

COX'S FRIENDS BLOCK McADOO AS LEADER Support for Party Chairmanship Hits Snag. MANNER IS RATHER UGLY

Movement to Grab Party Chairmanship Is Declared to Be Fostered by Very Rich Group.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Dec. 26.—Friends of James M. Cox, governor of Ohio and late democratic presidential nominee, have put a large obstruction in the way of plans for a gathering of William Gibbs McAdoo to take over the party machinery of the democratic party.

Notice has been privately served on Mr. McAdoo's friends that George White, democratic national chairman, will not resign or stand aside to permit the election in his place of Thomas Le Chabourne, Robert W. Woolley, Daniel C. Roper or Joseph P. Tumulty. The Cox followers said they were not ready to surrender the control, and charged that the McAdoo campaign was largely one of money, backed by Bernard Baruch and several other men of great wealth who were close to the United States treasury while their favorite was the secretary.

The Cox men have a rather ugly way of stating the matter, for to use their own language, they say that the movement to grab the democratic party machinery is fostered by a group of very rich men "who think that the national chairmanship is for sale."

Another criticism offered by them is that control of the national committee is sought for the purpose of furthering the candidacy of Mr. McAdoo for the democratic presidential nomination four years hence. They point out, would be a stupendous blunder, because the national committee is the machinery of the whole party, and not the personal property of any individual to be used to promote a single candidate.

This is an endorsement of the doctrine promulgated by Will H. Hays, chairman of the republican national committee, during the last nominating campaign. When he was asked about the nomination he always had the same answer: "The duty of the national committee is to elect, not select."

It is revealed that the Cox and Palmer men on the national committee are working hard to hinder the defeat of the design of the McAdoo group. Through the Palmer forces the assurances have been given out that the Palmer and Cox members of the national committee are now in control and able to dictate the party policies.

Export company, will leave Tuesday morning for Havana, Santiago, and Kingston. In Santiago he will meet the steamship Windward now enroute to that port from Tacoma with 255,000 feet of lumber exported by the American company.

OLE HANSON AGAIN DADDY

STORK MAKES 10TH VISIT, THIS TIME AT CHRISTMAS.

Ex-Mayor of Seattle Announces Birth to Carolers Who Are Serenading His Home.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 26.—(Special)—Santa Claus, it appears, now and then takes a notion to doll himself up as a stork and make a visit just before Christmas.

Ask ex-Mayor Ole Hanson, weighing seven and a quarter pounds, arrived Thursday night, the tenth child in the family. Mr. Hanson tonight refused to regard the tiny miss except as a wonderful Christmas gift, and when 20 Christmas carolers from the Haven Methodist church sang carols before his house in the fullness of his heart he made a little "front porch" speech which ran something like this:

1920 IS RECORD YEAR

Increased efficiency. If the enlarged capacity provided by the companies during the past nine months had had to be produced by new cars and locomotives, it would have required approximately \$2,000,000, a sum which would have been permanently added to the property value of the railroads.

FIUME ENTRY IS BEGUN

ranges of hills. Toward the sea the regulars' line was held by royal guards and carabinieri.

GERMAN ARMY CUT TO 100,000.

BERLIN, Dec. 26.—The effectives of the German army have been reduced to 100,000, in accordance with the Spa agreement with the allies, it was announced today.

BRITISH LABORITES ASK IDLENESS CURE

Government Warned Work Must Be Obtained.

THOUSANDS ARE IN NEED

Serious Consequences Predicted Unless Conditions Are Squarely Faced and Met.

(Copyright by the New York World. Published by arrangement.) LONDON, Dec. 26.—(Special cable).—Public anxiety over disturbing internal affairs has switched suddenly to the unemployment question. Laborites are warning the government this must be faced or they cannot be responsible for the consequences.

The situation is bad particularly in the Midlands and Coventry, where the automobile trade slump threw great numbers out of work, and looting of food shops has begun. The unusually severe winter and high prices asked for coal have added to the sufferings of the idle. A dangerous spirit has been aroused by the comparisons between extravagant Christmas spending in the West End and conditions of poverty in the East end.

The government has proposed an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for public works on road making and house building, but this sum is declared wholly inadequate by laborites, who claim that there are a Great Britain today more than 500,000 unemployed, with 3,000,000 dependents.

Distress Committees Formed. In London, this number has been increased by 50,000 in a fortnight and is still growing. London mayors are asking money for relief work and have organized distress committees, contending that the government's scheme cannot possibly reach even a majority of the cases needing aid.

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Sooner or Later They've All GOT TO GO!

Good people of PORTLAND, the handwritin's on the WALL! There isn't going to continue to be ROOM in the modern scheme of things for old-fashioned WASH TUBS, for wringers and boilers; For the constantly recurring clutter, and suds, and BACK-ACHES! More and more families are ruling against HOME WASH DAYS! More and more housewives are TELEPHONING REQUESTS that it be done "THE NATIONAL WAY."

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East Eighth and Clay Sts. Portland, Oregon. born to "Lady Maude Wolfe," was one of the Christmas surprises at the home of A. J. Edwards, 1124 Waller street, Salem. No one knew the little fellow was coming, and there was mutual wonderment in the eyes of the tiny colt and of the Edwards children when they sallied from the house early Saturday morning. The sire of the colt is a stallion on the Wolfe farm near Woodburn. His mother has won two blue ribbons at the state fair. The new arrival, which probably will be named "Midnight Boy," will be registered.

MOB ATTACKS SOCIALISTS

Mayor and Officials Hindered From Aiding Besieged Deputy.

BOLOGNA, Italy, Dec. 26.—Reports from Ferrara today state that the socialist deputy, Marangoni, was besieged by nationalists in Este castle. The socialist mayor of Ferrara, Professor Morgantini, and Aldermen Savonuzzi and Perretti went to his rescue, but were attacked by a crowd which cried, "Shame! Do not dare appear in public. Do not provoke us!" Alderman Savonuzzi was beaten with a club, while Alderman Perretti had his beard pulled and was spat upon. They were rescued by carabinieri.

Christmas Pony's Birthday.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 26.—(Special).—A thoroughbred Shetland pony colt

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Advertisement for The Northwestern National Bank. Text: 'What of 1921? Are you one of the many thousands who, with the aid of this bank, are shrewdly subsidizing their futures with a thoughtful programme of thrift? Ask for Mr. Hoyt Savings Department THE NORTHWESTERN NATIONAL BANK PORTLAND, OREGON.' Includes an illustration of a man in a suit.