

## ROOSEVELT TALKS PLAIN TO PARTY STANDPATTERS

ESTABROOK SHUTS UP HIS HEAD. QUARTERS

Speech Made by Strenuous One Today is Taken by Many to Be an Attempt to Bring Hughes to Commit Himself, and to Be a Bid on the Part of Roosevelt for the Republican Nomination

United Press Service NEW YORK, May 23.—Colonel Roosevelt today told a number of regular republicans that he is pleased to hear that they support his principles of Americanism and preparedness. Politicians regard this speech as a bid for the republican nomination.

They regard Roosevelt's statement that Americans will not accept a man unless he openly declares his position regarding Americanism and preparedness as an attempt to "smoke out" Justice Hughes.

United Press Service CHICAGO, May 23.—Henry Estabrook, the New York lawyer who has been seeking the republican presidential nomination, today closed his campaign headquarters here. No explanation was made.

Secretary Reynolds of the republican national committee was today informed that there will be seven contests in the Alabama delegation, making a total of fifty-four contests to be settled. Chairman Hillis is expected tomorrow.

MORE EGGS TAKEN FROM KLAMATH COUNTY WATERS

About a million rainbow trout eggs will be taken at the egg taking station on Odell Lake, according to Deputy Game Warden Henry Stout. Mr. Stout states that Peril Lyons, in charge of operations there, had taken 750,000 to date, and will take about 300,000 more before the season closes.

After the Nuggets Al Stahlman, Bogue Dale and Con Black, better known as "Gusie the Cook," have departed northward, with Seward, Alaska, as their destination. They expect to spend some time in the northland.

The death rate of persons under 45 is decreasing; of those over 45 it is increasing.

## First Woman Delegate to Arrive



Mrs. Louise F. Lusk of Missoula, Mont., is the first woman delegate to the national republican convention to arrive in Chicago. She is the wife of a wealthy ranchman of Montana. She is the only woman in the Montana delegation, which has been instructed for Senator Cummins of Iowa.

## ELEVENTH STREET MEASURE PASSED

WITH MATTHEWS DISSENTING, ORDINANCE FOR IMPROVEMENT IS PASSED—BROWER FILES ANOTHER PROTEST

The council last night passed the ordinance providing for the improvement of Eleventh street by hard surface paving from Main street to Upham, and Upham from Eleventh to Prospect, with a break at the government canal. Matthews cast the only dissenting vote.

Prior to the passing of the ordinance, a communication from C. C. Brower, attorney for some of the objectors, was read, in which he held that the proceedings were without precedent, the improvement was unnecessary, and that the council should take no action until it was absolutely certain that its course is right.

## War Bulletins

United Press Service PARIS, May 23.—After a furious all-night fight, the French expelled the Germans from all except the north-eastern corner of Fort Douaumont, according to today's official communique. Heavy German attacks were made along both banks of the Meuse, but these were repulsed, except to the north of the Thiamont farm, where the Germans reoccupied the trench recently captured by the French.

Paris is today wildly celebrating the Douaumont victory. This is considered the biggest French triumph since the start of the battle of Verdun. France is now convinced that the Dead Man's Hill fortifications are impregnable. In the meantime, the battle is raging all along the Verdun front. Along the west bank of the Meuse the Germans, using liquid fire, entered a French trench, but they were immediately ejected.

The Germans made a most heroic resistance amid the ruins of Fort Douaumont. The fighting there was at close quarters before the Teutons finally retired.

United Press Service BERLIN, May 23.—Today's official statement denies the French claim that practically all of Douaumont is in the hands of the French. The statement says the engagement is still in progress, with the Germans holding Douaumont.

The Germans have captured a block-house south of Camard Forest. Severe fighting still rages around this position. Germany also claims victories on

Combre Heights, the heights of the Meuse and southeast of Verdun.

United Press Service GENEVA, May 23.—Despite desperate resistance, the Austrians are steadily advancing toward Vicenza. This is the anniversary of Italy's declaration of war against Austria, and the Italians are making a desperate stand near Serevalle.

Austrian troops are on Italian soil in three places. Rome believes this Austrian advance is intended to divert the Italians from their offensive tactics along the Isonza front.

United Press Service VIENNA, May 23.—The Italians have evacuated Borg before the Austrian advance.

United Press Service LONDON, May 23.—Premier Asquith, in commons today, moved a credit of a billion and a half dollars. This makes the total war credit eleven billion nine hundred million.

Asquith declared that without the British loans the allies would be unable to continue their joint operations. He said the daily expenditures now average \$24,000,000.

Sir Winston Churchill stated that it would be unreasonable to expect the war to turn suddenly in favor of the allies, and he urged that every available man be used in the prosecution of the campaign.

"The allies have 300,000 officers with a similar number of servants, and 50,000 additional grooms and servants," said he. "These grooms and servants should all be used on the firing line."

## On Trial for Treason With Sir Roger Casement



DANIEL JULIAN BEVERLY tried Sir Roger Casement when he left Berlin on April 11th. Casement did not want either man to go with him, Krebs said, but they insisted, despite the danger of facing a noose or a firing squad, as they were unwilling for him to go alone.

Franz Hugo Krebs, an American lawyer, who has just arrived from Berlin, brought with him the accompanying picture of Daniel Julian Beverly, in a German sergeant's uniform, whose name, he says, is not Bailey, as reports of the trial of Sir Roger Casement give it, but who is the man on trial for high treason with Sir Roger in London.

He was born in Dublin, and educated in that city at St. Vincent's; was sergeant scout instructor in the Seventy-third Chatham Fusiliers (Canadian) in 1913. In 1904 he was in the Irish Rifles. In all he served nine years, six years in foreign service and three years at home. Beverly, Mr. Krebs said, is a landscape artist, and was called as a reservist at the beginning of the war. He was in several battles, including the battle of Mons, and was captured at St. Quentin. A believer in action in Ireland, and not a follower of Redmond, Beverly with Lieutenant Robert Montieth, both of the Irish brigade stationed at Zossen, accompa-

## CRATER LAKE RUN WILL BE DELAYED

SNOW MELTS SLOWER, ACCORDING TO MOMYER—FIFTY THOUSAND VOTED FOR ROAD WORK THIS SUMMER

The tourist season at Crater Lake National Park will begin later than usual this year, according to Assistant Superintendent H. E. Momyer, who has been here for several days. Mr. Momyer left today for the park, accompanied by Mrs. Momyer, who will spend the summer in the park.

When I left a few days ago, there was seven feet of snow at park headquarters," said Momyer. "The depth is greater than usual, and this means a delay in auto traffic into the park."

The sundry civil service bill just reported in congress carries \$8,000 for operating expenses in Crater Lake National Park for the year, and \$50,000 for road building in the park. The engineers estimated this sum for a year's work when they made their recommendation for two years' road work.

Power Official Visits Alex J. Rosebrough of Oakland, a director of the California-Oregon Power company, is here on business.

## FIRE TRUCK FOR KLAMATH FALLS

COUNCIL DECIDES TO PURCHASE APPARATUS FROM SEAGRAVES CO.—SHEETS REPORTS AFTER INSPECTION TRIP

At last night's council meeting, an ordinance providing for the purchase of automobile fire apparatus was introduced. This is in accordance with the wishes of the voters, as expressed at the recent city election.

This latest acquisition to the city's modern equipment is to be a Seagraves product. The engine will be six cylinders, 80 horsepower, and the equipment will include a combination of chemical engine, hose wagon and power pump. The cost will be \$5,950.

Councilman R. J. Sheets was delegated by the council to make a thorough investigation of the different makes of fire apparatus offered Klamath Falls, and he reported in favor of the Seagraves and the American-La France, stating they were practically on a par. As the Seagraves price was the lower of the two, this type was chosen.

## CIRCUSES MUST PAY A LICENSE

MATTHEWS ORDINANCE PROVIDES FOR LICENSING CIRCUSES, SIDESHOWS, TENT SHOWS AND CHANCE GAMES

An ordinance introduced at last night's council meeting provides for licensing circuses and similar tent shows. This passed its second reading last night.

Under this ordinance circuses must pay \$10 a day for each "ring" used, and separate sideshows and menageries charging admissions must pay \$10 daily, with a rate of \$2.50 daily for each pen, booth or other space used in exhibiting a freak, monstrosity or other attraction.

Tent shows are to pay \$10 a day, Japanese ring and ball games and similar racks and games must pay \$2.50 a day, and not operate on Sunday, and clairvoyants, astrologists, fortune tellers and hypnotists must pay \$2.50 a day or \$15 a week.

## FREIGHT TRAIN HITS GRAVEL CAR; THREE HURT

United Press Service HILLSBORO, Ore., May 23.—A Southern Pacific freight train crashed into the rear of a gravel train on a trestle west of here this morning, and three men were injured. Two cars and a locomotive were hurled to the ground, twenty feet below.

Engineer Hoberg was badly crushed, and Fireman Sickoose and Brake-man Kimmel were severely injured.

## MILITIAMEN REFUSE TO TAKE OATH OF OFFICE

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23.—Secretary of War Baker was today notified that 116 members of the Texas National Guard have refused to take the oath necessary to federal service. Under the provisions of the Dick bill these men can be court-martialed and fined. There is no method, however, by which they can be forced to serve.

## American Club Women in Session in New York

United Press Service NEW YORK, May 23.—No woman ever was permitted to more than step in, peek around and hurry out of the mammoth Seventh Regiment armory in this city until 30,000 of them from all over the United States trooped gayly in and took possession of it this morning for the biennial convention of the Federated Women's Clubs of America. And they certainly shooed away that bleak, somber barrenness that pervades bachelor, club and business quarters where women never go.

No Carnegie hall or other place which has always been used by both men and women would do, but only this place, before quite consecrated to men! From today to the second day of June the armory is given up to the biennial, which means that the colonel's room this morning is in the possession of Mrs. Pennypacker, national president, and that the mess-room is not nearly large enough for the luncheon which will be served at noon and every day, but had to have joined with it the band-room and library.

For eleven days this great block of the city, between Lexington and Park avenues, and 66th and 67th streets, belongs to the clubwomen of the country. Each department of the federation has a company room on the second floor for headquarters. The civics department is in the quarters of Company B, education in Company C's room; and the rooms of Companies D, E, F, H, I, A, M and K are given up respectively to public health, civil service, industrial and social conditions, art, legislation and music and literature.

On this same floor the room of Company G is a restroom; the board of directors have for their use the room of Company M, and the wash-room is fixed up for a sort of first-aid or emergency headquarters. The armory has four stories, the top one of which contains the upper drill hall, seating 1,000 people. The drill hall proper, in which the convention opened and in which all sessions will be held, is on the first floor, and seats 7,889 people, not including the 3,020 accommodated in the gallery.

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## MEMORIAL DAY TO BE OBSERVED WITH SPECIAL PROGRAM

COMMITTEE IS NOW HARD AT THE TASK

Memorial Services Will Be Held Sunday Afternoon at Houston's Opera House, and Further Observance Will Be Held Tuesday—All Societies, School Children, Etc., Are Asked to Participate in Exercises

With Memorial Day fast approaching, plans for the observance here are well under way. Sprague Post, Grand Army of the Republic, and Sprague Chapter Women's Relief Corps, assisted by many citizens, are in charge of arrangements. The plan is to make the observance this year the most successful in the history of Klamath Falls.

A memorial service will be held Sunday afternoon at Houston's opera house, beginning at 3 o'clock. This will be a union patriotic service, and the congregations of all of the churches are expected to be in attendance, in addition to all others who may care to be present.

The program for this exercise will be announced in a couple of days. It promises to be of unusual interest. Tuesday the regular memorial services of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. will be held, and in connection there will be a big procession from the courthouse square to the cemetery, where these orders will give their ritualistic work, and the graves of the departed will be appropriately decorated.

The Grand Army men are in charge of the program, which may include patriotic exercises in the courthouse yard. All local fraternal orders, all patriotic societies, all Spanish and Indian war veterans, veterans of all other wars, the Boy Scouts, the Camp Fire Girls, etc., are asked to participate in the exercise, and take a place in the procession.

The school children are especially invited. In order to help make the day a success, John V. Houston has volunteered to give a special matinee at the Star theater that afternoon for the school children who take part in the parade. These will all be admitted free of charge.

Club Meeting Tonight An illustrated lecture by Principal C. E. Bowman of the high school and a talk by County Judge Hanks will be features of tonight's monthly meeting of the Commercial Club, to be held at the city hall. All are invited.

## Chicago at Work on Task of Caring for G. O. P. Mob

United Press Service CHICAGO, Ill., May 23.—Hotel managers today are attempting to solve the problem of housing approximately 150,000 transients expected to attend the republican and progressive national conventions and the great suffrage demonstration to be held here June 7. This is the largest number of strangers that has visited Chicago since the World's Fair in 1893.

Already every available room in the large hotels have been reserved, and it seems that accommodations in second class and smaller hostels will be at a premium. In fact, managers of the "big five" of Chicago's hotels will not reserve another room, stating they are holding them "for the usual run of business."

Although they maintain that the rates have not been increased, the officials of three hostels, the La Salle, Congress and Sherman House, have reserved the right to "double or triple up the rooms if it becomes necessary." The same rule will be employed probably at the Auditorium. Four hundred rooms have been reserved at the Blackstone for months, the rates ranging from \$5 to \$15. No

reservations have been allowed for headquarters here. Officials smilingly admit that 250 rooms of the Congress are "gone" at \$4 a "head"; the La Salle has been asked for 500 rooms at \$2.50 and \$3 a person. Both have a few hundred rooms left which they allege they will hold for their "regular guests."

The Auditorium, officials say, has been entirely sold out. There are 600 rooms in all, \$5 and \$10 being asked. Colonel Roosevelt will make his headquarters here, having closed an apartment on the three upper floors. Other hostels like the Morrison, Victoria, Kaiserhof, Chicago Beach, Stratford and Palmer House have been deluged with applications for lodgings.

Officials of the Illinois Equal Suffrage League, who will conduct a motor parade coincident with the convention, may have to pitch camp in the lake front to accommodate the 25,000 delegates attending from all over the country. They have been refused permission by the park board here to use the municipal pier for lodgings. Concluded on Page 3