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LIMIT IN GIFTS IS MADE LOW

Chairman Hays Determined to Block Criticism That Big Corporations and Wealthy Men Support Republican Party.

CAMPAIGN LAUNCHED TO COVER COUNTRY

Small Donations Are Invited and Leader Will Explain Plan at Conference in Washington Today.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Chairman Hays of the Republican committee announced today no contribution of more than \$1000 would be received from any one for the financing of the coming Republican campaign and launched a country-wide campaign for small contributions.

The new plan marks the passing of great campaign contributions from corporations and individuals, long the subject of attack by the Republican party's political interests. The chairman will outline the plan in detail at a conference here tomorrow and Friday with the Republican state chairmen.

Committee is Named

"Everyone recognizes the necessity of meeting legitimate campaign expenses," says Mr. Hays. "There is just one way for this money to be provided and that is by means of small contributions from the great membership of the party. This plan will be followed completely. General committee of ways and means, acting with Mr. Upham, the treasurer, will carry this work into each state and into the cities and towns with a definite organization for the raising of money.

"The purpose will be to get small contributions from a great many members of the party. It is planned to have the sustaining contributions run from year to year and in amounts from one dollar up. No contribution of more than a thousand dollars will be received from anyone."

EXTENSION OF SEVEN DAYS IS GIVEN GERMANS

Enemy Delegates Prepare Six Notes for Consideration of Conference

FULL REPLY DUE MAY 29

Cabinet at Berlin Announces That Treaty Will Not Be Signed

PARIS, May 21.—The German peace delegation has been granted an extension of seven days or until May 29 in which to reply in full to the peace terms, according to an official announcement.

The text of the request follows: "Versailles, May 20: To His Excellency, The President of the Peace Conference, M. Clemenceau:

"Sir: The German peace delegation intends during the next few days to submit communications to the allied and associated governments on the following points, which in the eyes of the delegation, fall under the definition of suggestions of a practical nature:

"First.—A note concerning territorial questions in the east; second, a note concerning Alsace-Lorraine; third, a note concerning the occupied territories; fourth, a note concerning the extent and discharge of the obligation undertaken by Germany in view of reparation; fifth, a note concerning the further practical treatment of the question of labor laws; sixth, a note concerning the treatment of German private property in enemy countries.

MILL'S FATE TO BE SETTLED BY CITY COUNCIL

Nine Aldermen Petition the Mayor for Special Meeting on May 26

FINAL ACTION SOUGHT All Matters on Proposed Trade Street Vacation to Be Handled

The fate of the paper mill for Salem will be decided at a special meeting of the council which has been called for Monday, May 26, at 8 o'clock by Mayor Albin upon petition of nine of the aldermen. The petition sets forth that it is desired to reach a definite and final decision on all matters pertaining to the proposed vacation of Trade street and thus settle the paper mill case. Mayor Albin has issued the necessary instructions to City Recorder Earl Race for the notification of the council.

NC-4 WAITS ON WEATHER; MAY START AT DAWN

(By The Associated Press) PONTA DELGADA, May 21.—Lieutenant Commander A. C. Read announced tonight that the engine trouble which caused a postponement of the flight of the NC-4 for Lisbon this morning has been remedied. The plane will start at daybreak tomorrow, weather permitting, he said.

Virginia Millionaire Wins Libel Suit Against Journal

NEW YORK, May 21.—John Armstrong Chaloner, Merry Mills, Va., millionaire, who escaped from an insane asylum here 22 years ago, was awarded a \$30,000 verdict today against the New York Evening Post in his \$100,000 suit for alleged libel. The defendant at once moved to have the verdict set aside on the ground of excessive damages, and Judge Hand took the motion under advisement.

Nineteen Steel Ships to Be Launched in May

SEATTLE, Wash., May 21.—Nineteen steel steamships, aggregating 159,800 deadweight tons, will be launched at Pacific northwest shipyards during the month of May, according to estimates of government officials today. Of these ships Seattle is expected to launch 8, Portland 10, Tacoma 2 and Vancouver, Wash., 2. The previous high record of monthly launchings was made last June when fourteen vessels of 112,300 deadweight tons were delivered.

Salem Methodists Are Nearing Campaign Close

PORTLAND, Or., May 21.—With reports from 327 communities out of 475 in the northwest the half-way mark in the Methodist centenary campaign was left far behind \$1,403,424 being reported at northwest headquarters here. One hundred and seventy-six towns had gone over the top.

Eight Hour Day for All Industries Is Favored

PORTLAND, May 21.—Resolution urging the delegations in congress representing the three northwest states to work for extension of the eight hour day to all industries as rapidly as possible were adopted today by the executive council of the Local Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen in session here. Discussion of problems relating to the lumber industry occupied most of the time at the sessions today.

Head of Columbia School of Journalism Resigns

NEW YORK, May 21.—Dr. Tallcott Williams resigned today as director of the school of journalism of Columbia University. He gave old age as the reason.

3000 ARE VISITORS IN SALEM

Attendance Figures Reach High Water Mark at Opening of Grand Lodge Session Early Yesterday Morning—Rebekah Elect.

TODAY IS BIG ONE IN WEEK'S LODGE EVENTS

Many to March in Parade Through the Down-town Streets—I. O. O. F. Are to Choose Officers.

Far beyond the wildest expectations were the attendance figures at the opening of the I. O. O. F. grand lodge session yesterday morning. Up to last night 1241 Odd Fellows and 1905 Rebekahs had registered, making a total of 3146 visitors in the city.

Routine business occupied much of the day and the delegates are now prepared for a big demonstration in the form of a parade this afternoon at 3:30.

Mrs. Jessie Jarvis of Sellwood was elected president of the Rebekah assembly in the morning. Other officers chosen were Miss Ethel Fletcher of Salem, vice-president; Mrs. Ora Cosper of Dallas, secretary; Miss Eda Jacobs of Portland, treasurer; Mrs. Ethel Meldrum of Milwaukie, warden.

One candidate, a local woman, took the ebekah degree, the exemplification of which was made by Columbia lodge No. 3 of Portland last night at the armory. This ceremony occupied practically all of the evening and was not open to the public. The past presidents association of the Rebekah assembly met in regular session in the set chamber at the noon hour with Miss Pauline Kline of Corvallis presiding and Mrs. Nellie Attenburg of Klamath Falls acting as secretary. After the business and reception of new members the association retired to the Marlon hotel, where the annual luncheon was served. Covers were laid for 15, the greatest number of past presidents ever gathered at one session in Oregon. The association tendered a unanimous vote of thanks to the Salem Rebekahs for entertainment provided.

At the morning session of the grand lodge at the armory the degree

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MEN EMINENT IN JERSEY BREEDING WORLD TOUR VALLEY VISITING LIVESTOCK FARMS AND RECEPTION FEATURES STOP IN SALEM

ED GARY of Carlton, eminent Oregon cattleman, who so royally entertained the Jersey jubilee excursionists yesterday, and four of his prize-winning herd. Mr. Gary furnished the excursionists with a sumptuous banquet in his barn loft. No need to say that the dinner was prepared under the direction of Mrs. Gary. After the dinner some of Mr. Gary's best cattle were paraded in the pasture for the benefit of the visiting breeders.



Ranches of Cary, Ladd, McArthur & Stauff, Morrow and Others Are Studied by Experts on Western Oregon Trip.

DIVERSION PROVIDED BY LOCAL CITIZENS

Decorated Cars Parade the Streets With Occupants Singing and Sirens Bellowing Like Jersey Bulls.

After a tour of approximately 100 miles through the richest Willamette valley dairy country 120 breeders of fine cattle and others interested in the stock business in Oregon ended yesterday with a parade and reception in Salem last night. The party, which is made up of 30 automobile loads of people from all parts of the northwest, has taken this trip as a means of celebrating the first Oregon Jersey jubilee in honor of the achievements of the state's finest dairy stock.

The reception last night was tendered by The Pacific Homestead and the Commercial club.

Tour is Precedent

This is the first time any livestock association on the coast has carried out the unique plan of visiting the homes of the breeders, viewing the stock in their home barnyard and exchanging ideas on raising them. The Jersey men began their jubilee Tuesday by gathering in Portland and making a trip up the Columbia River highway. Early yesterday they left for W. M. Ladd's "Iron Mine" farm at Ed Cary home at Carlton, where a bountiful lunch was served in the loft of the big barn by Mrs. Cary and a number of women from Lafayette. The guests dined among sweet smelling bales of hay in the big room on the second floor, where fried chicken, sandwiches, pickles, ice cream and cake were dished out in generous portions. Coffee was made in a large steam percolator that is part of the dairy equipment.

Mr. Cary has bred some of the heaviest prize-winning stock in the state and the best of them were paraded in his pasture. One of his famous bulls was also staked on a hillside where it posed before a battery of the camera men.

Lynn Farm Astonishes Visitors

The next stop was the beautiful Frank Lynn farm at Perrydale. Visitors had an opportunity to view his huge round white barn, 80 feet in diameter, and his herd of fine heifers. Mr. Lynn himself, was unable to make the trip on account of having just recovered from a severe attack of influenza.

Of a delicate fawn color were the heifers at the McArthur & Stauff place at Rickreall, the fourth place on the itinerary. The W. O. Morrow farm on the Independence road was visited.

Reaching Salem in time for dinner, the party rested two hours and then set out on a sight-seeing trip to the state institutions.

Led by a decorated car and several bearing large posters, the Jersey breeders made up a parade, which drove through the principal downtown streets at 8 o'clock. The sounding sirens of the auto were not unlike the bellowing of young Jersey bulls. An informal reception tendered by the Pacific Homestead and the Commercial club took place at the club rooms on Liberty street.

While the guests, seated about long tables in the club auditorium, enjoyed the ice cream and cake, E. A. Rhoten, business manager of the Pacific Homestead, acting as toastmaster, called on a number of men for a few remarks. C. D. Minton, who represents the Homestead in Portland, asserted him. The quartet composed of J. L. Smith, I. V. Smith, W. L. Kaddery and M. C. Jamison, furnished the vocal numbers. Miss Pearl Staples of Portland gave two violin selections, accompanied on the piano by her mother, Mrs. Isaac Staples.

F. G. Deckerbach of Marion Creamery spoke on the future of the dairy business.

"I understand you have had very uphill work," he said. "I think you are beginning to realize the results, but the future importance of your business is more than you can understand, so great will be its proportions. Somehow or other there has not

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LABOR FAVORED BY METHODISTS

Bishops Declare Wages Should Have Right of Way Over Rent and Profit

NEW YORK, May 21.—In a pastoral letter made public here tonight on behalf of the board of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church, America's 18,000 Methodist pastors and the 4,250,000 communicants of this denomination are called on as a whole, "to give earnest heed to the application of Christian principles to social reconstruction."

The document declares in part: "We favor an equal wage for laborers, which shall have the right of way over rent, interest and profits."

"We favor collective bargaining, as an instrument for the attainment of industrial justice and for training in democratic procedure. "And we also favor advance of the workers themselves through profit-sharing and through positions on boards of directorship."

KILL HOSTAGES IS RED ORDERS

Leon Trotzky Sends Bela Kun Advice to Hold Out at All Costs

VIENNA, May 21.—"Hold out at all costs," is the wireless word sent to Bela Kun, Hungarian communist leader by Leon Trotzky, Russian Bolshevik minister of war, in a new code arranged by airplane a week ago, so that the allies might not intercept messages.

"Keep on presenting a fair face to the allies, thus fooling them until we are in possession of Rumania," Nikolai Lenin, Russian Bolshevik premier, is also sending words of hope to Bela Kun.

The Hungarian red army has orders, it is affirmed to Americans here to burn Budapest and slay all hostages.

FEDERATION OPPOSED

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 21.—The general assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church in session here today voted 126 to 99 against federation with the Northern Presbyterian church.

NATIONAL SUFFRAGE IS AGAIN ENDORSED BY HOUSE SOUTHERN DEMOCRATS ARE OPPOSED TO MEASURE NECESSARY TWO-THIRDS EXPECTED IN THE SENATE

PRUNE MEN OF STATE TO UNITE

Steps Taken at Eugene for Gigantic Organization of Growers

EUGENE, Or., May 20.—Steps have been taken to form a gigantic organization of all the prune growers of Oregon and of Clark County, Wash., according to J. O. Holt, manager of the Eugene Fruit Growers' association.

This is the first step toward organizing all fruit growers of Oregon along lines of the several fruit growers' association of California, which have been in existence for a number of years.

Such an organization of prune growers of Oregon and of Clark county, Wash., which is considered as a part of this state by the fruit men, will eliminate the speculator in prunes, according to Mr. Holt, and will mean a better price for the growers here than is now received. The growers of Roseburg and vicinity have already organized, they being the first association of a number to be formed throughout the western part of the state in the near future.

U. OF O. HOSPITAL UNIT BREAKS UP

Men Anxious to Get Home; Public Welcome and Parade Impossible

PORTLAND, Or., May 21.—Because of the anxiety of the men of base hospital 46 to get home as fast as they can, they are leaving Camp Lewis in groups and individually, as fast as they are discharged, according to word received today and there is no prospect of the unit making any sort of a parade or receiving a public welcome in Oregon at present.

The University of Oregon where most of the medical personnel was recruited, has been asked, both by Surgeon General Ireland of the United States army and by Colonel C. H. Conner, United States medical corps and assistant director general military relief of the American Red Cross, to keep intact the organization of base hospital 46 which was recruited almost entirely from Oregon.

Efforts of opponents to amend the resolution were unavailing. Representatives

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BABY'S MOTHER ADMITS HAVING DESERTED HER

Mrs. J. W. Armstrong and Daughter Jessie, of Jefferson Are Arrested

CHILD KEPT FROM VIEW

Confession Is Secured by Sheriff Needham and Chief Varney

The identity of the baby girl found near the front door of the B. C. Miles home May 7, is established, and a mystery of over two years' standing is cleared up by the arrest and confession of Mrs. J. W. Armstrong and her daughter, Jessie Armstrong, aged about 20 years, well-to-do residents of Jefferson. Sheriff Needham and Chief of Police Varney acted together, in making the arrest.

The baby is the child of the Armstrong girl and was born at a hospital in Albany, April 12, 1917, according to the confession.

The charge against the two women is "causing a child to become a dependent child." They are out on \$500 bond and have taken until Friday at 11 a. m. to plead.

Child Never Seen

Although the child lived at the home of her mother her entire lifetime until being brought to Salem on the night she was abandoned, neighbors had never seen her. They had called on the Armstrongs, who live in a large comfortable home on the outskirts of Jefferson, but they were never asked to enter the house. There was no rudeness shown, according to the stories told the officers, but Mrs. Armstrong and her daughter did not mingle with her neighbors, though they were courteous when they met.

A child's cries had been heard about the house on a few occasions and a child's clothing was seen on the clothes line in the yard, but the child was never seen by a resident of Jefferson, so far as Sheriff Needham and Chief Varney could learn.

The investigation began with a clue gained through a physician, whose name is not made public, and following it up, the sheriff and marshal finally obtained a confession from Mrs. Armstrong and her daughter.

The mother and daughter in admitting the identity of the child, declared that their object in leaving her upon the Miles doorstep was that the little girl might have a good home where the stigma of her birth would not be known and where she could grow up amid better surroundings than they could provide for her under the circumstances.

They recently sold their home and had planned to move to Portland.

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