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EITHER HUGHES OR "DARK HORSE"

HUGHES GAINS ON SECOND BALLOT AND NOMINATION SEEMS TO BE ASSURED

A Prolonged Roar As T. R. Was Named

Roosevelt Gets Demonstration from Gallery That Lasts 41 Minutes—Hughes Made Phenomenal Gain When Second Vote Taken

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, June 9.—Hughes led the field on the first ballot tonight and gained much strength on the second. His followers, confident of his nomination on a third ballot, resisted adjournment, but the delegates, worn out were glad to quit until tomorrow. This is the first time since 1880 that the republicans have taken more than one ballot in the nomination of a presidential candidate. Hughes, Roosevelt and Fairbanks were the only candidates among the 18 who gained votes on the second ballot.

According to reports, Roosevelt took personal charge over the telephone from Oyster Bay tonight of the progressive situation, but his attitude on the possibility of his nomination tomorrow was not made public. The fact that the conference met again late tonight led to the belief that he sanctioned another attempt at harmony.

A demonstration for Roosevelt, when his name was put in nomination at the republican convention today lasted forty-one minutes, a record for this convention, but the leaders agreed it was largely a gallery demonstration. Fairbanks and Burton got prolonged cheering from their followers.

The republican convention moved smoothly to balloting tonight. Michigan turned thirty of Ford votes over to Hughes on the second ballot and two to Roosevelt. Lodge, who had nominated Weeks, turned his vote to Roosevelt. W. Murray Grant, announced for Hughes. Missouri gave Hughes twenty-two out of 36.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, June 9.—The first official ballot gave Hughes 253 1-2; Burton 77 1-2; Cummins 85; Roosevelt 65; Weeks 105; Dupont 12; Siurman 68; Fairbanks 74 1-2; LaFollette 25; Brumbaugh 28; Ford 32; Knox 36; Borah 3; Willis 4; McCall 1; Taft 14; not voting 2 1-2; total 987. Four hundred and ninety-five required for a nomination.

The second ballot, official gave Hughes 528 1-2; not voting 1-2; Burton 76 1-2; Weeks 74; Dupont 33; Shea 27; Cummins 83 1-2; Cummins 85; Roosevelt 81; LaFollette 25; McCall 1; Knox 36; Willis 1; Wood 1; Having 1; Wamsmaker 5; not voting 1-2; total 987.

The republican convention adjourned after the second ballot until eleven tomorrow.

Hughes far in lead.

The New York delegation's vote on the second ballot stood Hughes 43; not voting 4; Roosevelt 3; Pennsylvania's second ballot was Hughes 36; not voting 2; John Wamsmaker 5; Hughes 8; Dupont 3; not voting 1; not voting 1.

Before the second ballot was held Governor Brumbaugh withdrew and proposed the nomination of Colonel Roosevelt. Other delegates remained through the balloting. On the second ballot one vote was cast for Major General Leonard Wood and one for Chairman Harding.

Tomorrow, Hughes supporters predict they will continue to draw strength and nominate their candidate.

"We quit while we were growing," declared the Hughes people. An analysis showing where the gains of Hughes' ticket came from on the second ballot follows:

All of the Hughes gains came from second ballots. The gains in Michigan, two in California, one in Indiana, two in Iowa, two in Kansas, two in Kentucky, two in Louisiana, two in Maine, eight in Massachusetts, 33 in Michigan, four in Missouri, two in Nebraska, three in New Hampshire, four in New Jersey, one in New York, six in Pennsylvania, two in South Carolina, two in Texas, one in Utah, three in Virginia, three in West Virginia, one in Hawaii. He lost one vote in Arkansas and one in Hawaii. Roosevelt gained 15 votes on the second ballot, one of these came from Maine, one from Massachusetts, two from Michigan, 11 from Pennsylvania, and the two from Texas. He lost one vote in Idaho, one in South Carolina, one in West Virginia, and one in Georgia. In Louisiana, where the delegates voted through eleven nominating papers,

NOTHING CAN HEAD ROOSEVELT TODAY

Only Political Miracle Can Prevent Nomination of Progressive Leader—Peace Conference Seems to be Futile and Nomination of Two Candidates Now Looked For.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, June 9.—Nothing but a political miracle such as an agreement of the progressive and republican conferences, or Roosevelt's refusal of nomination, can prevent the nomination of Roosevelt by the progressives tomorrow. Leaders who think this fought today to hold the progressives in check and had Roosevelt's approval of delay until the republicans balloted.

Hughes' increase of strength on a second ballot tonight brought the assertion from Governor Whitman that Hughes would be nominated by the republicans tomorrow. He said the peace conference, which began tonight would be futile.

PLATFORM TAKEN UP BY DEMOCRATS

Last Cabinet Meeting Before St. Louis Convention Held

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, June 9.—At the last cabinet meeting before the St. Louis convention the members and President Wilson today discussed the democratic platform. President Wilson's draft will be finished tomorrow and while it is said they are not to be forced on the convention, it is assumed they will be adopted as President Wilson wrote them. Cabinet members said they considered the republican platform "innocuous" and the democratic platform to be more progressive. No selection of a successor to Chairman McComb of the national committee was determined on.

STREET CARS IN GERMANY MAY INCREASE TARIFFS

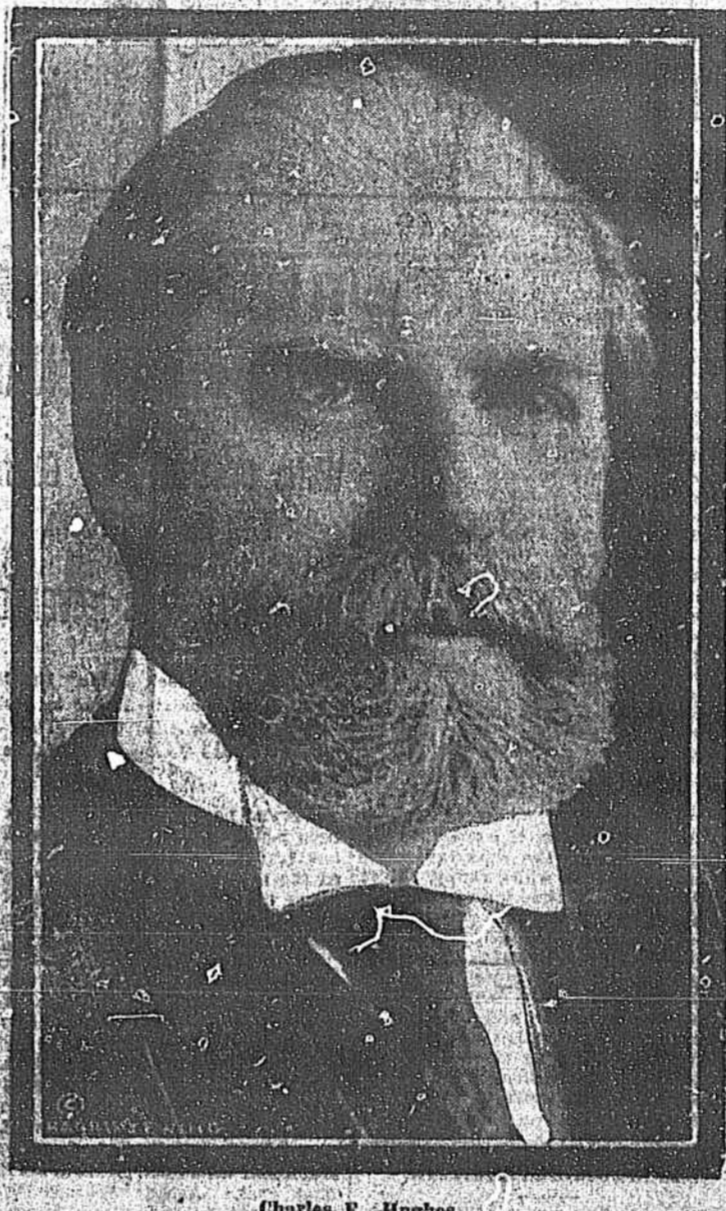
Berlin, May 19.—Street car lines in many parts of Germany hope in the near future to be able to increase their tariffs by about 50 per cent in order to meet increased costs. At a congress of street car men held recently in Berlin resolutions were unanimously adopted in which it is pointed out that the present universal tariff of 10 pennings (2 1-2 cents) was adopted in the nineties, whereas even before the war the expense of most companies had risen 50 per cent after this war. A decided deterioration of all lines is to be expected, the resolutions point out, unless they are allowed to raise prices to 15 pennings (3 3-4 cents).

New East Bonds

Wall Street, June 9.—Railway shares were the dominant feature of trading this morning. St. Paul, Northern Pacific, Reading Southern were higher.

In Louisiana, two in Maine, eight in Massachusetts, 33 in Michigan, four in Missouri, two in Nebraska, three in New Hampshire, four in New Jersey, one in New York, six in Pennsylvania, two in South Carolina, two in Texas, one in Utah, three in Virginia, three in West Virginia, one in Hawaii. He lost one vote in Arkansas and one in Hawaii. Roosevelt gained 15 votes on the second ballot, one of these came from Maine, one from Massachusetts, two from Michigan, 11 from Pennsylvania, and the two from Texas. He lost one vote in Idaho, one in South Carolina, one in West Virginia, and one in Georgia. In Louisiana, where the delegates voted through eleven nominating papers,

Everything Points To Nomination Of Hughes



Charles E. Hughes.

—BY THE CENSOR—

(By Associated Press.)

While the Germans have ceased infantry attacks in the region of the Thiemoor farm, bombardments continue in Chapre Wood, Fumta Wood and south of Damloup. Infantry attacks against Hill 304 have been repulsed by the French.

Rome admits the Italians have withdrawn to new positions east of Asolo and Campemule Valley. Austria claims to have taken more than twelve thousand Italian prisoners since the beginning of the month.

King Constantine of Greece signed an order demobilizing twelve classes of the Greek army, about one hundred and fifty thousand men. Paris considers this the result of pressure by the allies. Athens reports it may bring downfall of the Shouleukis ministry.

CARDINAL GIBBONS TO ATTEND BURIAL

Will Officiate at Funeral of Bishop Northrop

Charleston, June 9.—His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, will officiate at the funeral services of the late Right Rev. Henry Binckley Northrop, D. D., Bishop of the Catholic diocese of Charleston, Tuesday at the cathedral of St. John the Baptist. The Right Rev. D. J. O'Connell of Richmond will deliver the sermon. The interment immediately after the services, will take place in the Bishop's plot on the cathedral grounds.

Flour Famine in Holland

Washington, June 9.—The department of commerce has received a report from Co. Commercial Attache Erwin M. Thompson at the Hague stating that the Netherlands are suffering a wheat and flour famine. The attache says that during the early months of the war the hoarding of white bread was prohibited, but that from the beginning of 1916 until April, 1916, the hoarding was considered to have been averted and bread was plentiful.

The Colonel Speaks

RUSSIANS HAVE TAKEN 65,000 AND BROKEN DEFENSE OF BABIES BY 'BAD' MILK ALARMING

HEAVY GUNFIRE DRIVES GERMAN AND AUSTRIANS BACK DISTANCE OF 15 MILES—MANY LINES COMPLETELY ROUTED

(By Associated Press.)

Petrograd, June 9.—Five days of furious offensive by the Russians under General Brusiloff has broken the Teutonic lines from Kovelsarny railroad to Bukovina, driving them back an average of fifteen miles. In the Lutsk sector the Russians have broken completely through, turning the left flank of the Austrians and the right flank of the Germans and capturing the Lutsk connecting link between the northern and southern regions.

Victories are attributed largely to heavy gunfire. In some places the Russian barrier fire cut off large bodies of the enemy troops, who surrendered.

It is officially announced that the Russians have captured thus far more than sixty-five thousand prisoners.

World Famous Flyer Dies In 700 Ft. Plunge

Lieut. Sanfly, Holder of Many Records, Killed in Fall on Santa Rosa Island

(By Associated Press.)

Panama, June 9.—Lieutenant R. C. Sanfly, navy aviator, was killed here late today when a machine in which he is said to have broken several world's hydro-aeroplane records fell seven hundred feet, landing on Santa Rosa Island. One of the fall pieces of the machine is reported to have been disarranged, causing the accident.

Sanfly was found by persons who witnessed the fall and went to the island in a motor boat. On March 25th Sanfly ascended sixteen thousand feet, said to be the world's record. He was thirty-two years of age, from Kentucky and leaves a widow.

YOUNG HARTWELL MAN IS KILLED INSTANTLY

Larry Wilson Gets 22,000 Volts From Live Wire

Hartwell, Ga., June 9.—Larry Wilson, son of Hartwell, twenty-year-old son of Jno. B. Wilson, commissioner of Roads & Bridges of Hart county, was electrocuted in Lavonia on Monday morning about ten o'clock.

Larry was an employe of The Franklin Light & Power Co. and had gone to Lavonia that morning with A. L. Couch, manager of the company, from Hartwell to do some special work in the sub-station there. In some way he came in contact with a live wire carrying 22,000 volts of electricity and was badly burned on his left shoulder and on the face, never again regaining consciousness.

Secret Census

Chicago, June 9.—Politicians are speculating on the topic of the conversation Justice Hughes and former Attorney General Wickorshaw had when they confabbed yesterday. Mr. Wickorshaw is an original Hughes man. He is believed, despite denials, that they discussed the Chicago situation.

Orders at El Paso.

El Paso, June 9.—Customs inspectors at the International bridge here received instructions today to search for Americans to enter Mexico from here. It is believed that the news was received for the first time which was relayed by telegram from Washington.

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