

DESIRE FOR SPEEDS CONGRESS

House to Hold Night Sessions to Rush Through Second Anti-Trust Measure.

SENATE MAY WORK LATE

Effort to Be Made to Adjourn in July and Long Meetings May Be Ordered to End Debate on Tolls Repeal Bill.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—The House of Representatives, in an effort to rush through the second of the Administration's anti-trust measures, will begin night sessions this week.

The Senate is also endeavoring to speed up legislation to insure an adjournment in July, and Majority Leader Kern may order late sessions to end debate on the tolls repeal bill before Friday.

Congress leaders admitted late today, however, that if the Senate undertook to put through anti-trust legislation of a comprehensive nature, adjournment could hardly be taken until late in the fall.

Death Delays Tolls Conclusion. The death of Senator Bradley and the fact that the Senate undoubtedly will adjourn tomorrow out of respect for his memory makes it probably that debate cannot be closed on the tolls repeal bill before late Friday.

Meanwhile the House will take up the second of its anti-trust measures, having put through the trade commission bill without a change. The second bill, drawn by Mr. Clayton, chairman of the judiciary committee, carried provisions dealing with interlocking directorates, holding companies, price-fixing and the issue of labor rights and demands.

Labor Demands Renewed. The American Federation of Labor is insisting on stronger provisions to exempt labor unions from anti-trust prosecution and to liberalize injunction processes and contempt procedure.

The judiciary sub-committee on trusts contends that the labor sections were approved by the labor leaders when drawn. The bill may be acted upon by Saturday.

House leaders are much interested in the President's declaration that he will not be satisfied unless the whole anti-trust program goes through both Houses. Some think the Senate may be counted on to pass the trade commission bill, possibly without amendment, and to go no further at this session, except, possibly, to pass the general dam bill, now privileged to come up any time in the House.

The dam bill, regulating water power on navigable rivers, would empower the Federal Government to make regulations of practices, rates and charges for water power when a state fails to perform that function, and would provide that after 50 years the government may take over any water power project under the bill.

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Investigation, it was stated, revealed that the letters of recommendation which the men had purported to bring from church officials in Syria were bogus and that no one had been authorized to solicit funds in America for it.

W. TRUSDELL DIES, AGED 93. Old People's Home Desires to Know Whereabouts of Children.

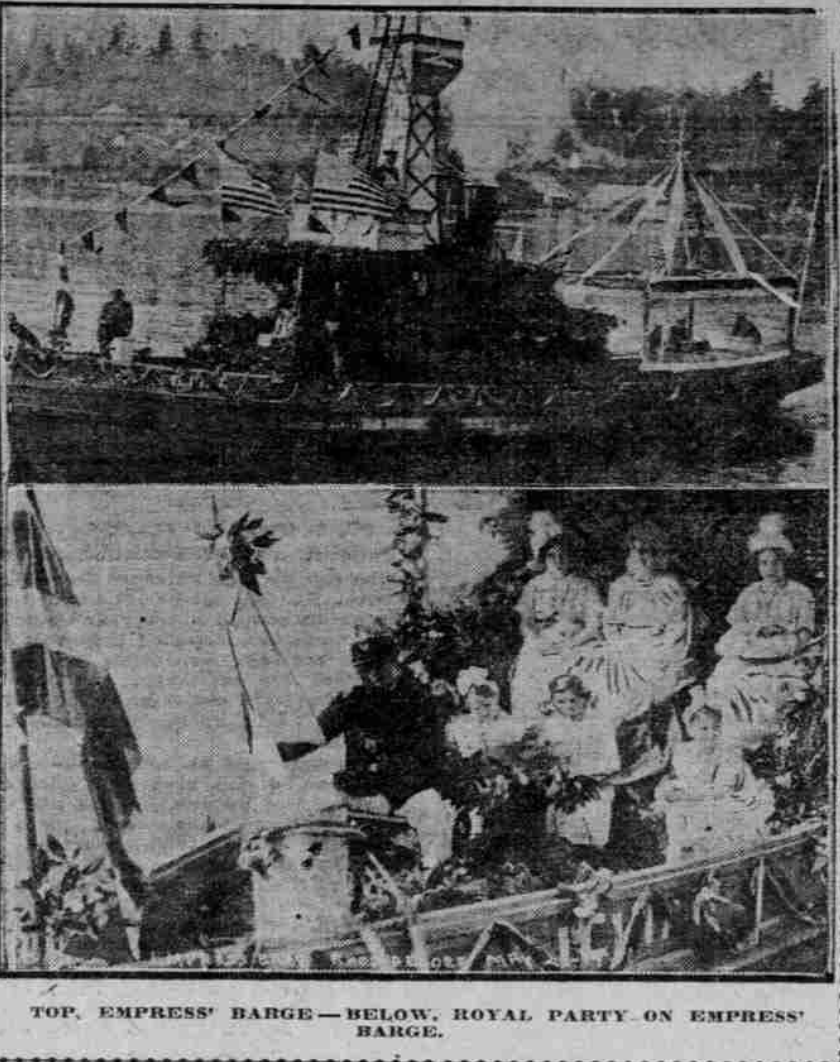
SALEM, Or., May 24.—(Special.)—William Trusdell, 93 years old, died at the Old People's Home in this city today.

Little is known of Mr. Trusdell, excepting that before going to the home two years ago he taught school. The old man was reticent regarding himself, the only information he ever gave out about his family being that he had a son and daughter, but did not know where they lived.

He gave the institution \$500 when he went there to live and asked that he be kept the remainder of his life. The management of the institution is desirous of communicating with the man's children if they can be located.

Knights of Columbus Institute. SALEM, Or., May 24.—(Special.)—With 67 charter members, the Salem Chapter of the Knights of Columbus was instituted today.

SCENES ATTENDING THE RHODODENDRON CARNIVAL AT FLORENCE.



TOP, EMPRESS' BARGE—BELOW, ROYAL PARTY ON EMPRESS' BARGE.

ROYALTY AT FETE

Empress Rhododendra and Her Queens Rule at Carnival.

WATER PARADE A FEATURE

Two-Day Festival Programme at Florence Filled With School Fair and Drills, Music, Plays, Addresses and Sport Games.

FLORENCE, Or., May 24.—(Special.)—Again when the rhododendrons begin to show color, Empress Rhododendra VII, Miss Eleanor Saubert, called the queens of all the provinces together, asking them to meet at Florence to discuss the welfare of her subjects.

The royals gathered at Acme and there was formed the beautiful water parade, with the Empress' barge in the lead under command of Admiral Bergman.

At Florence Queen Mary received the empress and queens of the realm, and conducted them to the royal bower, where Empress Rhododendra was crowned by Judge Guerry, of Coos Bay.

The address of welcome was delivered by the Lord Mayor, represented by Bert Williams, and each province through her prime minister told of her resources and pledged allegiance to Empress Rhododendra.

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RULER OF ALBANIA IN PALACE AGAIN

Attended by Italian Admiral's Staff Prince William Returns for Conference.

ABDICATION IS REPORTED. Fears of Pillage Given as Reason for Hasty Embarkation of New Ruler—Additional Warships Are Expected at Durazzo.

DURAZZO, Albania, May 24.—Prince William of Albania, formerly Prince William of Wied, upon whom the rulership of Albania was conferred by the powers last February, is again in the Palace of Durazzo, guarded by Italian marines.

Outside the city the insurgent supporters of Essad Pasha, former Minister of War, who a few days ago was deported, are threatening the existence of the new regime.

Representatives of the insurgents demand of the constitution that they be allowed to confer with Prince William, who had fled from the town and taken refuge aboard an Italian cruiser.

Prince William, accompanied by the staff of the Italian Admiral, came ashore yesterday, and was followed today by the Princess Sophie, but their children and suite were left aboard the cruiser.

Conditions in Durazzo were quiet today, but preparations have been made for the re-embarkation of the Prince and Princess should danger arise.

ROME, May 24.—According to a dispatch to the Tribune, Prince William of Albania has signed a treaty of abdication. The treaty, however, has not been confirmed, and the exact situation in Albania is obscure.

The Italian Minister at Durazzo, in a message to his government, says an engagement was concluded between the insurgents and gendarmerie, which resulted in the capture of the Dutch officers of the gendarmerie.

He further indicates that Prince William, under compulsion, has signed a document conceding certain of the insurgent demands.

It appears that fears that the insurgents would pillage the city led to the hasty embarkation of the new ruler and his suite, and the removal of the Italian residents to the legation or Italian warships for safety.

It is understood that both Austria and Italy are sending additional warships to Durazzo.

JUNTA MAY BE SUGGESTED. (Continued From First Page.) Huerta government in the establishment of an entirely new government in Mexico City.

Occupation May Be Alternative. They realize that unless their efforts are successful American military occupation of Mexico may be the alternative.

The mediators are of the opinion, it is said, that they may be obliged to admit a representative of the rebels to their side on the matter, but it is unlikely unless Carranza agrees to an armistice.

There was no formal meeting of the delegates today.

FELIX DIAZ PREDICTS PEACE. Method of Settling Land Question in Mexico Suggested.

TORONTO, Ont., May 24.—General Felix Diaz, who is staying in this city, today said he heartily approved of the mediation proceedings at Niagara Falls.

In the event that a new provincial government results from the mediation conference, he said, he would be among the first to swear allegiance to it, for he believed the interest of peace in his country of all times required the subordination of personal desires to the national welfare.

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LA GRANDE, Or., May 24.—(Special.)—Four years of effort to erect a Y. M. C. A. building in this city were today crowned with success, when the cornerstone of a \$30,000 structure was laid in the presence of a large audience.

ROSEBURG, Or., May 23.—(Special.)—Pleading guilty to charges of larceny, Sentence Passed on Three.

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