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"WE SLUGGED THEM OVER"

-T. ROOSEVELT. Former President Elated Over His Great Victory In Illinois Primaries.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) GREENSBURG, Pa., April 10.—"We slugged them over the ropes," That was Colonel Roosevelt's comment today on his victory in the Illinois primaries yesterday.

TAFT VIEW OF IT

Director McKinley Tells of Impression of Illinois Result. (By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., April 10.—"The result in Illinois was not unexpected by those familiar with the situation," said Representative McKinley, director of the national Taft bureau today in the first comment from the President's side on the Illinois primary.

"I say this advisedly," McKinley continued, "and for this reason, Roosevelt recently invaded the state and devoted the major portion of his addresses to subjects with no relation whatever for the most part to the issues on which the republican party must meet the democratic party in November.

"In other words, Roosevelt participated in the campaign in Illinois with all the freedom of a full-fledged citizen of the state and met and talked to the voters of Illinois on subjects which were uppermost in their minds, namely the state issues. "The participation of eight candidates for the republican nomination for governor resulted in a complete breaking down of the party organization," says McKinley's statement and new alignments were brought about.

ROOSEVELT AS PONTIUS PILATE

Sensational Speech in U. S. Senate Censuring Former President.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., April 10.—Colonel Roosevelt was portrayed in the Senate today as a counterpart of Pontius Pilate. The picture was drawn by Senator Jones of Washington, who sketched as the groundwork the recent Detroit speech of the ex-President condemning the majority members of the Lorimer investigation committee favorable to the Illinois senator as not being responsive to the sentiment of their constituencies.

"This is the latest rule for judicial action suggested by this self-proclaimed leader of progress," said Senator Jones. "Because we have not followed it we are not progressive but reactionary. This was the rule of action followed by Pilate nearly 1900 years ago. This is the first time, I venture to say, in our history or in the history of any civilized people that the Pilate rule of judicial action has met with the approval of any man save those who would crucify Jesus and they despise him for following it. "If former President Roosevelt had been standing on one side when Pilate delivered Jesus to the Jews after having examined into the charges and found no fault in him, but at the demand of the people turned him over to them for crucifixion, he would have clapped his hands and exclaimed, 'Most righteous, most honorable, most just judge, at least he would have done this if he had been as progressive then as he is now. I am charitable enough to believe, however, that he would have been a reactionary.'"

NEW YORK DECLARES FOR TAFT

Republican State Convention Adopts Platform Urging Delegation to Support President.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 10.—The republican state convention adopted today a platform urging New York's delegates to the Chicago national convention in favor of the renomination of President Taft, elected four delegates at large and alternates to that convention and adjourned sine die. The delegates chosen were United States Senator Elihu Root, State Chairman William Barnes, Jr., William Berri of Brooklyn, and Edwin A. Merritt, Jr., speaker of the Assembly.

KENTUCKY FOR TAFT

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 10.—Denunciation of the critics of the republican party, within and without its ranks, of "political patent medicine men," of "the men who would destroy the independent judiciary," and of "those who tell us that we must buy their political patent medicine or fail to carry the next presidential election," formed the keynote of the address before the republican state convention here of Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, the convention's temporary chairman.

"The Supreme issue of 1912," was the subject of Dr. Butler's address. This he defined as "the maintenance of our republican form of government." In conclusion, he declared that the chief measures of progress confronting the nation were the enactment of a workman's compensation law, revision of the tariff, supplementary legislation to the anti-trust law; judicial settlement of international disputes; economy in government, and legislation to shorten the law's delays. He said, in part: "What criticism is made of the republican administration of the nation during the past sixteen years? There is, first, the honest and fair criticism of our opponents from whom we differ in many matters of fundamental political policy. This criticism is a natural and necessary incident in the conduct of a republican form of government. Second, there is criticism from an element which, however numerous, is certainly in full possession of its powers of speech, and which is found in part within the ranks of our own party and in part within the ranks of the democratic party. It includes the whole of the socialist party as well as some of those whose mental condition is one of such blissful elevation that they cannot find any political association quite satisfactory to them.

"These critics tell us that we are behind the times; that we are, in the significant language of the gaming table, standstills; that we have lost touch with the march of progress; that we are out of sympathy with the satisfaction of the deepest human needs and with the alleviation of human suffering; that we put property rights above human rights; and that some means—violent if possible, peaceable if necessary—must be found to free the government from our paralyzing control. "It appears, on further inquiry, that what is really meant is that representative government and representative institutions are a failure, and that they must be swept aside to make way for a direct democracy. In particular, it appears that the most characteristic and beneficent of American institutions, the independent judiciary charged with the interpretation of the law and with the safeguarding of constitutional limitations, is now regarded as a harmful check upon the people's will and as an obstacle to their free and progressive social and political development.

"If this vehement denunciation of our government and of our courts is one-half true, then the republican party should get down on its knees and apologize to the people of this country for having three times deserted so farsighted a man as Mr. Bryan for the presidency of the United States. "What these revolutionary elements of the population most dislike is the rule of law. Their conception of government is a sort of glorified lynching, before which the archbishops at Springfield, Ill., or at Contesville, Pa., would fade into insignificance. Any judicial officer who, in obedience to his oath, ventures to declare the law to be something which is out of agreement with their present-day prepossessions, prejudices, emotions or desires, become a tyrant who should be dashed from his place on the bench by the profoundly wicked instrumentality of the 'seal of judges.' "It is forgotten, apparently, that a judge declares the law, but does not make it, and that in declaring the law he is executing the people's highest and most mature will. In so doing he is not imposing anything upon the people save what they have imposed upon themselves as the necessary and well-justified restraints upon appetite and passion. The man who would destroy the inde-

DELEGATES TO NATIONAL CONVENTION TO BE INSTRUCTED FOR TAFT

(By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times) LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 10.—Adherents of Taft are in complete control of the state convention assembled here today. The indications are that the four delegates at large to the Chicago convention will be instructed for the President.

pendent judiciary because he dislikes or differs from some specific judicial finding is as mad as a man who would set his house on fire in order to improve its ventilation. "The fact is that in the history of mankind some things, after long toil and tribulation, are settled once for all. They neither invite nor permit amendment and improvement. These achievements, taken together, are progress; they constitute progress; they are the evidences of progress; they are what the word progress means. To attack, to undermine, or to overturn them is not progress, but reaction.

"The fundamental principles which underlie the Constitution of the United States are no straight-jacket into which a growing people is forced to its distress and harm. They are rather a chart by which the ship of state may sail safely out on new and untried seas, certain that the danger spots are clearly marked and the heavens accurately indicated. These principles can never grow old; they are everlastingly young and new and true.

"We are today infested with political patent medicine men. Ignorant of ordinary laws of political and social growth, or defying them they press upon us the odd and curious nostrums of their own making which are to cure our evils, to abolish poverty, to do away with injustice, and to bring about that happy and blissful Utopia of which certain types of men with nothing useful to do habitually dream.

"Pious and oracular aphorisms are the stock in trade of the political patent medicine man whose pursuit of a higher office is so compelling that he cannot find time to attend to the duties of the office which he already holds. The plain discharge of present duty does not seem likely to commend him sufficiently to a larger and more important constituency. Neither the senate of the United States nor the governorship of a sovereign state offers adequate scope for his activities and his genius. He must hurry off, while public business waits, in order that he may sound his own praises and recite his own phrases to the open-mouthed thousands who assemble to greet so great a man.

"It may perhaps be said that, however misleading these political patent medicine men may be, however ignorant and however selfish the popular demagogues of the day, yet they have gained so large a following that we must listen to them and buy their political patent medicine or else we shall fall to carry the next presidential election. I deny absolutely. I deny that the republican party and its principles are for sale. I deny that a political party exists only to win elections at any cost. If it sells its principles, it is no longer a political party, but only an organized appetite.

"Why should we hesitate to follow precisely the same course in 1912 that served us so well in 1896? Let us stand up before all the people of the United States and say that we propose to go forward with policies of true, not false, progress; that we propose to protect and care for human rights, whether of person or of property, without privilege and without monopoly; but that we propose to do this under the fundamental guarantees of our constitutional government and in accordance with its representative forms. Let us make the maintenance of our republican form of government the leading and controlling political question.

"The international policies which have dignified and made memorable the administration of President Taft should be continued and extended until we have convinced not only the whole civilized world, but ourselves as well, that we are committed to a policy of peace, good will, and the judicial settlement of international disputes.

"The appalling extravagance of government should be checked, and the republican party should pledge itself to check it. It may well be asked whether, in instituting a much-needed inquiry into the high cost of living, we should not begin with an inquiry into the high cost of being governed. "These natural resources of the country that still remain part of the public domain, whether forests, mineral lands, or water power, should be so used and developed as to give the benefits of ownership to the people as a whole while affording opportunity to those who undertake the task of development to gain a fair reward for their labor and their investment."

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EXPECT STRIKES IN EASTERN COAL FIELDS WILL END SOON

NEW LINE TO COOS BAY NOW

Portland, Eugene & Eastern Plans to Extend Here Before Other Lines.

The Albany Herald says: Geo. O'Connor, general superintendent of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern railway company, left his headquarters, in Corvallis two days ago for Portland, the general headquarters of the company, rooms 1311-16 Yeon building, and went from there to Eugene, where the company is operating an electric railway, returning the same day to Portland, after inspecting the Eugene line, and at once made the necessary arrangements for supplies of material for the Eugene line, as well as for the new line now in course of construction from Salem to Stayton, a distance of 16 miles, partially paralleling the new electric line of the Southern Pacific, now building from Salem to Fir.

Also, while in Portland Mr. O'Connor made tentative contracts for a sufficient force of laborers, not only for the Salem-Stayton line, but for the Corvallis electric line, now soon to be put under way, as soon as their franchise is secured from the Corvallis city council, which is expected at its next session.

Immediately, all these different lines are under way, an electric line will be built from Albany, to connect with the Corvallis line, and the present steam railway line from Corvallis to Monroe will be electrified, and eventually extended to Eugene, and on to the coast at Coos Bay.

It is the intention of President I. W. Anderson and General Manager A. Welch to beat the Oregon Electric and Southern Pacific companies to the coast if possible, and "pick and shovel" will fly as fast as men and money can make them turn the dirt over.

GET RIGHT OF WAY

Pacific Great Western Takes Deeds for Land Near Eugene. The Eugene Guard says: As an evidence that the Pacific Great Western Railway company is still active in securing right of way for its proposed railway from Eugene to Coos Bay, there was filed for record with the county clerk this afternoon by I. H. Bingham, president of the company, deeds to about two miles of the right of way in township 17 south of range 9 west, consisting of twenty odd acres. The deeds are given by F. W. Osburn, trustee for a number of timber owners in that section of the county. There are further evidences that this company will soon have an important announcement to make in regard to this road.

BIG EAGLE IS DEAD

Finlay McCrae Succumbs to Operation at Helena. (By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times) HELENA, Mont., April 10.—Finlay McCrae, grand treasurer of the Fraternal Order of Eagles and secretary of the democratic state committee, died here today following an operation for cancer.

COUNT VOTES OF ENGINEERS

Results of Referendum Ballot of Brotherhood on Strike Known Soon. (By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times) NEW YORK, April 10.—Warren Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and fifty assistants, are here today to count the votes of twenty-five thousand engineers on the forty-eight eastern railroads which will determine whether the organization's officers may call a strike should further negotiations with the railroads for increased pay fail. Announcement of the result is expected tomorrow.

FOR ASSESSOR I hereby announce myself as republican candidate for assessor for Coos County before the primaries, April 19, 1911. (Paid Adv.) LLOYD SPIRES.

Bituminous Miners Expected to Give Majority to New Agreement.

NEW CONFERENCE IN ANTHRACITE TROUBLE

Former Commission May Be Called Upon to Settle Differences. (By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 10.—The soft coal miners are voting today on accepting or rejecting a two-year wage contract drafted at the recent joint conference of the operators and representatives of the miners at Cleveland. That more than 90 per cent of the miners will approve is the belief of their national officers. It is expected the result will be announced by the end of the week.

ARE HOPING FOR PEACE

Anthracite Miners and Operators in Conference. (By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 10.—The miners and operators are in joint conference here today to make another attempt to agree upon a wage scale to take the place of the one that expired March 31 and send back to work the 175,000 idle anthracite miners. Both sides are hopeful.

The operators this afternoon proposed that the anthracite coal strike commission be reconvened to take up the situation in the anthracite region in view of arranging a new working agreement. It was agreed to hold the operators proposition in abeyance until a subcommittee of the two sides tried to find a common ground on which to come to an agreement without resorting to the services of the strike commission.

BEACHS IN PARIS

Accused Broker and Wife Guests at W. K. Vanderbilt Home. (By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) PARIS, April 10.—Frederick O. Beach, the Wall Street broker, against whom a warrant charging him with assault and battery with intent to kill his wife was issued at Alton, S. C., arrived here today from London with his wife, Mrs. Camilla Beach. They went immediately to the residence of W. K. Vanderbilt, where they are guests. Beach declined to make a statement.

GOMEZ LOSES OUT

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., April 10.—Emilio Vasquez Gomez has been read out of the Mexican rebel ranks by a manifesto of the rebel chiefs repudiating his presidential aspirations, according to State Department reports today.

TO STOP RACING IN NORTH BEND

City Council Orders Speed Ordinance Drafted—City Beautiful Work. The North Bend city council last evening took steps to put an end to the auto racing on Sherman avenue that has been the cause of much complaint there recently. The city attorney was instructed to draft a vehicle speed ordinance, modeled after the Oregon vehicle law, which will enable the city authorities to cope with the situation. It is claimed that some of the North Bend auto owners have been using Sherman avenue as a speedway and have been racing there and endangering pedestrians.

The committee recently appointed by the council to take charge of the "City Beautiful" campaign which is being inaugurated for the North Bend school children made a detailed report of the plan to the council last night. Prizes are to be offered for the best kept lawns, for the best rose gardens, flower gardens, vegetable gardens, etc. Messrs. Simpson, Winsor and Kern were appointed a committee to confer with the property owners in Plat B along the waterfront and try and arrange for the construction of the 600 feet of bulkhead there needed to connect up with the present bulkhead. It was proposed that the city do the work but it was found that there would not be sufficient time for it to go through the regular routine.

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Primaries There Yesterday Little Short of Sensational.

HAS 140,000 MORE THAN WILSON

Deneen and Judge Nominates for Governor—Cullom Beaten.

FINAL FIGURES (By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, April 10.—Recounts show Roosevelt victorious, defeating Taft by 115,000, and Clark defeated Deneen by about 140,000. Governor Deneen was renominated by the democrats by a 69,000 majority. FRAGILE IS BRATEN (By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, April 10.—By arrangement the matter of suffrage was submitted to the voters of Chicago in the primaries with the result that it was defeated by one vote.

CHICAGO, April 10.—Theodore Roosevelt defeated William H. Taft in the primary in Illinois by approximately one and ten thousand votes, and Champ Clark received a margin of more than one hundred and twenty thousand votes over Woodrow Wilson in the returns this morning.

Senator Shelby M. Deneen was nominated for the third consecutive term by a plurality of about seventy-five thousand votes.

States Senator Shelby M. Deneen, 61 years old, and dean of the House in Congress for 30 years, is today over his first post. Provided a republican is elected, he will be succeeded by Lawrence Y. Sherman, 47 years old, former mayor of Chicago.

Complete unofficial returns give Clark 113,334, and Roosevelt 128,334, and the total republican 241,668, and the total democratic 140,000.

RAISE FOR CLARK

Given Great Ovation in House Today. (By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 10.—Champ Clark received an ovation today in the House which was greeted by the shrill cries of "Rueker, a rascal from Missouri," secured permission to address the House for one hour.

REYNOLDS IN CONTEST

Off First Honors in Bend Demorest Medal Program.

Reynolds last evening won the first medal oratorical contest in North Bend. The contest at Eckhoff hall and was won by Mrs. L. J. Simpson.

Reynolds last evening were Mrs. L. J. Simpson, Harold Hunt, Glen Coonro, Fred Reynolds, and Fremont Hod-