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BRYAN AGAIN HAS VISION OF PRESIDENCY

WILL BEGIN SPEAKING TOUR ON JANUARY 12TH, ON CAMPAIGN ISSUES

GLYNN FAVORED RUNNING MATE

Manager Starts Out to Revive the Bryan Leagues That Have Done Duty on Many Occasions

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 29.—William Jennings Bryan will speak here January 12th on the "attitude of the democratic party for 1920." Friends say he plans a tour of several weeks in which he will discuss the league of nations, the peace treaty and other possible campaign issues.

New York, Dec. 29.—Harry W. Walker, who managed the campaigns of William Jennings Bryan for president, left today for a tour of New York and New England states for the announced purpose of interviewing old members of Bryan leagues regarding reviving those organizations. Martin H. Glynn seems to be favored as Bryan's running mate, according to Walker.

JAIL BREAKERS TAKE CONFISCATED BOOZE

Roseburg, Ore., Dec. 29.—The Douglas county jail was depopulated last Saturday night about 11 o'clock when the four inmates escaped after sawing their way out of the main cage and then dropping from a second-story window to the ground. All of the escaped prisoners but one were captured during the day.

According to a story told by one of the men, who is being held for a minor offense, a small hack saw that he alleged was left in possession of the prisoners by Mike Zelock, now serving a life sentence at Salem for the Scottsburg robbery, and who was brought here as a witness against others of the gang, was the instrument used to cut the steel bars of the cage in which all of the men were confined. Before abandoning the jail the men broke into the room where a lot of confiscated whiskey was stored as evidence and helped themselves to the liquor. They also left a note to Deputy Sheriff Rafferty wishing him a "Happy New Year."

Hastening to the railroad yards, Sheriff Quine toured the place and saw a man approaching whom he took to be a trainman, but the "good evening" spoken by the fellow proved him to be Murphy, and the sheriff quickly nabbed his man, who confidently assured the officer that he was just on his way back to the jail to report the escape of the gang. Hightower, wanted in California, where he was serving a term at San Quentin for burglary, was apprehended at Eugene early Sunday. He had in his possession 12 quarts of the confiscated whiskey, which he took from the Roseburg jail, after breaking the lock of the room where the liquor was stored. How he got to Eugene he did not divulge.

SALVATION ARMY BUILDS BIG HOTEL AT CAMP LEWIS

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 29.—Red Shield Inn is the name of the new \$107,000 hotel of the Salvation Army at Greene Park, Camp Lewis, near here. The three story frame structure, the finest of its kind in the country, is artistically and comfortably furnished and is a gathering place for both officers and men and their families.

PROBE MYSTERY IRISH SHOOTING

Official and Civilian Are Dead As Result of Unexplained Clash Near Residence of French

Dublin, Ireland, Dec. 29.—Lieutenant Boast, officer of the guard who met death in Sunday night's shooting near the vice regal lodge, was "accidentally killed by a bullet from his own patrol party," was the verdict found by the jury in the inquest today.

Dublin, Ireland, Dec. 29.—Details of Sunday's shooting affray near the Vice Regal Lodge, Phoenix Park, were given today at the inquest over the body of Lieutenant Boast, officer of the guard, who was killed at the same time a civilian was found in the park shot. The firing led to the belief in some quarters last night that an attack was being made against the lodge, residence of Viscount French, lord lieutenant of Ireland, whose life was attempted last week. Testimony indicated that Lieutenant Boast was killed by shots fired by six civilians.

GREAT ROUNDUP OF BOOTLEGGERS IS DUE

New York, Dec. 29.—One of the biggest round-ups of bootleggers and manufacturers of illicit liquor ever made in this country is impending as a result of the wave of death and blindness which has followed the sale of poisoned liquor, the supervising revenue agent of the New York district announced today.

NOTED ENGLISH PHYSICIAN, SIR WM. OSLER, IS DEAD

Oxford, England, Dec. 29.—Sir William Osler, noted physician, who has been ill for several weeks, died tonight.

STATE TEACHERS MEET IN ANNUAL CONVENTION

Portland, Ore., Dec. 29.—When A. C. Hampton, president of the Oregon State School Teachers' Association, called the annual convention of that organization to order in the Lincoln High school auditorium here today, it was estimated that the attendance was the largest in the history of the organization.

Besides the general sessions of the convention, which will adjourn Wednesday evening, December 31, all departments, such as city superintendents, secondary schools, foreign languages, elementary schools and vocational education, have prepared special programs for discussion.

One of the important topics to be discussed at the general sessions was proposed reorganization of the public school system under the county unit plan. An outline of the plan, as submitted by Elmer F. Goodwin, principal of the Gresham union high school, of Multnomah county, takes up and provides for virtually all the reforms said to be desired.

Through it the county would be made the unit of taxation and administration of schools, excepting those in a district of the first class employing its own superintendents. A county tax would be levied on all taxable property within the county and divided between districts of the first class and the remainder of the county on a basis of school population. These sums, according to the submitted plans, would be so expended as to insure wherever possible equal educational opportunities in all parts of the county, regardless of the sum raised in any particular section.

WILL DEMAND EXTRADITION EX-KAISER

HOLLAND WILL BE ASKED TO SURRENDER FORMER EMPEROR WILHELM

SOON AS PEACE IS EFFECTIVE

Decision Said to Have Been Reached by the British and French Representatives at Paris

Paris, Dec. 29.—Extradition of the former Emperor Wilhelm will be demanded from Holland as soon as the peace treaty becomes effective, according to the decision of the British and French governments, says the Echo de Paris today.

INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN WILL MEET

Christiania, Dec. 29.—A convention of the international council of women, of which Lady Aberdeen is president, will be held in Christiania next September. Three hundred delegates, representing 20 nations, are expected to attend. A committee composed of presiding officers of various women's organizations will meet in Geneva in March to arrange the program for the convention.

MANY ARRESTED IN POISON BOOZE CASES

Chicopee, Mass., Dec. 29.—Search continued for persons connected with the traffic in poisonous liquor which resulted in the last few days in at least 59 deaths and many cases of serious illness here and at nearby places. Fourteen arrests have been made and others are expected.

New York, Dec. 29.—Three men faced charges before the United States commissioner today in connection with spreading wood alcohol as whiskey through five states in the last ten days, death and blindness following in its wake. Investigation is also being undertaken in numerous other eastern cities.

MOVE MOUNTAIN OF EARTH TO REACH ORE IN RICH ARIZONA COPPER MINE

Bisbee, Ariz., Dec. 29.—Mining engineers have solved the historic prophet's problem and have literally "moved the mountain to Mohoet." Ten million feet of Sacramento Hill, adjoining Bisbee, is being shoveled by steam and carted away by railroad so that the Phelps Dodge corporation can reach 7,000,000 tons of copper ore which is part of the ramifications of the Copper Queen mine.

It is a gigantic project. All the genius of the engineering department of the organization was required to put into effect the leveling of the mountain, the work of which began in 1917. Care had to be used in blasting to prevent damage to property and life in Bisbee and Warren from boulders hurled down the mountain side into the town.

Where to put the earth covering of this mining treasure was another problem. Warren and Bisbee occupy the gulch at the foot of Sacramento Hill. It was necessary to build railroad tracks into several spur gulches and because of the narrow width these had to be single tracked. To prevent accident, and facilitate continual movement of earth from the steam shovels working at the hill top, a competent rail-

VILLA LEADER REBELS IN NEW MEXICAN MOVE

REVOLUTIONISTS PLAN FOR UNITY OF MILITARY COMMANDS IN NEW DEAL

BANDIT CHIEF TO BE AT HEAD

Control of the Mexican Oil Fields Will Be First Move, and De Facto Government Will Rise

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 29.—Mexican revolutionists are working on a plan for the unity of military commands and aims with the first step of setting up of a defacto government, according to well defined reports reaching here today. Friends of Villa said he had been agreed upon as leader by the revolutionists on the east coast of Mexico and by the southern rebels. It was said the first military movement would be to obtain control of Mexican oil districts.

FEW ACCIDENTS OCCUR IN ENGLISH AIR TRIPS

London, Dec. 29.—The report of Major-General F. N. Sykes, controller of aviation shows that out of 52,000 passengers carried in 21,000 airplane trips approximately 303,000 miles, only two deaths have been recorded through accidents.

POLAND IS OFFERED PEACE BY THE SOVIET

Copenhagen, Dec. 29.—The Soviet government at Moscow has sent a formal peace offer to the Polish government by wireless. The message denies that the bolsheviks is preparing a new offensive against Poland with the aid of Chinese forces.

FRENCH RIVERS SWOLLEN BY CONTINUED RAINS

Paris, Dec. 29.—Rivers throughout France, swollen by continued rains, threaten disaster to many sections. Navigation on the Seine is already difficult, and if inundation continues traffic will be forced to stop.

HAPGOOD IS OFF JOB IN DENMARK

Failure of Senate to Confirm Appointment, and No Recess Action, Removes Him

Washington, Dec. 29.—Norman Hapgood is no longer American minister to Denmark, it was said today at the state department. Officials explained that the senate failed to confirm Hapgood's nomination before the end of the special session, and that since then he was not given a recess appointment, hence his commission automatically expired.

CO-EDS EXPRESS THOUGHT ON CHEEK-TO-CHEEK DANCING

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 29.—When young women freshmen of Washington University, numbering 150, were questioned recently whether they favored cheek-to-cheek dancing they overwhelmingly decided it was unsanitary and should be barred. One hundred and forty-five of them decided that it gave the deadly germ a chance to do its worst, but there were five who voted along the lines that they didn't care whether the germ work or struck, it was "all the same to them."

FOUR MONTHS STRUGGLE TO REACH SON'S GRAVE

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 29.—Mrs. Anna Hempler, 60 years old, was found destitute and weary from a four months struggle to reach here from Coquille, Ore., in the shelter of a doorway here recently.

Falling of funds to make her accustomed yearly trip to the grave of her son here, Mrs. Hempler said she walked a large part of the distance. Charitable organizations are seeking aid for her.

ROSEBURG PROPOSES OWN WATER SYSTEM

Salem, Ore., Dec. 29.—Because of dissatisfaction expressed by consumers with regard to rates charged by the Douglas County Water & Light company a movement is on foot at Roseburg to vote bonds in the sum of approximately \$600,000 with which to install a municipal plant, according to Claude Cannon, ice manufacturer of that city who passed yesterday in Salem conferring with members of the Oregon public service commission.

One of the tentative plans under consideration was to pipe the water from Rock creek to Winchester, where it would be stored in a large reservoir constructed at a high elevation and later pumped to Roseburg. Another proposal called for piping the water direct to Roseburg.

It was Mr. Cannon's opinion that the voters of Roseburg would reject any proposal that might be submitted with regard to purchasing the present plant there and would insist upon the installation of a new system. Although no definite report had yet been filed by the engineers, Mr. Cannon was of the opinion that \$800,000 would not only install the water and light plant, but would provide considerable electric energy for use in operating the industries of Roseburg and other Douglas county towns.

HOW PARIS OPIUM DEN'S ADVERTISE THEIR WARES

Paris, Dec. 29.—The police have discovered a novel manner of advertising an opium den. It was the shop dealer in antiques. When the police raided it one of the occupants told the inspector he was able to identify it as an opium den because all the letters "O" in the sign advertising antiques were painted in flaming red while the other letters were gilded.

TRIBUNAL FOR PREVENTION OF STRIKE PLAN

PRESIDENT'S INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION MAKES ITS TENTATIVE REPORT

SUGGESTS BOARD OF 9 MEMBERS

Federal Workers "Must Not Quit," and Strikes by Public Utility Employees Held "Intolerable"

Washington, Dec. 29.—Tentative recommendations for the establishment of machinery to prevent or retard labor conflicts in private industry were announced today by the president's industrial conference with a view to obtaining constructive criticism before a final plan is adopted.

The plan as outlined now contemplates the creation of a national industrial tribunal and regional boards of inquiry and adjustment, which would move to the settlement of disputes before there was any stoppage of production. Decisions would have the full force and effect of a trade agreement between the parties to the dispute.

The conference has not yet reached a decision with regard to employees of public utilities, but it is known to have been debating seriously whether such workers have the right to strike, inasmuch as they are engaged in public service.

Remarking that some public utilities, such as railroads, are essential to the very existence of the people, the conference's tentative statement expressed the opinion that the "interruption in such essential public utilities is intolerable."

Government employees, the third class into which the wage earning public are divided, should have the right to associate for mutual protection, the statement declared, but "no interference by any group with the continuous operation of government functions through concerted cessation of work or threats thereof can be permitted."

When the conference reconvenes January 12, public hearings will be held to obtain expert advice as to the drafting of the final recommendations in the light of such criticism of the tentative report as may be received.

"Our modern industrial organization," the tentative report said, "if it is not to become a failure, must yield to the individual a larger satisfaction with life. Not only must the theory that labor is a commodity be abandoned, but the concept of leadership must be substituted for that of mastership. Human fellowship in industry must either be an empty phrase or a living fact.

"Pending the growth of better relationships between employers and employees, the practical approach to the problem is to devise a method of preventing or retarding conflicts by providing machinery for the adjustment of differences. To be successful such tribunals must be so organized as to operate promptly as well as impartially. The plain fact is that the public has long been uneasy about the power of great employers; it is becoming uneasy about the power of great labor organizations. The community must be assured against domination by either.

"The plan which follows does not propose to do away with the ultimate right to strike, to discharge, or to maintain the closed or the open shop."

The national industrial tribunal, suggested by the conference, would consist of nine members appointed by the president, three each representing the employers, employees and the public. The tribunal would, in general, be a board of appeal, whose decisions must be unanimous, but provision was made for public participation.

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