

G.O.P. Sees Victory in Split Between Texas Democrats

Party Divided Over Ku Klux Klan and Modification of Volstead Law—Primary Occurs August 26.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Administration leaders who have been watching the remarkable political embroglio which has developed in Texas are of the opinion that this may afford an opportunity for winning a republican senator, even in such a democratic stronghold as the Lone Star state. With the democrats divided, as it is inevitable that they will be on such intense issues as the Ku Klux Klan and modification of the Volstead law there is reason to assume that an independent republican would be a strong contender in November.

With the primaries in the middle west disposed of this week much interest will be felt in this runoff primary in Texas, which occurs August 26. The contenders for senatorial honors are Earle B. Mayfield of Austin, at present a member of the state railroad commission, who is expected to have the support of the militant prohibitionists as well as the Ku Klux Klan, and James E. Ferguson of Temple, the governor who was impeached but who has staged a wonderful "comeback." Ferguson is running on a light wing and best platform and is the hope of the very considerable faction among Texas democrats who feel that victory for the Ku Klux Klan is a menace to the orderly processes of good government.

Breach Inevitable.
The clash of advocates of these two leaders, holding ideas so diametrically opposed to another is bound to result in a breach of considerable magnitude in the democratic ranks of Texas. So much in fact that plans already are in the making to contest the right of either one to a seat in the senate regardless of which is victorious.

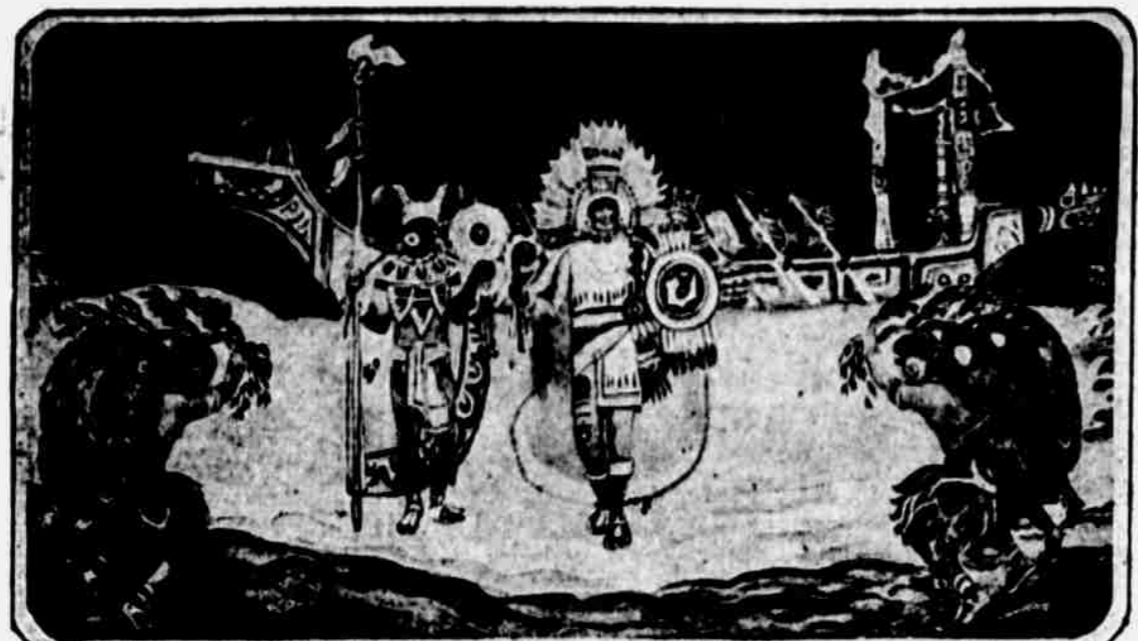
The certainty of such a contest, the result of which would long be in doubt, is looked upon as another factor to aid a republican candidate. Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel of the Anti-Saloon league, an organization which wields more power than any other outside of Washington outside of the government, has declared his intention of fighting Ferguson "at every turn of the road." He insists that Ferguson is unfit to sit in the senate and, if elected, that the Texas' right to do so will be challenged and that he was impeached and removed from office by the legislature of his state. There are some senators who are inclined to doubt such a fight could be successfully waged against Ferguson, particularly when it could be shown that politics entered into his impeachment, but the Anti-Saloon league has a way of winning that is characterized as uncanny.

Member of Klan.
However, should it be Mayfield, he, too, would be compelled to run the gauntlet of senatorial investigation on the basis of his Ku-Klux-Klan connections. It has been repeatedly charged that Mayfield is a member of the Klan and as such has taken an oath which will preclude the one required as United States senator. A similar contest was filed in 1903 when Reed Smoot of Utah first came to the senate and when it was charged that Mayfield is a member of the Mormon church he had taken an oath which made him ineligible as United States senator. Smoot's right to his seat was confirmed after two years, but Brigham Roberts, also of Utah, was denied a seat in the house about the same time under circumstances quite similar. Moreover, it should be borne in mind that Smoot was a republican, tried by a body in which the majority were members of his party, the senate dividing in his case, 28 to 42.

Mayfield would have no such advantage. In fact, the reverse would be true, as he could hardly count on the vote of four democratic senators who are members of the Catholic church, the curbing of which is a cardinal principle of the Ku-Klux-Klan.

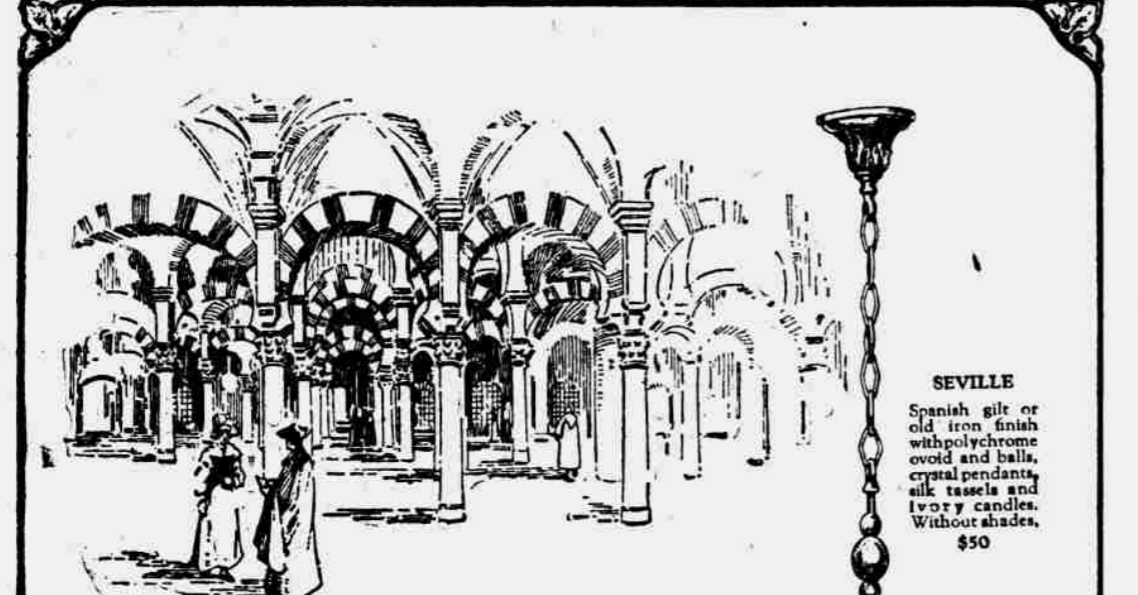
Communists Slain by Homeless Peasants
Riga, Aug. 5.—The number of roving bands of homeless peasants and deserters from the red army is increasing through soviet Russia, according to the Moscow Ivestia, which states that the soviet government is finding it difficult to maintain order in many districts.

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Coronado's Glory Shown.
The other original drawing by Miss Rush shows the barge of Coronado drawn up at the bank of the great river of Quivera, and the monarch and his prophet landing and being greeted by the women of Quivera, who sway branches of the fabled tree, tinkling with bells of silver and gold. The costumes are combinations of Aztec, Inca and other barbaric Indian designs, brilliant and bizarre.



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