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JUSTICE HUGHES FIRST CANDIDATE TO GO BEFORE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

Whitman Names the Jurist Amid Cheers. Root Placed Before Delegates by Nicholas Murray Butler and Burton by Gov. Willis

G. O. P. Ignores Harmony Overtures From Progressives While It Proceeds to the Consideration of Its Candidates-Bull Moose Convention Works on Its Platform

CHICAGO, June 9 .- The National Republican Convention, ignoring for the time being all harmony negotiations, got down to its most important work at 11:53 o'clock today, when the name of Justice Charles E. Hughes was placed before the delegates in a speech by Governor Charles S. Whitman, of New York. A long demonstration of enthusiasm followed the presentation of Hughes' name. The cheering lasted 21 minutes.

Following this demonstration Nicholas Murray Butler, of New York, was recognized and began his speech presenting the name of Elihu Root, A second demonstration by the Root "boosters" followed, lasting for sev-

Theodore E. Burton, of Cleveland, was next placed in nomination by Governor Willis, and the usual prolonged applause followed the Governor's

While this was going on the Progressive convention, meeting a little earlier in the day, and also delaying consideration of the Harmony Committee report, proceeded with the consideration of the platform, debating its provisions plank by plank.

COMMITTEE OF 20 TO AID COLONEL.

Prior to the meeting of the conventions a meeting of all delegates to the Republican convention who are advocating the nomination of Roosevelt was called by George Von L. Meyer, head of the Roosevelt Campaign Committee. These delegates, in a brief session, decided to press the Colonel's claims on the floor of the convention and named a committee of 20 to prosecute the campaign

The Colonel himself, earlier in the day, had a telephone conversation from his home in Oyster Bay with George W. Perkins and Governor Johnson, in which he discussed the report which the Progressive Harmony Committee had prepared for presentation to the Moose convention.

A sensational incident of the day was the spectacular visit of Senator Borah, leader of the Progressive element in the Republican convention, to the Bull Moose convention, where he was received with a remarkable demonstration of wild cheering.

When word of the incident reached the Republican convention speculation was rife. Senator Smoot declared that Borah's visit to the Progressives was no part of any plan devised by the Republican leaders.

"I did not know he was going to the Progressive gathering," said Smoot. "He probably went on his own responsibility. He was not sent by the Republican wing of the peace conference."

The rumor continued to be circulated all about the hall that, through a combination of "favorite-son" delegates and the Roosevelt people an agreement had been effected to "kill off" Hughes. That was said to be as far as the arrangement went and if the plan went through it was hoped to take a couple of ballots late this evening and then adjourn over until morning, when, with Hughes eliminated, an effort would be made to put across the nomination of a

When asked about the truth of this report, Governor Whitman said: "We still insist that we have the votes to nominate Justice Hughes. That is all we care to say just now."

It was announced on the authority of leaders of both the Pennsylvania Republican factions that, after complimentary votes for Brumbaugh and Knox, at least 70 of the 76 Keystone State delegates would cast their votes for Justice Hughes.

HUGHES MAY GET

70 OF 76 VOTES OF

Leaders Say Ballot Will Fol-

low When Knox Is

Withdrawn

BRUMBAUGH IN THE LIST

Evening Ledger Staff Correspondent

The name of Governor Brumbaugh will

not be presented to the convention until Pennsylvania is reached in its regular turn in the roll-call of the States. Emerson

Collins will place the Governor in nomina-

The friends of the Governor expect that

he will receive more than 40 votes on the first ballot. Senator Penrone says he will not receive more than 25.

E. H. VARE REACHES CHICAGO

TO WATCH CLOSING SITTINGS

Congratulated by Brother on Work in

City Committee

By a Staf Correspondent

PENNSYLVANIANS

WHITMAN NAMES HUGHES: BUTLER PRESENTS ROOT; WILLIS OFFERS BURTON

CHICAGO, June 9. CHICAGO, June 9.

The convention was called to order at 11:14 while the floor was crowded with groups of leaders, near leaders and delegates, conferring excitedly and endeavoring to find out what plans had been made. Frank Hitchcock, carefully groomed and dapper as always, politely edged his way through the mass of humanity, rounding up the Highes votes.

The proper by Higher McDowell which

The prayer by Bishop McDowell, which comed today's session, was a plea for divine guidance in the proceedings of the day. It was as follows:

We are here on the most important day of this great gathering. What we so here today means much to the Republic and a great deal to the world, May the spirit of Abraham Lincoln guide us in our deliberations.

Chairman Harding asked unanimous con-

sent to correct a mistaken ruling on a point of order made yesterday by a Kenincky delegate in connection with the elecof a National Committeeman from ucky. Sanator Wadsworth, of New moved to refer the contest to the small Committee with power to settle

After a brief debate the Wadsworth motion was agreed to.

It was exactly 11:32 when Chairman Harding recognized Senator Reed Smoot, shalman of the "peace committee," to read the report of that committee. As the lanky form of the Utah Senator was discerned soming to the front the delegates leaned ferward in a seeming effort to read his mind.

mind

Amout stood quietly while cries of "quiet, quiet," went up from all over the hall.

Cheers greated Senator Smoot's statement that the peace conference was "free, frank and friendly."

The cheering delegates made it clear that they wanted peace if possible.

Several times Senator Smoot was interpuled by cheers. But the mention of Theoders, Roosevelt's name was greeted with a mixture of cheers and heers. When Senator more stated the Progressives insisted on similar for Roosevelt a demonstration was stated. But the cheers were mingled with lines and cries of "order." The demonstration ended within two minutes, and Senator Smoot completed the reading of the Progress as follows:

To the Republican National Conven-

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Your committee appointed pursuant to the resolution adopted at yesterday's sension met in conference with a committee representing the National Propressive Convention last evening, the Progressive Contentitee tunnisting of Mestra. Perkins, of New York: Johnson, of California; Bonaparte, of Maryland; Wilkinson, of New York, and Parker, of Louisians. The conference was fruit, free and most friendly. The conference were of the mind in believing that the good of the country and perhaps the reputs and influence for years to come descends upon the complete defeat of the ment Democratic Administration and the resistance of the control of the

COLISEUM. Chicago, June 2.—State Senator Edwin H. Vare arrived in Chicago this morning to be a speciator at the closing sittings of the two conventions.

When he was greeted by his brother, Congressman William S. Vare, the Congressman's first words were of congratulation on the new title of the secretary of the Philadelphia Republican City Committee. Select Councilman William E. Finley, who was elected to succeed Harry Wittig, will be called the "executive manager" of the City Committee. Wittig a title was sucretary. "That was a tappy thought."
"It is a fine true," and the Congressman. Continued on Page Trans Column The

PLACES HUGHES IN NOMINATION



GOVERNOR CHARLES S. WHITMAN, of New York.

PERKINS MAKES

HOPEFUL REPORT

TO PROGRESSIVES

Tells Convention There's

Good Chance for Colonel

CHICAGO, June 9 .- Senator Borah,

one of the Republican peace conferees,

entered the Progressive Convention and

received a wild ovation. He said he

had not deserted the G. O. P., but was

AUDITORIUM, CHICAGO, June 9 .-

A great Roosevelt demonstration was

started by George W. Perkins in the

CHICAGO, June 9 .- The Progressive

Convention has adjourned until 3

AUDITORIUM. Chicago, June 9 .- The

at 10:29 this morning with the Perkins fac-

tion determined to delay nomination if pos-sible for the sake of the peace negotiations

and the Murdock-Johnson radical element

COALITION BINDS

"FAVORITE SONS"

Reached to Eliminate

Hughes as a Can-

didate

RACE THEN OPEN TO FIELD

CHICAGO, June 9.—Roosevelt managers

and those of some of the favorite sons

reached a working agreement on the votes

"The campaign managers shall hold their

delegates in line for their various candi-

dates until Justice Charles E. Hughes is

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt and all of

the "favorite cone" who have not been

eliminated by an agreement after the fifth

Each candidate's manager will get plenty

There will be conferences of the Roose-

veil delegates and delegates pledged to

'favorite cone" after the Republican con-

of opportunity to stage such demonstrations

in the convention as he may consider necessary to show his full strength th delegates

ballot will be given a thorough tryout.

Republican National Convention today.

The program provides that:

cilminated as a candidate.

AND ROOSEVELT

o'clock (4 o'clock Philadelphia time).

Progressive Convention after Mr. Borah

seeking a west hap ration.

had finished his speech.

WOMEN REJOICE AS BOTH PARTIES FAVOR SUFFRAGE

Republicans Adopt Plank. Peace Committee Chairman Progressives Act on on It Today

CELEBRATIONS PLANNED REPUBLICANS FRIENDLY

CHICAGO, June 9 .- Joy rules in the CHICAGO, June 9.—Joy rules in the headquarters of the woman suffragists over the adoption of equal suffrage planks in the Republican platform. The Progressive platform, which probably will be adogted today, also favors woman suffrage. The women who have been staging big demonstrations around the convention headquarters for the last few days, culminating with a procession in a driving rath felt with a procession in a driving rain, felt their efforts had not been fruitless. They proclaimed the action as recognition that they are powerful factors in national politics.

The ranking officials of the National American Woman Suffrage Association were particularly jubilant. They declared that the Republicans gave them exactly what they wanted. They liked the work of the Progressives, too, but regarded it as merely a repetition of what the party did four

REPUBLICAN PLANK. The plank adopted by the Republicans Progressive convention was called to order

The Republican party, reassirming its faith in government of the people, by the people, for the people, as a measure of justice to one-half the adult people of this country, favors the extension of the suffrage to women, but recognizes the right of each State to settle this ques-

tion for itself.
At the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage the action was halled as a step in the right direction, but not altogether what it should have been. The Congres-sional Union wanted some sort of expres-

sional Union wanted some sort of expression from the Republican Convention which would further its fight in favor of the adoption by Congress of the Susan B. Anthony amendment to the Federal Constitution providing woman suffrage. It is happy, however, to get as much as it did. The women believe the Republicans made a wise move in adopting the suffrage plank, for they say the women voters of the States where equal suffrage now is law will be solidly against the Democratic nominee unless the Democratic party should take similar action, which they doubt.

doubt.
All of the suffragists believe the adoption of the plank by the Republicans is the biggest victory they have had since the first State decided to let women vots. Celebra-Evening Ledger Staff Correspondent
COLISEUM, CHICAGO, June 9.—The
Pennsylvania delegation to the Republican
convention will give Justice Hughes at
least 70 of its 76 votes, as soon as the
name of Philander C. Knox is withdrawn,
according to the leaders of both factions.
There is a tendency among the delegates
to unite in support of whatever action the
Conference Committee takes, and to support any candidate recommended by the
conferes. That Hughes will be indorsed, is
the general belief among the delegates.
The name of Governor Brumbaugh will tions, the leaders say, will be held all over the country in tribute to the Republican party for its action.

At the new Chicago municipal pier there was a mass-meeting of suffragists late yeaterday afternoon where speeches were de-

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KITCHENER DROWNED TRYING TO MAKE SHORE

Boat With Marshal and Staff Working Agreement Swamped by High Seas; Cruiser Sank in 20 Minutes

The Penrose delegates will vote for Knox, and will probably piace him in nomination if that has not been done by some other State before Pennsylvania is reached. The Brumbaugh votes will then be thrown to Knox, unites there is a landalide toward Hughes on the second ballot. They will go to Hughes whenever it is apparent that Hughes is the winner. LONDON, June 9.—Lord Kitchener and his staff were drowned off the Orkney Islands while trying to make their way to shore from the sinking cruiser Hampshire, according to an Aberdeen dispatch to the Times today.

The Kitchener disaster occurred between transited and Brough Birsay, northwest of

The Kitchener disaster occurred between Marwick and Brough Birsay, northwest of the Scottish mainland. Lord Kitchener and his staff reached the Orkney Islands Monday night and immediately, embarked for Archangel.

Apparently the Hampshire sank about 2 miles from land, going down in about twenty minutes. Lord Kitchener and his staff were placed in boats, but they were soon swamped by the high seas.

MAYOR ELLIS' DAUGHTER WEDS Married at Father's Home to Byron Samuel Watson

Muse Elisabeth Matlack Elisa daughter of Mayor Charles H. Ellis, of Camden, was married this afternoon at the Ellis home, \$15 South 5th street, Camden, to Byron Samuel Watson, of 111e South 2d atrost. The Roy C. J. Fitzgurald performed the cerumony. Mins Elis P. Frank was the bridesmald and the "best juan" was Frank M. Elisa brother of the bride Followisz their westing journey, the couple will live at \$31 South 5th street, Camden.

QUICK NEWS

SENATOR LODGE PRESENTS JOHN W. WEEKS' NAME

CHICAGO, June 9 .- Senator Lodge at 2:21 (3:21 Philadelphia time) was recognized by Chairman Harding to place in nomination Senator John W. Weeks, of Massachusetts.

COLISEUM OVERCROWDED; FIRE MARSHAL TAKES CHARGE

COLISEUM, Chicago, June 9 .- At 2 o'clock this afternoon the city fire marshal took charge of the Coliseum. An investigation re-Values time to building was overcrowded and the donkeepers were matricted to refuse entrance to any persons even if they had tickets

JOHN R. M'LEAN, NEWSPAPER OWNER. DIES

WASHINGTON, June 9. - John R. McLean, publisher of the Washington Post and the Cincinnati Enquirer, died at his home in the suburbs here this afternoon. He had been ill for several weeks.

JAPANESE SHIP FOUNDERS; MANY LOST

MAGARAKI, June 9 .- The Japanese steambhip Oyo Maru has foundered with heavy loss of life. Only 21 semmen were saved.

\$2000 IN DIAMONDS STOLEN FROM IFWELER'S SAFE

A box containing unset diamonds valued at \$2000 was stolen today from a safe in the fewelry store of Mrs. Mary Milner, 1732 South 7th street, after thieves had decoyed Mrs. Milner to the kitchen of her home.

BELMONT RACING RESULTS

First race, 2-year-olds, 41-2 furlongs straight-Priscilla, 101, Allen, 9 to 5, 9 to 20 and out, won; Alvord, 112, Troxler, 17 to 10, 9 to 20 and out, second; Temptation, 104 Garner, 5 to 2, 3 to 5 and out, third Time, 153 3-5.

TROLLEY CONDUCTOR DIES IN CAR

bent on nominating Roosevelt and doing it in a hurry. The prayer by Rabbi Stolz was hardly fin-W. Warren, a conductor on the 17th and 18th streets line, fell dead at his post ished when a wild demonstration for Roose-velt was begun.

There was a hum of conversation. Colwhile his car was crossing Catharine street at 18th. At the Polyclinic Hospital he was pronounced a victim of heart disease. Warren was 50 years old and lived at 1625 Jackson street. one! Charles Mason, of Maine, arose to a question of privilege. He paid a tribute to Georgia and offered the seats of his delegaat 1625 Jackson street.

TELEGRAPH SERVICE SUSPENDED IN CHINESE PROVINCES

tion to the delegation from Georgia, which was forced to git on the stage for lack of room. Georgia acknowledged the compli-The Western Union Telegraph Company announces that telegraph service has ment gracefully.

C. R. Hutchins, speaking for the delegation, called upon the convention to fight for the party to the end. He sounded the keynote for action; for the continuance been suspended with the Chinese provinces of Hunan and Smechuen in addition to the provinces of Yunnan, Kweichow, Kwangsi, Chekiang, Kwangtung and Shensi, already announced. Messages for Harbin, Manchuria, may be sent via Vladivostock

at an increased rate of 70 cents a word.

ITALIAN PREFERS CAMDEN JAIL TO TRENCHES

the keynote for action; for the continuance of the party in all its force. To accept the offer of the Maine seats, Georgia started a parade across the hall. The State banners were flaunted at the head of the delegation. It was the signal for a big Rossevelt demonstration that started at 10:44 of the continuance. The unusual procedure of a prisoner's fighting to prevent his release from the Camden County jail was presented in the Camden Criminal Court yesterday, before Judge Boyle. Luigi Catual sought to have the restraint on his liberty continued, in Maine came to the stage to take the order that he might not be deported to Italy, where he will be pressed into service in seats of the Georgia brethren. The dem-onstration lasted for four minutes. "Pending the report from the Conference the army. Catual lost his fight. Judge Boyle directed that he be turned over to the United States immigration authorities, who will take him to New York, and he will sail today on the steamship Cretic as an undesirable. With Catual will be deported Continued on Page Four. Column One. Niccolo Fovolo and his wife and child. Fovolo threatened his wife with a butcher knife and struck his daughter

WILL SALUTE FLAG AT CITY HALL CONCERTS

The American flag will be saluted at this season's free concerts of the Philadelphia Band, which open on the north plaza of City Hall Monday night. At the beginning of each concert the flag will be run up the newly erected flagpole on one side of the pavilion and will be saluted by the audience. The closing selection of each concert will be a patriotic air, during the playing of which the audience will stand in respect to the flag, which again will be raised.

AVIATION SCHOOL HARASSED BY BOAT ANCHORAGES

In all probability efforts will be made by the Commissioners of Navigation to assist Robert E. Glendinning, founder of the Philadelphia School of Aviation, at Essington, in preventing yachts and other craft from anchoring in the river directly opposite the school. Mr. Giendinning, who says the presence of numerous boats anchored in the vicinity of the school seriously impedes the starting and landing of the machines, has pstitioned Director Webster, president of the Navigation Commission, to take some action by which this trouble may be overcome. It was announced yesterday by George F. Sprouis, secretary of that body, that Mr. Glendinning's potition had been referred to one of the special committees for consideration and it was likely a favorable report would be made. It is Mr. Glendinning's desire to have some kind of sign put up asking boat owners not to anchor in the vicinity of the of the delegates whom they control in the

PUBLIC SUPPORT OF NATIONAL GUARD URGED

Public support of the National Guard units stationed in this city is urged by the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce. The plea was made in the form of a resolution presented by H. K. Mulford, chairman of the preparedness committee, and adopted at the monthly meeting of the board of directors yesterday.

JOFFRE ATTENDS WAR COUNCIL IN LONDON

LONDON, June & -- An important council of war, attended by General Joffre. was held in Downing street today. It is understood the conference discussed the new military situation brought about by Lord Kitchener's death. Others attending were the French Ambassador to England, Sir Edward Grey, the British Foreign Secretary and members of the war council. In connection with the council of war the Government Press Bureau gave out a statement saying that General Joffre had been accompanied to London by Premier Briand, General Roques, French Minister or War: M Clamentel, Minister of Commerce, and Denys Cochin, Minister of State. author adjourns this afternoon or tonight. David Ltoyd-George, Minister of Munitions, also attended the conference,

TEUTONS FACE ENVELOPMENT BY SLAV ARMY

Austrian Front Broken Along 100 Miles to 40-Mile Depth

2,000,000 MEN ENGAGED

General Brusiloff Hammers to Drive Wedge Between German and Austrian Forces

Fate of Fortress of Lutsk

September 1, 1915,-Captured by Germans and Austro-Hungarians. September 23, 1915.—Evacuated by Teutons.

September 24, 1915.—Recaptured by Russians, with 4000 prisoners. September 28, 1915.—Evacuated by Russians. October 1, 1915.—Recaptured by

Germans. June 6, 1916.—Captured by Rus-

ROME, June 9.

The whole Austro-Hungarian army on the eastern front is threatened with envelopment by the Russians, it was stated today at the Russian Embassy.

The Austro-Hungarian front has been broken over a length of 100 miles and for a depth of 40 miles.

PETROGRAD, June 9 .- With nearly 55,-000 prisoners in their hands, taken in less than a week, the Russians are advancing all along the line in Volhynia, Galicia and Bukowina. The greatest pressure is being exerted against the Austro-Hungarians between Czartorysk and the Galician frontier, where the Russians have occupied the fortress of Lutzk, crossed the Styr river and are pressing the Teutons in a southwestern direction in utter rout.

General Brusiloff, the Russian commandor, is evidently driving a wedge between
the Austro-Hungarian and German armies,
where they join near the Pripet marshes.
With this enterprise successfully carried
out, the Russians could drive southward
toward the triangle formed by Jaroniaw.
Przemysi and Lemberg, probably compeliing the Austro-Hungarians to evacuate
Vladimir, Volynsk and Lemberg.
Nearly 2,000,000 soldiers are engaged in
the great battle which is considered to be
in only its initial stage.

Great masses of artillery have been concentrated all along the line by the Rus-General Brustloff, the Russian command-

centrated all along the line by the Russians and the bombardment of the Austro-Hungarian positions equals in violence the big gun attacks against the Russian lines when you Mackensen began his offensive

The fighting is particularly intense around the fortress of Dubno, where the Austro-Hungarians have made a desperate effort to prevent the Russians from advancing along the Royno-Lemberg railway. Farther south the Russians after capturing important Austrian works, are now

vancing toward the Strypa with the ject of forcing a crossing.

At some points the Russians have advanced more than 25 miles since they opened their offensive.

The Austro-Hungarian losses have been so enormous that the troops are demoralized.

SUCCESS ON STRYPA.

The Russians. It is said here, scored another notable success in the last 24 hours. Pushing forward in massed formation, with an unprecedented outpour of artillery, they bressed the Austro-Hungarian troops defending the "doors to the Bukowina" to the River Strypa, taking strong positions on the Trybuchowics-Jaslowics front. Both places lie a few miles from one another west of the Strypa and south of the important city of Bucasa. This success, if followed up by further progress, menaces the Bukowina crownland with invasion and the whole Austro-Hungarian army defending it—estimated at from 250,000 to 300,000—with being cut off. The Russian official report asserts that the total number of prisoners taken in the new offensive has been brought up to 54,000.

The Russian War Office statement fol-

Tuesday we captured the district and town of Lutsk, also many points on the line of the rivers likwa and Styr. crossing them and continuing our offensive.

In Galicia, on the lower Strypa, we stormed strong positions on the Trybuchowce-Jaslowice front and are closs

to the Strypa.

In addition to the 40.000 prisoners before recorded, we captured 58 officers and 11.000 men and quantities of guns

and machine guns.

As a result of the fighting in Vol-hynia and Galicia. an important victory has been crowned by a deep smashing in of the suemy's front.

LUTSK'S FOURTH FALL Lutsk situated 35 miles from the Gall-cian border, is a modern strong-hold erected within recent years to ward off possible Austrian aggression. It is the eastern angle of the Volhymian for-tress, the two others. Dubno, the apex, situated 30 miles to the southeast, still in Teuton hands, and Rovno, 30 miles to the

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THE WEATHER

Of what purpose is hope, expectancy, anticipation optimism? For days upon days deluges of water have dropped from the sky and avaianches of words have come from Chicago, and no one knows how it will end. We have been waiting for today, which long ago promised to untangle the inscrutable at Chicago and to clear up the mass into which the weather has drifted. But now various movements. Progressive and rainy, have muddled politics and weather more muddley than ever.

Today may become a big day, at that FORECAST

For Philadelphia and vicinity—Gen-erally cloudy and unsettled tanight and Saturday, with probably some light rain; not much change in temperature; moderate easterly winds.

LOST AND FOUND

Street Look and French Ada of Free St.