# RECIPROCITY SURE TO PASS FINALLY

## Chance Small This Session, but Extra Session Will Kill Filibuster.

## TAFT'S DECISION FORMED

**President Determined That Half Dozen Senators Shan't Thwart Will of Majority—He Expects His Party to Profit.**

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 24.—If the Senate does not pass the bill ratifying the Canadian reciprocity agreement before March 4, it will pass it in a special session, which will be called by President Taft about the middle of March.

A majority of the Senate would vote in favor of Canadian reciprocity today if it had the chance. The indications are, however, that no opportunity for a vote will be had before the end of the present session because of the determination of several Republican Senators to filibuster the McCall bill to death. In other words, the McCall bill will die on March 4, not for lack of support, but for lack of opportunity to press it to a vote in the Senate.

**Taft Says Majority Shall Rule.**

The fact that a majority of both houses is in favor of Canadian reciprocity is the one great reason why the President will call an extra session, unless the pending bill is passed before March 4. He does not intend that the will of the majority shall be thwarted by a few Senators who are willing to resort to filibustering tactics in order to prevent, temporarily, the passage of legislation in which they personally do not believe. Inasmuch as this is a government by majority, the President has determined that the majority shall rule and shall have an opportunity of expressing its will in both branches of Congress, if it takes all Summer to do it.

Mr. Taft, however, has other ideas in calling an extra session. He believes that Canadian reciprocity is a clever political move and will do much for the Republican party and for the country if it is put into effect. The agitation has gone so far that Canadian reciprocity is bound to come sooner or later, and it is his desire that it shall come under a Republican Administration, so that the Republican party can derive much of the credit for its adoption.

**Extra Session Will Pass Bill.**

It was a bitter disappointment to the President that Democratic votes were necessary to pass the bill through the House, for he had exerted his influence to the utmost to bring into line enough Republicans to get the bill through. In this he failed. He does not propose, however, now that the bill has once passed the House, and can again pass it after March 4, that it shall be utterly defeated by the objections of a few Republican Senators, who are out of harmony with the majority of their party in the Senate and in the country. Notwithstanding it is apparent to almost everyone that the bill ultimately will become a law, these few Republican Senators are determined to filibuster the bill up to the hour of adjournment on March 4. Possibly, they do not realize that the bill will be passed in a special session, or they may not believe the President will call an extra session. The President has been so outspoken, however, that there can be no misunderstanding his position, and it is absolutely certain that an extra session will convene not later than March 15, if the reciprocity bill is not voted on in the Senate before March 4.

In an extra session, the reciprocity bill will undoubtedly pass the House of Representatives within a very few days after it is reported by the Democratic committee on ways and means. It will then go to the Senate committee on finance, which will be Republican in the next Congress, as it is now, and that committee will probably lose little time in submitting its favorable report to the Senate, for the committee will be practically the same that reported the bill only a few days ago. Most Senators and Representatives, realizing that the bill is sure to become a law, will be anxious to hasten adjournment of the special session, and the debate will be largely limited to those Republicans and a few Democrats who are determined to block Canadian reciprocity, if they can do so by dilatory tactics.

**Filibuster Can't Succeed.**

A filibuster cannot succeed in a special session, which is unlimited as to time. Not to exceed six Senators will favor filibuster, and six Senators cannot hold Congress in session indefinitely. Six weeks would be a long time for such a filibuster to continue, and when it collapses there will be nothing to prevent a vote. When that vote is taken the bill will pass.

There is only one possibility by which an extra session could be avoided and that would be to get the bill to a vote in the Senate before March 4. This will only be possible if the opposing Senators come to a realization that their filibuster will gain nothing in the end, but there is little hope of such an outcome, as Heyburn of Idaho is one of the filibusterers, and it is not believed that he will consent to a vote, even though he knows that his opposition will net him nothing in the end. Therefore, the opposition of this one Senator may force an extra session.

## COUNT TO BE TRIED AGAIN

**French Government Thinks d'Aulby's Penalty Too Light.**

TOURS, France, Feb. 24.—The swindling case against "Count" d'Aulby de Gatigny is to be revived. Today the general public prosecutor for the district of Orleans, of which Tours is a part, entered an appeal against the finding of the Tours' court, which condemned D'Aulby to a month's imprisonment. In consequence a new trial will be held.

Such procedure in France implies a belief on the part of the government that the evidence demands a more severe punishment than has been accorded.

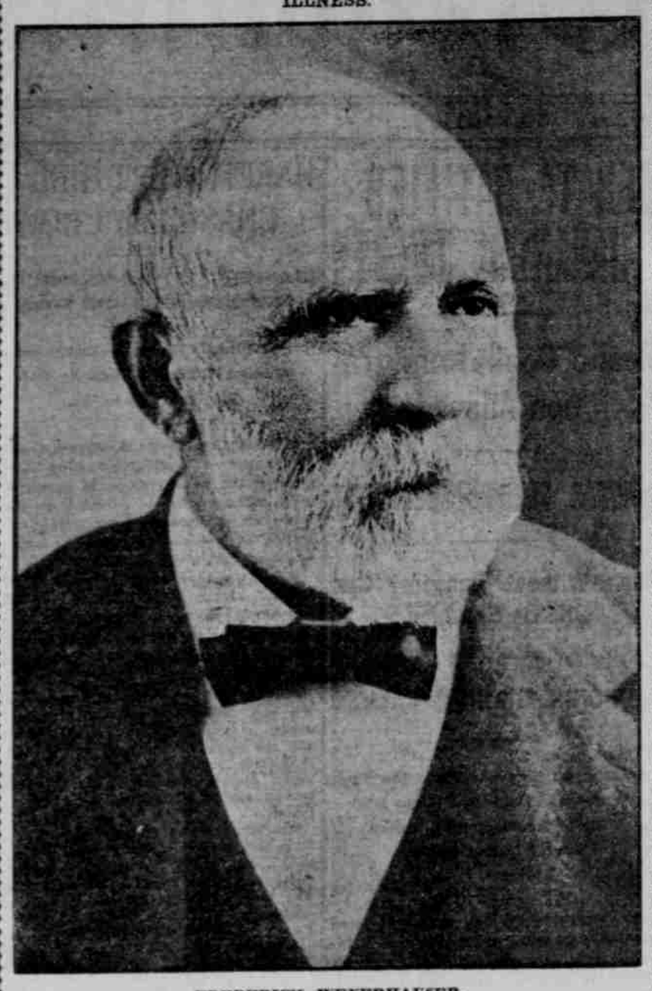
**Owners of Peons to Get Clemency.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—President Taft has decided to reduce from 18 to six months the sentence of W. S. Harlan and four other men who are now in the Atlanta Penitentiary, having been convicted on the charge of peonage in connection with the employment of men in Florida lumber camps.

**Boyd Carrier Is Named.**

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 24.—Charles L. McCafferty has been appointed rural carrier and E. E. Wilson substitute on rural route No. 1 Boyd, Or.

**TIMBER BARON, WALKING OUT, DENIES REPORTS OF HIS ILLNESS.**



**FREDERICK WEYERHAUSER.**

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—All reports that Frederick Weyerhauser, the timber baron, is ill at his Winter home in Pasadena are false. A correspondent sent today to the Weyerhauser home to ascertain the condition of the timber baron's health, because of alarming reports circulated in the East, found that he was out taking a walk. A few minutes later the correspondent met Mr. Weyerhauser on the street and asked for his health.

"I am just taking a little constitutional," he said. "I don't know who started the reports that I am ill, probably some one who wishes I were," and he laughed heartily. "I was slightly indisposed a couple of weeks ago but it was only a cold. I am taking good care of myself and really I feel almost as well as I have for the past 20 years. I am not as young as I was once, but I am as young as a lot of these people you see on the streets. Just tell any one who asks you that I am well, happy and contented."

# FORTS ARE OPPOSED

## Tawney Wants Taft to Try Neutralizing Canal.

## FIGHT ON IN HOUSE TODAY

**Minnesotan Would Make Appropriation Conditional—Provision Is Made for Tariff Board—Economy Board Gets Nothing.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—After refusing to adopt a rule of cloture and pass the big sundry civil appropriation bill under a suspension of the rules, the House settled down to a speedy consideration of the $140,000,000 measure today, and had disposed of a considerable part of its provisions when adjournment was taken at 10:30 tonight.

The President's $400,000 tariff board appropriation was acted on early. Shortly afterward the House struck out the appropriation of $75,000 asked by the President for the further work of his economy board, which is trying to systematize the business of the Government.

The Panama Canal appropriations and the $3,000,000 appropriation for the fortification of the canal entrances were not reached. The consideration of these items probably will come up tomorrow and will be characterized by a fight on the part of opponents of fortifications.

Chairman Tawney, of the appropriations committee, has let it be known he will offer an amendment to prohibit the expenditure of any money for forts until after the President has made an effort to secure neutrality treaties with all the leading maritime nations of the world.

When the bill came up Tawney tried to secure a suspension of the rules and passage of the bill. He said the pressure of business is such in the House that lengthy consideration cannot be given the measure. The House voted down the proposal to suspend the rules and defeated likewise a motion to limit debate on the measure.

## SENATE MUST STICK TO WORK

**Hale Says Many Appropriations Will Require Constant Sessions.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Senator Hale, the Republican leader and chairman of the committee on appropriations, gave notice to the Senate today that almost continuous sessions would be necessary next week. He made no mention of general measures pending, but declared that appropriation bills would demand all of the Senate's time.

Stating that the pension, postoffice, agricultural, military academy, diplomatic and consular, fortifications, sundry civil and general deficiency bills have all thus far received no attention in the Senate, the Maine Senator called attention to the fact that after the present week there would be only six days for the completion of the Senate's work.

"In view of these facts, Senators should be settling their houses in order for the ordeal to which they will be compelled to submit," he said. "Senators should prepare themselves for almost constant attendance in order to transact the business before them."

**Coffee Trust Inquiry Coming.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Representative Norris, of Nebraska, who yesterday introduced resolutions calling on the President and Attorney-General for information "regarding an alleged monopoly in the export, sale and disposition of coffee from Brazil," secured the promise today of a hearing before the House committee on judiciary, to which one of his resolutions was referred.

**Cullom Would Kill Russian Treaty.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Senator Culberson today introduced a resolution declaring it to be "the sense of the Senate that the treaty of 1832 between the United States and Russia should be abrogated because of the discrimination by Russia between American citizens in the administration of the treaty." The resolution was referred to the committee on foreign relations.

## SENATE RATIFIES TREATY

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would, of course, be liable to deportation.

The California Senators, it is said, became satisfied early that the change would not menace the labor situation in their state. Several other Western Senators became alarmed, however, at what seemed to them unseemly haste in pressing the Senate to act. They desired sentiment to crystallize in their states, and therefore prevented action for three days.

Supporters of the treaty endeavored to show that the presence of the clause on the subject of immigration in the treaty of 1894 was obnoxious to the dignity and pride of the Japanese Empire, especially as neither it nor any similar clause is in any treaty with any other country. It was argued further that the existing treaty would have expired in another year and this country could not hope to induce Japan to sign a new treaty containing such a clause.

After a full discussion today the Western Senators said they could not stand in the way of ratification, which was accomplished without a rollcall.

## EQUAL RIGHTS ARE CONCEDED

**Japan Pledged to Continue Present Restriction of Emigration.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The new Japanese treaty, the text of which was published here today, and which is now pending before the Senate committee, comprises 18 articles. Perhaps the most important feature of the document, which, while not part of the treaty, is attached to it, in connection with the correspondence, is the following declaration:

"In proceeding this day to the signature of the treaty of commerce and navigation between Japan and the United States, the undersigned, Japanese Ambassador in Washington, duly authorized by his government, has the honor to declare that the imperial Japanese government is fully prepared to maintain with equal effectiveness the limitation and control which they have for the past three years exercised in the regulation of the emigration of laborers to the United States.—Y. Uchida, Feb. 21, 1911."

The first article allows citizens of either country to travel or reside in the other country, to trade there, exempts them from special taxation, guarantees protection of person and property, exempts from military service and forced loans.

The second article exempts from domiciling visits or searches except on the same conditions as apply to natives. It is in this article that there is noted the exception or elimination of the provision contained in the existing treaty, recognizing the right of each country to regulate immigration.

Other articles concede the right to appoint consular officers except in places where it may not be convenient to recognize them, give reciprocal freedom of commerce and navigation, provide that import duties shall be regulated either by reciprocal arrangement or by internal legislation, except citizens from transit duties not imposed on natives, provide that there shall be no discrimination between the vessels of the two countries in their right to carry imports without being liable to other or higher charges of duty than national vessels. The same rule is applied to exportations and to the payment of export duties, bounties and drawbacks.

# DIRECT ELECTIONS VOTE DUE TUESDAY

## Senate Adopts Sutherland Amendment, Retaining Supervision.

## POSTOFFICE BILL COMING

**Penrose Will Ask Consideration of Measure Increasing Postal Rate on Magazine Advertising Pages on Monday.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—In less than an hour the Senate late today voted the Sutherland amendment into the resolution providing for the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people; fixed next Tuesday as the time for voting on the resolution itself; made the case involving Senator Lorimer's seat the unfinished business and received the Canadian reciprocity bill from the committee on finance.

In addition there was much discussion of the order of business. Several speeches were arranged, and Senator Penrose gave notice that on Monday he would ask the Senate to consider the Postoffice appropriation bill, which includes the provision increasing the postage on the advertising portion of magazines.

**Senators Begin "Jockeying."**

No sooner had Senator Beveridge concluded his speech in opposition to Senator Lorimer than almost a dozen Senators began "jockeying" for positions. Senator Hale asked that the unfinished business be laid before the Senate. This was the resolution providing for a constitutional amendment for the election of United States Senators by popular vote and the resolution was taken up.

Almost before Senators had time to realize what was taking place, the Vice-President directed the roll call on the amendment offered by Senator Sutherland eliminating so much of the amendment as takes from Congress the right to supervise Senatorial elections. The vote resulted in favor of the amendment, 59 to 37.

**One Democrat Affirmative.**

Of the affirmative votes, only one was cast by a Democrat, Senator Clarke of Arkansas casting that one. Seven Republicans — Borah, Bourne, Bristow, Brown, Cummins, Gronna and LaFollette —were recorded in opposition to the provision. Senator Bacon of Georgia declared his opposition to the resolution as amended. He gave notice that on Monday he would address the Senate explaining his opposition.

Senator Borah succeeded in obtaining a general agreement to vote on the elections resolution, immediately after the reading of the journal next Tuesday. His proposition was for a vote on the election resolution alone, but Senator Lodge sought to have the agreement so broadened as to include the Lorimer case and the tariff board bill.

**Objections Are Raised.**

Senator Bailey objected to the inclusion of the tariff board and Senator Stone to the incorporation of the Lorimer resolution.

When Senator Stone was induced to withdraw his objection, Senator LaFollette came to the front with a positive objection. In placing on record his opposition he said:

"I may be willing at a later time to fix a day for a vote, but I have a very sufficient reason for asking that the Lorimer matter be not closed at this time."

Immediately thereafter Senator Burrows scored an advantage for the Lorimer resolution by having the Lorimer matter made the unfinished business in place of the elections resolution which was made a special order.

After tacitly agreeing to a notice from Mr. Penrose that the Postoffice bill should be taken up Monday, the Senate went into executive session to consider the Japanese treaty.

**Grief Drives Widow to Suicide.**

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 24.—Grieving over the death of her husband, Frederick Castor, a local pugilist, who died as the result of injuries received in a boxing bout here two months ago, Mrs. Louise Castor, 19 years old, committed suicide today by drinking carbolic acid.

**First Suffragan Bishop Installed.**

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The first suffragan bishop of the Episcopal Church in America was consecrated today at Grace Church. He is Rev. Dr. Charles Sumner Burch. His title will be bishop suffragan of the diocese of New York.


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| **CAPITAL.** | | |
| Amount of capital paid up | | $ 517,000.00 |
| **INCOME.** | | |
| Premiums received during the year in cash | $1,061,501.77 | |
| Interest, dividends, and rents received during the year | 41,398.90 | |
| Income from other sources received during the year | 615,365.46 | |
| Total income | | $1,718,267.13 |
| **DISBURSEMENTS.** | | |
| Losses paid during the year | $ 430,443.05 | |
| Commissions and salaries paid during the year | 160,517.18 | |
| Taxes, licenses and fees paid during year | 25,346.67 | |
| Amount of all other expenditures | 1,325,375.52 | |
| Total expenditures | | $1,511,239.37 |
| **ASSETS.** | | |
| Value of stocks and bonds owned | $ 936,163.00 | |
| Accounts receivable, loans on mortgages and collateral, etc | 14,723.65 | |
| Cash in banks and on hand | 69,849.84 | |
| Premiums in course of collection and in transmission | 491,519.36 | |
| Interest and rents due and accrued | 12,764.58 | |
| Total assets | | $1,575,020.43 |
| **LIABILITIES.** | | |
| Gross claims for losses unpaid | $ 169,070.64 | |
| Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks | 186,563.66 | |
| Due for commission and brokerage | 45,291.38 | |
| All other liabilities— | | |
| Re-insurance premiums | 361,338.37 | |
| Salaries, rents, expenses, bills, etc. due | 29,038.72 | |
| State, county and municipal taxes and licenses | 34,312.61 | |
| Total liabilities | | $ 825,615.38 |

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