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THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1912

In its last week's issue, the Custer County Republican, a Taft supporter, begins to hedge by announcing that should Roosevelt be nominated at the Chicago convention it will support him.

Joseph Oberfelder of Sidney has been appointed assistant sergeant-at-arms of the democratic national convention at Baltimore, an appointment that is quite pleasing to this newspaper.

Read the advertisements in The Herald, and then patronize the advertisers. By so doing you will be doing yourself a good turn by transacting business with reliable business men, and incidentally you will be favoring with your trade those who deserve it. It wouldn't hurt the paper if occasionally you would mention to advertisers that you saw their announcements in The Herald.

The ladies' aid societies of several of the Alliance churches have adopted a practice that is worthy of emulation. On the last Wednesday of every month having five Wednesdays a union meeting is held, the ladies of one church entertaining those of the other churches. Last week the ladies of the United Presbyterian the First Presbyterian and the Methodist churches were guests of the Baptist ladies at the Baptist church.

The confidence that old timers have in agricultural prospects of this country should be encouraging to persons who have invested in land here with the expectation of farming. This confidence is shown by preparations for engaging in farming more extensively. I. L. Acheson who is agent for the Rumley Oil-Pull traction engine and plows has sold three outfits this season and has received another which he has prospects of selling. The three persons who have already purchased are G. M. Hatch of Angola, J. R. Van Boskirk and Broiles Brothers.

Sequoia is the name of the mammoth trees, some of which are estimated to be more than two thousand years old. In order to prevent the extermination of these trees, the Forest Service of the United States Department of Agriculture has undertaken within the last few years to replant them. Splendid success has so far rewarded these efforts in getting the young trees started, but it is not expected that they will attain the size of "giants of the forest" during the present administration.

The Herald's railroad reporter was late in getting copy ready for this week's issue, hence the same was crowded out, which we very much regret.

Good things to eat, with pleasant surroundings, will have a fine opportunity to gratify their desires.

Judge Berry made an over Sunday visit to Denver.

J. R. Haskins, proprietor of the Scottsbluff Steam Laundry, was visiting friends in Alliance the first of the week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rehder on Monday, June 3, a boy.

Miss Maude Martin of Lincoln, sister of Edgar M. Martin, terminated her visit in Alliance on Tuesday.

"Central Cafe" is the name of the new eating house soon to be opened by "Bill" Becker at 207 Box Battle avenue.

WARREN G. HARDING.

Ohio Man Who May Be Chosen to Nominate Taft at Convention.



WISE CRITICISES ARCHBALD

Attorney Says Judge Was Too Lenient in Wire Pool Cases.

Washington, June 4.—United States Attorney Wise of New York, before the house judiciary committee, gave his opinion of the judicial conduct of Judge Robert W. Archbald of the commerce court in the wire pool anti-trust cases in New York last July. Judge Archbald fined most of the eighty odd defendants \$1,000 each after they had pleaded guilty to criminal violations of the Sherman law.

Mr. Wise expressed the view that the defendants escaped with inadequate fines. He also gave the committee his reasons for complaining against the use of the *relevo contende* pleas.

Mr. Wise read from the court records and reiterated the objections he had made then to Judge Archbald's rulings.

MRS. EBELING ASKS DIVORCE

Charges Husband With Sending Her Poisoned Flowers.

Chicago, June 4.—Mrs. Rose Ebeling charged that her husband had sought to harm her by sending her a box of poisoned flowers. The accusation was made in a bill for divorce filed in the circuit court against Frederick Ebeling.

The complaint avers that the flowers were sent her after she had instructed her attorney to prepare the divorce plea, and that the fumes of the flowers, which were American Beauty roses, overpowered the servant, who, although warned from the box by Mrs. Ebeling, opened the package and removed the roses.

Mrs. Ebeling says that her husband has property in California and Missouri and an income of \$200 a month.

Conditions in Cuba Are Improving.

Washington, June 4.—A distinct improvement in the conditions in the neighborhood of Daiquiri, Cuba, is reported to the state department. There is a lack of encouragement, however, in reports from other points in Cuba. The consuls, while not reporting any actual uprisings, indicate the existence of unrest.

Captain Rostron Presented With Purse

New York, June 4.—Captain Arthur H. Rostron of the steamship Carpathia, which brought into port the survivors of the Titanic disaster, was presented with a draft for \$10,000, a fund subscribed by readers of the New York American.

THE MARKETS

Chicago, June 3.—Closing prices: Wheat—July, \$1.10½; Sept., \$1.04½. Corn—July, 72½¢; Sept., 72½¢. Oats—July, 49½¢; Sept., 49½¢. Pork—July, \$13.75; Sept., \$13.85. Lard—July, \$10.95; Sept., \$11.12½. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, \$1.08½@1.12; No. 2 corn, 74¢@75¢; No. 2 white oats, 52½¢@53½¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; steady to 10c up; beefs, \$6.05@9.40; western steers, \$6.40@8.20; stockers and feeders, \$4.25@6.65; cows and heifers, \$2.85@8.05; calves, \$5.50@9.00. Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; firm to 10c up; light, \$7.15@7.62½; heavy, \$7.20@7.70; rough, \$7.20@7.45; pigs, \$5.25@7.20; bulk, \$7.50@7.65. Sheep—Receipts, 23,000; steady; natives, \$2.50@6.40; westerns, \$4.00@6.25; yearlings, \$5.20@7.75; lambs, \$5@9.25.

Foreigners Flee From Chihuahua.

Chihuahua, Mex., June 4.—Only 106 foreigners out of a normal foreign population of at least 2,000 reside in Chihuahua today. Of the 1,000 Americans who ordinarily live here, only thirty-five men and seventy-one women remain. An official census shows that fears of an attack on the rebel city by the advancing federals has practically depopulated the town. Thirty thousand people inhabit Chihuahua in time of peace, but today less than 20,000 are here and the exodus is daily growing larger.

FOR OPEN MEETING

Suggests When Contests Are Heard Doors Be Opened.

WANTS PRESS MEN ADMITTED

Members of Republican National Committee Gather in Chicago—Two of the Candidates Have Headquarters at Same Hotel.

Chicago, June 4.—President Taft has written to Chairman Harry S. New of the subcommittee on arrangements for the national Republican convention suggesting that the meetings of the national committee at which contests are heard be thrown open to the press and to the public.

The president's letter was received at the national committee headquarters. In it he suggests that Mr. New take up with the committee the matter of open hearings, and that if the committee finds it possible the deliberations over the contests, 23 of which have already been prepared for submission, be carried on in open sessions.

Chairman New expressed the opinion that the action taken by the president will have great weight with the committee. This, taken in connection with the previous request of Colonel Roosevelt for publicity of the contest arguments, indicates that the doors probably will be thrown open at least to newspaper men, when the committee takes up the contested delegate cases Friday morning.

Not Expressing Opinions.

Few members of the national committee had reached Chicago, and of those here none would express a definite opinion as to the action of the committee on the matter of public arguments. The president's letter was the chief subject of discussion at political headquarters and his declaration for publicity of the hearings is declared by his supporters now here to indicate that the Taft managers believe their contest cases are strongly prepared.

The Taft headquarters was opened by Joseph B. Keating of Indiana. The Roosevelt and the Taft headquarters have been established in the same hotel. Alexander H. Revell, head of the Illinois headquarters, who returned from Oyster Bay, gave out a statement outlining what he says is Colonel Roosevelt's attitude toward convention organization.

"We are assured absolutely that there will be a clear majority for Colonel Roosevelt on the first ballot," said Mr. Revell. "The proposition in sight is to develop the strength throughout the convention preliminaries, so that it ultimately will be concentrated in the nomination of Colonel Roosevelt."

"Absolutely nothing else has, or will be considered by Colonel Roosevelt or by his friends prior to or during the convention."

Roosevelt to Oppose Root.

Oyster Bay, June 4.—Colonel Roosevelt issued a long statement declaring definitely his intention to fight the election of Senator Root as temporary chairman of the national Republican convention.

SENATE AMENDS NAVAL BILL

Committee Restores Provision for Two Battleships and Eight Submarines.

Washington, June 4.—The senate committee on naval affairs restored to the naval appropriation bill provision for two battleships, stricken out by the house.

In addition to the battleships the senate committee provides for eight submarine torpedo boats, instead of four voted by the house; retains the house provision for six torpedo boat destroyers, two fuel ships, a tender to destroyers and a submarine tender.

The committee struck out the house eight-hour restriction on government contract work; adopted an amendment incorporating the Hebson plan for creating a national council for defense, and provided the grades of admiral and vice admiral for the commanders in chief and second officers in command respectively in the Atlantic and Pacific fleets, while they hold such commands.

The committee fixes the term of all enlisted men at four years, with provision for voluntary extension of service; authorizes the secretary to buy war material abroad in an emergency, and provides for the \$1,000,000 round-the-world wireless system which the house threw out of the bill.

CONDENSED NEWS

Democratic senators in caucus fruitlessly tried to adopt a program with regard to the revision of the tariff on sugar. The chemical tariff bill will be brought up in the senate this week and the sugar tariff debate will follow.

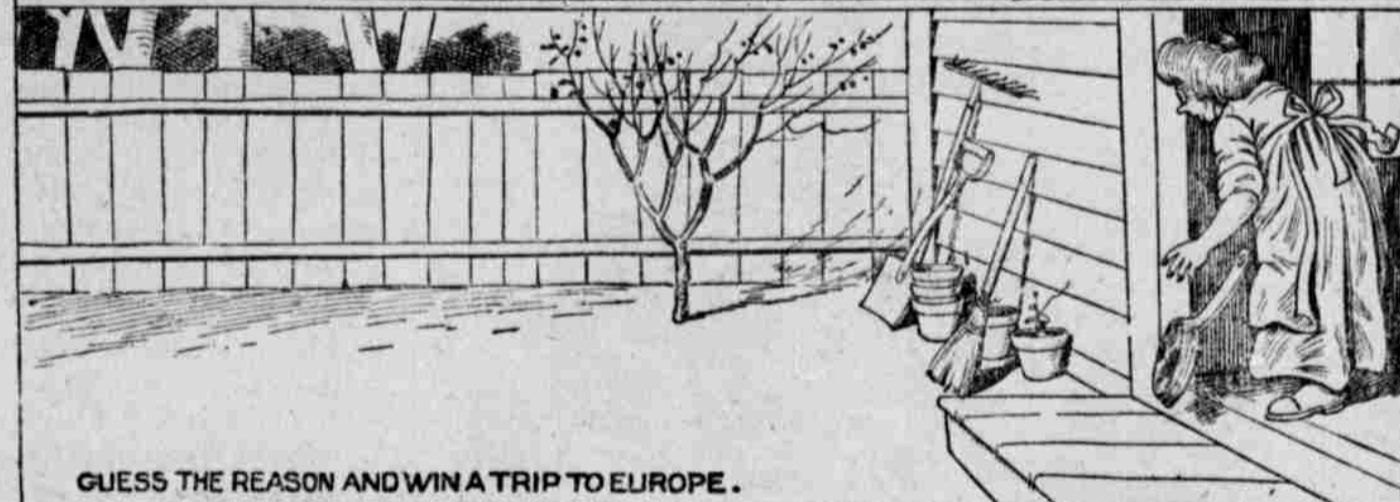
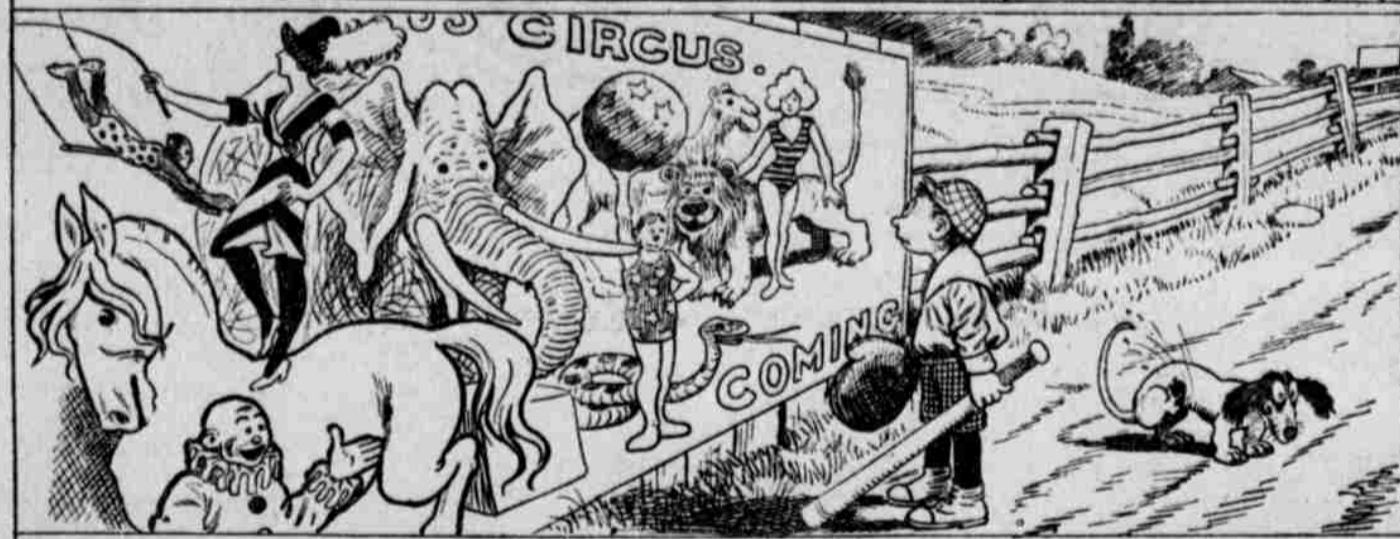
Job Harriman and LeCompte Davis, both of whom were associated with Clarence S. Darrow in the trial of the McNamara brothers, will be witnesses for the prosecution in the trial of Darrow at Los Angeles for alleged jury bribing.

The kindness with which Orris Northrup, a thirteen-year-old boy, treated James Burge, an old man, has been richly rewarded. The circuit court of Ozark county (Mo.) has sustained the will of Burge, in which the boy is given \$32,000.

See the Airship Flights June 20, 21 and 22

THE OUTLET

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