

SPRINGER'S SENSIBLE PROGRAM.

The illness of Speaker Crisp will compel the election of a speaker pro tempore at the opening of the postholiday session, but the officer thus chosen will be in sympathy with the sentiment which elected Crisp and made Springer chairman of the committee on ways and means.

The country may expect, therefore, that there will be no delay in preparation by the house for practical legislation. With economy and retrenchment exercised in the preparation of appropriation bills the house, reaching the ground of prudent expenditure which Reed's congress woefully missed, will be in position to make some progress. To attempt radical legislation will simply be to invite its rejection in the other house. But to make a few concrete demands for the reduction of the burdens against which popular protest was made with astounding emphasis will be honestly to endeavor to secure beneficial results to which a republican senate must consent or take the consequence. The Springer program is clearcut and practical. A bill to repeal the McKinley laws would be mere challenge to definite refusal. But proposals made in the expectation that the senate will concur, and for the purpose of gaining desired relief by every honorable means, without reference to mere party advantage, will command confidence and respect. Thus, when bills are passed in the house providing for the enlargement of the free list so as to include wool, binding-twine and the fibers entering into its construction, lumber, salt, and cotton ties, it will be difficult to assign in the senate a reason for the refusal of all of them, and it is possible that to the advantage of consumers and to the entire farming class certain advantages will accrue.

There are democrats who favor a Fabian policy; they oppose piecemeal legislation; they would consume the time of congress in merely marking lines upon which the presidential contest between the great parties may be waged. These men are politicians and nothing more. In the west the demand is for results, not for maneuvers, and there will be no sympathy in the great valley, where democracy must make gains or the party lose the presidential election, with any policy that would make of a congressional session nothing more than a factor in a fall campaign. The country asks for relief not as urgently as a year ago, for a great crop has stayed stomachs and claimed nervous minds. A season's prosperity through the beneficence of nature has taken some fervency from the cry of reform. But there are thoughtful citizens who look beyond the immediate present and know that a great factor in the distress which is relieved only at periods by extraordinary crops is created by government when it continues unnecessary taxation.

If a democratic congress shall be in the position to say, without the slightest suggestion of posing for effect, "We have not attempted the impossible, but we have honestly afforded our party adversaries opportunity to do justice to the people in some greatly needed directions," the situation of the democrats before 12,000,000 of electors will be free from any suggestion of trickery, whether their effort succeeds or fails. The great injustice of a tariff policy which has been obtained with generally increasing advantage to protectionists can not be removed in a day. Time is needed—not one session of congress, but many sessions: not one presidential election, but sessions of these. Reformatory legislation must be gradual and conservative. The time is not favorable for radical treatment of the tariff question. Nature has interposed a tremendous corn crop. But the time is opportune for movement against those injustices of tariff laws most easily comprehended.

The Times hopes to see the Springer committee speedily at work in the right direction.—Chicago Times.

Continental money was the title given to the bills of credit issued by the congress of the united colonies of America, during the war for independence. When that war broke out Spanish coin was the principle metallic currency in the colonies. Its quantity was entirely inadequate for the emergency, and when the war was fairly commenced, after the battle of Bunker Hill the congress initiated some of the colonial governments, and issued bills of credit. During 1775 bills to the amount of \$5,000,000 were issued. Other issues were made, until at the beginning of 1780, their bills of credit had been put forth to the amount of \$200,000,000, with promises to be redeemed in Spanish milled dollars. After the second year of their emission (1777) these bills began to depreciate rapidly, for the prospect of their redemption appeared very remote and problematical. Various measures were adopted to sustain their credit, but in vain. They depreciated more and more rapidly. In 1780, 40 paper dollars were worth only one in specie, and in 1781 they were utterly valueless. They had afforded temporary relief, but were finally productive of much public evil and individual suffering. These bills are now rare objects in the collections of the curious.

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Our esteemed cotemporary, the Herald, says that there is one question which tariff reformers have failed to answer and that is, why all articles are cheaper now than before the new tariff went into effect. It does not need any answer. The public generally understands that the Herald's position is not true. If putting a tariff duty on an article lowers the price of that article, why is it that taking the duty off also lowers the price? The Herald has not, nor can it answer this question. Everybody knows that tin sells higher, and sugar lower in the markets than before the passage of the McKinley bill, and why? Simply because that bill increased the duty on tin and put sugar on the free list. The people understand these plain simple truths and they are able to trace the cause, and no amount of juggling or sophistry can gainay them.

"Commonwealth of England" was a term applied to the interregnum between the death of Charles I. and the restoration of Charles II. A republic was established at the execution of Charles I. Jan. 30, 1649. A new oath, called the "engagement," was framed, which all officials were obliged to take. Oliver Cromwell was made protector Dec. 16, 1763, succeeded by his son Richard Sept. 3, 1658. Monarchy was restored May 8, and Charles II. entered London May 29, 1660.

The miles of the various nations expressed in yards, are as follows: The Irish mile, 2240 yards; Swiss, 9133; Italian, 1766; Scotch, 1984; Tuscan, 1801; German, 8106; Arabian, 2143; Turkish, 1826; Flemish, 6896; Vienna 8296; Roman, 1628 or 2025; Welch, 1167 or 1337; Dutch and Prussian, 6480; Swedish and Danish, 7351.5; English and American, 1760.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

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