

ELECTION UNKORKS PRESIDENTIAL TALK

Campaign Fairly Launched in Both Major Parties.

HIRAM JOHNSON LOOMS

Gifford Pinchot Is Republican Possibility, While Democrats Have Cox and McAdoo.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 11.—(Special.)—However "sooty" the election of last Tuesday may have been, it has had at least one national result. It has started the presidential campaign in both parties.

The democrats, hesitant to start anything in the face of that discouraging seven millions in 1920, suddenly have been galvanized into new life and with the belief that the people still may be in a mood for a change in 1924, there is sure to be a lively scramble for the nomination.

Despite the denial by Attorney General Daugherty, the belief persists in republican circles that President Harding will decline a second nomination. If this proves to be true the scramble for the republican nomination will be as fierce as that for the democratic nomination.

Senator Johnson Militant. But even if President Harding should not decline the nomination there is reason to believe that he will not lack opposition at the republican convention.

Commonwealth May Be Staged. The primaries open the opportunity for other delegates to enter the list for president and Senator Johnson has the independence to make such a move.

Pinchot Boom Is Launched. Already in Pennsylvania they are talking of Pinchot for president, just as in California and other sections the boom for Johnson has been launched with much fuss and feathers.

The results of last Tuesday had a more far-reaching effect upon presidential possibilities than was apparent at first. Beveridge, the progressive of Indiana, would have a formidable figure at the next republican national convention if he had won his way back to the senate.

Secretary Hughes Possibility. This about exhausts the list of present-day possibilities in the republican party with the exception of Secretary Hughes. If President Harding definitely decides not to run again, Mr. Hughes would be a formidable aspirant for the nomination and would have the strong backing of the conservative elements of the party.

McAdoo-Cox Fend Soudierers. On the democratic side it begins to look even at this early date as if the contest for the nomination may narrow down to the contest between Governor McAdoo of California and James M. Cox of Ohio.

Smith Will Fight McAdoo. There is no question but that Mr. McAdoo moved to California with the idea that he never could win the democratic nomination as a resident of New York state.

SONG INSPIRES SHRINERS TO BUILD GREAT HOSPITAL

"I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles," Written by John William Kellelte, Gives New Idea of Service at Portland Convention.

BY LEONA WESTBROOK. ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 11.—(Special.)—During the first week of August this year newspapers of the country carried announcements of the death of John William Kellelte, author of that once popular song, "I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles."

Kellelte's "bubbles" song brought him \$15,000 and momentary fame. It was sung all over the world and proved to be one of the most popular songs ever written. But Kellelte, who had earned as high as \$1000 a week as a motion picture director, who had made June Caprice famous, who had directed the film career of Annette Kellerman, Irene Castle, Evelyn Nash, died in comparative poverty, "unwept, unhonored and unsung" by the millions who had sung his song and appreciated the humor and pathos and humor in the tuneful melody.

In announcing the death of Kellelte, newspapers carried many stories of how he was left an orphan at 7, and how he had struggled along as a newsboy, bootblack, factory hand, printer's assistant, newspaper conductor, playwright and song writer, in an effort to support himself and his baby brother Joe. There were stories indicating how the vicissitudes of his short and eventful life upon the impressive French side of his nature, inherited from his father, while the Irish inherited from his mother enabled him to see comedy even in the tragedy of life.

Little Girl Is Inspiration. The story is told that a dirty-faced little east side immigrant girl, who was the neighbor of his apartment, blowing bubbles to amuse the baby who was "tending," was the inspiration of his famous song.

One story, however, with which Kellelte is intimately connected, the newspapers never told—in fact, Kellelte himself never mentioned it. It tells of the first time and the telling reveals, perhaps, the greatest achievement of his extremely interesting life.

The story takes us across the continent from the Massachusetts town in which Kellelte died, to Portland, Or., in June, 1920, and to the 46th annual meeting of the Imperial Council, Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

Freeland Kendrick of Philadelphia was the speaker at that meeting of the Shrine. At the meeting of the imperial council in Indianapolis the year before, Kendrick had introduced a resolution that the Shrine undertake the establishment of a hospital, centrally located home for crippled children of North America, where the children might find a haven and home, under the protecting wing of the Mystic Shrine.

When Kendrick proposed this resolution, he was met with a cold reception. The members of the council, however, were not opposed outright to his plan, but they were indifferent, a few temples would support him financially, but if he changed his idea of a "home" for crippled to a "hospital" for them. This he did, and at the afternoon session of the council, Wednesday, June 23, 1920, he surrendered the chair for a moment to Imperial Potentate-elect Garrison in order that he might present his revised resolution.

Perfect quiet prevailed in the council chamber as Potentate Kendrick read: "Recommendation No. 12: I recommend that at this session of the imperial council a resolution be adopted authorizing the establishment of a hospital for crippled children to be supported by the nobility of the Mystic Shrine of North America on an annual per capita basis, and to be known as the Shriners' Hospital for Crippled Children."

It further recommends that an assessment of \$2 per capita be levied upon our entire membership to be collected by the various subordinate temples with the dues, payable in advance, in December, 1921, and the amounts to be paid to the imperial council.

For the exact guard cutter Manning, who went to the rescue.

TWO BOYS ARE KILLED

Toppenish Youths in Motor Car Victims of Railway Train.

YAKIMA, Wash., Nov. 11.—Two Toppenish youths, Claude Chisholm and Willie Otto, were killed instantly last night when they were struck by a Northern Pacific train near Toppenish. The youths had left in Chisholm's car some hours before.

The bodies which were found were mutilated and they were taken to some distance down the track.

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Mundale, Flying Between New York and Cuba, Believed Afire.

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 11.—Assistance was sent late today for the steamer on fire 75 miles off Cape Hatteras, wireless messages stating that the blaze which started in No. 2 hold was spreading and the crew was in jeopardy. As received here the messages indicated that the steamer was the Munemo, but investigation developed that that vessel was in port at Baltimore and steamship officials expressed the belief that the craft was the Mundale, a vessel of 2071 tons register which plies between New York and Cuba.

Late tonight no further advices had been received from the steamer

CHILE IS ROCKED BY GREAT QUAKE

Tidal Waves Sweep Cities; Hundreds Perish.

5000 LEFT HOMELESS

Many Buildings Overturned; Antofagasta Inundated; People Flee in Panic.

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Dispatches from the province of Atacama say that the center of the earthquake was an area roughly defined by Copiapo, Ovalle, in the province of Coquimbo, Valparaiso, Chana and San Fernando. Of these places, so far as is known, Copiapo suffered most. At Chana a great tidal wave swept over the commercial section of the city, wrecking the postoffice among other buildings. It is reported that three minutes after the earthquake the city had been virtually abandoned by the residents.

All the affected areas are badly in need of relief. Communication with Santiago, Valparaiso and southern Chile is interrupted.

Severe earth shocks were felt in various parts of Chile shortly before the earthquake. At Chana, no mention of damage or casualties. At Concepcion a strong earth movement from east to west was felt for about three minutes at midnight. At Talcahuano a tidal wave occurred, following the subsidence of which the water level was lower than normal.

The movement was steady and caused no damage. All telegraphic communication with ports of the province of Coquimbo, has ceased. Advances telling of the disaster at Copiapo were received here by way of Bolivia and Buenos Aires.

HILO BAY IS WAVE-SWEPT

Ten Fishing Craft Carried to Sea; Japanese Flee in Panic.

HILO, Island of Hawaii, T. H., Nov. 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—Tidal waves swept Hilo bay from 8:36 o'clock last night until 1:10 o'clock this morning, piling the beach with sampans and washing ten craft out to sea. No lives are believed to have been lost. Japanese living on the waterfront packed their belongings and fled inland panic-stricken.

Cocunut island in the harbor opposite the city is under water. Other tidal waves are expected here by the marine disturbances finally subsiding.

This morning the Waioa river, emptying into Hilo bay, was a scramble of wrecked sampans, the launch boats used by the Japanese fishermen. The ten craft which were washed out to sea were sunk, but it is believed nobody was aboard them.

The rush of water worked through the breakwater and came back with a wash like a mountain torrent. Numbers of sea fish were cast up on the beach, but none was higher than the previous six. Large crowds, stationed safely on elevated positions, watched the waves.

70 KILLED AT LOQUIMBO

District Destroyed.

VALPARAISO, Nov. 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—Seventy are dead and fifty injured at Loquimbo from the earthquake. The business district, including the Grace & Co. building, is reported to have been destroyed.

Five thousand are homeless at Ovalle, Hualpae and other towns in the same district.

Efforts made throughout the day by Chilean naval vessels to communicate by radio with ships at the port of Antofagasta have been futile.

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