, Shot to Death In Paris

Paris, June 13.—Essad rassa, carry representatives of the press was of the Albanian delegation in Paris carry representatives of the press was and former provisional president of are to make the trip.

After the formal send-off from Government of the party will be the Paris, June 13.-Essad Pasha, head Albanian student, two of which took guest of Lieutenant Governor Buchanan

Essad Pasha was emerging from the the North Carolina line, Governor Rotel Continental in the Rue Castig- Bickett will be host to the boosters Hotel Continental in the Rue Castiglione when he was suddenly confronted by a young man, who later gave his as Rustem Aveni, and said was an Albanian student. Without uttering a word, Rustem fired two shots, which struck Essad Pasha in the chest and another shot which went wild. Essad sank to the ground. He was picked up, and taken to his bed-room,

there he died shortly afterward. The assumin was arrested by a waiter. He told the police he arrived in Paris on May 31, and declared the crime was not premeditated. He recognized Esand Pasha on the street, whom he held to be responsible for the suf-ferings of Albania. He said he felt a sudden impulse and fired the shots. Rustem termed Essad "the Albanian

# SITUATION IN ALBANIA IS SERIOUS FOR ITALY

Rome, June 12.- The situation in Al benia is considered most grave. "The Albanian insurgents have been strength ened by American-equipped Serbians, wearing American uniforms," says the Idea Nazionale, adding "it is true the offensive by Serbian and Jugo-Slav troops aims to chase Italy from the Balkans."

obliged to evacuate Antivari as the Serbians have occupied the railway. The Serbians are also threatening the Italcaravan, according to the officials, will stretch in formation a distance of two

ian garrison of Scutari. Avlona was attacked after the delivery of an ultimatum demanding evacua-tion by the Italians in 24 hours, but the insurgents were repulsed at the point of the bayonet, losing 200 killed and one thousand taken prisoner. The Italian casualties were small, but several minor Italian contingents were surrounded and some captured. The Italian general, Cavallo, was captured in bitter fighting, which occurred in the outskirts of the city. Italian warships bombarded the insurgents and razed

Canina.

The Corriere d'Italia says that after trucks: four standardized "b" trucks

LY 280 MINERS KILLED IN EXPLOSION IN HUNGARY

Chief Interest In North Carolina

Centers Around Col. Benne-

han Cameron

Be With Party When It

Leaves Capital This Morn-

ing; Reaches Raleigh Next

The News and Observer Bureau, 603 District National Bank Bldg.

By R. E. POWELL.

(By Special Leased Wire.)

Washington, June 13.—Members of the cabinet, high ranking officers in the

army and a score or more of good roads beesters will assemble at the zero

milestone here tomorrow morning offi-

cially to start a record breaking gov-

ernment convoy over the Bankhead highway to Bichmond, Raleigh and on

Los Angeles. Chief interest of North Carolinians

in this egoch-making event perhaps cen-ters around Col. Bennehan Cameron, one of the earliest apostles of better high-

ways, for it is more than the realization

to Dixie tonight awaiting the shouts

that gathers in Potomac park tomorrow

kelton Williams, comptroller of the

currency, Governor W. P. G. Harding of the Federal reserve board, and Maj.

Gen. H. L. Rogers of the army will be

the principal speakers at the exercises in Potomac park tomorrow. The start-

ing ceremonies will last for an hour and at exactly 10 o'clock the convoy

will begin to move onto Fredericksburg,

where the first night will be spent.

Tuceday will be spent in driving to

Saturday morning and arrive in

Many Prominent Guests.

ernment officials, the party will be the

organizations over the route will enter

of highways as one of the most im-

performance of pneumatic tires.
For extensive field service and train-

ing for officers and enlisted men, for

rt corps, collection of road data

the purpose of recruiting for the motor

and for the development of a closer

relationship between the army and the

One of the novel experiments of the

mining the practicability of motor con-

telegraph and telephone. The entire

miles, affording fine opportunities for

The personnel accompanying the trip will include one motor transport com-pany at war strength, one service park

one detachment of engineers, one medi-

cal detachment and one signal corps

Cars in The Convoy.

The following cars will be used:

Pive Dodge and two Cadillac touring cars; twelve White and two Dodge trucks; two White ataff observation

unit, one headquarters motor comma-

public.

tain the party in various cities.

The Purpose of Trip.

it moves through Virginia. Inside

to bid adieu to the party.

First Step Fredericksburg.

Secretaries Baker and Daniels,

of a dream to him.

oaters will assemble at the

Saturday for Week-End

IMPOSING CEREMONIES

and ninety-three miners are believed to have been killed by the expleason of a dynamite depot at Anina, the great Hungarian coal and from mining center 55 miles southeast of Temesvar, according to a dispatch from the latter city to-day. Thirty-six others were serious-

ly injured.

One hundred and neventy-three
bodies have been recovered. The
dynamite exploded just as the
miners were leaving a shaft.

# TO MARK ITS BEGINNING PLAGUE REPORTED Fifty-four Government Cars. Trucks and Motorcycles Will AT PENSACOLA, FLA

One Man Said to Have Died From Bubonic Plague; Steps to Clean Up City

Pensacola, Fin., June 13 .- State laboratory officials declared today that Bubonic plague caused the death of George Gardina, a merchantdise clerk, who died here Friday, and a clean-up campaign and warfare on rate was inaugurated. No other cases or suspects have been discovered. A special meeting of the city commission has been called for Monday morning to discuss the situation and Dr. Williams of the United States Marine Hospital service is en route from New Orleans to take

charge of the campaign.

Dr. Williams is bringing with him a supply of anti-plague serum for use, if

Fifty-four government tousing cars, rucks and motorcycles, in addition to more than a score of guest cars that will be with the party from State line to State line, under the control of 20 officers and 160 enlisted men of the War Gardina, it was stated, attended a iance Wednesday night and was taken ill the following morning, dying 24

Dr. Herbert Bryan, his physician, sent blood specimens to the State Laboratory where it was found that Gardina had

Dr. Mallory Kennery, the port physician, and the United States Marine Hospital authorities were notified immediately and every precaution is be-ing taken to prevent a spread of the disease. Gardina's case is believed by physicians to have originated from a rat from a ship from a Mexican port, and to have been a sporadic oue.

Public health officials already have started a survey of the city to localize what might be regarded as a dangerous area. They will take especial precau tions to see that no ships tie up along Richmond, the party arriving there early in the afternoon and spending the docks without proper rat guards.

Commerce from this port will not be interfered with, it was stated, but all vessels and all freight care leaving here will be fumigated and all ports be requested to enforce fumigation regulathe evening as the guests of the State of Virginia. Wednesday a big wel-come party will be staged by the Petersburg Chamber of Commerce and Wednesday evening will be spent at DeWitt, Va. Thursday will find the party at South Hill and Friday at Oxtions on all ships that arrive from Pen party at South Hill and Friday at Ox-ford. The convoy will leave Oxford sacola. Vessels that have been on the high seas seven or more days enroute from Pensacola to other ports will not eigh about noon, remaining in the Tar Heel capital until Monday morning. be subject to quarautine on arrival at estination, it was said here.

Officials here expressed confidence the The official guest cars, which will plague would not attain slarming pro-lead the pace maker of the convoy, will portions.

# tenant Governor Buchanan, of Virginia, PLAGUE NOT DEFINITELY

Mrs. Land, daughter of the late Senator Bankhead, after whom the highway is named, and J. A. Rountree, director Washington, June 13 .- Officials of the general of the highway.

Other guest cars will be occupied by Public Health Service said tonight that it was not definitely established that a Miss Flora Wilson, daughter of former Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, A. G. case of Bubonic plague had developed at Pensacola. The death of Gardina Batchelder, chairman of the executive was reported Saturday to the Public ommittee of the American Automobile Health Service and surgeons had been Association; Miss Lucy Herndon, of Predericksburg; S. S. Kirkland, of sent to investigate, it was said. Path-ological specimens will be forwarded Hillsboro: Mrs. Harry Adams, of Wash. here tomorrow for examination. ington; Miss Norwich and Col. John B. Franklin, of the army ,in command

# of the convoy. Two guest cars will SEN. HARDING ARRIVES carry representatives of the press who AT NATIONAL CAPITAL

Vigorously Applauded By Big Crowd At Union Station; No Statement

and so on through the several States Washington, June 14 .- Senator Warren G. Harding, of Ohio, Republican it passes until the coast of California is reached. Commercial and civic Presidential nominee, arrived in Wash-organizations over the route will enter-ington at 12:05 o'clock this morning from Chicago, nearly two hours behind schedule time. He was greeted by a throng which crowded Union Station. The purposes for which the convoy is sutherized are summarized in a state. Senator Harding was met by a reception committee and was escorted to the ment issued today from the War Department. It represents first the War Department's contribution to the good President's room of the station. He iors. passed through lines of people, who The roads movement for the purpose of eduvigorously applauded him. As he ating the public toward a realization passed out of the statton to his automoof the necessity for a national system bile, he was greeted with a popular air from the Boy Scout band of Oil ostant factors in the national defense. City, Pa.

Extended service or performance Senator Harding was accompanied by est of the several types of motorized Mrs. Harding, his campaign manager, vehicles for the purpose of determin-ing which type is best for the terri-stopped at the station only long enough stopped at the station only long enough to pose for two flashlight pictures and The collection of comparative data drove in mediately to his home on the operation and maintenance of Wyoming avenue. He issued no statethe various types of vehicles, of the ment.

> To Send Mission to England. Paris, June 13 .- The Petit Parisien says today it learns the Russian Soviet government at Moscow has decided to send a mission to England to study the situation of the proletariat.

#### BOMB EXPLODES IN HAVANA THEATRE: MANY ARE INJURED

Hayana, Cuba, June 13 .- Several members of the chorus and a num. ber of persons in the audience were injured, one of them seriously, when a bomb was exploded during a per-formance at the National Theatre this afternoon. The explosion occurred in the early part of the second act of the opera Aids, shortly before Enrico Caruso was due to appear for his last performance here. Panic was narrowly averted, largely through the coolness of the director and several municians, who played the Cuban National Anthem. The police have arrested the heatre's painter on suspicion, but theatre's painter on suspicion, but have been unable to find a motive

# SERMON SUNDA

Dr. S. B. McCormick, of Pittsburgh, Makes Searching **Appeal to Seniors** 

## LAST VESPER SERVICE **UNDER DAVIE POPLAR**

Ideal Commencement Day At Chapel Hill Featured By Inspiring Addresses; Class Day Exercises Today With Graduation Exercises Wednesday; Many Visitors Arrivé

By J. LENOIR CHAMBERS. Chapel Hill, June 13.—A powerful searching appeal to the men and women of Carolina to resist to the utmost the present day attack on all established institutions and to carry forward to fulfillment the dreams of their fath-ers for religion, for freedom, and for the future of America by Dr. Samuel Black McCormick, Chancellor of the University of Pittsburg, who preached the baccalaureate sermon to the grad-uating class in Gerrard Hall, and a beaujiful vesper service under the his-teric Davie Poplar on the campus by Dr. W. D. Moss beloved paster of the Chapel Hill Presbyterian church, ushered in the first day of the 125th commencement at the University of North Carolina.

"As that man is greatest who be comes the servant of all, so only can America achieve greatness by become ing the servant of all the nations" said Dr. McCormick in almost the concluding words of his sermon. must be content to develop itself as country within the boundaries set for America, but as a people and as a na-tion America will attain to its God intended destiny only as the arms of the people are extended wide and the hands of the people are full of bles-sing, abundantly and generously ex-pended upon all people who need sym-pathy and kindness and help."

Ideal Commencement Day.

Chapel Hill has rarely known a love-

lier day. The first warm rush of summer, tempered and softened by broezes which rustled through the high tree tops of the giants on the brought out a large crowd. Gerrard Hall was filled to the doors and local congregations augmented by relatives and friends of the seniore and by the advance guard of the alumni who are

The graduates in cap and gown en-tered last of all and led by the mar-shals reched forward to the seats reserved for them. At their head were ident this year and permanent presi-dent respectively, and the eight co-eds of the class. They listened with interest when Dr. McCormick told them that it had been his privilege to confer her A. B. degree upon the wife of their University President, Mrs. Chase, and when he assured them that by blood and ancestry he was probably related to many of the North Carolinians in

Late this afternoon the seniors as sembled again on the campus and gathcred in a huge circle on the grass, friends banked row on row behind them. The last rays of the sun were shining through the trees as they heard the last words from their own "Parsermon. Taking his text from the fa-miliar verse, I will lift up mine miliar verse, "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills from whence cometh my help," Dr. Moss told the seniors that their lives would be made up of living in the valle y and in the hills, in the valley with the dead level of experience, with its limitation and change and desire, and in the hills with their wholesomeness, universal sweep, caimness, strength, and vision. "You will have to live in the valleys, for that is existence," said Dr. Moss "But don't fail to turn to the hills for their breath of vision and inspiration.

Tomorrow's class day, the senlors will have their last meeting, will pray for the last time with Professor Horace Williams, will finish their campus career as a group, and will turn over the key of the University to the jun-

The commencement exercises end Wednesday when Secretary of State Bainbridge Colby will deliver the annual commencement address and Gov-ernor Bickett will present diplomas to the graduates.

The Baccalaureate Sermon Basing his sermon on Hebrews 11:40, "God having provided some better thing concerning us, that apart from us they should not be made perfect," Dr. McCormick called on his hearers and especially the members of the graduat-"If at any time in the world's history

people needed to remember their con nection with other people and with but in the generation which follows.

We carry with us all who have gone before and thus become the fulfillment of all they dreamed and hoped, the realization of all they strived to at twelve members with half a vote each

"makes it a shameful thing for us if we in the primary platform a plank de-content to sit idly by and let wrongs claring for suffrage for the District of become so bad that they must cure Columbia. hemselves to prevent utter destruction. It is our business not only to preserve MERCHANTS OF STATE MEET the standard of excellence of the pre ceding generation but to raise that standard noticeably higher by the con-tribution we ourselves make to it." He



Frank L. Rain, of Fairbury, Ne brasks, head of the Benevolest and Protective Order of Elks in the United States, which will hold its annual convention in Chicago next month. The sessions will begin on July 1 and promise to be the most interesting and important in the history of the order.

# POLISH FORCES CARRY **OUT ORDERLY RETREAT**

Have Commenced Evacuation of Kiev, Destroying Bridges Over the Dnieper

Warsaw, June - - (By the Associated Press .- The Polish forces, carrying out orders to retreat to a new line of defense in the Ukraine, have commenced Dnieper, secording to an official statement issued today. The realignment s proceeding in perfect order, the "North of Kiev the Poles are battling

against the Bolsheviki, who are endeav to join forces with the cavalry of Gen. Budenny, which is striking northerly from the region southwest of Kiev Fighting is general all along the Berdi

to latest reports, the territory in this region in changing hands daily."

In a dash to the northwest, the cavalry of Gen. Budenny passed Berdichev, killing peasants on route. It proceeded as far as Zhifomir, where it is alleged the cavalry killed several was deep least proceeding. the cavalry killed several wounded Poles Fighting on the northern front has

ousted the Bolsheviki from territory rained in the recent offensive. The the Dvina southward along the Bere

# COMMITTEE OF 48 WIL

Most of Serious Problems" In Its Platform

Chicago, Ill., June 13.-Asserting that the Republican National Convention ignored most of the serious problems nd mentioned others only to reveal its unwillingness to face them y," the Committee of Forty-Eight, in statement tonight signed by Amos Pinchot and other members, said that whatever uncertainty existed as to whether there would be a new party candidate for president had been re

The organization will adopt a platform and nominate a candidate for president at a convention in Chicago

The Republican party has now driven out of a representation in its councils the millions of voters who fol-lowed Roosevelt, Johnson and LaFelthe statement said. party will represent these voters and will present a definite and constructive

The statement said that the new party had been organized in 30 states and that it would be prepared to put its electoral ticket on the ballots in ex-

# COLBY MAY BE WILSON'S SPOKESMAN AT FRISCO

Washington, June 13. - Bainbridge Colby, Secretary of State, was being especially the members of the graduat-ing class to withstand the present day man for President Wilson at the Demo-attack on all established institutions. eratic National Convention at San Francisco. The ticket headed by Mr. Colby, according to official returns from the city-wide primary, as announced tothe forces which operate in the world, day by John B. Colpoys, secretary of that time is now, he began. He detected the central Democratic committee, won that time is now, he began. He de-scribed the present unrest, declared that it was abnormal and would pass, so-called Bryan Democratic ticket. The

> residence in Washington, the opposing the inclusion of his name. The district delegation, including

will go to San Francisco uninstructed "This thought," Dr. McCormick said, It will make an effort to have included

# AT ASHEVILLE TUESDAY.

showed how the American government, lina Merchants' Association will open a mere thought in the minds of the here Tuesday of this week. Delegates are founders, began to find its realization expected to begin to strive temperary in front of the large temperary in the large nere Tuesday of this week. Delegates are expected to begin to strive tomorrow. In front of the depat and there presented the bedy, and the band took up station in a square in front of the depat and there presented the body.

# SENATOR HARDING

Nominee's Managers Will Put Campaign Machine In Order At Once

### SEVEN WOMEN ON NEW **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

Woman Will Also Be Vice-Chairman of Body; Members to Be Announced Later By Chairman Hays; Republicans Take Steps to Change Representation From South

Chicago, June 13.-Campaign managers for Senator Warren G. Harding, of Ohio, who was made the presidential nominee by the Republican National convention Saturday night, said today no time would be lost in getting things under way. Harry M. Daugherty, director of Harding's pre-convention campaign, requested the National committee to take "prompt, snappy and energetic action" in placing the merits of the Republican issues before the voters of the ountry. Party managers, it was said, would not wait until Senator Harding and Governor Calvin Coolidge, of Massachusetts, are officially notified of their ominations, but plan to start the campaign soon after the Democratic con-

vention is held.

Will H. Hays, re-elected chairman by the new National committee, was out of town today resting after his attenuous days during the convention. The members of the new executive committee, of whom seven will be women, will be named without delay by Chairman Hays. A vice chairman of the executive committee, who will be a woman, will committee, who will be a woman, will be selected at the time the committee

Change South's Representation A resolution passed in the final minites of the convention forcensts & change in the representation of the Re-publican party from Southern states at lution offered by Former Congressman Paul Howland, of Ohio, provides that the apportionment of delegates to conven-tions shall be in proportion to the Re-

publican votes cast in the states.

Testimony before the National committee ten days ago in its examination of claims of contesting delegations from veral Southern states showed certain delegates represented only a small con-stituency, as compared to delegates from other sections of the country. The resolution, which was passed unanimously notwithstanding the vigorous protests from delegates from Louisiana, Alabama and Texas, provides "that in order to effect proper and necessary changes in the apportionment of delegates in pro-portion to the Republican votes actually cast at general elections throughout the various states, and in order to inspire a greater effort to erect and maintain NOMINATE A CANDIDATE substantial party organizations in all the states, the National committee, not-Asserts Republicans 'Ignored withstanding any rule heretofore adopted, is directed within 12 months to adopt a just and equitable basis of represen tation in future National conventions. The basis shall be set forth in the call for the next convention and be binding upon all other future conventions until

otherwise ordered." Hearings To Resume About the time party managers begin their real activities the Senate committee investigating campaign funds will resume hearings, holding its first session in Chicago July 7. mittee has been authorized to extend its investigations, Senator Kenyon, its chairman, said no plans had yet been made to inquire into campaign funds up to election day.

The Republican presidential nominee will become the center of the campaign of the National Woman's Party to bring about ratification of the Federal suffrage constitutional amendment, according to a statement issued by suffrage leaders. A large delegation of women from many states, it was anhounced, will wait upon Senator Harding and ask him to insist upon Republican action to secure the thirty-sixth state for ratification.

Suffragists Plan Campaign. "Our campaign against Republican ob-struction to suffrage is not over," said the statement. "We will continue publicly and insistently to demand action from the Republican party to complete suffrage ratification. Since our picketing began at the Republican convention hall, additional pressure has been ex-erted by Republican leaders to secure a special session in Vermout."

Delegates and visitors attracted to Chicago by the National convention lost no time in getting away from town after the nominations were made. Today there were few delegates here and virtually no party leaders. Senator Harding left for Washington late Saturday night on the same train with Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, chairman of the convention, and Senator Smoot. Senator Johnson, of California, also de-

The special train bringing Senator Harding from Chicago to Washington was delayed more than an hour enroute, but the crowd of Republican leaders and friends, which had gathered at the Union Station to greet him, faced the delay without abatement of enthusiasm.

The Boy Scout band of Oil City, Pennsylvania, which was selected as the official band to meet the nominee, reached the station early and undertook to entertain the crowd there with popular airs, but terminal officials objected on Asheville, June 13 .- The 18th annual the ground that this would inconven-

and two F. W. D. trucks; one ambu-(Continued on Page Four.)