



SENATOR PENROSE NO LONGER BOSS

Farmer Appears to Be in Saddle Now.

LAWMAKER'S VISION CLEARS

Pennsylvanian Finds Opposition to Tariff Futile.

SUDDEN FLOP EXPLAINED

Rumored Message From Harding Aboard Emergency Measure Also Believed Effective.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU

Washington, Jan. 6.—Uncle Reuben, as the farmer sometimes delights to call himself, came into his own today. He demonstrated that, after all, he is not the political boss, as is supposed. This is the interpretation placed upon the sudden flop of Senator Penrose, reputed boss, on the emergency tariff bill. When Senator Penrose arose from his sick bed and came to Washington a few days ago he felt like the original strong man. He announced that he had come here to defeat the tariff measure framed by the house in the interest of the farmers of the country.

Penrose Illusion Gone.

He came here thinking himself an Aldrich competent to command and to have his word obeyed. Three days, however, satisfied him that the powers which he assumed when the republican party was not in control of the senate were only mythical. If he ever was a boss, as many are prone to admit, he found that all of his power had faded and new leaders had supplanted him.

His statement given out this afternoon announcing that he had yielded ground on the passage of the emergency tariff bill only meant that he had discovered that the farmer's champions were in the saddle. The three senators who are said to have compelled his surrender are Curtis of Kansas, Smoot of Utah and McCumber of North Dakota, all representing states in which the agricultural industry overshadows everything else.

Hardy Delivers Message.

It was also rumored that Senator Penrose changed front after a "little message" was delivered to him today by Will H. Hays, chairman of the republican national committee, who is understood to have been in very recent communication with President-elect Harding. The next president is said to have passed the word out from Marion, O., that to follow the leadership of Senator Penrose in the direction announced two or three days ago would be to break faith with the farmers of the country.

Oregon Case Considered.

Acting upon a telegram received from the Oregon Growers' Co-operative association, with headquarters at Salem, O., a concern which includes most of the fruit-growers in Oregon, asking for financial aid from the revived war finance corporation, Senator McNary took the matter up with David F. Houston, secretary of the treasury.

Senator McNary represented to the secretary of the treasury that the needs of the Oregon Growers' Co-operative association were typical of the needs of every other farmers' organization in the United States. This association, like practically all the others, he said, depended largely upon export trade for a market.

REMEMBER WHAT HAPPENED TO THOSE WHO DID NOT HEED NOAH'S ADVICE.

LEGISLATORS MAP OUT SESSION WORK

One-Third of Total Membership in Portland.

ALIGNMENTS BEING MADE

Pre-Opening Confabs Settle Many Vital Questions.

LEADERSHIP RUSH MISSED

Contrary to Usual Situation, Big Jobs in Both Houses Have Been Tucked Away Long Ago.

ONE-THIRD OF THE MEMBERSHIP

of the 1921 session of the Oregon legislature was in Portland yesterday afternoon. Late night trains swelled the town to form a majority of the joint houses, and tomorrow practically all members will be here. In the Williamette valley districts who will be trekking to Salem direct from home.

Much to Be Considered.

There is so much to be considered and discussed that the alert lawmaker realizes that he will be more or less handicapped at Salem unless he gets on the job early and mixes assiduously with his colleagues before the clerk starts the rollcall in the senate and house.

An unusual situation presents itself in this pending session. For years there has been a sharp organic and sharp trading for support for contending aspirants for president of the senate and speaker of the house. No such scramble marks the 1921 session. All that is settled. Months ago Roy W. Ritner of Yamhill county had gathered sufficient pledges to assure him election as president. Louis E. Bean of Lane county was

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COOLIDGE STEPS OUT; C. H. COX IS GOVERNOR

TRANSITION TO CITIZEN IS ACCOMPLISHED SIMPLY.

RETIRED MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE

GOES TO FAMILY FIRESIDE AT NORTHAMPTON FOR REST.

BOSTON, Jan. 6.—Calvin Coolidge was a plain citizen tonight the first time in years. He went to the family fireside at Northampton for a rest from affairs of state before becoming vice-president.

MRS. GORDON NOW CITIZEN

Rights of California Woman, Lost by Marriage, Restored.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 6.—Mrs. Ethel Mackenzie Gordon, wife of Mackenzie Gordon, singer, recovered her citizenship rights here today after having lost them through her marriage to Gordon, then a British subject, and having failed in an appeal to the United States supreme court to have them restored.

SHOE SPECIAL, \$100 PAIR

Latest in Footgear Might Seem High, but Value Is There.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Jan. 6.—Two pairs of shoes designed to retail for \$100 a pair, and said to be the most expensive ever made in this state, were exhibited at a factory here today.

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ADMIRAL'S RUSSIAN KIDDIES JUBILANT

MCCULLY EQUALLY HAPPY OVER WARDS' RELEASE.

MAN'S LOVE FOR CHILD TRANSCENDS

ALL HUMAN LAWS, SAYS BACHELOR OFFICER.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The seven Russian children brought to the United States by Rear-Admiral McCully and denied admittance today were released on orders from the department of labor.

APPEAL OF O'CALLAGHAN MAY BE UPHeld, REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Conflict between the departments of state and labor was foreshadowed today over the appeal of O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork, apprehended by immigration authorities on his arrival at Newport News from Ireland as a stowaway without a passport.

STREET SUICIDE SCENE

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CAPITAL NEAR ROW OVER IRISH MAYOR

LABOR DEPARTMENT FREES STOWAWAY FROM CORK.

STATE BRANCH IS IGNORED

Appeal of O'Callaghan May Be Upheld, Report.

TRIP MAY BE SUCCESS

Testimony Likely to Be Heard on Alleged British Outrages Before Action Is Decided Upon.

APPEAL MAY BE UPHeld.

Secretary Wilson, it is understood, has virtually decided to uphold the appeal of O'Callaghan to the department of labor from the decision of the board of inquiry at Newport News excluding the lord mayor, although the case has not been brought formally to his attention, and no decision will be announced by him until the record has been received from immigration officials.

PASSPORT LAWS AFFECTED.

Acting on the impression that the case already had been referred to the state department, Secretary Davis today took it upon himself to indicate that the policy of the department probably would be against waiving passport restrictions. Secretary Davis said the lord mayor could scarcely be considered a political refugee when a fellow official of the so-called Irish government, Eamonn de Valera, was reported to have returned to Ireland, and he stated further that to waive passport restrictions would serve only to nullify the passport laws.

IRISH OUTRAGES PROTESTED

Envoy to America Sends Letters to All Other Representatives.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Protest against certain alleged unlawful acts of the British military in Ireland was made in a letter addressed today to all foreign representatives in the United States by Patrick McCartan, "Irish envoy to the United States."

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The letter was made public by McCartan through Harry Boland, secretary to Eamonn de Valera. In the protest, he calls attention to a statement said to have been issued by British military authorities in Ireland "ordering destruction of certain residences in the neighborhood of an ambush on police."

CORK MAYOR TO TESTIFY

Committee Investigating Alleged Outrages Sets Date.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Jan. 6.—Upon notice of parole, Daniel J. O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork, who has been in custody of the immigration authorities here since his arrival from an Irish port, left today for Norfolk. He was accompanied by Peter MacSwiney and by J. L. Faucett of New

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BANK SURVIVES RUN IN TOBACCO PANIC

GRAND JURY AT LEXINGTON BEGINS INVESTIGATION.

COUNTY MASS MEETINGS OF GROWERS

Who Refused to Sell on Low Market Are Called.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 6.—A four-hour run on a local bank, together with the starting of a grand jury investigation of rumors that caused the run, and news that Governor Morrow has under consideration conferences to bring about the settlement of the tobacco situation, were the chief developments in the central Kentucky tobacco district today.

RECEIVER FOR BOND HOUSE DECLARES

Expense of Auditing Books Is Comparatively Small.

Interest in the Etheridge case today will center in federal court, where Fred S. Morris, sponsor in Portland of the accused ex-president of Morris Bros. Inc., will face examination before United States Commissioner Fraser on a criminal complaint charging him with fraud in assisting Etheridge to procure final papers in American citizenship.

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Commissioner to Quiz Etheridge's Sponsor.

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United States Attorney to Handle Prosecution.

CREDITORS MEET TONIGHT

Receiver for Bond House Declares Expense of Auditing Books Is Comparatively Small.

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United States Attorney Humphreys, who will take personal charge of this prosecution, announced yesterday that he was prepared to delve thoroughly into the relations between Etheridge and Morris, and the reasons why Morris evaded answering questions concerning Etheridge's past life when, under his own admission, he knew that Etheridge had served two terms in the New Jersey state prison.

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CREDITORS' CLAIM URGED.

The petition further alleges that if these bonds are not held in Portland the creditors will be deprived of the opportunity of realizing the profit, which might be expected from sale of the bonds. This profit, which is estimated at \$148,000, belongs to the creditors of the firm, if the bonds can be sold, it is claimed in the petition.

CREDITORS TO MEET.

Matters of high importance to all creditors will be discussed at the mass meeting of interim certificate holders and other creditors at the public library tonight at 8 o'clock, according to announcement yesterday by Dr. J. D. Duback, chairman of the creditors' general committee. This committee is now making an investigation of reported efforts on the part of loan agents to purchase at a heavy discount these interim certificates issued by the bond house.

MORRIS TO HAVE HEARING.

The preliminary hearing for Morris will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon. He is charged with having fraudulently aided Etheridge to procure final citizenship papers, knowing at the time that Etheridge was not eligible for citizenship. Federal naturalization officials have brought to the surface naturalization records which show plainly that Morris knowingly evaded giving answers which, had they been given correctly, would have prevented Etheridge from becoming an American citizen.

STEPS ARE NOW BEING TAKEN

by United States Attorney Humphreys to have the citizenship papers granted to Etheridge revoked and, if this is done, the immigration authorities will

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