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Republican Peace Resolution Is Passed by House

Bill Sent To Wilson For Final Action

Washington, May 21.—The republican peace resolution was adopted finally today by the house. It now goes to the president. The house majority accepted the senate substitute for the original house resolution, democrats vainly opposing it. The vote approving the resolution was announced as 238 to 139 which was taken to indicate that a veto by the president could not be overridden. Twenty democrats joined with the republicans in adopting the resolution while two republicans, Representatives Kelley, Michigan, and Fuller, Massachusetts, voted against it. Democratic supporters of the resolution were: Ashbrook, Ohio; Caldwell, New York; Carey, New York; Cullen, New York; Dooling, New York; Evans, Nebraska; Gallivan, Massachusetts; Ganley, New York; Goldfogic, New York; Hamill, New Jersey; Huddleston, Alabama; McKinstry, New York; McLane, Pennsylvania; Mulier, New York; Mead, New York; O'Connell, New York; Onley, Massachusetts; Sullivan, New York; Sherwood, Ohio; Tague, Massachusetts.

LATE BULLETINS

Washington, May 21.—George Miller, a British citizen, is being held by Francisco Villa for \$50,000 ransom, according to official advices today to the state department from Chihuahua. Roseburg, Or., May 21.—Roseburg was without hospital accommodations today, the only remaining haven for the sick, the Roseburg Sanitarium having been partially destroyed by fire. All patients were carried to safety. Roseburg's other hospital was badly damaged by fire two weeks ago. Philadelphia, May 21.—Grover C. Bergdoll, notorious draft dodger, escaped from custody today. He had been confined in a military prison near New York serving a five-year sentence and was brought here to sign papers. Watching his opportunity he dashed from a lawyer's office to an automobile waiting outside and in an instant was out of sight.

Voting Slow in City Up to 2 p. m. Promises Big Rush at Polls In Evening; Women Voters Are Many

Unless the polls in the city of Salem are crowded with voters during the late afternoon and early evening today, far less than the estimated polling of registered voters will be realized. During the morning very few votes were cast in the 16 precincts in the city and the figures compiled at 2 o'clock this afternoon indicated a total vote of slightly over 50 percent, far below the predictions of office seekers and politicians in general previous to the election. It was thought that the millage bills for the support of the primary and advanced schools, coupled with the keen contests for some county and state offices would bring out a heavy vote. Of the 5033 voters registered in the city, returns from 14 of the 16 voting places in the city at 2 o'clock showed that only \$15 had voted. Less than half of the voters cast up to that time were by women.

EARLY BALLOTING LIGHT IN SILVERTON PRECINCTS. Silvertown, Or., May 21.—As usual little interest is manifested in the election this forenoon. Voting is always light here in the morning. In east Silvertown precinct only twenty-four votes were cast at 10:30. It is expected that a comparatively heavy vote will be polled this afternoon as there is considerable interest in the educational measures, which will probably call out a large women's vote. It is difficult to estimate what the result will be, but the vote on the measures is likely to be close. There are about eighteen hundred registered voters in the Silvertown precincts and probably fifty per cent of which will be polled.

ME. ANGEL VOTERS RESPOND TO POLLS CALL IN FORCE. Mt. Angel, Or., May 21.—Interest is rampant in this city over the outcome of election and voting is strong, especially in the east precinct. At a few minutes after nine this morning nearly fifty votes had been polled. Everything is in readiness when the polls opened and the booths filled immediately with electors preparing their tickets. At the rate of voting going on this forenoon more than seventy per cent of the registered vote will be polled.

Scotts Mills Light. Scotts Mills, Or., May 21.—Favorable weather for work in the prime orchards seems to have detracted interest in the primary election here and voting is light this morning. Unless a change is seen this afternoon not more than one third of the registered vote will be polled. Medford Vote Heavy. Medford, Or., May 21.—A large vote is predicted here today because of the \$500,000 bond issue for good roads which is to be voted on Jackson county. An active campaign has been carried on in favor of the issue, but considerable opposition has developed in the rural districts and a close vote is expected. With the withdrawal of Hoover, and the request by the local Hoover managers to throw their support to a candidate who favors the league of nations it is expected General Wood will carry the county by a safe majority, with Johnson second and Lowden third.

Eugene Stores Close. Eugene, Or., May 21.—In order that

Loan to Buy Needed Cars Is Approved

Washington, May 21.—A loan of at least \$125,000,000 out of the \$300,000,000 revolving fund to enable railroads to purchase equipment required to meet transportation needs of the public was approved today by the interstate commerce commission. The commission in a few hours has taken three other important steps toward breaking the freight congestion. These were orders for: Forwarding of traffic without reference to previous routing; abrogation of all railroad rules governing car service; transfer of 32,000 coal cars from west to east and of 20,000 box cars from east to grain fields of the west. Prompt Action Promised. These moves were expected within ten days, members of the commission said, but they expected that a much longer period would be required to "get the entire tangle straightened out."

Hearings to consider applications for loans will be held here May 29 and the commission asked that applications embody detailed statements of transportation needs which the carrier would be unable to meet and what service for the public could not be performed if the loan asked was not granted, statements of security offered and the earning power of the applicants.

Details Outlined. The \$125,000,000 for equipment might be disbursed, the commission said, "through a national equipment corporation in which the carriers would take stock to 25 percent of the cost of the equipment, the United States advancing the cash for the stock up to \$325,000,000 and the remaining 75 percent being financed through a car trust. Provision would have to be made for adequate per diem or rental with such an arrangement." The commission estimated that equipment already ordered and to cost \$125,000,000 represented probably less than 25 percent of that needed.

Funeral Flowers Refused By Rich

The funeral of W. Moses, a former employe of the Spaulding mill was held Thursday, funeral expenses being provided by a collection taken up among his former associates. Mrs. Moses, who is also ill, was left penniless, without funds or relatives save in the far east and Red Cross requests contributions for her assistance sent to Mrs. Dodd of the relief bureau. The case brought out the lack of charity among some of Salem's well-to-do, who are asked by the nurse who donated her services, to contribute a few flowers from their gardens for the funeral and brusquely refused. One wealthy woman with hundreds of blooming tulips, refused to give a blossom and slammed the door in the face of the solicitor. The flowers, like the contributions, came from those less well off in worldly goods.

Oregon Voters Name Candidates At Polls Today

Portland, Or., May 21.—Oregon electors went to the polls today to record their preference for president of the United States; to elect delegates to the republican and democratic national conventions, and to nominate candidates for United States senator. The league of nations is the paramount issue in the contests for presidential preference, senator and convention delegates. There is no contest for democratic presidential preference, the name of William G. McAdoo being the only one on the democratic ballot. On the republican ballot for presidential endorsement are the names of Senator Hiram W. Johnson, Herbert Hoover, Governor Frank O. Lowden, Senator Miles Poindexter and Major General Leonard Wood. Senator Poindexter has withdrawn from the contest, too late, however, to have his name effaced from the ballot. Senator Johnson is announced as opposing the league of nations. General Wood and Governor Lowden favor the league, with reservations, while the managers of the Hoover campaign have asked republicans to express their preference for the man whom they think has the better chance of defeating the "no league candidacy of Senator Johnson." Hoover supporters have been requested by the Hoover campaign managers to vote for convention candidates who favor the league.

Senator George E. Chamberlain is seeking renomination on the democratic ticket, being opposed by Harvey G. Starkweather. The latter has announced himself a proponent of the league of nations covenant as brought back from Versailles by President Wilson. Senator Chamberlain has made no statement on the subject during the Oregon campaign.

Democratic Candidates All Far Short of Votes Sufficient to Nominate

Chicago, May 21.—With the democratic convention a little more than a month away a canvass of the situation shows no one man has received as many as 100 pledged delegates, while the unpledged delegates thus far chosen number 587. There are 242 delegates yet to be elected. Under the democratic convention rules a two-thirds vote is required to nominate, or 728 out of the 1922 votes which will cast in the convention. Of those candidates who have votes instructed for them, Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer is leading with 78 votes given to him by his home state of Pennsylvania this week. Governor James M. Cox of Ohio is a close second with 74 votes, the seven delegations of Ohio and Kentucky. The names of three "favorite sons" stand third, fourth and fifth in the list. Governor Edward L. Edwards of New Jersey receiving his state's 28 votes, Senator Carter H. Glass having Virginia's 24, and Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma, being the choice of that state's twenty delegates. James W. Gerard of New York, former ambassador to Germany, who filed a petition in South Dakota, will receive the state's ten votes. Only one contest has appeared to date. In Georgia friends of Mr. Palmer, dissatisfied with the action of the state convention in endorsing Senator Hoke Smith, organized a separate convention and selected 25 Palmer delegates. Oregon democrats today elect ten delegates.

Census Figures

Washington, May 21.—Erie, Pa., 93,372, increase 26,847, or 49.4 per cent. Bristol, Conn., 26,650, increase 7118 or 27.7 per cent. Hopkinsville, Ky., 9696, increase 277 or 2.9 per cent. LaGrange, Ga., 17,038, increase 11,451 or 205 per cent. Traverse City, Mich., 10,925, decrease 1190, or 9.8 per cent. *****

Kendrick Hits Big Packers In Senate Speech

Washington, May 21.—The "big five" meat packers dominate the live stock industry so completely that enactment of federal regulation legislation is necessary. Senator Kendrick, democrat, Wyoming, author of bills for that purpose, asserted today, addressing the senate. "One by one the big stock markets have passed into their power," he said, "until today they control not only the fourteen principal markets, but fourteen others as well, so that their domination of the industry is all but complete. During the year 1918 more than 78 percent of all the stock handled in interstate commerce passed through their yards." The packers obtained their position, he said, by "suspending economic law and defying state law." The per capita meat consumption of the country and the number of its livestock had been dropping off, the senator said. Hogs only had increased in number due to the fact that independent packers still had a large measure of control, he added.

Dallas Church Gunned by Fire

Dallas, Or., May 21.—Damage estimated at \$2000 was sustained when fire, which began from an overheated stove in the basement, completely gutted the First Christian church at Dallas at 10 o'clock this morning. Four volunteer firemen were severely injured about the hands and face by falling glass and debris. The basement of the church was being used for a polling place, but when the fire began the judges and clerks, with records of the election, escaped.

Soldiers Rule Madrid. Madrid, May 21.—Martial law has been proclaimed here as the result of bread disturbances.

Mexican Revolutionists Must Satisfy Villa Before Securing His Retirement

In Camp With General Villa, Boquillas, Chihuahua, May 19.—(Via El Paso, Texas, May 21)—(By The Associated Press)—Francisco Villa, variously described as a revolutionist, patriot and bandit, is yet a factor in Mexican affairs, as ready and willing to take the field against the newest revolutionary forces as he was against Carranza, he told the Associated Press here today. Villa, the man who drew the American army under General Pershing in close pursuit of him after the raid on Columbus, N. M. in 1916 when Villistas raided that border town, declared the successor of Carranza must first satisfy his ideals of government before he would retire to private life and quit the life of a "Robin Hood."

Obregon Dethroned. Villa does not like General Alvaro Obregon, candidate for the presidency of Mexico, who apparently has become the "man of the hour" in Mexico through the country's new revolution. Obregon is the Mexican leader who first decisively defeated Villa. This fight occurred at Celaya. Obregon then was leading Carranza troops against Villa and later became minister of war in the Carranza cabinet. Villa would not make public the guarantees he demands from the new government except politicians must be kept from ruling Mexico. Grievous for Angeles. Villa's greatest emotional period was during questioning concerning General Felipe Angeles, who was executed by Carranza forces at Chihuahua in November last for rebellion against the government. Tears came to Villa's eyes as he discussed Angeles and condemned the men who ordered him executed. "Angeles is the man Mexico should have now, he said. Villa declared Carranza officials prevailed on American officials at El Paso in June last to cross the Rio Grande and drive him from his attack on the city, which he was about to take in company with Angeles. Conference Fruitless. Chihuahua City, Mexico, May 20.—Via El Paso, May 21.—General P. Elias Calles, minister of war for the new revolutionary government left here tonight for Torreón for Mexico City after a conference with envoys from General Francisco Villa. The conference, it was understood, did not result in the acceptance of conditions laid down by Villa whereby he would retire to private life. Elimination of Villa as a military or bandit factor in the immediate future because of the conference, is believed unlikely. However, revolutionists announced means for his elimination were being considered.

Archie Robinson Sought By Lonely Mother In Salem. Where is Archie Robinson? He was said to have been seen in Salem last Saturday and his lonely mother, Mrs. A. D. Robinson of Jefferson, Or., who for five years has conducted a relentless search for him, has appealed to police to aid her in finding him. According to her story to police Thursday night Mrs. Robinson last heard of Archie in the old fields of Texas. Since that time she has been left alone in the world, and pleaded tearfully with police to send her boy back to her. Archie Robinson is 35 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches tall, has auburn hair, blue eyes and is believed to be walking with a cane. Quebec Has Fire. Quebec, May 20.—A forest fire is sweeping Bellechasse county threatening destruction of the villages of St. Camille, St. Fabien, Panet and Daquinam, according to telegraphic appeals for aid received here today. Daquinam was said to be in great danger and the inhabitants were reported leaving their homes.

Price Cutting Fever Reaches Wholesalers

New York, May 21.—The price cutting movement here today reached some wholesalers, when managers and buyers of prominent department stores announced they would refuse to purchase from jobbers until substantial reductions were made. The department stores, which claim to offer reductions of from 15 to 50 per cent now demand that wholesalers make concessions to them. Food Prices Drop. Some wholesalers of wearing apparel declared they believed the price cutting movement to be artificial and un-economic, asserting that it has stimulated buying without a corresponding increase in production, and a reaction was bound to ensue. The first reduction in food was announced yesterday when one of the largest canteens and restaurants in the city stated it had had all items on its menu reduced 30 per cent. Boycotts Effective. Washington, May 21.—The wave of price reduction in wearing apparel which has spread to every important city is due largely to public withdrawal from the market and to the investigation conducted by the department of justice. In the opinion of Assistant Attorney General Garvin. While he said he did not believe the department "deserved too much of the credit," Mr. Garvin refused to endorse claims of merchants that they were actuated solely by patriotic motives.

Daniels States Senate Investigators Exceeded Authority During Probe

Washington, May 21.—Secretary Daniels today accused the senate subcommittee investigating Rear Admiral Sims' charges against the navy department's conduct of the war with having exceeded its powers in going outside the original controversy over naval war decorations. The committee, Mr. Daniels told Chairman Hale, had given Admiral Sims an opportunity to make an "ostentatious representation of his charge when it reminded him to produce a letter of criticism to the department. "Who do you mean?" asked Secretary Daniels. "He referred indirectly to the chief of naval operations and directly to the secretary of the navy," replied the chairman. "And in view of that you still maintain that there were 'no personalities' in the Sims letter?" asked the secretary. "That wasn't a charge, it was a criticism," Mr. Hale said. "If Admiral Sims thought, when he left the United States that Admiral Benson lacked 'the will to win,' as should have so notified President Wilson, Mr. Daniels declared.

Carranza Saved By Warning of Captive Rebel

Havana, May 21.—Warning from a captured revolutionary soldier saved President Carranza of Mexico from possible death or injury during the fighting near Rinconada, state of Puebla, last week, according to J. H. Burrell, Mexico City representative of the National City bank of New York City who arrived here today from Vera Cruz. Mr. Burrell was a passenger on one of the twenty-three trains in which Carranza and his followers fled from the Mexican capital May 6 and was in the thick of the fighting that preceded the defeat of Carranza's soldiers. The captive had been taken on board Carranza's train, and when he found it to be moving ahead, he hurriedly informed officers in charge that the track was mined. Investigation proved the truth of his story and three mines were unearthed. Carranza was absolutely fearless during the heaviest fighting at Rinconada, Mr. Durrell says, personally leading his men to the attack and disregarding the bullets falling thick about him. Mr. Durrell and his companions surrendered to the revolutionists and gave them safe conduct to the coast. One of the party was W. A. Body, British vice consul at Vera Cruz. Mr. Burrell left him at Puebla with the understanding he would proceed to Vera Cruz the next day.

Persia Appeals For Protection

London, May 21.—Persia has appealed to the league of nations to protect her against bolshevik aggression. The appeal, which follows the landing of bolshevik forces on Persian soil from the Caspian sea, was made through the Persian foreign minister, in Paris.

The appeal alludes to the presence in English harbor of warships belonging to the anti-bolshevik forces formerly operating under General Denike and maintains that Persia acted within her rights as a neutral with regards to these vessels.

Hamburg Strike Over. Berlin, May 21.—The strike in the Hamburg shipyards has been settled. It is announced in advices from Hamburg today. Before the settlement, collisions occurred yesterday between strikers and security police as a result of which three persons were killed and ten others wounded.

Have You Voted---Don't Forget

The polls in all wards and precincts of Marion county will be open Friday, May 21, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 8 p. m. Every voter in Marion county is eligible for participation in the primaries, irrespective of political creed or following. Many voters who register as socialists, prohibitionists, independents, non-partisan or others, are under the impression that the primary election Friday is for republicans and democrats only. With the exception of nominations for the republican and democratic states, all voters, without regard to political affiliation have an important duty to perform by balloting on state, county, and resident civic measures. Voters who had failed to register can have their votes sworn in by appearing at their own precinct polling places with two Marion county freeholders, who can vouch for identity and statements as to residence, etc. In Salem and other city elections, all voters are eligible to participate in the balloting for city officials as these offices in Salem and the majority of Marion county towns are non-partisan. If, between the dates of April 20 and May 21, the voter has moved from the precinct in which he was registered, he has recourse to two means of making his vote good in his new precinct. First: the voter can apply to the county clerk before election day and receive a certificate that will be recognized by election officers in the new precinct. Second: the vote may be sworn in as elsewhere described. REMEMBER! Your vote in your old precinct is forfeited if you change residence from that precinct. After change of residence a ballot cast in the former balloting district is illegal.

Polish Counter Attack Drives Red Forces Back

Warsaw, May 20.—Polish troops, counter attacking bolshevik forces on the northern sector of the battlefront, have driven the soviet armies back twelve and a half miles near Krzyzozopol, according to an official statement issued here today. The statement declares that on the middle Theresina sector the bolsheviks were repulsed when they tried to force their way across the river.

London, May 21.—Russian soviet troops are continuing their pursuit of the Poles in the region of Polotsk on the Dvina river, according to an official announcement issued in Moscow and received here by wireless. Warfield Leaves Hospital. Los Angeles, Cal., May 20.—David Warfield, the actor, has left a hospital here, where he has been for two months, and stated today he would leave for New York June 4. Mr. Warfield was taken to the hospital after an automobile struck him as he attempted to cross the street near his hotel, and caused a broken leg and other injuries, all of which have healed without permanent traces.