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SENATOR LODGE'S KEYNOTE SPEECH

"In order to render our country the service which we desire to render and which we can accomplish in large measure at least, if we undertake it with all our ability and in a disinterested public spirit, we must have the opportunity for service.

"That opportunity can only come through our being entrusted by the people with both the legislative and executive authority.

"To this end Mr. Wilson and his dynasty, his heirs and assigns or anybody that is his, anybody who with bent knee has served his purposes, must be driven from all control, from all influence upon the government of the United States. They must be driven from office and power not because they are Democrats, but because Mr. Wilson stands for a theory of administration and government which is not American. His methods, his constant if indirect assaults upon the constitution and upon all the traditions of free government, strike at the very life of the American principles upon which our government has always rested."

The above three paragraphs are among the outstanding ones in the keynote speech of Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts, temporary chairman of the Republican National Convention, at Chicago yesterday.

Senator Lodge went on to say that the return of the Democrats to power with Mr. Wilson or one of his disciples still the leader and master, would be a long step in the direction of the autocracy for which Mr. Wilson yearns and a heavy blow to the continuance of free representative government as we have always conceived and venerated it.

It was a long speech, showing the utter failure of the Wilson "watchful waiting" policy as applied to Mexico, and the great accomplishments of the Republican Congress in the face of the most dictatorial opposition from the White House.

Mr. Lodge went to great lengths to justify the action of himself and colleagues in the upper branch of Congress in opposing the ratification of the peace treaty containing the League of Nations covenant as brought home by President Wilson.

While he does not justify the actions of these men in the eyes of a great host of the members of his own party, he fairly summarizes the contentions of the leading Senators who were with him in the long debates in the upper branch of Congress—some of them sincere and others of them playing the game of politics.

It was such a keynote speech as Senator Lodge might have been expected to deliver.

From the standpoint of Republicans of his belief, it was a good keynote speech.

In its high lights, it will be considered a good speech by all Republicans.

But there are several millions of Republicans in the United States who would not be content to have Senator Lodge's keynote speech incorporated as a whole in the party platform.

There is too much of Henry Cabot Lodge in it. And the ego factor in the personality of Senator Lodge is akin to the same factor in the personality of President Wilson; though it does not approach the monumental proportions of the vaulting Wilsonian ego.

"A plague on both your houses" would approximate the attitude of thought in the minds of many millions of the American people.

A vegetable garden has the cheaper cuts benten all four ways from the jack when it comes to solving the high cost of living.

The keynote speech was Senator Lodge's opportunity to soak the Wilson dynasty—and he soaked it good and plenty.

In other words, Senator Lodge thinks the Wilson dynasty is about the nastiest that ever misruled the United States of America.

Soviet Russia and England join in a trade agreement. But the German is nearer, and they are on the ground and in the ground—and England will have to hurry to keep ahead of the thrifty Teutons in getting the raw materials from that rawest of all the countries on the world map.

Why would it not be a good idea to compel every candidate for the presidency to agree that if he could not get the first place on the ticket he would accept the second? It is about time that national conventions made nominations for the vice presidency on the ground of personal fitness instead of catering to what might be considered as a doubtful state. It is a man's job to be vice president, especially so in view of the possibilities.

Less than one-half of the people struck by lightning are killed—hence the presence of Colonel Bryan.

Congress is cutting the estimates of the departments in a very practical way. The high cost of government must come down.

We take it that Eugene Debs, the Socialist candidate for president, is kicking, even on a first term—in the Atlanta penitentiary.

Don't trade off your Liberty bonds for shares in a mythical company that only has a loud-mouthed and insinuating promoter and gilt-lettered certificates of stock to recommend it.

If many of the people in this country who are today advocating the wearing of overalls would put them on and go to work and help speed up production we might eventually get somewhere.

The Democratic wisecracks now say the ticket will be McAdoo and Cox. But the nomination of McAdoo will have to be secured without the backing of Tammany Hall. But anti-Tammany nominations have been made before, as the record of Grover Cleveland will eloquently testify. Cox may be named because he slipped in by the skin of his teeth as Governor of Ohio the last time, defeating Frank B. Willis, who could not get the vote of his party. McAdoo and Cox will serve for skimming purposes just as well as any other ticket.

And we can very well recall what the old-fashioned man used to say, "Wonder what they will put in the papers when the war is over?" There never was so much doing on this little globe. Isn't it glorious to be living in the twentieth century?

President Wilson may compel the Democratic donkey to step up to the League—without any reservations though; but can he compel it to drink? That is one question. The party will be damned by the people if it does; it will be damned by the Wilson party if it does not. So there you are.

BITS FOR BREAKFAST

To John Barleycorn, greeting:

"Good night. Blow out the gas."

Open covenants, openly arrived at, are the thing at Chicago.

At this distance, it does not look like a cut and dried program at Chicago.

In one respect, Wallace McCamant of Oregon is the biggest man at Chicago. He is showing the way to puncture Hiram under the fifth rib.

If all the lightning rods in the United States could be set up over Chicago, that city would appear to be in a thick forest.

Mr. Lodge had been saving up that deserving verbal wallop of Woodrow for a long time, and he just had to get it out of his system.

It takes an amazing amount of good white paper for the high-salaried special dopsters at Chicago to tell a waiting world that they know nothing whatever about what is going to happen at Chicago.

Cigar dealers say it will soon be impossible to get any sort of cigar for a nickel. The only kind we are able to get now at that figure are the worst sort and have the flavor and taste of third rail whiskey.

Shoes Wear Longer

When you walk in comfort, so do stockings. A package of Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder that keeps shoes and sprinkles in the foot-bath, gives you that "old shoe" comfort and saves your feet from the tight or new shoes feel easy. Ladies can wear shoes one size smaller by shaking some Allen's Foot-Ease in each shoe in the morning. Sold everywhere.

FUTURE DATES

June 8 to 11—State G. A. R. encampment at Astoria.

July 9, 10 and 11—Grand lodge session B. P. O. Elks, at Chicago.

June 11, Friday—Salem Homecoming day, Wilson park.

June 11, Friday—Blooded Jersey sale at State fair grounds.

June 11, Friday—Commencement day address for Kimball School of Theology at 2:30 p. m. in Assembly hall.

June 11, Friday—Salem schools close.

June 13, Sunday—Baseball, Woodburn vs. Salem.

June 13 to 15—Willamette commencement week.

June 14, Monday—Play day.

June 14 to 17—Officers' schools for Oregon National Guard at Vancouver and Fort Stevens.

June 19, Saturday—Pioneer picnic in Waldo hills.

June 19 and 20—National motorcycle events in Salem.

June 22, 23 and 24—Imperial conclave of Mystic Shrine in Portland.

June 22, Wednesday—Imperial conclave of Mystic Shrine to visit Salem.

June 24, 25 and 26—Portland Rose festival.

June 26, Saturday—Letter Carriers' convention in Salem.

July 2, Saturday—Independence day celebration at Stayton.

July 5, Monday—Salem business houses close in observance of Independence day.

July 5 to 24—Summer school for rural pastors at Willamette university.

July 6 to 26—Annual encampment of Oregon national Guard, infantry and engineers at Camp Lewis, artillery at Fort Stevens.

July 18 to 24—Salem Chautauqua.

July 22, 23 and 24—State Elks convention in Salem.

September 27 to October 3—Oregon state fair.

Polk County People Are Taking Trouble to Court

Within the next few days two cases of litigation will be filed with a view to compelling the state highway commission to construct the West Side Pacific highway through Polk county by way of Dallas and Independence, instead of by way of Holmes Gap, Rijkreall and Monmouth, skipping Dallas and Independence.

One case will be an original action in mandamus filed with the supreme court to compel the commission to build the road as the Polk county commissioners contend it was designated by the highway bonding act of 1917. The other will be an injunction proceeding filed in the circuit court for Polk county to restrain the commission from building the road according to the route now planned.

John W. Kaste, Portland attorney, was here yesterday arranging data preparatory to filing the papers.

TAKE SALTS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if you feel Back-
ache or have Bladder
trouble

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment; the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's uric waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and bladder disorders will disappear. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive; harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases.

Waists Attractively Low Priced



For 3 days only, June 9, 10 and 11, we offer our entire stock of waists at a big reduction. The most irresistible collection we have ever offered at such low prices. They are carefully tailored from silks and wash fabrics, and include all regular as well as extra sizes.

China silk waists, beautifully trimmed with lace, embroidery and fine tucks, at.....**\$1.98**

Crepe de Chine waists, Embroidery, lace trimmed, and plain tailored effects in white, flesh and many popular shades.....**\$2.95**

Silk Georgette waists, lace trimmed and embroidered, tucked, pleated and fancy trimmed effects in blue, brown, grey and fancy colors at.....**\$3.95**

The famous Wirthmor Waists of Silk Crepe de Chine and Georgette in styles and colors that will draw the thrifty woman, who yet appreciates a handsome blouse at.....**\$5.95**

Charming lingerie waists of sheer, cool looking voile in tailored and fancy styles, daintily frilled, smartly tucked, exquisitely embroidered at from.....**\$1. to \$2.50**

All our beautiful high grade waists in novelty styles. Exquisite Georgette and Crepe, beaded, embroidered, brocaded and braid trimmed, priced at \$7.50 to \$19.50 goes at 20 per cent discount

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We PROTECT our customers 365 days in the year.

We have no old, out of date, unsalable merchandise, nor do we buy merchandise for sale purposes.

If our merchandise were marked at the prevailing prices of today, we could certainly offer our goods at 20 per cent reduction, as is now being done where mark-ups are exorbitant and beyond all reason.

The public will notice in reading the advertisements of these so-called "sales" that standard goods of known value are always "excepted." No store gives good merchandise away. The discount offered at these so-called "sales" is beyond all reason. No legitimate store makes enough profit to offer 20, 50 and 75 per cent discounts on seasonable and up-to-date merchandise.

The increasing public favor with which our policy is meeting is the best evidence of the correctness of our method of doing business. It would be folly on our part at this time to reduce our prices. In most instances it would be impossible to buy goods at wholesale at the prices at which we are selling them today. The high cost of living cannot be reduced by artificial means we must speed up production, work and save; be less extravagant, less speculative, and as time goes on if production is not too much slowed down and if the situation is flexible and competitive, we may expect to meet the reaction of gradual deflation without disaster. The year 1920 will be a prosperous year for everybody, particularly in this community. The farmers will command good prices for all products they have to sell, owing to the world's shortage and underproduction.

When wholesale clothing prices commence to decrease, this store will be among the first to reduce prices.

We are now offering the season's latest models in

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"Crossett" Shoes. "Knox" Hats "Eagle" Shirts

SINNING OR SINNED AGAINST

LOOK at the high cost of living from both sides.

Have the highest commodity prices been forced upon us, or have we not helped pyramid costs by demanding something just a little bit higher than usual?

When you begin to really add to your United States National BANK ACCOUNT, then you will begin to beat back H. C. of L.

