

CONGRESS HOPES TO QUIT IN JULY

Leaders in Both Houses Advance Business With All Possible Haste.

FALL ELECTIONS IN MIND

Work on Anti-Trust and Tolls as Yet Hardly Begun, Is View, but Plans Go Ahead to Get Away by August 1, Anyway.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—After more than a year of almost continuous work, Congress is getting restless. Leaders in both Houses began an effort today to arrange the legislative programme so that adjournment may be taken early in July.

Majority Leader Underwood, after a conference with President Wilson, announced that in his opinion the House can complete its work on the necessary appropriation bills and the other legislation which the President has insisted upon long before July 1.

The Senate steering committee discussed the possibilities of adjournment. It came to no decision, however, except that no time should be wasted in the committee which will be named by Chairman Kern to confer with House leaders on this subject and on the measures that must be passed before the session ends.

Early Get-away Favored.

Although Senator Kern was hopeful last night that the programme can be completed by July 1, other Democratic leaders were not inclined to share this view, and said that if the Panama Canal tolls bill, the anti-trust bill and the credit bill are to be put through the Senate, adjournment cannot possibly be arranged before August 1. These measures made up the "programme" which Mr. Underwood announced the House could pass in time. Members of all parties in both houses are greatly interested in the outcome of the November elections, however, and Democratic leaders count on Republican support to support any plan which will insure a rapid disposition of business and an early get-away.

In the Senate the fight over the tolls repeal bill can be said hardly to have started. It was the business before the Senate yesterday for little longer than an hour and present indications are that it will not be taken up in earnest with day-long devotion to it exclusively until next week. The most optimistic Senators are predicted a two weeks' debate on this subject alone, and it is possible that the vote will not be taken for three weeks.

Trust Bill Not Reported.

The anti-trust bill has not been reported to the Senate. It has been approved by a sub-committee of the interstate commerce committee, but several hearings are yet to be given to interested parties, and a report is not looked for at least ten days. After its appearance many Senators expect to see a debate of six weeks or two months on its proposed drastic provisions. If these predictions are correct, consideration of these two subjects alone would keep the Senate in session until after July 1.

In the discussion of a cessation of Congressional labors for the summer, the question of adjournment has not been overlooked. The belief of many Democratic leaders in the Senate danger of war is not imminent. If there were a declaration of war, however, when Congress approached the end of its work, a recess could be taken by resolution of both houses until next fall.

Party Conference Talked.

There was some talk yesterday among Democratic Senators of a party conference on the tolls repeal bill. Some leaders are understood to favor a conference of this sort with the hope that thereby the sentiment of a majority of the party in the Senate can be ascertained and made public. Differences in the party could be aired in the conference, an agreement might be secured as to the vote on amendments which have been postponed, and the party might present a more nearly solid front in the Senate.

Senator Simmons, leader of the forces advocating repeal, said last night that he did not believe a conference would be called. The question may be taken up by the steering committee Wednesday.

CONGO UPRISING ALARMING

20 Whites, Including Missionaries, Killed—Troops Beaten Back.

ANTWERP, Belgium, May 5.—Confirmation of a report of a revolt in the Portuguese Congo and the killing of 20 white men, including some Protestant and Catholic missionaries, was received here yesterday. Many other missionaries have fled from the affected district, according to dispatches from Boma, Belgian Congo.

The natives are led by a chief from San Salvador. The Governor of Angola attacked them, but was forced to retreat and the natives captured the march toward the left bank of the Congo, burning all the stations on their way and putting the small garrisons to rout.

Passengers from the Congo yesterday said the situation in the Portuguese colony was desperate and that the revolt would be extremely difficult to suppress. They said the Belgian Congo authorities were rushing troops to the frontier where they left, in order to prevent the natives from crossing into Belgian territory and causing a rising there.

LOGGING CAMPS TO OPEN

Simpson Lumber Company Promises to Increase Force Largely.

NORTH BEND, Or., May 5.—(Special.)—The Simpson Lumber Company today announced the immediate opening of its Tarkenton logging camp and Foreman Pierce is gathering camp and the camp is located two miles southwest of Empire and will employ at first about 25 men.

The camp had been closed down for ten months. L. J. Simpson, manager of the company, announced some time ago that the company would employ twice the number of men now working within the next 12 months.

Laborer Arrested on Theft Charge.

Accused of stealing \$20 and a watch from Clyde Jeffries, a chauffeur, Alexander S. Jones, a laborer, was arrested at Fourth and Madison streets last night by Patrolman McMichael. Jeffries, who says he detected the theft while in Jones' company, is said to have administered a beating to the man. He was arrested for disorderly conduct and later released on \$25 bail.

OREGON POLITICAL GOSSIP

Democratic Party in Oregon Stirred by More "Harmony" in National Committee Row—Four Republican Candidates Nominated by Prohibitionists Fail to Say Whether They Will Bolt Republican Ticket If Defeated at Primary—Open-Air Rally Held at St. Johns—News of the Candidates.

MORE Democratic "harmony" continues to inspire the faithful of that party in Oregon.

Two more notable contributions to brotherly love in the party yesterday were the assertion by F. S. Myers, Portland postmaster, that W. H. Canon, of Medford, candidate for Democratic National committee, is a "reactionary," and that he did not support William Jennings Bryan for President in 1896, and Mr. Canon's rejoinder that Mr. Myers' statements were wholly false.

Mr. Myers is the former private secretary of United States Senator Lane, and Mr. Canon is a warm personal friend and supporter of Senator Chamberlain. Mr. Myers' recent action in persuading H. M. Estery, of Portland, to run for Democratic National committee from Oregon in an effort to defeat Mr. Canon has already caused so much feeling among Chamberlain men that charges of "pernicious political activity" have been filed against Mr. Myers at Washington by George Putnam, editor of the Medford Mail-Tribune.

"Since they seem to want to force me to tell why I am against Mr. Canon," said Mr. Myers yesterday, "I'll tell them. It is because Mr. Canon is a Democrat of the reactionary type, and always has been." He claims to be a convert to the party in 1896.

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Democrats, that with a progressive Democrat like Woodrow Wilson as President, Oregon Democrats should be represented by a progressive Democrat on the National committee. Mr. Estery is a progressive Democrat, and he has been progressive. Mr. Canon is a reactionary.

"George Putnam," added Mr. Myers, of Medford, editor and friend of Senator Chamberlain, who filed the charges against him, "is too recent a convert to the Democrat party to want to dictate what the party shall do. Mr. Putnam supported Mr. Bourns for Senator against Dr. Lane in 1912."

Mr. Myers declared that he is working for Senator Chamberlain's re-election, but denied that he had said, as quoted by an afternoon paper, that he is for Judge Bennett for Governor.

"I did say that if he were elected Judge Bennett would make a very strong Governor," said Mr. Myers. "I haven't said what Democrat I want to see nominated and elected Governor."

At the Imperial Hotel last night Mr. Canon denied with much emphasis Mr. Myers' remarks pertaining to him.

"To say that I bolted Mr. Bryan in 1896 is as ridiculous as it is utterly false," said Mr. Canon. "Mr. Myers should be better informed before he tries to say why I am unfitted for Democratic National committee."

"In 1896 I was United States Senator for the Western District of Wisconsin, having been appointed by President Cleveland. I never was very much of a free silver man, I'll admit, but when Mr. Bryan was nominated, I got in and worked for him from the day of his nomination and did all I could to get him elected. I got a lot of money because he was the choice of the Democratic party."

"As a matter of fact, I did so much for Mr. Bryan that the gold Democrats tried to have me removed from office. That is a matter of record. Mr. Myers' charge is untrue and absurd."

"I have no desire to quarrel with Mr. Myers, but I will not have untruthful statements made about me without answering them."

Mr. Canon, who returned from a campaign trip through Eastern Oregon on Sunday, will leave Portland today for Medford. He will campaign in the Willamette Valley en route home.

The first open-air meeting of the campaign was held in St. Johns by the Lincoln Republican Club Monday night. About 500 persons attended the rally. The enthusiasm was marked.

In his opening remarks, E. L. Amidon, who presided, discussed the candidacy of R. A. Booth for United States Senator. He pointed out the urgency of electing a Republican Senator to look after the state's interests at Washington, and called attention to the small Democratic majority in the Senate.

Dr. Sam C. Sloann, Republican candidate for re-election as Coroner, said that he favored a public morgue owned by the people, and not a public morgue, privately owned and controlled.

Other speakers included Evert L. Jones, in behalf of the candidacy of George M. Brown for Attorney-General; George Stapleton, candidate for Circuit Judge; Arthur Langskuntz, candidate for State Senator; W. H. H. Duff, in behalf of W. A. Carter, candidate for Governor, and R. W. Gill, in his talk, urged the development of Oregon farms rather than the emigration, and discussed the subject of rural credits.

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George C. Brownell, who is seeking the Republican nomination for Governor on a prohibition platform, has hired the Gipsy Smith auditorium for a public meeting at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon, at which Mr. Brownell will speak on the proposed prohibition amendment to the constitution.

A Progressive rally will be held Friday night at the Albina Branch Library, 330 Knott street, near Union avenue. Various Progressive candidates will make addresses.

R. A. Booth, Republican candidate for United States Senator, has nailed a campaign falsehood to the effect that previous to the present campaign he had not favored woman suffrage. In two addresses on Saturday, one before the Oregon Civic League at the Multnomah Hotel, and the other at the Lincoln High School auditorium, he will state that he voted for woman suffrage in 1884, the year it was first submitted to the electorate in Oregon, and had continued to vote for it at each subsequent submission of the question until its adoption.

The four candidates for Republican nomination who were nominated for the same offices at the Prohibition county convention here last week, have not as yet replied to the request of the Lincoln Republican Club that they make clear the matter of their party allegiance in a public statement.

The reason the Lincoln Republican Club made this request was that the Prohibition nomination platform was the understanding that candidates so nominated would run as Prohibitionists in the general election, regardless of the primary result.

The club in its work for party harmony, and united support for the Republican ticket, has obtained the cooperation of most of the candidates for Republican nominations that if defeated in the primary election, they would work for the defeat of their successful nominees. It was felt that candidates who agreed to run for office would be able to carry out their promise, and that the Republican primary would be a fair test of the party and to the other candidates for Republican nomination.

The four Republicans nominated by the Prohibitionists who have not as yet answered the Lincoln Club's query are: D. V. Hart, candidate for County Commissioner; Ernest A. Middlebrook, candidate for County Surveyor; Miss Lida O'Bryon, candidate for District Judge, Department No. 3, and H. C. Kornegay, candidate for the Legislature.

H. A. Darnall, Republican candidate for the Legislature, who was also nominated by the Prohibitionists, declined the nomination on the ground that he could not conscientiously accept it and still run as a Republican candidate.

Ex-Governor T. T. Geer, candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor after addressing the Republican Club at Salem Monday, departed for Ashland. He will campaign all this week in Southern Oregon and the Willamette Valley. He will campaign in Southern Oregon in the last week before the primary.

Important part of the meeting in Governor Ammons' office November 24, between three striking coal miners and three representatives of operators. He entered into the discussion of the form in which Governor Ammons' proposal for the termination of the strike should be made to miners and mine operators, and we believe, approved the proposal.

Governor Ammons stated that he had been led to believe that if he could secure a conference of miners and operators, and acceptance by the operators of such a proposition as he made to us, that recognition of the union could be waived and the strike called off.

Bad Faith Alleged. "He was much surprised and considered it an evidence of bad faith that his proposition was not accepted by the strikers as it was by the operators. We believe that through the influence of Secretary Wilson the strike can be brought to a close."

The message to President Wilson in part follows: "In order that you may be more fully informed with reference to our position respecting the so-called United Mine Workers of America, we deem it proper and timely to advise you as follows:

"We each operate independently of the other and of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company. The aggregate production of our mines is between 60 and 70 per cent of the total amount of coal produced in Colorado. Neither John D. Rockefeller nor John D. Rockefeller, Jr., nor any controlling stockholder, director or officer of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company, has any interest, directly or indirectly, financially or otherwise, in our business. Our position with respect to the United Mine Workers of America is absolutely independent of that which has been or hereafter may be taken either by the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company or by its directors or officers or by Mr. Rockefeller or John D. Rockefeller, Jr., although we heartily endorse the position they are now taking."

"We deplore the unjust attacks upon Mr. Rockefeller. It is neither fair nor just to him nor to us, to place the burden upon or give him sole credit for the position we are maintaining. Independent of any stand he has taken or may take, we must continue to fight

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for the maintenance of fundamental principles of government and law. "In the present issue we are not opposing or waging a war against organized labor as such. We are, however, unalterably of the conviction that we can never recognize, nor have any dealings with the organization purporting to be a labor union and calling itself the United Mine Workers of America."

MAYOR TELLS OF OFFICE MR. ALBEE IS GUEST OF TABOR HEIGHTS ASSOCIATION.

Many Questions Answered, Requests and Promises Made and Problems of New Form of Government Told.

Mayor Albee addressed the Tabor Heights Improvement Association Monday night pertaining to various departments of the city government, principally his own department.

Before the Mayor began his address R. C. Wright, chairman, laid before him some of the needs of the Mount Tabor district, including a more easy entrance to the Mount Tabor Park from the north side and the paving of certain streets. Mr. Wright declared that Superintendent Mische had not given entrance to the park on the north side, as promised.

Mayor Albee made memoranda of the requests, and said he would do what he could to secure the desired improvements.

Mayor Albee reviewed the work of the commission government, which, he said, had been in power for ten months. He pointed out some of the difficulties met in changing from the old to the new form. He paid Chief Clark high tribute for his work.

"The Portland police force has 330 men in uniform and a total of about 500," said the Mayor, "while Seattle has more than 500 policemen. With this number we were able successfully to handle the serious problems here last winter. I have had in mind the establishment of one or more sub-police stations on the East Side, yet the cost of their installation is too great for the present. We have to encounter a great deal of criticism yet through it all, I think it will be admitted that the city's business is done far better and more expeditiously than under the old system."

The Mayor answered many questions

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Morrison at Fourth.

about civil service, the paving problems and the dog-muzzling ordinance, pointing out that these problems are being worked out. He said the paving problem is the greatest, and that it seemed impossible to secure competition.

COMMISSIONER IS NAMED

President Puts Thomas Riggs, Jr., on Alaska Rail Body.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—President Wilson, on recommendation of Secretary Lane, appointed today Thomas Riggs, Jr., as the thirteenth member of the Alaska Railroad Commission.

Riggs is an engineer of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, and was one of the chief engineers of the Alaskan-Canadian boundary. He made a survey extending from the Pacific to the Arctic Ocean.

The entire Commission, consisting of William C. Eades, Lieutenant Frederick Mears and Riggs, within a party of assistants, will leave later this month for Alaska to begin surveys of the routes for the government railroads.

Man Arrested for Drawing Gun.

Charged with drawing a gun on F. Walpole, 375 Taylor street, while trying to learn his wife's whereabouts, William Herman, 47, was arrested by Patrolman Sinnott. Walpole reported

to the police that Herman came to his house and asked for his wife. Walpole says he told him that his wife had gone away. Then, Walpole alleges, Herman drew the gun and threatened to shoot him if he did not tell him where she had gone.

Jaeger Lecture Postponed.

The lecture by E. J. Jaeger, that was to have been given at the Unitarian chapel on Thursday, has been postponed, and notice of the date for this event will be announced later. "Trip to the Orient" will be the subject.

New Jersey has a timbered area of about 2,000,000 acres, on which the timber is worth about \$5,000,000 on the stump.



GARIBALDI—ITALIA'S GREAT PATRIOT

IN the cause of Personal and National Liberty this modern Rientz of sunny Italy would have gladly laid down his life. It inspired him to deeds of immortal grandeur, of superb valor and of boundless suffering. Garibaldi would not have legislative tyranny of any kind enter into his own private life any more than will our millions of liberty-loving Italian citizens. His flaming soul scorned any legislation which would prohibit ALL because ONE man out of thousands imbibes in gluttonous quantities. He knew that the light wines of Italy and the barley brews of Germany are beneficial to humanity.

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