

Hughes' Policy Echoes Views of James G. Blaine

Central American Federation Plan Approved by Present Secretary's Distinguished Predecessor.

By HOLLAND. Charles E. Hughes, secretary of state, no doubt knows that James G. Blaine when he sat at the desk which is now Secretary Hughes' warmly advocated a confederation of some other international agreement whereby the Central American republics could be brought together in close association. For it was almost an echo from afar of something which Mr. Blaine said 40 years ago which sounds in the words of approval spoken by Secretary Hughes at a luncheon recently given in his honor by the minister from Nicaragua to the United States.

Of course, Secretary Hughes did not commit the United States in any way so far as methods or manner of confederation are concerned. But he did make it clear that if a confederation were organized by the government of the United States would regard it with gratification.

Blaine's view was that a confederation of the Central American republics would be a vast increase in commerce between the United States and the Central American republics. It would be certain to secure financial aid from the United States, to extend and strengthen cordial relations between this country and the nations south of the equator, and to bring ultimately throughout South America.

Secretary Hughes appears to take the same view. For he went as far as to say that through agreement made by these Central American states, a confederation, but reciprocal advantage to the possible mutual advantages, would be fully realized. That means not only that the Central American confederation, but reciprocal advantage to the possible mutual advantages, would be fully realized. That means not only that the Central American confederation, but reciprocal advantage to the possible mutual advantages, would be fully realized.

Hughes and Chief Justice. Occasionally reports come from Washington intimating that by and by President Harding will be succeeded by Hughes from the State department to the chair of justice. The supposition is that the president contemplated remotely acting of that kind. It is, however, a supposition. Secretary Hughes will not go back to the supreme court. The secretary believes that the department is his, and that he will continue to have responsibility and control over the department. He is not called upon to resign from the State department, and he is not called upon to resign from the State department.

Rising at an Early Hour. John Quincy Adams when he was secretary of state and later when he was president was noted for his early rising. When Mr. Hughes returned to New York in 1916 to resume the practice of law he found himself immediately in possession of highly remunerative clientele. But his professional opportunities were not his only relaxation and recreation would be broken down by the secretary. He returned to carry on his work he was accustomed to rise two hours before breakfast. He was able to accomplish an amount of work which many lawyers would have thought sufficient for an entire day. However, always took time to gain the most from his day.

No doubt while secretary of state his capacity for intense and prolonged work will be of avail. His knowledge of the administration, and not all of them, and some in that regard. Mr. Root is capable of prolonged and intense work. He is not called upon to resign from the State department, and he is not called upon to resign from the State department.

Ex-President and Secretary of State. If President Harding were to appoint William H. Taft chief justice of the supreme court, that would be a special gratification to the secretary of state. There is an interesting and somewhat unusual association between the president and the secretary of state. Taft has sometimes been called the "secretary of state" of the president. He is not called upon to resign from the State department, and he is not called upon to resign from the State department.

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Omaha, June 8. Receipts were—Cattle, 1,700; Hogs, 4,700; Official Tuesday, 8,543; Sheep, 2,778; Estimated ending, 1,218; 4,805; 2 days this wk., 21,289; 25,492; 18,284; Same day last wk., 19,088; 20,164; 20,224; Same day 7 days ago, 12,122; 12,825; 14,742; Same day 30 days ago, 11,806; 12,397; 16,145.

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Market, Financial and Industrial News of the Day

Chicago Grain

By CHARLES D. MICHAELS. Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Chicago, June 8.—Expectations of a wet harvest in the southwest, owing to the floods and heavy rains in Colorado and Kansas, brought good support to the wheat market from local professionals and seaboard exporters and prices advanced and closed at the top, with gains of 2 1/2c on July, while September was unchanged. Corn and oats were heavy and corn lost 1 cent and oats 3/8c. Rye was strong and gained 2 1/2c.

Wheat traders were mainly short at the start and the wet weather in the southwest where harvesting is starting, offset the effects of claims of 131,000,000 bushels for the wheat harvest of Kansas by Allen Logan of Kansas City, who has many crop reports. The effect of the claim in foreign exchange which led to selling here and in Buenos Aires, was also overcome, as there was a ready absorption of the offerings on all breaks by seaboard houses. The market, on the whole, was extremely nervous and prices moved up and down within a range of 1/2c to 1/4c, about six times, with the close at the top.

Crop reports from experts in the field were moderately bullish from Indiana, Indiana, however, in the latter state, found averages about 15 bushels in many sections. From other sections reports were more optimistic, but in the central west and will be on in the central west within a week.

The government's monthly crop report confirmed the grain trader's belief that winter wheat had better prospects. The treasury's announcement of a 5 1/2 cent, three-year loan as part of its effort to provide for near maturities of the public debt has been well received. News of all outstanding crop reports advanced on the announcement, the Victory 4 1/2 per cent of 1921 in particular having risen nearly a point above last week and reaching the highest price since January 15, 1920.

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New York Quotations

Range of prices of the leading stocks as reported by Logan & Bryan, Peters Trust Building: RAILS. A. T. & S. O. High 89.80. Low 89.80. Close 89.80. Bait. & Ohio 112.11. 112.11. 112.11. 112.11. 112.11.

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South Side

Omaha Missionary Society Convention to Open Tonight. The Omaha Missionary society will hold its annual convention at the South Side United Presbyterian church, beginning with an evening meeting tonight at 8 and continuing all day tomorrow. Prominent speakers from the woman's board will address the meeting, among whom are Miss Sallie Dickey of Alliance, O., who will speak this evening on India, and Mrs. A. C. Campbell of Pittsburgh, Pa., who will speak on foreign missions tomorrow evening. Others who will speak tomorrow are Miss Anna Milligan of Philadelphia and Mrs. George Moore of Xenia, O., editor of the Missionary magazine.

Woman Boosts Anti-Reporting Theft. While South Side police were correlating in their patrol Frank Rockwilder, 4149 J street, and his load of gin stored internally, Mrs. Paul Kuta, 4628 South Twenty-eighth street, rushed up with the hue and cry he had taken \$30 from her. Frank was lodged in jail for investigation. In police court yesterday the Kuta woman raised the ante to \$70, but the judge held her \$30. Frank was ultimately fined \$10 for intoxication, with a promise to pay back the money he had borrowed from the Kuta woman.

Berlyer Funeral Services. To Be Held This Afternoon. Funeral services for Paul Berlyer, 68, 3924 T street, superintendent of the concrete department of Armour & Co. for 30 years, who died Tuesday, will be held this afternoon at 4 in the Brewer chapel under Odd Fellow auspices. Rev. A. K. Walborn and Rev. R. L. Wheeler will officiate. He is survived by his wife, two sons, William of Sioux City and John of Omaha, and two daughters, Mrs. Florence Alshuler of Fort Leavenworth and Mrs. Mabel Dunke of Denver. Burial will be in the Odd Fellow plot in Graceland Park cemetery.

Pickpockets Get \$600. Shrine Pin and Elks Bob. Pickpockets picked on William F. Hitchcock of Sterling, Neb., according to his story to South Side police. He told the sleuths some one got a \$600 platinum Shrine pin, set with diamonds, while he was at Krug park last night, and then when he went to a Chinese chop suey joint some one nicked him for an Elks' watchbob.

South Side Woman Dies. Mrs. Catherine Bursiek, 67, resident of Omaha for 45 years, died Tuesday at her home, 2211 Monroe street.

South Side Brevities. At the last regular meeting of Magna Circle, No. 30, held at the home of Moore, a large attendance was reported. Announcement is made that the lodge will meet every second and fourth Thursday evening at Union hall, Twenty-fifth and M streets.

Thieves worked a paskey in the front door of the store of Pete Plesch, 6302 South Twenty-ninth street, Tuesday night. According to South Side police reports, the store stole \$45 worth of cigars and cigars.

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