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HOUSE AND SENATE

Teller Will Fight the Cuban Reciprocity Bill to a Finish.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
WASHINGTON, May 31.—Next week in the Senate promises to mark the beginning of the end of the present session of Congress. Not only will the debate on the Philippine civil government bill be brought to a conclusion but a program for action upon the Cuban Reciprocity and Isthmian Canal bills will be marked out. The leaders of the Senate expect an adjournment on June 25. Monday and Tuesday of next week will be devoted to 15-minute speeches on the Philippines, with the understanding that a vote will be taken at 4 o'clock on Tuesday. That

it will pass is a foregone conclusion. The Isthmian Canal Bill will then be taken up, the debate on it continuing to the end of the week. The Cuban reciprocity measure will probably be reported to the Senate on Wednesday. Its future will be a matter for conference. Teller and a few other of the best sugar men from the West are preparing to make a hard fight against the proposed concession to Cuba, but it is not believed they can delay the vote very long. In the House the week will be occupied by the consideration of the anti-anarchy bill, the Pacific cable measure and the irrigation bill.

HEAVY STORMS

Sweep Texas—Cattle Are Killed

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
DALLAS, Tex., May 31.—Heavy storms continue here. The Red river flood is increasing rapidly and people are moving to higher grounds. A \$50,000 bridge at Vernon has been swept away. Hall has pelted cattle to death and ruined the crops over a great area.

BRITISH AFRAID

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
CAPE TOWN, May 31.—There is a growing uneasiness here over the delay in the conclusion of peace negotiations, and fear is felt that the Boers at the last moment will decide to reject the British terms. On Friday Commandant Fouché attacked a force of Colonial near Ripon and a dogged fight ensued. Fouché finally withdrew. The casualties are not known.

MITCHELL PLEASED

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 31.—President Mitchell of the Mine Workers returned today from his Western trip. He said all the present peace talk is without foundation, and that no negotiations for the settlement of the strike are on. The plan of holding the national convention of hard and soft coal miners to decide what sympathetic action the soft coal men should take in the anthracite strike, he said, is still unsettled. Mitchell expressed satisfaction at the situation here in regard to the action of the engineer, firemen and pumpmen upon the eight-hour day ultimatum, to become effective Monday. He felt that these men largely will obey orders to strike unless an eight-hour day is granted, but he is anxious to have men stay at the pumps to save the property.

BIG STEAL

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
ST. LOUIS, May 31.—The April grand jury has returned a report today stating that the aggregate of the recent municipal bribery scandals is \$400,000. The language of the report is most scathing in its denunciation of men of "criminal instincts, purblind desires and corrupt motives who have long infested the city in the capacity of legislators."

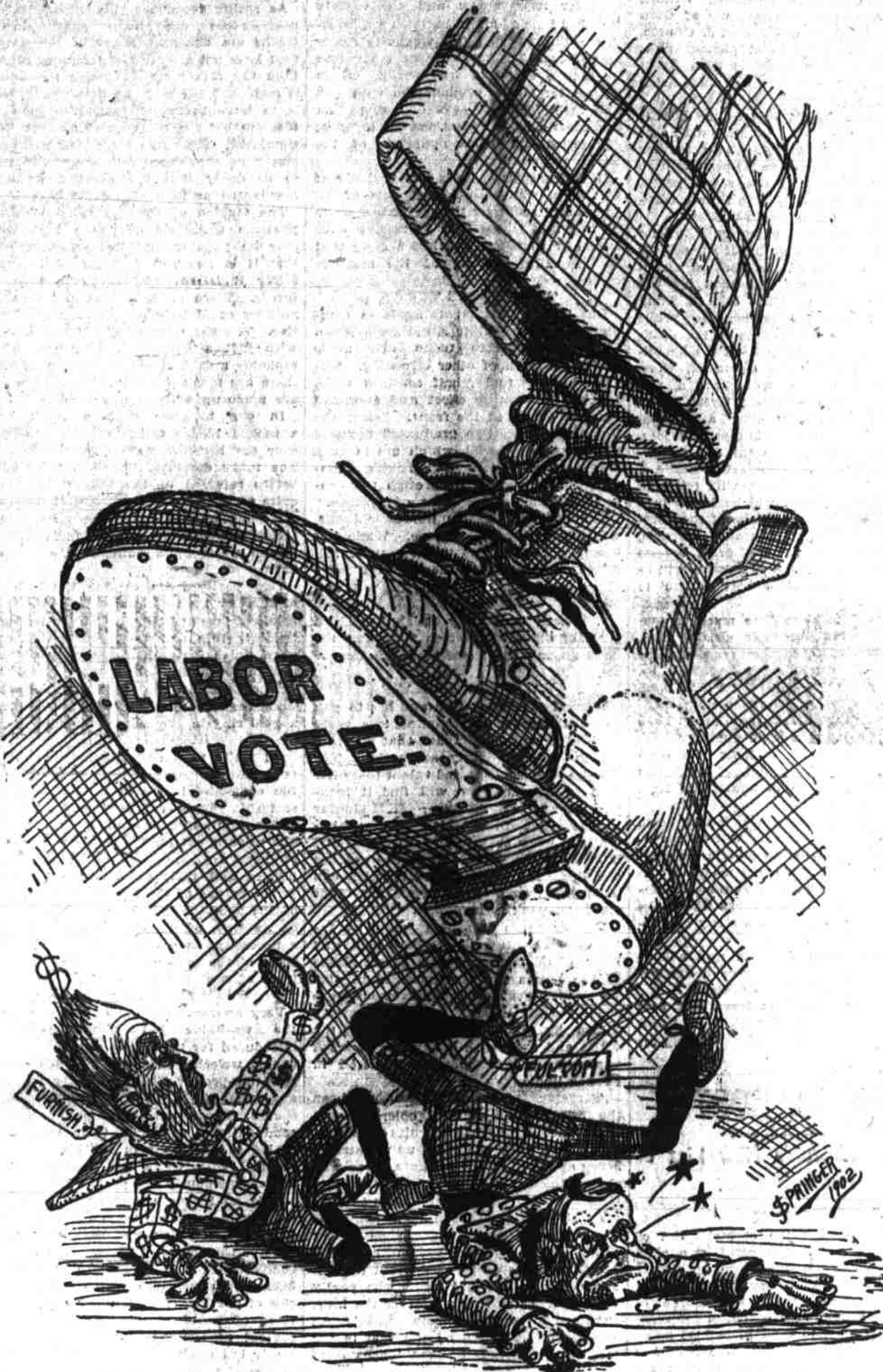
TAFT ILL

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
ROME, May 31.—Governor Taft is confined to his bed in the hotel here with tonsillitis. His audience with Cardinal Rampolla has been postponed till Monday.

INMAN REFUTES FALSEHOODS

The Oregonian's false statements this morning concerning the position of our firm leads me to say: That in the panic times Inman, Poulson & Co. were the last mill owners by a year to reduce wages. That after the panic, Inman, Poulson & Co. were the first to raise wages. That we employ more men than any concern in Portland and they have always been satisfied with our treatment of them. That we are not now and never have been unfriendly to organized labor. That we have entered into no combination with other mill owners against the unions or union planing mills and do not intend to do so. The Oregonian's representations are false and misleading.
R. D. INMAN.

MIGHTY IS THE POWER BEHIND THIS FOOT.



THE GREATEST RALLY OF ALL

Chamberlain's Campaign Closes Tonight at the Tabernacle.

The greatest rally of the campaign will be held tonight in the Tabernacle, 12th and Morrison streets, when the Democratic nominee for Governor, George E. Chamberlain, will address the people of Portland on the issues of the campaign. As the hall will not hold quite 2000 people it is hoped that all will be able to hear the people's candidate on this occasion. During the evening a eulogy of the late Governor Penney will be delivered.

THOUGHT HE WAS A DEER

GRANTS PASS, May 31.—Albert Teal was shot in the mountains of Northern Josephine County yesterday by his brother William, who mistook him for a deer. He was shot through the right thigh, the bullet shattering the bone. He had to be carried out of the mountains on a stretcher, and was brought here this morning. His recovery is doubtful.

AUTOMOBILE RUNS AMUCK

NEW YORK, May 31.—During some automobile speed tests on the South shore boulevard of Staten Island this afternoon a racing machine of the Baker Motor Vehicle Company gave way, crashed into the crowd behind the ropes, killed Arthur Featherstone and injured a dozen others. It was an electric machine built especially for the mile record, and was traveling at the rate of a mile in 48 seconds. When 200 yards from the tape the machine arose in the air when a tire gave way and hurled itself into a group of spectators. Featherstone received his full force, while J. C. Bogart, Patrick Kenny and Samuel Brick, who were seriously wounded, were removed to the hospital. W. C. Baker and E. E. Denzer, who were riding in the machine, strange to say, escaped with a few bruises. The test was then temporarily suspended. Previously S. T. Davis broke the world's steamer record in a 10-horse locomobile, doing the one mile in one minute and 12 seconds. Later the District Attorney of Richmond ordered the races stopped. Baker and Denzer were arrested on the charge of homicide and were locked up at Stapleton. It is now alleged that it was not a broken tire but loss of control by Baker which caused the accident.

Slightly Hurt.

At 12:10 today, Roy Lucas, driver for the firm of J. F. Schmeer, at Sixth and Salmon streets, was thrown out of his wagon while attempting to cross the car track at Fifth and Main streets, sustaining a scalp wound about an inch long. He was rendered unconscious for a few minutes. Dr. Locke, who dressed the wound, pronounces it slight.

TROUBLE FEARED

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
CHICAGO, May 31.—The situation of the teamsters' strike this morning is serious. Stock yards reports indicate that not a pound of meat is being delivered, and hotels and restaurants have been notified that if they continue to patronize the packers, their supply of ice and coal will be cut off. Up to noon, however, there has been no violence.

TERRIFIC STORM

Fearful Disaster in the Black Sea of Russia.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
CONSTANTINOPLE, May 31.—A terrific storm swept over the Black Sea on Friday. Thirty vessels were wrecked, and 160 lives lost.

FAST TIME

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
BERKELEY, Cal., May 31.—A struggle for the survival of the fittest among the track stars of the various colleges for the intercollegiate championship was fought out here this afternoon. The meet opened with Harvard the favorite. The results were: Sixteen-pound shot put—Beck, Yale, 44 feet 5 1/2 inches, breaking the record. Mile run—Williams, Princeton, time, 4:21.5. In the semi-finals, 100 yards, Duffy of Georgetown won the heat in 1:24.5 seconds, equalling the world's record. In the 440-yard run, Holland of Georgetown won in 1:03.5 seconds. In the 120-yard hurdle, Converse of Harvard won in 1:53.5 seconds. In the 120-yard final, Duffy of Georgetown was first, Schick of Harvard second and Westney of Pennsylvania third. The time was 1:24.5 seconds, the world's record, equalling the professional.

STRIKE QUIET

The strike situation will probably remain unchanged until after the election Monday, when it is believed by many interested parties that some satisfactory arrangement can be devised for its immediate settlement. As the election approaches every move made by each side is regarded by the other as a political move, and so far as the strikers are concerned they have announced their intention of not trying to accomplish anything until after June 2. The millowners refuse to divulge their plans, but continue to run their mills as best they can under the circumstances. Carpenters are wondering what plans will be adopted by the master builders when the fair material which they have on hand becomes exhausted. "The contractors have shown us no favors," said one of them this morning, "and it is probable that we will not go any out of our way to show them much consideration."

AGGY LIED

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
WASHINGTON, May 31.—Felipe Buenacano, former secretary of state under Aguinaldo, who is in this country to study American institutions, was a witness before the House Committee on Insular Affairs today. He hoped, the States would give his people a just and liberal government, and stated that before the hostilities in Manila in October, '98 the Filipinos had made secret arrangements for an outbreak when Aguinaldo called that McKinley refused to receive him as representative of the Filipino Government. Aguinaldo told them Dewey had promised them their freedom and Aguinaldo being the people's idol, they trusted him but now they know they had been deceived.

CHAMBERLAIN RALLY

Hon. George E. Chamberlain and Hon. W. F. Butler will address the voters of Multnomah County tonight, 8 p. m., at the Tabernacle, Twelfth and Morrison streets. This is your last chance before election to hear the very convincing arguments of these able and eloquent exponents of the issues of this campaign.

WAGNER DEFENDS

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
WASHINGTON, May 31.—Colonel Arthur Wagner, in continuing his testimony before the Senate Committee on the Philippines this morning said he knew none braver nor more humane than Gen. Bell, who issued the reconcentrado orders to the Philippines. It was Wagner's opinion that the conduct of the war was as humane as any war ever carried on. He defended the reconcentrado policy on two grounds, duty and right. Our duty was to protect the people from the attack of armed bands and our right was that which any army had under the rules of war to withhold sustenance from the enemy. Burning villages and towns sometimes was a military necessity such as the burning of Atlanta by Sherman.

LATE WIRE NEWS

FORT DE FRANCE, May 31.—Souffriere is subsiding greatly, and the panic at St. Vincent is nearly over. Mont Pelée, though smoking, is no longer threatening. Many believe the worst is over. Five hundred natives left for Guadalupe today.

TUXEDO GOLF GROUNDS, NEW YORK, May 31.—Walter J. Travis, national golf champion, today defeated F. A. Marcelus at the final game of the metropolitan tournament, 11 up, 10 to play.

LONDON, May 31.—The international polo match at Burlington today was won by the Americans, 2 to 1. The Americans thus get the cup won by Engle from Americans captained by Foxhall Keene.

WHEAT MARKET.

CHICAGO, May 31.—Wheat, 12 1/2 @ 75c.

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