

NEW YORK DEMOS ENDORSE WILSON

Bourbons in State Convention Ratify Foreign Policies of President.

MOVE FOR HIS RE-ELECTION

SYRACUSE, N. Y., March 1.—In keynote speech and platform, democrats of New York state, assembled in informal convention tonight, ratified the administration of President Wilson and took steps to bring about his re-election.

The following delegates-at-large to the national democratic convention at St. Louis were recommended for the support of the party voters at the spring primaries:

United States Senator James A. O'Gorman; William Church Osborn, chairman of the democratic state committee; George J. Meyer of Buffalo, a German-American supporter of the president, and Samuel Untermyer, a New York attorney.

Mark is Endorsed. The convention also adopted a resolution recommending the re-election of Norman E. Mark of Buffalo as democratic national committeeman.

The delegates to the national convention who comprise New York's "Big Four" were unpledged, but were nominated with the understanding that they are to work for a second term for Mr. Wilson.

The keynote speech, delivered by former Governor Martin H. Glynn, as sermonic chairman, aroused much enthusiasm. In addition to commending the actions of Mr. Wilson during his administration, it replied directly to the criticisms of the president and his foreign policies, made by Senator Elihu Root at the recent republican state convention in New York.

Will Distribute Speech. At the conclusion of the speech the convention adopted a resolution providing for the distribution by the democratic state committee of 1,000,000 copies throughout the country.

The platform expressed the faith of New York's democracy in the president and urged his renomination and re-election. It was adopted enthusiastically amid prolonged cheering. It dealt solely with national and international issues.

It endorsed the European and Mexican policies of the president. A futile attempt was made by advocates of woman suffrage to insert in the platform a plank pledging the party to support the movement.

The platform says: "We heartily endorse Woodrow Wilson as a president who has caused to be fulfilled the promises of his party. He has asserted the rights of our citizens and preserved the honor and dignity of our country and we believe that the best interests of all the people demand his continuance in his high office."

Ford Says Filing of His Name for President is Joke

DETROIT Mich., March 1.—Henry Ford said today he was not to be seriously considered as a republican candidate for the presidency.

"I do not want anything to do with politics or political offices," said Mr. Ford. "The filing of my name at Lansing was a joke."

Railroad Station at Montreal Burns

MONTREAL, March 1.—The Bonaventure station of the Grand Trunk railroad was destroyed by fire today at a loss estimated at \$300,000. The police declared that a preliminary investigation indicated that the fire was caused by crossed electric wires, but fire department officials said they have reason to believe the building was destroyed as a result of an enemy plot.

Liner with Guns is Given Clearance

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The Italian liner Napoli, which reached New York several days ago with guns mounted aboard, was ordered cleared today under assurances similar to those in the case of the liners San Guglielmo and Giuseppe Verdi, that its guns would be used only for defensive purposes.

NEW YORK, March 1.—The Italian liner Napoli is due to sail from here for Mediterranean ports March 4.

The National Capital

Wednesday, March 1, 1916. The Senate. Attempt to reach an agreement to fix a time for a vote on Shields water power bill failed.

Foreign affairs committee considered action on resolution warning Americans against travel on armed merchantmen of belligerents.

The Treatment of Influenza or La Grippe

It is quite refreshing these days to read of a clearly defined treatment for influenza or La Grippe. In an article in the "Lancet Clinic," Dr. James Bell, of New York City, says he is convinced that too much medicine is both unnecessary and injurious.

NATIONAL SECRETARY OF GIRLS' WORK OF Y. W. C. A. HERE.



Miss Adelia Dodge

Little Bobbie's Pa. He Becomes a Topic of Conjugal Discussion

By WILLIAM F. KIRK. Last night when Pa was to lodge meeting Ma had a caller, her name was Missus Blodge. She came to New York to live, she used to live in Brooklyn.

Ware is yure husband, sed Missus Blodge. I hoap the deer man is well & happy.

O yes, sed Ma, my husband is well & happy, especially along toward evening. He feels kind of sick & sad in the mornings, sometimes, sed Ma, but the deer boy always perks up later in the day. I guess most of our husbands is that way, sed Ma.

My husband went, sed Missus Blodge. He is just as happy in the mornings as he is later in the day. You see, my husband is strictly temperate, & wen a man never touches anything at all, except water & his coffee, he reminds one of a canary bird, blithe & gay all the live-long day. Hevings help my husband, sed Missus Blodge, if he ever weak up complaining of headache. I wud know rite away that he had fell from grace.

Ware is yure husband, that he is not at yure side now? sed Missus Blodge. I let him go to his lodge meeting tonite, sed Ma. He talks a lot of comfort out of his lodge. Ever since he joined the Knights of Ambedale, I haven't heard a cross word out of him. He sed one of the teachings of that lodge was that no member cud quarrel with his wife. I'll bet they are a deer bunch of good boys, sed Ma.

Shaw, sed Missus Blodge, I dont think a man is entitled to any credit for not quarreling with his wife. My husband is afraid to quarrel with me. He knows better.

Maybe he is a littel bit of a man, I sed, maybe he is afraid of yure ste.

That will do Bobbie, sed Ma. You run along & play or else keep still. He is a odd littel youngster, sed Ma.

He is very forward, sed Missus Blodge. I have no children, but if I did have any you bet they wud know there place at all times.

I didnt like that vary good & noether did Ma. I wish Pa had been there wen she sed that, Pa always talks my part, but he calm in rite after that, I was glad he calm.

Husband deer, sed Ma, you have offen herd me speak of Ellnor Blodge, a old girl chum of mine out west. Ellnor, sed Ma, this is my husband.

I am glad indeed to know you, sed Pa. I have offen herd my wife speak high of you, sed Pa. My wife is a grate booster, she never devils in married themself, I have no other, sed Pa. How do you like our littel old island of Manhattan? Pa asked.

I am a littel awed by its immensity, sed Missus Blodge. You shud never leave yure wife alone in a grate corner like this. Sum burglars mite steal her.

Burglars dont steal wives, sed Pa. Most of the poor devils in married themself know how it is. They will talk sum awful chances, but nothing like that. How do you like our shack? sed Pa.

You have a vary buifull apartment, sed Missus Blodge. I shud think you wud want to spend moar of yure time in it.

Pa looked at Ma's frend kind of funny. Well, he sed, do you think at? Wife, sed Pa, remember old Hank Tank, the riter? Pa, he is vary ill & I think I will run cover to his flat for a cuppel of hours.

Certingly, deer, red Ma. Give him my best regards.

& Pa went out as fast as he had calm in.

Minneapolis Grain Market. MINNEAPOLIS, March 1.—WHEAT—May 1916; July 1916, Cash; No. 1 hard, 81 1/2; No. 2 northern, 81 1/2; No. 3 northern, 81 1/2.

Key to the Situation—Bee Want Ads.

MAYOR THOMPSON CLAIMS VICTORY

Opposition Disputes This and Points to the Renomination of Seven "Rebels."

SULLIVAN'S FACTION WINS OUT

CHICAGO, March 1.—Both administration and anti-administration men claimed victory today after analyzing the vote at the aldermanic primaries yesterday. Mayor Thompson pointed to a total of twenty-seven republican aldermanic nominations supported by him as evidence of victory, and the anti-administration forces based their claim of success on the fact that seven of the "rebel nine" aldermen, as Thompson's principal antagonists were styled, had been nominated.

Mayor Thompson lost his home ward, the Twenty-third, by 2,500. Both republican factions declared their determination today to continue the fight.

Vote is Very Light. The vote cast was lighter than expected. Leaders yesterday expressed opinion that the fight at a number of wards would result in a vote of nearly 50,000, but returns show that not more than 375,000 persons voted. On the democratic side a victory was recorded for the Roger C. Sullivan forces over the Harrison-Dunne faction, the former carrying twenty-seven of the thirty-five wards.

The female vote was considerably lighter than was looked for and amounted to but 22 per cent of the total female registration. The male vote was 38 per cent of registration. Yesterday's primary female vote, as compared with that cast in the 1915 primary was: 1915, 122,555; 1916, 81,121.

The socialist party nominated candidates in only two wards. Mayor's Fight on West. Unusual interest attached to the struggle by reason of the mayor's ambition to succeed Roy O. West as republican national committeeman, and curiosity as to what effect on the vote the enforcement of the Sunday closing law against saloons by the mayor would have.

Mayor Thompson in campaign speeches asserted that the fight against him in the nine leading "revolutionary" wards was due to the activities of former Governor Charles S. Deneen, who always has supported Mr. West for re-election as national committeeman.

In the First ward, which includes the downtown district, the republican contest produced a woman candidate, Hilda Johnson Hankins. Of the female vote she received 24 against 107 for William H. Shrader. The democrats, following immemorial custom, renominated Alderman John Coughlin, known in former years as "Bathhouse John." He was unopposed.

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Yours truly, MINNIE DOROUGH, Antlers, Okla.

Personally appeared before me this first day of March, 1916, Minnie Dorough, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

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Wives of Officers of Navy Study First Aid to the Injured

NEWPORT, R. I., March 1.—The wives of officers at the naval station and at the war college will receive a course of training in first aid to the injured in a series of fifteen lectures beginning next Saturday, it was announced last night. The course was decided upon after many requests had been made by the women in naval circles here that they be allowed a part in the movement for national preparedness.

The lectures will be given at the hospital apprentice school by Surgeon John B. Kaufman. Practical training in bandaging will be given, with hospital apprentices as subjects.

High Price of Flour Causes Big Strike in Capital of Spain

LONDON, March 1.—A Reuter dispatch from Madrid says that a strike which began among the bakers in that city on account of the high price of flour has developed into a general strike and brought trade to a standstill. Riots have occurred and several persons have been injured in conflicts with the police. Disturbances assumed a more serious form in the suburbs where there was not sufficient police force to cope with the situation.

The mayor of Madrid has resigned as a consequence of the trouble.

Iowa Anti-Tipping Act Declared Void

SIoux CITY, Ia., March 1.—The Iowa anti-tipping law was held to be unconstitutional by Judge George Jepson in the district court here today. The court held the law was class legislation. The decision was rendered in the case of a barber arrested for taking a 25-cent tip.

GERMAN OFFICERS HELD IN NEW YORK

Plans of American Forts Found on Two Men Arrested on Charge of Misuse of Mails. SENT OUT BEGGING LETTERS. NEW YORK, March 1.—Plans of United States fortifications have been found in the possession of Richard Von Arend and Rudolph Von Kracht, two young Germans, arrested here on a charge of using the mails to swindle, according to a statement made today by Assistant United States District Attorney E. W. McDonald.

Von Arend and Von Kracht, who claim, according to the federal authorities, to be German lieutenants, were arraigned before a United States commissioner here.

According to postoffice inspectors, the two men had conducted a systematic begging campaign through the mails asking for help on the ground that they were destitute German army officers.

They are said to have refused the aid of representatives of charity organizations because they did not wish to make public their antecedents as required by such organizations.

Von Arend and von Kracht were held in \$5,000 bail each for a hearing Saturday. They denied ever having had any plans of American forts and said the only things answering such a description that they owned were pictures sent them from Germany by relatives.

Sheddy on the Job. Earl Shedy, first baseman of the Spokane Indians, last week presented F. C. Parr with his signed contract for the 1916 season.

O'Neill Signs Contract. Catcher Steve O'Neill of the Cleveland club has turned in his signed contract to Manager Leo Fohl.

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