

MODIFIED HARBOR BILLS AGREED ON

Mouth of Columbia Gets \$1,000,000 Cash; Contract for \$1,500,000 Additional.

"PORK" IMPERILS MEASURE

Opponents Will Continue Fight on Ground Unworthy Projects Have Not Been Eliminated—Burton Issues Statement.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash.

Washington, Sept. 12.—The modified river and harbor bill, as agreed on today by the Senate commerce committee, carries a cash appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the mouth of the Columbia River and a continuing contract authorization of \$1,500,000 additional.

The bill, if passed in its present form, there will be ample funds for work on the north jetty until the end of the fiscal year, and it is expected that the river and harbor bill to be presented next session will increase the continuing contract authorization to the full amount necessary to complete the project.

Committee Retains "Pork." There is still serious question about the passage of the modified bill, since practically all the items made were in continuing contract authorizations. Such authorizations are not in the nature of appropriations, for the amounts so authorized in the pending bill will not be appropriated until the sundry civil bill is framed and passed next winter.

More than \$300,000 has been eliminated from the original river and harbor bill, and that is the extent of the change, though apparently there has been a saving of \$19,000,000. Moreover, the committee in redrafting the bill retained every pork-barrel item to which objection has been raised, and in some instances these items were not even mentioned.

Baron to Continue Fight. Senator Burton, therefore, will continue his fight on the bill, and those who have stood with him thus far will continue their fight as long as possible. Opponents of the measure assert they will be able to defeat the modified bill and that they will do so unless the graft items are taken out entirely. This position the committee has flatly declined to do.

"The reductions made," said Senator Burton in a formal statement today, "do not diminish by more than a few hundreds of thousands the ultimate expense of pending river and harbor improvement. What the opponents of the bill object to is the extent of the sums the Cumberland River above Nashville, the ultimate expense of which will be \$4,500,000. A proposed system of locks in the Tennessee, which will cost \$100,000,000, still remains in the bill. Again, the Sacramento and Feather rivers, a reclamation project which does not belong in the river and harbor bill, is not changed. On this subject the bill contemplates the expenditure of \$3,850,000. As an illustration of the extent of the measure, the project in Boston harbor intended to make it easy and safe for deep-draft boats to enter, and an authorization of \$1,000,000 for Philadelphia, are included while the Brazos, the Trinity, the Red and the Ouachita rivers, though provision is reduced, still remain. A large number of inconsequential creeks and streams on the Atlantic Coast and elsewhere still occupy a prominent place. Under these circumstances the opponents of the bill feel compelled to continue their opposition, with a view to obtaining the elimination of glaringly objectionable items."

DOLLAR STRONG FOR JETTY

Shipowner Telegraphs and Writes to Down Report He Is Opponent.

Robert Dollar, president of the Robert Dollar Steamship Company, who is reported by Senator Burton, of Ohio, to have said Jetty work at the mouth of the Columbia River was secondary to dredging, has telegraphed to Senator Burton correcting the impression and asking the Ohio senator to lead his support to the rivers and harbors bill section, providing for Columbia River jetty improvements on a continuing contract basis. The telegram was sent from San Francisco, and Mr. Dollar emphatically advised Senator Burton he was a strong supporter of the measure.

8 STEFANSSON MEN DIE

ONLY EIGHT BELIEVED TO HAVE REACHED WRANGELL ISLAND.

Report of Deaths Is Said to Come From Revenue Cutter Bear Now on Rescue Trip.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 12.—The Post-Intelligencer publishes a report today that eight members of the Stefansson Polar expedition perished in the Arctic after the wreck of the steamer Karluk and that only eight survivors reached Wrangell Island. A number of vessels are now endeavoring to rescue survivors of the wreck and it has been believed there are 23 men on Wrangell Island. The report published today, it is said, was sent to Nome, Alaska, by wireless from the United States revenue cutter Bear, one of the boats engaged in attempting the rescue of the men on Wrangell Island.

JOURNAL CUPOLA AFIRE

Blaze 200 Feet From Street Fought From Extension Ladders.

Fire was discovered at 2:15 this morning in the dome of the Journal building at Broadway and Taylor street. The blaze evidently had been burning some time before it was discovered. The fire department responded to a call and ladders were shot up to the cupola, nearly 200 feet above the street. Firemen were sent up the ladder with hose, and others climbed from the elevator shaft through the dome. The blaze was extinguished, and the damage, it was said, is slight.

Civil Service Examination Set.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that a forest and field clerk examination will be held in Seattle, October 17, 1914. Persons 18 years old or over who desire to enter the examination should apply to the local secretary of the Board of Civil Service Examiners, at the Postoffice in this city, or to the secretary of the Eleventh Civil Service District, 267 Postoffice building, Seattle, Wash., for an application blank (form 1271), a copy of the announcement (No. 184), and "information for applicants."

Austrians Reported in Panic.

ROME (via Paris), Sept. 12.—News from the Austrian frontier says that the Austrian army in Galicia is demoralized and that the efforts of the officers to restore confidence are in vain. It is added that the Austrian soldiers are in a panic and are fleeing for safety.

12—(Special.)—President Penney of the 1917 class has begun preparations for the first formal dance of the season by announcing his committee. Mr. Penney is registered from Colville, Wash. Among other northern students on the committee is Dorothy Epping of Hood River, Or.

FREIGHT TAX IS TO WAIT

House Democrats Demand Wilson's Open Approval.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—House Democrats want President Wilson approve opening the proposed 3 per cent tax on freight bills before a war revenue bill carrying that provision is introduced. That the force of his approval is necessary was agreed on today by Administration leaders. Chairman Underwood, of the House committee preparing the measure, decided today to hold up the bill until the President's return from New Hampshire next week, after he and other Democrats had conferred with Secretary McAdoo and Postmaster-General Burleson.

PROMINENT PASTOR TO LECTURE AT Y. M. C. A.

Rev. Edwin L. House, formerly pastor of the First Congregational Church, will lecture at 3:15 o'clock today in the auditorium at the Y. M. C. A., on "The Power of the Mind." Mr. House resigned his pastorate several years ago to go on the lecture platform. Since that time he has traveled to most of the larger churches in the West. He has just arrived in Portland from California.



Some Southern and Western members still insist that the subject is one for a caucus, and the bill is introduced bearing the President's approval. Those who oppose the freight tax insist the party should have hurriedly passed the measure. Mr. House indirectly affects the price of necessities, particularly food products. They will urge increase of 50 cents a barrel on beer, 10 cents a gallon on wine, and an undecided tax on cigarettes. In addition it is proposed to renew the effort to raise the income tax one-half of 1 per cent without altering the exemption figures. The previous proposal, which was disapproved by President Wilson, would have reduced the figure for taxable incomes from \$2000 to \$2000. An automobile tax also will be urged and an inheritance tax of 5 per cent. From these sources, it is estimated, an annual increase in revenue of \$105,000,000 will be forthcoming.

CARRANZA DENIES ALARMING REPORTS

First Chief Says Peace and Harmony Prevail Throughout Republic.

VERA CRUZ NOT CLOSED

Affairs in Capital Declared to Have Been Mere Brawl Between Soldiers and Raiders Under Control.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—Rafael Zubarán of the Mexican constitutionalist agency here announced tonight the receipt of the following message on conditions in Mexico from Venustiano Carranza, first chief of the constitutional forces. "The alarming reports that you have brought to my attention as circulating in the United States as Mexican news have no foundation. For example, the report that several policemen were shot in Mexico City is absolutely untrue. What actually occurred was a scuffle between the police and a number of Constitutional troops, who were carousing. The affair was handled without difficulty and no further consequence has ever attended it."

No Federal Officers Shot.

"Not a single federal officer has been shot. On the contrary, the greater majority of them are enjoying the fullest liberty consonant with existing conditions. The decree revoking the order promulgated by the Governor of the Federal district and its military commandant in regard to the occupation of private property and the formalities requisite for entry does not mean that we intend to wrest from the people their personal property rights. The action was taken simply as a temporary measure to prevent the activities of troublemakers and revolution brewers from using the immunities for their own personal ends and the detriment of the government."

Whole Villages Blotted Out by Floods in China.

"Peace and the best of harmony now prevail throughout the zone controlled by the constitutionalists, which virtually covers the entire republic. Little friction has attended the mustering out of the federal army. The last step in this plan occurred recently in the Isthmus of Tehuantepec and the States of Tabasco, Chiapas and Campeche, with the result to date that the States of Vera Cruz have been peacefully dispersed. It is not true that the port of Vera Cruz has been closed. Peace and the best of harmony now prevail throughout the zone controlled by the constitutionalists, which virtually covers the entire republic. Little friction has attended the mustering out of the federal army. The last step in this plan occurred recently in the Isthmus of Tehuantepec and the States of Tabasco, Chiapas and Campeche, with the result to date that the States of Vera Cruz have been peacefully dispersed. It is not true that the port of Vera Cruz has been closed."

Millions in Need

foreign companies were doing business here and only five of them had complied with the law. ENGINE CRUSHES WORKMAN Thumb, Caught in Drum, Drags Fireman, in Camp, to His Death.

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WARDEN DYNAMITES DAM

Refusal to Provide Fish Ladder, Officials' Reason for Action.

EMPLOYES TO FIGHT CUT

City Workers Will Oppose Proposed Vacation Ordinance.

The proposed ordinance to cut the vacation periods of city employees and to force them either to work on certain of the country-wide legal holidays or lose their pay for that day, promises to be the cause of a lively fuss before the City Commission at its regular meeting Wednesday. The measure has been presented by Commissioner Brewster, and is being bitterly opposed by employees all through the city service.

Stomach Troubles Due to Acidity

SO SAYS EMINENT SPECIALIST. So-called stomach troubles, such as indigestion, wind and stomach-ache, are in probably nine cases out of ten simply evidence of acidity of the stomach, causing the formation of gas and distention. Wind distends the stomach and causes that full oppressive feeling sometimes known as heartburn, which the acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach. The trouble lies entirely in the stomach.

Allen Booksellers Reported.

SALEM, Or., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Corporation Commissioner Watson has asked District Attorney Evans to investigate foreign companies dealing in text books, who are doing business in Oregon without compliance with 12 corporation laws. Mr. Watson said 12

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straight drive, when you step into our store and put up to us the question of giving you the best clothes-value you ever had for the money.

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SUFFERING IS APPALLING

People Who Have Lost Their All, Helpless While Water Stands Over Fields Too Long to Make Second Planting Possible.

ASHLAND, Or., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Ashland Minister Resigns. Rev. W. A. Schwimley, pastor of the Congregational Church in this city, has resigned, and has asked to be relieved from the pastorate here on or before

October 1. He will locate in Central California, having received a call to the First Congregational Church of Losi, south of Sacramento. Mr. Schwimley came to Ashland four years ago from Northwestern Iowa, where he was in charge of a church at Sibley.

into a whisky flask, but made his escape.

**BIG NAMES ON PRISONERS**  
Grover Cleveland Bilyeu Indicted at Albany as Garfield.

ALBANY, Or., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Bearing the name of one president of the United States and indicted under the name of another, G. C. Bilyeu, of Albany, stood before the bar of justice in the State Circuit Court here this morning charged with violating the local option law. His real name is Grover Cleveland Bilyeu, but he has been called "Gar" for so many years that he was indicted as Garfield Bilyeu. It being supposed that his given name was Garfield, his true name was substituted in the indictment when he was arraigned this morning before Judge Kelly. Bilyeu pleaded not guilty. He was indicted by the grand jury for selling a bottle of beer to G. F. Newland, a Shee'd farmer, whose recent visit to Albany resulted in wholesale indictments by the grand jury for illicit liquor sales in this city. Bilyeu was unable to furnish bonds of \$750 and is held in the county jail

**ROBBERS DRUG VICTIMS**  
Four Cases Reported Near Marshfield Without Any Arrests.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Although four robberies have occurred in this vicinity on consecutive nights, none of the robbers has been apprehended. Last night the Severson cash register at Lakeside was smashed and \$30 stolen, while a logger who had been out with some strangers awoke half way between this city and North Bend, minus \$50. One man at Lakeside, after playing in a poker game regained consciousness the next morning in a woodshed and had been stripped of \$900. There is evidence that a gang of men who administer drugs is working in this county, for the greater portion of the losses follow drinking whisky from bottles offered by strangers. One man was discovered putting powder

**EVOLUTION OF THE LOCOMOTIVE**

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Mr. S. M. Mears, President, Portland, Oregon.

Dear Sir:--Completed our fourth round trip today. Total mileage 518.8.

Used 150 Gal. Distillate at 6c	\$9.00
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