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HUGHES GIVEN FRENCH VIEWS ON PARLEY

Ambassador Jusserand Has Long Conference With Secretary of State—Both Refuse to Comment

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE SILENT ON SUBJECT

Report Received That Great Britain, Italy and Belgium are Agreed

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—Views of the French government on reparations were laid before Secretary Hughes today by Ambassador Jusserand, just returned from Paris. Their talk in the secretary's office lasted an hour and 40 minutes. Whether it resulted in any change in the situation that has thus far prevented final agreement among the allied governments on the expert inquiry proposal was not disclosed. Neither Mr. Hughes nor the ambassador would make any statement whatever with respect to their conversation.

Before Ambassador Jusserand sought his appointment with Secretary Hughes, information had reached the state department that Great Britain, Italy and Belgium had reached an accord on the form of the invitation to the United States to participate in the inquiry. As the situation then was understood by Washington officials, it was said authoritatively that the French insistence that the experts be limited to an inquiry into the "present capacity" of Germany to pay alone prevented final agreement. The hope was expressed by the government spokesman that France could be induced to join in a full inquiry but no indication was given of the course the United States would pursue if the allied nations found it impossible to reach an agreement.

To what extent the conference between Secretary Hughes and Ambassador Jusserand may have influenced the course of events was the subject of wide speculation in the absence of any word of explanation from any source. Shortly after the conference Mr. Hughes went to the White House and informed President Coolidge what had transpired in his talk with the ambassador. The White House also was silent as to developments in the situation.

In emphasizing the American viewpoint that the experts must be free to examine impartially every foot and economic condition underlying Germany's capacity for industrial productivity, the government's spokesmen pointed out that reparations payments were not being received from Germany by the allies, nor was there any present or future prospect that they would be forthcoming. In this connection, it was added that the United States government has under consideration, as disclosed recently by a White House spokesman, the probability that the American people will be called upon to finance, as a matter of charity, efforts to prevent widespread starvation in Germany.

TRIAL MARKS TIME
OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Nov. 5.—Legislative investigation of the state administration proceeded today as both sides in the impeachment proceedings against Governor J. C. Walton marked time pending the resumption of his trial Thursday.

THE WEATHER
OREGON: Fair Tuesday, moderate northeasterly winds.
LOCAL WEATHER
(Monday)
Maximum temperature, 66
Minimum temperature, 35
River, —.9 stationary
Rainfall, none
Atmosphere, clear
Wind, northwest

M'NARY ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDACY FOR SENATE RE-ELECTION

Knowledge of Economic Conditions in Oregon and Places on Many Important Committees Will Advance Interests of States; Is Opposed to Injecting Religious Issues Into Politics.

On the eve of his departure for Washington to resume his duties, Senator Charles L. McNary announced his candidacy for reelection.

"I am returning to Washington to continue the hearings had on reforestation during the adjournment of congress. As chairman of the committee, I must report its conclusion to the senate, and propose a practical and constructive plan of legislation to the consideration of the congress. I take occasion to say, that I shall seek the nomination of my party in the primaries next May. Assurances have come to me from all parts of the state of a general desire I continue to serve the people of Oregon on account of the advanced positions I hold on important committees, and of the knowledge I possess of economic conditions in the state.

CHAMBER OUTLINES INTENSIVE DRIVE

Goal Set for 100 New Members Thursday and Friday Mornings Only

Wanted—100 new members. This is not an advertisement, but the goal set for 25 teams of two men each who will devote Thursday and Friday forenoons in an effort to obtain this number of new members for the Chamber of Commerce. The drive will be short and snappy. Wednesday evening, 6:15 o'clock, will see the kick-off, when workers will meet for a dinner at the Chamber of Commerce. After dining, lists of prospects will be furnished, the workers to make their choice of men to be seen. The business session will be over by 8 o'clock, it is promised by Dr. Henry E. Morris, chairman of the membership committee.

JUDGE HARRIS IS ARMISTICE ORATOR

Spirit of Day Will Be Carried Out By Ceremonies at Salem Armory

The big Armistice Day meeting at the State armory will be the best that can be arranged in that it will bring the spirit of the day before the people as it has never been done before. Judge Lawrence T. Harris of the Oregon supreme court is to be the orator of the day.

It is not only felt by the local post of the American Legion that this should be an event that every body should be interested in but every ex-service man as well. It will not only bring to mind those stirring times to those who were in the army but to all those who had a part in the great victory whether it was the denying themselves of food, buying liberty bonds, or by determination and perseverance helped as a united people to stand behind the boys that were behind the guns.

Not only is it expected that there will be a large turnout in the parade but it is hoped by the American Legion that there will be a number of the American flags displayed at private residences. In some cases it is hoped that there will be some that will be thoughtful enough to display those of the allies also.

Candidacy Announced



Senator Chas. L. McNary.

WATKINS TO TALK TOMORROW NIGHT

Immigration Is Topic of Patriotic Rally By Foreign War Veterans

More than usual interest is aroused in the big patriotic rally that is to be held at the state armory on the night of November 7 when Congressman Elton Watkins is to be the chief speaker. His interest in immigration legislation is well known and will attract people from all the nearby towns.

Special delegations from Portland are coming and among them a good representation from the Over the Top Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars is looked for. This rally has been announced before all the business and civic clubs of the city and it is said that the proposed immigrant legislation pending before congress is of vital interest to all.

Mayor Giesy calls attention of the citizens of Salem to the importance of this meeting by the following proclamation: "The Veterans of Foreign Wars have chosen the Hon. Elton Watkins to deliver an address in the interest of American citizenship. This address will be delivered in the armory Wednesday evening at eight o'clock to which the public is cordially invited.

"There is no more important problem before the American people for solution today than the question of foreign immigration. We should all of us seek to inform ourselves as thoroughly as possible on this important topic. "We are grateful to the Veterans of Foreign Wars for the noble and unselfish service which they rendered their country in the world war and they are again entitled to our hearty commendation for the active interest they are taking in this very vital subject, "American Citizenship."

"Let us give a hearty response to this invitation and fill the armory to overflowing on this occasion."
"J. B. GIESY,
"Mayor of Salem."
Not only the importance of this

OREGON TO VOTE ON INCOME TAX

The referendum on the state income tax will be voted upon today throughout the state of Oregon. The bill was passed by the legislature at the last session, January, 1923, and later the referendum was demanded and the people will express their opinion today.

NATION LACKS ANY INTEREST IN ELECTIONS

Few Candidates to Be Elected for Congress and Bearings Upon Presidential Election Absent

FOUR STATES WILL CHOOSE GOVERNORS

Maryland, Mississippi, Kentucky and Virginia Executives Change

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—(By the Associated Press.)—Those who watch the national political straws to see which way they bend in an off-year election year, probably will not get much satisfaction tomorrow.

"First there are only a few elections for congress and second, few issues having a bearing on the next presidential election are involved. One new member of the United States senate is to be elected in Vermont, Porter H. Dale, Republican, and Park H. Pollard, Democrat, are candidates for the position left vacant by the death of Senator Dillingham. His term would have expired in 1927.

Illinois Is Quiet.
Seven new representatives are to be elected to congress, one in Vermont, four in New York, one in Illinois and one in North Carolina. Little interest has been shown in the Illinois contest, as Thomas A. Doyle, Democrat, will have slight opposition, his opponent, Lester Rodney, having withdrawn. The election is to fill the vacancy caused by the death of John W. Rainey, Democrat.

The election in the first Vermont district is made necessary because of the resignation of Representative Dale to accept the Republican nomination for the senate. The candidates are Ernest W. Gibson, Republican, and Burton E. Bailey, Democrat.

Vote for Governors.
The congressional elections in New York state are made necessary by deaths of four representatives during the last year. In the Second North Carolina district, a successor will be chosen to the late Representative Claude Kitchen, for years Democratic leader to the house. Judge John A. Kerr, Democrat, has no opposition for the place.

Four states—Maryland, Mississippi, Kentucky and Virginia—will elect governors. New York, New Jersey and Maryland will elect members of the state legislature.

In New York the Democrats have waged an energetic campaign for control of the assembly. The Republicans now control the assembly by 12 votes but the senate is Democratic.

New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio will hold referendums on state measures.

Oregon in Limeright
Of the four amendments to be voted on in Pennsylvania, one would permit the borrowing of \$50,000,000 for road building and repairing, and one would exempt from taxation buildings used by the Grand Army of the Republic the American Legion and similar organizations.

The only election in the west to attract attention is in Oregon, where the voters are to act upon a state income tax law somewhat similar to the federal measure.

BREAKS ARM
Ralph Thompson, of the Marion Garage, broke his arm while cranking a car Sunday.

ENGLAND HONORS FORMER PREMIER MANY AT RITES

Andrew Bonar Law Laid to Rest in Nation's Shrine—Westminster Abbey

LONDON, Nov. 5.—(By The Associated Press.)—Andrew Bonar Law rests amid England's honored dead in Westminster Abbey, the shrine of the nation. The ashes of the former prime minister, contained in a beautiful urn, were deposited today in the south bay of the great edifice in the presence of a distinguished company of nearly 3000 persons, including members of the royal family.

NEW CONSTITUTION ADOPTED BY YMCA

Officers of County Association Chosen and Work for Coming Year Planned

Adoption of a new constitution embodying several changes including the name was the chief work of the first quarterly meeting of the Marion County YMCA committee at the Salem YMCA Sunday afternoon. Under the new constitution the organization will be known as the Marion County Association, acting as a unit instead of being composed of a number of local associations. This form is being used throughout the country and has met with the approval of the national convention.

Officers elected for the year were John L. Brady, president; O. V. White, Stayton, vice president; F. E. Fagan, Woodburn, secretary and Paul Wallace, treasurer. Dr. F. E. Brown presided, with devotionals said by L. L. Hershberger.

Under the new constitution membership cards will be issued, including those for boys in both Hi-Y clubs and Pioneer organizations. These permit visitor privileges throughout the northwest. What is believed to be a new record set for organization of clubs was reported by Edwin Socolofsky, county secretary, who organized five pioneer and four Hi-Y clubs in the county during October. These clubs have a membership of 100 boys and 11 leaders. Training conferences for the leaders will meet this evening to draw up a uniform program for the county, while leaders of Hi-Y clubs will be for the same purpose Saturday at 1 o'clock.

Remarkable growth and interest in the organization since it was begun in 1919 was shown in the report. All activities have greatly increased, some as high as 500 per cent. The number of boys in summer camps increased from 10 to 15 last year while attendance at the annual convention show a gain from 30 to 160 persons. One year ago 28 Christian decisions were made while last year these had increased to 92. Addition to churches showed a gain of 500 per cent over the previous year.

New goals set included an expansion in all phases of the work which is becoming very popular with the boys. Recommendation of the budget committee that a budget of \$5300 be allowed was adopted. Members of this committee were Dr. F. E. Brown, M. C. Woodard and George W. Hug. H. Good, Silvertown, was elected as new member to the county committee. Committee members present were Paul Wallace, F. E. Fagan, G. A. G. Moore, Dr. F. E. Brown, L. L. Hershberger, Lloyd T. Reynolds and John L. Brady.

WILL BE EFFECTIVE WITHIN SIXTY DAYS, 3 ALDERMEN OPPOSE

Traffic Ordinance Laid on Table Because of Clause Conflicting With State Law—Report of Garbage Disposal Committee Acted Upon—Prisoners to be Worked.

The cinder ordinance—amended to eliminate the prohibition of emitting dense smoke and providing that the ordinance will go into effect 60 days after its passage by the city council with only three opposing votes.

The bill did not get through without a struggle by the opposition. Two reports were returned by the special committee. Aldermen Ralph Thompson and Hal Patton signed a majority report recommending that the bill pass with an amendment providing that it go into effect 60 days after its passage and approval by the mayor. Alderman Dancy signed a minority report recommending that the bill be laid on the table until December 15. The vote for the adoption of the minority report was a tie and the majority report was finally adopted.

ALDEN IS CHOSEN TO REVIEW BOOK

Willamette University Dean Will Act on Committee of Four Historians

Dean George H. Alden of Willamette university has been chosen as a member of the national committee of historians that will review for criticism the new United States history textbook written for and sponsored by the American Legion. Dr. Alden will act with four other university historians, himself acting as a representative professor of history in the northwest.

Two other men have already accepted invitations to serve on the committee and two others have been proffered invitations. Senator Lodge will represent the New England viewpoint and President Charles F. Thwing of the Western Reserve university will act as a representative historian from the middle west. President Alderman of the University of Virginia and Professor Herbert E. Bolton of the University of California have been asked to suggest criticisms but have not yet informed the legion of their decision. These men will read proofs of the text book and will suggest changes to be made before the book goes to press.

In addition to the criticism from these professors, two professors from New York universities will be chosen to verify dates, the proofs will be submitted to all of the leading patriotic societies for their approval of its patriotic spirit and the chairman of the national committees of the Republican and Democratic parties will be asked to insure its non-partisanship. Several United States senators have signified their willingness to offer criticisms.

11 YEAR OLD GIRL

EPHRATA, Wash., Nov. 5.—Caught by the arm in a lasso of a youth playing cowboy, Mary Catlow, 11, daughter of D. S. Catlow, pioneer farmer living 11 miles north of here, received a possibly fractured skull this afternoon when the boy's horse became frightened and dragged her for 100 feet. She was taken to the hospital at Wenatchee.

BEGINNING SOON "Her Dangerous Path"

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An unusually interesting story in 10 chapters, of thrilling interest. Not a dull line; not a moment when the dramatic interest doesn't grip.
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CHICKEN POX HITS SILVERTON SCHOOL

SILVERTON, Ore., Nov. 5.—(Special to The Statesman.)—Several Silvertown school children are getting a forced vacation of two weeks. Chicken pox has broken out among the Silvertown youngsters. In order to keep it from spreading it is said a strict two weeks' quarantine is being kept on the houses where children are afflicted.