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DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE WILL CONFER WITH PRESIDENT WILSON AT WASHINGTON ON SUNDAY

ROOSEVELT WILL ALSO BE PRESENT

Stragglers Returning from the Democratic Convention Held a Sort of a Cabinet Meeting—Senator Cox Now Recognized as the Leader of the Party.

Washington, July 15—Gov. Cox, Democratic aspirant for the mantle of Woodrow Wilson, and Franklin D. Roosevelt, his running mate on the ticket will confer with the President on Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock. Word to this effect came out of Ohio from the Cox camp, and was confirmed at the White House.

There has been a lot of anxiety at the White House about just when this conference was to be held, and no little telephoning and telegraphing between Washington and Ohio. Now everything is fixed up with Franklin Roosevelt scheduled to be present, apparently to smooth down Mr. Wilson and the man who has some hopes of succeeding him if they get into violent juxtaposition on the League of Nations subject.

As a matter of fact Mr. Roosevelt will get back into Washington on Friday and try to glance swiftly through the records of just what the Navy Department and the Assistant Secretary of the Navy have been up to since he and his boss Josephus Daniels, went out to San Francisco to take part in the convention. Gov. Cox will arrive here Saturday night.

The stragglers returning from the convention held a sort of Cabinet meeting today with several absentees Mr. Burleson, the Postmaster General and Administration political wisecracker, was here to take part. Bainbridge Colby, Secretary of State, was on the job. Secretary of War Baker, who hails from Ohio, and therefore did not attend the convention, was there along with the few others who did not go to urge the claims of Mr. Wilson, Mr. McAdoo, or, as in his own case, Attorney General Palmer.

MEAT PRICES ARE CLIMBING

New York, July 15—Meat prices are 10 to 12 cents higher over the retail counter—an unusually high level for the time of year. The dealers who made this observation yesterday added that the prices will mount still higher. Edwin C. O'Malley, Commissioner of Markets, said he expects no relief until cold weather sets in.

Short shipping to the New York market is largely responsible for the high price wave, Mr. O'Malley said. He explained that the packers find no trouble elsewhere in the country, while they are able to raise prices here, New York acts as a price barometer for the rest of the nation.

Mr. O'Malley said that the surplus army beef purchased by the big packers from the Canadian and American governments has indirectly created the situation.

"This frozen meat was taken by the packers to New Haven, Syracuse, Rochester and other points in the nearby States," he said. "It cost them 10 1/2 cents and was sold as high as 18 and 20 cents, although the price in New York was restricted to 13 cents by the Government regulations."

Gives Up Business

Mr. Lankford Good who has conducted the Windsor Hotel at Edmundston for several years, has retired from the business, and with Mrs. Good is now visiting relatives here. Under Mr. Good's management there has been established a large and profitable trade and is looked upon as one of the best hotels in the up river section. Mr. Good is as yet undecided as to his future plans.

SAYS THAT JAMAICA'S OUTPUT OF SUGAR CAN EASILY BE DOUBLED

NEW YORK, July 16.—Jamaica's sugar output is rapidly increasing and may soon be doubled, if more capital can be attracted, according to Frank N. Isaacs, head of the Emigration Protective Service for the East Indies, who arrived today on the United Fruit Company's steamer Carrillo from Central America and Kingston, Jamaica. Mr. Isaacs is stationed in Jamaica and says that labor conditions there contrast to a marked degree with those of the United States. To work the sugar plantations and cultivate other crops laborers are imported from India and employed under five year contracts. At present there are 20,000 such laborers working on the island, drawing the minimum sum of \$4 a week, which by overtime may be doubled.

FEDERAL BY ELECTIONS WILL NOT BE HELD BEFORE THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

A Tedious Procedure has to be Followed Under the Terms of the New Franchise Act—Provincial Lists are to be Used as a Basis—Notice Must be Given Before Registrars Can Meet to Prepare Electoral Lists.

OTTAWA, July 16.—Nearly two months will elapse before the Federal by-elections necessitated by taking Hon. F. B. McCurdy and Hon. R. W. Wigmore into the cabinet can be held. Under the new franchise act there is a lengthy procedure to unroll. Before registrars can sit to prepare lists, using provincial lists as a basis, there must be a notice of four days in urban centres. Then there is a six day sitting, exclusive of Sundays, and three days more are allowed to post copies of lists. The revising officers must give four days notice of sittings, and their sittings have to commence twenty-one days before the date of polling. Making allowance for this and other measures exacted by law, it appears that the elections cannot take place before the first week in September.

For East Elgin the writ for an election must be issued by August 17, as that is just six months after the speaker's warrant authorizing the writ was issued. The voting will occur on whatever date is then set in the writ. It is possible to delay it until October, and that probably will be done. Yale, B. C., by-election may be even later.

It is reported here that J. H. Burnham, M. P., has "put one over" on a guileless electorate by announcing that he had resigned. Such a letter was sent, but it is said to lack the witness of two other members of parliament by which alone it is made effective. Mr. Burnham may, therefore, be sitting in his old seat the next parliamentary session if a general election does not first intervene.

CIRCUS DAY PRODUCED TWO INTOXICATED

One Had Liquor in His Possession—Penalties Imposed Today—Assault Case Heard.

This morning the case of an ex-employee of the city who is charged with stealing five bags of sugar from the warehouse of A. F. Randolph & Sons was to have come up, in the Police Court, but was adjourned until the 21st, no evidence being taken. The accused is at present out on bail.

Circus Day Drunks.
Two drunks also appeared, the only two taken on circus day. One was charged with being drunk and was fined \$8 or thirty days, the other who had a bottle in his possession at the time of his arrest received a like penalty for being drunk and an additional sentence of \$100 of three months. Up till this morning neither of the fines had been paid. The circus people appeared to be very orderly and, although several special policemen were on the job, no trouble was reported. The drunks were not arrested on the circus grounds.

Stewart, the young Marysville lad, who was charged with having a stolen bicycle in his possession knowing it to be stolen was fined \$25 and costs.

Assault Case Thursday.
Thursday morning two employees on the construction of the Fraser Memorial Hospital appeared one being charged by the other with assault. Evidence was taken it being shown that the trouble arose out of an incident during work at the hospital. The accused was Harold Rogers and the complainant Albert Bennett. The accused was convicted and a fine of twenty dollars and costs imposed. G. T. Feeney appeared for Rogers.

NOVA SCOTIAN KILLED BY TRAIN

Truro, N. S., July 16.—A shocking fatality occurred at Brookfield at 2 o'clock this afternoon when Stanley Sutherland of that place received injuries from which he died an hour later. Mr. Sutherland, who was thirty-five years of age and a well known mill owner, was crossing the railway track at Brookfield Station in an automobile when the car was struck by the Halifax-bound maritime express. The locomotive hit the rear wheel of the automobile on the off side and smashed the machine to pieces. Mr. Sutherland, who was alone in the car, was thrown some distance and so badly injured that he died an hour afterward, never regaining consciousness. He had come in from Brentwood a few miles away where he had a sawmill and was proceeding to Brookfield station where he had men loading lumber.

A NEW YORK WOMAN WAS SLAIN BY A CHAUFFEUR WHO HAD BECOME INFATUATED WITH HER

CIRCUS AWAY AFTER TWO GOOD PERFORMANCES

Hagenbeck-Wallace Shows Orderly and a Fine Entertainment—By C. N. R. to Woodstock.

The Hagenbeck-Wallace Shows left by C. N. R. early this morning for Woodstock after giving Fredericton two of the best circus performances ever seen here. Both performances were attended by large numbers of spectators the afternoon performance having a capacity attendance. As soon as the evening performance had progressed sufficiently to permit of the removal of canvas, poles and other circus equipment, the crews started work. This part was witnessed by large numbers of people as to many the pitching and striking of circus tents and the loading of railway-cars is as interesting as a performance. The largest elephant was used in the process of striking tents and moving wagons. This circus also used powerful motor-trucks and gasoline machines for rolling the canvas on special wagons.

Good Order Maintained.
The police report little trouble with the Hagenbeck-Wallace Circus. A few instances of incorrect change being given were reported but soon were straightened out. Order on the circus grounds was of the best.

Extra Good Animal Turns.
The animal turns put on inside a large removable cage in the centre of the arena struck all who witnessed them as being the best ever seen here. This was not only on account of the variety of animals and their numbers but also on account of their actual performances.

Loaded at Bebbington's.
The vicinity of Bebbington's siding was thronged late last night by spectators of the loading operations. The sidings of the C. N. R. at that place are very convenient for such operations but some of the circus employees grumbled about the distance of the "lot" from the railway.

The first train got away at 1.30 a. m. and the second at 2 a. m.

The Diamond Suffered.
The diamond inside the race course at the Trotting Park was covered by the "big top" of the circus and of course suffered some damage. It is believed however that it can be restored so as to finish the league games on it.

HYDROPLANES WILL ARRIVE SATURDAY WITH FINE WEATHER

The two hydroplanes which are being taken from Halifax to Quebec to be used in the Forest service of that province and which are to land at Fredericton for gasoline and oil will not be here today. A telegram was received by Bert Atherton, proprietor of the West End Boat Livery who is to have charge of the anchorage and tending of the planes, that they will leave Halifax tomorrow if the weather is favorable. The wire also stated that another message would be sent to Mr. Atherton at the time of departure from Halifax.

Five barrels of special aeroplane gasoline and four barrels of Mobile B. arrived yesterday morning and is in charge of R. B. Jones of the local branch of the Imperial Oil Co. The landing is to be made above the Fredericton-Devon Highway Bridge and a smoke signal is to be kept burning to guide them to the proper place.

P. F. Blanchet, of St. John, is in the city.
John G. Lobb, of St. John is in the city.

SOUTH AFRICAN TEAM WINNERS OF THE KOLAPORE CHALLENGE CUP

BISLEY CAMP, July 16.—The South African team today won the Kolapore Challenge Cup, the historic trophy presented by the Rajah of Kolapore for competition by members of His Majesty's forces in 1871. At six hundred yards the South African team maintained their remarkable scoring, the blackboard being a spectacle of centrals, and when four had fired they were nine points ahead of the British team. The South African team consisted entirely of veteran shots all of whom had been frequent visitors to Bisley, but their victory was thoroughly deserved. It is the first time that South Africa has won the Kolapore Cup.

THAT IS THE THEORY OF THE AUTHORITIES

Murder Took Place Near Stonington, Conn.—After Shooting the Woman the Man Fired Two Bullets Into His Own Brain—Died Later in a Hospital.

New York July 16.—The Connecticut authorities who are investigating the murder near Stonington late Monday afternoon of Mrs. Arthur De Cordova of 251 West Eighty-ninth street said yesterday that they had definitely abandoned the idea that a third person might have been concerned in the crime. They have obtained evidence which they declare proves positively that Mrs. Cordova was shot and killed by her chauffeur, Bernard B. Geissler, who then fired two bullets into his own brain, causing wounds from which he died early yesterday in a New London hospital. A verdict to this effect is expected when Coroner Franklin H. Brown of Gales Ferry holds the inquest.

Benjamin H. Hewitt, county prosecutor of Stonington, said yesterday that the motive for the crime was an uncontrollable and unreturned infatuation which Geissler had developed for Mrs. Cordova. This theory as well as the opinion of the authorities, that Geissler first shot Mrs. De Cordova and then killed himself, has been accepted by the dead woman's husband, Arthur De Cordova, according to a statement made yesterday by his attorney George Young Baughie. The lawyer said that neither he nor Mr. De Cordova could conceive of any other motive than a hopeless infatuation.

REDUCING HIS WEIGHT

Philadelphia, July 16.—Emory Titman, well known to baseball fans, is now the champion reducer. In six months he has worked off 303 pounds of excess avoirdupois. He could afford to lose it, because he had 623 pounds on which to work.

Emory came up from Atlantic City to see the Tandler-Jackson fight last night, and his friends were amazed at the change in his appearance.

"For years" he said, "I tried to reduce my weight in gymnasiums, but gained steadily. In 1919 the increase was twenty-three pounds. On the first of January this year I wandered into the office of the Hygea Pool at Atlantic City. The management was short a man in the towel washing department. I volunteered my services. The first day's work netted a reduction of four pounds. Hardly a day passes that my work, lifting bundles of wet towels in the steam filled room, fails to take off a pound and a half." Titman's goal is 180 pounds before the end of the year.

BAND CONCERT TONIGHT

Brass Band to Play at Parliament Square this Evening.

The following program has been arranged by Bandmaster George H. Offen of the Fredericton Brass Band and will be played this evening at Parliament Square, at 8 o'clock.

O Canada.
March—The Wellington, Zekle.
Overture—Behemian Girl Balfe.
Waltz—Ensueno Seducitor Linke.
Song—Spring will return with you O'Hara.
March—Trafalgar, Hume.
Dance—The Scarf Dance, Chominade.
Fox Trot—Rose of Washington Square, Hanley.
One Step—Gee Whiz, Loesh.
God Save the King.

Mr. Frederick Cooper of Kansas City arrived here Thursday and is visiting his sister Mrs. J. W. McCready.