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ALL ARE AMERICAN CITIZENS

Noted Men of State of All Parties, Deplorers Attempts to Create Race Prejudice.

Santa Fe, N. M., May 29.—That the reported growth of an effort at race distinction in New Mexico is being met with vigorous attacks upon such segregation politically or otherwise, has been strikingly demonstrated in the past few days. Following the strong plea for the elimination of the "hyphenated" movement by Felix Martinez in an address at the University of New Mexico, Chief Justice Clarence J. Roberts, of the New Mexico supreme court, in an address at the Las Vegas Normal commencement, Thursday night made an unsparing attack on the men who he said were seeking for political and personal motives to sow the seeds of race dissension in New Mexico. He used most eloquently the "one country and one flag" appeal and strongly urged the standing of the day when the English language will be spoken by every one in the state. "You can't talk the other fellows' point of view unless you can talk with him," said Judge Roberts, who advocated the learning of English by the native people as much for their own benefit as otherwise. He pointed out that New Mexico is an integral part of an English-Spanish nation, surrounded by exclusively English-speaking states. "The language of the other states," said the speaker, "must necessarily be our language."

Here two great civilizations, the Anglo-Saxon and the Latin, meet under a common flag. All who have given any thought to the question cannot fail to realize the necessity of bringing the people of the two races into a closer union, with common ideals and a united destiny. In order to bring this about it is highly necessary that we should speak a common language.

"Unfortunately for the people of New Mexico we have designing men of both races who seek to stir up race prejudice for their own personal ends. They would present as their only claim to recognition that they are either Spanish-Americans or Anglo-Americans. Fortunately these agitators have never been able to secure a sufficient following with either of the two races of people to accomplish any evil, but it is an ever-menacing danger which confronts us. In order to meet it it is necessary for us to install in the minds of the boys and girls of this state the fact that they are American citizens. Not that they are Spanish-Americans or Anglo-Americans, but that in every sense of the term, with all the glorious traditions which is behind, and the wonderful achievement yet to come, they are American citizens."

Ralph C. Ely, republican state chairman, in a commencement address at the Santa Fe High school last night, spoke along similar lines, and more especially with regard to office holding, declaring that whatever his ancestry, only good public service could be any man's qualification for office.

The address of Felix Martinez at Albuquerque is being sent out by State School Superintendent Alvan N. White as an educational bulletin all over the state.

Martinez Scholarship

Albuquerque, N. M., June 2.—Following his ringing warning to those who may seek to foster race prejudice in New Mexico, delivered at the commencement of the New Mexico State University here last month, a warning which he gave in connection with an appeal to Spanish-American parents to give their sons the benefit of higher education, Felix Martinez has founded a practical movement to encourage more thorough advanced education among men of Spanish speaking parentage. The address Mr. Martinez delivered at the university commencement has been widely printed and as widely read in New Mexico, and in response to a demand the state department of education has caused it to be printed in pamphlet form for general distribution among teachers in the public schools. It is a plea for thorough education in the national language, which even more strongly made felt by Chief Justice Clarence J. Roberts of the state supreme court, in his address at the commencement exercises of the Las Vegas State Normal School.

Mr. Martinez proposes that his demand for equal educational training for Spanish-American boys shall have practical backing. As is the custom the University government is led to Mr. Martinez a check for \$500.00, the customary honorarium to the commencement orator at the institution. Mr. Martinez accepted the check, and in acknowledgment it enclosed to President David A. Boyd his own check for \$500, which he asked to have used as the foundation for a scholarship in the university for Spanish-American

young men. The suggestion was that this money be used as the foundation for a special university fund for encouraging attendance of Spanish-American boys at the state's chief educational institution, following completion of the high school courses; this fund later to be turned into one of a number of scholarships to be given for the benefit of such students, who will be selected by the state department of education, or through some other practical method.

Santa Fe, N. M., June 3.—J. B. Crist of counsel for the petitioning taxpayers in the traveling auditor case, yesterday filed a supplementary brief with the state supreme court, submitting the following arguments in the controversy:

(1) Was the act under consideration, House Bill No. 293, passed by the legislature within the constitutional time limit of its session? (2) Does the title of the act constitutionally express the contents thereof? (3) Does the act constitutionally appropriate money for the purpose thereof? Also, it is pointed out that the first proposition involves two distinct considerations, as follows: (a) Did the session of the legislature expire by constitutional limitation at 12:00 on Friday, the 12th day of March, and if it did, how will this court determine the fact alleged in the complaint in the Herman-Sargent case, and not specifically denied by the answer to-wit: that the bill passed the senate after 12:40 of March 12th, to-wit, after the senate no longer had constitutional power to sit or act.

The brief goes into each point thoroughly, and emphasizes, among other things, the alleged fact that the chief clerk of the senate, under oath, candidly and frankly admitted to the court that he did not read any part of the alleged journal before he signed it and did not know whether it was correct or not.

Much of the time of the supreme court has been devoted to the traveling auditor case since the arguments were concluded, and it is possible that a decision will be handed down this week.

101, He Never Worried

Pileus Zatulove, who nearly worried, died Monday at the age of 101 years and seven months. His home was in New York City. On July 5, last, his birthday, his four children, thirty-four grandchildren and fifteen great-grandchildren gathered at his home and despite his years, Pileus Zatulove was the life of the party.

Total abstinence from worry, long walks, plenty of fresh air and moderate indulgence in tobacco and beverage made up Mr. Zatulove's long life receipt. He was born near Kiev, Russia, and came to the United States thirty-five years ago. Until twelve years ago he was engaged in the manufacture of shirts. At that time he retired from business. His wife died fourteen years ago.

Methodist Notes

For Sunday, June 6th.
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.
10:45 a. m. Morning worship and sermon. Subject: "Spiritual Democracy." Special music: "To Thee, Oh Country." Choir.
"Rock of Ages." Choir.
Members of the local chapter of the I. O. O. F. will attend this service in a body.
8:00 p. m. Evening worship and sermon. Subject: "Artificial Inspiration."
Tuesday, 8:00 p. m. Cottage Prayer Meeting.
Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. Cottage at Sampson.
Thursday, 8:00 p. m. Prayer meeting at the Church.
Friday, 8:00 p. m. Choir rehearsal.

Ray Spotts Daim, Minister.

A Mistake Made by Many

Don't wait for rheumatism to indicate diseased kidneys. When you suffer pains and aches by day and sleep disturbing bladder weakness by night, feel tired, nervous and run down, the kidney and bladder should be restored to healthy, strong and regular action. It is a mistake to postpone treatment. Foley Kidney Pills put the kidneys in sound, healthy condition and keep them active and strong. Begin taking today. Good results follow the first dose. For sale by the City Drug Store.

At The Dixie

You will be more than pleased with the stories now running at the Dixie Theatre, on Wednesday afternoons and nights, under the heading "WHO PAYS?" The ones that have been exhibited so far have surpassed all other pictures. Each episode is absolutely complete in itself, but bears a vital question of life. 23-24.

Will Withers of Wanette, attended to business in the city Friday.

MEXICO WARNED BY WILSON

President of the United States Tells Warring Chieftains That They Must Settle Their Differences.

Washington, June 2.—In a statement to the American people today, President Wilson served notice on the factional leaders of Mexico that unless within "a very short time" they made to set up a government which the world can recognize, the United States "will be constrained to decide what means should be employed by the United States in order to help Mexico save herself and serve her people."

Signifying a change from the "watchful waiting" policy, which has ruled relations with Mexico for more than two years, the president's statement was regarded everywhere in official and diplomatic quarters as notice of a new and vigorous policy to restore peace below the Rio Grande.

Everywhere it was interpreted as a warning that the patience of the United States is exhausted. What steps the president is prepared to take if his warning goes unheeded are not disclosed in the statement. In high official quarters nevertheless no doubt existed that he is prepared to proceed.

The statement, which goes to Carranza, Villa, Zapata and Garza, the principal leaders, not as a diplomatic note from the United States, but as a declaration of President Wilson's attitude contains the following striking passages:

"It is time therefore, that the government of the United States should frankly state the policy, which, in these extraordinary circumstances it becomes their duty to adopt. It must presently be what it has not hitherto done or felt at liberty to do, to lend its active moral support to some man or group of men if such may be found, who can rally the suffering people of Mexico to their support in an effort to ignore, if they can not unite, the warring factions of the country, returning to the constitution of the republic so long in abeyance and set up a government at Mexico City, which the great powers of the world can recognize and deal with, a government with which the program of the revolution will be a business and not merely a platform."

"I therefore publicly and very solemnly call upon the leaders of factions in Mexico to act, to get together and to act promptly for the relief and redemption of their prostrate country. I feel it to be my duty to tell them that, if they can not accommodate their differences and unite for this great purpose with in a very short time, this government will be constrained to decide what means should be employed by the United States in order to help Mexico save herself and serve her people."

Slinging Ink for the Hoboes

A fellow named James Eads Row has come into a bit of money in St. Louis and intends to start a newspaper for hoboes. Row has done some hoboeing himself and he is in earnest about the project. We are thinking of applying for the position of correspondent for this Low and just as a sample of what we expect do if turned loose we will try our hand at a letter.

Chicago Slim passed through here Wednesday, assisted by Sheriff Mankler's No. 12 Walkover.

Three-Fingered Finnegan and Pillsbury Red are house guests at Calhoun Grange. They will remain about 10 days.

Atlanta Skunk, Buffalo Jack, Peg-Leg Pete and Cock-Eyed Casey played a thrilling forenoon on the city golf links Thursday. They teed off from the rock pile. Deputy Johnson caddied.

Spongeface Skinner dropped off of the No. 6 freight as it hurried through the yards one day last week. Conductor Wilson dropped him. Spongeface says he was never so insulted in his life.

Dopey Burke gave the once-over Monday afternoon. He tried to sell us the same old gold ring that he had just found. He assures us that this burg is on the Fritz.

Big trouble Jack and Chicago Zim are camping about two miles down the line. They report good picking. A No. 1 left his moniker on the water tank this week. Going north.

Whiskers Dana paid us a pleasant visit Tuesday. He offered to stick type for a hand-out and two-bills. We offered to throw in a bath. Whiskers certainly can tear up the ground when he is frightened.

Skinny Shimmer is in bad brain. He was caught sawing wood for a guy just back of the depot. Kelly, the Rake, threatens to creak him the next time he lumps him. Skinny never belonged. He even carries a piece of soap. This is authentic. Cusionfoot.

C. Oho left Sunday for Denver.

Germans Will Pay

Washington, June 1.—Ambassador Gerard cabled the state department today a note from the German Government agreeing to pay an indemnity for the damage done by a German submarine to the American steamer Gulllight, torpedoed off the Scilly Islands.

The note was brief and stated that the ship had been torpedoed by mistake in the belief that, being accompanied by British patrol boats, she was a belligerent vessel, and adding that the commander did not see the American flag until after the torpedo was fired. The communication agreed to the principle of indemnity, asking the American government to present on behalf of the owners, the usual claim.

In the note was also an expression of regret at the occurrence.

That is in conformity with the procedure which Germany announced in a circular on May 11, would be followed in the case of neutral vessels attacked by mistake.

Baby Nation in Big War

Amsterdam, June 3 (Via London).—An agency dispatch received here from Lugano, Switzerland, says that San Marino, the little republic on the Adriatic, entirely surrounded by Italian territory, has officially approved the Italian attitude toward Austria, and has declared itself to be in a state of war.

San Marino has an area of 22 square miles. It is on a high mountain nine miles from Rimini and dominates the Adriatic. It has been contended that if San Marino remained neutral Austrian aeroplanes could in time of need take refuge there, repair, take on new supplies and then return to their own country.

Base Ball Team Reorganize

The Clayton Base Ball team has reorganized, with Dewey Johnson as manager. The boys are going to give the people the worth of their money this year. Otto Johnson have presented the team with ten complete uniforms made of the best quality of goods. The line up is as follows: Dewey Johnson, manager; Hallett, catcher; Lynch, pitcher; Gallegos, first base; Moore, second base; Lundy, short stop; Johnson, third base; Kiser, right field; McFadden, center field; Thompson, left field. The boys say they will challenge any team in the country that is looking for a game. Let everyone take hold and help the base ball boys, by attending the games.

"The Lion of Venice," will appear on the screen at The Dixie Theatre, Monday, June 6th. 23-24

Fred J. Holderle, of near Hayden, was a Clayton visitor and trader today.

M. M. White of Folsom, was a business visitor in the country seat, Wednesday.

N. C. Light, the Grenville merchant attended to business in the county seat Friday.

G. W. Sparks came in from his Penitents ranch today to look after business and purchase supplies.

Hon. Juan D. Casados of near Clapham, ex-representative, attended to business in the city the first of the week.

F. C. Fields and Jack Nealy of the Clapham country, attended to business in the city Wednesday and Thursday.

E. W. Wood and wife of Cuates, were in Clayton for several days this week. Their little daughter has been under the medical care of Dr. Edmondson.

Mrs. Mattie O. Hannaman, one of the popular school teachers of the county, came in Wednesday and renewed her subscription. The News is the popular paper.

Everyone should see the photoplay now appearing on the screen at the Dixie Theatre, Friday afternoons and nights, in other words "Feature Night." Nothing but Broadway stars on that day. 23-24.

M. C. Johnson, F. H. Clark and J. F. Barnhart went to Trinidad, Sunday afternoon to attend an initiation and banquet given by the Scottish Rite Masons of that city. They returned Tuesday noon, and report a grand time.

Judge Kingdom enjoyed a rush of business in his court Friday morning. About six infringers on the majesty of the law of New Mexico and the peace and dignity of the town of Clayton, had the pleasure of donating the usual \$12.50 for their offenses.

MODERN WOODMEN BANQUET

Woodchoppers Gave Royal Entertainment Monday Evening. Everybody had a Good Time.

Monday evening, May 31, the local M. W. A. Camp, assisted by the Royal Neighbors, gave a banquet and entertainment in the K. P. Hall. A. W. Tamer delivered a short but interesting address on Woodcraft, which was liberally applauded and highly appreciated. Mrs. T. A. Gray and Mrs. Nettie O. Hannaman delivered recitations. Both ladies were at their best and received hearty applause. The banquet was superb, a fact attributable to the managerial ability of the arrangements committee consisting of Messrs Pennington, Ralchiff and Kilburn. Dancing began at ten o'clock and continued until the small hours of the morning. Music was furnished by the Bristol Orchestra.

RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS certain papers in Texas have circulated the report that the Scenic Highway between Raton, New Mexico, and Trinidad, Colorado, is impassable, and

WHEREAS such reports are false and malicious and calculated to mislead and deceive the traveling public and divert travel from Dalhart, Clayton and other points in Northern New Mexico,

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by a good roads convention representing Clayton, Raton, Des Moines, Folsom, Dedman and other points of Northern New Mexico, held at Folsom on the 26th day of May, 1915, that a concerted effort be made through the newspapers of Northern New Mexico and Texas to cancel this unfortunate and unfounded report and to establish the advantages of the present system of good roads through Northern New Mexico to Colorado points, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the action of this convention be transmitted to all papers in Northern New Mexico and Northern Texas with a request that a copy of these resolutions be published.

J. W. Muir
G. G. Granville
J. F. Branson
L. S. Wilson
J. J. Farr
Committee
James Ryan,
Chairman of Meeting

ATTEST: A. J. Stephenson,
Secretary.

Baptist Services

for Sunday, June 6, 1915
There will be a service for children at the eleven o'clock hour Sunday morning, following the regular Sunday school service. The children will render several numbers, and the pastor will give a short illustrated talk. All are invited.
Junior B. Y. P. U. at 2:00 p. m.
Senior B. Y. P. U. at 7:00 p. m. Subject, "The High Calling." Miss Ina Hardgrave, leader.
Evening worship at 7:45 p. m. Subject of sermon, "The Choice of Moses."
J. Q. Herrin, Pastor.

STRAYED

Four heifers and one bull calf. One reifer roan, one pale red with natural white "P" on right shoulder, both ears split; and two jersey heifers. Bull calf is jersey color. All are yearlings. Anyone finding said cattle please notify The News and receive reasonable reward. 23-24

When you are in town, go to the COUNTRY HOME, for a square meal and a clean bed. Next door to Baptist Church. Under new management. J. C. Barr, prop. 23-24

D. C. Traister of near DeHaven, one of the big farmers of the county, this week sent us one dollar to apply on subscription. The News is the popular paper.

Joe Alhart of near De Haven, one of the prosperous young ranchmen of the county, attended to business in the city Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. T. A. Gray entertained her Sunday School class Friday at her home. About twenty girls between the ages of ten and twelve years were present and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Refreshments were served as only Mrs. Gray can serve them, and of course that made the occasion all the more enjoyable.

Don't Forget the sale of 80 cows at Garson's Feed Yard, Monday.

Rexall Remedies and Preparations are guaranteed best on the market. For sale by City Drug Store.