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Washington Letter.

Washington, D. C.—Until the membership of the new Rules Committee of the House of Representatives has been determined upon and that Committee acts in regard to some specific legislation, it will be impossible to determine whether the "recent revolution" was worth while or not. There seems to be a disposition on all sides to let the matter rest now for the present session, and certainly no faction or party or individual has cause to be very jubilant over the outcome. The Democrats simply played the game and do not seem to be criticized from any quarter; the so-called regulars contended till the last for party solidarity while the action of the so-called insurgents is very hard to analyze. Some of these men undoubtedly thought they were working for and voting for a principle; some of them undoubtedly, as was the case of those who refused to rejoin the party after the decisive test concerning the Committee on Rules was over, simply showed their spiteful nature and that their action was

provoked by animosity toward the Speaker himself.

The fact that Mr. Cannon was re-elected Speaker by ten votes more than he got at the beginning of the contest was certainly very significant. The uplift magazines, for reasons best known to themselves, which have been crying out against so-called Cannonism, will get very little comfort from the outcome—in fact, so many and diverse are the opinions, particularly of the honest and impartial newspaper men, that it shows that no decisive victory was gained by any one. If it is true that the old Committee was dominated by the Speaker, it will be equally true that the new Committee will be dominated by him and by his friends, and Mr. Cannon will continue to wield the gavel until the end of the 61st Congress.

The fact of the matter is that the Committee on Rules is only one of the 60-odd Committees of the House, and has really less to do with legislation than is generally thought. While it has the power to be of considerable importance, yet this power is rarely used. Most of the legislation of the House of Representatives is carried on without resort to any action whatever on the part of this Committee. It is only when a democratic filibuster is on, or when it is necessary to put through an important bill with expedition that the power of the Committee is brought into play. And while the majority of the new Committee will be dominated as was the old by the so-called regular organization by this Congress, at least, there will be apparently no difference as to the result of its actions.

There may be developments during the session that will in-

crease or decrease the prospects of the Republican party, and there may be influences outside of either House of Congress that will also have their bearings upon the result of the campaign and elections—for instance, the decisions of the Supreme Court, particularly upon the constitutionality of the corporation tax and the legality of the Standard Oil Company and the American Tobacco Company, may all have their effect upon the minds of the people and weaken or strengthen the Republican positions, according to how the decisions may strike the people.

Instructions to Township Assessors For 1910.

Items of credit may be offset by indebtedness of like character. Persons claiming such offset must file itemized statement of deductions claimed.

Enter all items of credit on credit side of deduction sheet and all items of indebtedness on debit side. If the credit side is the greatest the balance should be entered on the schedules. If the debit side is the greatest there will not be any thing to enter on schedule. Owners of notes claiming credit for part payment should state amount of offset and balance entered. Money on hand or on deposit is not an item of credit and no deductions can be allowed from it. Attach deduction sheet to schedule.

Assess improvements on leased lands and lots, leased school lands and on government land on line 38. Add all improvements that have been made on real estate since April 1, 1909 describing the 40 acres on which buildings are located on blank furnished you.

Assess local telephone lines and apportion the value between the different school and road districts.

Every assessor will be expected to make a fair assessment out of every item in the list that can be found in



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J. G. HAEBERLE
Druggist.

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CHAS. W. BOWMAN
BROKEN BOW, NEB.

his precinct, such as household furniture, watches, clocks, organs, pianos, sewing machines, etc.

Assess every man who is of the age of twenty-one, and less than fifty years, with a poll tax. Poll tax in villages is \$2.00; county \$2.50; be careful not to include persons over that age. The law exempts from this tax only old soldiers who draw pensions, paupers, idiots, insane persons, firemen, and militiamen.

For the present year you will assess grain at its market value less the cost of getting same to market.

The assessed value by law is based upon what the property is actually worth on April 1st of each year, and any change in the market thereafter is not to be taken into consideration.

Cattle and hogs being fattened should be assessed as soon after the first day of April as you can conveniently get to them.

In assessing personal property where the owner cannot be found or reached, after making a reasonable effort to secure a listing in proper form, it is your duty to assess such property from the best information you can get, stating briefly on schedule, owner not found, assessed by precinct assessor.

You are required to list the names of all male persons between the ages of 18 to 45 years, subject to military duty.

Executors, administrators, guardians or trustees must make separate schedules of personal property belonging to the estate, and if there is no such property it should be so stated.

Administer the oath to every person you assess. Signing the schedule is not sufficient without administering the oath.

When you assess HORSES be sure to put down in the spaces provided on schedule as shown below, the number and value, then add the number column and put total in proper on righthand side of blank, also add the Actual Value column and put total on right-hand side of blank, also add the actual value column and put total on righthand side of blank.

EXAMPLE:
50 Horses
Under 1 yr. 10 No. Act value \$ 2.50
Over 1 year & under 2 20 5.00
Over 2 yrs. & under 3 6 3.00
Over 3 yrs. & under 12 1 1.00
Over 12 yrs. 2 2.00
Total 39 \$ 12.90

Assess mules, jacks and jennies in the same way.

Assess cattle in the same way.

Be sure and give the average weight of hogs on item 34.

M. R. FOSTER, County Assessor.

TOWNSHIP ASSESSORS 1910.

Twps.	Name	Residence
Loup	Sam Swanson,	Burr Oak.



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\$60 Round trip, central Nebraska to California or Puget Sound, via direct routes, June 1st to Sept 30
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Proportional rates from your town. Consult nearest ticket agent or write me freely asking for publications, assistance, etc., stating rather definitely your general plans.

L. W. WAKELEY, G. P. A.
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JULES HAUMONT, Vice President
R. D. PICKETT, Asst. Cashier

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We can make you money by buying coal of us as we have the stock to choose from. Let us fill your coal bin next time.

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Sargent, W. D. Hall, Sargent,
West'le, W. D. Gardner, West'le,
Myrtle, J. W. Bryan, Anselmo,
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Broken B., G. T. Robinson, B. B.
Delight, H. B. Schneringer, Call'y,
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Wayne, F. Johnson, Gorhenburg,
Comstock, W. Dunbar, Comstock,
E. Custer, J. Huffaker, B. Bow.
A meeting of the township assessors of Custer county was held in the court room in Broken Bow on March 23rd, 1910. Meeting called to order by county assessor.

KIFFIN-LUCKE CO.

After Easter Garment Sale

- 3 Capes at \$10.00 that were priced at \$11.50 to \$12.50
- 5 Coats at \$13.50 that were priced at 15.00 to 20.00
- 6 Suits at \$22.50 that were priced at 25.00 to 30.00
- 5 Suits at \$19.50 that were priced at 22.50 to 25.00

The colors are Reseda, Gray, Manish Mixture, Black and White Checks and White Serge.

These prices hold good for a few days only as these garments are all this springs styles and worth all we ask for them in the first place, but you know our motto is to close out all the goods bought for the season for which it is intended. Hence these special prices for a few days.

We also call your attention to the following lines:

We have checked into stock another lot of Boys and Girls clothing. Our line is very complete and we ask that you come in and look it over.

See our Kayzers Silk, Lisle and Chamoisette Gloves in all colors and long and short. Also long White Kid Gloves for evening.

New Belts and Belting.

R & G and Nemo Corsets

We now have a line of Rugs ranging in price from \$13.50 to \$42.50. See them.

Watch for our Lace Curtain display.

Motoring Coats that will please you.

See our table of New Wash Goods at 10c, 15c and 20c.

We are the exclusive agents for Royal Underwear for Men, Women and Children.

Queen Quality Oxfords for Ladies, Harlow for Men.

Just received more Coronet Braids in all colors.

See our line of Satins, Embroidery, Lace and Trimmings for your party gown.

Spring Hose in all colors to match your gown.