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HARDING BEGINS CRUSADE AGAINST LEAGUE NATIONS

Marion, O., July 19.—Assurance that the league of nations will lead all other issues in the campaign is seen by the advisors of Senator Harding in over Sunday development around the camp fires of the two big parties.

The announcement in Washington that Governor Cox stands in perfect accord with President Wilson is taken here to mean a straight out plea by the Democratic party for vindication and perpetuation of the Wilson foreign policy. A policy, against which senator Harding and all of his lieutenants here are ready to make the fight of their political lives.

Even before yesterday's White House conference was concluded Senator Harding had conjectured this significance and outcome and had taken the aggressive in a public statement demanding that the "mysterious foreign commitments" embraced in the President's program be outlined in detail so the American people might know what they were asked to support. At the same time he gave assurances that the Republican party never would accept that program.

The Senator's statement called directly on Governor Cox to put himself on record in regard to Article ten, the Armenian mandate and other subjects on which Mr. Wilson has found himself in conflict with the Republican Senate and with some influential Democrats. The feeling in the Harding camp today was that the next move was up to the Democratic nominee.

The allacrity with which the league issue has come to the fore has caused manifest surprise at Harding's headquarters here. Many of the Senators close associates had no expected Governor Cox, to the counsel with the President at the outset of his campaign to take any aggressive measures to hold the hands of the present administration with which he has not been closely associated. In that event they considered it possible that the league might be thrust more or less with the background. So far however, the other ordinarily important issues have failed to supply a paramount point of conflict and that circumstance is expected to help keep the league in the spot light. The Harding managers are not unmindful that within their own party there is some division of the opinion regarding the league but they believe that on a direct issue of acceptance of the Wilson policy without the dotting of an "I" or the crossing of a "T" they can count on a united Republican front. They also are confident that such an issue will drive a wedge through Democratic solidarity and they do not propose to overlook any opportunity thus to carry the fight into the enemy's territory.

Marion, O., July 19.—Pressing his fight against the "splendid accord" established yesterday between President Wilson and Governor Cox Senator Harding declared in a statement today that triumph of the Democratic ticket this year would mean "a continuation of the foreign policy which has so grievously disappointed both Europe and America."

Apparently foreseeing the league as a paramount campaign issue as a result of the White House conference the Republican candidate adopted an aggressive program of striking at the Wilson policy wherever it showed its head. He took for the text of today's attack a statement on the league attributed to Colonel House and just published in this country.

"We are beginning to understand" said Senator Harding "the mistakenly plighted relationship of the United States to Europe, just in time to proceed to a referendum intelligently. This one provision of this country other than the President who best know the whole situation at Paris was Colonel House. He tells us now in a cabled statement from London that the suggestion of preliminary peace treaty was made very soon after the armistice, and that such a treaty could have been made by Christmas of 1918.

"All along this has been the Republican conception of what ought to have been done, but this is the first official knowledge that Europe wished such a procedure and was deterred by us in expediting peace. The authentic revelation is peculiarly in-

TWO YOUNG WHITE MEN WERE ARRESTED FRIDAY TRANSPORTING WHISKEY

Wallace Pieglar and W. R. Ballard were arrested Friday night by Chief of Police Mosley, Policemen B. F. Gault, P. L. James and J. C. Norman, upon a charge of having in possession and transporting liquor. There are two counts against Peigler, one for transporting whiskey by automobile and the other for keeping and storing whiskey in his home.

About two weeks ago Peigler was arrested upon a similar charge, but was given a chance to redeem himself, which he promised the authorities to do.

The arrest was made on North Church street, near Central school building. The automobile was seized and taken to police headquarters and was turned over to the sheriff of the county.

Chief of Police Moseley then phoned M. S. Turner, Federal Prohibition agent, Spartanburg, who came to Union and took charge of the car, had it appraised, and is advertising it for sale. After 30 days notice, bills of publication will be posted, and unless bond for cost and bond for the double the amount of the appraisement, \$1,200, be given within 30 days, the car will be offered for sale.

W. A. MOOREHEAD HONORED

William A. Moorehead has been elected president and general manager of the Banna Manufacturing Co., at Goldville, S. C., and has assumed his duties.

Mr. Moorehead was born and reared at Mt. Tabor, S. C., and began work with the Banna Mfg. Co., in 1907 as stenographer; in 1914 he was elected secretary of the mill and on Thursday elected president, succeeding George M. Wright, who is now president and general manager of Watts Mills at Laurens, S. C.

The Banna Mfg. Co., in 1907 was only a yarn mill with 5,000 spindles and today it has 15,000 spindles and 350 looms and is one of the most up-to-date mills of its size in the state.

Mr. Moorehead's friends in this county heartily congratulate him upon the honor that has been bestowed and wish for him continued success in his chosen work.

ANTI-SALLOON LEAGUE TO MEET

Columbus, O., July 19.—Announcement was made here today by James A. White, Supt. of the Ohio Anti-Salloon League, that the meeting of the executive committee of the national organization will be held in Washington Thursday instead of Columbus, as originally planned.

The purpose of the meeting, as announced by League leaders is to determine whether the organization will support Governor Cox, the Democratic presidential nominee or Senator Harding the Republican presidential nominee, or neither.

MOVES TO GREENSBORO

Clarence F. Johnson, who for the past five years has been associated with the present Kohn's as director of advertising and manager of the woman's shop, has tendered his resignation to accept a similar position in Greensboro.

Since coming to Columbia, both Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have made hosts of friends who regret that Mr. Johnson's work carries them to North Carolina. Mr. Johnson is popular with the retail merchants of this city. As a token of the high esteem in which he was held by Kohn's employees, they presented him with a handsome watch fob with diamond setting.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were closely identified with the religious and social activities of the city, and their absence will be keenly felt.—The State.

Mrs. Johnson is pleasantly known here as Miss Louise Sexton and the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are interested in the announcement of this change.

WEATHER FORECAST

..Weather: South Carolina: Local thundershowers probable tonight and Tuesday.

..teresting at the moment when the continuation of the foreign policy which has so grievously disappointed both Europe and America is announced."

MILITIA CALLED OUT TO PROTECT FIRE FIGHTERS

Memphis, Tenn., July 19.—With four companies of state troops on duty as a reserve force to meet any eventuality, operation of the Memphis Fire Department by volunteers continued today with interest centered largely in a meeting tonight of Representative of the various labor unions, called by the Executive Committee of the Local Trades and Labor Council, to discuss the situation.

Runners that sympathetic strikes may be called in support of the action of members of the fire fighters "union, who quit work in a body last Tuesday in accordance with resignation presented earlier in the week, when their demands for increased wages were not complied with, were discredited by the more conservative union leaders.

Meanwhile the training of the volunteers continues under the direction of experienced firemen brought here from other cities with the work of reorganizing the department reported by city officials as progressing satisfactorily.

Adjutant General E. B. Sweeney, of the State Militia, is in command of the troops here.

BASKET OF FINE PEACHES

F. W. Carnell, our good friend on Route 2, brought us a basket of delicious peaches grown on his farm. Mr. Carnell planted and cultivated these trees according to the plan of Clemson College and it has repaid him a thousand fold. The trees are six years old and this year the yield is abundant and perfect.

WILL YOU LEND A TENT?

If you have a tent or tents, will you be kind enough to allow the camping party to use it for a few days? Miss Mahala Smith, county demonstrator agent, is very anxious to secure a number of tents for the club members, to be used on the camping trip at Neal Shoals on the 21-23 and the tents will be returned to you immediately upon their return to town.

Please lend a tent.

J. M. Harrison, of Coleraine community, was a visitor to Union today. Wallace Gallman and Hugh Fancett who are in the city hospital in Columbia, are both improving and are expected to return home Saturday.

PRINCE JOACHIM COMMITS SUICIDE

Berlin, July 19.—Friends of Prince Joachim of Hohenzollern Deny stories current in Berlin that his suicide at Potsdam Sunday was brought about by scandal. They say that aside from his marital disappointment, the Prince was acutely embarrassed through his restricted finances. Like his brothers, he is believed to have been sadly in need of funds, owing to the limited allowance from the crown funds permitted him by the Prussian Government. Prince Joachim is also reported to have been brooding over the ultimate fate of the royal house and the criticism to which his father has been subjected in Germany.

By those who were close to the Hohenzollern family when it was in power in Berlin, Prince Joachim was said to have been the favorite son of the former German empress and fears are expressed that the news of his suicide may have a fatal effect on her, also she recently suffered an acute recurrence of her heart trouble.

Doorn Holland, July 19.—The announcement of Prince Joachim's death came to Doorn Castle like a thunderbolt.

The former German Empress, who during the last week has been again seriously troubled by her heart ailments is believed not to have been informed of the tragedy. The Ex-Emperor, however, has been told of it, and has been greatly affected by the untimely end of his favorite son.

Prince Joachim saw his parents quiet recently, it having been only the middle of June when he paid them a visit at Doorn Castle here.

F. O. Barrett, of Spartanburg, spent the week-end in Union with friends.

STATE TROOPS GUARDING JAIL AT GRAHAM, N. C.

Graham, N. C., July 19.—State troops today maintained a cordon of machine guns around the jail here, where three negroes are held charged with attacking a white woman. The soldiers were under orders from Governor Bickett to "shoot straight" if an attempt on the life of the prisoners was made.

The soldiers were sent from Durham when it became apparent that mob violence was imminent. County attorney E. S. Parker prevailed upon the crowd which gathered around the jail to let the law take its course and assisted in keeping the prisoners safe until the arrival of the troops.

The three negroes were placed in jail yesterday after a chase with bloodhounds.

Graham, N. C., July 19.—The night passed quietly after one of the most exciting days in the history of Graham. Shortly after the negroes were arrested yesterday morning a mob estimated at 1,500 to 2,000 men gathered about the jail and made several unsuccessful attempts to gain admission to the prison.

The attack on the woman was made by a masked negro early Saturday evening and the victim today was in a serious condition.

When the crime was reported to the authorities, bloodhounds from Raleigh were brought here and put on the trail one dog was placed on scent which led to a local hospital where George Troxler was employed as cook. Another dog was put on the track and he followed identically the same trail as the first. Canine, and Troxler were arrested. Two other negroes found near the hospital also were taken in to custody.

Crowds soon began collecting around the jail yard and after an unsuccessful attempt had been made to rush the jail door, County Attorney E. S. Parker made a speech urging the mob to desist and let the law take its course. A brother of the victim also mounted the steps to the jail and made a speech in which he begged the mob to go home. The gathering then dispersed.

The three negroes were taken before the woman but she failed to positively identify the man who attacked her.

PARENTS FIND KIDNAPPED GIRL

Richmond, Va., July 19.—That Luna Joyner, who was kidnapped in 1902 when she was five years old, from her home near Church Road, Dinwiddie County, has been found in the person of Mrs. W. T. Rickard, now visiting in Blackstone, it was said by members of the Joyner family, brothers and sisters of the long lost girl, according to reports received here.

The girl was brought up in the home of a Mr. and Mrs. Earle in a suburb of New York City and was given the name of Zella Earle, under which she was subsequently married, the couple moving to Tonawanda, near Buffalo. She is now the mother of two children and is visiting at the home of her sister in Blackstone.

It was through anonymous letters that she was informed of her real name.

Investigation on her part caused her to make the trip to Blackstone to endeavor to establish her identity. She does not remember much about the kidnapping.

Richmond Va., July 19.—At the time of the kidnapping a neighbor the Joyner family was arrested and narrowly escaped lynching. Citizens were so positive that he was guilty that a rope was placed about his neck.

SOLDIERS ATTACKED BY CIVILIANS

Cork, July 19.—Two military lorries loaded with soldiers which passes through the streets of Cork at 3 o'clock this morning were attacked by civilians with bombs and blown up. Between 60 and 70 soldiers were injured.

The civilians threw 29 bombs.

NEW HOUSE OF WORSHIP IS SOON TO BE ERECTED BY LOCKHART METHODISTS

The Lockhart Methodist church will, in the early fall, begin the erection of a new house of worship, to cost \$25,000. One half of this amount will be contributed by Monarch Mills Co., at Lockhart, the other half will be raised by the church. The Lockhart church will receive a donation of \$5,000 from the Methodist Church Extension fund and a loan of \$8,000 from the same source.

The pastor of this church is Rev. J. F. Golightly. The board of stewards is as follows: G. T. Kitchens, Jas. S. Lockman, S. N. Smith and J. S. Carter. The trustees who will compose the building committee includes the stewards and also the following: J. W. Braisington, G. P. Scott, J. L. Hames, H. F. Gault and J. Roy Fant.

The church has a membership of 130 and this move to build is a great forward step. The church building will be of brick veneer, and will have modern Sunday school facilities.

PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Sara, Grace and Ruth Carnell are spending part of the summer holidays with relatives at Woodruff.

Mrs. Lizzie Hames has returned from a visit to relatives in Spartanburg.

Miss Mamie Oetzel will return this week from a fortnight visit to friends on the shores of Lake Michigan.

Mrs. Frank Hough and children have returned from a visit to relatives at Fort Motte.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moorehead, of Goldville, motored to Union yesterday and spent the day with their mother, Mrs. W. A. Moorehead on East Main street.

Mrs. J. H. Hollingsworth and Miss Nina Hollingsworth have returned from a visit to relatives in Macon, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frost Walker and children have returned from Columbia where they were summoned on account of the illness and death of their father, Mr. J. F. Walker, Sr.

Harry Sanders is visiting his uncle, Mr. Kendrick at Wilkesville, n Cherokee county.

Mrs. Edgar Norman (Alba Walker) returned Saturday evening from Winston-Salem, N. C., where she was called on account of the illness of her brother, Ben L. Walker. Mr. Walker is very much improved.

Mrs. W. T. Beaty will return this week from a visit to Mrs. C. R. Robertson at Glenn Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Caldwell and little daughters, Sara Frances and Margaret Elizabeth, have been visiting Mr. Caldwell's mother at King's Creek, where they had a most delightful time. They also visited relatives and friends in Gaffney, York and McCollsville, returning to Union where Mr. Caldwell has resumed his duties at The Southern Cotton Oil Co. This week Mrs. Caldwell and daughters have gone to Sedalia to spend several days with her mother, Mrs. T. J. Alverson; she will also visit her sisters, Mrs. J. T. Whitmore and Mrs. O. B. Hollis, both of Cross Keys.

J. C. Pearson, of Charleston spent the week-end in Union. He will return to Charleston today, and will in a short while leave for a distant state to take training in government service.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sexton have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and Miss Margaret Johnson; Mrs. Russell Sexton and Russell, Jr., of Columbia; Boyd and Otis Johnson, also of Columbia and on Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Will Sexton will arrive to spend some time with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vaughan, who were married last week in Campobello, stopped over in Union yesterday on their way to Darlington from a honeymoon trip to the mountains of North Carolina.

Miss Flora E. Sellers, of Mt. Crogan, is the guest of friends in Union this week.

RUN DOWN BY AUTO

James High, then ten-year-old son of Mr. Jap High, was run down by an automobile yesterday and it is thought he suffered a broken leg, and other injuries. The accident occurred on Main street, near the monument.

COX IN UNITY WITH WILSON'S IDEAS ON LEAGUE

Washington, July 19.—Unity of opinion on the league of nations in particular and the Democratic platform in general was acclaimed by President Wilson and Governor Cox, the Democratic Presidential nominee in statements published today treating of yesterday's conference at the White House.

President Wilson's statement said that he and the party nominee "were absolutely at one with regard to the great issue of the league of nations" and that Mr. Cox "is ready to be the champion in every respect of the honor of the nation and the peace of the world."

Governor Cox in summarizing the results of the conference said it brought out that he and the President "are agreed as to the meaning and sufficiency of the Democratic platform and the duty of the party in the face of threatened bad faith to the world in the name of America."

Franklin D. Roosevelt, the Democratic candidate for Vice President who also participated in the conference which lasted about an hour said "splendid accord" was shown in the conversation between Mr. Wilson and Mr. Cox.

Party leaders here expressed satisfaction today over the results of the fifty hour visit of Governor Cox to the Capitol. In addition to the conference with President Wilson the nominee saw a number of Senators, Representatives and other officials before departing for Columbus, Ohio late yesterday.

COX ARRIVES IN COLUMBUS

Columbus, Ohio July 19.—Governor Cox, conferred with President Wilson yesterday in Washington, arrived in Columbus at 7:45 o'clock prepared to work on matters of state business and to meet with the Democratic National committee here tomorrow.

Columbus, Ohio, July 19.—Conferences on Democratic campaign plans engaged Governor Cox, the party standard bearer, immediate upon his return today from Washington.

Homer S. Cummings, chairman, and many members of the national committee arrived for the meeting of the full committee tomorrow and kept Governor Cox busy with discussions of selecting a campaign manager, speaking tours, finances and other affairs.

Governor Cox declined today to reply to the statement of Senator Harding, his Republican opponent, calling for a bill of particulars of the governor's conference with President Wilson. Stating that he was "very much pleased" with the results of his talk with the president, Governor Cox, reiterated, with respect to Mr. Harding's statement that he would not engage in a wire debate with the opposition.

"In my speech of acceptance," said the governor, "I will answer all that I deem required to answer."

Chairman Cummings had an afternoon engagement with the governor, who with other members of the national committee here, said no agreement on the management of the campaign had yet been reached. It was stated that Edwin H. Moore, the governor's floor manager at San Francisco, could have the chairmanship if he desired, but friends of Mr. Moore declared he did not wish to serve in that capacity. Mr. Moore was due to arrive here from his home at Youngstown late in the day.

The national committee is to meet tomorrow morning for its first real business session since the San Francisco convention. A big meeting was held here but all important business was deferred for tomorrow's gathering. The committee will be entertained by Mrs. Cox at a buffet luncheon tomorrow afternoon at the governor's home.

Many women newly elected to the committee under the expansion rule adopted at San Francisco giving the women an equal number of committee memberships with men, are arriving for the meeting tomorrow.

Returning from Washington today with Governor Cox was Franklin D. Roosevelt, the vice presidential nominee, who will remain over for the national committee's meeting as a guest at the executive mansion.

Youngstown, Ohio, July 19.—E. H. Moore, Democratic national commissioner for Ohio and pre-convention manager for Governor Cox, who returned to his home here from San Francisco Sunday night, stated today that he positively would not accept the position of chairman of the Democratic national committee and manager of Governor Cox's campaign for the presidency.