

SIX SCANDALS IN SIX MONTHS COMPRISE RATIO

Public Disgraces of Administration Subject of Comment.

HARVEY SPEECH LEADS

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—Six scandals in six months of the Harding Administration have developed to full proportions, with enough more in embryo to maintain this ratio for the year. Specifically and briefly they are:

1. The Harvey Scandal—Permitting George Harvey, ambassador to Great Britain to retain his post, without reprimand or rebuke, following his public speech at the Pilgrims' Society dinner, London, May 19, insulting the living and the dead of America in the World War. This speech was condemned by practically all classes of citizens, by nearly every church conference since held and by those who had the best right to condemn it because their feelings and sensibilities were most strongly outraged—members of the American Legion Posts, and organizations of War Mothers.

President Harding and Secretary of State Hughes, it should be said in all fairness, have since uttered sentiments to the contrary, but the fact remains that Ambassador Harvey has not been officially reprimanded and the general demand for his recall has been ignored.

NEWBERRY FACTS

MATTER OF RECORD.
2. The Newberry Scandal—The whitewashing of Senator Truman H. Newberry of Michigan by a unanimous vote of the Republican members of the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The facts in the Newberry scandal are a matter of court and legislative record. It is admitted that a slush fund of nearly \$200,000 was raised and spent in Newberry's behalf in the Senatorial Primary election of 1918; that the financial records of the campaign were destroyed or mysteriously disappeared. Evidence to show Senator Newberry had knowledge of the financial campaign in his behalf was sufficient to bring about his conviction in a Federal Court, but the conviction was nullified by a 5 to 4 decision of the Supreme Court of the United States on the ground that the Federal Corrupt Practices Act did not apply to primary elections, but the decision did not touch the merits of the case.

Despite all of the evidence in the trial and at a subsequent Senate Committee inquiry, the entire Republican membership of the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections voted unanimously to "exonerate" Senator Newberry and recommended that he retain his seat; Dillingham, Spencer, Wadsworth, Watson (Ind.), Edger, Ernst, Shortridge and Bursum, all members of the Old Guard. Senator Kenyon, a Progressive, was removed from this committee when the present Senate was organized. The Democratic members of the committee voted to declare the seat vacant.

The Newberry case will be finally determined by the Senate as a whole.

LEGAL ADVISERS HOLD ENORMOUS CLAIMS.

3. The Lasker Shipping Board Scandal—The projected sale of 205 wooden ships, costing \$300,000 to \$500,000 each, for \$2,100 each, with but a 10-cent bidder. (This bill following wide adverse publicity, has just been rejected.) Also the employment of members of the legal staff of the board at salaries as high as \$25,000, some of them recommended by firms holding claims against the shipping board.

The employment of these attorneys at such salaries, while the staff of the attorney general is available and while the administration is making a pretense of economy, has been severely criticized both by Democratic and Republican Senators, but the most scandalous phase of this matter is in the retention of one Shivers, new law firm of New York which had been asked by Chairman Lasker and Chief Counsel Schlesinger to recommend appointments in the legal department of the shipping board held claims against the board as high as fifteen, sixteen and seventeen million dollars.

4. The Thoresen Scandal—The removal from office by presidential order of Surveyor General I. C. Thoresen of Utah whom term had not expired and against whom no charges were made, for the avowed sole reason of giving the office to a Republican.

President Harding's first letter to Surveyor General Thoresen, suggesting his resignation, said: "I need not tell you of the current demand for the recognition of claims in our own party for consideration in the matter of patronage."

FEDERAL PATRONAGE TRAFFICKING CHARGE.

5. The Overall Scandal—The alleged receipt of money from applicants for office by John W. Overall, Republican national committeeman for Tennessee, acting as a job dispensing "referee," who is quoted in an interview in the press as saying his collections were turned over to the Republican national committee to apply on its campaign deficit.

This scandal was aired on the floor of the Senate on Aug. 11 by Senator McKellar, who said:

"I want to call the Senate's attention to one of the most remarkable disgraceful traffickings in Federal patronage that has come under my notice since I have been in public life."

He read into the Record a letter from a close friend of the national committeeman to an applicant for a postmaster's position, suggesting that he "kick in" \$100 to help pay Overall's expenses to Washington; then a letter from one Shivers, the applicant, enclosing a check for \$10, asking for information in the matter of the appointment of a rural letter-carrier.

Then a letter from National Committeeman Overall acknowledging receipt of the letter "with enclosure," and stating that when the appointment of the rural carrier is referred to him he will appoint any one of the eligibles that Shivers may desire. It was also shown that Overall endorsed this check "John W. Overall, N. C." (presumably national committeeman) and deposited it in bank.

President Harding's change in the civil service rules to make the highest three on the list eligible, instead of the highest one, as Under Secretary Wilson, makes possible such trafficking in appointments.

McKELLAR'S EFFORTS MEET NO RESPONSE.

Senator McKellar introduced the following resolution: "Resolved, that the Postoffice Committee of the Senate be and is hereby, authorized and instructed to investigate the alleged violations of the civil service act and the alleged selling of Federal offices in Tennessee by John W. Overall, Republican national committeeman, and alleged referee in patronage matters in that State."

This very briefly is the state of affairs against Overall. There are reports of others. Senator McKellar's efforts to have the Postoffice Committee act upon his resolution for an investigation so far have been futile.

6. The Appropriations Scandal—Counting from the people the amount their Government is costing them by covering up appropriations through reappropriations, revolving funds and "amendments," which do not appear on the appropriations list, and "deliberately, but

QUEEN MARIE OF ROUMANIA TO VISIT U. S.



Her Majesty, Queen Marie of Roumania, from her latest photograph to be received in this country, taken by the court photographer at Bucharest. This is an intimate view of Her Majesty, taken in her boudoir, where she is seen perusing a favorite volume of literature. The Queen is noted in Europe for her literary penchant. She is the author of many delightful poems and prose works, including fairy stories that have had a world-wide vogue. The Queen expects to arrive in America early in December, unless unforeseen political conditions will prevent.

ROOMS

Indiana State Teachers' Association, Oct. 20, 21, 22.

Street and number.....

Telephone number.....

Name.....

Number of Rooms..... Number of persons accommodated.....

Price per night for each person?.....

Car line..... Get off at.....

Furnish Breakfast?..... Price per person.....

The "Juggling Joker" was in the second deficiency bill, signed June 16, as follows:

"The statement of appropriations, etc., for the third session of the Sixty-Sixth Congress shall include the army, naval and second deficiency appropriation acts passed during the first session of the Sixty-seventh Congress, and all other appropriations made at the latter session shall be compiled and published with the statement of appropriations for the second session of the Sixty-seventh Congress."

Secretary Mellon of the Treasury has been authorized to increase the issue of certificates of indebtedness from \$7,000,000,000 to \$7,500,000,000, and on Sept. 15 offered for sale a second issue of Treasury certificates of indebtedness of \$200,000,000—thus borrowing money to run the Government while the Administration was making a pretense of economy and boasting that it was saving money.

Each and every one of these enumerated acts amounts to a public scandal, for which there is no parallel in numbers in any previous Republican administration, scandalous as some of them have been.

'Y' PLANS PUBLIC SPEAKING CLASS

Founder of Course to Speak Wednesday Night.

Dale Carnegie, prominent teacher of public speaking in America, will address the opening session of the public speaking class at the Young Men's Christian Association, Wednesday evening, Oct. 12, on "Power and Confidence Through Public Speaking."

For eight years Mr. Carnegie's courses were the leading features in the Y. M. C. A. schools of New York, Brooklyn, Baltimore and Philadelphia. He conducted classes for the New York Rotary Club, New York Advertising Club, New York Chapter of American Institute of Banking, the Business Science Club and Engineers' Club of Philadelphia.

He has just returned from a fifteen-month trip through England, Wales, and Scotland, speaking on Allenby's Campaign in Palestine and Lawrence's Campaign in Arabia. Although America was not represented in either of these campaigns, Carnegie's lectures on them broke all records in London, more than a million people paying admission fees to hear him.

Mr. Carnegie is the author and founder of the course in public speaking now being promoted in all Y. M. C. A. s.

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NUTRITIONAL INSTITUTE IS GIVEN SUPPORT

Organizations Show Interest in Tuberculosis Association's Plan.

Many organizations are cooperating with the Marion County Tuberculosis Association in its plans for the institute on the nutritional problems of children, which will be conducted by Dr. William R. P. Emerson during the two weeks beginning Oct. 24.

W. J. Williams, health chairman of the International Red Cross and Building Union, writes the following:

"Please find inclosed check for \$10 as our donation to help defray the expenses of the institute to be conducted by Dr. Emerson beginning Oct. 24. Our organization in regular session Oct. 3 voted unanimously to approve or endorse the work of your association. I heartily regret that because of employment and other matters we will be unable to take advantage of the course offered by your association through Dr. Emerson. Hoping great success for the institute and looking forward to the time when I will be able to take advantage of some of the many opportunities as offered from time to time by the Marion County Tuberculosis Association."

The \$10 will be used as a scholarship for a worker interested in taking the institute course, but unable to pay the tuition fee.

A number of organizations have extended invitations to Dr. Emerson and his assistants, Miss Mabel Skilton and Mrs. Ira Couch Wood, who is director of the Elizabeth McCormick Memorial Fund of Chicago. Among these organizations are the Medical Society of Indianapolis, the Rotary Club, the Optimist Club, Community Welfare Department of the Women's Department Club and the Woman's Alliance of All Souls Unitarian Church.

At the institute the Indianapolis schools will be represented by Miss Louise Zobel, director of school lunches; Dr. William A. Ocker, director of the physical education department, and others. Dr. Herman G. Morgan, secretary of the city board of health, will arrange to have the school nurses and physicians attend Dr. Emerson's lectures and also will be arranged for the Medical Society of the city and county are co-operating in the arrangement of special meetings for the members of their associations. Late afternoon lectures also will be arranged for teachers, nurses and social workers who can not attend the institute lectures held in the morning at the council room in the city hall.

All other public lectures will be held at Caleb Mills Hall in Shortridge High School. The time of these lectures will be announced later.

SOUND NOTE OF OPTIMISM AS SESSION OPENS

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ence of England on the United States for raw materials.

BOSTON AND ROCHESTER WITH 1922 CONVENTION.

Boston and Rochester are fighting it out for the 1922 convention.

Announcement was made by Mr. Chandler that a proposition would be put before the convention this week to hold the next convention in May instead of October.

Quite an undercurrent of feeling developed among the delegates in favor of changing the convention time to May and also in re-electing the present group of officers so that they will continue their term until the next convention. The present officers of the association are W. L. Chandler, president; A. H. Reinhardt, first vice president; T. P. Webster, second vice president; A. V. Howland, third vice president; S. F. Woodbury, fourth vice president; D. E. Ferguson, fifth vice president; W. J. Gamble, treasurer, and L. F. Boffey, secretary.

At noon the convention split up into six different luncheon meetings. Three group meetings were on luncheon, ethics, employment, legislation, governmental purchasing and standardization.

FOUR PARALLEL CONFERENCES.

This afternoon there were four parallel conferences all of which were held at the Claypool hotel.

At the fuel conference in the assembly room the question of purchasing coal by analysis was discussed. There was a paper conference in the parlors; a conference on membership in parlors B and a standardization conference in Room 818.

The entertainment for the visiting ladies starts this afternoon with a luncheon.

NEED HOUSES IN FACTORY CENTER

Report Shows Work at Mars Hill.

O. D. Haskett, president of the Greater Indianapolis Industrial Association, made his annual report to the stockholders of the association at their annual meeting at the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon. The president's report is made annually at the stockholders' meeting, just prior to the election of officers.

The greater Indianapolis Industrial Association was founded in 1910 to back the project of the industrial suburb of Mars Hill. In the past eleven years Mars Hill has brought new and successful industries to the city and has added to the fame of Indianapolis as an industrial city.

President Haskett's report shows that the greatest need of Mars Hill is more houses. An enlarged building program for the past year has still produced a supply of houses inadequate to the demand. A new industry has located in Mars Hill during the past year, the plant of the American Valve and Tank Company and the first unit of their building program has been completed, Mr. Haskett reported.

Rockford (Ill.) Man Dies in Auto Crash

Special to The Times.

FRANKLIN, Ind., Oct. 10.—John Gingo, 32, unmarried, taxi driver of Rockford, Ill., was killed late Saturday, when the automobile in which he was driving turned upside down, pinning him beneath it, when he attempted to pass another car going in the same direction, two miles south of Edinburg on the Dixie Highway. A brother arrived today from Rockford to take charge of the body, which will be returned to Illinois for burial.

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Kaysers' Chamoisette Gloves, in brown, black, gray and beaver. All sizes..... 50c
Rompers
Children's gingham, chambray and percale rompers; Dutch style, plain colors and fancy effects..... 50c
Lisle Hose
Women's extra fine quality lisle hose, properly reinforced to wear; two pairs..... 50c
Stockings
Children's school stockings, medium rib; black, white and brown; all sizes; two pairs..... 50c

Silk & Cloth Dresses \$9.75
If there is a woman in this city who wants a stylish, practical, inexpensive dress, she will attend this sale.
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Poiret Twills, Jerseys, Tricotines, Canton Crepes, for Nine-Seventy-Five!
Braided, beaded and embroidery styles; in sizes 16 to 44.

Cold Weather Specials for Men
Flannel Shirts
Collar attached shirts, with pocket and double sewed seams. Khaki, navy blue and brown. \$2.45
Union Suits
Heavy ribbed or fleeced union suits; long sleeve, ankle length styles. \$1.00
Sweaters
Made in heavy weave, with band collar and cuffs; coat style, and excellent values. \$1.45

Warm Comfy Outing Flannel Nightgowns 69c
Women's Flannelette Night Gowns, cut full and long. Collar or collarless styles; neatly trimmed with braid.
UNION SUITS, medium weight ribbed garments, long or short sleeve styles, also sleeveless; regular and extra sizes; \$1.50 values..... 79c
UNION SUITS, extra heavy weight, medium rib; long or short sleeve styles, ankle length styles; regular and extra sizes. A good \$2.00 value, during this sale..... \$1.29
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