

WILSON MAY THROW WRENCH INTO WORKS

Resubmission of Treaty Is Considered Likely.

FILIBUSTER WOULD ENSUE

Blocking of Pressing Reconstruction Legislation Would Be Inevitable, Say Leaders.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Nov. 13.—Intimate sources at President Wilson's residence...

The reason is that the precipitation of the treaty would mean such a filibuster in the senate as has not been witnessed since the time...

Democrats are hinting that the president is so eager to see the treaty and league ratified in some form before the close of his administration...

All of the reconstruction legislation blocked by President Wilson...

Five different reclamation plans now under consideration by Senator McNary of Oregon...

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paign four years ago with a deficit of over twice the present sum. But they were successful then, and a successful party need have no trouble about meeting a deficit.

I don't doubt that if the democrats had the necessary machinery they could make up their deficit of \$300,000 through small contributions from a large number of individuals.

Mr. McAdoo is nearest guess. It would be a reasonable guess that whatever changes take place in the democratic organization will be in the direction of placing Mr. McAdoo's friends in the saddle and of giving to Mr. McAdoo as much dominating leadership as any one person is likely to hold in the near future.

Mr. McAdoo is the nearest guess that can be made at this moment as to a presidential possibility in 1924. Undoubtedly Mr. McAdoo's friends entertain this ambition for party leadership; undoubtedly also Mr. Bryan's friends and Mr. Bryan himself entertain the same ambition for Mr. Bryan, with due respect and affection for the public interest.

Cox Is of the Past. As to Cox continuing in leadership, that is hard to see.

Cox is intelligent enough to know that as a leader of the democratic party he is completely of the past. As Alton B. Parker became when he suffered an even less conspicuous defeat 15 years ago. Not only is Cox impossible as a leader by the crushing quality of his defeat; in addition to this, those elements within the democratic party who got the nomination for Cox are in the deepest sort of disfavor.

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The story is this: The democrats in the early stages of the campaign were desperately hard pressed for money. When the train was hired to take Cox on his long trip from New York to the Pacific coast and back the democratic organization was unable to pay the bill in advance.

Under these conditions, an offer was received to raise a campaign fund of \$1,500,000, provided a certain condition was complied with. I have never known a more generous offer to all who united in this offer, but I understood that the group included Allan Ryan of New York, Thomas L. Chadbourne of New York and Senator Clarence Watson of West Virginia.

President Wilson Candidate. The condition named was that Cox in one of his speeches in the far west should announce himself "bone dry" and should pledge himself to veto any act of congress tending to make the present prohibition law less drastic.

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