

OPponents PLAN FIGHT ON SUFFRAGE

Antis Meet at Nashville to Work Out Details of Scheme "To Save the South From Anthony Amendment."

TAKE ISSUE TO COURTS IF RATIFICATION STANDS

Will Attempt to Have Passage Declared Illegal on Ground Act Was Submitted After Election of Legislature.

By The Associated Press. Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 19.—An announcement that opponents of woman suffrage would hold a mass meeting tonight to discuss steps "to save the south from the Susan B. Anthony amendment and federal suffrage force bills," was taken as an indication that Speaker Walker would not attempt today to force reconsideration of the action of the Tennessee house yesterday in ratifying the nineteenth amendment.

Certification Held Up. One vote cast in the Tennessee house in favor of ratifying the suffrage amendment stands in the way of certification to the secretary of state that Tennessee as the necessary 36th state had completed ratification of the amendment in time for women of the country to vote in November.

After voting against ratification yesterday, Speaker Walker changed his vote from nay to aye for the purpose, anti-suffragists said, of moving a reconsideration of the vote.

Suffragists, confident of their ability to hold their majority in the house in line, were planning to move reconsideration of yesterday's vote at a time when their entire strength is on the floor.

Opponents of ratification declared today that if efforts to secure a re-consideration of the issue fail, they will be taken to have the courts declare the ratification unconstitutional on the grounds that the amendment was submitted to the legislature after its members had been elected.

Suffragists contended that the supreme court's decision in the Ohio referendum case nullifies this section of the Tennessee constitution.

Hearing to Decide Which County Gets Taxes on Live Stock

Lincoln, Aug. 19.—(Special).—The State Board of Equalization has set Friday afternoon as the date for a hearing to settle a dispute between Holt and Antelope counties as to which gets the taxes on \$50,000 worth of live stock owned by L. W. Arnold, prominent stockman living at O'Neill, who maintains a feeding yard at Neligh.

Since the stock was at Neligh, Antelope county, officials asserted it. Meanwhile Mr. Arnold had turned in his own schedule in Holt county, claiming O'Neill as his home.

Bootleg Prices Take Big Rise in New York City

New York, Aug. 19.—The lid of drought was fastened pretty nearly never to come off on New York today.

There was a boom in bootleg cheer. Prices hitherto ruling at from 50 cents to 75 cents "per copy" bulled their way up to \$1.50 and even \$2 per imbibe.

Chief Shevlin declared today that as a result of the conference he had just had with Prohibition Commissioner Kramer in Washington some missing rivets have been bolted into place. It's going to be harder than ever to withdraw whiskey from bond.

Body of Overseas Soldier Sent to Geneva for Burial

Geneva, Aug. 19.—(Special).—The body of Frank Blaine Sloan, who died of pneumonia soon after arrival overseas with the A. E. F., has reached New York from Liverpool, England, where the body has been reposed in the English-American cemetery at Liverpool since October 2, 1918.

Hitherto the sum has been 1,000 francs, or about \$80 in American money at the exchange rate. Passengers said this was not enough to "ante in."

Orders Investigation of New Gasoline Prices

San Francisco, Aug. 19.—Instructions to proceed with an investigation of recent increases in the price of gasoline were received from Attorney General Palmer by Frank M. Silva, United States district attorney.

Harding Says Suffrage Is an Accomplishment Equal to Independence

Republican Nominee Declares Victory Is Dramatic Because It Comes as Reward of Great Final Drive That Now Has Assured Women Participation in Most Crucial Election in History.

Marion, O., Aug. 19.—Senator Harding declared today that the grant of suffrage to American women would be especially welcome to the republicans in the coming campaign because "a great moral and social reform, recently achieved, is menaced by the covert purpose of our opponents to attack it."

He predicted that voting women would stand with the republican party through a realization that it had led in achieving social betterment, which the democratic party "has seriously refused" to enforce reform policies.

AMERICAN 'DICKS' GATHERING DATA TO COMBAT REDS

Attorney General Palmer Head Of Underground Organization of Secret Agents.

By C. P. Pertelli. Universal Staff Correspondent. Paris, Aug. 19.—(Special Cable Dispatch).—That A. Mitchell Palmer, attorney general of the United States, is the head of a vast underground organization of international intelligence agents, was learned by Universal Service through a diplomatic source.

Dispite Washington's proclaimed policy of "hands off Europe," an army of American detectives has been busy since the armistice gathering data by which, it is stated, it hopes to begin worldwide propaganda to combat the Moscow government.

Candidates Express Desire for Improved Consular Service

New York, Aug. 19.—The American Export Manufacturers' association made public letters from Senator Harding and Governor Cox in which they express a desire for improvement of American diplomatic and consular services.

Poker Games on High Seas Are Expected to Pick Up

Paris, Aug. 19.—Poker games on the high seas may now be expected to pick up.

Geneva Gets Needed Rain

Geneva, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special).—Almost an inch of rain fell here Wednesday and early Thursday morning, helping out corn and pastures. Crops in general are the best in Fillmore county in 30 years.

Forest Fires Spreading

San Francisco, Aug. 19.—Forest fires were worse in Montana, Idaho and California today, high winds in places nullifying the work of weeks of defensive work.

POLES FORCE BOLSHEVIK ARMIES BACK

Red Soldiers Retreating in Disorderly Panic Along Front Between Vistula and the Bug Rivers.

RETREAT TO NORTH AND EAST OF WARSAW ROUT

Tanks, Airplanes and Armored Trains Are Used in Counter-Attacks Launched in Effort to Save Capital.

By The Associated Press. Warsaw, Aug. 19.—Russian soviet forces are fleeing in a disorderly panic along the front between the Vistula and Bug rivers, where the Poles are advancing with success, says an official statement issued last night.

In their counter attack to relieve pressure upon Warsaw the Poles are using tanks, airplanes, armored trains and artillery in great numbers. At Novo Minsk, east of here, and Serock, to the northeast, 3,000 prisoners, seven cannon, hundreds of weapons and vast quantities of supplies have been captured, the statement declared.

Red Retreat Is Rout. The bolshevik retreat north and east of Warsaw, where the soviet forces were closely driven by the Poles, took the semblance of a rout at some places, the communique reports. On the extreme left, however, and in the region of Lemberg soviet advances are recorded.

Polish successes on all fronts, with the exception of the southern battle sector, where the Russian soviet forces are advancing in the direction of Lemberg, are reported today in the official statement on fighting operations.

Russian soviet forces are evacuating Brest-Litovsk, the strongly fortified town on the Bug river, 120 miles east of Warsaw, according to advices received today.

Fierce Battle Rages. London, Aug. 19.—Fierce fighting is continuing in the region of Warsaw and Novo Georgievsk, the strong fortress about 19 miles northwest of Warsaw at the confluence of Vistula and Bug rivers, according to Wednesday's statement by the soviet government at Moscow.

In the Crimea sector, engagements are going on with indecisive results, the statement says. The official report follows: "Our troops have crossed the River Vistula and have occupied Sotki."

Polis Capture Lukov. Paris, Aug. 19.—Lukov, 41 miles southeast of Warsaw, has been captured by Polish troops in their counter attack against the left wing of the bolshevik army, says the Warsaw correspondent of Excelsior.

Japan Tells China Road Guards to Remain on Duty

Tokio, Aug. 19.—Japan has sent a communication to China saying the government is unable to comply with the Chinese request for a withdrawal of the Japanese guards on the Chinese Eastern railroad.

McGraw Denies Purchase Of Whisky at Lambs Club

New York, Aug. 19.—Denial by attorneys for John McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, that he had purchased whisky from the Lambs club on August 8, featured today's investigation of the occurrence at the club the evening before John C. Slavin, comedy actor, was found lying injured on the sidewalk in front of McGraw's home.

G. O. P. Chiefs to Confer. New York, Aug. 19.—A number of republican state chairmen and heads of their organizations will confer at Chicago on September 1 and 2, it was announced today. Among states to be represented will be Iowa, Nebraska, South Dakota and Texas.

Second Primary Necessary

Jackson, Miss., Aug. 19.—Second primaries will be necessary to determine democratic nominees for congress from the First and Second districts, according to complete returns from Tuesday's primary.

The Leap Year "Yes"



RECORD CROWD EXPECTED FOR MARKET WEEK

Den Show at Ak-Sar-Ben For Men and Theater Parties For Women Are on Program.

Plans for entertaining the largest crowd ever drawn to Omaha's market week were completed at a meeting of the merchants' market week committee in the Chamber of Commerce Thursday.

To See Den Show. Monday night the men will be entertained at the show at the Ak-Sar-Ben den, under the guidance of Penn Fodera.

Barbecue and race will be given Wednesday night at Elmwood park. Some of the big prizes, which include a trip to Europe and a trip to California, will be drawn at this time.

Much Decorated English Heroine Will Live in N. Y.

London, Aug. 19.—Five war medals, three won by her own services during the war and two conferred upon her husband, are worn by the Hon. Mrs. Digby French, prominent in London society, who sails tomorrow to make her future home in the United States.

To Reduce Toll Charges.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Reduction in toll charges through the Suez canal will be placed in effect October 1, the department of commerce has been advised officially.

The Weather

Forecast. Nebraska—Clear and warmer Friday.

GIRL LEAPS FROM SPEEDING CAR TO ESCAPE ATTACK

Mary Kracl, North Bend Girl, Nearly Assaulted by Friend. She Says.

Fremont, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special).—Miss Mary Kracl, 17-year-old North Bend girl, today in justice court told for the first time of the events of the night of June 24, which ended in her being found, unconscious on her doorstep, by her mother.

Thomson, pleading not guilty to the charge of assault, offered no defense and was bound over to the district court for trial. His bond of \$5,000 was furnished by his father, John Thomson, and Thomas P. Gaugher.

Miss Kracl testified that she had been invited to a dance at the Ak-Sar-Ben field early Friday morning for Cheyenne, Wyo., blazing the trail for the opening of the air mail service from Chicago to the west.

Mail Pouch Stolen From Train Found Near Track

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 19.—One of the pouches of mail taken from the Missouri Pacific train that was robbed on the outskirts of St. Louis last night by two men was found today in a clump of weeds along the railroad track.

To Probe Ratification of Suffrage Amendment

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 19.—Judge Debow charged the grand jury in the Davidson county criminal court today on the subject of efforts to improperly influence or corrupt the lawmaking power of the state and laid special emphasis on the fight for the ratification of the federal suffrage amendment by the Tennessee legislature.

He Returns Gift of King Because Sons Penniless

London, Aug. 19.—Because his two sons who fought in the war are unemployed and penniless, the ruler of the kingdom returned the gift of the king's gift at the end of the yacht week.

3 MAIL PLANES TO LEAVE TODAY FOR CHEYENNE

Pilot Smith to Lead Flyers in Blazing New Route For Western Service.

Under the direction of Pilot Walter J. Smith, three aerial mail "ships" will "hop-off" at Ak-Sar-Ben field early Friday morning for Cheyenne, Wyo., blazing the trail for the opening of the air mail service from Chicago to the west.

Pilots Smith, Ellis and Leonhardt landed in Omaha yesterday morning with Pilot Lange. The latter flew an aerial mail plane from Chicago to Omaha with a regular cargo of mail and served as a guide for the other three "ships," which flew over the city in battle formation.

The planes will make one stop between here and Cheyenne to take on fuel. Two more planes are expected to arrive in Omaha within the next 10 days. The "ships" will be stationed at the local flying field and will be used in transporting mail from Omaha to Cheyenne. The planes operating between here and Chicago will transfer their western mail at the Ak-Sar-Ben grounds and planes flying between here and Cheyenne will fly the mail to Wyoming.

Declares She Shot Her Husband Because of Degenerate Tendency

San Francisco, Aug. 19.—Mrs. Virginia P. Clark today confessed to Police Inspector Drew that she killed her husband, Chester J. Clark, Oakland car man, Sunday morning by shooting him as he lay in bed beside her.

State Authorities To Combat Airplane Traffic in L liquor

Lincoln, Aug. 19.—(Special).—Airplane traffic in liquor from Canada to Nebraska is already a problem, which the state and national authorities must meet, according to Gus Hyers, head of the state law enforcement division.

Collapse of Mountain Top Buries Town in Philippines

Manila, P. I., Aug. 19.—Collapse of a mountain top on this island in a recent storm buried an entire Igorote village under hundreds of feet of earth, blotting out the lives of 700 people, according to official recent advices received here.

HARDING IS OPPOSED TO AUTOCRACY

Declares Senate Will Have Some Way in Determining Foreign Relations if G. O. P. Administration Is Chosen.

FAVORS RULE REQUIRING MAJORITY TREATY VOTE

Says Article 10 of League of Nations Would Break Down Orderly Process of the Federal Government.

By The Associated Press. Marion, O., Aug. 19.—Reaffirming his faith in "party sponsorship in government," Senator Harding said in a speech today that his democratic critics were correct in supposing that, if elected, he would "permit the senate to have some say in determining the policy of the government."

"The senate saved American nationality in 1919 and 1920," he said, "when the executive proposed to surrender it. If a republican administration is chosen, you can be certain that the senate will have something to say about the foreign relations, as the constitution contemplates. I had rather have the counsel of the senate than all the political bosses."

"I want to have done with personal government. I want to put an end to autocracy reared in the name of democracy."

The senator also referred to the senate filibuster, which blocked several big appropriation bills in the last days of the democratic congress, and said that, while he did not approve at that time, the development had saved about \$1,000,000 by putting the supply measures over into the republican congress.

Suggestions Correct. "In cartoon, in solemn editorial, in many utterances from the platform," he said, "it has been suggested that, in case of a republican victory, the incoming president proposes to permit the senate to have some say in determining the policy of the government. I gladly proclaim all these suggestions to be literally correct."

"If a republican administration is chosen next November you can be very certain that the senate, theoretically, if not actually, composed of 99 leading men of the republic, will have something to say about the foreign relations, as the constitution contemplates."

"It has become quite the fashion for unheeding partisans of democratic faith to cry out against the senate and the part it plays in the federal government. One might as well proclaim the constitution a fraud. The senate is in reality the security of stable, popular government."

Praising the record of the present senate, the nominee declared it "had saved American nationality" when the executive branch had proposed to surrender it. He dissented from arrogation of unconstitutional powers by the president, and said it was well proclaimed that the constitution "have done with personal government" and to "put an end to autocracy." The rule requiring a two-thirds vote in the senate to ratify treaties he characterized as one of the wisest provisions in the constitution.

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Eleven Injured in Wreck

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 19.—Eleven persons were injured when the Grand Trunk morning train from Portland, Me., to Montreal ran into a washout near Coaticook, Que.