

# HUGHES' VIEWS ON NATIONAL ISSUES

He is Unqualifiedly Opposed to Government Ownership of The Railroads.

HE FAVORS TARIFF REVISION.

Sherman Anti-Trust Law Should be Clarified—Doesn't Believe in Fines for Corporations.

New York, Jan. 31.—Gov. Charles E. Hughes, whose nomination for the presidency by the Republican national convention is being urged by the New York county committee and other Republican county committees in New York state, today made open declaration of his views on national issues and principles.

Until tonight, when he was welcomed by scores of well known Republicans at a reception tendered him at the Republican club, Gov. Hughes has maintained silence on all questions affecting the country, and the definition of his position on federal issues has been left to the imagination of the public.

Gov. Hughes told his hearers tonight that he did not come before them in any spirit of rivalry or self-seeking, and that there are many Republicans who, by virtue of their character and distinguished services, are worthy of the highest honor the party can bestow.

The governor then gave an ovation when he concluded his speech. During the Republican party was a party of progress and stability, Gov. Hughes in his speech commended the administration of President Roosevelt as one which "to a degree almost unparalleled, had impressed the popular imagination and won the confidence of the people."

The country, he said, was under obligation to President Roosevelt for his vigorous opposition to abuses and for the strong impulse he has given to movements for their correction.

Gov. Hughes asserted his unqualified opposition to government ownership of railroads, but said that regulation of interstate transportation is essential to protect the people from unjust discriminations. As a means of railroad supervision, the governor suggested an administrative board. The governor declared that the Sherman anti-trust law may be made stronger and more effective by being more definite.

"I am not in favor of punishment in the shape of fines upon corporations," Gov. Hughes declared, "but I am in favor of the imposition of such penalties as will be effective in making corporations either transfer to the public or be borne by the stockholders," declared Gov. Hughes.

FOR TARIFF REVISION.

Revision of the tariff is advised by Gov. Hughes, who suggested that the readjustment of schedules be effected by an expert commission, so that the facts be ascertained without delay and that Congress may dispose of the matter in the fairest possible manner.

Gov. Hughes declared that he did not believe in arbitrary action, and that the rule of the people must be a rule of reason, and every effort must be dominated by a sense of justice.

"We must be patient and deliberate; thorough investigation must precede action; good will must displace passion, and the sole motive must be to seek the truth and do the right," said Gov. Hughes.

"Since I took office I have sought to make it clear that I would not become involved in factional strife or use the powers of office to further any personal interest. I am, and have been constantly, solicitous that the administration of the affairs of this state should not be embarrassed by collateral considerations, and that every question shall be presented and decided upon its merits, unaffected by suggestion or ulterior motives. For this reason I have avoided gratuitous discussion of questions foreign to my official duty. But when, in justice to those who have honored me with their confidence and to the party which, as we all desire, should act freely and with full information, it becomes duty to speak, I have no desire to remain silent. Nor should I in any event care to preserve availability at the expense of candor."

COUNTRY ROOSEVELT'S DEBTOR.

"We are contemplating a new administration at the close of one which to a large extent has been a period of unparalleled popular imagination and won the confidence of the people. The country is under lasting obligation to President Roosevelt for vigorous opposition to abuses and for the strong impulse he has given to movements for their correction. Differences of opinion now, as always, exist with regard to the best means of solving some of the extremely difficult problems and the establishment of our security on its necessary foundations of fair dealing and recognition of equal rights, but we appreciate the great service he has rendered and the fundamental importance of the purposes he has had in view. We shall have in the next campaign a notable advantage gained through the general admiration of his strong personality and the popular appreciation of the intensity of his desire to promote the righteous conduct of affairs and the welfare of his fellow men."

"The battle for free institutions has been a struggle against special privileges. It is not now merely by the creation of new forms of government. Against every attempt to make government the instrument of selfishness, we oppose a free people constantly must be on the alert. Every franchise granted by the people is a privilege justified by consideration of the public welfare and the conditions of its exercise should be such as to insure the performance of public obligation. There must be no encroachment on the common right for the purpose of serving the interests of the few at the expense of the many."

"I approve the Roosevelt extension of the authority of the interstate commerce commission by what is known as

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the rate bill, and I believe that the commission should have the most ample powers for purposes of investigation and supervision, and for making rules and orders which will enable it to deal to the fullest extent possible, within constitutional limits, with interstate transportation in all its phases.

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SHERMAN ANTI-TRUST LAW.

"The Sherman anti-trust law should be clarified and made more explicit. The law may be made stronger and more effective by being more definite. Sweeping condemnations of uncertain meaning do not aid, but rather embarrass the prosecution of those who are guilty of pernicious practices. Condemnations and practices in unreasonable restraint of trade and which menace the freedom of interstate commerce should be condemned in precise terms. At the same time provisions may well be made for limitations upon proper circumstances, as to railroad rates, which should be subject to the approval of the interstate commerce commission.

"We must be patient and deliberate; thorough investigation must precede action; good will must displace passion, and the sole motive must be to seek the truth and do the right," said Gov. Hughes.

"I am not in favor of punishment in the shape of fines upon corporations, except for minor offenses. The burden of fines imposed upon such corporations is either transferred to the public or is borne by the stockholders, the innocent as well as the guilty. Nor am I impressed by the argument that American juries will generally be indisposed to impose severe punishment on the guilty. Such laws, like laws in general which are definite and supported by public sentiment are to a very large extent self-executing. That is, they are generally obeyed."

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ASKS NO FAVOR.

"Fellow Republicans, I do not come before you in any spirit of rivalry or self-seeking. There are many Republicans who, by virtue of their character and distinguished services, are worthy of the highest honor the party can bestow. I ask no favor and I make no claim. I desire that the party shall act for its best interest."

"We must not underestimate the labors of the next campaign. It will be a hard-fought battle. We cannot expect victory unless we are united, and nothing should be done to impair success in this state. I appeal to you in the name of the party to which you are all loyal to forget every personal difference and to make the work which precedes the campaign a fitting preparation for the united effort which will be later essential."

The speech of declaration was frequently punctuated by applause and cheers from the large gathering of club members and their guests who stood packed in an immovable body on the floor of the reception hall for over an hour. A reception followed the address.



M. E. MULVEY AS THE BABY AND GEORGE L. GEIGER AS ELIZA IN THE TOM SHOW.

Fifty-eight years ago slave trading was on in Missouri. A correct copy of a sale bill advertising such a sale follows (names are changed for self-evident reasons):

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"State of Missouri, county of Pike. To whom it may concern: The undersigned will, on Tuesday, September 29, A. D. 1846, sell at public outcry for cash on premises, where Coon creek crosses the old Mission road, the following chattels, to-wit: 6 yoke of oxen with yoke and chains, 2 wagons with beds, 3 nigger wenchers, 4 buck niggers, 3 nigger boys, 2 prairie plows, 25 steel traps, 1 barrel pickled cabbage, 1 hoghead tobacco, 1 lot nigger hoes, 1 spinning wheel, 1 loom, 13 fox hounds, a lot of coon, mink and skunk skins and a lot of other articles. Am gwine to California. JOHN DOE.

"Richard Roe, Cryer.

"Free head cheese, apples and hard cider." The scene which resulted upon the date advertised was most interesting. The cryer with his queer quips; the crowd of spectators and buyers sipping at hard cider and nibbling at apples, distributed free by the trader; all these things and others combined to make such a show as will never be seen in America again—with one exception. There will be one more chance to see an absolutely correct reproduction, at the Press Club's Tom show in the Salt Lake theater, Monday evening, Feb. 3. No details will be omitted which can add the slightest bit of realism to the great slave trading scene which occurs in the third act.

## DISORDERS IN PORTUGAL.

Severe Measures Will be Adopted for Their Repression.

Lisbon, Jan. 31.—The minister of justice left here today for Villa Vicosa to secure the signature of King Carlos to a decree authorizing the adoption of severe measures of repression. Such steps are considered necessary by the cabinet for the preservation of public order.

One of the government organs published in Lisbon today calls for the law against illegal attempts to monopolize, and admits that numerous arrests have been made, and that depots of revolvers, poisons, rifles and bombs have been discovered in different parts of the city. Continuing, this paper says that the instigators of the recent abortive attempt at an uprising will be sent to the frontier and expelled.

ATHLETE SHEPPARD APOLOGIZES.

Philadelphia, Jan. 31.—Melville Sheppard, the track athlete, who struck Guy Haskins during a race here last week, is other than yesterday and apologized to Haskins. He also made application to the registration committee of the Middle Athletic association for reinstatement, having been suspended following the attack on Haskins. The committee will consider the matter today. Scores of letters have been received, asking that Sheppard be reinstated.

## THE ALDRICH BILL.

Washington, Jan. 31.—John T. Hamilton, former president of the American Banking association, having been summoned to the house committee on banking and currency today, in the course of a vigorous statement, took a position squarely against the Aldrich bill, and representing the views of the currency committee of the American Bankers association, and in opposition to the bill by Senator Aldrich and representative Fowler.

The scheme of the Aldrich bill for the issuance of emergency currency on such security as bonds of states, counties, municipalities and certain corporations was denounced by Mr. Hamilton as "unpracticable, unwise and unworkable," and asserted that the proposed departure from the currency security system, which has obtained since the foundation of the government, "is a step backward toward the conditions from which arose the 'wildcat' currency in use before the civil war."

The marketing of non-government securities, he said, should be no part of the national business and, furthermore, the necessary delay incident to determining the value of bonds offered as security for the emergency currency would make it unavailable until after the crisis was past.

"Crises," he said, "are short, sharp and dangerously decisive; the Aldrich bill is a remedy ordered after recovery from death."

CHAMBERS LETTER SAID TO HAVE BEEN STOLEN.

Los Angeles, Jan. 31.—The Evening News quotes Auditor W. J. Healy of the Santa Fe as saying that the letter from Edward Chambers, assistant general freight traffic manager, to former Auditor G. A. Davidson, which President Roosevelt incorporated in his message to Congress today, was stolen from the railroad offices.

The News says: Admission was tacitly made at the general offices of the Santa Fe Railroad company here this afternoon that the letter submitted by President Roosevelt to Congress today, showing that President Roosevelt was aware of the rebate system in operation in violation of the law and aided and abetted it, had been sent to the former auditor, G. A. Davidson, here, and that it had been sent by Edward Chambers, assistant general freight traffic manager, from the San Francisco office.

"The letter was stolen from our office," I have heard of it being out, I cannot deny that the letter was written, but I have never seen it. I have heard of such a letter and of its loss. I do not know who stole it or how it got into the possession of Mr. Healy.

Such was the declaration of W. J. Healy, who is the successor of G. A. Davidson as auditor here. Mr. Davidson is now in San Diego.

San Diego, Jan. 31.—When shown the letter from Edward Chambers to himself as contained in the president's message delivered to Congress today, G. A. Davidson, former auditor of the Santa Fe Railroad and now president of the Southern Trust company of this city, said: "I have no recollection as to the matter referred to. As I have said, I am out of the Santa Fe service and am unable to give any advice in regard thereto."

He would make no further statement.

# LAND GRANTS AND RAILROADS

Tillman Seeks Information as to Why Settlers Cannot Buy Railroad Lands.

UNABLE TO PURCHASE THEM.

Senator Fulton Says They Refuse to Sell at the Statutory Price.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Senator Tillman today introduced a resolution calling upon the president to inform the senate whether railroads receiving land grants containing conditions requiring that such should be sold to actual settlers only, and for amounts named in the grants, have violated the terms of the grants, and what action has been taken by the department of justice in respect to these matters.

The preamble of the resolution referred to the railroads of the Pacific coast as the ones indicated, and stated that the department of justice had information concerning the matter. Mr. Keane objected to the immediate consideration of the resolution, whereupon Mr. Tillman said he had discovered the things he aimed at in his resolution while on a trip in the west last summer. He was then told that these railroads absolutely refused to comply with the terms of their grants and would not sell their land.

Senator Fulton said he was familiar with the matters referred to in this resolution, and that the road against which the complaint is aimed is now a part of the Southern Pacific system.

Mr. Fulton said the resolution also related to the Northern Pacific land grants.

Mr. Fulton continued, saying land grants made in the '70s were coupled with the condition that the land should be sold to actual settlers only at a price not exceeding \$2.50 per acre. "A great deal of that land," he said, "is held by the railroad companies, and they refused to sell it for \$2.50 an acre."

Mr. Fulton said he believed in either having the terms of the grants complied with or in forcing the companies to return the land to the government.

Mr. Heyburn suggested that it has been customary for the railroads to require settlers in purchasing land to purchase improvements they themselves had made before the purchase, and wanted that requirement also inquired into.

The consideration of the resolution was postponed.

Mr. Tillman then offered another

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resolution relating to the same subject, and directing the attorney-general to institute such proceedings on behalf of the United States as may be necessary to insure the compliance with the conditions accompanying the land grants or to restore the lands to the public domain, or report to the Congress why such action had not been or should not be taken. Without comment this resolution was referred to the committee on judiciary.

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## TRANSPORTATION ROUTES MAP.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor has prepared a map entitled "Principal Transportation Routes of the World," designed to show at a glance the principal land and water transportation routes of the world in conjunction. The map shows the distances from New York, New Orleans, San Francisco and Port Townsend to the principal ports of the world and from the chief cities of the United States to any leading city of the world. This table of distances by the various routes includes those via Panama and Tehuantepec and across the United States, as well as via the Suez and around Cape Horn and the

Cape of Good Hope. A small document entitled "Transportation Routes and Systems of the World," accompanying the map, gives statistical information regarding railroads of the world and their cost, the length of the railroads in the United States and rates of transportation during a long term of years, the world's merchant marine, and other data.

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