

## LITTLE BOB LEADS FIGHT ON CURRENCY LAW



ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE.

adoption of the conference report on the Aldrich-Vreeland currency bill in the senate, according to the inference to be drawn from the debate today, probably will not materialize. Aldrich kept the report before the senate until nearly 4 p. m., when he presented to its being laid aside until 11 o'clock tomorrow, and the remainder of the time today was devoted to the passage of unobjectionable bills on the calendar. Every senator realized that the meaning of this move was that an understanding had been reached to vote on the bill tomorrow. Inquiry proved the existence of this understanding, although no positive agreement has been made. The indications are, therefore, that congress will adjourn sine die tomorrow or Saturday.

Aldrich spent most of the day trying to arrange an agreement to vote on the bill tomorrow. This was not opposed by Culberson, the minority leader, but LaFollette, who is very much opposed to the bill, asked that the motion for an agreement be not passed. Stating frankly that he had tried to organize a filibuster against the bill, but had met with little encouragement, LaFollette said he probably would not speak at length.

### Vote and Adjourn Today.

From the position assumed by Jim it didn't appear necessary to obtain an agreement to vote on the conference report tomorrow. In fact, it was said that an agreement might delay taking the vote, as the senators were unwilling to fix a time earlier than 5 o'clock, though it is not believed that the senators who want to speak tomorrow will consume the six hours between 11 and 5 o'clock.

The first sound of opposition came when Fulton, at Aldrich's request, moved to dispense with the reading of the journal.

"I object," yelled Gore, amid Democratic laughter. The fact that Gore had just been in conference with LaFollette and had been the only Dem-

Washington, May 29.—It was evident soon after the senate convened today that LaFollette would do all his power to obstruct the passage of the compromise currency bill and there is ground for the belief that he succeeded in obtaining help from one of Missouri. It was evident at 3:30 p. m. the house took a recess until 7 o'clock tonight.

House Takes Recess. At 3:30 p. m. the house took a recess until 7 o'clock tonight.

Yesterday's Preliminaries. Washington, May 28.—The anticipated strenuous opposition to the

## Grand Army

SCULPTOR J. MASSEY BEHIND of New York is working on a monument to commemorate the founder of the Grand Army of the Republic, Dr. Benjamin Franklin Stephenson of Springfield, Ill. The memorial, a three sided obelisk, is to be erected in Washington at the junction of Louisiana avenue and Seventh and C streets. In the middle of a circular grass plot, and it is to be ready for dedication about Aug. 1, 1936, when there will be an encampment of the Grand Army to unveil it. Congress has appropriated \$10,000, and G. A. R. men have raised about \$25,000 additional, so that the monument will be a splendid creation.

Dr. Stephenson was regimental surgeon of the Fourteenth Illinois volunteer infantry during its three years of service in the west. His rank was that of major. He was born in Wayne county, Ill., in 1822 and died in 1871. Dr. Stephenson grew up in Sangamon county and lived



MEMORIAL DAY WILL BE GENERALLY OBSERVED THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY TOMORROW. IN EUGENE IT HAS BEEN PROCLAIMED A HOLIDAY BY THE MAYOR, AND THE BUSINESS HOUSES WILL BE CLOSED FROM 9:30 A. M. TO 4 P. M. BANKS AND PUBLIC OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED THE ENTIRE DAY

ocrat in the conference, led to the belief that these two senators intended to fight the bill alone, but they showed no further disposition to carry out such a purpose.

J. C. Nanaken and wife, of Loveland, Colo., arrived in Eugene this morning.

C. R. Sylvester, of Jasper, is in the city on business.

## Memorial

many years in Springfield. It was while residing in that city shortly after the close of the war that he conceived the idea of an organization of veterans and worked out the ritual. The first G. A. R. meeting was held April 6, 1866, in Decatur, Ill.

The founder of the order met many reverses in life and died a disappointed man. It was not until after his death that the Grand Army grew to such magnificent proportions. Dr. Stephenson devoted much time and thought to the order, to the neglect of his own medical practice and the consequent impoverishment of his family. He was a generous, cheerful man, with an abiding confidence in the ultimate realization of his dreams, though he did not live to witness the nation wide growth of the G. A. R.

A warm colored granite will be used for the shaft, the panels on each side containing the figures, badges and inscriptions to be of statuary bronze.

## DEATH THREAT IN BLOOD-WRITTEN LETTER

Chicago, May 28.—Father Peter J. O'Callaghan, head of the Pualist Order of Chicago, and Attorney Francis H. Hinkley have been informed through an anonymous letter, written in blood and wrapped in crepe, that they have been marked for death, and that St. Mary's church, on Washash avenue and Hubbard Court, is doomed to destruction by dynamite.

The letter was dropped into the poor box. The death of the priest and lawyer are threatened, it is believed, in consequence of their efforts to obtain a pardon for Herman Billek, under death sentence on the charge of murdering by poison six members of the Venzel family. Father O'Callaghan will lay the letter before Governor Dineen in the hope it may induce the governor to pardon Billek.

## LANGDON FEARS FOR LIVES OF GRAFT PROSECUTORS

San Francisco, May 28.—A sensation was created at police headquarters today when District Attorney Langdon went personally to the Hall of Justice in an effort to have the cases of J. R. Johnson, Clifford Middlemas and Harry Smith, the three men who were arrested for following Assistant District Attorney Heney, Detective Burns, of the secret service, and Detective Charles Goff, of the city detective bureau,

## BROKER PRICE INDICTED OVER COTTON SCANDAL

New York, May 29.—Theodore Price, for many years one of the most prominent operatives on the cotton exchange, was indicted today by the federal grand jury on charges growing out of the sensational exposure of the sale of government staples as to the cotton crop conditions in advance of the issuance of this information to the public. Price is charged with conspiracy to defraud, and was released on \$7000



WILLIAM H. LANGDON, District attorney of San Francisco, who procured the indictment of Mayor Schmitz and Abe Ruef.



THOMAS P. GORE, Blind senator from Oklahoma who is opposing the compromise currency bill.

around the city in an automobile, tried before Police Judge Shortall. "This has become a very serious affair, and conditions are approaching a stage where some drastic action must be taken," said District Attorney Langdon to Police Judge Edward Shortall. "The people at the head of the graft prosecution fear for their lives and property while matters continue in their present state. The three prisoners are part and parcel of a conspiracy to check officials in the discharge of their duties. Information has reached us in advance of overt acts which are being committed, yet we cannot prevent them. I am using my influence to have the cases of these men up before you for consideration." No information that the cases would be tried fairly before other judges of the police courts was forthcoming from the district attorney.

The complaint against the three men is in the hands of Detective Charles Goff, and will be sworn to tomorrow. The men named are charged with willfully following, watching and interfering with Goff, city detective, in the discharge of his duty while he was attempting to locate the man or men who are responsible for the bomb outrages in Oakland. Up to a late hour this afternoon no application for bail for the men had been made. Judge Shortall tomorrow will fix bail at \$1000 bonds or \$500 cash.

## WAINWRIGHT IS ACTING REAR ADMIRAL

Tacoma, May 29.—A two-starred pennant now flies from the truck of the Georgia's mailboat, indicating that Richard Wainwright, commanding the second division of the Atlantic battleship fleet, is now an acting rear-admiral of the United States navy. Wainwright will receive his commission as full rear-admiral in July.

## DYING OF HEAT IN PITTSBURG

Pittsburg, May 29.—Owing to the excessive heat ten persons have died here since midnight and many are prostrated. The mercury registered

ball. He is also charged with bribery. It is reported that other persons were indicted with him.

## BURTON TO NAME SECRETARY TAFT

Washington, May 29.—While no formal announcement has been made it may be stated definitely that Representative Burton, of Ohio, will present the name of Secretary Taft to the Chicago convention.

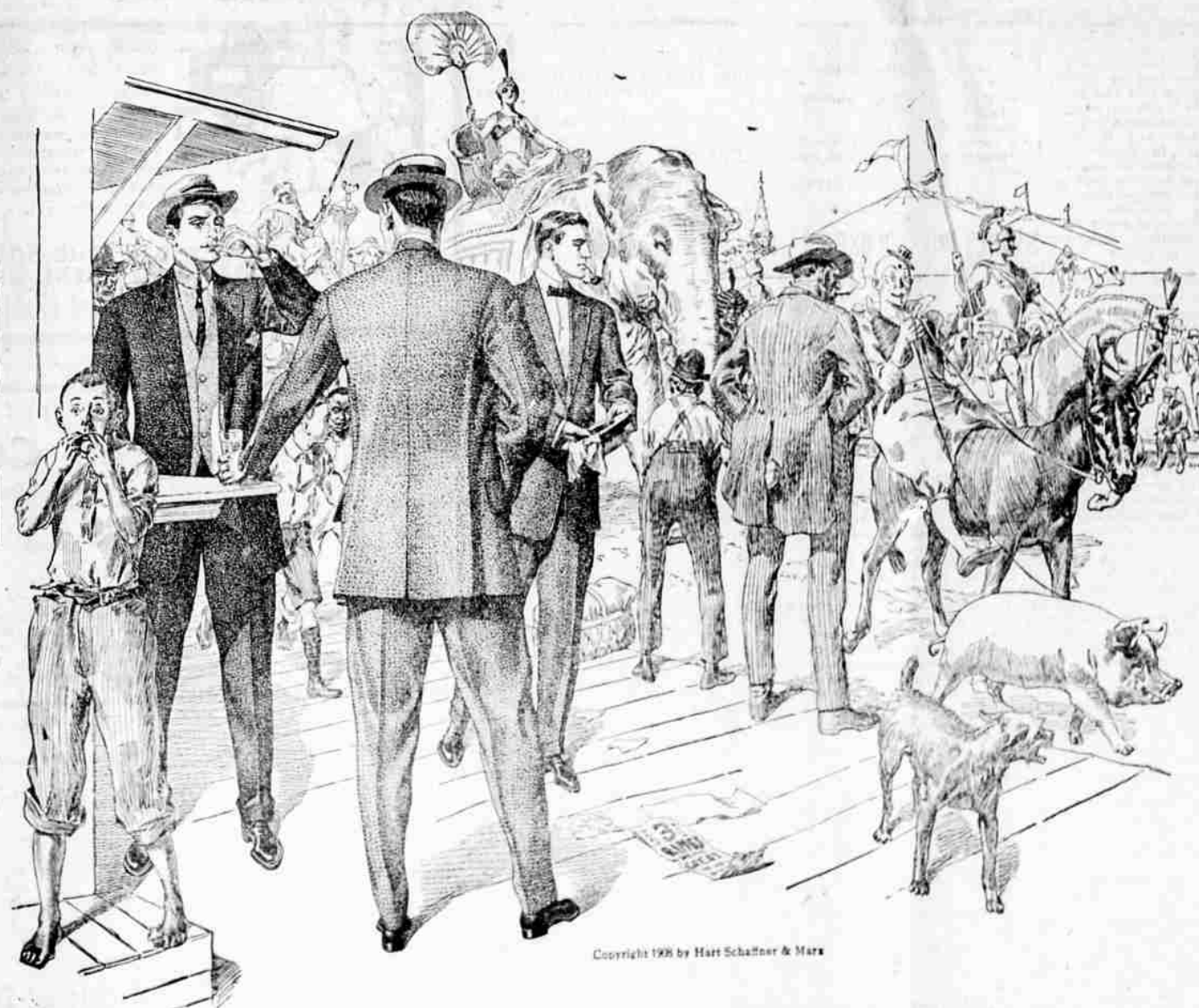
## MANY INJURED IN ACCIDENT TO CHURCH

Chicago, May 29.—The cemented vestibule of the Lithuanian church of Our Lady of Vilna gave way last night as the large congregation was leaving. Thirty persons were thrown into the basement and a panic resulted. None, however, suffered worse injuries than cuts and bruises.

## INJURED IN A RAILROAD ACCIDENT

Baltimore, May 29.—A report to the Baltimore & Ohio general offices here says the observation car attached to the rear of the Chicago and New York express, eastbound, left the rails near Garrett and turned over. Twenty passengers were injured, three seriously.

A large number of Eugene people attended the picnic at Junction yesterday, many of the young people going down on the evening train to attend the dance, which they report a splendid success. Numerous county candidates were in attendance at the picnic and mingled with the voters.



Copyright 1936 by Hart Schaffner & Marx

The three-ringed circus, with its gorgeous pageant, its funny clowns, its pretty women, and fine horses, may come and give us a day's pleasure; we're all glad to see it come—and go. But we've got a show going all the time; doesn't come for today and gone tomorrow; it stays. If you're a suit of our Hart, Schaffner & Marx line you're a part of our street parade yourself; and none of the best advertisements we can make is to have people see the clothes we sell. If you're not wearing them, come to our show; no admission charged; and it doesn't cost you anything to get out. You may buy something before you leave; but you'll make money by doing so. Better take a look at some of our new-model Varsity sack suits.

OVERCOATS OR SUITS \$15.00 to \$30.00

Hampton Bros. 558-564 Willamette St. Where Cash Beats Credit

This store is the home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes