

HOUSE PASSES BILL REVISING WOOL DUTY OVER VETO OF TAFT

Ruling Not Counting Votes of Those Who Answer "Present" Accomplishes It.

MARGIN OF BUT FIVE BALLOTS

Announcement Creates Wild Scene on Floor of Chamber.

SUGAR CONFEREES DISAGREE

Expected to Mark End of Effort to Change Schedule.

EXCISE TAX BILL WILL WAIT

Democratic and Progressive Leaders Do Not Believe Wool Tariff Bill Can Be Passed in the Senate.

LIVE WIRE AT THE MEETING OF THE STATIONERS.



EDWARD WEISS, Michigan.

Conduct of Hays in Everglades Land Cases Criticized

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Assistant Secretary Hays of the Department of Agriculture comes in for adverse criticism in the report of the Moss committee of the house, which investigated the Florida Everglades land charges and other affairs in the department. His operations in North Carolina with J. O. Wright, a former employe, are deprecated and the report hints that impeachment proceedings were narrowly escaped.

Secretary Wilson is not condemned for the Everglades affair, in which it was charged that land agents had used their influence at the department to prevent the presentation of official reports unfavorable to the project. Loose management is charged against the department, however, in that connection. The handling of business in the office of experimental stations also is condemned.

Populist National Convention Meets in Parlor of Hotel

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 13.—Not more than 100 delegates to the populist national convention are expected by National chairman James H. Ferriss of Joliet, Ill., when the session is convened at 10 o'clock this morning at the St. James hotel. Four years ago when the convention met here a theater was necessary to accommodate the delegates. This year the parlor of a small hotel will be ample space.

Although the populists have always advocated woman suffrage, an effort will be made this year for the first time to incorporate an endorsement of woman suffrage in the platform. Little opposition is expected.

As it is improbable that a national ticket will be named, chief interest will be in the adoption of a platform. That congress shall issue all money and regulate the value and volume is a plank which Ferriss will try to put through.

Although Nebraska populists will try to obtain an endorsement of Woodrow Wilson, the majority of delegates declare that neither Roosevelt nor Wilson will be endorsed.

Mrs. Bogges' Hat and Purse Found in Boat Near Fort Gage, Ill.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 13.—A woman's Panama hat, gloves, purse and night robe were almost positively identified today as the property of Mrs. Ethel Keating Bogges, who disappeared in Kansas City August 2. The articles were brought here today by detectives from Fort Gage, Ill., eighty-five miles south of St. Louis, where they were found in a boat in the Mississippi river.

The identification was made by telephone by T. J. Keating of Columbus, O., in talking with a local manager of a detective agency. Mr. Keating received a description of the property and he told the detective the articles were those of his daughter.

LARGEST MULE IN WORLD IS BURNED TO DEATH

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 12.—W. H. Warren's heavy mule at Trenton, Mo., burned today, loss \$75,000. The largest mule in the world was among the stock destroyed. It weighed 2,000 pounds.

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RECORD SMASHED BY SOARING BEEF

South Omaha Market Sees Highest Price Since Civil War Paid for Cattle.

CRESTON MAN MAKES BIG SALE

Steels Bring E. T. Graham \$10.35 Per Hundred for Eighteen.

ONLY NICKEL UNDER CHICAGO

Last Previous Record Now Exceeded by Thirty-Five Cents.

COMPARISON WITH WAR PRICES

Supply Now Smaller Than Supply Then—Purchasing Power of Dollar Now Greater Than at that Time.

Every beef price record in the annals of stock yards history was broken yesterday on the South Omaha market with the sale of a shipment of choice fed cattle at \$10.35 per hundred. E. T. Graham of Creston received this price for eighteen head of well finished branded western steers that averaged 1,357 pounds. Besides breaking all records on the South Omaha market, the transaction becomes even more remarkable when comparisons are made with beef values during war times. Along in the '06, when the political situation in this country had reached a crisis, live stock became valuable enough to be sold by tray weight, but no quotable trade existed. Veterans tell of cattle selling around \$12 and \$13 per hundred, with hogs at relatively lofty figures, but, until recently, cattle have remained comfortably below the \$10 mark.

Supply is Smaller.

The \$10.35 sale means that the supply of beef cattle is smaller, when matched with the demand, than it has been since the civil war. At that period, the purchasing power of a dollar was considerably less than at present, so that the popular wall against the high cost of living seems to be fully justified. The new Omaha record exceeds the last one made only a short time ago by 35 cents, and approaches within 5 cents of the American record hung up at Chicago this week. Incidentally, Mr. Graham has probably broken more records in his stock feeding experience than any other single man in the United States. The cattle were purchased by Swift and Company and sold by Clay, Robinson & Co.

Comparisons Are Interesting.

In connection with the current lofty prices for live stock, supply comparisons are interesting. Receipts of cattle at Kansas City, St. Louis, St. Joseph, Omaha, Chicago and Sioux City from January 1 to date are approximately \$30,000 short of the corresponding period of 1911. The season of most liberal marketing, when the ranges and pastures of the west turn off their grass beef, is now at hand, but the movement to all markets up to date has not attained appreciable proportions in comparison with other seasons.

All reports from the northwest indicate an abundance of feed throughout the grazing sections and advance information is indicative of a smaller movement to market than in recent years. Drought and short feed forced the marketing from the ranges for the last two seasons. This year conditions are reversed. Ranch and range men having ample forage, will carry everything but their most mature beef stock over for greater growth and weight.

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WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Unofficially it is known here that overtures have been going on between President Yuan Shi Kai and Mr. Rockhill, the American ambassador to Turkey, looking to the appointment of the latter as adviser to the new Chinese republic. These have not yet progressed far enough to warrant Mr. Rockhill's resignation, but it is known he is giving the offer serious consideration. Mr. Rockhill is regarded as being thoroughly conversant with Chinese governmental methods. In addition to a service of three years as minister in Peking following the boxer uprising, Mr. Rockhill was secretary to the American legation at Peking. About a decade before this he made extensive explorations of the interior of the country, penetrating Tibet as a pioneer, which adventure formed the basis of what is regarded as a text book on that then little known country.

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Anyhow R. Has a Show



From the Minneapolis Journal.

TELLS SCHEPPS NOT TO TALK

Attorney for Alleged Paymaster of Gunmen Goes to Hot Springs.

THREE MEN ARE HIGHER UP

Lawyer, Hotel Proprietor and Police Officials Are Said to Be at Head of the Graft Syndicate.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Bernard H. Sandler, counsel for Sam Schepps, alleged "paymaster" of the gun men who killed Herman Rosenthal, complicated the situation today by hurriedly leaving for Hot Springs and warning Schepps not to start for New York until his arrival.

Schepps had said that he would waive extradition and come home at once with Assistant District Attorney Rubin and a detective who are on their way to take him into custody.

Before leaving for the southwest Sandler sent Schepps this telegram: "Don't talk to Rubin or any other person and don't leave for New York until I arrive."

Mr. Sandler offered no explanation of why he had taken this action.

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The National Capital

Tuesday, August 13, 1912.

The Senate.

Convened at 10 a. m. Resumed consideration of postoffice appropriation bill, with a demand to vote upon it at 4 p. m.

Senator Kansas introduced resolution for investigation of operation of Interstate Commerce law since its enactment. Representative Lloyd, chairman of 1908 democratic congressional committee, testified before campaign fund investigating committee.

The House.

Convened at noon. Began reconsideration of wool tariff revision bill with two hours' debate with an attempt to pass it over President Taft's veto.

Revolutionists Are Driven Back from Managua

CORINTO, Nicaragua, Aug. 13 (Via Liberator and Galveston).—The government troops at Managua succeeded in repulsing the attacks of the revolutionary army under General Luis Menoa and Zelaya. Their victory, however, was not pronounced. The bombardment of the city was discontinued today, but it is thought only temporarily.

The American marines and bluejackets at the legation are all well. Telegraphic communication between here and Managua was restored this morning.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The collier Justin, with 350 marines aboard from Panama will not reach Corinto until tomorrow, according to the revised estimate of the Navy department.

Captain Tergene of the Annapolis reported the rebels had given notice of a bombardment from the northeast for August 13 (today).

Negro Charged with the Killing of a Denver Woman

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 13.—In the arrest late last night of a negro named H. J. Jones, 56 years old, the police believe they have the murderer of Miss Signe Carlsen, the music teacher who was killed Friday night in Aurora, a suburb. When the place where he lives was searched an axe, the blade and handle stained with blood, was found. Blood stains were found also on the underclothing of the negro. Jones explains the bloody axe by declaring he killed a chicken Sunday, but he is unable to explain the spots on his underclothes.

Fifteen Men Killed When a Slag Bank Caves in on Them

DORTMUND, Germany, Aug. 13.—Twenty-six workmen were buried today by the fall of a slag bank at an iron works in the suburbs of the city. Fifteen bodies have been recovered and it is believed that all the men perished. The rescuing parties succeeded in extracting eleven of the iron workers alive. The total death list is fifteen.

GIRL SIX YEARS OLD DROWNS HERSELF IN WELL

COOKSVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 13.—Ruby Single, 6 years old, of Double Springs spilled acid on her face. A doctor told her she "never would be pretty again." An hour later the child's lifeless body was found at the bottom of a well.

STATIONERS LOSE NO TIME

Convention Speed Records Broken in Performing Day's Work.

VAUDEVILLE AS ENTERTAINMENT

Mayor Dahlgren Welcomes Convention Members—Advertising Advised in Paper by Largest Manufacturer.

The National Association of Stationers and Manufacturers, assembled in eighth annual convention at the Rome hotel, has demonstrated that its members are the most expeditious convention holders in the world. The first business sessions of the organization began yesterday afternoon with some of the fastest and cleanest work Omaha has seen in the way of convention business meetings.

President Millington Lockwood called the convention to order at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and without any further ado the invocation was pronounced. Mayor Dahlgren gave his address of welcome and everybody's report was in, from that of the president to that of the auditor, in time which would seem to have been beaten only by the man who said "Jack Robinson."

Something unheard of in convention fashions was the total absence of those who object to anything and everything and the delegates who desire all matters to be referred to committees for considerable incubation and final verbose reports.

The National Stationers and Manufacturers have shown they can do things and do them well and in a hurry.

Objections Are Curiousities.

Remarkable as it may seem, there was not an objection to the president's appointments to the nominating committee. President Lockwood read off these names: Harry W. Rogers of New York City, chairman; W. E. Smith of San Antonio, Tex.; W. E. Smith and C. A. Stevens of Chicago; Charles E. Moyer of Omaha; H. J. Williams of Buffalo; George A. Savoy of Holyoke, Mass.

Every man seemed to have been raised just to be a member of that committee if the pleasure of the convention may count for anything.

And then there was the report of the executive committee. It did not have much to report other than that no meetings had been held and they had been principally occupied in the acceptance of new members and the ousting of those who had neglected to pay dues. Five of these latter, the report read, had been reinstated.

Ralph S. Bauer, chairman of the program committee, was called upon to read the address of Charles H. Marshall of Philadelphia, the largest manufacturer of stationery supplies in the United States. Marshall was scheduled to be in Omaha to deliver the address entitled, "Advertising a Retail Business." Word came that he was unable to be here and his paper was turned over to be read.

This large stationery advertiser advised: "Use of newspapers for a quick introduction. Do not look upon money spent in advertising as a gamble. The honest exploitation of goods in good advertising mediums means the greatest success in the business world."

Many other such thoughts expressed figuratively were included in the paper, with which the convention was so pleased that a motion was unanimously adopted that it be placed in the minutes of the assembly.

The stationers and manufacturers were entertained last night by a specially prepared vaudeville entertainment at the Rome summer garden. Both men and women attended.

There will be a meeting this morning of

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HILLES ANNOUNCES LIST OF MEMBERS OF HIS ADVISORY BOARD

Men Who Will Assist National Republican Committee in Directing Campaign Meet in Gotham.

WILLIAM BARNES IS CHAIRMAN

Name of Treasurer Will Be Announced in Few Days.

LEADERS GATHER IN CHICAGO

Chairmen of Three Parties Reach the Windy City Wednesday.

REPUBLICAN OFFICES OPEN

Executive Committee Will Hold Conference in Morning—All Want Vote of the Women in the Suffrage States.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Chairman Charles D. Hilles of the national republican committee today announced the names of the advisory committee of the national committee. William Barnes, jr., chairman of the republican state committee is chairman.

Mr. Hilles said he probably would be able to announce the name of the treasurer of the national committee when he returned from Chicago, whether he and Secretary Reynolds went today to assist in opening the Chicago headquarters of the Taft campaign.

The members of the advisory committee which met today are as follows: Senator Theodore E. Burton, Ohio; State Senator Colonel Austin Colgate New Jersey; Thomas H. Devine, Colorado; Governor Philip Lee Goldsborough Maryland; John Hays Hammond, Joseph B. Keating, Indiana; former United States district attorney; Adolph Lewishon, New York; Henry F. Lippitt, senator from Indiana; Herbert Parsons, New York; Samuel L. Powers, former congressman from Massachusetts; Elihu Root, senator from New York; John Wanamaker, Pennsylvania; George R. Sheldon, treasurer republican national committee in 1908; Otto E. Stifflin, Missouri; and Fred W. Upham, Illinois.

Leaders Gather in Chicago. CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—Chairman and leaders of the three political parties—republican, democratic and progressive—will be in Chicago tomorrow to take first steps in the active campaign for votes at the November election.

Permanent republican headquarters at the Auditorium hotel are already open, with David W. Mulvane of Kansas as director in charge. Permanent progressive headquarters will be opened tomorrow at the Hotel La Salle and it is expected that a location for the democratic headquarters will have been decided upon by tomorrow night.

Charles D. Hilles, chairman of the republican campaign executive committee telegraphed today that he would arrive tomorrow. Senator Dixon, progressive chairman, is expected to return to Chicago from New York at the same time and Chairman McCombs of the democratic committee also will be on hand.

Director Mulvane announced a meeting of the executive committee for tomorrow morning. The following are expected to attend: Charles D. Hilles, chairman; James B. Reynolds, secretary; Walter H. Eversman, assistant treasurer; John C. Adams of Iowa, Charles B. Warren of Michigan, Roy O. West of Illinois, Thomas K. Niedringhaus of Missouri and T. A. Marlow of Montana.

All Want Women Vote. A hard fight for the votes of women in suffrage states and for the influence of women in other states will be made by all parties. The progressives seem to thing they have the early advantage, because of the suffrage plank in their platform and the influence of such women as Miss Jane Addams in their support of the new party.

Mrs. Catherine Waugh McCulloch prominent Illinois suffrage advocate, to

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Noted Composer of Musical Works Dead

PARIS, Aug. 12.—Julien Emile Frederic Massenet, the well known musical composer, died at his home this morning at the age of 70. He had been suffering for a long time from cancer, but his death was sudden and unexpected.

Among M. Massenet's more noted works were "Le Cid," "Manon" and "Thais." He established his reputation in 1872 with "Don Caesar de Bazan." Among others of his notable works were a four-act opera, "La Roi de Lahore" and "La Navarraise" and he also composed many oratorios and cantatas. He was a grand officer of the Legion of Honor and a member of the French Institute.

Your real estate advertising ought to appear in The Bee every week.

There is no paper in the west that brings greater returns on this kind of advertising than does The Bee. The Bee is the recognized leader.

A want ad in this paper does not cost much, and yet it brings returns that are amazing. You can ill afford to let your real estate go unmentioned in the classified sections of this paper. Try a Bee want ad and be convinced.

Tyler 1000

The Weather

For Nebraska—Generally fair; cooler east portion.
For Iowa—Generally fair.

Temperature at Omaha Yesterday.

Hours.	Temp.
6 a. m.	70
7 a. m.	72
8 a. m.	74
9 a. m.	76
10 a. m.	78
11 a. m.	79
12 m.	80
1 p. m.	81
2 p. m.	82
3 p. m.	83
4 p. m.	84
5 p. m.	85
6 p. m.	84
7 p. m.	83
8 p. m.	82
9 p. m.	81
10 p. m.	80
11 p. m.	79
12 m.	78

