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ROOSEVELT IS A VOICE AND NOTHING MORE

WILSON DEPARTS FROM HABIT AND REPLIES TO LONEL

In an Address at the Summit Capital to Pennsylvanians the President Says the Old Guard is Still On Deck and in Charge of the Republican Organization.

Saturday was Pennsylvania Day at Shadow Lawn. More than 5,000 enthusiastic Democrats, who came in special trains from all parts of the Keystone State, participated in the most colorful and noisy demonstration so far staged at the summer capital.

Shadow Lawn's extensive grounds were barely large enough to accommodate within hearing distance of President Wilson's voice the throngs who chanted Mr. Wilson's utterances as he lashed his political opponents and enemies.

Attacked Elihu Root.

The Pennsylvanians, with banners flying and bands playing, came expecting to hear a speech full of "pep" and vigor. And they got just that. They roared approval when the President, without mentioning names, indexed his latest critic, Elihu Root, as one who professed to "condemn invisible government," while in private he had been one of those who "counselled and aided and abetted it."

"If you want to know how New York is going this time look up the record of what it did to the Constitution," exclaimed the President, referring to the proposed Constitution for the Empire State, framed by the convention over which Mr. Root presided and which was rejected by the people by a majority of more than 500,000.

Again without mentioning names, Mr. Wilson singled out Walter E. Edge of Atlantic City, Republican nominee for Governor of New Jersey, and charged him with being the candidate of an element in Atlantic City which "has defied the authority of the State in the matter of the obedience to law." In Pennsylvania as in New Jersey and throughout the Nation, the President declared, the Republican bosses, allied with "invisible government," are trying to creep back into power, and "most impudently."

"A Voice and Nothing More."

Cheers interrupted the President when, after calling Roosevelt "a voice and nothing more" and a man who in the end "either surrendered to the machine or quit the field," Mr. Wilson stigmatized Hughes as "the silent," Bunching T. R. with the Republican "Old Guard" bosses, Mr. Wilson said they never can get rid of the fundamental uneasiness—that America is in charge of some one other than themselves.

"The Republicans in the United States Senate," Mr. Wilson added, "have been a little uneasy and unsheltered ever since Mark Hanna and Senator Aldrich passed from the stage."

"If their leaders believe in the rights of American citizens, why don't their followers?" demanded the President, in exhorting Republican Congressmen who voted "that American citizens have no right to travel on the high seas."

"If their leaders are so stiff to see that the Americans get their rights everywhere, why do these gentlemen vote that Americans shall get their rights nowhere?"

Declaring that "Europe is beginning to realize that America is saving herself for greater things to come," Mr. Wilson recalled that it has been said "with cruel emphasis in some quarters that the people of the United States do not want to fight about anything."

"Profoundly False."

This, asserted the President, is "profoundly false. Americans, he added, "want to be sure what they are fighting about, and they want to be sure they are fighting for the things that will bring to the world justice and peace."

"America always is willing to fight for things that are American; she does not permit herself to be embroiled, but she does know what it would be to be challenged. And when once she is challenged, there is not a man in the United States, I venture to say, so mean, so forgetful of the great heritage of this Nation, that he would not give everything he possessed, including life itself, to stand by the honor of this Nation."

"I do not doubt the result," the President remarked at another stage of his speech, when referring to the political outlook, "but there are some who affect to doubt it."

A. Mitchell Palmer, Democratic National Committeeman from Pennsylvania, extended to the President the greetings of the delegations. A point was made of the presence of Alfred J. Lincoln and Richard Lincoln of Berks county, Pa. Both are third cousins of the martyred President and both declared they proposed to vote for Mr. Wilson.

Mr. Wilson's Speech.

The President said in part: "I need not tell you that I am glad to see you, but let me say that I am especially glad to see you because there are some things which perhaps Pennsylvanians are more qualified to tell about than any other people in the United States."

"They are better qualified to testify as to the subtle and intricate means by which the purposes of the people are sometimes defeated by their Government, because I know how true it is that the people of

Pennsylvania have again and again attempted to demonstrate to the rest of the Union that they believed that we had come into a new age; that they believed that this new age required new elements of policy; that they desired men to lead them who would lead them to the light, and not again drag them into the subterranean passages of private influence.

"And the same thing is happening in New Jersey. Six years ago I had the distinguished pleasure of exhibiting the Government of New Jersey to the people of New Jersey, in its true colors as it lived. I only wish I had time to exhibit it now that it has resurrected itself.

"I was privileged to lead the people of New Jersey in the direction in which they had long wanted to go and in which these gentlemen had long pretended that they were willing to lead them, but in a direction in which they had never been permitted to advance an inch. Doesn't that sound to you like a familiar story?"

In Pennsylvania Also.

"And exactly the same thing that is happening in Pennsylvania, the same thing that they are attempting in New Jersey, is being attempted in the Nation at large. I wonder... they suppose that anybody is deceived? You know that the elements that are now behind the candidates of the opposition party are exceedingly varied, but they are easy of analysis.

"The most interesting element is that which is most vocal. The representatives of that element are confidently telling us, though none of them is a candidate for office, what the party will do if it is given the power to do anything. But those who are nominated for office are carefully avoiding saying whether they will do what the vocal element promises.

"Therefore, those of us who are inducted into the secrets of the craft know that the talk is in vain, and that the real councils of the party are in that other element which is in absolute control of the organization of the party in Congress and out of it, and whose control has never for a moment been disturbed, never been shaken.

"The contest at Chicago four years ago and the contest at Chicago this year were for the control of the machinery of the party. I don't mean on the part of the rank and file of the Progressives, for, my fellow citizens, no more earnest and sincere body of men were ever assembled than assembled in those two Progressive Conventions at Chicago and no sincere and earnest men were ever more pitifully deceived and betrayed.

"That Familiar Old Guard."

"For, after all, it turned out that the object was not to lead the Nation but to control the Republican party, and any sort of an abject surrender was offered by those who spoke, though they spoke without authority for them, if they might be admitted to control that machinery. And now, after the smoke has cleared away, after the atmosphere has yielded to the influence of time, we see standing out before us that familiar Old Guard that has never for a moment been disturbed in its possession of power or turned aside in its exercise of the control which it has used.

"And what I want to call your attention to is that this is not merely a Presidential campaign. There is something quite as important as the choice of a Chief Magistrate. I want you to remember that the real sources of objection and the real machinery of obstruction are in Congress, not in the Presidency.

"Do you suppose that anything could have been accomplished in the last three and a half years if there had not been a determined and willing majority in the Congress. I have not led these gentlemen; I have gone forward with them. I call your attention to the fact that there is nowhere recorded a single Wilson policy. Everything that I have asked that Congress to do was written in the pledges of the party itself. And the only power I have exercised is the power of cooperation, the power that all men exercise when, insisting upon the obvious duties of a great hour, men take heart to do a great thing."

Four Killed.

Oberlin (Ohio) Dispatch, Oct. 15. John Hughes, Jr., wealthy stock breeder, his wife, one daughter and Mrs. George Hollingsworth, a neighbor, were killed and a second daughter severely injured this evening when an interurban car struck the automobile in which the party was crossing the car tracks in the front lawn of the Hughes country home.

The engine of the automobile failed when the machine was on the track and a sharp curve prevented a view of the approaching car. Lenore Hughes, the 11-year-old daughter, who is injured, is the only survivor of the family.

Union County Big Hog at the Charlotte Fair.

Correspondence of The Journal. About two weeks ago Mr. John W. Howie's \$10 pound Duroc-Jersey pig was bought and shipped to Mecklenburg county. Now the Charlotte papers are calling attention to this remarkable Mecklenburg product.

TWO SERMONS THAT SPAN FIFTY YEARS

Rev. Mr. Bivens Celebrated His First Effort of Fifty Years Ago Sunday

—Local and Personal News.

(By O. P. Timist.)

Wingate, Oct. 16.—Mr. Vernon Helms, son of Mrs. Fionnie Helms, attempted suicide by cutting his throat Friday with a small pocket knife but missed the vital spot and therefore failed to accomplish his purpose. Mr. Helms was discovered in time to prevent any further violence to his person and rushed to a hospital in Charlotte for treatment of the ugly wound which he had inflicted upon his throat.

The latest report from his bedside is that he is getting along nicely. Temporary insanity was the cause of it all. Mrs. Adaline Caraway, whose illness was referred to in our last letter, died Friday at 11 o'clock and was buried on Saturday at 2 o'clock in the family grave yard near the old Caraway homestead.

Mrs. Caraway was the widow of the late John C. Caraway, who died some years ago. She is survived by two children, Mrs. L. W. Carpenter and Mr. Joseph Caraway; two brothers, Messrs. J. J. and W. G. Williams of Anson county; and two sisters, Mesdames, H. P. Meigs and B. D. Austin of Wingate.

The deceased was a good woman in all that the term implies. She will be missed by her many friends who are left to mourn her departure and to extend sympathy to the bereaved ones.

His friends will regret to learn that Dr. J. W. Gale is again suffering severely from his sore leg. The sore is of a chronic nature and seems quite stubborn in yielding to such treatment as is generally indicated.

We hope, however, that this case will not prove serious nor of long standing, as some others which he has undergone.

Messrs. W. H. and J. Carl Meigs of Palmersville and Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Austin and children of Sincerity spent Sunday under the old parental roof at The Lone Oak home. The day was one of joy and gladness. The only thing that marred the day's happiness and to make a complete re-union of the direct descendants of the family was the absence of Mrs. W. H. Meigs and her three lovely little ones who could not be present.

We hope that the next may prove complete and that we may all be spared to enjoy numerous more such occasions.

Among the other delights of the day was that a visit of Rev. Joseph A. Bivens, our one armed war veteran and veteran preacher. "Uncle" Joe said that today (Sunday) marked the 50th anniversary of his first sermon, which was delivered in the Meadow Branch church.

In commemoration of the event Br. Bivens preached in the Baptist church today at 11 o'clock. This old father in Zion has proven to be a loyal and faithful soldier both of his country and of the cross of his Savior.

Other kind, sympathetic friends who called to see us Sunday were: Messrs. R. L. Womble and Calvin Nash and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evans and children. Thank you my friends, for your kind consideration and unselfish interest you manifest in us.

Well, this is all the local news I can scrape together. No one sent me any items and I can't call for them of late. Hope to do better however, soon.

O. P. T. had a fairly good night's rest and has finished his letter at one sitting and feels no worse than usual.

Mr. Massey Succeeds Mr. Marsh on Board of Education.

Mr. E. E. Marsh who has served the people as a member of the Board of Education for nearly eight years and has resigned and Mr. C. S. Massey of Waxhaw has been appointed to fill out his unexpired term.

I'm sure it will not be amiss, and that I am expressing the feeling of a great many people in Union county when I say that Mr. Marsh has given the people valuable service. For a number of years Mr. Marsh has been the efficient chairman of this Board, and he has at all times filled this important place with dignity and splendid ability, and has manifested at all times a spirit of absolute fairness toward all parties.

The schools of Union county are better for his service. Mr. Marsh resigns on account of his increasing business interests.

Mr. Massey is one of the leading business men of Waxhaw, a man interested in education and will no doubt prove himself a worthy successor of Mr. Marsh.

R. N. NISBET, County Supt.

Ten Stockmen Killed.

Elmwood (Neb.) Dispatch, Oct. 15. Ten men were killed and 11 others seriously injured when a train on the Burlington Railroad crashed into the freight caboose in which they were riding, 12 miles east of here today.

Five others standing on the rear platform of the caboose jumped to safety. One man in the caboose couple was thrown clear of the wreck and escaped injury.

Waxhaw News.

Correspondence of The Journal.

Waxhaw, Oct. 16.—Mrs. C. K. White of Hickory Grove, S. C. visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Atwood Steel, who have been living in Florida for the past several years, have returned to the Tirzah community to live.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Culp and Miss Mildred Culp of Lancaster spent last Wednesday in town.

Mr. N. P. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Robinson of Lancaster and Mrs. D. M. Walkup of the Tirzah section spent last Friday afternoon in town with Mr. and Mrs. Roy N. Walkup.

Miss Ethel Rodman is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. E. Brown of Chester, this week.

Miss Kathleen Austin, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCain and children visited Mrs. McCain's brother, Mr. S. L. Austin of Bishopville from Friday until Tuesday of this week.

They made the trip in Mr. McCain's new car. Messrs. Olin and William Massey and Hon. John Neely spent Saturday in Charlotte.

Messrs. R. J. Belk and A. L. Locke are attending court in Monroe this week.

Mr. Fred Plyler spent Saturday in Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clark spent Sunday with Mrs. Clark's mother near Union church.

Dr. Clyde Gulon of Unionville spent Sunday in town with his brother, Dr. L. E. Gulon.

Dr. and Mrs. Will Simpson of Abbeville, Mrs. George McClellan and Mrs. J. R. Simpson of Monroe visited in town Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy N. Walkup spent Sunday with Mr. Walkup's parents in the Tirzah community.

Prof. J. H. Allred of Mt. Airy spent the week-end in town with friends.

Dr. L. E. Gulon and family spent Monday in Charlotte attending the circus.

Messrs. Frank Niven and Ira McCain entertained Friday night at their home on Church street in honor of Misses Mary Steele and Annie Lynn McWorth.—News Boy.

Auto Runs With Driver Senseless.

Spartanburg Dispatch, Oct. 15.

Dr. W. O. Wrightson, one of the younger physicians of this city, met with a singular and perhaps very serious accident here this afternoon when a pole of the Street Railway Company at East Main and Oakland avenue fell across his auto, striking him unconscious and causing the car to dash into the yard of F. T. Cantrell, who resides on the corner.

Doctor Wrightson, in an unconscious state, was hurried to the Stroedley Hospital, where he is under the care of surgeons.

The surgeons are unable to say at this time the extent of his injuries. The accident would have been more serious perhaps but for the timely action of L. W. Jenkins, superintendent of the Oakland avenue school, who witnessed the accident and realizing the possible havoc from a running car with an unconscious driver at the wheel, sprang into the seat and brought it to a stop just as the forewheels dropped into the flower house, that had a dept of several feet.

Mr. Unum's Suggestion a Good One.

I wish to commend E. P. Unum's suggestion regarding having the Monroe Aldermen to pass an ordinance to regulate traffic at the Icemoorie railroad crossing. There is a dangerous crossing at Waxhaw, one at Ogleby, Ga., and at Statesboro, Ga., over which the Monroe Aldermen have the same jurisdiction. Gentlemen please regulate these crossings at once.—C. T. Putem.

Buy Your Waist Ready Made.

The women undoubtedly have noticed some unusually stylish and pretty waists on the streets of Monroe in the last few days. If you will enquire about them you will learn that they were purchased at this store. We can honestly say that we have never shown such a complete and stylish line of ladies' waists in years as now. We have them in a variety of materials and modes at a price hardly more than the goods would cost you if you were to make your own. NASSIFF & JOSEPH.

LAND SALE

By virtue of the provisions of a certain mortgage deed, executed by W. R. Free and wife to the W. M. Perry Mill Company, on the 17th day of June, 1912, and duly assigned to W. M. Perry on January 12, 1914, the undersigned will, on Monday, November 20th, 1916, at 12 o'clock M., at the court house door in Monroe, N. C., sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following real property situated in the town of Wingate, N. C., to-wit: Beginning at iron stake in North edge of street, Y. M. Boggan's corner, and runs with his line North 3 1/4 W. 169 feet to an iron stake in a ditch, Mrs. Lowery's corner; thence with said ditch and said Lowery's line S. 71 W. 120 feet to an iron stake in said ditch; thence a new line S. 1 1/4 E. 132 feet to an iron stake North edge of the street; thence with said street North 86 1/2 E. 120 feet to the beginning, and being the lot conveyed to W. R. Free by P. A. Parker and wife, on the 20th of October, 1910. Sold to satisfy the provisions of said mortgage deed.

This is a very desirable house and lot, in a splendid community. Remember the day of sale.

W. M. PERRY, Assignee of Mortgage, STACK & PARKER, Atty's.

SUPERIOR COURT IN SESSION

John Wentz Being Tried on Capital Charge — Docket Cleared Except This One Case.

John Wentz of Buford township is now on trial in the Superior court of Union county on the charge of having criminally assaulted his own daughter on the night of September 16th. Since his arrest he has been in jail with no effort at liberation.

The evidence for the State was concluded this morning and before court adjourned for dinner the defense had put up one witness—the aged mother of the defendant, whose testimony was to the effect that before court adjourned for dinner she had always been of unclouded mind. It is generally understood that the defense will make no attempt except to prove the irresponsibility of the defendant, as the fact of the deed does not seem to be controverted. The report that the young girl is the step daughter of Wentz is not true. She is his own daughter.

A number of small cases were disposed of yesterday before the Wentz case was taken up, for which a special venire of sixty men was summoned. The following are the cases disposed of:

J. S. Pritchard, forcible trespass, not pros with leave. Charles Williams and Bertie Thomas; I and a. The defendants plead guilty, and prayer for judgment is continued till march term upon the payment of cost and upon condition that the defendants do not live together unlawfully.

John Reap, selling liquor. Defendant is discharged upon payment of cost.

Judgment absolute for \$199 was taken against J. W. Flow as bondman for Clifford Little.

J. Wes Vickroy, abandonment. Prayer for judgment is continued on condition that defendant pay cost and guarantee \$100 per year to the support of his wife and children for five years.

John Johnson and Chas. Vassett, housebreaking and larceny. John plead guilty and is sentenced to five months. Vassett not guilty.

Geo. McCain and Doss Chambers, robbery. Twelve months each on roads.

Robt. Massey, trespass. To be hired out by county commissioners. Grand Jurors.

H. L. Autrey, H. W. Gribble, W. H. Thomas, W. C. Brasswell, A. B. Yandle, J. H. Melton, Earl Ezzell, T. C. Collins, Atlas B. Edwards, J. B. Ashcraft, J. W. Clontz, J. S. DeLaney, C. C. Smith, E. F. Hancock, B. S. Traywick, J. D. Webb, R. C. Laney, Y. M. Boggan. Mr. T. C. Collins was chosen foreman and Mr. T. M. Green was appointed officer in charge.

STRONG IN MIDDLE WEST

The Tide Is For Wilson and Democratic Prospects Encouraging.

Washington Dispatch to Greensboro News. Reports from the great Middle West States indicate a decisive victory for President Wilson in that section, Ohio, Indiana, Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas, and even Illinois, Michigan and Iowa are included in the favorable forecasts, says the Democratic committee.

All indications are, too, that the President will carry a majority of the Rocky mountain and Pacific coast states. The reports agree that the tide is swinging to Wilson because of growing approval of his record of substantial achievement in office. This gathers effect, as the campaign progresses, by contrast with Hughes' endeavors to hide the dominant issues behind a cloud of words about minor questions.

In the industrial centers of Ohio, Illinois and Michigan, the Hughes attack on the 8-hour law has solidified the labor vote against him. The peace issue, it is declared, will win the bulk of the 600,000 votes of women to be cast in Illinois. The Democrats present a solid front everywhere west of the Alleghanies and from all these states come the news that Republican, Progressive and independent votes, and a heavy augmentation of strength from organized labor, will be added to the Democratic vote.

There are many large manufacturing cities in Ohio, and the labor vote is a most important consideration in figuring up the outcome of a political campaign. The New York Herald intimates Ohio is "not a Hughes State." Alluding to the causes of the President's strength in Ohio the Canton News recently said:

"A majority of the Republican Congressmen, including McCulloch, voted with the Democrats in passing the 8-hour law. In a counter attack being prepared by the Democrats it will be set up that Hughes and the Republican party cannot now in good conscience denounce an act that at the time of its commission appealed to a majority of Republican Representatives as the only device to prevent the greater calamity of a railroad strike."

The Journal Now \$1.50 to All.

As previously announced, the time in which old subscribers to The Journal could renew at one dollar a year expired Saturday night, October 7th. Hereafter the price is \$1.50 to old and new alike, spot cash, no premium, and no discount.

This increase in price of subscription is not sufficient to offset the increase in the cost of paper and other expenses that go into the make up of a paper the size of The Journal two times a week.

Other semi-weekly papers in the State the size of The Journal are already getting two dollars a year for their publications.

REX THEATRE. WEDNESDAY Blue Bird Photo Play Featuring WARREN KERRIGEN in THE GAY LORD WARING

THURSDAY WILLIAM FOX Presents ST. ELMO An All Star Cast. FRIDAY



The Star Supreme BILLIE BURKE in "GLORIA'S ROMANCE" and GOOD MUSIC AND SINGING. Admission 5 and 10c. REX THEATRE.