

MORRISON SPEAKS ON LEAGUE ISSUE

Democratic Candidate Given Great Reception By People of Washington County

EXPLAINS ARTICLE X TO LARGE AUDIENCE

Courthouse at Plymouth Filled To Capacity To Hear Mr. Morrison; Indications Point To Increase of Democratic Strength In County; Candidate Raps Republicans

Plymouth, Oct. 25.—An audience which filled to capacity the courthouse at Plymouth this afternoon, listened for an hour and a half to the presentation of the cause of Democracy by Cameron Morrison.

Washington is one of the close counties of the State, having gone Democratic the last time by only 45. Leading Democrats, following the speech of the Democratic gubernatorial nominee, expressed satisfaction that the visit of Mr. Morrison will result in the county going Democratic this year by a vastly increased majority.

Cheers for President. The nominee was introduced by Zeb Vance Norman, a young leader of Democracy in this county. Mr. Morrison was warmly welcomed by the League of Nations and condemned Republican national leaders for their partisan bitterness to the document.

Taking up Article 10 he declared that the only power delegated to the council of the League as shown by reading the article is to advise upon means by which obligations of this article shall be fulfilled.

"It is utterly absurd," contended the speaker, "to contend that the delegation of power to advise my country gives the power to declare war for my country when the Constitution declares that Congress alone can declare war. But in their desperation (referring to the Republicans) even great liars like Mr. Root declare that Article 10 creates a moral obligation upon which the country would have to declare war if necessary to protect the territorial integrity of any country."

Republican Absurdity. "This is absurd because the very next covenant in the League, that in Article 12, is that the League shall only recommend. There is no power delegated to the League except to consider, to judge and then, in case the boycott provided for in Article 16 fails, to recommend to the various countries what action should be taken against the blood-mad country which has already declared war against mankind or against a country willing to do the judgment of the League; and when this recommendation shall have been received the countries, of course, are free to act upon the recommendations or decline to do so as their judgment or interest at the time may suggest.

The League of Nations is not a super-government and has no power except in Article 10 to advise and in Article 16 to recommend, and yet under it the whole world will be organized for peace and against war.

WOMAN ARRESTED ON INFANTICIDE CHARGE Had Fireman of a Laundry To Throw 'Bundle of Rage' Into Hot Furnace

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 25.—Mrs. Emily Wilson, 21 years old, was arrested here this afternoon on the charge of infanticide. Immediately after her arrest, she was ordered by a health department physician to a hospital, as her condition is serious.

While a circus parade was in progress this morning Mrs. Wilson entered a downtown laundry and going back into the fire room, handed a bundle to a negro fireman, and requested him to throw it into the furnace, telling him that it contained rags. The fireman's curiosity was aroused by a movement he felt in the package as it left his hands for the furnace. Making the bundle from the coals he discovered that it contained the body of an infant. The body was so badly mutilated from the flames that the coroner was unable to determine the manner of the child's death.

Mrs. Wilson, who is the mother of two children, is separated from her husband. The police said she stated the infant was born dead last Saturday.

DIES SUDDENLY AS HE WAS STARTING FOR HOME

New Bern, Oct. 25.—The body of William B. Blades, 57, who died suddenly Sunday afternoon at Blakesville, Md., where he and Mrs. Blades had gone to visit relatives, will arrive in New Bern Wednesday morning and will be interred here in the afternoon. Mrs. Blades, who was 58 years of age and one of New Bern's most prominent citizens, had just stepped into the inn at a boarding camp, preparatory to being taken to the railway station to board a train for home when she was stricken with heart disease and died instantly.

Timber cut annually in the forests of the United States is about three times as much as the country can absorb. The excess is exported to other countries. The Government is now studying the possibility of increasing the amount of timber cut and the amount of land available for logging.

PROHIBITION OFFICER KILLED IN BRYSON CITY

J. H. Rose, of Bryson City, Shot From Ambush While Hunting For Still

Asheville, Oct. 25.—J. H. Rose, deputy prohibition agent, working out of Asheville, with headquarters in Bryson City, Swain county, was shot and instantly killed this afternoon about 4 o'clock, on Brush Creek, Swain county, by "Babe Burnett," who made his escape.

Rose and Charlie Beck, his assistant, went from Bryson City at noon today to Brush Creek in an attempt to round up Burnett and a gang of men, said to have been infesting that section of the county for some time, making moonshine whiskey. While details of just what happened are lacking, news received here this afternoon is to the effect that Beck and Rose had entered the section where they expected to find the outfit when shots were fired from ambush. Rose fell mortally wounded and died in a few minutes. Burnett is said to have run and Beck made his way to a telephone office, where he sent the news to Bryson City and it in turn was relayed to Asheville.

CHARLES BEVILL DIES IN ST. LOUIS

Fayetteville Man Acquired Unique Reputation As Livestock Dealer

Fayetteville, Oct. 25.—Charles L. Beville, who acquired a unique reputation as a livestock dealer, died in a hospital in St. Louis, Mo., at 4 o'clock this morning after a week's illness of pneumonia.

Mr. Beville's death was received here in a telegram from his nephew, Gaither M. Scott, of this city, who was summoned to his bedside several days ago. Mr. Beville, who was in his 60th year, was born and reared in Hillsdale, Guilford county, 12 miles from Greensboro. He came to Fayetteville in 1888 with W. A. Vanostory, of Greenboro. They formed a partnership and conducted a large business in the sale of horses and mules, cotton and real estate.

The partnership was dissolved about ten years ago, Mr. Vanostory continuing the real estate and cotton branch and Mr. Beville the livestock business, which grew under his management until he became known as the largest individual livestock dealer in the South. He was the first dealer who ever brought a train load of mules from Western markets to the South. This was an unusual event in the business during recent years. His health was today estimated by friends at not less than a half million dollars. His business operations extended from Virginia to Florida.

He was a member of the Methodist denomination. Of his immediate family he is survived by four sisters, three of whom reside in Greensboro, and one in Raleigh, and a nephew, Gaither M. Scott, who was secretary and treasurer of the Beville corporation.

Mr. Beville was never married. His funeral arrangements have been announced but friends here think burial will be in Hillsdale. Leaving here week before last for the Western markets to purchase stock, Mr. Beville had just completed his business there when he was taken ill in St. Louis. His relatives here knew nothing of his illness until Monday of last week, the day on which he was expected to arrive home, when he telegraphed Mr. Scott in characteristicly optimistic vein, that he had been ill but was better and expected to be home shortly. Three days later a telegram was received from the hospital physicians, saying that Mr. Beville was critically ill. Later advice was that his condition was improved, and up until Saturday Mr. Scott who had by that time arrived in St. Louis, entertained hope for his recovery in the absence of complications.

"Charlie Beville was a man of the highest probity in all his dealings," declared a former business associate today. "Fairness was the keynote of his character. In long years of intimate association with him I have never known a business deal of his that was not marked by that spirit of fairness that marks the honest man." He was not only greatly esteemed in business circles but the ties of friendship with him were very strong. Though a man of reserved nature, the comradeship, loyalty and trustworthiness that predominated in his character made him friends in numbers as great as any man in his community.

CONGRESSMAN STEDMAN SPEAKS IN HOME TOWN

Greensboro, Oct. 25.—Major Chas. M. Stedman, congressman from this district, and candidate to succeed himself spoke here tonight in behalf of the Democratic campaign. Approximately 500 members of Guilford Democracy heard his address. He predicted the election of Cox and Roosevelt with safe majorities.

"I believe in the Democratic party for many reasons," Congressman Stedman declared. "I believe in it because it truly is the most Democratic democracy found anywhere; because it fosters the right of justice, equality, peace and prosperity; because of its record both State and National; because of its leaders who are conscientiously guided by principle and not by trust or ruled by pecuniary offers; and because of its leader for the past seven years, the immortal Woodrow Wilson."

Though over four score years the leader spoke with vim. His grey hairs added to the impressiveness of his words. Several allusions were made by the speaker to the days when he was a "Lad of Gray."

EXCLUSIVE SHOP IS RIFLED OF \$20,000

Brotan's Entered Early Monday and Hundreds of Dresses Taken

PINKERTON DETECTIVE IS WORKING ON CASE

Entrance Was Apparently Forced Through Rear Doors; Combination of Safe Solved and \$800 in Money Removed; Feet Perpetrated Under Court Building Eaves

The most pretentious burglary of merchandise in the history of the city was reported to the police yesterday morning when Rust Scott, manager of the local establishment of Brotan's Fifth Avenue shops called in the officers to witness the devastation that had been wrought in the store sometime during the previous night. A hurried inventory by the manager indicated that more than \$20,000 worth of women's apparel and several hundred dollars in money had been carried away.

The store specializes in the better grade of women's clothes, and was said to have been well stocked with an unusually expensive class of merchandise. Several hundred dresses of various types, including elaborate evening gowns, street dresses, coats and fur pieces were missing, the manager told. In the rear of the store where a quantity of summer dresses were stored, confusion and disorder reigned. About \$800 in money, left in a safe Saturday night by Mrs. Scott was missing. Only a few coppers and nickles remained.

Entrance to the building, which stands just under the eaves of the Supreme Court building, and within a stone's throw of the capitol, was apparently forced through the rear double doors. In the alleyway in the rear were the tracks of an automobile that had driven out, apparently heavily loaded. In so far as has yet been established, this is the only clue left when the merchandise was removed from the store.

Crowbar Used On Door. The outer door of the building at the rear is covered with heavy steel plates, and fastens on the inside by a simple latch. The steel is secured, apparently by a crowbar, or similar instrument. The staple which fastened the latch to the door was drawn out. The second door was forced, it appeared, with the same instrument. It was carried, and the lock broken. Other than the broken latch, the drawn latch and the scars on the two doors, there are no other signs of violence in the methods used in the entry to the store.

Within the racks upon which the garments were hanging in the show cases, several hundred of them, are scattered about in wild confusion. Mr. Scott declares that the burglars used admirable judgment, and carried off only the more valuable pieces. Items of less expensive dress were left untouched. The store, usually well stocked with silk dresses, had very few to offer its customers yesterday morning when Mr. Scott came down a few minutes before 9 o'clock.

Without any hint of slow upon which to work, the local police department made no headway yesterday in clearing up the situation. In answer to a telegram, J. L. Taylor, of the staff of the Richmond office of the Pinkerton detective agency, arrived in the city early last week and is now working on the case. Mr. Taylor declares that the job has all the earmarks of having been accomplished by a well known organization of thieves.

Several minor clues have been worked out, and will be followed at further length by the Pinkerton. An suspicion points to a without particular reason, to the recent presence of a carnival company in the city. The thieves of whom Mr. Taylor speaks, have made a practice for years of following such companies, and their depredations are commonly reported after each visit. The burglary is said to resemble very closely the recent pilfering of a tailor's shop in Goldsboro, when several thousand dollars worth of merchandise was stolen.

TWO THOUSAND HEAR CLYDE HOEY IN DURHAM

Durham, Oct. 25.—More than 2,000 people tonight heard Congressman Clyde Hoey, of Shelby, uphold Democratic principles and lay Republicanism.

The Ninth district Congressman was in splendid speaking form and on numerous occasions the audience went wild with enthusiasm. The greatest amount of applause came with Congressman Hoey's tribute to President Wilson. "When the United States Republican Senators, who have maligned Woodrow Wilson, are dead and forgotten and their bodies have turned to dust the children of this nation, with upturned faces will hear the name of Woodrow Wilson," the speaker declared. "The 39 Senators who signed the Lodge round robin will never live down the infamy attached to their names." Mr. Hoey ridiculed Senator Harding, the Republican nominee, declaring that he stands for nothing. The Republican platform stands for nothing. The candidate and platform are in close harmony, the speaker said.

GOVERNMENT SHIPYARD AT MOBILE, ALA., SOLD

Washington, Oct. 25.—The sale of the shipyard at Mobile, Ala., formerly operated by Fred T. Lay & Co., to H. A. Stone & Co., of Philadelphia, for \$141,600 was announced today by the Shipping Board.

The terms of the sale, the board stated, calls for 30 per cent of the purchase price in cash and the balance in three equal installments over a period of nine months.

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Democratic Hopes Brighten As Time Draws Near Nov. 2. (Continued From Page One.) It would be due to the independent elements and not to parties. If Democrats here are anywhere near correct in their prognostications, the election will show the same trend of public opinion, the West growing more Democratic, the East growing more Republican. The West is said to be more idealistic than the East. It, with the South, is the father of prohibition, and while the South cannot share fully with it the patrimony of women's suffrage, it was a Southern State that crowned the movement with success. Eyes On the West. So there are many Democrats who will on election night watch the West and some of them may say like Robert W. Woolley said at Democratic headquarters in New York four years ago: "Let's wait for California," said Mr. Woolley when the New York World conceded Mr. Hughes' election. But we are told by other Democrats that things may as well happen in the East. Don't forget that New Hampshire gave Wilson its electoral vote four years ago, and this year the women are up in arms against Senator Moses. And Connecticut may turn a somersault. Senator Hitchcock at least thinks both States will swing to the Democrats. As it now stands, the Democrats are hopeful and the Republicans claim to have it sure. Tomorrow night the Democrats will gather ten thousand strong in the Masonic Temple here to hear Secretary Colby and Attorney General Palmer.

Roscoe (Baby) Arbuckle. The ROUND UP ALMO. Thursday and Friday. The Shop Exclusive For the Young and Small.

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