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ROOSEVELT GIVEN GENUINE OVATION AT KANSAS CITY

Thirty Thousand Spectators Line Streets From Station to Hotel

COLONEL STANDS IN AUTO WAVING HIS SLOUCH HAT

Made Short Talk to Bevy of Girls and Also Spoke from Balcony

By Perry Arnold.
(United Press staff correspondent.)

Kansas City, Mo., May 30.—Full of energy and fight, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt brought his keynote message to Kansas City today. Thirty thousand spectators lined the streets from the railway station to the hotel, and Roosevelt's march was a continuous ovation. The colonel stood in his automobile for the entire distance, waving his famous black slouch hat in response to the cheering.

During the parade a pocket knife struck Roosevelt's car. Whether it was by accident or design was unknown. There were no arrests and no excitement.

The knife was a small one and one blade was open.

Colonel Roosevelt was ignorant of the incident until Secretary McGrath informed him several hours afterward. The knife hit McGrath's arm as it hung out of the colonel's car. The secretary was angry over the sensational report that had been sent out at what he referred to as "trivial incident."

In the Hotel Muehlebach lobby the colonel stopped as he saw 40 little school girls massed in front of the clerk's desk, each dressed in the stars and stripes, and each wearing a Columbia cap.

The moment they sighted Roosevelt they burst out singing "The Star Spangled Banner," their shrill voices sounding high above the roar of the crowds outside. They repeatedly sang the anthem, then changed to "America, I Love Thee," while the colonel stood spellbound, his face suffused with emotion.

"I simply must say a few words to these children," he cried. "You delightful persons," he addressed them, "I would gladly have traveled all the way simply to see this. Nothing could be finer or prettier."

Talks on Preparedness.

Roosevelt dwelt affectionately on the "blue and the gray," laying stress on the fact that the nation is now united. He launched strongly into his theme of preparedness to avert war.

"The Spanish-American war was small," he said, "but if we had not had a navy well prepared there would have been 10 times the bloodshed. On this day of all others I want to appeal to the patriotism of the great west and middle west—which I know will stand right. Perhaps I am not the one who will awaken the west, but some one will some time."

"I am not afraid in the least that the American people when an appeal comes won't have brave sons ready, but I am anxious that there be no useless bloodshed because we are not prepared," said Roosevelt. "The surest way to a triumphant conclusion before

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ABE MARTIN

Mrs. Tipton Bud has returned from Bloom Center, where she attended th' weddin' of a niece. She says it wuz one o' th' swellest affairs in th' history o' th' state, as only th' white o' th' eggs wuz used in th' cake. A Mexican must look like a toadstool to an aviator.

Russian Duma Has Its Tenth Birthday

By William Philip Simms.
(United Press staff correspondent.)

Petrograd, May 30.—Special ceremonies this afternoon commemorated the tenth anniversary of the Duma's existence. American Ambassador Francis was seated in the diplomatic gallery at the opening session yesterday. The czar was not present, having been at the front for weeks.

President Rodzianko was cheered when he referred to the czar as the "giver of representative government."

From the press gallery, the duma floor was a most picturesque spectacle. Tall Cossacks, Poles, robed priests, and bearded peasants took part in the proceedings.

DOCK WORKERS STRIKE MAY RESULT IN TIE UP

Ask 55 Cents An Hour and $1.00 Over Time---Longshoremen May Quit

Seattle, Wash., May 30.—Pickets are patrolling the waterfront today in support of a strike called by members of the United Dock Workers' organization which was formed here four months ago.

The strike went into effect last night after employers had refused to recognize the workers, who asked for higher wages.

Demands for 55 cents an hour, straight time, and 75 cents an hour overtime, were made a few weeks ago. The employers never even answered the communications. The strikers now demand 55 cents an hour, straight time and $1 an hour for overtime.

With the members of the International Longshoremen's association ready to walk out all along the Pacific coast June 1, if demands are not granted, shipping men here fear a complete tie-up of traffic.

MASONIC GRAND LODGE WILL MEET AT ALBANY

For First Time In 42 Years This Body Will Meet Outside of Portland

For the first time in 42 years, the Masonic Grand Lodge of Oregon, will meet outside of Portland when it convenes next week in Albany for its 66th annual session. The 56th annual session of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons will also be held in Albany, two days prior to that of the Grand Lodge sessions.

The annual convocation of the Grand Chapter will meet next Monday, June 5 and conclude its sessions the same day. The committee on credentials will meet at 8 o'clock that morning and the Grand Chapter will open half an hour later. The forenoon session will include routine business and an address by the presiding officer, Clyde Evans of Portland. Monday evening the degree of high priesthood will be conferred.

Among those serving on committees are H. B. Thielsen of this city who is on the Grand High Priest's address, and also on the committee of foreign correspondence.

On Tuesday, June 6, committees of the Grand Lodge will meet for work preparatory to the grand lodge session. The regular session will convene Wednesday, June 7, for three days. Frank J. Miller, grand master, will preside and deliver the opening address, followed by William J. Kerr of Corvallis, grand orator. The annual election will be held Thursday and the new officers installed Friday.

Among those from Salem appointed by Grand Master Miller to serve on committees are George G. Brown, on credentials, and George H. Burnett on grievance and appeals. The Oregon Electric train arriving from the north at 8:55 will be run on to Albany Monday and Wednesday mornings.

Three Were Killed In Auto Accident

Salt Lake City, Utah, May 30.—Three persons were killed and two dangerously injured today when A. B. Rockhill's automobile turned over 30 miles south of here today while Rockhill and his party were en route from Salt Lake to the family graveyard for memorial services.

The dead: A. B. Rockhill, Milton Rockhill, 11; Joseph Clark, chauffeur. Mrs. Rockhill and another woman, whose identity has not been ascertained were probably fatally hurt.

The accident occurred between American Fork and Pleasant Grove. Rockhill was a prominent members of the Salt Lake stock exchange.

Wonder whether the 1916 model political steam roller has pneumatic tires?

CARRANZA SAYS POLITICS CAUSED BORDER TROUBLES

Says Americans Started Row To Get Material for Election Purposes

PERSHING FORBIDS SALE OF LIQUOR NEAR CAMPS

Americans Begin Rebuilding Railroad Indicating Stay May Be Long

Mexico City, May 30.—Provisional President Carranza's latest message to President Wilson has been sent to Washington. Carranza continues to assert the point blank charge that American politicians inspired recent border troubles to get material for use in the coming presidential campaign, it was reliably reported today.

It was rumored the note would not be presented for several days. Another report said the Mexican embassy would hold the note for the present taking action only in the event of attempted intervention. That Carranza desired to alter his communication after it had been dispatched and that delivery had been postponed for that reason, was the substance of an unofficial report.

Sale of Liquor Forbidden

Namiquipa, Mex., May 30.—General Pershing today ordered severe punishment meted out to those who attempted to sell liquor in or near the American camp.

It is reported the Mexican authorities offered to send flowers to the grave of Corporal Marksbury, killed when Candelario Carvantes, bandit, was shot.

Memorial day exercises were held at the grave of Sergeant Benjamin McGee, who died of wounds received in the Parral fight. He was buried on a promontory south of army headquarters here.

Stay Will Be Long

Columbus, N. M., May 30.—Army men today foresaw for the American expedition a lengthy stay in Mexico when Brigadier General J. J. Pershing urgently ordered engineers to begin work on the abandoned Mellmon railway road bed to Dublan. It will be repaired so motor trucks may be used during the coming rains. Many road machines have been unloaded from freight trains here recently, to be put on the Columbus-Dublan run carrying supplies to "the boys in Mexico."

An Absurd Rumor

Calexico, Cal., May 30.—Reports that troops stationed here had been disguised as civilians and rushed to scatter bordered border points were flatly denied today by Major S. T. Dean, commanding the garrison here.

"The garrison at Calexico has not been increased," said Major Dean. "The United State would not in any case mobilize soldiers in such manner."

To Confer With Pershing

El Paso, Texas, May 30.—General Givara announced today that he is leaving tonight for Casas Grandes with his staff for conferences with General Pershing, which opens Tuesday.

Pablo Lopez, bandit, who is to be executed at Chihuahua City June 7, according to reports, has recovered from his wounds. Under the Mexican law he could not be executed while wounded.

Attendance at School Shows Small Increase

The attendance in the public schools of the city is only eight more than one year ago. The May 28, 1915, report of Superintendent O. M. Elliott, gives the total attendance at 3371, while the report for May of this year, totals the attendance at 3379. The attendance of pupils between the ages of 14 and 20 years is nine larger than one year ago. While the higher grades show in increased attendance, there is a slight falling off in the primary grades. Between the ages of six and nine years, the attendance now totals 756, compared to 825 for May of one year ago. Between the ages of nine and twelve years, the attendance this month is 755, compared to 728 one year ago. And between the ages of 12 and 14, the attendance at the close of school this year is 546, compared to 519 one year ago. The average attendance is much better than one year ago, as the monthly statement shows 1150 pupils neither absent nor late for May, 1915, compared to 1403 neither late nor absent this month.

Somebody 50 per cent efficient in minding his p's and q's volunteers: "Preparedness parade preparations presage popular patriotic pedestrianism."

TODAY'S BALL SCORES

WINNING STREAK ENDS

Philadelphia, May 30.—The long winning streak of the New York Giants was broken today When Al Demaree, Giant castoff, held McGraw's men to one run while the Phillies were tallying five.

The game was scoreless until the eighth when the Phillies landed on Perritt and put five runs across. The Giants attempted a batting rally in the ninth, but it proved abortive.

AMERICAN

Morning Games.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	2	7	3
New York	7	5	2

Crowell, Meyers and Murphy; Fisher and Nunamaker.

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	3	14	1
Boston	4	11	0

Naper, Dumont and Henry; Shore and Cady. Ayers replaced Dumont; Shaw replaced Ayers; Ainsmith replaced Henry; Thomas replaced Cady; Foster replaced Shore.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	3	8	1
Detroit	1	3	2

Williams and Schalk; Hamilton and Stanage. Russell replaced Williams; Scott replaced Russell.

Afternoon games

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	2	7	2
Boston	8	9	1

Boehling and Henry; Leonard and Cady, Dumont replaced Dothling. Ayres replaced Dumont.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	1	5	0
New York	0	4	3

Myers and Meyers; Shawkey and Walters.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	8	15	2
Detroit	9	15	4

Wolfgang, Russell and Schalk; Cobleski and Stanage. Faber replaced Russell; Dauss and Baker battery for Detroit in 10th, 10 innings.

Cleveland and St. Louis were tied in the 12th, 4 to 4.

Covaleski and O'Neill; Davenport and Hartley. Klepfer replaced Covaleski; Plank replaced Davenport.

NATIONAL

Morning Games.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	1	6	1
Philadelphia	5	7	1

Perritt and Rariden; Demaree and Burns. Killifer replaced Burns.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	5	8	0
Brooklyn	3	6	3

Tyler and Gowdy; Dell and Meyers. Marquard replaced Dell.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	3	8	0
Chicago	0	6	0

Sallee and Snyder; McConnell and Archer.

Cincinnati-Pittsburg, postponed, rain.

Afternoon games

	R.	H.	E.
New York	10	14	1
Philadelphia	2	5	5

Anderson and Rariden; Alexander and Killifer. Byrne replaced Killifer Dooin replaced Rariden.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	0	5	3
Brooklyn	1	7	2

Hughes and Gowdy; Smith and Meyers. Nehf replaced Hughes.

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	8	10	2
Pittsburg	9	10	2

Moseley and Wingo; Mammaux and Gibson. Cooper replaced Mammaux; Knetzer replaced Moseley. Schneider and Clarke battery for Cincinnati in 9th. Schulz replaced Schneider.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	1	7	1
Chicago	5	10	1

Steele and Snyder; Vaughn and Archer. Jasper replaced Steele.

RANCH HAND ADMITS MURDERING WOMAN

Wenatchee, Wash., May 30.—John Stewart, aged 26, a ranch hand, broke down here today and confessed to the murder a week ago of Mrs. Erma J. Smith, an aged homesteader on Badger mountain.

"I don't know why I did it," he sobbed. "I must have been crazy. All I got was ten cents."

After Stewart's confession, Deputy Sheriff William Moyneaux went to the spot where the young man said he had thrown the 22 caliber revolver with which Mrs. Smith was shot and found the weapon.

Mrs. Smith was first shot and then beaten over the head until she was dead, in the tent in which she and son were camping on their homestead.

Stewart was picked up by Deputy Sheriff H. C. DeCamp as a suspect in connection with the theft of some clothing at Bridgeport yesterday. DeCamp found 22 caliber cartridges in his pockets and a thorough questioning resulted in the confession.

SALEM OBSERVES MEMORIAL DAY IN FITTING MANNER

Sedgwick Post G. A. R. Opens Day With Services at Soldiers' Monument

ACRES OF FLOWERS TELL OF NATION'S GRATITUDE

Greatest Parade In Salem's History Feature of Afternoon Program

With a program of events that filled the entire day thousands of Salem's citizens paid tribute to the soldier dead of the Grand Army of the Republic in the greatest Memorial day service ever held in this city. The feature of the day was the parade which got under way shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon and wound through the streets to Willson park where the principal exercises were held. From the point of numbers taking part in today's parade was the greatest ever attempted in Salem, and brought universal commendation to the general committee in charge of the affair.

The time honored "thin blue line" which grows painfully thinner with each succeeding Memorial day, concluded this year to leave the brunt of the management of the Memorial day exercises to a general committee. Heretofore the veterans of the great struggle for the integrity of the Union have shouldered the responsibility of honoring their dead comrades but this year the matter was left to the younger organizations by the members of Sedgwick Post, No. 10. The result more than fulfilled the expectations of the post. Not only were the dead honored, but a rare tribute to the few survivors of the national conflict was shown when the non-military organizations as well as the military, the fraternal societies, the churches, the schools and the patriotic public in general, hastened to lend all possible aid in making the 1916 Memorial day in Salem one that will remain as a precedent for the succeeding years.

Services at Cemetery.

The hopes of the Grand Army of the Republic that the day might be perpetuated long after they have answered their last roll call were assured of fulfillment by the interest shown by the children and younger men of the city, whose only recollections of the Civil war are the pictures of the conflict in their school histories.

Now when all traces of the struggle which threatened to divide the nation have been erased and when time has obliterated the marks which scarred the fair name of our republic, it is fitting that only the memory of the principle, which triumphed through the loyalty and bravery of the men who were honored today, should be upheld as the standard of patriotism for future generations.

The regular Memorial services conducted by Sedgwick post, No. 10, at the base of the Soldiers' Monument in the cemetery this morning, opened with the reading of General Logan's order No. 7 by Comrade Good setting one day apart upon which the graves of the dead might be decorated. Commander W. C. Faulkner then delivered the Memorial address which was followed by the placing of flowers at the base of the monument in memory of the dead who rest in other spots. Each member of the G. A. R. deposited his floral tribute in memory of the deceased members of his own company as each other surviving comrade is doing today.

Bugle Sounded "Taps."

Rev. F. T. Porter, of the Sons of Veterans, read Lincoln's Gettysburg address and the Boy Scouts laid their flowers at the foot of the monument. The Woman's Relief Corps held their regular services after which the firing squad from Company M, O. N. G., fired three volleys over the graves and the bugle sounded "Taps." Rev. Porter pronounced the benediction and the crowd dispersed to decorate the graves in other parts of the cemetery. The Boy Scouts and the school children spread out a truck load of flowers which was contributed by the Boys' Training school. Prominent among those who took part in the exercises was Comrade Mitchell, of the Salem Sons of Veterans, who is 86 years old and the oldest son of a veteran in the United States belonging to a regular organization.

Basket luncheons were held by the families of the Woman's Relief Corps at the Moose hall, the families of the Ladies of the G. A. R. participated in a basket luncheon at Ryan hall, and the families of the ladies' auxiliary of the Spanish-American War Veterans held their basket luncheon in Marion Square.

The parade which was formed on the streets near the armory in three divisions, marched north on Commercial street to Court, east on Court to Liberty and south on Liberty to State, then

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Ministers Refused to Take Part In Parade

Portland, Ore., May 30.—Ministers of at least three denominations will have nothing to do with the preparedness parade in Portland next Saturday. Representatives of the parade committee put the question squarely before the ministerial associations of the Methodist, Presbyterian and Baptist churches.

The Presbyterian ministers sharply cross-examined the preparedness advocates. They openly insinuated that the movement was backed by the munitions manufacturers who would benefit from a preparedness program. The Methodists and Baptists were lukewarm and refused to promise to participate in the parade.

HILL FUNERAL TO BE SIMPLE AND PRIVATE

Takes Place Tomorrow Afternoon, All Trains and Steamers of Hill Lines to Stop

St. Paul, Minn., May 30.—Simplicity will mark the funeral tomorrow afternoon of James J. Hill, the "Empire Builder," who died at his home here following an operation.

Rev. Thomas J. Gibbons, vicar general of the Catholic diocese of St. Paul, is to officiate. The services are to be private at the Summit Avenue mansion, starting at 2 p. m.

Hill's associates and employes will be permitted to view the body before the ceremonies begin.

The body will be placed in a tomb at North Oaks, the railroad builder's former summer home. At 2 p. m. every Hill railroad train in the country, and every Hill liner at sea, will stop for five minutes, out of deference to the memory of James J. Hill.

COLONEL JOHN MOSBY FAMOUS RAIDER DEAD

Commanded Mosby's Guerillas—Frank Coffin Veteran of Sioux War Passes

Washington, May 30.—Colonel John Mosby, age 83, daring confederate leader in the civil war, died today at Garfield hospital. He had been critically ill since Sunday. As leader of Mosby's guerillas, the colonel made a place for himself in history during the conflict between North and South.

Mosby suffered from a complication of diseases, partly incurred through exposures suffered in his picturesque raids upon the Union army and later, when he was a federal prisoner. He received a government pardon.

Famous Indian Scout Dead

Seattle, Wash., May 30.—Frank Shubel Coffin, veteran of the Sioux Indian war and the civil war is dead here today of heart disease with which he was stricken while addressing an audience of children at the Duwamish school here during memorial day exercises yesterday afternoon. Coffin was 73 years old.

With the Sibley expedition first and later with Colonel William Crooks, Coffin distinguished himself for bravery in the campaign against the Sioux. At the beginning of the civil war he enlisted in company D, Sixth Minnesota infantry, serving to the end of the struggle.

He leaves a wife and three sons.

Tornado Does Much Damage Near Memphis

Memphis, Tenn., May 30.—Three were reported killed and fifty three injured today when a tornado swept 100 miles of territory around Memphis. Thousands of dollars worth of property was destroyed.

Many Memphis homes were damaged by falling trees, and some were unroofed.

The towboat Finley was blown from one side of the river to the other. Sixteen loaded coal barges, crushed by the gale, are sinking.

Other cities reported heavy damage to houses, stock and crops. The wind at its greatest velocity blew 125 miles an hour. It ravaged the city for twenty minutes.

HURT IN RUNAWAY

Portland, Or., May 30.—Three persons were seriously injured this afternoon when a horse became frightened at the memorial day display of flowers at Mount Calvary cemetery and ran away, throwing the occupants from a buggy. T. J. Harrington received internal injuries which may result seriously. Mrs. Harrington and Margaret Smith, aged 6, were badly hurt.

FLAG DAY PROCLAMATION

Washington, May 30.—Asking that special significance be given the observance of Flag day, June 14, President Wilson issued a proclamation today.

GERMANS MAKING FIERCE ATTACKS IN CUMIERES WOOD

Following Day of Intense Shelling New Division Is Hurled at French

INCESSANT POUNDING FORCED FRENCH BACK

Violent Cannonading Was Kept Up All Night East of the Meuse

Paris, May 30.—By a most powerful assault German troops have driven the French across the Bethincourt-Cumieres highway and into defenses south of it during the night, it was officially admitted today. The German gains, however, were not more than 120 yards.

Attacks between Dead Man's hill and Cumieres resulted in this advance. Elsewhere, said the communique, all Teuton charges were defeated.

In Cumieres wood, where Germans captured 300 yards of terrain yesterday, the crown prince is striking southward against Cumieres-Esnes highway attempting to squeeze the French from the whole region between Dead Man's hill and the River Meuse, forcing a retirement upon Charnay ridge where the French would be forced to battle in a decisive action with the fate of Verdun hanging in the balance.

Following a whole day of intense shelling west of Cumieres, the crown prince hurled into the fray a new division which had just arrived.

On the eastern slopes of Dead Man's hill the Teutons wild charges collapsed under a withering fire from French batteries. Around Caurette woods the German detachments lost heavily, but in spite of this they came on again and again, rushing headlong over trampled ground littered with their own dead and dying, until the incessant pounding forced the French to retire behind the Cumieres-Bethincourt road.

Without rest, the Germans immediately emerged from the scanty shelter of the wood and the ruins of Cumieres and repeatedly charged, attempting to force the French further southward along the Chattancourt highway. All these attacks were met with equally fierce resistance and finally they ceased.

East of the River Meuse a violent cannonade shook the ground all night. It was especially severe west of Douaumont.

Italians Still Give Way.

Vienna, May 30.—Italian troops are preparing today to evacuate Asiago, the largest Italian town the Austrians have threatened since their offensive began.

Austrian troops have crossed Assa valley near Roana, five miles west of Asiago. They threaten to surround the Italians, it was officially announced.

Italians near Canova vainly attempted to stem the advance.

"We possess Monte Cebio," said the statement, "Mont Sieglarella and Corno Di Campo Bianco. In upper Posina valley we drove Italians from positions west and southwest of Balen."

Asiago is 22 miles north of Vicenza, the Austrian goal.

Germans Make Gains.

Berlin, May 30.—Fresh victories have been won by Germans on both sides of the River Meuse, it was officially announced today. On the west bank French positions were seized in Cumieres and Corbeaux woods, 1,384 prisoners being taken. On the eastern side, German troops advanced in Thiaumont forest.

The communique declared two French counter attacks at Cumieres were repulsed. Near Ostend German aviators bombarded and destroyed an enemy squadron.

VISITS AT EUGENE

W. Hyett, vice president of the People's bank at Silverton, accompanied by his wife and two children, and Mrs. M. E. McGuire and son, Elbert, motored from Silverton to Eugene and spent last Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Baker, returning home Monday.—Eugene Register.

THE WEATHER

Weather clerk not working today. It's up to Jupe to be good.