

ROOSEVELT PRAISES THE OLYMPIC HEROES WHO CALLED AT OYSTER BAY

Takes Each Victor by the Hand and Warmly Congratulates Him. "GREATEST RECORD IN WORLD'S HISTORY" Athletes Are Also Greeted by Mrs. Roosevelt and Son Kermit.

(By Associated Press.) OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 31.—With a run from the local yacht club booming a rousing welcome, the American Olympic team, victors in the recent events in London, steamed into the waters of Oyster Bay today for their visit to President Roosevelt.

VAST THROG HEARD BRYAN IN MINNESOTA

Johnson and Wm. J. Congratulate Each Other at Democratic Love Feast. FORMER RIVALS NOW FAST FRIENDS Governor Johnson Will Do All In His Power to Aid Nebraska.

(By Associated Press.) ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 31.—Satisfied that Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota, his leading rival for the nomination before the Denver convention, will loyally support him in the coming campaign, William Jennings Bryan, democratic candidate for president, left tonight for Fargo, N. D., where he will speak tomorrow.

This was Johnson-Bryan day in Minnesota's capital. At a conference of the state central committee this morning, Mr. Bryan said: "I know I am not the first choice of the democrats of this state, but I am willing to be second when John A. Johnson is first."

The meeting of the state central committee was a real love feast, in which Mr. Bryan and Governor Johnson showered compliments and praise upon each other.

Johnson Takes Charge. No sooner had the presidential candidate stepped from the train this morning than he was taken in charge by Governor Johnson, National Committeeman F. B. Lynch and others high in the councils of the party.

The democratic platform makes republican extra parties one of the issues of the present campaign. The republican platform is silent on the subject and naturally so, for a party which has been in power for so long, would have been a mockery and to have denoted the appropriation of such a platform would have been impossible.

Commissioner Sullivan acted as master of ceremonies, presenting each one of his brawny charges in turn. The president grasped each one by the hand and to each he spoke a few words of greeting and commendation. John A. Hayes, the Marathon hero, had the distinction of being the first to be presented.

"I am proud of you," said the president to him, as he gave him a vigorous handshake. Your feat was marvellous. You won a great race and I am glad of it."

The president then turned him over to Mrs. Roosevelt and she and Kermit engaged him in conversation. Melvin Sheppard next came up. The winner of the 100-meters heamed when the president assured him that it was a "hully" victory, which he and the boys had won in London.

THOMAS R. HIGSEN TOLD THAT HE IS "INDEPENDENT" CANDIDATE

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—There was not been enough in the new elections of the Independence League to hold the large crowd that gathered tonight for the dual purpose of being present at the notification of Thomas R. Higsen, independence party candidate for president and the house warming of the club.

Temple Grassie, the party's candidate for vice-president, has been originally planned to have Mr. Higsen and Mr. Graves notified at the same time, but owing to the poor health of Mr. Graves this plan was abandoned.

Grant's Latin Academy

Arbor - A tree Arts - A hand who listens to speeches Constitution - Constitution should be treated with respect Discuss in one - Joint debate (Grant translation) Scholastic - Latinus - A Latin scholar Helms Corpus - A head that dominates



"UNLOADED" PISTOL CLAIMS THE LIFE OF YOUNG WILLIAM PALMER

Seven Young Boys Playing at Camping on Ashland Avenue See Playmate Fall Dead, a Victim of Accidental Shot. Pathetic Scene is Witnessed by the Onlookers—Coroner's Verdict.

The "unloaded pistol" claimed another victim last night when William Palmer, aged 16, fell dead with a revolver bullet in his neck fired by his playmate, Nathan Arthur, also aged 16. Palmer and Arthur, with five other boys, were playing in a tent erected in Palmer's back yard on Ashland avenue, when Arthur pointed the weapon, which he believed to be unloaded, in Palmer's face and pulled the trigger. Without uttering a word Palmer fell dead at his friend's feet.

Horried at the result of his carelessness, young Arthur turned the pistol on himself but the weapon was snatched from him by Ed Lee, another boy who was present and Arthur was taken to the police station to await the action of the coroner's jury.

The coroner's inquest, which was held at midnight, resulted in a verdict of "accidental shooting." The testimony of the ten witnesses examined established beyond a doubt that the death of young Palmer was purely accidental.

WU TING FANG MAY BE CALLED HOME

Stated That Chinese Minister Talked Too Much in This Country. (By Associated Press.) Peking, Aug. 31.—The Chinese government is considering the recall of Wu Ting Fang, Chinese minister at Washington, owing to recent disclosures on his part which are believed here to have been induced by the government for some months past.

RELIEF WORK IS FAST PROGRESSING

Representatives of United States Take a Hand to Aid Sufferers. (By Associated Press.) ALBUQUERQUE, Aug. 31.—Work is being done in the relief work and relief all over the territory of New Mexico.

CHANGE OF VENUE IN HARGIS CASE

General Sentiment Against the Patriotic Ground for Removal, Says Judge. (By Associated Press.) ALBUQUERQUE, Aug. 31.—A change of venue was granted this morning in the case of the Hargis case.

10,000 IN AUGUSTA ACTUALLY SUFFER

(By Associated Press.) AUGUSTA, Ga., Aug. 31.—Ten thousand people in Augusta are actually suffering and help is being sent from the North. The relief work is being done in the relief work and relief all over the territory of New Mexico.

RED CROSS APPEAL

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Appeal for the relief work and relief all over the territory of New Mexico.

VERMONT WILL TELL STORY OF BALLOTS TODAY

Republicans, of Course, Will Win, But Majority May Be Reduced. BOTH PARTIES WORKED HARD Result Tonight Will Indicate Outcome of the Big National Battle.

(By Associated Press.) MONTPELIER, Vt., Aug. 31.—Final arrangements in the political campaign in Vermont were made on the stump tonight and the jury of the people in choosing a governor, other state officers, two members of congress and members of the state legislature will decide on the merits of the various questions submitted to them during the recent campaign, many of which have been of national importance.

MRS. WILLIAMS MAKES PUBLIC HER SIDE OF IT

Says Whole Affair Has Been Greatly Exaggerated and Distorted. ATTACKED BY ROBBER WHILE IN CHAIR After Being Shot, Mr. Roberts Advanced on Assault, Who Ran Away.

(By Associated Press.) BALTIMORE, Md., Aug. 31.—Seated today in the drawing room of her home at Long Green, Baltimore county, Mrs. W. S. G. Williams, in the presence of her sister, Mrs. Sherlock Swann, wife of the president of the Police board, described in detail the shooting of Charles B. Roberts, Jr., who was wounded on Wednesday night on the boardwalk at Atlantic City, while in her company.

HUNT FOR MANAGER CENTERS IN EAST

Search for Chairman for the Eastern Campaign May Be Ended Today. (By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—In the quest for a manager for the eastern campaign, the hunt has narrowed down to two or three eastern democrats and it is believed the appointment will be made known tomorrow.

STRIKE OF THE COAL MINERS IN ALABAMA OFFICIALLY CALLED OFF

(By Associated Press.) BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 31.—An official order calling off the strike of coal miners in the Birmingham district was issued today by the state.

