every two weeks to any person in the state. Mississippi also passed a law prohibiting liquor advertising in any form. In Massachusetts the prohibition forces were successful in having passed a law prohibiting the transportation of liquor from a licensed community to a no-licensed community, an act for which they have worked for several years.

#### Kentucky Saloons Regulated

Some new restrictions on Kentucky saloons, were provided by the passage of the so-called Hutchcraft law, resulting virtually in abolishing Sunday liquor-selling and closing saloons tight on certain other prescribed days and hours.

Maryland passed a local option law for all the wet territory in the state to be voted upon by the units affected next November. Virginia passed a bill putting into effect methods of enforcement of the prohibitory law, passed in 1914, which becomes effective on the first of next November.

The reform of prison and charitable institutions was another item of progressive legislation in a few states, notably in New York. way was paved for the practical abolition of the antiquated and unsanitary Sing Sing prison and the cell block system of prison construction, and the building of a new \$2,-000,000 prison, along modern lines, remodelling Sing Sing for use merely as a receiving and distributing center. The New York legislature also adopted a plan under which long-term prisoners by fatihful performance of their work and good behavior may earn a commutation amounting to one-fourth of their minimum sentences.

### Many Convict Laws Revised

Virginia took its first step toward abolishing convict labor by repealing an act which permitted contracts to be made for the employment of prisoners. Another new Virginia law provides for the segregation of the feeble-minded.

New Jersey revised its law concerning the commitment of the insane and the management of hospitals for the insane. A state colony for the care of feeble-minded is also to be established. Still another New Jersey measure calls for the destruction of records of conviction of juvenile offenders after a certain time. Oklahoma passed a law providing for the employment of convicts on public roads.

In New York and elsewhere further regulation of the automobile traffic was considered. A commission was appointed in New York to draft new schedules of motor registration fees under which commercial vehicles would be required to pay their proportionate share for highway wear and tear and a tax of \$2.50 was imposed for each motorcycle.

# MR. HUGHES'S SPEECH OF ACCEPTANCE

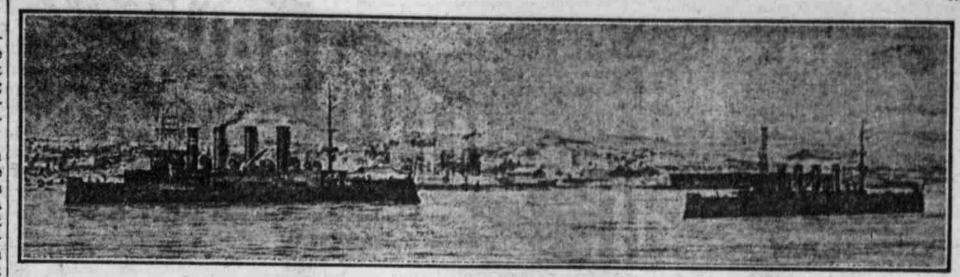
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and secure proper administrative efficiency, and a well-balanced consideration of new administrative proposals.

We live in a fateful hour. In a true sense, the contest for the preservation of the nation is never ended. We must still be imbued with the spirit of heroic sacrifice which gave us our country and brought us safely through the days of civil war. We renew our pledge to the ancient ideals of individual liberty, of opportunity denied to none because of race or creed, of unswerving loyalty. We have a vision of America prepared and secure, strong and just, equal to her tasks, an exemplar of the capacity and efficiency of a free people. I indorse the platform adopted by the convention and accept its nomination.

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