

WILSON'S CALL TO DEMOCRATS IS CRITICIZED

WASHINGTON, May 10.—President Wilson's call to the Democratic party to carry the treaty ratification issue into the campaign, drew expressions today from two members of his own party, W. J. Bryan and Senator Reed, of Missouri, and also from Senator Johnson, of California, leader of the Republican irreconcilable group in the senate treaty battle.

Senator Reed, in a statement, declared such a platform would mean for the Democrats loss of every state north of the Mason and Dixon line and the breaking of the "solid south." Senator Johnson in a statement said he could respect the president's consistent advocacy of unreserved ratification, but had no respect for men whose views shifted "with the varying popular wind."

Bryan For Joint Ratification. Mr. Bryan, at his home in Florida, reaffirmed his declaration for immediate ratification by joint action of Republican and Democratic friends "in order to take the issue out of the campaign."

ILLINOIS NAMES TEN DELEGATES TO CONVENTION

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., May 10.—Illinois Republicans in state convention today elected ten national delegates-at-large, each to have four-fifths of a vote, and unanimously adopted resolutions providing that the delegation for Governor F. O. Lowden of Illinois for the presidency until released by the governor.

The convention defeated, 1,119 to 631, a platform plank of principles supported by Mayor William Hale Thompson of Chicago, national committeeman, and decided to postpone action in this regard until after the national convention. The plank had been defeated in the committee on resolutions and was taken to the floor of the convention in a minority report, on which debate of one hour and a half was allotted each of the two groups.

Delegates at large chosen were Senator L. Y. Sherman and Medill McCormick, Congressmen F. L. Smith and William Rodenberg, Harold Ickes, Lieutenant Governor John Oglesby, Secretary of State L. L. Emerson, Mayor Thompson, Samuel Ettelson and Fred Upham.

SOCIALISTS IN PARTY WARFARE OF DARK ASPECT

NEW YORK, May 10.—Shouting for the radicalism of German, French, Italian and Russian Socialists, the Illinois delegation to the convention of the Socialist party of America today attacked "conservative" leaders and their platform demands for popular administration of private property "for the benefit of all."

Following introduction of a "declaration of principles" and party platform drafted under leadership of Morris Hillquit, the "fighting minority from Chicago" led their state's representatives into what may develop into a party warfare of threatening aspect, it was stated tonight.

Holland Gains Floor. J. Ennis Engdahl, John F. Holland and William F. Kruse, all of Chicago, the last two under sentence for violation of the war-time espionage act, captained the radical element's troupe today. When the "Hillquit platform" was submitted with the motion that it be adopted, Holland gained the floor amid a tumult.

WEBER COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD HOLDS IMPORTANT SESSION AND PLANS COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

The board of education of the Weber county schools met in regular session Monday, May 10th. Plans for commencement exercises were discussed in detail and an invitation sent out for the speaker of the occasion. The matter of dress was up for discussion, and it was the opinion of the board that simplicity of dress for these closing exercises should be urged. It was suggested that the schools in the east which voted to limit the costume for graduates to \$15 for dress and shoes had set a good example. They were anxious to go on record as opposed to expensive or elaborate dresses, particularly in the present time of high cost of everything.

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Every member of the senate except six, Mr. Reed stated, voted for one or more of the Lodge reservations denounced by the president. The president, or Democratic senators, who voted for reservations, will face repudiation at San Francisco, he added.

Johnson Opposes League. Senator Johnson said he had consistently opposed the "league of nations in its original form and with the reservations appended," and added: "The league presented to us was either a good or a bad thing. If it was as good as the president and his associates insisted, it required neither amendments nor reservations. If it was as bad as we insisted, neither amendment nor reservation could make it good."

NIBLEY WILL BE ARRAIGNED IN COURT MAY 20

SALT LAKE CITY, May 10.—Saturday a complaint charging the Utah-Idaho Sugar company with profiteering was issued at the instance of Floyd T. Jackson, chief of the local department of justice bureau, and Merrill Nibley, vice-president and assistant general manager of the concern, was arrested and released on \$5,000 bond. He will be arraigned May 20 to answer the charge.

Mr. Jackson, in his complaint against the company, alleges that over 177,000 hundred-pound sacks of sugar are held by them at their various refineries and warehouses. Sugar in Salt Lake today was 28 cents a pound with a limit of five pounds to each customer.

Way Opened For Debate

Hillquit stated he was following ordinary parliamentary procedure in moving adoption of his committee's program, opening the way for debate. He said the programs of the Independent Socialist parties of Germany, Italy, France and Russia had been studied, with resultant eliminations until the tentative platform submitted had been brought down to its present size and shape "to meet the needs of the times."

Nominations Thursday. The convention set Thursday afternoon for the nomination of candidates for president and vice president. Eugene V. Debs, now serving ten years for violation of the espionage laws, already has been proclaimed as the party's probable candidate for president.

CUBAN MINISTER CONDEMNS HOOVER

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Herbert Hoover's suggestion that the United States seek an agreement with the United States that there be no international bidding for Cuban sugar would amount to "a league of nations to work principally against Cuba," Carlos Manuel de Cespedes, Cuban minister to the United States, said today.

RECORD PRICE FOR YOUNG BULL

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—A new record price for a young bull was established here, recently when Sultan, a two-year-old, was sold for \$3550 at the sale of the Central Shorthorn Breeders' association.

Two Ogden Reports:

Mrs. Fred Adam, 2717 Quincy avenue: "I suffered with kidney trouble. My back was a terrible source of pain. It ached continually through the region of my kidneys and when I stooped over I could hardly straighten up again. As others of the family had used Doan's Kidney Pills with fine results, I decided to try them. A few boxes cured the trouble and I have not had any return of it since."

FORM "BUY NOTHING" CLUB

PEORIA, Ill.—This city has a "Buy Nothing Club," organized to supplant the overall fad and beat down the high prices. County officials are behind it. The aim is to ban car fares, theatre tickets and all luxuries. Members are urged to wear old clothes and bank all money saved.

Per capita consumption of tobacco

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The British government has asked

parliament for \$150,000,000 to aid in stimulating the coal output.

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Platform Declaration of Principles

The "Hillquit platform" includes the following "declarations of principles," over which the principal fight is being waged: "The Socialist party of America demands that the country and its wealth be redeemed from the control of private interests and turned over to the people to be administered for equal benefit of all."

The Socialist party desires the workers of America to take the economic and political power from the capitalist class.

The Socialist party, when in political control, proposes to reorganize the government so as to change it from a tool of repression into an instrument of social and industrial service.

The Socialist party adheres strictly to the principle of complete separation of church and state.

The Socialist party seeks to attain its end by orderly and constitutional methods. Violence is not the weapon of socialism but of the short-sighted methods of the ruling classes. The socialists depend upon education and organization of the masses.

FREAK KITTEN BORN

(By International News Service.) WHITINSVILLE, Mass.—A kitten with three eyes, two mouths and two noses was born to a black cat owned by Jacob H. Koolstra, of this city. The kitten was one of three born to "Tab," the black cat. The kitten



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