

PEACE FIRST,  
THEN ALLIANCE,  
HARDING SAYS

Republican Nominee Outlines  
Policies in Speech at  
Notification Fete.

LODGE TENDERS HONOR

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MARION, O. July 22.—Peace first and then an association of nations for international justice is to be the republican policy, as outlined by Senator Warren G. Harding today before an audience of party leaders and fellow Ohioans which filled Garfield auditorium and overflowed thousands strong into the park and fields surrounding it.

Senator Harding's speech, his first public utterance since the Chicago convention, was his formal acceptance of the republican nomination for the presidency and in it he outlined the course that republican policy will pursue in the 1920 campaign.

The candidate accepted the challenge issued by the democrats, which he said was emphasized by the Wilson-Cox conference, to make the league of nations the paramount issue of the campaign.

Senator Harding announced himself and his party as ready to go before the people in a referendum on the question.

Senator Harding's speech—the opening gun of the campaign—was in reply to Senator Lodge's short speech of notification in which the Massachusetts senator warned the candidate that no campaign in the history of the republic ever involved graver issues than this one.

PROMISES PEACE.

"In the call of the conscience of America is peace," said Senator Harding, "that closes the gaping wounds of war and silences the impassioned voices of international envy and distrust."

"Heeding this call and knowing all I do the disposition of the republicans is to make a firm and effective peace so quickly as a republican congress can pass its declaration for a republican executive to sign."

"Disposed as it were, the way is very simple. Let the fall of the attitude of assumption, obstinacy, impracticability and delay be recognized and let the world see that the only sensible war to do our part, neither covetous because of ambition nor hesitant through fear, but ready to serve ourselves, humanity and God."

"With a senate advising as the constitution contemplates, I would hopefully approach the nations, the world and the earth, presenting that understanding which makes us a willing participant in the consecration of nations to a new relationship, to commit the moral forces of the world, America inclined, to peace and international justice, still leaving America free, independent and self-reliant, but offering friendship to all the world."

Senator Harding made caustic references to President Wilson's league of nations and to the whole trend of Wilsonian policies.

NO SURRENDER TO  
WORLD COUNCIL.

"No surrender of rights to a world council or international government," he said, "no automatic mandatory, however appealing, ever shall summon the sons of this republic to war. There is a sanctity in that right we will not delegate."

Pointed reference also was made to "one-man rule," and "autocratic tendencies of government."

"In the name of democracy," said Senator Harding, "we establish autocracy. Our first commitment is to restore popular representative government. No one man is big enough to run this great republic. There never has been one."

The republican vision, the senator said, included a cabinet of highest capacity, in which a man would be provided for the vice president.

Senator Harding held forth slight hope to those who favor a modification of the Volstead and eighteenth amendment prohibition measures, although declaring the right of modification and repeal is inherent in the constitution.

"If elected," he warned, "I mean to be a constitutional president, and it is impossible to ignore the constitution, unthinkable to evade the law."

"People will differ about the wisdom of a law—there is a divided opinion respecting the eighteenth amendment and the law should make it operate—but there can be no difference of opinion about honest law enforcement."

STANDS SQUARE ON  
G. O. P. PLATFORM.

"We can not nullify because of divided opinion, we can not jeopardize orderly government with either a law or law enforcement," he said. "Modification or repeal is the right of a free people, whenever the deliberate and intelligent public sentiment commands, but perversions and evasion mark the paths of failure of government."

Other issues of the campaign Senator Harding followed the tenor of the republican platform as adopted at Chicago, standing four square on its provisions.

He earnestly advocated the final ratification and operation of the federal suffrage amendment; he declared that both labor and capital owed a duty to the public, warning the latter that it must be more sympathetic for the welfare of labor and warning labor that it must give a full day's work for a full day's pay.

He reiterated the republican party's opposition to governmental ownership of railroads; declared for governmental encouragement of agricultural interests;

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Principal Points  
in Harding's Speech

LEAGUE OF NATIONS—Pledges republican party to early peace, to be followed by an association of nations for international justice. Repudiates President Wilson's league in its entirety.

PROHIBITION—Holds out little hope for "wets"; warns that if elected he will be a "constitutional president" and rigidly enforce prohibition legislation now in the statutes.

SUFFRAGE—Urges immediate ratification and operation of the federal suffrage amendment.

LABOR AND CAPITAL—Warns labor that it must give a full day's work for a full day's pay, and warns capital that it must be more sympathetic with aspirations of the workers.

RAILROADS—Reiterates republican opposition to the policy of government ownership.

HOW PERFECTLY  
UNROMANTIC!  
Youth Who Elopés With  
Mother-in-Law Sentenced.

Special to The Times.  
FT. WAYNE, Ind., July 22.—Instead of presenting Robert Dawson, 21, who eloped to this city with his mother-in-law, with a medal, as suggested was his due by Chief of Police Abbott, Judge Munigan fined the young man six months in the state prison and \$100.

Mrs. Elppert, the mother-in-law, in the case, was fined \$10 and costs and six months, but the penal term was suspended on the promise that Mrs. Elppert would take care of her child, Mrs. Dawson and the Dawson baby.

Dawson made an eloquent plea in court for himself, but was interrupted by the court when the fine and penal term were assessed.

W. K. Vanderbilt Is  
Stricken in Paris

PARIS, July 22—William K. Vanderbilt of New York has suffered a severe attack of angina pectoris and grave fears were expressed today.

The attending physician, Col. Cross, said Mr. Vanderbilt might not survive twelve hours, unless he showed unexpected vitality.

Exhaust Venire of 25  
in Gambling Case

Only seven jurors were selected at the opening session of the trial of Beverly Howard, negro politician, charged with keeping a gambling house.

A special venire of twenty-five was exhausted when many farmers were excused to return to their work in the harvest fields.

The case was appealed from the city court, where Howard was fined \$10 and costs and sentenced to serve ten days in the Marion county jail.

This 'White Mule'  
Had Lots of Kick

"White mule" had so much kick in it that Edward Albert Burke, 26, of 407 South Alabama street, fell out of a window at his home last night, the horse and his head hitting a brick sidewalk twenty feet below.

He was thought to have been fatally injured, but today physicians at the City hospital said no bones had been broken and that Burke's condition was not serious.

Herbert Arterburn, 751 Woodlawn avenue, found Burke at a carnival at Pennsylvania and Morris streets, and brought him to the hospital.

Mrs. Burke removed her husband from below, intoxicated, she told the police, and he walked across the room and before he could regain his balance fell through the window.

The police say they found a pint bottle one-fourth full of "white mule" whisky in Burke's pocket.

Guard Rich Widow  
From Blackmailer

PANHOOKET, R. I., July 22—Threatened with death unless she delivers large sums of money, Mrs. Mary D. A. Sayles, widow of the late Frank A. Sayles of this city, multimillionaire manufacturer, is today being closely guarded from the blackmailers.

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FIRE DESTROYS  
CRAFT FACTORY

North Delaware Street Scene

of \$5,000 Blaze.

Fire that started from a defective fuse in the shop of the World Craft Company, in the rear of 1625 North Delaware street, and spread to three other buildings, caused a loss estimated at \$5,000 today.

Billy Titus, six years old, 1625 North Delaware street, discovered the fire and caused the alarm to be turned in.

The company manufactures supplies for art work in schools, and the factory is located in a large frame barn owned by Peter Sullivan, who lives at the North Delaware street address.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baker, owners of the World Craft Company, are spending the month of July in their studio in the Flirt Arts building, Chicago.

F. E. Maynard, who was in charge of the shop during the absence of Mr. Baker, stated the while it would be difficult to estimate the loss to manufactured goods in the company's factory, it probably would be about \$5,000.

That estimate did not include the damage to the building or the damage to adjoining buildings.

The flames reached across the alley and damaged a large barn in the rear of 1621 North Delaware street, where George Price has a large automobile enameling establishment.

The heat was so great that electric wires broke and dropped, endangering the firemen.

The flames reached the roof of a large frame barn of Miss Helen Connor, 1626 North Almond street, but the damage to that building was slight.

Bill Authorizes  
Raising G. A. R. Fund

For the purpose of providing funds to assist in the entertainment of the members of the G. A. R. who are to meet in Indianapolis on Aug. 15, in national encampment, the Indiana state legislature will give the city of Indianapolis the authority to appropriate \$50,000 to be used in this manner.

The bill was passed by a vote of 36 to 0, following suspension of the rules on motion of Senator Wolfson of Marion county.

The bill now goes to the governor for his signature.

Meredith to Address  
State Dairy Meeting

Special to The Times.

LA FAYETTE, Ind., July 22.—E. T. Meredith, secretary of agriculture, will be the principal speaker at the annual summer field meeting of the Indiana State Dairy association, to be held at the Gossard farm, near Martinsville, Ind., 3 according to announcement made today by C. C. Geiger, president of the state dairy secretary of the association.

J. G. Watson, of the Ayrshire Breeders' association, will conduct a judging demonstration and a session for the dairymen.

The Martinsville meeting will be the thirtieth anniversary of the founding of the organization.

Faces Trial Charged  
With Child Neglect

Rose Deuser, 227 Langley avenue, will face trial in juvenile court Monday, July 26, charged with neglect of child.

Her son, Louis Deuser, 20, who was arrested last night, charged with assault and battery on his brother, Andrew, 12, is said to have chained the younger brother to a post because he ran away from home.

Andrew is said to have been chained Tuesday night to the post in a shed in the rear of the Deuser home and left there all night, where he was found by playmates the next morning.

The playmates, who have released Andrew by filing the chains.

Louis will also come before Judge Lahr on the day of his mother's trial.

MANAGERS ASK  
20 PCT. BOOST  
IN R. R. FARES

Increased Freight Rates Also  
Sought in Petition to Com-  
merce Body.

TO COVER WAGE AWARD

WASHINGTON, July 22.—An increase of 20 per cent in passenger fares and in-  
creases of from 9 to 10 per cent in freight  
rates was asked this afternoon by the railroad executives in a petition presented to the Interstate commerce commission by the railroads and the railroads' association.

The increases are asked to meet the wage increases granted railroad workers by the railroad labor board.

The railroad executives further asked for a surcharge of 50 per cent on each passenger fare.

Increased freight rates on milk which were asked for will amount to approximately a 38 per cent rate, according to Thom.

The straight freight increases sought will average 8 per cent in western territory and 10 per cent in eastern territory, Thom stated.

The railroad executives estimate the wage increases granted by the railroad labor board will amount to \$250,000 a year.

Hearing has not been asked for on the petition for rate increases.

UNIONS DIVIDED  
ON WAGE AWARD

CHICAGO, July 22.—Representatives of the railroad unions, after a hot meeting, divided over the question of accepting or rejecting the wage award granted the rail workers of the country by the United States railroad labor board.

Seven of the unions, including three of the four largest brotherhoods, were reported to have accepted, or favored, acceptance of the award in its entirety, and without a vote.

Five other unions, including the rail workers of the country, voted to accept the award.

Two unions, the Amalgamated Association of Streetcar Employees and the Amalgamated Association of Streetcar Employees, voted to reject the award.

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