

HEAR LABOR'S NEEDS

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT HEARS MANY SIDES OF IMPORTANT SUBJECT.

Makes No Comment, but Coming Message Will Probably Reflect His Opinion.

Washington, Nov. 17.—Subjecting his guests, who were representatives of many of the leading labor organizations of this country, to a rapid fire of questions, President Roosevelt at a dinner given by him at the White House tonight endeavored to learn what labor wanted from Congress and in what way he could be of assistance to the toilers of the country.

While the President did not commit himself to any of the propositions submitted by the various leaders present it was learned that he sought a full expression of sentiment from all of them.

The general impression prevailed among the labor leaders after the dinner that the President's message to Congress would show some of the favor of the conference.

What seemed most significant of all, both to the President and to other government officials present, was the suggestion that Congress should pass a bill of rights into which all labor legislation should be incorporated and should create a publicity board, whose purpose would be to investigate and make public the details of controversies between capital and labor.

Although many of the speakers expressed their opposition to the boycott and sympathetic strike propaganda, they urged that Congress should better define the injunction power of the courts, and asked for a modification of both this act and the Sherman anti-trust law.

TAFT WILL RETAIN NO MEMBER OF PRESENT CABINET

Washington, Nov. 19.—A good many aspiring politicians are cheerful over the information which has just reached them from what seems to be authentic sources that President-elect Taft will construct an entirely new Cabinet. This information has been gaining circulation since the visit of Mr. Taft to the White House last Sunday.

President Roosevelt, it is said, has advised his successor to make a clean sweep of the present Cabinet, not because it is not an efficient body of men, but because he feels that if several of the present Cabinet members should be retained the public might gain the impression he had fastened the men on the new administration.

HENEY IS RECOVERING

Within a Few Weeks Prosecutor Will Be Able to Resume Duties.

San Francisco, Nov. 18.—The condition of Francis J. Heney, who was shot and seriously wounded in the crowded courtroom by Morris Haas, is progressing nicely. It is expected that Mr. Heney will be able to discuss the affairs of his office with his volunteer assistants in the Ruef prosecution within a few days and that a few weeks will see him back at his desk in the courtroom.

The shooting occurred during a brief recess in the third trial of Abraham Ruef on the charge of bribery, which is now in its 11th week. With uniformed policemen in the hall, half a dozen of the prosecution's special detectives within a few feet, one of them detailed especially as his bodyguard to see that no attempt was made upon his life, and several court bailiffs and attaches scattered about, the aggressive special prosecutor was shot in sight of 500 persons.

The suicide of Haas, who killed himself with a pistol concealed about his person, is the subject of much discussion and the police authorities are investigating how Haas was able to conceal the weapon with which he took his life, after being searched two or three times. Two theories are advanced, one was that he had the pistol hidden in his shoe from the time he attempted to kill Mr. Heney, and it was overlooked by the police; the other theory, the one that the District Attorney's office holds, is that the pistol was passed to Haas by some interested person while he was in custody.

Denies Charge of Venue.

San Francisco, Nov. 18.—The trial of Abraham Ruef, interrupted by the shooting of Assistant District Attorney Francis J. Heney in the courtroom, was resumed at 9 o'clock this morning where it was halted last Friday afternoon by the bullet of the assassin. Judge William P. Lawlor denied the application of counsel for Ruef for a change of venue to some other city or town in the state; denied also in quick succession the motions for a continuance of thirty days until public feeling subsided, for the dismissal of the jury and the empanelment of a new one, and finally ruled against the defense on the request made to interrogate the trial twelve as to whether any of them was prejudiced against the defense as a result of the tragedy in the courtroom.

FOREST FUNDS TO BE DEPOSITED IN WESTERN BANKS

Washington, Nov. 16.—The names of six Government depositories which are to handle the receipts of the United States Forest Service, after December 1, when its organization for the administration of the National forests will be removed from Washington to six field districts in the West, have just been announced.

The designation of Western banks to handle the moneys received from timber sales, permits for stock grazing and for special uses of various resources in the National forests is an innovation which will mean that all the receipts of the Forest Service in the future will be deposited to the credit of the Treasurer of the United States and made available for circulation in the part of the country from which it is derived, within the limits of the amounts allowed by law for Government deposits, instead of being forwarded to the Treasurer at Washington.

The banks which have been named and which have all consented to serve the Government are located in the district headquarters of the Forest Service at Portland, Denver, Ogden, Albuquerque, Missoula and San Francisco. The First National Bank, Portland, Oregon, headquarters of the Sixth District, including Washington, Oregon, a small part of Northern California and Alaska.

REPUBLICANS LOSE 4

Democrats Gain Six Seats in Next Congress.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The temporary rollcall of the House of Representatives of the 61st Congress has been completed and published. It represents a complete list of the members of the new House as shown by unofficial returns and gives the politics of all of them. According to this publication the next House will consist of 219 Republicans and 172 Democrats, a total of 391, as against a total of 389 in the House during the last session, of whom 223 were Republicans and 166 Democrats.

The result is a net loss of four from the Republican side and a net gain of six on the Democratic side, the discrepancy being due to the present vacancies. All told the Democrats gained 17 districts and the Republicans 12.

OREGON-WASHINGTON BOUNDARY DISPUTE SETTLED

Washington, Nov. 16.—The supreme court entered a decree for Oregon in the suit with Washington involving a determination of the boundary line between the two states. The decree maintains the middle north channel of the Columbia river as a legal boundary and gives Oregon jurisdiction over Sand Island.

This decision means that Oregon is owner of practically all the sand islands near the mouth of the Columbia and will hereafter receive thousands of dollars annually which fishermen have been paying to the State of Washington as rental or license fees.

Senator Piles represented Washington and Senator Charles W. Fulton represented Oregon.

NEW HEAD OF NAVY

Metcalf Out of Sympathy With the Administration.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Ill health is the ostensible reason of Secretary Metcalf's withdrawal from the Cabinet, but persons in Washington who think they know say the resignation has been pending for a week; that it was not to be offered without some heartburning and that his ill health was only a perfunctory reason. Assistant Secretary Newberry was appointed Secretary.

It is reported that friction between President Roosevelt and Secretary Metcalf developed from the time of the recent Newport naval conference on the battleship designs. Ever since the naval controversy developed last winter Metcalf has sided with the Bureaucrats.

Suffragists Win Decided Victory.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—The greatest victory in the history of 40 years' agitation for equal suffrage in Illinois was won today. The charter committee by a vote of 6 to 4 adopted a resolution declaring for a bill giving women the right to vote for all municipal officers and on all questions of policy which have to do with the municipality.

The bill will be drafted by the committee, submitted to the charter convention and if approved will go to the legislature.

The suffragist delegation which appeared before the committee represented 191 women's organizations of Chicago with a membership of over 100,000. It was headed by Miss Jane Addams, of Hull House.

Government Sues Sugar Combine.

New York, Nov. 16.—The United States Government has brought six suits against the American Sugar Refining Company to recover forfeitures and customs receipts of about \$3,600,000 on sugar delivered by the Havenmeyer and Elder refiners in Brooklyn during the last six years. The Government alleges fraud in weighing shipments.

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Correspondence.

EAST GASTON.

L. L. Paget is having his potatoes dug.

Ray Russell visited with his grandparents Saturday.

Laurence Burke is helping Mr. Withycombe set out trees.

W. K. Newell has hauled several loads of cider apples to Cornelius.

Mrs. S. Shotwell visited friends in Forest Grove Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Fortberg received a ton of potatoes shipped from his ranch in Nehalem.

Jas. Hill has nearly completed his new residence and expects to occupy it by Thanksgiving.

Peter Kern has been suffering from a lame back caused by riding a disc plow over rough rooty ground.

Thomas Withycombe has received several boxes and bales of fruit trees, and will set them out as fast as the weather will permit.

GALES CREEK

Grandpa Hill was out again to Sunday school Sunday. Grandpa and grandma are enjoying reasonable health in spite of their advanced age.

Spring Hill school house is very near completion. The new furniture and blackboard have arrived and school will begin Thursday morning with Miss Georgia Moore of Gaston as teacher.

The people about the Hill school house are preparing to erect a shed to drive teams in while attending services at the school house. Another move in the right direction. They have already put down a well on the school grounds. We like to help keep things moving when they are so much benefit to the community.

THATCHER

Meetings are now in progress, con-

ducted by Rev. Garrigus. Everybody invited.

Miss Adelaide McDonald went to Portland Saturday to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. L. Barnhard came out from Portland last week to see some of her old neighbors.

Mrs. George Hayden has been on the sick list for a couple of weeks but is better at present.

Will Haney has bought the Barnard place and is now making some improvements on his place.

Jack Lock has built an addition to his house. It makes quite an improvement in the looks of his place.

Jack Killen is still making improvements on his place. He built a wood house last week. This week he has a carpenter working up stairs.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Roberts gave a party Saturday evening to a number of their friends, it being in honor of their daughter Stella's birthday. Supper was served in elegant style. All returned to their homes feeling gay and happy, and wishing Miss Stella many more birthdays.

Fred Wilson is on the sick list this week.

Evangelistic meetings are being held at Gales Creek.

Daniel Pierce has been repairing the foundation of his house at his new home in Gales City.

Grandma Wilson, who has been on Gales Creek for some time, returned to her home in Portland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagner of Gales Creek, who have been spending a few days in Portland, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scholfield and family of Patton Valley, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Vincent of Gales Creek.

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Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned administratrix of the estate of R. M. Bisbee, deceased, have filed in the County Court of the state of Oregon, for Washington county, my final account as such administratrix and that said Court has set Monday, December 7th, 1908, at 10 o'clock, a. m. of said day as the time and the county court room, at Hillsboro, Oregon, as the place for hearing objections to said account and the final settlement of said estate.

Teresa Bisbee, administratrix of the Estate of R. M. Bisbee, deceased.
W. N. Barrett, Attorney for Estate.

Executrix Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, County of Washington, executrix of the estate of Charles H. Olmsted, deceased, and all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me daily verified at my residence, No. 130 A Street, in the City of Forest Grove, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated this 10th day of November, 1908.
ROSE J. OLMSTED, Executrix
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