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MORE SOLDIERS ARE ORDERED TO MEXICAN BORDER

Fourteen Hundred Troops Will Be Sent to Do Patrol Duty Along the International Boundary.

APPREHENSION NOT SO GREAT
Anti-American Mass Meetings Held in Various Parts of Chihuahua City.

RAID IS HELD INSIGNIFICANT

Washington, June 12.—Secretary Baker announced today that 1,000 additional coast artillery men and a battalion of engineer troops from this city had been ordered to the Mexican border for patrol duty. In all about 1,400 men will be added to General Funston's command.

Apprehension Somewhat Abated
El Paso, Tex., June 12.—Reports here indicate that anti-American mass meetings in growing numbers are being held in the several cities of Chihuahua state and that the distribution of incendiary literature continues.

Apprehension here for the safety of Americans in Chihuahua City abated somewhat today upon receipt of reports that Sunday there had passed without threatened anti-American riots.

Secretary Baker said the additional forces had been ordered to the border to strengthen the guard along the American side of the line. The movement, he added, was not the result of any new advice of conditions in Mexico.

The artillery troops will be assembled from numerous posts along the Atlantic coast. They will be taken from the batteries where the largest number of men are posted that adequate guards may be left to take care of the big guns.

The engineer troops, Companies A, B, C and D, which comprise a first battalion of the corps, are stationed at Washington barracks here.

Mass Meetings at Chihuahua.

Chihuahua City, June 11.—(Via Mexican Telegraph to Juarez, June 12.)—Mexicans thronged the streets here today, anti-American meetings being held in various parts of the city. However, the crowds were orderly and in no instance did threatened riots develop.

The demonstration began with a parade through the principal streets to the military citadel, where General Jacinto Trevino in a brief address thanked them for their patriotic display. For half an hour the crowd cheered and shouted "throw out the Americans" were frequent.

At some meetings speakers urged citizens to emulate "noble Chapatitepec cadets," opposing the advance of foreign invaders with dead bodies, if necessary.

General Trevino announced that any arrangements made between General Pershing and General Gavira would be supported, and disclaimed having said Gavira had no authority.

Raid is Insignificant.

San Antonio, Tex., June 12.—T. A. Coleman, owner of the ranch near Laredo that was raided by bandits, telegraphs to General Funston today that later reports to him indicated that the incursion was of a character almost insignificant. No unusual activity in that district was indicated in any military reports received today.

Brandeis Only One Day in Seat of the Newest Justice

Washington, June 12.—Rearrangements of seats was the only evidence of the resignation of Justice Hughes shown today in the supreme court. Justice Vandevanter succeeded Mr. Hughes as the fourth associate in point of service. Justice Brandeis took the seat on the extreme right of the chief justice, establishing the record of being the first justice to sit only one day in the new member's seat on the extreme left.

SUPREME COURT TAKES RECESS TO OCTOBER 9

Washington, June 12.—The supreme court today adjourned until October 9 next.

The Weather

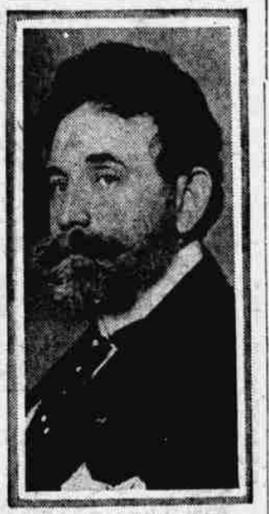
For Omaha, Council Bluffs and vicinity—Fairly cloudy; not much change in temperature.

Temperature at Omaha Yesterday.	
Hour	Deg.
5 a. m.	62
8 a. m.	63
11 a. m.	65
2 p. m.	68
5 p. m.	71
8 p. m.	70
11 p. m.	68
12 m.	67
1 p. m.	66
4 p. m.	65
7 p. m.	64
10 p. m.	63
11 p. m.	62

Comparative Local Record.

Year	High	Low
1916	82	58
1915	81	57
1914	80	56
1913	79	55
1912	78	54
1911	77	53
1910	76	52
1909	75	51
1908	74	50
1907	73	49
1906	72	48
1905	71	47
1904	70	46
1903	69	45
1902	68	44
1901	67	43
1900	66	42

SENATOR LEWIS will adorn the St. Louis convention during its sessions. He has so far been assigned no special part.



JAMES HAMILTON LEWIS, SENATOR FROM MISSOURI.

WIRE CONDOLENCE TO MRS. BRANDEIS

Employees of Her Husband Assure Her of Their Loyalty in This Trying Time.

MANY TRIBUTES FROM FRIENDS

"Come to Omaha. You will find the friends and employees of your husband to be as zealous and loyal to your interests as we were to his."

This was the substance of a telegram sent Monday to Mrs. A. D. Brandeis by Will Thomas, at direction of other executives of the Brandeis stores.

Thomas Quinlan, assistant general manager of the store, said the one aim of Arthur Brandeis was to make Omaha a "bigger" city.

"Always he turned his energies and thoughts towards the development of Omaha. He believed in the future of Omaha and he exerted all his energies toward putting new ideas and schemes into effect to better the city," said Mr. Quinlan, and added:

"In losing Arthur Brandeis, Omaha loses one of its most potent constructive factors. Anything that looked toward logical development needed no second urging to obtain his backing."

Superintendent Singer said Mr. Brandeis was more like a big brother to his employees than a "boss." "He was interested in every bit of store gossip concerning the welfare of his people, and when one was in trouble, if it was possible, he seldom failed to personally inquire if he could do anything."

Head of Many Concerns.

Arthur D. Brandeis was president of the following companies:

J. L. Brandeis & Sons, which owned the mercantile business.

Brandeis Realty company, which owned the large store building.

Brandeis Annex Building company, owning the Brandeis theater building.

Brandeis Investment company, owning the Boston store building.

American Realty company, owning the Strand theater.

He had, also, numerous other business and real estate interests here.

He was a director of the United States National bank.

John L. Kennedy left last night for New York City to confer regarding the many Omaha interests of Arthur Brandeis, with whom he has been intimately associated for many years.

Leaves Many Monuments.

"We are all deeply shocked and grieved," said Mr. Kennedy, "by the sudden and unexpected death of Mr. Brandeis. For thirty years, first under his father, Jonas L. Brandeis, and later as head of the family, his noble personality created, developed and controlled the constantly-increasing business of J. L. Brandeis & Sons and his dominating influence was felt in every public enterprise undertaken for the benefit of the community."

"His judgment was quick and keen, his initiative unusual and his courage and public spirit unlimited. His faith in Omaha never faltered. He always possessed to the fullest extent the friendship and loyalty of everybody in any way connected with the various Brandeis interests."

"The business will go on as heretofore under the efficient management of George Brandeis, vice president and general manager, but Arthur D. Brandeis will be missed."

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B. L. T. Declares That One Look at Daniels is Like Pulmotor

BY B. L. T.

St. Louis, June 12.—(Special Telegram.)—The Globe-Democrat means well, but is in error, in saying that I am here "to make you laugh." I'm here for self-improvement. The boss made that clear when he suggested the pilgrimage. "There will be nothing talked but politics for the next few months," he said in part, "and it will refresh you up to see at close range the men who will talk and be talked about from now until November." So you see it is for my benefit, not for yours, that I am attending the convention. A sort of vacation. A species of rest cure. A process of reinvigorating.

In order to refresh up this morning, after indifferent slumbers, I had

"ROOSEVELT WILL SUPPORT HUGHES"

Henry Allen, Kansas Mooser, He Believes Colonel Roosevelt Active Part

ISSUE IS MORE THAN NAME

St. Louis, June 12.—Henry Allen, Kansas progressive leader, here as a newspaper correspondent reporting the democratic convention, who has announced his support of Mr. Hughes, today expressed belief that Colonel Roosevelt will also take an active part in the Hughes campaign. Mr. Allen said former Representative Victor Murdock, chairman of the progressive national committee, was most prominently suggested to succeed Colonel Roosevelt as the progressive standard bearer if Colonel Roosevelt finally refused the nomination.

"I think the hour is too important for any man to worry about the name of the party he is going to support," said Mr. Allen. "If Colonel Roosevelt accepts the splendid statement of Mr. Hughes as meeting the conditions which he laid down to the progressive convention, a majority of the progressives in the central and northern states will support Mr. Hughes."

Likes Hughes' Statements.

"As far as I am personally concerned, if Colonel Roosevelt declines the progressive nomination, I will support Mr. Hughes. I think the fight is going to be cleanly between Wilson and Hughes and in that case I prefer Hughes."

"As I read the Hughes statement it seems to me to meet the conditions laid down by Colonel Roosevelt, and I believe Colonel Roosevelt will maintain rather an important relationship to the Hughes propaganda."

Mr. Allen said Governor Johnson of California was going to Oyster Bay to urge Colonel Roosevelt's acceptance of the progressive nomination and that the progressive leadership was considering the selection of Justice Hughes to fill the Roosevelt vacancy as the progressive nominee, with Colonel John M. Parker of Louisiana as the vice presidential candidate.

Von Meyer For Hughes.

Chicago, June 12.—George L. von Meyer, former cabinet officer and supporter of Colonel Roosevelt for the republican nomination for president, issued a statement in which he approved statements made by Charles E. Hughes in a letter of acceptance.

"I believe, with concerted action by all opposed to the present administration, we can elect Mr. Hughes our next president," he said.

Orpet's Father Says Son Not at Home on Night Girl Died

Waukegan, Ill., June 12.—E. O. Orpet, concluding his testimony today in the trial of his 20-year-old son, Will H. Orpet, accused of the murder of Marion Lambert, declared his son did not sleep at home on the nights of February 8 or 9, the night before the girl's body was found in the snow-covered woods.

The elder Orpet also testified that a month before the death of Miss Lambert he had instructed an assistant to throw away the stock of poison he used in gardening, which the prosecution alleges caused the death of the girl. Orpet maintained the poison had lost its strength, but that his assistant had neglected to destroy it as he had directed.

Elks Arrive in Omaha for State Convention Here

More than 100 Nebraska Elks had arrived in Omaha this morning for the three days' state convention, and several hundred more will have drifted in by night. The first thing on the program will be an expedition in private cars as a body to the Ak-Sar-Ben Hotel, where the men will be royally entertained, while the women of the party are being amused at the Brandeis theater.

Following the hours at the den the visitors will return to the Elk headquarters, where a dancing party will be given.

Menary Bros. of Council Bluffs gave the Elks 1,000 pennies, which E. F. Bralley, Moses O'Brien and D. B. Hines brought back in automobiles. They will be used for decorating purposes. The first business session of the convention will be held Tuesday morning.

NEWSPAPER PLANT AT DEADWOOD IS WRECKED

Deadwood, S. D., June 12.—The newspaper plant of E. T. Senn was wrecked by unknown persons. Senn has been waging war on vice here for several years.

Contest Over Texas Chairman

A smart contest was anticipated before the committee today over who should be seated as national committeeman from Texas. Thomas Love, formerly of Missouri, has protested against the seating of William Poindeharr. There is some trouble from far off Hawaii. A protest has been made against the seating of one of Hawaii's six delegates and W. P. Jarrett has contested the re-election of J. H. Wilson as national committeeman. Four presidents of democratic clubs have entered a protest against the seating of National Committeeman John F. Costello and the six delegates to the convention from the District of Columbia.

Early trains brought scores of delegates and visitors to St. Louis today and National Chairman McCombs said there was every indication that a tremendous throng would attend the convention. This is a remarkable tribute to President Wilson and the party," said Mr. McCombs, "when one considers that the convention

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TWO-THIRDS OF DEMO DELEGATES NOT INSTRUCTED

No Doubt Exists, However, of All Being in Favor of the Renomination of President Wilson.

FLOCKING INTO ST. LOUIS

Chairman McCombs Says Entire Program for Convention Has Been Carefully Arranged

ONLY FEW MINOR CONTESTS

St. Louis, June 12.—Seven hundred and fifty-four of the 1,092 delegates to the democratic national convention, or more than the two-thirds necessary for a nomination, come either instructed or unpledged, according to an official compilation issued today at the office of the secretary of the democratic national convention. There is no doubt, however, of their votes for President Wilson.

Of the delegates who come instructed or pledged 168, representing nine states, are for the renomination of President Wilson, twenty-eight representing Arizona, Connecticut and Montana, are pledged to Wilson and Marshall, twenty-six, representing Iowa, are pledged to President Wilson and Governor Major of Missouri for vice president. Sixteen, representing Nebraska, are pledged to President Wilson and Governor Morehead for vice president. The credentials of 100 delegates, representing Delaware, Idaho, Pennsylvania and South Dakota, had not been received early today. The delegation from Indiana is unpledged.

Gompers Brings Fourteen Planks.

President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, heading a delegation of labor leaders, arrived today to ask inclusion in the platform of the fourteen-labor planks similar to those presented to the republican and progressive platform committees in Chicago.

Henry Morgenthau confirmed reports this afternoon that he had received a letter from Jacob H. Schiff of New York urging "a stronger candidate" than Thomas Marshall for vice president. Mr. Morgenthau said he would like to see Secretary of War Newton Baker named and that he would do all he could to swing the convention for Baker.

St. Louis, Mo., June 12.—Preliminary to the opening of the democratic national convention, the members of the national committee were here today to meet and pass upon the final arrangements for the convention, whose 1,092 delegates are to name the party ticket. The committee also has before it five contests, three of which involve the seats of the national committeemen from the District of Columbia, Hawaii and Texas. Another contest, involving the seat of a delegate from Hawaii, and the fifth contest embraces a protest against the seating of the six delegates from the District of Columbia.

"We expect a short session of the committee," said Chairman McCombs. "The convention arrangements are all perfected and the contests before the committee should be speedily settled. We have made a change in our convention program. The first session will be held Wednesday, when the temporary chairman will make the keynote speech and the committee will be appointed. The next day the convention will hear the speech of the permanent chairman and addresses of prominent democrats.

"On Friday there will be a morning session, when the platform will be read and adopted, and on Friday night we will name the ticket."

Stone Brings Platform

National Chairman McCombs held a conference with Senator William J. Stone, who will be the chairman of the resolutions committee. Senator Stone brought with him from Washington certain drafts of the most important planks that have been sketched in some detail by President Wilson and his advisers in congress and in the cabinet.

The national committeemen are awaiting an intimation from President Wilson as to whom he would prefer as the chairman of the committee to succeed Mr. McCombs, who has announced his retirement. It is learned that word has been sent to President Wilson asking him to suggest the name of a chairman who would be agreeable to him, that the new committee may act upon the suggestion immediately after the final session of the convention. Committeemen here say that if President Wilson's choice lies within the committee membership, it probably will be Vice Chairman Homer Cummings of Connecticut. Mr. Cummings said that he was not a candidate for the office, but if called upon would serve.

Suits Lost Sight of

Apparently the suits have been settled out of court, as nothing has been heard of them for some time. Pickard was one of the detectives who was arrested here. When he realized that he was left to hold the sack he made a complete confession, and then started suit to collect damages, to which the Kansas City jury declared him entitled.

Democratic Crew Leaves This Evening For St. Louis Meet

Out of Omaha this afternoon at 5 o'clock the Missouri Pacific will run a special train, carrying the Nebraska delegates and camp followers to the democratic convention. For the special 100 reservations have been made and it is expected that twenty-five more will be added before the train leaves. The democratic special will be in charge of Assistant General Passenger Agent Mat Lewis of Kansas City and General Agent Godfrey, Omaha.

German Infantry Attacks on Posts to West of Vaux Fail

Paris, June 12.—German infantry attacked French positions west of Fort Vaux, on the Verdun front, last night. The assault failed entirely, the official report of today says.

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Russians Continue Pursuit; Prisoners Now Total 114,000

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CARRIES MESSAGE FROM WILSON—Secretary of War Newton D. Baker, who is on his way from Washington to St. Louis with a new draft of the democratic platform.



NEWTON D. BAKER.

BRIBE PLOT ECHO IN PICKARD SUIT

Former Burns Detective Who Was Arrested Here Given \$2,500 Damages.

THROWN DOWN BY EMPLOYERS

Kansas City, Mo., June 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Frank Pickard, former Burns detective agency sleuth, who with others was sent to Omaha three years ago for the purpose of "getting something on" city and county officials, has been awarded a judgment of \$2,500 against his former employers in a suit tried in district court here.

Pickard was arrested in Omaha and his employers denied responsibility for him. As a result he was forced to spend his own money to obtain his freedom and was put to a great deal of humiliation. He sued for \$5,000.

The case in which Pickard figured was the most sensational fiasco ever hatched out of Omaha politics.

A local afternoon newspaper, together with several wealthy Omahans, made up a pot of nearly \$30,000 and hired the Burns detective agency, which at that time was at the zenith of its notoriety. The scheme was to "get" every officeholder who happened to be out of sympathy with their cause, as well as several Omahans engaged in politics but not holding office.

Were Manufacturing Evidence.

After the first few weeks, during which time it was established that the standard of honesty of Omaha officials was up to proper grade, an attempt was made to frame up evidence of a nature that would look plausible at the following election.

When this was tried the victims tumbled to the plot and in a few days the city jail was full of Burns detectives.

When the arrests came the men who furnished the money were eager to disclaim all responsibility for bringing the detectives here.

A suit for \$25,000 was filed against the newspaper, and a suit for a similar amount against the detective agency was brought by the men whose names were involved in the "investigation."

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MR. HUGHES TALKS WITH LEADERS IN CITY OF NEW YORK

Mr. Wickersham, Who Had Long Conference With Him, Denies Mission is to See Roosevelt.

HUGHES ALLIANCE REVIVED

Non-Partisan League, Which Supported Him for Governor, is Back in the Game.

TO MAKE EFFORT TO ELECT HIM

New York, June 12.—Efforts to read significance today into a consultation here between Charles Evans Hughes, the republican presidential candidate, and George W. Wickersham as the mediator—so rumor went—in plans to gain the support of Colonel Roosevelt for the republican candidate, were met by denial from Mr. Wickersham that his visit had any significance at all.

Mr. Wickersham's conference with the candidate was held soon after Mr. Hughes' arrival here from Washington. Nothing was allowed to leak out as to the nature of their discussion. Mr. Wickersham insisted his visit had nothing to do with politics.

"I have no expectation of seeing Colonel Roosevelt and no mission to see him," said Mr. Wickersham, after emerging from a thirty-five-minute talk with Mr. Hughes. "You entirely mistake the object of my visit. I have no political relations with Mr. Hughes on this occasion. I am heartily and enthusiastically supporting him, of course. I think that the progressives will give him their support and I do not expect Colonel Roosevelt to head a third ticket. But that is only guess work on my part."

Others of many who called upon Mr. Hughes in the afternoon included Henry W. Taft, brother of the former president, and William Cary Sanger, former assistant secretary of war under Roosevelt.

Hughes Alliance Revived.

The first organized political move in the furtherance of the campaign for the election of Charles E. Hughes was announced today upon the arrival of Mr. Hughes.

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Wilson Considers Selection of Man To Succeed Hughes

Washington, June 12.—Selection of a successor to Charles E. Hughes on the supreme court already is being considered by President Wilson. Attorney General Gregory probably will be called into conference in a day or two and the appointment may be made within the next two weeks.

It is understood that the president would like to appoint John W. Davis, solicitor general, but may be deterred from doing so because Mr. Davis prepared a number of cases now pending for the Department of Justice.

Several messages urging the appointment of former President Taft have been received, but the president is expected to name a democrat since the court now has five republicans and three democrats.

Although the supreme court has adjourned until October, Department of Justice officials are anxious that a new justice be appointed quickly, so that he can give consideration during the summer months to cases now pending.

Three Mexican Bandits Are Killed And Three Taken

Laredo, Tex., June 12.—Three of the band of Mexicans who participated in the raid on the T. A. Coleman ranch at San Samuel yesterday were killed and three more were captured today, according to a report received here. The report did not make it clear whether the pursuers were Texas rangers or American troops in command of Captain Welborn. Since three of the bandits were reported captured early today this accounts for nine of the band.

TURKS MAKE CLAIM OF DRIVING RUSSIANS

Constantinople (Via London), June 12.—The following communication was issued today: "After a battle at Khanikin (on the Persian frontier northeast of Bagdad), which resulted in the defeat and restraint of the Russians, our forces pursued the enemy, drove back strong Cossack detachments and entered Kasr-I-Shirin."

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