

ADVANCE GUARDS BEACH BALTIMORE FOR CONVENTION

Headquarters Are Opened for Some of the Candidates for Nomination

CHAIRMAN MACK EXPECTED TODAY Nearly 200,000 Requests for Tickets Received—Only 10,000 Available

BALTIMORE, June 9.—Baltimore awaits the coming of the thousand and ninety delegates to democratic national convention, the preparations for which have practically been completed.

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HITCHCOCK LIKES BOURNE'S MEASURE FOR PARCEL POST

Measure Providing for System May Be Passed By Present Congress

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Legislation providing for a general parcel post throughout the United States, is practically certain to be enacted by the present congress, perhaps before the conclusion of the session now in progress.

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OSTERHAUS, WITH TWO WAR VESSELS ORDERED TO CUBA

Fear of Race Riots in City of Havana Prompt This Action

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They Cannot Blow It Out.



NATIONAL COMMITTEE WILL NOT REPLY TO TEDDY'S DENUNCIATION

Will Stand on Their Action Regardless of Statements by "Prejudiced Persons." Taft's Friends on Committee Hold Sunday Meeting—Dixon, as Usual, Issues a Statement

CHICAGO, June 9.—A majority of the members of the republican national committee after a lengthy conference today unofficially decided to refrain from any comment upon the statement issued last night by Colonel Roosevelt, in which the former president denounced the action of the committee in seating the two Taft delegates from the Ninth Alabama district.

Francis J. Heney, who prosecuted the San Francisco graft cases and former Governor George C. Pardee of California, who was among those arriving at the Roosevelt headquarters today, conferred with United States Senator Dixon of Montana, Colonel Roosevelt's campaign manager and other leaders.

The national committee is prepared to deliberately ignore Roosevelt delegates as the Taft managers insist they do, we are going to see that the robbery is committed in the open daylight and in full view of ninety million American citizens.

POLITICS OVERSHADOWS WORK OF CONGRESS FOR WEEK JUST STARTING

Many Members Will Go to Chicago to Republican Convention.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Politics will overshadow the work of congress this week and there will be many departures from the capital for the republican convention at Chicago.

VILLAGES REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN WIPED OUT BY VOLCANO'S ACTION

Alaskan Volcano Emulating Actions of Vesuvius in Eruption.

SEWARD, Alaska, June 9.—Passengers on the mail steamer Dora which arrived from the westward today after passing through a shower of ashes from Katmai volcano believe that several small fishing villages on the shores of Shelikof Strait may have been destroyed by the eruption.

CLING FOR THIRTY-SIX HOURS TO RIGGING OF WATERLOGGED SCHOONER

Seven Men Rescued by a Steamer After Hard Experience.

NORFOLK, Va., June 9.—Seven men, all of the crew of the three masted schooner, Frederick Rosmer, after clinging to one remaining mast of their waterlogged and dismantled vessel thirty-six hours, were rescued off Hatteras this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by the United Fruit steamer Carrille.

GRAY GLAD VETERANS GATHER IN WASHINGTON

Hold Decoration Day and Decorate Graves of Dead in Nation's Capital.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—A group of grizzled veterans who wore the gray 50 years ago in the struggle between the states, assisted by allied Confederate organizations gathered in Arlington cemetery today to decorate the graves of the Confederate soldiers who sleep in the nation's valhalla.

GERMAN SHIPS ANCHOR IN THE HUDSON RIVER

Officers Welcomed by Reception Committee and Given Freedom of N. Y.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Escorted by the second division of the Atlantic fleet, with Rear Admiral Winslow in command, the three visiting warships of the German navy, the Moltke, Stettin and Bremen, arrived today and anchored in the Hudson river, where thousands viewed the companionable fighting craft, stretching along the river for more than a mile.

TEDDY KEEPS WIRES HOT DIRECTING HIS FIGHT

Would Not Talk Yesterday in Regard to Plans for Fighting Contests.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., June 9.—The wires between Sagamore Hill and the Roosevelt headquarters in Chicago were kept busy today as Colonel Roosevelt went over plans for the contests before the national committee.

PRESIDENT'S BOAT NEARLY COLLIDES WITH BIG STEAMER

Yacht Mayflower, With Taft and Party on Board, Has Close Call

OLD POINT, Va., June 9.—The presidential yacht Mayflower, with the president and Mrs. Taft and a party of their distinguished guests aboard, narrowly escaped a collision early today with the steamer Northland of the Norfolk and Washington line not far from Point Lookout, where the Potomac river empties into Chesapeake Bay.

As it happened the Northland narrowly missed the Mayflower. Officials and one or two persons on the passenger boat who were looking only for a momentary shock. It was perfectly still moonlight morning, with no sea running and the lights of passing vessels could be seen for miles.

GONZALES C. ENRILE HELD BY U. S. AUTHORITIES AND MUST RETURN TO MEXICO

Deposed Financial Head of Mexican Revolution Is Caught by Ranger.

EL PASO, Tex., June 9.—Gonzales C. Enrile, deposed financial executive of the Mexican revolution fleeing to the United States from enemies in the rebel zone, who tried to kill him, was arrested early today by C. H. Webster, a Texas ranger, as Enrile crossed the international bridge from Juarez.