

# TAFT IS READY FOR RECIPROCITY FIGHT

### He Cancels All but One Engagement in South Lest Extra Session Come.

### HIS HOPE IS IN DEMOCRATS

### If Senate Talks Bill to Death, They May Put Bill Through at Extra Session, Friendly Disposition Being Apparent.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—President Taft's announcement today that the Southern tour, which he had planned to take early in the month, would be canceled, with the exception of the visit to Atlanta March 19, started political tempers to wagging with rumors that his purpose was to prepare for a possible extra session of Congress in case the present session fails to enact the reciprocity agreement between the United States and Canada as announced.

Pressure of business and too many invitations to visit places in the South while making the tour are the reasons assigned for the cancellation of the trip.

Fears have been expressed that the Senate would "talk the reciprocity measure to death" or kill it in some other way, although it was believed the House, probably with the aid of the Democrats, would pass it.

If this should be the case the President would feel it was vital that he could depend on a Democratic House, such as would exist after March 4, to support him in his effort to pass this legislation. An extra session would force action on the question, and the chances apparently in favor of the President's getting his reciprocity legislation.

### DEMOCRATS FOR RECIPROCITY

### Clark Starts Canvass Which Shows They Favor Treaty.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The attitude of the House Democrats towards the reciprocity agreement with Canada is being canvassed at the residence of Clark, the minority leader. Today he asked every state delegation to take up the matter and report to him so that he might know the general opinion.

New York, led by Sulzer, started the ball rolling and the conference was unanimously in favor of passing the resolution. Virginia, led by Marshall, at the same time and the consensus of opinion was for the agreement.

Democrats from other states talked over the situation, and the sentiment, as far as it developed, seemed to be that the Democrats should pass the measure.

Secretary of State Knox and Special Agent C. M. Fetter, of the State Department, in a hearing before the ways and means committee next Thursday, will urge the Republicans to support the agreement.

### WASHINGTON WANTS FAIR

### Trades Bodies of National Capital Urge Celebration.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—A new aspirant for Government recognition in connection with a celebration of the opening of the Panama Canal in 1913, appeared before the Senate committee on industrial expositions today. This was Washington, D. C. Representing certain trade bodies of the city, ex-District Commissioner S. B. McFarland urged the appointment of a commission of nine members which should devise a plan for an official celebration, distinct from any exposition to be held at San Francisco or New Orleans.

Speaker Cannon laid before the House today telegrams of congratulation and thanks from the Legislature of California and the Building Trades of San Francisco. They expressed appreciation for the act of the House in voting to give the Panama exposition to San Francisco.

The House bill locating the proposed Panama Canal exposition at San Francisco reached the Senate and was referred to the committee on industrial expositions of which Senator Wesley Jones, of Washington, is chairman.

### DEPEW CAN'T BE SHELVED

### Move to Name New Senatorial Candidate Not Welcomed.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 1.—No choice resulted today on the 15th ballot for United States Senator and there was no shifting of votes. Following is the vote in detail:

Democrats—Sheehan 25, Shepard 19, Kernan 3, Glynn 3, Littleton 4, O'Brien 1, Parker 1, Sulzer 1, Taylor 1, Republicans—Depew 77.

Total vote cast 119. Necessary for choice 55.

The movement for a conference of the Republican members of the Legislature, with a view to recommending a Republican caucus and substituting a new candidate for Chauncey M. Depew for United States Senator, received a setback today from Minority Leader Brackett.

"In my judgment," said Senator Brackett, "the time is not ripe for such a movement."

### LAND RESTORED TO ENTRY

### Settlers May Soon Take Tracts Out of Forests.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Secretary Ballinger today restored to entry the unappropriated public lands recently eliminated from the Cheban National Forest, Washington; the Stanislaus and Trinity forests in California, and the Ozark forest, Arkansas, aggregating 25,111 acres.

The lands in Washington and Arkansas will be opened to settlement on April 15, 1911, and to entry on May 15, 1911. Those in California will become subject to settlement on April 1, 1911, and to entry on May 15, 1911.

### COURTS IN QUARANTINE

### Woman Reporter Who Has Smallpox Causes Scare.

concerned, by temporarily quarantining the office and allowing none of the occupants or visitors to leave.

Early in the afternoon it was learned that a case of smallpox had been tripping lightly about the room for the past two days, handling the records and handling the minute books. Word was sent to Dr. J. E. Critchton, who ordered the clerk's office locked at once, with its occupants.

After a force of physicians had vaccinated every occupant of the room who could not show a good scar, and had sprinkled all clothing with formaldehyde, the quarantine was released, and a dozen front lawyers and 30 or more clerks were allowed to leave the building.

### ADMIRAL SPERRY DEAD

### HOSPITAL AT WASHINGTON SCENE OF DEMISE.

### Officers Are Shocked at Sudden Passing of Brilliant Strategist and Tactician.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Rear-Admiral Charles S. Sperry, retired, who successfully piloted the United States fleet



Rear-Admiral Charles S. Sperry, Retired, Who Died Yesterday.

around the world in 1903-9, died today of pneumonia in the Naval Medical School Hospital here.

He arrived in Washington on last Friday from his home in Newport, R. I., for special duty in the State Department incident to his representation of the United States at the conference of naval powers of the world at London.

He was taken ill shortly after his arrival and yesterday afternoon he entered the naval hospital.

The death of Admiral Sperry was a shock to his fellow officers in the Navy and a blow to the State Department, which had counted much upon his assistance in perfecting a translation of what is known as the Declaration of London.

Admiral Sperry was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., in 1847, graduated from the Naval Academy in 1866.

He was a recognized authority on tactics and one of the most brilliant strategists in the history of the navy.

Admiral Sperry was retired for age on September 2, 1909.

### STUDEBAKER STOCKS SOLD

### CORPORATION DISPOSES OF \$13,500,000 BLOCK.

### Banking Syndicate Takes Over 7 Per Cent Cumulative Preferred Shares.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—It was announced today that a banking syndicate composed of Goldman, Sachs & Co. and the First National City Bank had purchased \$13,500,000 of 7 per cent cumulative preferred stock of the Studebaker Corporation of South Bend, Ind. The issue is \$20,000,000 of which \$1,500,000 is left in the treasury.

It was announced also that the Studebaker Corporation had authorized an issue of \$20,000,000 of common stock to be offered at public sale.

Proceeds of the sale of the preferred stock will be used to purchase control of the Everett-McCoy-Plaster (E. M. F.) automobile plant in Michigan, and also to liquidate bonded obligations incurred by the latter company. Arrangements are now under way to charter the new company with an authorized capital of \$4,000,000, of which \$2,000,000 will be common shares.

The sale of the large block of stock of the Studebaker Manufacturing Corporation to New York bankers and the liquidation of the control of the E. M. F. & P. automobile plant will make no difference in the local agencies of the two companies, according to the statements of those in charge here.

### BIG STEAMSHIP ASHORE

### Princess Adelaide Goes on Rocks in Blinding Snow Storm.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 1.—A United Wireless message from the Canadian Pacific steamship Princess Adelaide, bound for Seattle, was received here today stating that during a blinding snow storm tonight.

A hurried survey of the steamer's position leads her master to believe that she can be floated without difficulty at high tide tomorrow.

# JONES AND PLES GLASH ON SPOILS

### Senators Each Recommend Different Men for Marshals of Court.

### THEY NAME LAND OFFICERS

### Jones Likely to Have Way as to Western Marshal-McLean Stated to Succeed Wilson as Bank Examiner.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 1.—Senators Jones and Ples, after conference today, found they could not agree upon candidates for appointment as United States Marshals for Western and Eastern Washington and decided to file separate recommendations.

Ples will urge the reappointment of C. B. Hopkins as Marshal for Western Washington and George H. Baker as Marshal for the Eastern district. Jones recommends the appointment of Joseph R. H. Jacoby, of Seattle, as Marshal for Western Washington and W. A. Halleman, of Spokane, as Marshal for the Eastern district.

In the Eastern district, at least, Jones will win, for it is understood the President will not reappoint Baker, and indications are that his candidate in Western Washington will also be named.

### Land Office Jobs Filled.

On all other offices the Senators were in agreement. They have made the following recommendations: John C. Denney, of Everett, to be Registrar of the Seattle Land Office, succeeding Henry Smith; A. L. Steinman, to be appointed Receiver of the North Yakima Land Office; W. F. Haynes, to be reappointed Registrar of the Waterville Land Office; J. E. Shore, of Leavenworth, to be Receiver at Waterville, succeeding Walter A. Henry; L. B. Nash, of Spokane, to be Receiver of the Spokane Land Office, succeeding R. A. Wells; Henry McLean, of Davenport, to be National Bank Examiner, in place of R. T. Wilson, resigned.

### Matt Piles Provided For.

No further recommendations have been made for Collector of Customs to succeed Harper, whose nomination was yesterday rejected by the Senate. Piles will stand on his recommendation of his brother, Matt Piles, but Jones will keep hands off unless it should be decided Matt Piles is not to be appointed. The understanding is, however, that Matt Piles will be nominated, out of deference to the wishes of Senator Ples.

If Matt Piles is made Collector of Customs it is practically certain Jones will nominate for both Marshals jobs be nominated.

### BUYING KNOWN TO LORIMER

Related to the ways and means necessary to win votes for Lorimer. On no rational theory can anybody conclude that Lorimer was unadvised by Browne of anything that Browne did for him, and whatever Browne did and whatever difficulties Browne encountered in his canvass for support among his followers for Lorimer's nomination, have been made known to him at these conferences, and independently of any direct testimony on that question. It must be concluded that all good reason and conscience that Browne concealed nothing from Lorimer and that Browne did nothing to further the election of Lorimer, which fact Lorimer did not know about at the time, that the construction is supported by every undisputed circumstance surrounding the transaction.

### Ignorance Is Unbelievable.

Quoting then Browne's admission that he did make reports to Lorimer, Brown commented:

"Browne was making his report to his chief, and it is utterly unbelievable that he kept from Lorimer the information about the bribery of Beckemeyer, White, Link and Holtzlaw. Lorimer is bound by the testimony of the witness. The Senate is bound by it. It has been a compelling force that cannot be resisted in the light of this record and which it is established in the proof that Lorimer knew what Browne was doing. It is established that the bribery of at least four members of that Legislature was committed with the knowledge and consent of Mr. Lorimer, and when that fact is established all disputed questions of law are taken out of this case.

"The only theory on which the election of Mr. Lorimer can be sustained is that no one was bribed by Browne to vote for him. If Browne bribed anybody, Lorimer knew it and consented to it and thereby forfeited all title to the office. And when the committee agrees that with four votes bribed by Browne, Lorimer is still valid, the conclusion must fall, because, under the direct and undisputed evidence of Browne, as well as under all the other convincing circumstances, it was obvious that Lorimer knew all that Browne did.

### People Betrayed Wholesale.

"There is no escape from this conclusion. A Legislature composed of men chosen by their neighbors to act for them as legislators, under oath to discharge a public trust with honor, forgot and betrayed that trust. The betrayal was on a wholesale scale and after the Legislature had been denuded for nearly five months. It was out of reason, if not impossible, for an honest election of anybody to result. The silent and iron hand behind the scenes, knowing all that was going on, let him by his agents and consenting to, if not directing, their every act, was Mr. Lorimer himself. Such is the story of this record and such should be the verdict of the Senate.

So serious did Brown consider the questions involved in the Lorimer judgment that it was "likely to mean and ought to mean eventually the end of the Senate."

He asserted further that the Lorimer election "tells a story of shame and ignominy unparalleled in the history of legislation."

### No Lorimer Vote, No Appropriations.

In declaring his determination to secure a vote on the Lorimer case and the other questions mentioned, even at the expense of the future of appropriation bills, Brown said:

"This is not said as a threat, nor in the nature of an ultimatum. I am stating a simple fact, and it is well known that we understand now what the fact is in that regard. If Congress adjourns without action on these measures, Congress will adjourn without action on some of the appropriation bills."

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Hale, chairman of the committee on appropriation, answering Browne's declaration that appropriation bills never were used to consume time and thereby block legislation. He added that for the rest of the session they would be pressed whenever they might be ready, no matter what else might be before the Senate.

Browne then reiterated his position, saying: "If there is a disposition shown to defeat a vote and force over to another session the bills I have enumerated we may as well face the fact that some of the appropriations bills will go over with them."

### Root to Denounce Lorimer.

Root of New York will speak on the Lorimer case Friday and it is understood that he will oppose Lorimer.

Burrows, chairman of the committee on privileges and elections, after an early call at the White House today, said he expected a vote would be taken within a few days on the Lorimer case.

### HEYBURN MAY TALK TO MARCH

### Borah Takes Seriously Threat to Kill Direct Election.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Senator Borah today made an effort to get the Senate to agree to vote February 3 on the resolution providing for the election of Senators by direct vote of the people, but met objections from his colleague, Mr. Heyburn. Contending for the right of Senators to be heard on resolution before the vote, Mr. Heyburn said he would be prepared to speak until "about the 4th of March," when the session will terminate, and the resolution die if not previously acted upon.

"Very well," responded Mr. Borah, "I will call up the measure and give the Senator an opportunity to speak until the 4th of March."

### HUNT'S SUCCESSOR IS NAMED

### President Nominates Judge George E. Martin, of Ohio.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—President Taft today nominated Judge George E. Martin, of Ohio, to be Associate Justice of the United States Court of Appeals to succeed Judge William H. Hunt, who was confirmed yesterday by the Senate as Judge on the new Commerce Court.

The President also named the following for promotion: Alexander Hayward, assistant surgeon in the Navy, to be a paid assistant surgeon.

Paymaster Edward W. Bonnaton, to be a paymaster inspector.

Naval Constructor Guy Risel, who now has the rank of Lieutenant, to be naval constructor with the rank of Lieutenant-Commander.

### Senate Confirms Cottrill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Charles A. Cottrill, the Ohio negro who was appointed in December to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the District of Hawaii, was confirmed by the Senate today. Some time ago a protest was made against the appointment on charges which were investigated and disproved.

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### AMERICANS AND BRITISH GUARD PUERTO CORTEZ.

### Abandoned by Government, Town Is Awaited Capture by Bonilla and His Rebel Army.

PUERTO CORTEZ, Honduras, Feb. 1.—The evacuation of Puerto Cortez by Honduran government troops has taken place and the town is now in the hands of the American and British marines, who are awaiting the arrival of the forces of General Manuel Bonilla, leader of the revolutionists.

Several days ago trenches were dug and guns placed outside the town and government troops stationed there to oppose the insurgents, but these were withdrawn Monday afternoon. Protection was asked for by the United States consul and the Marletta, and the British cruiser Brilliant landed marines. Prior to this orders had been issued

that no fighting would be permitted within Puerto Cortez and the collier Caesar was sent in search of General Lee Christmas, who is believed to be on his way to form a junction with General Bonilla. Christmas, however, could not be found.

Runners also were dispatched as far as the Uluva River to notify him of the intended evacuation and the 48-hour guarantee of protection.

Two special trains conveyed the government soldiers to San Pedro, and Commander Cooper, of the Marletta, assumed control. The railroad requested

Commander Cooper to furnish a guard at San Pedro, fearing the road would be seized by the Governor. A detachment was sent there, which is about 25 miles southwest of Puerto Cortez.

### "Men of Oregon" Just Published.

"Men of Oregon" is the title of a leather-bound volume just off the press. It is issued by the Chamber of Commerce Bulletin, and consists chiefly of photographs of men responsible for the upbuilding of the state. The book contains 125 cuts.



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