

ENGLISH LAGS BUT LEADERSHOPE

Extra Session of Congress Is Unlikely—Appropriations Block Pending Issues.

TARIFF ANOTHER BUFFER

Reapportionment Under New Census to Be Insisted on by Chairman Crumpacker—Exposition Fight Set for Present Week.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—When Republican leaders in Congress were asked if there is likely to be an extra session because of the congested condition of the calendar in both branches, they invariably answered in the negative. They insist that the present short session is not jammed more than was the last session two years ago, and that an appropriation bill is concerned.

Comparison proved the truth of the leaders' assertion. Already the House has passed the Indian rivers and harbors, pension, legislative, urgent deficiency and Army appropriation bills, and is nearly through with the post-office bill. In the Senate, the House had passed only the pensions, legislative, District of Columbia, and Naval bills in the same time. It is true the Senate has passed the urgent deficiency bill, but two years ago only the legislative bill had been passed.

Senate Leaders Calm.

Senate leaders are not disturbed by the situation. Two years ago 12 big appropriation bills were passed in the last four weeks of the session, and the Republican leaders say what has been done can be done.

Some Senators believe that no particular effort has been made to prevent congestion and that appropriation bills have been delayed to kill off general legislation. It would surprise no one now if members opposed to votes on the Lorimer case, the resolution providing for the election of Senators by direct vote of the people, the tariff commission bill and other controversial matters should be victorious in their effort.

The ship subsidy bill is being used as a buffer and there are several treaty matters that may be brought in if needed to kill the tariff bill.

Democrats Consider Rules.

Gossip among Democratic members of the House is directed toward the meeting called for next Friday night of the 14 Democrats on the new ways and means committee. These will include the Democratic members of a new committee and map out a program for tariff legislation.

It is virtually conceded that Representative Henry of Texas, Speaker of the House, is a leading minority member of the judiciary committee, will head the new rules committee in succession to the ranking Republican chairman.

The committee will not be enlarged, the change in the political complexion of the House leaving that committee with six Democrats and four Republicans instead of six Republicans and four Democrats as at present.

Personnel Is Discussed.

Beside Chairman Henry, the Democrats whose names have been brought forward in the conferences over the new committee personnel include: Hardwick of Georgia, Fitzgerald of New York, Pou of North Carolina, Littleton of New York, Garrett of Tennessee, Wilson of Pennsylvania, and Graham of Illinois.

Mr. Fitzgerald is a candidate for the chairmanship of the appropriations committee, which may eliminate him from the rule-making committee, of which he is now a minority leader.

Mr. Pou was on the ways and means committee, but gave way to Mr. Kitchen, of his own state.

In the selection of chairmanships of committees, Chairman Underwood and his colleagues on the ways and means committee which is vested with that function, will be guided by several considerations which are mainly qualification and seniority of service. Seniority, however, necessarily will be upset in many cases.

Gossip Allots Places.

Mr. Underwood is non-committal as to the probable makeup of committees, and says no names have been decided upon. There are conferences constantly among the Democrats of the House, and gossip resulting therefrom has allotted several of the chairmanships in this way:

Rules, Henry of Texas; Judiciary, Clayton of Alabama; Interstate commerce, Adamson of Georgia; Military, Hay of Virginia; Postoffice, Lloyd of Missouri; Agriculture, Lever of South Carolina; Naval, Padgett of Tennessee; public buildings and grounds, Shepard of Texas; Indian Affairs, Stephens of Texas; Appropriations, Fitzgerald of New York, and public lands, Robinson of Arkansas. Besides these, Otis James, of Kentucky, one of the staunchest lieutenants of Speaker-elect Clark, and of Chairman Underwood, of the ways and means committee, is now the center of the bankers and currency committee and would like to be chairman.

Mr. Flood, of Virginia, would like to head the foreign affairs committee, and Mr. Pou, of North Carolina, would like to head the District of Columbia committee.

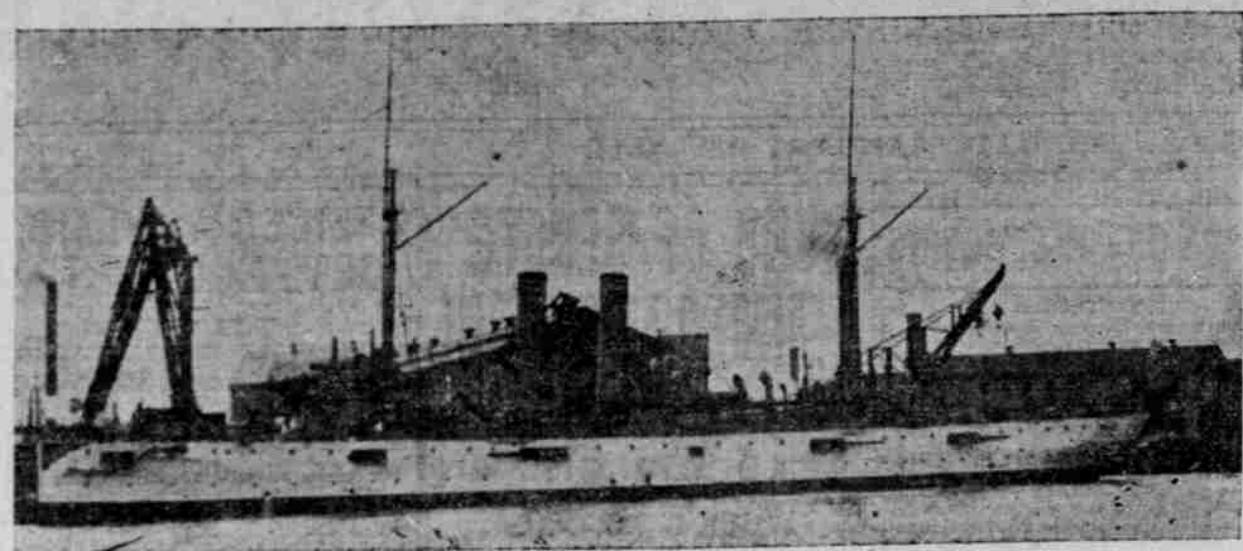
Fitzgerald Is Forgiven.

Mr. Fitzgerald, whose principal opponent in the fight for the appropriations committee is Mr. Burleson, of Texas, is one of the 15 Democrats who voted against the party in the rule fight during the extra session of the present Congress, but his defection is said to have been forgiven.

The Republican spirit of the leaders and non-quorum insistence of Mr. Dwight, of New York, the Republican whip, who purposes to force attendance on members of the committee, the high speed pressure on appropriation bills, the postoffice appropriation bill, which will be passed early this week, will give way to the agricultural appropriation bill. The District of Columbia, fortifications, naval and diplomatic and consular appropriation bills are all ready to be taken up with the military academy and sundry civil supply bills soon to follow.

The problem of the Congressional reapportionment in the light of the recent census figures will be placed squarely before the House if Chairman Crumpacker of the census committee has his way. He purposes asking the House to take up his bill, the effect of which would be to fix the House membership at a little more than 430 members, as a privileged measure at the first opportunity.

AMERICAN WARSHIP SEIZES HONDURAS "NAVY."



CRUISER TACOMA WHICH TOOK HORNET IN CHARGE AND SENT CREW ASHORE.

FOG AIDS CHINESE

Landing Party From Smuggling Boat Is Surprised.

ONE CELESTIAL CAPTURED

Others Escape in Rain of Bullets. Revenue Cutters Press Close to Smuggling Vessel Which Slips Away in the Gloom.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 22.—One Chinese was captured and several smugglers are believed to have been wounded in a revolver fight early today a few miles down the coast from Santa Barbara, when immigration officers from Los Angeles encountered what is believed to have been a landing party from the smuggling schooner which the revenue cutters Bear and Orient have been trying to locate. Quon Yick, the Chinese, was brought here, but refused to talk.

J. D. Nardini, Chinese inspector, and Charles T. Connell, immigration inspector, were patrolling the bluffs below Santa Barbara, with two other officers, when the sound of a launch was heard. A heavy fog, together with the darkness, prevented the officers from seeing more than the dim outlines of the boat. As they hurried along the shore in search of a landing party half a dozen figures were seen moving swiftly away.

The officers gave chase, at the same time commanding the party to halt. As the men fled, Nardini fired into the air and two of the band returned the shot. The pursuing party escaped. The officers then started a search and, securing no response at the ranch house of a Chinese agent, Yick was arrested. He was at the time quite breathless. While Yick was being questioned, two other Chinese broke through the line and although shots were fired, they escaped. Yick later tried to escape by jumping from a second-story window, but was captured again.

Nardini returned to Santa Barbara tonight. A dragnet has been spread out near Santa Barbara and is being drawn about the Chinese living in that vicinity. The smuggling craft is reported to have been heard pressed several times during the night by the Bear and Orient, but aided by the fog and darkness, the outfit managed to run the Government gauntlet.

QUARREL, THEN SHOOTING

Elgin Man Injures Two Men After Altercation in Postoffice.

ELGIN, Or., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Arch Willett was shot and seriously injured last Sunday morning by W. W. Winnip, who also accidentally shot James Nolan. Winnip went into the postoffice and asked Postmaster McKenna why he allowed the school children to tamper with the combinations on the lock-boxes.

They had a few words, but no serious trouble, when Winnip went out of the postoffice, meeting Arch Willett, McKenna's son-in-law. He renewed the quarrel with Willett and drew a revolver and shot Willett twice, the bullets taking effect in the head and face. Winnip says that Willett averted his face before he shot, while Willett avers that Winnip shot before he struck.

Upon hearing the quarrel Postmaster McKenna ran up with a crowbar and struck Winnip, knocking him to the ground. The bullet struck James Nolan's pipe, driving a piece of it into his face. Winnip was taken in charge by the local officers and Willett was sent to the Wallawa Hospital.

RAISE IN TARIFFS URGED

Railroad Official Says Rates Not Increased on Par With Prices.

WORCESTER, Mass., Jan. 22.—Unless the railroads of the country charge higher rates for carrying freight, wages will have to be cut, according to arguments put forth by speakers at the meeting of the New England members of the American Railroad Employers' and Investors' Association here today.

"For 25 years," said P. H. Morrissy, president of the association, "the changes in class rates have been very slight, while the value of almost every commodity has increased. The railroads have found it necessary again and again to increase wages."

"Now they are making a moderate advance in some rates but the advance is so small in comparison with the value of the commodities as to be almost impossible for computation by the ultimate consumer. If the railroads are not allowed to raise their freight rates, it will be felt in other ways."

WRIGHT TABOOS SOLON JOB

Ex-Secretary of War Decides Not to Run for Senator.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 22.—Reports coming from Memphis tonight lead to the belief that General Luke E. Wright, ex-Secretary of War, has decided not to enter the race for United States Senator.

MINE PERIL GREAT

Inexperienced Men Endanger Lives of Fellows.

CHILD LAWS DISREGARDED

United States Labor Bureau Finds Rate of Fatalities Higher in the United States Than in Europe. West Leads Figures.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Through misunderstanding of orders or by reckless disregard of the necessary rules of operation, foreign-born workmen without actual experience in mining often imperil the lives of trained and experienced workers, according to a bulletin made public today by the Bureau of Labor.

The figures cited are principally for the decade ended with the year 1908, in which the fatal accidents in the coal mines were at the rate of 3.11 per 1000 employees. For the decade ended 1908, the latest for which figures for other coal mining countries were available, the average fatality rate in North America, says the report, was 2.13 per 1000. This, it is said, was higher than the rate in other important fields in the world. Figures for a few countries for the same period are: United Kingdom, 1.29 per 1000 employees; Austria, 1.35; France, 1.81; and Prussia, 2.13.

The full extent of the risk of coal mining in North America is not clearly shown by these figures, for the coal fields as a whole, but consideration must be given to the rates for some of the local situations. These show that in the east central section, which comprises western Kentucky, Indiana and Illinois, the fatality rate for the 20 years ended with 1908 was only 2.35 per 1000 employees, while in the western section (Colorado, New Mexico and Utah) it was 6.4 per 1000 and in the Pacific Coast section (Washington and British Columbia) 7 per 1000.

It would appear that the variation in the fatality rates is due to different mining methods and to differences in the coal seams.

WESTERN RISK GREAT

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DOMESTIC ART DIVULGED

CORVALLIS EXPERTS TO SHOW HOW TO KEEP HOUSE.

Farmer's Week at Agricultural College to Be Devoted to Demonstration Work.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Or., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—All of the knotty problems of the domestic realm from how properly to serve a pink tea to how to exterminate the housefly will be demonstrated and carried out by the experts of the school of domestic science and art during the Farmers' Week at this institution. A curriculum has been prepared which is well designed to give practical and helpful information to the housewives of the state whether they are called upon to serve a substantial meal for the farm or the delicate demands of the "four hundred" reception.

A home dining-room, which has been furnished according to the most advanced ideas in serving, will be prepared for use in the instructional work. The table will be laid for luncheons and a brief explanation given in the manner in which the luncheon should be served. This will be followed by serving light refreshments for reception or for afternoon teas. Demonstrations will also be made showing the relative amount of constituents in each pound of typical foods and special diets for various ailments and health will be expounded.

Not only will the problem of nourishment be considered but subjects of home sanitation, hygiene, home construction, home gardening, catering for various occasions, how to care for the kitchen garden, canning and preserving, and even something about the extermination of insect pests, will receive attention. The matrons attending will also be given some instruction in sewing, weaving and home decoration which will be illustrated by materials furnished by some of the large firms of Portland. Some practical suggestions will be given relating to the secrets of successful laundering and a series of lessons will be devoted to the correct method of constructing dresses and hats.

FUGITIVE CASHIER CAUGHT

Church, Wanted for Holyrood, Kan., \$65,000 Shortage, Seized.

SALINAS, Kan., Jan. 22.—According to a message received here today by County Attorney Barrett, M. E. Church, formerly cashier of the Holyrood Bank at Holyrood, Kan., near here, was arrested in Bakerfield, Cal.

Church is wanted in connection with a shortage of \$65,000 in the bank's account. It is believed that Church and the former cashier were responsible for the shortage.

ELGIN NOW IN DARKNESS

Lack of Fuel Causes Partial Shutdown of Lighting Plant.

ELGIN, Or., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Elgin has been cast into partial darkness on account of a scarcity of wood for fuel, the lighting plant being closed down at midnight until about 4 o'clock in the morning for the purpose of saving fuel. The roads are now improving and an all-night service will be resumed in a few days.

HORNET'S CANNON READY FOR GOOP

Capture of Rebel Warship Stops Blow, Seizure of Boat Being Confirmed.

STATE DEPARTMENT WAITS

Navy Officers Given Free Rein in Preventing Bombardment by Bonilla—Transfer of Registry of Vessel Is in Doubt.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The report that the Hornet, General Bonilla's revolutionary gunboat, which has been promoting his cause along the coast of Honduras, has been boarded by a force from the American gunboat Tacoma, was confirmed in a wireless dispatch received by the Navy Department today from Commander Cooper, of the United States steamship Marietta.

The dispatch merely said it had been found necessary to place a force on board to detain the Hornet, and added that details would be reported later. The State Department is awaiting information to determine its future course.

Hostility Is Prohibited.

The Attorney-General is investigating whether the Hornet has violated the neutrality laws of the United States, and pending the result, the State Department has announced that the vessel would not be permitted to commit any act of hostility against Honduras.

The action of Commander Davis, of the Tacoma, in boarding the Hornet, it is assumed here, was based on an intention of the revolutionists to strike a telling blow. The naval officers in Honduras waters were given considerable latitude in carrying out their instructions to prevent an assault by the Hornet.

The Hornet sailed from New Orleans, ostensibly for Cape Gracias, on the northeastern coast of Nicaragua. It has not been established where the vessel received her gunners.

After General Bonilla captured Ruan Island, off the coast of Honduras, he appointed officials for the government of the island.

Revolutionists Get Craft.

Then, it is said, the Hornet was transferred from her owners to the revolutionists for \$1 and a mortgage on the vessel.

The Hornet was immediately transferred from American to Honduran registry and raised the Honduran flag, but the Honduran papers were issued by the Bonilla appointees. The validity of these papers is one of the questions being looked into. Officials here generally regard them as irregular.

BONILLA IS ASSEMBLING MEN

Effect of Seizure on Rebel Is Main Topic at Celba.

DYSPEPSIA-PROOF.

How Any Meal Can Be Thoroughly Enjoyed by Any Stomach.

Costs You Nothing to Try Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Men, as a rule, are first discovered by their enemies. Their antagonists turn on the searchlight, and the proof of merit will lie in being able to stand the flash.

It was only in this way that Mr. White came to know that dyspepsia was one of Mr. Black's worst enemies. Sitting face to face at a two-by-four table, he handed his afflicted friend the bill of fare:

Oyster Cocktail. Stuffed Olives. Boston Clam Chowder. Strained Gumbo. Sirloin Steak with Mushrooms. Roast Beef Hash. Boiled Ox Tongue with Sauerkraut. Lobster a la Newberg. Baked Pork and Beans. Combination Crab Salad. Hot Mince Pie. Pineapple Fritters.

Mr. White ordered a "little of each." Mr. Dyspepsia Black ordered cracker "a little of each." "I had such a big breakfast this morning," he said, "that I'll just take a bite to keep you company." But Mr. White could not stand the gleam, Mr. Black. Why don't you say you have dyspepsia and be done with it? You'll always have that hungry look about you as long as you have dyspepsia. Now listen. My stomach was in just as bad condition as yours at one time. But now I can eat anything, at any time. For instance, this clam chowder or sirloin steak or even the lobster would be just as welcome to my stomach as your crackers and milk. You don't realize how this dyspepsia business is robbing you of your spirit, of your energy and ability to think quickly. I can't help notice it. You haven't had three months ago. Now I'll tell you what to do, and thereafter the cheerful Mr. White took a "vial" from his pocket and extracted a few tablets. "There, there is a tablet that contains an ingredient, one grain of which digests 3000 grains of food. For even the worst dyspeptic it's the only thing that really gives relief. The reason is it relieves the stomach of nearly all the work it has to do, digests everything in the stomach and stimulates the gastric juice. I can't eat along with them. They are Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. You can get them anywhere on earth for 50c a package."

Yes, it is true, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets absolutely stop heartburn, nausea, indigestion, dyspepsia of the worst type, sour stomach, bloaty feeling and all eruptions and irritation, and freshen and cheer the stomach. They cheer you up, and make you get all the good there is in your food. You will forget you ever had a stomach to worry you.

Send us your name and address today and we will at once send you by mail a sample package, free. Address P. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

This Editorial in The Ladies' Home Journal

Gives Timely Warning Against Those "Eye Destroyers" Advertised as "Bargain Glasses"

"A woman who was hunting 'bargain glasses' finally succeeded in 'fitting' her eyes with what she enthusiastically declared was 'just the thing.' And, immensely pleased with herself, this woman had brought about the gravest danger a woman could invest in, for she had bought two pieces of glass crudely ground, but magnifying strongly, and with them she can see 'better to read.' That seeing better will mean an intense strain upon her eyes, but she will not realize what the trouble is, nor the injury the glasses are doing. Some day she will be under the care of a specialist, probably, for the removal of a cataract, and she will be fortunate indeed if she does not suffer partial or entire loss of sight for the remainder of her life. It seems incredible that people old enough to know better will take such fearful risks with their eyesight all because of a temporary saving of money, whereas all over the country are skillful physicians who gladly give their services in examining eyes for those unable to pay their fees. The greatest pity is that the law cannot reach these sellers of eye-destroyers, and through this legal responsibility the law is cheated out of dealing with those who create an evil compared with which the patent-medicine habit is positively harmless."



This cut shows quality of lenses advertised as "bargains." They're usually made by unscrupulous dealers who care little or nothing about the bad results such lenses produce. Made of the cheapest materials, they cause many eye diseases, and more blindness and eyestrain can be traced to their use than from all other causes combined.



This cut shows first quality lenses. Focus directly in center. Highly polished and ground by skilled workmen. These glasses are never sold at "bargain sales."

The dealers who advertise these "bargain" glasses never test the eyes themselves. They leave this important matter to one of the clerks, who knows little or nothing about the anatomy of the eye.

Before attending a "bargain sale" or entrusting your sight to one of those "dry goods doctors," remember these words of wisdom spoken by Elbert Hubbard:

"The sweetness of low prices never equals the bitterness of poor quality and service."

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THOMPSON EYESIGHT SPECIALIST

2ND FLOOR CORBETT BLDG., FIFTH AND MORRISON

For more than a week he has been mobilizing troops at Nueva America, 28 miles east of here on the coast, preparatory to an attack.

Celba appears to have more Generals, Captains and other minor officers than soldiers and the government has experienced considerable trouble in enlisting loyal privates. Trenches have been built on the outskirts of Celba and government officials express confidence in their ability to defend the town.

Uniform Buyer Sentenced.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Wash., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—From the Federal Court of Seattle today a message was received by Lieutenant Roy F. Waring, and C. 2208, Edlesten Fuel Co., Inc. **

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