

PALMER'S HAT IN PARTY RING

Attorney General First and Foremost Candidate for Honor of Heading Democratic Presidential Ticket.

ON OFFICIAL PRIMARY BALLOT.

Fighting Quaker Believes What is Worth Having is Worth Striving for and Will Resolutely Endeavor to Win at the San Francisco Convention.

Washington. — A. Mitchell Palmer, Attorney General of the United States, has thrown his hat into the presidential ring. This action was taken when the Democrats of Georgia requested of him permission to place his name upon their ballot as an entrant in the presidential preference primary, which is to be held in that state on April 20. In giving his assent to the placing of his name upon the official ballot in Georgia Mr. Palmer yielded to the strong pressure which has been brought to bear upon him for many weeks from Democrats in all parts of the country, north and south, east and west. He thus becomes both the first and foremost avowed candidate for the nomination which the delegates to the San Francisco convention will bestow. Mr. Palmer believes that what is worth having is worth fighting for, and backed by the progressive and militant democracy of the nation, he and his friends intend to make a determined fight for the honor of leading the Democratic hosts to another national victory at the polls next November.

Similar action has been taken by Mr. Palmer's friends in Michigan, and his name will appear upon the official ballot in that state at the presidential preference primary on April 5. The high favor with which Mr. Palmer's candidacy has been received everywhere has had a most stimulating effect upon the leaders of the party and the rank and file as well. With him as their standard bearer they have been filled with renewed hope and confidence. Washington resolutely looks for his nomination, not only because of the high probability of his success at the polls, but because he is regarded as the best qualified man to follow President Wilson in the White House.

Long before his activities as Attorney General brought him into favorable prominence throughout the country Mr. Palmer's aggressive qualities earned for him the sobriquet of the "Fighting Quaker." Elected to the House of Representatives 12 years ago, his striking capabilities placed him in the ranks of the leaders of that body before he had completed his first term. During his second term the Democrats were in the majority in the House, and he was placed on the most important committee—the Ways and Means Committee—where there was abundant opportunity for a display of the qualifications which he possessed. Notwithstanding the fact that he represented one of the largest steel producing districts in the country, he was selected to write the iron and steel schedule of the Democratic tariff measure, and he wrote it from the standpoint of the public, of the consumer, rather than the steel magnate.

Schwab Tried to Defeat Him. Because of his course in this matter Charles M. Schwab, the steel king, whose district in Pennsylvania Mr. Palmer represented, used every effort to accomplish his defeat, but without success.

Mr. Palmer's greatest political fight, however, was within the ranks of his own party, because it was a fight for common ordinary decency and honesty and for clean politics. For years the Democratic state organization of Pennsylvania had been little more than an adjunct and an ally to the Republican machine dominated by Senator Penrose. Whenever there was an opportunity, even in the hide bound Republican state of Pennsylvania, to throw off the Penrose yoke the Republican Aid Society, which masqueraded under the name of the Democratic state organization, could be depended upon to come to the relief of Penrose and save him. But they played the game once too often. At a time when there was a chance to reduce the state the bipartisan machine was invoked and Penrose was given a renewed lease of life.

Then it was that Mr. Palmer, already a rising figure in national life and a power in his own state, started out to clean up his own party and make it something more than a wheel in the Penrose machine. The battle was a memorable one in Pennsylvania politics, but Palmer and his forces won, and as a result today the Pennsylvania Democracy is a progressive, virile organization.

Mr. Palmer's own part in the war was unique and far-reaching beyond that of almost any civilian. As Alien Property Custodian, he held a post whose duties were without precedent, in this country at least. In that capacity he built up from nothing an organization under whose control there was brought \$800,000,000 of German and Austrian owned property in this country, all of which under his administration of the office has become Americanized and the value of which is being turned into the United States treasury and out of which, if Congress so will, Americans will be indemnified for the losses which they suffered at the hands of the enemy.

THE TAMBOURINE GIRL



Photo by Paul Parker, N. Y. THE Doughnut Girl of wartime has doffed her khaki and donned the familiar blue. Today she is serving just as valiantly as ever as The Tambourine Girl of the city slums, the angel of the tenements and the guardian of the poor. Instead of the doughboy, the poverty-stricken, the distressed, the sick and the unfortunate know her now and call her blessed. Oh, boy, she's still the Girl—in peace as well as in war!

Dedicate Salvation Hall in Tokyo



MARQUIS SHIGENOBU OKUMA, famous Elder Statesman of Japan, was one of the distinguished guests of the Salvation Army at the recent dedication of the Salvationists' new headquarters in Tokyo. The Marquis appears at the extreme left above. Next him are Commissioner and Mrs. Johannes de Groot, in charge of the work in all of Japan, one of the sixty-three countries and colonies in which the Army is laboring. "The reason I always willingly render any service I can to the Salvation Army," stated the Marquis in the course of his address, "is because the organization does not sit down and content itself with past achievements, but continues to keep up a strenuous fight for further advancement in the future."

Wanted—500 Girls to Give Up Toy Poms And Teas for Worth While Substitute



Around the fireplace at the College in New York where Salvation Army lassies are trained for their exacting work. Insert—Lieutenant-Colonel Margaret Bovill, Secretary of the Woman's Social Department of the Salvation Army. No languishing in bed until ten every morning, with novel and a box of chocolates; no shopping tours and matinees; no tea dances; no nightly cabaret tours. Hard work. Devotion to the sick, the troubled, the disheartened. Young woman, how do you fancy this program of existence? Five hundred young women with energy and a desire to lead lives of usefulness are sought by the Salvation Army throughout the United States. As lassies they will spread comfort and happiness. "The work of the Salvation Army has grown beyond our fondest hopes; we need capable young women to carry on our service to humanity," said Mrs. Colonel Margaret Bovill, veteran Salvationist. She is at the head of all activities for women and children east of the Mississippi River. Her offices are at National Headquarters, No. 122, West Fourteenth street, New York. "Do you know," she asked, "there are more than 1,000,000 idle women in the United States? The ambitions of these idlers have not gone beyond the stage of bonbons and the latest novel. A large proportion of these would welcome, I feel sure, a chance to lead lives of usefulness if they knew the opportunity. The Salvation Army now offers them every sort of useful work—nursing in the Army's hospitals, infant hygiene in the children's homes, relief and rescue work in the slums. "T thousand unfortunate women are cared for annually in Salvation Army rescue homes. Young women are needed to help these girls take care of their nameless babies and lead useful Christian lives. In our nurseries and kindred institutions every year 50,000 children are cared for. What an opportunity for the girl who loves sweet, chubby toddlers! I know of no more happy girls than our Salvation Army lassies. The trumpet has sounded. Young woman, the Army needs you!"

WORTH WEIGHT IN GOLD, HE ASSERTS

Howard Gains Fourteen Pounds Taking Tanlac and Lays Cane Aside.

"I've gained fourteen pounds in six weeks taking Tanlac and now I'm a well man," said Henry S. Howard, well-known farmer and stock-raiser of King Hill, Idaho.

"I had suffered from rheumatism and indigestion twelve years," continued Mr. Howard, "and could hardly eat a thing because everything went against me and I had no appetite. Every joint in me was swollen with rheumatism and hurt so I could hardly bear to be touched. I was in such a bad fix I couldn't work and had to use a walking stick to get along. The first bottle of Tanlac made a great change in my feelings, my rheumatism soon left me and I threw my stick aside, for now I can walk as well as anybody.

"And eat?—why, I just can't get enough and I feel like I could do as much work as I ever could. Tanlac is worth its weight in gold, and it has convinced me that there's at least one medicine that will do what they say it will and I want to do my part in letting everybody know about it."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as the administrator of the estate of E. A. Allison, deceased, late of Transylvania Co., North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 19th day of March 1921, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. If more convenient, claims may be filed with my attorney, R. L. Gash, at his office in Brevard. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 15th day of March, 1920. M. M. FEASTER, Administrator of the Estate of E. A. Allison, deceased. Pisgah Forest, N. C. 3-19-20-6tc-rlg.

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A stirring phatoplay of the great cattle country—a story as big as the marvelous scenery against which it is laid.

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One of the most popular actors is Dustin Farnum, who appears in this proto-play taken from the book of the same name.

THURSDAY, APRIL 8th

Beauty Proof

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