

BOIES PENROSE FOR PRESIDENT IS POOR SLOGAN IN CAMPAIGN

Many Measures to Crowd Session Besides Revenue Bills and Preparedness.

TREATIES FOR SENATE

Agreements With Haiti, Nicaragua and Colombia Will Come Before Upper House for Ratification.

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If this statute is sustained by the highest court, an impetus will be given throughout the country to legislation on the same line.

Plans are under way to offer a bill in congress to provide a minimum wage for women workers in the District of Columbia, and this will be pressed if the court decision is favorable.

Investigations are being made of the wage of women workers in the national capital, and it is said the figures when published are certain to quicken interest in the subject.

Kitchin Will Retain Leadership. Much has been written about the situation in which the administration finds itself through the opposition of Claude Kitchin, Democratic leader in the house.

From the White House has come direct information that no encouragement is offered to the suggestion that Mr. Kitchin be disciplined by losing the leadership of the house.

There is not so much incongruity in Mr. Kitchin's attitude as some of the talk would indicate. Many members of congress remember the time when President Roosevelt, unable to secure a Republican chairman of the committee on railroad regulation in the senate, turned to the Democrats and selected Senator Tillman.

It is remembered that when Speaker Champ Clark left his chair to speak against the re-digging of the Panama canal provision there was also much talk, and despite the fact that this was a question upon which the administration was charged with repudiating the Democratic platform, the speaker party was not affected in any marked way.

Kitchin's place as chairman of ways and means would not put him in line to lead the fight in favor of national preparedness in any event. The most in charge of the bill this session will be Representative Hay of Virginia, chairman of the committee on military affairs.

Chamberlain and Hawley Busy. Not until after Thanksgiving do members begin to think of the senate and house office buildings. Most of the far western members are reported on their way, but those nearer Washington do not begin their journey until after the family gathering day.

Medill McCormick Scores Root. Medill McCormick, one time national chairman of the Bull Moose party, but now engaged in teaching Progressive doctrines among Republicans, has praised Elihu Root as a presidential candidate, rated according to the cause set by Progressive voters in 1912.

The Second CATLIN Lecture will be given tonight at 7:45 at K. OF P. HALL, Corner 11th and Alder on The Next World-Empire—Will It Be GERMANY, RUSSIA, or GREAT BRITAIN.

People in Lifeboats Shelled by Germans. Rome, Nov. 26.—(U. P.)—(Delayed)—Ambassador Page today dispatched to Washington an additional report on the Austrian torpedoing of the Italian liner Ancona.

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LOOM LARGE IN CONGRESS



Left to right—Representative Claude Kitchin of North Carolina, Democratic house leader; Representative James Hay of Virginia, chairman of the house committee on military affairs.

Equal Suffrage Amendment Bound to Fail Of Passage at This Session of Congress

Poll of Senators and Representatives Shows That Proposed Measure Has No Chance of Success at Present Time.

Washington, Nov. 27.—It will be the labor lost for equal suffrage advocates to ask the incoming congress to adopt their proposed amendment to the federal constitution.

In part, the attitude of the president is responsible for the position taken by many Democratic congressmen. Of great importance is the rejection of amendments to their state constitutions by the voters of New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania.

Men representing these states in the national congress who voted during the last term for an addition to the federal constitution now are displaying their opposition to the measure.

Against the amendment, 162; noncommittal, 153. As it takes a two thirds vote in each house for an amendment to the constitution to be proposed to the states, it is apparent that even if all the noncommittals or undecided should cast their votes for the amendment, it would fail.

Against the amendment, 162; noncommittal, 15. House—For the amendment, 118; against the amendment, 162; noncommittal, 153.

Head of Muskegon Art Gallery Resigns Because of Board's Lack of Sympathy With His Work. Muskegon, Mich., Nov. 27.—(I. N. S.)—Raymond Wyer, director of the Hackley art gallery of this city, has resigned his place, after putting this city on the art map of the world in the four years of the museum's career.

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DUTY ON SUGAR TO BE RETAINED POLL OF CONGRESS SHOWS

Wilson's Policy of Continuing Existing Rates for Revenue Purposes Will Be Approved

OPINIONS ARE EXPRESSED

Congress Will Support President's Recommendation Relative to Continuation of Present Duties.

By John Callan O'Laughlin. Washington, Nov. 27.—Congress will continue the existing duties upon sugar. This prophecy is based upon a poll of congress by the Chicago Herald on the question of adopting the administration's proposed recommendation.

The Underwood tariff law of 1913, approved by President Wilson, reduced the rates of duty on sugar by 25 per cent after March 1, 1914, and provided for the free admission of this product after May 1, 1916. It was confidently expected by the Democrats that the effect of the reduction and eventual abolition of the duty would result in a lower price to the consumer.

But that expectation did not come to pass, the treasury suffered a loss of revenue without any compensation to the people, and finally the voters of Louisiana expressed their resentment by electing a Progressive as a member of the house.

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GOVERNMENT AND THE SCHOOLS COOPERATE IN AIDING ALIENS

Bureau of Naturalization Meets With Success in Its New Educational Venture.

THOUSANDS ADDRESSED

Since Beginning of School Year Great Numbers of Declarants Have Been Enrolled in the Schools.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Throughout the country the plan of the bureau of naturalization of the United States department of labor to enlist the cooperation of public schools in the education and Americanization of candidates for citizenship is receiving the most gratifying support.

Most of the Republicans and Democrats answer with a direct "Yes" or "No," but there is no question that a bill continuing a duty on sugar will pass both houses.

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shown, in part, by the territory covered, the number of candidates for citizenship reached, and the night and day schools which have been established for their instruction. It is the intention of the bureau of naturalization to continue both with all applicants for citizenship in the United States, wherever they are to be found, and to secure the opening of classes for them.

Bureau and Schools Cooperation. During the current scholastic year all superintendents of schools where classes may be formed will receive monthly from the bureau the name, address, age, nationality, and other necessary information concerning each alien residing within their jurisdictions who files a declaration of intention or petition for naturalization.

The wives of all petitioners for naturalization are also advised to attend school, for the reason that they derive citizenship when their husbands obtain their final papers, and because, too, such instruction will materially aid the family to live as Americans live. It has been found that approximately two out of every three petitioners for naturalization are married, and

It is toward the improvement of home life and conditions that this phase of the movement is especially directed. The records of the bureau of naturalization show that since the commencement of the school year on October 1, notifications have been sent to approximately 40,000 declarants, 20,000 petitioners, and 15,000 wives of petitioners, and each day hundreds are added to the list.

The present volume of naturalization shows that over half a million foreign-born residents annually bring themselves within the jurisdiction of the bureau of naturalization, and it is the plan of the bureau, through the cooperation of the public schools, with its educational movement, to ensure that portion of the alien body now in a condition of helpless dependence or mere self-maintenance to the state of productive capacity which is the birthright of all American citizens regardless of their origin of birth.

Spends \$500,000 On Yosemite Valley. Washington, Nov. 27.—(I. N. S.)—Secretary of the Interior Lane today announced that plans of extensive development in the Yosemite valley during the coming year will include the construction of two new hotels, one at Glacier Point and the other on the floor of the valley, and four modern chalets to be run in connection with the hotels under strict government supervision.

An outlay of half a million dollars is involved. Inside fir, \$3.50, \$3.75—Edl. Pasen. A. A.

XMAS SALES Start Monday

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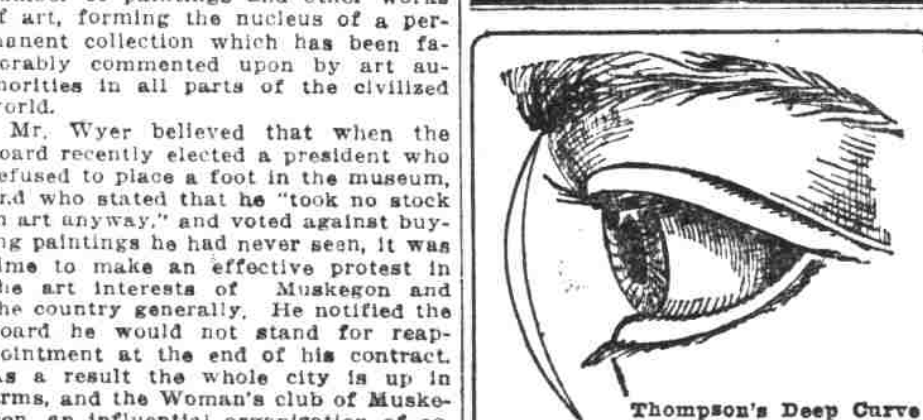
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