

TREATY OPPONENTS TO SHORTEN FIGHT

Agreement to Limit Debate Reached by Senate.

FINAL VOTE MARCH 24

Senator Johnson Withdraws Reservation After Conference With President Harding.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—Opponents of the four-power Pacific treaty in the senate today abandoned all plans for a prolonged fight against ratification and accepted a unanimous consent agreement to limit debate and to take a final vote on Friday, March 24.

The agreement, which was hailed by administration leaders as a certain indication that ratification is assured, was proposed on the senate floor after a series of conferences among the various senate elements and was accepted virtually without debate. It provides that no further reservations or amendments shall be voted on until next Tuesday, that speeches on the treaty shall be limited to one hour and those on reservations to 30 minutes each beginning on Wednesday, and that final vote shall be taken without debate as soon as the senate convenes on the following Friday.

Amendments Refused.

Negotiations to end the ratification fight began after the senate had refused for the third time to amend the treaty so that outside powers would be called into consultation when any Pacific controversy touches their interests. An amendment for that purpose, in a form differing slightly from the two others, was presented by Senator Pittman, democrat, Nevada, and was defeated 25 to 50, with the division of strength virtually coinciding with party lines. Little running debate developed over the amendment or the treaty generally, although late in the day Senator Spencer, republican, Missouri, a treaty supporter, stirred up a cross fire of discussion by assailing the "alliance" reservation of the foreign relations committee. He declared the treaty did create "an alliance for conference" and that the reservation constituted a "ridiculous absurdity." In the course of the day ratification was urged by Senator Ransdell, democrat, Louisiana. A charge of "propaganda" in favor of the treaty was made by Senator Pittman and an attack on "Irish-American influences against the four-power pact" was made by Senator Williams, democrat, Mississippi.

Reservations Are Offered.

Meantime also two new reservations and one more amendment were offered for later consideration. One of the reservations was put in by Senator Johnson, republican, California, and embodied the language of the reservation which had been presented by Brandegee, republican, Connecticut, in the foreign relations committee, but abandoned by him after a conference with President Harding. The other reservation, by Senator Shields, democrat, Tennessee, and would declare the treaty meant no interference in foreign quarrels. The amendment, offered by Senator Robinson, democrat, Arkansas, would pledge the four powers against secret treaties or understandings.

It was Senator Brandegee who laid the unanimous consent agreement before the senate.

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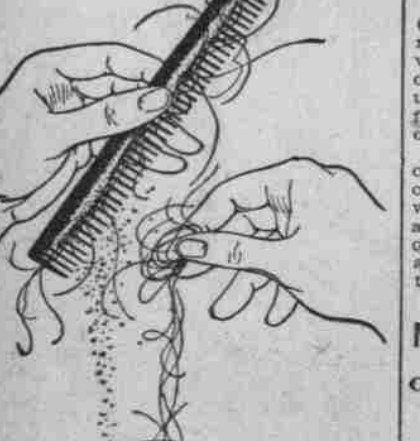
The opposition leaders would not discuss what bearing the agreement might have on their campaign of defeating ratification, but conceded privately that they saw little to be gained by delaying a vote. This admission in itself was accepted by those in charge of the treaty as virtually meaning the collapse of any real effort to beat the pact for which enough pledged votes are claimed to insure ratification.

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were defeated yesterday. Three republicans, Borah, Idaho; Johnson, California, and Francis, Maryland, supported it, while three democrats, Pomeroy, Ohio; Ransdell, Louisiana, and Williams, Mississippi, voted in opposition. Senator La Follette, republican, Wisconsin, who supported yesterday's amendments, and Senator Underwood, democrat, Alabama, who opposed them, were absent when today's rollcall was taken.

Brandegee Reservation Quoted.

As offered by Senator Johnson the Brandegee reservation says: "The United States understands that it assumes no obligation, either legal or moral, to maintain the rights in relation to insular possessions or insular dominions of any other high contracting parties; and that the consent of the congress of the United States shall be necessary to any adjustment or understanding under articles 1 or 2 by which the United States is to be bound in any way and that there is no obligation, either legal or moral, to give such consent."

A reservation presented by Senator Shields, democrat, Tennessee, follows:

"The United States gives its consent to the foregoing treaty and becomes a member thereof for the sole purpose of aiding by its friendly offices and efforts in removing friction and controversy between the several high contracting parties concerning their insular dominions and possessions in the Pacific ocean in the regions described and without purpose to depart from the traditional American foreign policy, which is participation by the United States in the settlement of political questions and contentions of foreign nations and governments."

Senator Robinson's amendment follows: "The United States understands that each of the high contracting parties will refrain from entering into any secret treaty, agreement or understanding with any other power or powers during the life of this treaty."

Irish Propaganda Charged.

Renewing his charge that an "Irish-American propaganda" is at work to defeat the treaty, Senator Williams, democrat, Mississippi, read to the senate what he said was "one of the many vilifying utterances" being broadcast by the friends of Irish freedom. The circular denounced the treaty as "an un-American alliance." "My God, Mr. President," shouted the Mississippi senator, "one of my countrymen lay in a British prison for six months before he could be exchanged; another lies buried at Kings Mountain, where he fell and yet, these new born, hyphenated Americans come up and tell me what is American and what is un-American. Un-American? What they mean is un-American if they might as well be plain about it."

Senator Williams said he spoke to a body of his countrymen here, charged with bringing in the Irish-American question. This he denied, asserting that Irish-American interests had broached the question.

OLD PROPERTY OFFERED

STATE ASKED TO LEND CASH ON RUN-DOWN SECURITY.

Veterans Are Warned That They Must Take More Interest in Collateral Presented.

SALEM, Or., March 15.—Unless applicants for loans under the so-called soldiers' bonus act advance more pride in the appearance of property offered as collateral, there is a strong possibility that the amounts sought will be reduced materially by the appraisers. This was the announcement made by Captain Harry Brumbaugh, secretary of the world war veterans' state aid commission, at the close of a meeting of the body here tonight.

Many of the appraisers' reports received at the commission's headquarters show that the property upon which loans are sought has had little attention for several years and the improvements are badly dilapidated. In one case Captain Brumbaugh said the house offered as collateral had not been painted for 22 years.

The commission today passed upon \$65 claims for cash bonus, together with 25 applications for loans aggregating \$60,000.

To obtain reliable advice in property appraisals and loans the commission announced that it had called into service two expert appraisers from well-known Portland financial institutions.

Another batch of cash bonus checks will be mailed to the veterans this week. These checks will aggregate several hundred thousand dollars and will go into every county in Oregon.

FRANK S. AKIN IS FETED

150 Friends Felicitate Pioneer on Eighteenth Birthday.

About 150 friends felicitated Frank S. Akin on his 80th birthday at an intimate affair given for him last night at his home, 8 East Seventeenth street. The reception was arranged for Mr. Akin by his grown children and besides himself there were in the receiving line: Dr. and Mrs. Charles C. Petheram, Dr. and Mrs. Otis F. Akin and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Drake and Mr. and Mrs. Russell K. Akin.

In addition to being Mr. Akin's birthday it was also the 81st anniversary of the settlement in Portland to the late Mrs. Akin.

Mr. Akin has been a resident of Portland for 62 years and has been one of the pioneers who with his associates in the early days of the city called during the evening.

CO-OPERATION IS URGED

"Farmer" Smith Advocates Amity Between Rural and City Men.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—C. L. "Farmer" Smith, who was the chief speaker at a chamber of commerce luncheon today and urged mutual helpfulness between farmers and city dwellers in settling economic problems.

Common interest demands, he said, co-operation and friendship. He criticized individuals on the one side who belittle the farmers' usefulness, and "professional agitators" on the other who hold that the merchants and manufacturers' interests are antagonistic to the farmers.

MR. GILL OF DUFUR FILES

Candidacy for Representative From Twelfth District Sought.

SALEM, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—Frank M. Gill of Dufur has filed with the secretary of state his candidacy for the republican nomination for state representative from the 12th district. The district comprises Wasco county.

"Reduce taxes, reduce commission, improve road and school legislation, economy and efficiency," is the slogan adopted by Mr. Gill.

ELECTION IN MAINE MAY BE INDICATION

Monday's Event Expected to Involve Dinner-Pail.

LEAD MAY BE REDUCED

Industrial Conditions, Especially Wage Reductions, Likely to Be Reflected in Votes.

BY MARK SULLIVAN.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—(Special.)—Those who follow the signs of the times in a political sense will take some interest in an isolated election for a representative in congress to be held in the third district of Maine next Monday.

It is the first vacancy to be filled by an election this year, and party managers, as well as all who take more than passing interest in politics, will watch it to get such light as they may on the trend of the country with regard to the general congressional elections later on in the year.

Normally the third Maine district is heavily republican. It was carried by Harding by 25,000 to 15,000, and the democrats can't hope to elect their candidate on Monday. But they do hope to cut this majority of 10,000 down to something below 12,000, and if they achieve this they will show considerable pride and confident anticipation as to next November.

Trend Is Toward Democrats.

There is an undeniable trend toward the democrats in Maine. An election for mayor of the city of Saco, held early this month, was carried by the democrats for the first time in ten years. Some persons in Washington who were eager to know the reason, as a basis for possible deductions about the state of political feeling throughout the country, were told that the chief reason was that the cotton mill operatives of that city suffered two cuts in wages, one in December and one in February, aggregating more than 40 per cent.

Idealists may deplore this as a basis of political action, but persons versed in politics will take it as giving some ground for the theory that the national contest this year is going to be a dinner-pail election, with democratic gains marked by a showing wholly out of the line all such matters as the four-power treaty and every other variety of international issue.

Farmers Are Better Off.

In this connection it is clear that while business conditions are getting worse in the industrial parts of the country, they are improved markedly in those farming communities of the middle west where are the republican stronghold. The farmers are reported as being much more comfortable, and it is said that discontent with the party in power, which was severe a few months ago, has measurably died down.

If this is true, it is measurably due to the farm bloc. There is much evidence that President Harding does approve of the farm bloc, but it is undeniable that if the republican senators and representatives from the middle west had not joined the farm bloc and put through their measures for relieving and placating the farmer, there would have been wholesale defections from the republican party in that section this year.

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The official returns by precincts were: M'Waukie Heights, 122 Yes, 3 No; Oak Grove One, 83 Yes, 3 No; Oak Grove Two, 168 Yes, 7 No; Jennings Lodge, 146 Yes, 34 No; Concord, 74 Yes, 7 No.

Under the law strict privacy will govern the activities of the counting boards, and no information will be given out with relation to the standing of candidates until the count is complete. Failure to comply with the law may result in the arrest and prosecution of the judges and clerks entrusted to count the ballots.

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Confusion at Elections to Be Relieved.

NEW LAW IS IN EFFECT

Group Consisting of Two Judges and Three Clerks to Speed Up Tabulation of Results.

SALEM, Or., March 15.—(Special.)

—Approximately 300 out of a total of 1229 voting precincts in Oregon will be provided with so-called counting boards at the primary election to be held May 19. This was announced today by Sam A. Kozak, secretary of state, following receipt of reports from the various county courts of the state.

The law providing for counting boards was enacted at the 1921 session of the legislature, at the instigation of Colonel Mercer of Lane county, chairman of the senate.

The so-called counting board will consist of two judges and three clerks, and may be appointed by the county court for service in any voting precinct in which were cast 100 or more votes at the last general election, or in which the county court believes that many ballots will be cast at the next general election. Appointment of the second board is in the discretion of the county court and is not compulsory.

Regulations Are Provided.

The counting board shall occupy a room separate from that of the receiving board and shall enter upon its duties at 10 o'clock in the morning, formally opened. The count shall continue uninterrupted until the tabulation is completed and the results of the election are ready for posting. In case the second board does not complete the count of the votes by 3 o'clock in the morning following the day of the election then the receiving board shall reconvene and continue the count.

Officials who have been in close touch with past elections in Oregon expressed the opinion that the appointment of counting boards will greatly relieve the confusion attending political contests in Oregon, and in only a few precincts will the count proceed far into the night following the day of the election. In most of the precincts the results should be ready for announcement within two hours after the last ballot is received and recorded. In some previous elections the count has proceeded for two or three days.

Multnomah Gets 416 Boards.

Multnomah county, with a total of 426 voting precincts will have 416 counting boards in service at the primary election this year. In Marion county, which polls the second heaviest vote of any county in the state, 49 of the 74 election precincts will have counting boards.

The following summary shows the number of voting precincts in each county, together with the number of counting boards that have been appointed for service at the primary election.

Table with 3 columns: Precincts, Boards, and County. Rows include Baker, Benton, Clatsop, Columbia, Coos, Curry, Douglas, Gilliam, Grant, Harney, Joseph, Jackson, Jefferson, Josephine, Klamath, Lake, Lincoln, Linn, Marion, Multnomah, Polk, Wasco, Wheeler, Yamhill, and Yonkers.

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FATTY JURY IS ACCEPTED

PROSECUTION WOULD TAKE PANEL AS IT STANDS.

THREE WOMEN PASSED—FINAL SELECTION HELD UP BY DEFENSE AND ONE MAN EXCUSED.

SALEMAN, Or., March 15.—Attorneys for the state announced late today that they accepted the jury, as it then stood, for the third trial of Roscoe C. (Fatty) Arbuckle, film comedian, on a manslaughter charge in connection with the death of Miss Virginia Rappe, film actress. The jury contained three women.

Final selection of the jury was held up after a council after a few minutes' deliberation, when they excused one of the nine men on the jury. Another man was called to be examined for the last place.

The session concluded with one juror yet to be chosen. The state had excused one temporary challenge and the defense two.

Selections of the ladies in both the first and second Arbuckle trials took place on the conclusion of the fourth court session in the present trial saw the jury lacking but one man for completion. It was expected tonight that the jury would be completed early tomorrow and the taking of testimony started. It is expected that the two alternate jurors would be chosen.

ESSAY PRIZE IS OFFERED

University of Oregon Students to Enter Contest.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, March 15.—(Special.)—Sigma Delta Chi has offered a \$100 prize for the best essay on some co-operative enterprise, according to an announcement made here.

Several university students are considering taking up this work. Eric W. Johnson, a student of journalism, has announced that one of the best examples of a co-operative enterprise in the United States was in Eugene. Frank B. Stockbridge, through the Chicago alumni, Sigma Delta Chi chapter, first announced the prize. The number of counties which enter the contest is large enough, classes will meet and hear the organizers of local co-operative enterprises.

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