RECIPROCITY VOTE IS DUE TOMORROW

Many Speeches to Be Crowded Into Closing Hours of Senate Debate.

JONES STRONG IN SUPPORT

Perpetual Peace Between Two Great People Declared to Be Assured. Flour Cheapened Without Reducing Wheat Prices.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Only one more full day of debate on the Canadian reciprocity bill remains before the final vote is taken on the remaining amendments and the measure itself.

Into that day are to be crowded many speeches, including remarks by Senator La Follette and Senator Smith, of Michigan.

La Follette tomorrow will explain in detail his amendments, which propose a sweeping revision of the woolen and cotton tariffs. His address will be the chief one against the reciprocity bill in the closing hours of debate.

Senator Bailey held the floor against the bill for three hours today, following a speech in its favor by Senator Jones, of Washington. Bailey's speech was almost wholly an attack on the bill for its alleged injustice to the farming interests. The Texas Senator denied that the bill should be supported by Democrats on the theory that it is a "step in the right direction."

Bailey Fears for Farmer.

"If pursued to a logical conclusion," he said, "it leads to a time and a policy when the American farmer will be stripped of all advantages and left to the mercy of the beneficiaries of all tariff legislation adopted."

Senator Smith, of South Carolina, argued for the bill because of its general benefits to the country and because it marks a step toward the lowering of all tariff duties.

Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, spoke in behalf of the lumber interests, which, he said, would suffer through the removal of the lumber duty under the bill.

Jones said he would vote for the bill because, although he thought it did not go far enough, it was a step in the right direction.

"It is a step," he said, "toward full and free intercourse with the magnificent people on the north. It will injure no industry here, but will stimulate all. It will not decrease the price of wheat, but should give us better and cheaper flour. It should widen our market for manufactured products, thereby giving more employment to labor and increasing the domestic demand for farm products. It adds to the total of our internal trade the trade and commerce of a territory as great as our own, to be peopled and developed by men and women of the same race, character, needs, desires, hopes, ambitions and destiny as our own, and whose trade is far more desirable than that of many times the same number of people of any other race or clime.

Peace Is Made Certain.

"It insures perpetual peace between the two peoples. With the same conscientious solicitude for the welfare of our people that animates any Senator who opposes the measure, I shall vote for its passage."

This session has demonstrated, Jones asserted, "there is more in the name 'progressive' than there is in the action of 'progressives'."

"If the so-called 'progressives' and the so-called 'stand-patters' are actuated by the same motive and the same patriotic purpose," he said, "they are both progressives, and one is entitled to confidence of the people as much as the other. The desire to protect the welfare of the people is the real basis of progression. On this basis I venture the assertion that there is no real difference among the members of this body nor among the members of any party in this body."

MOUNTAIN TRAILS MADE

Government Rangers Are Opening Lewis River Country.

WOODLAND, Wash., July 20.—A new station near the Big Muddy and the Lewis River, about 40 miles above Woodland, called the Lewis River Station, new trails to Mount St. Helens, Spirit Lake, Toutle River, Cowlitz River, Green River and points north and east, covering Glenwood, Gaulon, Race Track and Mount Adams, also a new and shorter trail to Camp Butte from Trout Lake (Lake Merrill) are some of the features of the work to be accomplished by E. E. Robertson, district forest ranger, during the coming year.

Considerable of the work is now completed and a good many men are employed, but the work is being retarded by fires, which take the men from the work.

The new trails will make it easier to escape in case of fire, and also aid the rangers in notifying campers when there is danger. The station will be near the Big Muddy.

COLLEGE MAN IS CHOSEN

Bandon School Superintendent Is Oregon Graduate.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Or., July 20.—(Special.)—H. L. Hopkins, a graduate from the University of Oregon with the class of 1893, has been elected City School Superintendent at Bandon, Or., to succeed Superintendent H. C. Ostein, who has been elevated to a professorship at the Monmouth Normal School. The salary is $1200 a year.

After graduation Mr. Hopkins took post graduate work at Oberlin College, Yale University and the University of Chicago, and then occupied several teaching posts, later becoming assistant president of Albany College at Albany, Or. For the last two years the new supervisor has been associated with his father in the lumber business.

The Summer school assembly hour was taken today by Mrs. Frances E. Clark, of Camden, N. J., chairman of the music departments of the National Educational Association and the National Federation of Women's Clubs.

Heat Overcomes Two.

CAMAS, Wash., July 20.—(Special.)—For the first time in the memory of the oldest inhabitants, persons have been overcome by heat in Camas. Irene Ritchhart, living in this city, and George Mitchell, of Woodburn, about a mile from here, were overcome in the hot spell, but both are recovering.

BRITISH PREMIER WHO MAY CALL ON KING TO CREATE NEW PEERS.

HERBERT HENRY ASQUITH.

BILL IS DANGEROUS

Flood Control Measure Menace to Irrigation Plans.

FUND WOULD BE ABSORBED

Chamberlain Scheme Will Meet Opposition of Entire West With Possible Exception of Colleague From Oregon.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, July 20.—Senator Chamberlain has many times professed to be working to secure for Oregon a larger share of the reclamation project, and has maintained that he has done everything in his power to bring about the construction of new projects in his state. But if Senator Chamberlain is honestly in favor of promoting Government reclamation work in Oregon he has a strange way of showing it. He recently introduced a bill which, if passed, would divert millions of dollars annually from the reclamation fund, for the construction of dams, canals, etc., to control floods.

Senator Chamberlain's bill is brief. It authorizes the Secretary of the Interior to construct dikes, dams, ditches, etc., for the storage and diversion and development of waters, to prevent injury to crops and fertile lands and other property caused by floods and freshets originating on forest reserves and Indian reservations, the expense of such construction to be paid out of the National reclamation fund.

Fund Would Be Wiped Out.

As all Western floods are in streams that head in forest reserves, the Chamberlain bill in effect directs the construction of a vast system of control works, which would cost in the aggregate many millions of dollars, the expenditures to be made not only in the states which contribute to the reclamation fund, but in many others; even the states of the Atlantic Coast and all states east of the Mississippi, after the Appalachian forest reserve becomes a reality. Moreover, Senator Chamberlain's bill does not provide for the return to the reclamation fund of the moneys diverted for flood control, so that its enactment would gradually but certainly deplete that fund, and, in the course of a few years, wipe it out entirely.

In other words, Senator Chamberlain, while complaining that Oregon has not had sufficient benefit from the reclamation fund, comes forward with a scheme which not only would make it impossible to get more money for Government irrigation in Oregon, but would soon put a stop to the construction of Government irrigation projects everywhere. It is a beautiful scheme, but the bill stands about as much chance of passing as a snowball would stand on the streets of Washington these hot Summer days.

West Solid in Opposition.

The minute Senator Chamberlain undertakes to bring up his flood-control bill, he will find every other Western Senator and Representative, with the probable exception of Senator Bourne, up in arms, and protesting and there are enough Western men of influence from other states than Oregon to make short work of such a measure as this. The West will never stand for this scheme, for the men in Congress from the West, with the exception of Senators Chamberlain and Bourne, are bent on preserving the reclamation fund intact, for use as originally provided by Congress, and are not willing that any part of that fund shall be used for any purpose except the construction of reclamation works.

The Chamberlain bill is a dangerous measure. It is loaded, and is aimed at Government reclamation. The object which Senator Chamberlain seemingly seeks to attain may be all right and proper, but this method of achieving his end is decidedly open to question and to suspicion.

HEAVENLY COURT IS TOPIC

Evangelist Warren Begins Ten Days' Series of Meetings.

The first of a series of ten evangelistic meetings by Elder Luther Warren, under the auspices of the Portland Seventh Day Adventists, was held last night in a big tent at Thirteenth and Morrison streets, and was well attended. The meeting was marked by a good musical programme and a talk by Elder Warren on "Court Week in Heaven."

"There is an angel with every one of us every minute," declared Elder Warren. "This angel is recording every word we say and every sin we commit and all the good we do. When we are called we will not know it, but this angel will respond for us. Our record will be turned over to the court of heaven and we will be judged by our works. Everybody must be judged."

The meetings will be each evening for ten days with lectures each night and also a good musical programme. The tent last night was crowded almost to capacity.

PRESIDENT KERR HONORED

National Education Association Reappoints Him on Council.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Or., July 20.—(Special.)—President Kerr, of the Oregon Agricultural College, has been honored by the National Education Association with appointment again to the council of the association, he term of office being for six years, to expire in 1917. As he has already held such an office in the association for a term, he will have been a member of the council a round dozen years when his present term expires.

This gives the college double representation in the association again, as Professor E. D. Ressler, director of the Summer session, who formerly was a member of the board of director of the association in the Western division, has been elected eighth vice-president.

FOREST FIRES CHECKED

Danger in Upper Hood River Valley Is Curbed by Rangers.

HOOD RIVER, Or., July 20.—(Special.)—Forest fires that were a menace in different parts of this county the first of the week are now under control. Two of the most stubborn outbreaks were in the Upper Hood River Valley on the Woodworth tract, near the Boneborro Orchard Company's holdings, and one near Green Point. The latter is still burning, but is under control. For several days it threatened the destruction of the big mill of the Stanley-Smith Lumber Company.

For several nights the lights of forest fires in the northern part of Klickitat County have been discernible to people of this city. Forest rangers have prevented serious damage thus far this season.

SMITH REFUSES TO TALK

Commissioner of Corporations Balks at Steel Trust Inquiry.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Efforts of the House steel trust committee today to get from Commissioner of Corporations Herbert Knox Smith facts relating to his investigation of the United States Steel Corporation, not yet published, were blocked by Smith's emphatic refusal to answer all such questions, saying the law forbade such disclosures except upon the President's authority.

Smith agreed to take up with President Taft the matter of marking public the information sought.

Fire Destroys $8000 Barn.

GOLDENDALE, Wash., July 20.—(Special.)—The large barn and contents on the Coffield ranch at Maryhill, belonging to the Maryhill Land Company, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin early this morning. The loss is estimated at $8000. Insurance was carried in the Grange to the extent of $3000. The livestock in the building was saved with the exception of one mule. The barn contained 100 tons of hay, beside feed, harness and implements.

Ex-Fruit Inspector in Jail.

GRANTS PASS, Or., July 20.—(Special.)—H. C. Bateham, an ex-county fruit inspector, was surrendered to the Sheriff this afternoon and lodged in jail. Bateham's troubles began when the last grand jury in session indicted him for an offense against a girl. On Bateham's bonds were his wife and George E. Hamilton, a fruitgrower. In the same cell is Halley Wilkes, alias Mike Morgan, who is held upon a charge of murdering John E. York.

Forest Fires Under Control.

MEDFORD, Or., July 20.—(Special.)—Three forest fires on Elk Creek, Beaver Creek and near Brown's cabin, some distance from Prospect, are now under control. The fire situation here is good compared with what it was last year at this time but Supervisor Ericsson is placing his forces advantageously and is preparing for the worst. The late rains have delayed the fire season considerably.

Six Divorces Granted in Linn.

ALBANY, Or., July 20.—(Special.)—Six divorces have been granted by Judge Galloway in the Circuit Court here in the past two days. Decrees were entered in the following cases: Vlock Keeney vs. Henry Keeney, John Swanson vs. Lucy F. Swanson, Elizabeth Worrley vs. R. B. Worrley, Mabel E. Hedgpeth vs. Claude Hedgpeth, Iva Houser vs. John Houser, and Nancy I. Truax vs. E. F. Truax.

TAFT'S ATTITUDE TOLD BY ALDRICH

Lorimer "Not Objectionable," but No Plea That He Be Elected Was Made.

HOPKINS ALSO CONSIDERED

President First Inclined to Favor Choice of Primaries, but Desirous Chiefly That Republican Be Chosen.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—The story of the Administration's attitude toward the election of Senator Lorimer, as told by ex-Senator Aldrich, of Rhode Island, and the activities of R. J. Shields, of Superior, Wis., an insurance agent, in collecting affidavits from witnesses in the investigation were the features of the Senate Lorimer committee hearing today.

Instead of sending Edward Hines, the Chicago lumberman, to Springfield with word from the Washington Administration that Lorimer should be elected, Mr. Aldrich testified that he told Hines that President Taft was not supporting the candidacy of anyone, but that Lorimer was not objectionable to him. The ex-Senator said he told Hines previously that the President had no objection to Albert J. Hopkins or Henry S. Boutell for the Senatorship.

White House Statement Read.

A statement from the White House last March in regard to the election was read to the witness. The only point concerning which he said he knew nothing was the declaration that a request had been made of the President to sign a telegram stating his views on Lorimer's candidacy.

The White House statement given out March 20 follows:

The fact with reference to the President's relation to Senator Lorimer's elections is this: That during the tariff fight gentlemen came to him and expressed their interest in passing the tariff bill; and said that it had been suggested from Illinois that it would be wise for the President to express an opinion in favor of the election of Lorimer. He did not know Mr. Lorimer well, although he knew that he was an influential member of Congress, but he did know Hopkins. He knew very little about Illinois politics, but expressed a desire that there should be two Republican Senators from Illinois, but when asked to put that in the form of a telegram urging the election of Lorimer he declined to do so. The statement by Mr. Hines that the President was anxious for and was urging the election of Lorimer is wholly unfounded.

Taft's Attitude Described.

Aldrich said he had three or four conversations with Hines about the Illinois election, but could not recall on whose initiative these occurred.

"Mr. Hines," continued Mr. Aldrich, "said at the first conversation that in his judgment Hopkins could not be elected, and he asked me what the attitude of the President was. I said the President was desirous of a Republican, and while naturally he was friendly to Hopkins, because of the primary result, and perhaps other reasons, still he did not intend to take any active part in trying to influence the election of Hopkins or any other candidate."

Aldrich testified their next talk on the Illinois situation occurred when Hines came to him with the statement that there seemed to be a possibility of agreeing on Henry S. Boutell, then Representative in Congress from Illinois.

"Later," continued Aldrich, "I reported to Mr. Hines that the President was only anxious to have a Republican elected and that he was satisfied with Boutell's Republicanism."

Lorimer "Not Objectionable."

The next conversation, Aldrich said, was about May 20.

"Mr. Hines told me," said Aldrich, "that it was impossible to agree on Boutell, and that he believed there was a possibility of agreeing on Lorimer. He was anxious to know the attitude of the President toward Mr. Lorimer. Later in the day I told him Mr. Lorimer's candidacy would not be objectionable to the President."

Senator Kenyon asked if the President manifested any disposition in favor of Lorimer's election.

Aldrich said he did not care to go into conversations he had with the President and that his testimony as to what he told Hines explained the President's attitude fully.

"When did you begin to take an active interest in the election of a Senator from Illinois?" continued Kenyon.

"I never took an active part. I was no more interested in that election than I was in the election of other Republican Senators."

"You were the Senate leader, were you not?"

"There were many who did not agree to that," responded Aldrich.

HONOR SHOWN PIONEER

BODY OF JOSHUA BROWN, LONG NEGLECTED, REMOVED.

Man Who Gave Entire Estate to Public School Fund at Last Gets Monument Over Grave.

GOLDENDALE, Wash., July 12.—(Special.)—The body of Joshua Brown was recently removed from its resting place, in the Chamberlain Flat country, to the I. O. O. F. Cemetery of this city, by order of the County Commissioners. Joshua Brown was a pioneer of this county and at his death he bequeathed his entire estate to the Public School Fund.

The estate consisted of stock at the time and was converted into cash by the executor of the will, who was John Burgen, a neighbor at that time. The total amount of the estate was $2741.36 and was placed in a separate fund known as the Joshua Brown School Fund. The money has been loaned on real estate at 7 per cent interest for the past 41 years and has earned the School Fund of the county about $7865. The interest has been distributed each year, but the principal must remain the same for all time to come.

Mr. Brown had no living relatives at the time of his death and the body was buried in the locality where he died.

It was reported to the County Commissioners that the grave had been neglected and the board decided to remove the body. They also purchased a $200 monument for the grave at their last session, which will bear the following epitaph: "In life a wise teacher of Youth; by a beneficent use of his means the Public School Children of Klickitat County are his perpetual debtors." Joshua Brown was born May 25, 1835, and died December 13, 1870.

PUBLICITY MEN TO TOUR

Nehalem Valley Visited by Editorial Committee of Tillamook.

TILLAMOOK, Or., July 20.—(Special.)—The Tillamook County Editorial Association will make a boosting tour of the north end of the county the latter part of this week, when they will be guests of residents of Nehalem and the Nehalem Valley. They will investigate the resources of that part of Tillamook County, with a view to publicity. The party will leave Tillamook Friday in automobiles provided by the Nehalem people and will be gone several days.

Those of the association who will constitute the party are: Fred C. Baker, president, Tillamook Headlight; C. E. Trombley, secretary, Tillamook Herald; Frank Taylor, vice-president, Cloverdale Courier; W. Trombley, Bay City Examiner; H. Effenberger, Nehalem Enterprise. Accompanying the party will be Ed L. Stockton, of Portland, representing the Evening Telegram, and L. A. Fernsworth, of Portland, representing The Oregonian.

SLOT MACHINE IS "EVEN"

Deputy Sheriff Sent to Seize Device Loses 15 Cents in It.

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 20.—(Special.)—Whether a boat operating on Puget Sound has the right to operate money slot machines will be determined in the Justice Court of Olympia Friday, when E. W. Hopkins, owner and captain of the steamer Mixpah, is arraigned on a charge of maintaining a gambling device. The Mixpah, which runs between Olympia and Sheldon, has an old-fashioned money slot machine.

No protest was made until it was found that small boys were in the habit of playing it while the vessel was moored at the dock in Olympia. Finally one irate father swore out a warrant. The machine was captured by the Sheriff and is held as evidence.

It is a "good" machine, for while it was on the dock awaiting the arrival of the express wagon, a newspaper man won 40 cents playing it, while the Deputy Sheriff lost 15 cents.

BRIDGE FUNDS SECURED

Cowlitz and Clark Counties Ready to Build Over Lewis River.

WOODLAND, Wash., July 20.—(Special.)—At the meeting of the County Commissioners of Cowlitz County yesterday the Commissioners made a satisfactory showing to the banks of the county as to their ability to take care of the warrants as they were issued and the Woodland State Bank, Kelso State Bank and the Capital National Bank, of Kelso, and the First National Bank of Kalama agreed to advance the necessary funds to enable the county to make its deposit of $15,000, necessary to insure the erection of the bridge across Lewis River at this point.

The provisions of the bill appropriating one-half of the cost by the state were that Clark and Cowlitz counties should deposit $15,000 each with the State Treasurer before anything could be done and as Clark County and the state are ready with their money, yesterday's work insures early construction.

This bridge will mean much to the whole state, as it will be on the line of the much-talked-of Pacific Highway.

Liberia to Get $2,000,000 Loan.

HAMBURG, July 20.—It is said that the international negotiations regarding Liberia have resulted in a $2,000,000 loan to that republic. Germany will participate in the loan.

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