

LODGE ADVISES STATE AGAINST ALIEN STATUTE

Lachmund Wires to Washington For Information on Japanese Issue For Benefit of Legislature.

CONGRESS READY TO ACT WITHOUT DELAY

Administration Prefers Not To Be Embarrassed by Impulsive States

Because the Republican administration that will be ushered into office next month intends enacting comprehensive legislation on the Japanese question, United States Senator Lodge, chairman of the foreign relations committee, advises against any state legislation on the subject, according to a telegram received by Senator Lachmund from United States Senator Charles L. McNary.

The message was in response to a telegram sent by Lachmund as a member of the joint committee to confer with committees of Idaho and Washington legislators in regard to anti-Japanese legislation, and it is believed that it will sound a death knell on all contemplated legislation on the subject in the Oregon legislature.

One Bill Pending.

In fact, the resolution creating the committee is now dead, as the Washington legislature decided not to participate in the conference, but there is pending in the house Representative Leonard's anti-Japanese bill.

Senator McNary's telegram read: "With Senator Lodge, chairman of the foreign relations committee, I discussed today the Japanese question from a federal standpoint."

Freedom Desired.

"He gave as his opinion that the government early in the next administration would take care of this question in a way satisfactory to the western people, and that the states concerned should take no action that might lead to governmental embarrassment in consideration of this important subject."

Senator Lachmund in his telegram said that he had been appointed a member of the joint committee and asked what prospects there were for federal legislation; also for guidance as to what to do in connection with the conference and pending anti-Japanese legislation.

Oregon's Won't Quit Fight.

Oregon's house of representatives is going to pass on the anti-Japanese bill next Tuesday morning, protests from Washington or no protests.

This statement was made yesterday by Barge E. Leonard, representative from Multnomah county, who is one of the nationally known leaders in anti-oriental measures.

"Anti-Japanese legislation has been set as the special order of business for Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock," stated Leonard, "and it is coming up. I am sure it will pass the house, but a terrific fight is being made to block it in the senate."

Two Senators Against.

Leonard asserted that certain very wealthy interests in Portland are trying in every way possible to block this measure. Having given up trying to get action in the house that will please the nikado's agents in this country, great pressure is being brought to bear on senators, according to Leonard, who has kept in very close touch with the measure.

It is pointed out that two state senators who are active in trying to block anti-Japanese legislation have direct and personal reasons for so doing. It is said that one is attorney for a large number of Japanese in Portland, while the other is reported to be interested in a deal to colonize a large number of Nipponese in central Oregon.

Soldiers Favor Measure.

"The American legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the United Spanish War Veterans and other patriotic societies all over the state are doing everything possible to get this American legislation through the state bodies," said Leonard, "and the boys in the house are with them. But certain powerful interests are at work, and those who want the Pacific coast kept for a white man's country had better get busy."

NO ORDER ISSUED FOR MAYOR'S DEPORTATION

O'CALLAGHAN WILL NOT BE DEPORTED

Doyle Declares Return of Lord Mayor Would Mean Delivering Himself to Enemy

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—No order has been issued for the deportation of Lord Mayor O'Callaghan of Cork, and he will not be deported, M. F. Doyle, one of his counsels, said tonight after a conference with Secretary Wilson. For O'Callaghan to go back now, he added, would mean giving himself into the hands of his enemies, and his legal status and rights will be defended to maintain for him his freedom to return to Ireland at "his own convenience."

The conference with the labor secretary which was also attended by Judge Lawless, another of the lord mayor's counsels, was described by Mr. Doyle as "satisfactory and verifying our feeling in the matter." The order recently issued by the labor department defining O'Callaghan's status as a "seaman" which would require his re-shipping for a foreign port, Mr. Doyle said, contained no time limit, as was reported, but said that he must leave "at his convenience," although, he added, "it suggests a certain time."

ANGLO-AMERICAN FRIENDSHIP PLEAD

Churchill Asks That Dominating Note Be One Of Harmony

LONDON, Feb. 12.—A plea for making the dominant note in Anglo-American relations one of friendship and understanding, rather than of sensationalist and inaccurate representation, was made today by Winston Churchill, new secretary for the colonies, and Earl Reading, viceroy of India, at a farrow dinner to Lord Reading. The guests included Mrs. John W. Davis, representing the American ambassador and Sir Hamar Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland.

Both Mr. Churchill and Lord Reading alluded to the co-operation between Great Britain and the United States in the war and the need of preserving in peace what had been gained at such cost. The viceroy said that with a common understanding of each other's ideals and aims, Anglo-American unity was guaranteed.

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HURLEY PAYS TRIBUTE TO SCHWAB'S PROWESS

Optimism Expressed Over Future of American Merchant Marine

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Both the allies and the Germans were astounded at the rapidity with which the shipping board constructed ships after the United States entered the war, a house investigating committee was informed today by F. N. Hurley of Chicago, chairman of the board from July 1917 to the summer of 1919.

Board Achievements Praised

High government officials of England, France and Italy told him after the armistice, he said, that they were highly pleased at the achievements of the board. He learned also, he said, that the Germans, too, had been amazed at the board's program.

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YACHT CLUB PREPARES FOR DEFENSE OF CUP

TWO MODEL YACHTS ARE USED AS TESTS

Opposing Ideas In Sloop Architecture Try Out New Possibilities of Sailing Plans

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—Defense of the America's cup against the next foreign challenge has begun, it was announced today. Yachting interests affiliated with the New York Yacht club have gone far to anticipate another international effort to lift the cup.

Two model yachts were the mediums of research tests, results of which will probably be reflected in the next races. The models were matched against each other in all kinds of wind and weather off Provincetown in races that extended through several months.

The models have been shipped to the New York Yacht club for safe keeping and exhibition. They were nine feet long, the masts stood 15 feet high. In length they are one-tenth the size of the Resolute. The models cost \$3900 each. They weighed between 200 and 300 pounds each.

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CABINET SELECTIONS ARE STILL UNCERTAIN

DEVELOPMENTS CONCERNING DAWES AND LOWDEN

Harding Presses Button Opening A Lincoln Banquet In Seattle

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 12.—While the cabinet selections were taking on new elements of uncertainty today, President-elect Harding let it be known his plans for international peace and disarmament also are far from definite formulation. Taking note of published reports that a disarmament conference would be called only in the new administration, he said he had made no such plans, although the idea fitted in with his general scheme for an association of nations.

Today's cabinet developments concerned chiefly Charles G. Dawes and F. Lowden, both of Illinois and mentioned for the posts of secretary of the treasury and secretary of the navy, respectively. The net result was to leave more in doubt than ever, whether either would be a member of the cabinet.

Mr. Dawes, who recently denounced republican investigations into the conduct of the war, spent more than an hour in consultation with Mr. Harding.

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LANDS REFUTES DIAL CHARGES BEFORE LEGION

Judge Sends Audience Into Uproars of Hilarity by His Thrusts at Senator Dial's Accusations.

AMERICAN LEGION OF IOWA HEARS ADDRESS

Dial to Impeach Judge For Statements in Francis Carey Case

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 12.—Federal Judge K. M. Landis of Chicago declined to make any statement here tonight regarding reports reaching here that Senator Dial of South Carolina, would bring impeachment proceedings against him if he could obtain confirmation of statements credited in the press to Judge Landis in the case of Francis J. Carey, a bank clerk charged with embezzlement.

Judge Landis arrived in Des Moines at 7 p. m., to speak at a mass meeting being staged by the Iowa American legion here.

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EDITOR VILLARD IS GREETED BY RIOTERS

FIFTY MEN RUSH INTO HALL AFTER BREAKING DOOR

Women Members Throw Themselves Against Main Door To Bar Invaders

CINCINNATI, Feb. 12.—Scenes of turbulence that necessitated the sending of a riot call to police headquarters marked an address delivered today by Oswald Garrison Villard, editor of The Nation, and former editor of the New York Evening Post. The address was given under the auspices of the city club and the woman's city club.

During the week there had been many resignations from both clubs on the ground Villard was an admitted pacifist and that he opposed the draft. Prominent women members of the Woman's City club, circulated petitions protesting against the meeting and the use of several halls were denied.

Villard was in the midst of his address when about 50 men rushed up the stairs to the auditorium. A closed door containing a glass panel opened into an ante room. The glass was broken and several invaders and defenders were slightly cut. The crowd poured into the ante room and there was a wild melee. Women members threw themselves against the main door to bar the invaders who were yelling: "Let's go. We demand to hear this man."

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TENURE BILL IS KILLED BY SMALL MARGIN

Senate Adopts Hume Resolution to Defer Action Two Years; Will Report at the Next Session.

AUTHOR OF MEASURE CHARGES BRIBERY

Claims Irregular Methods Used to Secure Defeat of Legislation

By a vote of 16 to 14, the Senate teacher tenure bill, relating to the Portland school district, with its amendment to refer the question to the people of the district, failed to pass the senate yesterday. Immediately afterward the senate adopted the Hume resolution to defer action two years pending an investigation by a special committee of the legislature charged to report at the next session.

The vote was taken at 12:45 o'clock after a debate of more than two hours. The measure having come up as a special order at 10:30 o'clock. Immediately after the vote was announced Senator Moser changed his vote to the negative.

"I certainly hope," said Senator Eddy, "the senate will be no more moved for reconsideration of this bill."

"There certainly will," answered Moser. "Statements have been made here that we are going to re-act."

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THE WEATHER

Rain west, cloudy east portion; moderate northeasterly winds.

O. A. C. LOSES SERIES

EUGENE, Ore., Feb. 12.—University of Oregon again won from Oregon Agricultural college at basketball tonight, by a score of 37 to 19. In the middle of the last half the Oregon coach put in five substitutes who played throughout the remainder of the game.

Woods Cause Political Combines.

Hume asserted that the bill would cause political combinations to be formed that would affect the purchase of school supplies.