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HUGHES AND TEDDY NOMINATED -- ROOSEVELT DECLINES CONDITIONALLY -- GRAVE SITUATION IN MEXICO

LEADERS OF TWO PARTIES THINK HARMONY LIKELY WITH HUGHES AT HELM

The Justice Accepts And Immediately Resigns As Member Supreme Court

"Favorite Son" Combination Rapidly Broken Yesterday and Delegates Quickly Flopped to Hughes—Fairbanks Named as His Running Mate And Parker Nominated for Vice-President By Progressives.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, June 10.—Republicans today nominated Hughes for president and Fairbanks for vice-president. Just at the same time Roosevelt was nominated by the Progressives, and later in the day John M. Parker, of Louisiana was named to fill out the Progressive ticket for Vice President. Republicans required another ballot today, the third of the convention, while the Progressive nomination was made by acclamation. Both conventions adjourned.

This afternoon Roosevelt sent a message to the Progressive convention declining the nomination conditionally and it was accepted as Roosevelt wished. This provisional declination is believed to leave the door open for the eventual withdrawal of the third ticket in the event Hughes' position on what the Progressives believe to be the vital issues of the campaign meet their approval. To this extent the leaders of both parties believe that efforts at harmony may yet be realized.

The Republicans, who took two ballots last night with a growing indication that Hughes was likely to win on a third ballot when the convention opened today, found this morning that the "favorite son" combination had been broken and delegates were flopping rapidly to Hughes. By the time the New Jersey delegation was reached in the roll call Hughes received the necessary 494 votes and many wanted to make it unanimous, but chairman Harding insisted on polling the remainder of the States.

When Hughes was nominated no word had come as to whether he would accept, but it came shortly after with the announcement that he would accept and had resigned from the supreme court. Fairbanks, who earlier in the day had requested that his name not be placed in nomination for Vice President, accepted when he was notified that he had been nominated.

Roosevelt's proposal of Senator Lodge as a compromise candidate, while received with cheers in the galleries, could not head off a stampede for Hughes when the third ballot got underway. Governor Johnson, of California, who had been informed before-hand of Roosevelt's attitude toward the Progressive nomination, declined to let his name be used for his running mate.

LYMAN MUST SERVE YEAR AND A HALF IN ATLANTA PEN

REPORT LARGE NUMBER OF SOLDIERS LOST ON ITALIAN TRANSPORT

New York, June 10.—Grant Lyman, convicted of using the mails to defraud investors in oil and mining stocks it which he dealt under the firm name of John H. Purcell & Co., was today sentenced to serve one year and six months in the Atlanta penitentiary.

Lyman asked for an arrest of sentence so that he might help the defense of John H. Purcell & Co. close his affairs.

"With my life," he said, "I will have not the reputation of my being the author of a plan for defrauding investors in stocks." He imagined that an attorney would be appointed.

United States Commissioner allowed Lyman two months in the Atlanta penitentiary starting October 1.

NOTORIOUS BANDIT LEADER CAPTURED

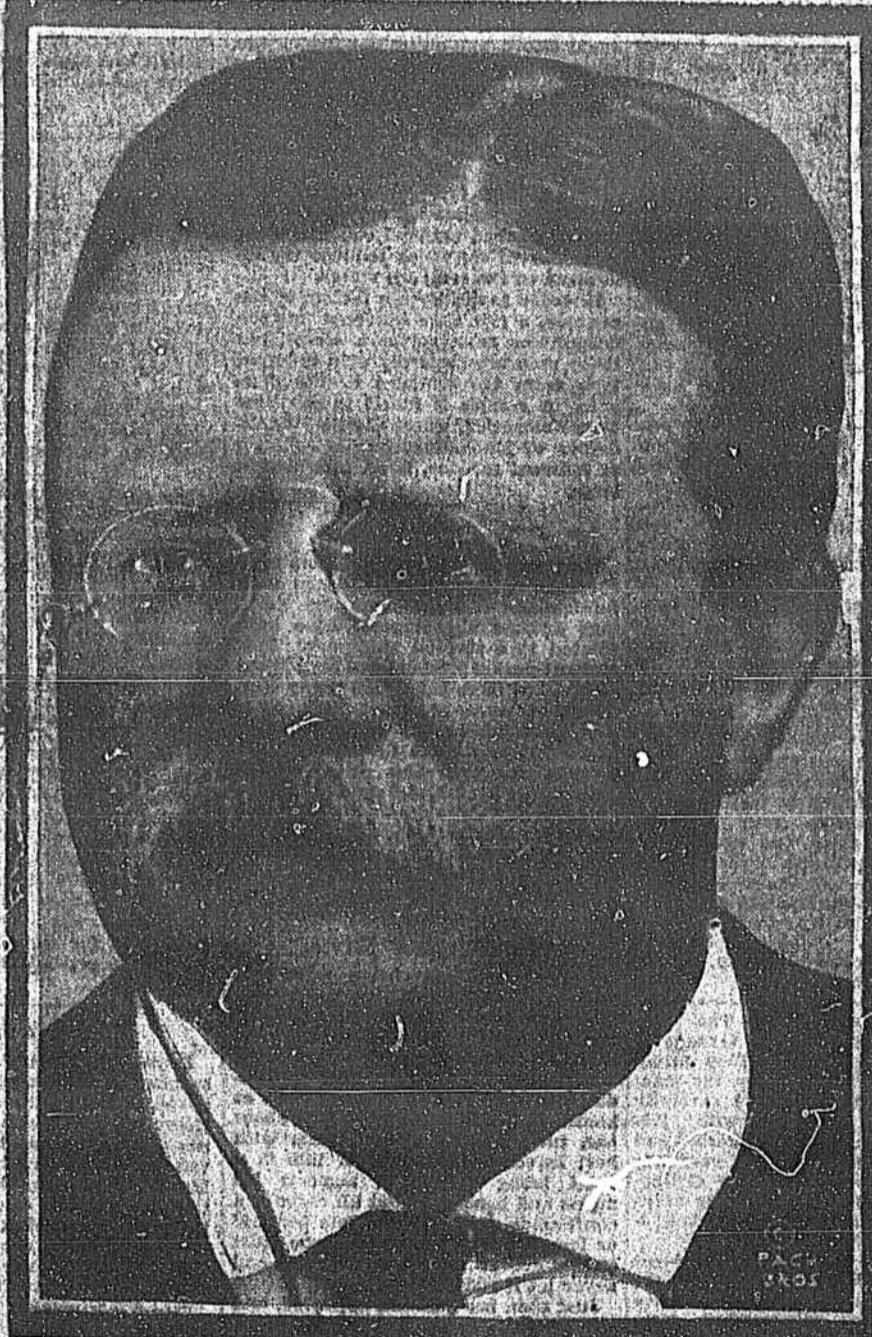
The Wh. Co. through Willard M. Scott, McClellan

For Associated Press.

Calgary, June 10.—General Louis Riel, as leader of the Northwest Mounted Police, has captured the notorious bandit leader, Frank Wilson, alias "Lil' Bill" Thompson, in the mountains of British Columbia.

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He's Still Playing The Game



THEODORE ROOSEVELT

TEDDY DECLINES THE NOMINATION

BY THE CENSOR

(By Associated Press.)
The Russian offensive in Yelnya is continuing to push westward from Lutsk, crossing the Sty river and fighting heavy ground actions with the retreating Austrians. In Galicia, northeast of Tarnopol, the Austrian defense appears to be stiffening and heavy fighting is underway farther south.

The Russians are nearing the Zlota Lipa river, from which they advanced in their drive last September. Petrograd says the prisoners taken by the Russians number more than seventy-two thousand.

Berlin announces progress north-east of Verdun, where ground has been gained southwest of Fort Douamont and Port Vaux. The Germans claim the capture of more than fifteen hundred prisoners in this sector since June 8th.

The British Admiralty states that the Cruiser Hampshire, on which Capt. W. H. Kitson and his staff were lost, was sunk by a mine. All hope has been abandoned for all aboard save the twelve men who were taken off a raft in Scotland.

The loss of the Hampshire, which was abandoned by her crew before being towed to port, was admitted by the Admiralty in the statement.

Philpot said the Hampshire was now undergoing repairs.

GERARD ADMITS THE
AUTHENTICITY OF PEACE
INTERVIEW HE GAVE

Washington, June 10.—Governor called the state department admitting the authenticity of the interview with him on peace published by Mexican newspaper two weeks ago.

He said he had given the interview to the Mexican paper, but did not know when or where he gave it.

ANTI-AMERICAN AGITATION IN MEXICO IS GROWING

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EFFORT TO CONCEAL UN-
EASINESS—CONSULATE AT
DURANGO REPORTED
BURNED AND PERSHING
ATTACKED AT NAMQUIPA

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, June 10.—While administration officials have been unable yet to determine the extent of the anti-American agitation in northern Mexico, they are making no effort to conceal their uneasiness. Recent demonstrations indicate that a definite campaign has been inaugurated to provoke armed clashes between the Mexican and American forces. The state department had no information tonight of current rumors that the American consulate at Durango was burned and General Pershing had been attacked at Namiquipa.

Americans Threatened.
Columbus, N. M., June 10.—American scouts patrolling with Pershing's army in Mexico have been threatened with an attack by Carranza troops, according to authoritative information received here.

A column of Carranza cavalry is said to have dashed forward upon an American detachment recently south of Namiquipa with rifles in their hands.

The Americans averted a clash by standing their ground. According to report the Mexicans withdrew.

Gen. Pershing offensive to Colonia Dublan, the gold base early today, according to dispatches received here, after the inspection of a motor road between here and his headquarters. Preparatory to the rainy season additional motor trucks were ordered.

SEAMAN TELLS OF SEA BATTLE

Captain of Wrecked Cruiser Ac-
count of Miraculous Escape
of big Warship's crew

(By Associated Press.)
London, June 10.—In view of the British admiralty's statement that the dreadnaught Warspite arrived safely in port, Captain E. M. Philpot of the Warspite received the Associated Press correspondent today and related his part in the North Sea battle. Captain Philpot said the Germans believed the Warspite was sunk because the battleship's steering gear went wrong and the Warspite ran astern, drove on enemy ships. He said his crew was not afraid, but was determined to do its duty to protect the other warships in action.

The loss of the Warspite, which was abandoned by her crew before being towed to port, was admitted by the Admiralty in the statement.

Philpot said the Warspite was now undergoing repairs.

CAROLINA EDITORS TO
MEET AT BEAUFORT

York, S. C., June 10.—Reported yesterday by the Associated Press that the Carolina editors were to meet at Beaufort, S. C., on June 12, to discuss the proposed statehood of South Carolina.

J. L. Duff of Spartanburg, S. C., and editor of the Spartanburg Daily Journal, said the meeting was to be held at the home of