BEHIND HUGHES

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Progressives Pledge Unqualified Support.

COMM TTEE VOTE IS FINAL

Radicals Fight Every Step of Way Against Move for the Republican Nominee.

BOLTERS WANT MURDOCK

Party Ticket Is Finally Defeated, 31 to 15.

CHICAGO, June 26 .- By a vote of 32 to 6, with nine members declining to vote, the National committee of the Progressive party today, at the end of a stormy session, indorsed Charles E. Hughes for President and the Bull Moose party practically went out of existence as a National political organization.

The fight in the committee to indorse Hughes was led by George W. legging. Perkins, of New York; James R. Garfield, of Ohio, and Chester H. Russell, of California.

Radicals Fight From Outset.

The radical element in the committee, represented by Matthew Hale, of WOMAN TOURIST DROWNS Massachusetts; Bainbridge Colby, of New York; Henry F. Cochems, of Wisconsin, and John M. Parker, of Louisiana. vigorously protested against the indorsement of any candidate for President and fought the majority at every step of the proceedings. The minority's first move ing a small stream, and was drowned the committee, which it won after a her body was carriedthe committee, which it won after a number of the committeemen, led by and guides. The body was recovered the meeting.

After Secretary Oscar King Davis ter, in which he finally declined the Presidential nomination of the party Cavalrymen Ride to Border, but and urged that Charles E. Hughes be supported in order to defeat President Wilson, the committee voted to accept the Colonel's declination and took a tachment of 125 Mexican cavalrymen the Colonel's declination and took a tachment of 125 Mexican cavalrymen strongly denounce the use of our soil are dead as a result of the rioting Battalion, Third Infantry, with sanitary recess for luncheon.

Murdock's Name Put Up.

At the beginning of the afternoon session Chairman Matthew Hale, of der of business was to fill the va- a block of the boundary the Mexicans cancy on the ticket caused by refusal of Colonel Roosevelt to run.

presented the name of Victor Murdock, of Kansas, chairman of the Na- District Attorney Under Investigational Committee, who is now in the West en route for China, as the party's candidate for President.

This led to a clash between Ravmond Robins, of Illinois, and Mr. Colby, in which the lie was passed. Mr. Robins said Mr. Murdock had told him he would not accept the Presidential nomination and the proposition to run a third-party ticket was defeated writ of habeas corpus. after a spirited debate, by a vote of 31 to 15.

Indorsement Power Questioned.

James R. Garfield, of Ohio, then Introduced a resolution indorsing Hughes for President and directing the executive committee of the Progressive party to co-operate with the Republicans in the campaign.

Harry F. Cochems, of Wisconsin, held that the committee had no authority to indorse any candidate and that its power was limited to the filling of the vacancy on the ticket caused by the refusal of Colonel Roosevelt to run.

Raymond Robins opposed making any indorsement and indicated that he would support President Wilson if the Progressives did not put a ticket in the field. Mr. Cochems said he expected to vote for Hughes, but did not dered in the Mediterranean. Her crew want the committee to take any action. He declared that the Progressives should be permitted to go to any party they desired. Bainbridge Colby argued it would be a mistake to attempt to deliver the Progressive vote to any candidate and that the method used might defeat the very object of the action.

Ex-Democrats Oppose Action.

crats and if the party was not to put ter dispatch from Barcelona. up a National ticket they should be The captain and 12 landed at Barcelons.

U. S. CONSULATE AT TORREONATTACKED

BUILDING DEMOLISHED BY MOB LED BY MAYOR.

City Official Addresses Rioters Later, Urging Expulsion of All Americans.

EAGLE PASS, Tex., June 26 .- The United States Consulate at Torreon. Mexico, was demolished June 18 by a mob of 3000 civilians, led by the Mayor of the city and a Carranza army band, according to American refugees arriving here late today. The populace was refugees, when the de facto govern-ment troops forced them to join in an

anti-American demonstration.

The mob rushed through the streets shouting: "Death to all Gringoes," and on reaching the Consulate tore up the furniture and destroyed the building. Then the rioters congregated in the central plaza of the town, where a mass meeting was held. The Mayor and other prominent Mexicans, it is said, addressed this meeting, inciting the populace against Americans, advising that all citizens of the United States be run from the country.

Among the Americans arriving here Proposal to Put in Third with this story are H. G. Boren, J. J. Martin, J. A. Rogers, F. M. Howard, L. S. Spreckelmyer, E. A. Porter and his son, Willis Lee, W. H. Sturgeon and family and Mrs. Mary Love and her two sons. All these refugees are en route to their homes in various parts of the United States.

PRISONER JUMPS IN RIVER

Rainier Alleged Bootlegger Escapes From Officers.

RAINIER, Or., June 26 .- (Special.)-Sheriff Stanwood and two deputies came down from St. Helens last evening and arrested Frank Brown, known as Butler Brown, charged with boot-

The officers were to have returned to St. Helens in a launch with the prisoner, but as they were about to board the boat, Brown leaped into the river, and, so far as is known, escaped.

Horse Throws Visitor Into River at Glacier National Park.

KALISPELL, Mont., June 26 .- Miss Jane Davis, of Scranton, Pa., who was touring Glacier National Park, fell from her horse yesterday while fordwas to insist on an open meeting of in the Two Medicine River, into which

John M. Parker, of Louisiana, bolted and was sent to her home in Pennsyl-

read Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's let- MEXICAN RIDERS THREATEN

appeared today across the line, causing as a base for alien intrigues, for cona flurry of excitement among residents, spiracles and the fomenting of disorelections resterday. Quiet has now "Battery A, a. guard of an attacking force.

Halt When Americans Appear.

Colonel W. H. Sage dispatched a company of infantry to the line to rein-Massachusetts, ruled that the next or- force the guard. After riding to within

Bainbridge Colby, of New York, COMMITTEE'S CRITIC HELD

tion Obtains Habeas Corpus.

NEW YORK, June 26.-H. Snowden Marshall, Federal District Attorney, was today served with a warrant in onnection with his alleged contempt of Congress, for criticising a House sub-committee investigating impeachsent charges - made against him by Representative Buchanan. Mr. Marshall immediately obtained a

AUSTRIANS ARE IN RETREAT

Italians Reported to Be Chasing Army in Trentino District.

ROME, June 26 .- A general retreat of the Austrians in the Trentino district over a sector about 20 miles in extent is announced in an official statement issued by the Italian War Office

The statement says that the Italians are pressing the pursuit vigorously.

GREEK VESSEL TORPEDOED

Steamer Nitza Is Sunk in Mediterranean Sea.

LONDON, June 26 .- The Greek steamer Nitza, which sailed from Northfolk on June 5 for Savona, Italy, has foun-

was saved. A Lloyds dispatch from Alicante, Spain, says that the Nitza was torpedoed and sank off Cape Palos

BRITISH STEAMER IS SUNK

Captain and 12 on Canford Chine Saved From Submarine.

LONDON. June 26 .- Sinking of the John M. Parker declared many of British steamship Canford Chine, of the Progressives were former Demo-Spain, last night is reported in a Reu-The captain and 12 of the crew were

PROGRESSIVE HELP

Roosevelt Is Thanked for Stirring Nation.

FIRM ATTITUDE IS TAKEN

ttending a builfight, according to the Nominee Indorses Stand for 100 Per Cent Americanism.

DEMOCRATS ARE ASSAILED

and Incertitude of Administration Blamed for European Troubles and Mexican Situation. *

NEW YORK, June 26. - Charles E Hughes, Republican nominee for President, sent a telegram to O. K. Davis, secretary of the Progressive National committee, tonight, welcoming the support of the Progressive party and ar-

its "weakness and incertitude."

In making public the contents of the telegram, Mr. Hughes also gave out a letter he had written to Colonel Roosevelt in which he declared that the Nation was indebted to the Colonel "for the quickening of the National spirit and for the demand for an out-and-out, 100 per cent Americanism."

T. R.'s Aid Acceptable.

that he had "sounded forth the trum pet that shall never call retreat, and vant you to feel that I wish to have all the aid you are able and willing to give." The letter closed with an expression of a wish by Mr. Hughes to

The telegram to Secretary Davis was in response to a telegram from the secretary notifying Mr. Hughes that the Progressives had indorsed him.
"I welcome the support of Progres-

hearted patriotic devotion over-riding srown strawberries there is no fresh all racial differences. We want a rerestored. We insist upon prompt and adequate provision for the common defense; upon the steadfast major. fense; upon the steadfast maintenance all of the merchants have he of all the rights of our citizens and been buying in San Francisco.

pon the integrity of international law.
"The most serious diffculties the 3 SLAIN IN ELECTION RIOTS resent Administration has encountered have been due to its own weakness and incertitude. I am profoundly convinced that by prompt and decisive action, which existing conditions man-NOGALES, Ariz., June 26 .- A de- lifestly called for, the Lusitania tragfeared they were the advance ders in the interest of any foreign nation, but the responsibility lies at the door of the Administration.

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DOG SAVES SON OF **OREGON PROFESSOR**

FRATERNITY PET CALLS HELP FOR BOY IN MILLRACE

Who Pulls Lad Out.

EUGENE, Or., June 26 .- (Special.)lecause a fox terrier belonging to members of the Kappa Sigma frateraged 6 years, was in distress as h floundered in the millrace near the University of Oregon, the life of the little

fellow was saved yesterday. as if greatly excited, attracting the attention of Glenn Shockley, a member of the fraternity, who went to the boy's

Roger is a son of Professor B. W. De Busk, of the university. He had fallen from the Alder-street bridge, and, be- SUPPLIES NOT WAITED FOR ing unable to swim, was carried down stream about 50 feet before being resued. No one witnessed the accident and but for the dog's conduct the boy probably would have perished.

HARBOR SIGNALS CHANGED

Mexicans Extinguish and Alter Lighthouses to Impede Warships

Harbor lights and lighthouse signals once. on the coast of Yucatan and elsewhere

A wireless message has been sent Captain announced. croadcast to ships at sea warning them not to be guided by lighthouses on the Second Battalion, and the First the Mexican coasts, the Navy Depart-Battalion will move Thursday with the ment announced tonight. A few have headquarters company.
been extinguished and the characteris- The headquarters of the Third In tics of others changed so that de-The candidate told Colonel Roosevelt pendence cannot be placed on them.

FOOD SHORTAGE IMPENDS

Bandon Out of Fresh Supplies Because of Waterfront Strike.

BANDON, Or., June 26 .- (Special.) -This city is virtually out of all kinds of "I welcome the support of Progressives," said Mr. Hughes' message, "We shoremen's strike. Famine of potatoes, make common cause in the interest of National honor, of National security, of National efficiency. We unite in the National efficiency. We unite in the strike is settled within the next or not, and no further time will be no further changes in the movement of the iong-will be no further changes in the movement. Captain Williams said.

"Troops will move whether equipped or not, and no further time will be no further changes in the move-ment of the iong-will be no further chang demand for an undivided and unwaver-ing loyalty to our country for a whole-

Dr. Ramon Valdez Is Chosen President of Panama.

been restored.

TEDDY PUTS HIS HAND TO THE PLOW.

Terrier Baces Madly Along Bank Feverish Preparation

members of the Kappa Sigma frater-nity recognized that Roger De Busk, SECOND UNIT OUT TOMORROW

The dog ran up and down the banks, First Battalion Leaves Thursday; Troop A Friday.

Militia Ordered to Carry Small Arms Ammunition and Trains Have Right of Way in Rush

CAMP WITHTCOMBE, Or., June 26 .-WASHINGTON, June 26.—State Department advices today indicated that port officials along the East Coast of Oregon, at 11 o'clock tonight received The Carrizal patrol was one of these.

Reports that General Pershing or Cassas and C Mexico were preparing to impede any orders to rush the Third Battalion of attempt at landing by American troops. the Third Infantry to San Diego at

The Third Battalion will begin to these towns are erroneous. have been extinguished for the last entrain late tomorrow afternoon and several nights.

fantry, the machine-gun company and supply company will move Thursday with the First Battalion.

roops two days over the fresh supplies as a result of the long- will be no further changes in the move-

> "Troops will move whether equipped or not, and no further time will be The following order was issued after

idnight by Captain Williams; "Commanding Officer of Troops

be shipped from this point to points greating to the women of France:

"We feel, think and suffer like you, seventh instant in the following order: and swear that after this catastrophic "Third Battalion, Third Infantry, June war the women of all nations shall

PANAMA, June 26 .- Three persons chine and supply companies and First "Battery A, artillery, June 28.

Troop A. cavalry, June 30.

NO FIGHT SOUGHT BY MEN OF TENTH

Oregontan.

TROOPERS' MISSION AT CARRI-ZAL HELD PERMISSIBLE.

Pershing's Officers Declare No Limit Had Been Placed on Patrolling and Co-operation Was Expected.

FIELD HEADQUARTERS, June 26. via wireless to Columbus .- It was both a peaceful and permissible mission in which the two troops of the Tenth Cavalry, commanded by Captain Charles T. Boyd, were engaged when they fought Carranza troops at Carrisal last Wednesday, according to the view ex-pressed by officers today with General Pershing's column.
It was peaceful, they declared, be

cause all the United States troops, campaigning had been done in expectation of co-operation by Carransistas and permissible because no limitation had been agreed upon by the two gov ernments which would restrict pa trolling by the Americana.
When General Jacinto

warning that his men would fire upon American troops moving in any direction except north reached the expedigradually, in expectation that the Carranzistas would occupy the territory evacuated, and police it.

In the meantime, patrols were sent out on either side of the American columns for protective and observatory purposes They moved in whatever di-rection their immediate duties required. cupied Nuevo Casas Grandes and Casas Grandes when the Mexicans evacuated

LAWYERS FIGHT IN COURT

Prosecutor at Toledo Calls Defendant's Attorney Liar.

NEWPORT, Or., June 26 .- (Special.) -In the Justice Court at Toledo Sat-urday, in the case of the State vs. Berry, the Prosecuting Attorney called H. N. Waterbury, the defendant's attorney, a tablish their existence. amp. Captain Williams said the troops liar, and the lawyers came to blows. One of the jurymen jumped in and separated the belligerents, and after an apology to the court proceedings were

resumed. This is a case against a local dentist Sir Douglas Haig. for violating the dental law, and is the seventh prosecution without a conviction.

WAR TIRES GERMAN WOMEN Sympathetic Greeting Sent to Moth-

ers of France. THE HAGUE, June 24, via London, June 26 .- The Zeitschrift Fuer Frauen stimmrecht, the German woman suf-

The Weather. YESTERDAY'S-Maximum temperature, 65 degrees; minimum, 56 degrees, TODAY'S-Showers; south to west winds. Mexico.

Third Battalion leaves today; others follow before end of week. Fage 1. Nation is now awaiting Carrange's decision. Page 2. popers' mission at Carrisal peaceful and permissible. Page 1.

utenant Adair dies here of Carrical bat-South Americans give up mediation effort. American consulate at Torreon demolished by mob led by Mayor. Page 1.

War. British wage important battle in France. Page 4.
Russians push on toward Hungary, Page 4.
Drive by allies is begun. Page 1.
Official reports. Page 4.

Progrestives indoors Mr. Hughes for Presidency. Page I.

Text of Colonel Roosevelt's letter of final declination of nomination. Page 6.

Mr. Hughes strikes resounding note of Americanism. Page I.

General Brusiloff's main efforts are now being devoted to overthrowing the Germans in these positions. He has brought his batteries, which routed the Austrians, to bear here.

Orpet testifies concerning Marion Lambert's death, Page 5. Ex-reporter of The Oregonian finds bride on business trip. Page 3. Portland golfers shine at Spokane. Page 14.

Marquard victor in great 2-1 pitchers' battle. Page 15.

Champion Willamette Defender, noted Oregon bull terrier, dead. Page 15.

Angels open here today if it doesn't rain 'too hard. Page 14. Western tennis youngsters putting up great game for Clay Court title. Page 14, Pacific Northwest.

Homes blown over and wheat lost in Hepp ner hall, rain and wind storm. Page ! Crop prospects at Metollus are for bumper crop. Page 7. crop. Page 7.

Disbarment proceedings against Attorney J.
E. Willis, at Chehalis, are started. Page 7.

Washington Democrats develop opposition to
Governor Lister. Page 8.

Fraternity pet saves life of Oregon professor's son. Page 1.

Wheat higher at Chicago on black rust re-ports. Page 19. Mexican situation causes heavy selling of stocks in Wall street. Page 19. Three strikers are shot in Tacoma riot.

Portland and Vicinity.

C. A. Warriner pays Mrs. Beckman \$200 and is paroled. Page 20.

Flood waters in Columbia Slough cause damage to approach to Interstate bridge.

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Page 9.

Course, and as weak links in the 7 ton defence disclose themsel strike with overwhelming might.

First Opportunity Taken. Rival is shot on way to wellding. Page 15.

British Are Latest to Start Big Battle.

ITALIANS PUSHING FORWARD

Russians Driving Wedge Into German Lines and Encircling Lemberg.

TEUTONS ADMIT REVERSES

Allies Accept Every Opportunity to Strike at Weak Points on Fronts.

BY ARTHUR S. DRAPER. LONDON, June 26 .- (Special.) - At last the long-heralded and much-delayed grand offensive of the allies seems to be at hand. Indeed, if events rather than official announcements mark its opening, it is already well under way.

Paris and London have said nothing regarding the important operation developing. It has been left to admissions from the central powers to es-

Thus as against the silence of the British War Office, Berlin this morning chronicled the opening of "important battles" in the sector held by

Austria Admits Retirement.

Vienna supplements this tonight with the admission of a 20-mile retirement in the Trentino. "To retain our freedom of action," is the tribute the Austrian War Office pays to General Cadorna's offensive, which observers expect to spread rapidly to

the Isonzo front. In the east, the Russians, while still held up in their advance on Kovel by the Germans, are continuing their advance against the Austrians in the south. Their flank now protected by the Carpathians, they have turned northward in their sweep through Bukowina and are now approaching Kolomea. They are already within

10 miles of the town. Rear Attack Likely.

Thus, though the Germans succeed in preventing the progress from the north, the Russians may still force the evacaution of Lemberg and Tarnapol by advancing from the south. Similar tactics were successful when

Page 2. Similar tactics were successful who Page 2. To stem the Russian tide, the Germans have taken over the defense of the whole sector from Kovel to Brody. They have replaced the shattered ranks of the Archduke Frederick with fresh regiments from the west front, who are called on here to undergo the same artillery hell they experienced

at Verdun. General Brusiloff's main efforts

routed the Austrians, to bear here. Wedge Enters German Line.

Despite six German assaults over a two-mile front yesterday, General Brusiloff had not only held his own, but succeeded in pushing a wedge so far in the German line as to menace Brody.

The semi-official Paris Temps also voices the view that the entente allies' offensive is at hand. Its military expert, regarded as one of the most competent in Europe, declares that "the hour of action for the allies is here. Attack succeeds defense on many fronts."

It sees especial significance in the visit of Premier Briand to the head-Commercial and Marine.

Further advance in local cats market. British commander, Saturday and Sunday. The allies' plan, as it is understood here by military men, is not for any combined assault on all fronts at once. Instead, they are perfectly Columbia and Snake rivers rising. Page 16. content to allow events to take their course, and as weak links in the Teuton defence disclose themselves,

General Bell urges business men to join training camp. Fage 6.

Workers flock to movement for relief of soldiers' families. Page 8.

Hotel Portland to be headquarters for Pythlans. Page 11.

This strategy was agreed on at the allied conference in Paris, and was subsequently developed in greater detail by General Joffre in his recent Portland plans excursion to Coos Bay. conference here with Sir William Rob-Weather report data and forecast. Page 10. ertson, British Chief of Staff.

To aid in co-ordinating it with Rusriland Progressives praise Roosevelt's in-dorsement of Hughes. Page 6, lonel Gantenbein begins tentative organ-ization of volunteer regiment. Page 6. sian plans is believed to have been (Concluded on Page 4, Column 5.)

Goes on at Camp.

to Border-Situation Grave.

Battery A will leave Wednesday with

Troop A. Cavalry, and recruits probably will be the last troops to leave

probably will leave Friday.

Train Will Be Ready. This advances the departure of all previous schedule, except Troop A, which moves one day earlier than scheduled. There

"The troops of this command will xpedite preparation of all papers perall of the merchants have heretofore taining to property and muster and will frage organ, has sent the following

"Second Battalion, Third Infantry, work unitedly to prevent forever its recurrence." June 28. "Headquarters and headquarters ma- INDEX OF TODAY'S NEWS

The election of the government candidate for President, Dr. Ramon Valdez, tary personnel will be designated by "The moment notice is admitted, re-sponsibility is affixed. For that sort once Minister to the United States, is ment. All small arms ammunitions in

