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## Republican Party Approves Referendum.

**Presidential Candidate Harding Makes Statement -- British Navy Watching Turks--"Irish Republic" Funds Gone Astray--The Record of Samuel Gompers--Villa's Soldiers Butchers Women.**

### HARDING'S FIRST PRONOUNCEMENT.

WASHINGTON, June 18. President Wilson's challenge to present the Peace Treaty to a referendum of the American people was accepted to-day by Senator Harding, Republican Presidential candidate. "I am sure," said Senator Harding, "The Republican Party will gladly welcome a referendum on the question of foreign relationship of this Republic, and the Republican attitude of preserved nationality will be overwhelmingly endorsed." Senator Harding's statement was in reply to an interview with President Wilson, published to-day, in which the President discussed the League of Nations issue with the Republican platform.

### McADOO NOT A CANDIDATE.

WASHINGTON, June 18. William McAdoo, son-in-law of President Wilson, who has been considered by Party leaders as one of the principal candidates for the Democratic Presidential nomination, announced to-night that he could not permit his name to go before the San Francisco convention.

### THE WATCHFUL FLEET.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 18. British troops which are confronted by Turkish Nationalist forces on the Imdid Peninsula in Asia Minor, southeast of Constantinople, are well instructed and well supported by a British fleet in the Gulf of Imdid and Bosphorus. For this reason no apprehension is felt that the Nationalists will attack the city. Nationalist aeroplanes are dropping bombs on British trenches for the evident purpose of goading the British to an engagement, but while the British are sending reinforcements to Imdid, there is apparently another disposition on their part to avoid fighting if possible.

### GOMPERS RE-ELECTED.

MONTREAL, June 18. Samuel Gompers, veteran President of the American Federation of Labor was unanimously re-elected for the thirty-ninth time here to-day by the

### fourth annual convention of the federation.

NEW YORK, June 18. Charges were made and published yesterday by John Devoey, editor of the Gaelic American, that fifty thousand dollars of money subscribed for "Irish Republic" bonds, had been used to send to Chicago a nondescript aggregation of individuals. Eamon De Valera, self-styled "President of the Irish Republic," is held accountable by Devoey for this upset of plans. The New York World says the publication of the charges marks an open break between De Valera and of Irish freedom and the friends of Irish freedom.

### ANOTHER WILSON VETO.

WASHINGTON, June 18. The Underwood resolution, providing for negotiations with the Canadian Government or Provincial Governments of Quebec and New Brunswick relative to the embargo on shipment of wood pulp to the United States, failed to receive the President's approval, it was announced to-day.

### LOOKS BAD FOR SALT.

CADIZ, June 18. The strike of longshoremen, which began yesterday, threatens food famine here. Cargoes of wheat from the Argentine are held up in port by the strike.

### BANDIT AND DEVEL.

MEXICO CITY, June 18. Three hundred women camp followers, attached to government forces, have been killed by orders of Francisco Villa, the bandit, according to El Democrita, to-day, quoting Jacinto Trueba, a wealthy merchant of Jimenez, State of Chihuahua. The Excelsior prints a similar story, but does not give the source of its information. According to Trueba, Villa captured the women during an encounter with a regiment of de facto cavalry between Parral and Jimenez. He ordered the women lined up for review to see whether any were soldiers mas-

querading. One woman shot twice at Villa but missed. Unable to learn which one attacked him, Villa ordered all women herded together and shot down.

### A SUGAR ROBBER.

PITTSBURG, June 18. J. J. Ghehrst, an official of the Standard Sugar Co., was to-day sentenced to pay a fine of one thousand dollars for profiteering in sugar.

### WHISKEY AND MURDER.

HANOVER, N.S., June 18. The killing of Henry Maroney, a Dartmouth College senior, by Robert Meads, a fellow student, in a quarrel over whiskey, which Meads kept for sale, according to the college authorities, has led to the disclosure that a group of undergraduates have been systematically smuggling whiskey from Montreal for the past two months. Meads' father, A. H. Meads, a corporation lawyer of Chicago, went to Woodville to-day to visit his son at college and to discuss with him the preparation of defense against the charge of murder, on which he is awaiting action by the September Grand Jury. The story of the whiskey smuggling, according to college authorities, runs back about three months. At that time Meads, according to the story, started week-end trips to Montreal, returning with whiskey hidden in suit cases strapped to the brake rods of trains or carried in disguised containers.

### SINN FEIN COURTS.

LONDON, June 18. Forty-one Sinn Fein courts were operating in twenty-four Irish counties during the first thirteen days of June, and during that period 84 persons were placed under arrest, according to a Dublin despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, which says Sinn Fein headquarters has issued a report on the workings of these tribunals.

### RUSSIAN TRADE.

LONDON, June 18. Gregory Krassin, Russian Bolshevik Minister of Trade and Commerce, who has been in London for three weeks, met a permanent committee of the Supreme Economic Council for a first time yesterday. The conference, according to an official communique, issued at its termination lasted forty minutes and "certain preliminary questions regarding the opening of trade negotiations were discussed."

### FEHRENBACH CALLED.

BERLIN, June 18. Constantine Fehrenbach, President of the German National Assembly, has agreed to attempt to form a ministry, following a conference attended by Karl Trimborn, centrist leader and President Ebert.

### ALBANIANS KILL ITALIANS.

GENEVA, June 18. Three hundred and thirty Italian prisoners have been killed by infuriated Albanians at Tirana, according to a telegram from Belgrade, quoting reports reaching that city.

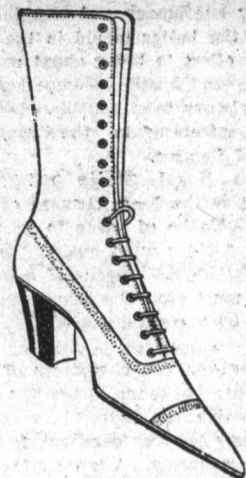
### A False Alarm.

A telephone message from Virginia, Logy Bay Road, yesterday afternoon saying that a forest fire had started there, brought a number of policemen under Sergeant Long to the scene. The message was received by the Agriculture Department, which got in touch with the police. On arriving at Virginia there was no fire in the neighborhood, but about a mile and a half distant a farmer was burning some rubbish in his field.

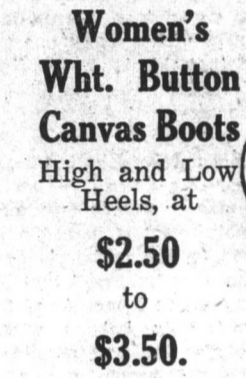
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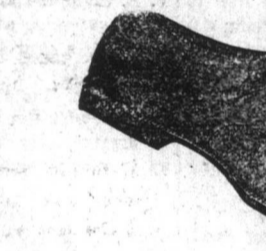
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### Sunday Services.

C. of E. Cathedral--8. Holy Communion; 11. Morning Service, Canonical Sermon: "The Home and the Sunday School"; 3.15. Children's Service; 6.30. Evening Service.  
St. Thomas--Holy Communion, 8; Intercession Service, 10; Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11; preacher, Rev. C. A. Moulton; Sunday Schools, 2.45; Bible Classes, 2.45; Evensong and Sermon, 6.30; preacher, Rev. H. Gordon.  
St. Mary the Virgin--8. Holy Communion; 10. Mattins and Litany; 4. Holy Baptism; 6.30. Evening Service. St. Michael's--8 and 11. Holy Communion; 6.30. Evening Service.  
Gower St--11. Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A.; 6.30. Rev. E. W. Forbes, M.A., B.D.  
George St--11. Rev. G. J. Bond, B.A., LL.D.; 6.30. Rev. D. B. Hemmeon, B.A.  
Cochrane St--11. Rev. D. B. Hemmeon, B.A.; 6.30. Rev. Dr. Pedley.  
Wesley--11. Rev. E. W. Forbes, M.A., B.D.; 6.30. Rev. S. H. Williams.  
St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church--Rev. Gordon Dickie, M.A., Minister. Sunday services at 11 and 6.30. The Minister will preach at both services. In the morning the subject will be: "The Secret of Service," and in the evening, "Women in Church and State." Sunday School at 3; strangers welcome at all services.  
Queen's Rd. Congregational Church--Morning service, Rev. Hugh Pedley, D.D.; evening service, Rev. G. J. Bond, LL.D. Welcome to all.  
Gower St--9.45. Men's Class meetings; 2.30. Sunday School and Bible Classes; 4. Young Women's Class meeting; 11 and 6.30. public worship. The preacher in the morning will be Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A.; the Pastor will preach in the evening; subject: "Church Schedules and That Sort of Thing." Strangers and visitors are always welcome.  
Wesley Victory Class--Every Sunday morning in the Young Men's Room. United prayer meeting at 9

o'clock, and the regular Victory Class at 9.45; every member is expected to be present; visitors will receive a cordial welcome.  
Adventist (Cookstown Road)--6.30. subject: "Like Unto Leaven." All welcome.  
The Bethesda Pentecostal Assembly (193 New Gower Street)--Men's Class Meeting, 10; regular services at 11, 3 and 7; also services Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 8. These services are undenominational and a cordial invitation is extended to all.  
International Bible Students' Association meet in the Chapter Room, Victoria Hall, opposite Gower Street Church; 8. Sunday School Lesson; 8. Discourse: "The Value and Importance of Truth." All are welcome.  
Pentecostal Highway Tabernacle, and (Hamilton Street)--Services 11, 3 and 7; Week nights; Monday, Wednesday and Friday; all are welcome.  
Now that the war is over the question of organizing the Boy Scout Movement in Newfoundland is being taken in hand. The Organizing Section of the Boy Scouts' Association in this colony has been Mr. James Murdoch, but so many of those who were supporting him went away to the war that the movement was practically in abeyance until the Rev. E. W. Forbes, on arrival here, put new life into it and formed the Gower St. Troop. It may be remembered that these boys were very prominent out at Mount Pearl and elsewhere a year ago in making themselves generally useful to the aviators who were then contemplating the flight to Europe. Having been pressed by the Headquarters Association to accept the post of Chief Scout, the Governor had a meeting of all those who were interested, at Government House on the 17th inst., and discussed thoroughly the whole question of organization. It will be necessary to be-

gin practically de novo and in the first place to clear up and get into order the remnants of the past and define properly the districts over which various Commissioners should have jurisdiction. The question of Grand Falls will be important in this respect and it will be essential in due course to form a local Association for St. John's with a proper President and Council. Meanwhile the first step is to have a Chief Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner, and it is understood that, as a result of the Conference His Excellency the Governor is making proposals to Headquarters in England which will utilize all those who are at present really interested in the work of the Association and link up those who are interested in other parts of the Island.  
For Week Ending June 26.)  
Waterford Hall--Monday, Mrs. Jno. Leamon; Wednesday, Miss Helen Reid, Mr. Fred Ayre.  
General Hospital--Monday, Miss Mary Rendell; Thursday, Miss Delgado, Mrs. F. Steer.  
Seaman's Institute--Tuesday, J. J. Mackay, Esq.; Friday, Mrs. E. A. Bowring, Mr. John Steer.  
Jensen Camp--Tuesday, Miss Margaret Parker; Saturday, Mrs. R. A. Squires; Thursday, Mrs. Eric S. Ayre.  
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