

COAL BOARD BILL IS UP

Measure Recommended by President to Be Rushed Through First Stage

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Congress was nearly ready tonight to rush through its first stage tomorrow a bill recommended by the president for creation of a federal commission to get all the facts relating to the coal industry and on which miners and operators would not be represented.

Two bills slightly different in some essential provisions were reported, one to the senate and the other to the house. The Winslow measure, introduced Monday, will be taken up by the house tomorrow under a special rule giving it the right of way.

Borah Bill May Come Up

There was an intimation that the Borah commission bill, ordered reported to the senate by its labor committee, of which Senator Borah is chairman, might also be called up tomorrow but there was a possibility that the senate would delay consideration until the house had acted.

While the general view was that the house would pass the Winslow bill by a wide margin of votes, there were rumblings of an impending fight to be led by Representative Bland, Republican, Indiana, author of a fact finding commission bill, now on the house calendar, which stipulates that both miners and operators shall have equal representation on the commission.

Winslow Bill Preferred

An authorized spokesman for the administration declared at the White House during the day, however, that the president was opposed to a commission composed in part of mine owners and miners. The Winslow bill would make them ineligible for membership but the Borah measure would leave their selection to the president.

Advised of the stand of the president and the committee, John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, took a hand in the controversy. In a telegram from Philadelphia to Representative Bland, Mr. Lewis declared that the Cleveland conference agreement provided for equal representation on an investigating commission and if the federal government proposed to disregard their rights and privileges in making an independent inquiry, "responsibility will lie with those who recommend such action."

TARIFF BILL IS REFERRED

Measure Sent to Conference by House Vote—First Meeting Today

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—By a vote of 198 to 69 the house sent the tariff bill to conference today for its third redrafting.

The six Republican conferees, two from the house and three from the senate probably will have a preliminary meeting tomorrow and get down to work Thursday.

Task Big One

The size of the task ahead of the conference committee was revealed today with the reprinting of the bill as it was approved last Saturday by the senate. The reprint showed 2,436 changes from the original house text—a new high record—and the conferees will have to adjust differences on each of these.

In the hour's discussion which preceded the house vote, Democratic leaders predicted that the bill would not be reported out of conference until after the November elections. They argued that the Republicans did not want to have to defend it in the coming campaign.

No Prophecy Made

Republican leaders made no prophecy, but Representative Mondell of Wyoming, the majority leader, expressed the hope that it would be out "at no distant date."

Representative Campbell of Kansas, charged that the Democratic campaign managers had arranged a "very cunning" campaign to be inaugurated the day after the measure became a law.

"Already the arrangements are made," he asserted. "The stage is set, the prices are fixed; the advances are to be made up on every article enumerated in this bill, either with specific ad valorem duty, and the price is to be advanced on the orders of the importers down through to the retailers."

For Original Bill

Chairman Fordney of the ways and means committee who heads the house conferees promised that he would go into the conference insisting upon the original house bill. He said the senate changed from American to foreign valuation as the basis for assessing ad valorem duties was the most important amendment to be considered but added that there were others.

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