

JOHNSON IS HAILED AS LEADER IN 1916

California Progressives Welcome Return of Governor From Chicago.

NOMINEE HITS AT PRESS

In Address at Dreamland Rink He Criticizes Newspapers Opposing Third Party—Women Are at Meeting.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Governor Hiram W. Johnson, Progressive nominee for the Vice-Presidency, was proclaimed tonight the party's logical candidate for President four years from now.

This prophesy and proclamation was made in Dreamland rink by Chester H. Rowell, of Fresno, one of the speakers at the mass meeting called to welcome to San Francisco Governor Johnson on the occasion of his return from the Progressive party convention in Chicago.

Club Woman Speaks. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League of California. Among the speakers was Mrs. Elizabeth Gerberding, a San Francisco club woman, prominent in the work of woman suffrage. Many women attended the meeting, which overflowed into a nearby theater.

Governor Johnson was the principal speaker, and he devoted the greater part of his half hour address to an account of the two conventions in Chicago, he having attended the Republican convention as a delegate from this state.

Press is Criticized. Governor Johnson criticized newspapers of this and other states that have opposed the third party movement. He also said, "You will look in vain in the Associated Press report for a statement of the primary results in Kansas, where Roosevelt defeated Taft, four to one."

FIVE CITIES ARE SELECTED

Progressives Choose Divisions for Directing Campaign.

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 13.—That there will be a complete state and county ticket put in the field in Colorado by the Progressive party is the word brought from Chicago by E. P. Costigan, who attended the Progressive party convention there last week and who is nominee for Governor on the Progressive ticket.

There will be no coalition with any branch of the Republican party which supports Taft electors.

Denver is to be one of five division points in handling the Progressive campaign, according to Costigan, with Ben B. Lindsey in charge of the Denver headquarters.

The other headquarters will be at New York, Chicago, San Francisco and a point in the Southern States yet to be chosen.

LEADERS STAY IN PARTY

Senator Gronna Says Progressive Republicans Have Agreed.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 13.—Senator A. J. Gronna, of North Dakota, here yesterday, said he was going home to support the Republican party from top to bottom, including the Presidential electors. Senator Gronna said that at a conference of progressive Republicans in Washington, Del., in which Senators La Follette, Borah, of Idaho; Kenyon, of Iowa, and others took part, the form of a statement was agreed upon, in which the Republican party was asked to support the Progressive party.

Senator Gronna said: "I left the Republican party I should feel under obligation to resign my seat in the Senate. I was elected by the Republicans as a Republican and I am still a Republican."

NEW SKYSCRAPER PLANNED

Equitable Life to Have 36-Story Structure on Old Site.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The Equitable Life Assurance Society has sold to a syndicate headed by General T. Coleman Dupont, of New York, the site of the society's old home which was destroyed by fire last winter.

The purchaser will erect a 36-story office building on the site. The new structure will be known as the Equitable building and will be the headquarters of the Equitable Life Assurance Society.

RAILROAD HEADS GATHER

One Hundred Freight Agents of Pacific Coast Lines Assemble.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—About 100 representatives of the Pacific Coast railroads gathered here today for the sixth convention of the Pacific Coast Freight Agents Association. They will remain here during the week, their program calling for business sessions every afternoon until Friday, Saturday and Sunday will be devoted to trips about the bay.

The meetings will be presided over by W. J. Hardy, of San Francisco.

PEONS SLAVES TO DEBT

Chicago Man, Ranch Owner in Mexico, Tells of Conditions There.

C. E. Veat, a former Chicago lumber broker but now a stock raiser in Mexico, is in the city and at the Oregonian yesterday said: "I have one eye on the subject and apparently am satisfied to be left alone. My products are Durham beef cattle, mules, hogs and all tropical fruits. I have the lime tree in my garden that bears the year around, and its product is 15

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NOTABLE MEN TO COME

CHRISTIAN CONGRESS WILL BE LARGELY ATTENDED.

Educators, Savants and Scientists Interested in World-Wide Movement for Public Welfare.

Never in Portland's history has it entertained so many notable visitors from foreign lands as will be here at the World's Second Christian Citizenship Congress next Summer. The list includes educators, savants, clergymen, scientists and physicians.

Dr. Henry Collins Minton, president of the National Reform Association, under whose direction the congress will be held, is in the city and he told yesterday of some of the noted men who will be on the programme.

Dr. Minton spent the morning in Europe and interviewed many prominent men in each country.

At luncheon with the Bishop of London, Dr. Minton interested him in the conference and he was anxious to attend. The Archbishop of York, expressed himself as anxious to attend the conference.

Dr. Minton also met Richard Lodge, a noted educator and scholar, brother of Sir Oliver Lodge, who will deliver an address on the subject of "The Christian Citizenship Movement."

Rev. Robert J. Patterson, of Belfast, Ireland, a brilliant and witty platform orator, will be on the programme.

"We hope to get Baron Nicolai, of St. Petersburg, and Dr. Pres. of Stockholm as both will be in this country in June. We will have Charles Merle Aubigne, of Paris. We have on our list also Pastor Anet, and Baron F. of Belgium, Dr. Goutier, of Switzerland, and a great many others, including representatives from every Christian country in the world."

"Among others will be Dr. Arnenag Hagalgaon, president of the Apostolic College of Konja, Asia Minor, said to be the best educated native in that country."

"One of the most original personalities, who will deliver an address on 'Necessity for an Awakening Public,' is Judge A. Z. B. of Portsmouth, O. He is the judge who sent a majority of the voters of his county to jail for illegal voting."

Miscellaneous Damage New Houses.

Wild damage to the extent of about \$50 has been done to two new houses on the East Side, one on East Twenty-eighth and Bryce streets, the other on East Twenty-seventh and Hamble streets. It is supposed to be the work of a gang of bad boys. In the first house the woodwork was cut with a chisel and hammer, while holes were bored into the new doors. In the other varnish was smeared all over a new fireplace, necessitating tearing out all the bricks and the insertion of new ones. In addition, four empty five-gallon paint cans were stolen.

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WAR ON MICROBES WINS

VACCINE THERAPY ACCOMPLISHES WONDERS.

Notable Cures Effected in London, With Promise of Still Greater in Near Future.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—(Special)—Science has discovered a new outlet for the Sherlock Holmes instinct. Doctors are now engaged upon tracking the wily and criminal microbe to its lair. The medical man who takes up the latest methods in the treatment of diseases attributable to microbes becomes, in effect, a skilled detective. This special medical police work is known by the somewhat forbidding title of "vaccine therapy," the development of which Sir Almroth Wright and his staff are pursuing with much success in the inoculation department of St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington.

This remarkable war on microbes, in which the dead are used to help in the destruction of the living, is described in a report just issued by the department, and it makes fascinating reading. Having found the central abode of the criminal microbe, the doctor hands over the administration of capital punishment to microbes of its own class, for one of the principles in vaccine therapy is that of killing living microbes by the use of dead ones of their own variety.

So remarkable have been the cures obtained at St. Mary's hospital—the "Scotland Yard" of the microbe world—that the number of patients under treatment now runs into thousands. During the past two years some 500 patients have been dealt with and 200 are still under treatment. The routine work, together with some special investigations, has required during the two years the examination of some 20,000 specimens of blood.

Experiments on those lines, with the aid of a patent and recently introduced into England by M. Gauvain, medical superintendent to the Lord Mayor Treloar Cripples' Hospital at Acton, have suggested the possibility of even more startling developments in the near future. Already consumption of the glands, bones and skin is yielding to the treatment. "It is not too much to hope," says the governing body in their report, "that when treatment along these lines is generally

adopted, the hunchback and high-booted cripple, as a result of tubercular disease, will disappear from our streets."

Certain forms of heart disease and child-bed fever have been beneficially treated by inoculation, and here again, eventually, complete success is anticipated by the operators.

In describing the cure of toothache by the injection of dead microbes, the report states:

"There is a girl now in our wards with this disease, who had been much troubled by neuralgia of long standing. Removal of the worst tooth did not suffice to cure the neuralgia, which was, we supposed, of microbic origin. In other teeth not yet so grossly decayed as to warrant their removal, a microbe obtained from inside of one of the removed teeth was used for the preparation of a vaccine, to inoculation of which the neuralgia at once showed itself so amenable that in a week or two it had entirely gone."

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"Scarcely yet," says the director of the department, "has a due appreciation been attained of the large part played by microbes on the stage of our common life, their striking role in the infectious and epidemic diseases blinding our eyes of their similar complexity in such prosaic (alternative) maladies as 'indigestion,' 'colds,' 'toothache,' 'bronchitis,' etc."

GIRL SOLD BY MOTHER

CHEATING IS CHARGED WHEN MAID IS NOT DELIVERED.

Reformers Attack System in Vogue in India, Where Parents Can Sell Daughters.

CALCUTTA, Aug. 3.—(Special)—The "Times of India" gives a good deal of space to a case which recently came before the Bombay High Court. A woman was charged with cheating. After she had received money in advance, as part of the hire agreed upon for letting her daughter for dancing to a person named Ananda Raju. For failing to deliver possession of her daughter to the man, he thereupon prosecuted her for cheating before Sir Magistrate Vinchurkar, of Nasik. The magistrate sentenced her to six months' imprisonment. The Sessions Judge referred the case to the High Court, as he was of opinion that the agreement was of an immoral character, the real purpose of the arrangement being concubinage. The High Court upheld the view of the Sessions judge and set aside the conviction and sentence.

In connection with the case Harold H. Mann, of the Society for the Protection of Children, Poona, writes: "I have again and again, however, on behalf of the Society for the Protection of Children, called attention to the peculiarly helpless position in which girls above the age of 12 are, under the Indian law at the present moment. Apart from actual violence being used against them, they may be treated in any way you please. Their parents, who take charge of them, are in charge, may bargain with them as counters. They may sell them as dancing girls, which always means an immoral life. They may sell them as concubines or in other words, into a state which may become prostitution within a few weeks, months or years—but which almost always becomes prostitution in the end."

"The case which has called forth your indignation is one which is, in its essence, of common occurrence. In our large cities, like Poona, we have a regular trade in little girls. Children are bought when babies for a trifle, or obtained for nothing at all, and then, when they are old enough to bring them up. On reaching the age of 12 or 14 they are sold, sometimes very profitably. Offers of such girls have actually been made to Poona to the society's agent at prices varying from \$100 to \$10. And if they are only purchased as dancing girls, or are obtained as concubines there is no breach of the law."

"The only way that I can see by which this horrible state of things can be remedied is by raising the age to which girls are sold, from 12 to 16 years. If such a change did not affect the question of marriage, it would have the support of practically all Indian opinion in the matter. The government has obtained a few opinions adverse to such a change, but there is a vast majority in its favor."

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Final Cleanup Sale

Sample Suits 170 Suits, Values to \$35.00
Sample Coats \$10.00
Sample Dresses 29 Silk Suits, Values to \$55
Sample Waists \$10.00
Sample Skirts 30 Odd Suits, Small Sizes
Sample Gowns \$5.00
Sample Opera Coats 200 Wash Dresses, Vals. to \$7
Model Evening Gowns \$2.98
White Serge Skirts, Vals. to \$12
\$3.98

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Club at an East Side cafe in New York early in September.

WILSON DECLARES FOR BUDGET PLAN

New System for Federal Business and Finance Is Nomininee's Hope.

DETAILS NOT DISCLOSED

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A Wonderful Tonic That Aids Digestion

Thousands are unable to digest certain kinds of food. In most cases it is not the fault of the food, nor the stomach. It is probable that the stomach has been abused. Many resort to pre-digested foods and various kinds of medicines to get relief from dyspepsia, indigestion and heartburn, but without permanent benefit.

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