

GOVERNOR WILSON'S IDEAS ARE REVIEWED ON FLOOR OF HOUSE

Representative Goldberg of Illinois Reads Extracts from Democratic Candidate's Books.

JEFFERSON WAS ARISTOCRAT

Washington Found Him a Guide Who Needed Watching.

EXCISE BILL UP IN SENATE

Democratic Senators in Caucus Oppose House Measure.

IS VIRTUALLY AN INCOME TAX

Senator Borah Intimates that He Will Introduce His Income Tax Measure as an Amendment.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—Representative Rodenberg, republican of Illinois, made a political speech in the house today attacking Governor Woodrow Wilson.

Mr. Rodenberg quoted long extracts from Governor Wilson's "History of the American People," in which the writer referred to Thomas Jefferson as an "aristocrat, who deliberately practiced the arts of a politician," and said that "Washington found him a guide who needed watching."

Governor Wilson's writings on the immigration question, Mr. Rodenberg reviewed at length. Mr. Rodenberg quoted Governor Wilson's praise of Chinese and declared "that there must have been rejoicing in every Chinese laundry in the United States" when the governor was nominated at Baltimore.

Governor Wilson's views of William Jennings Bryan as expressed in the much talked of "Joline letter" and his references to Mr. Bryan's participation in the democratic convention of 1896, Mr. Rodenberg reviewed at length.

Mr. Rodenberg concluded his speech with praise for President Taft.

"His administration needs no defense," said Mr. Rodenberg. "In him they recognize the dignity and the majesty of an honest man who has faithfully upheld the best traditions of the republican party."

Mr. Rodenberg closed with the quotations: "We stand at Armageddon, and we battle for the Lord."

EXCISE BILL UP IN SENATE

Democratic Caucus Endorses the House Measure.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—Backed by the endorsement of a caucus of democratic senators, the house excise tax bill, virtually levying an income tax on all persons and co-partnerships doing a yearly business of more than \$5,000, was taken up in the senate today.

Senator Smith of Georgia, making the opening speech for the bill, said he favored an income tax, but could not agree to substitute an income tax bill for the measure the house had passed.

Senator Borah, who had introduced an income tax bill, asked for the reading, but not immediate consideration. He indicated he would offer it as an amendment to the house bill.

The democratic senators passed a resolution at their caucus saying that while favoring an income tax they realized that with the pending amendment to the constitution authorizing such a tax, now requiring the favorable vote of only two states, it was preferable to support the bill for an excise tax, which with the existing corporation tax, would raise approximately an equivalent amount of revenue.

The caucus endorsed in general a sugar bill which Senator Williams later presented to the senate as a substitute to be voted on tomorrow. It would make a reduction of 3 1/2 per cent on refined and unrefined sugar; a reduction of 40 per cent on molasses and abolish the duties standard test and the differentials in duty now existing.

Little sentiment was shown in the caucus in favor of free sugar as leaders urged it would not be acceptable to western states having beet sugar industries.

WOOL BILL IN THE HOUSE

Payne Insists that It Be Referred to Committee.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—The senate's unexpected passage of the La Follette wool bill presents a situation upon which Majority Leader Oscar W. Underwood of the house thinks the two branches of congress can agree.

Mr. Underwood today said he thought there would be little difficulty in reaching a compromise. In this case a bill almost identical with the one President Taft vetoed on August 17, 1911, probably will go to the White House within a few weeks.

The former bill was vetoed on the ground that the tariff board had not reported on its investigation of schedule "R." Leaders of both houses say the La Follette bill follows the conclusions of the board quite closely.

When the La Follette wool bill reached the house today Majority Leader Underwood (Continued on Second Page.)

Condition of Emperor of Japan Once More Extremely Critical

TOKIO, July 26.—The condition of Mutsuhito, emperor of Japan, is today regarded by those in immediate attendance as extremely grave. The physicians have issued only one bulletin up to 2 o'clock this afternoon and that announced no change which is regarded as ominous.

The nature of his majesty's malady, which is indicated as acute nephritis complicated by uraemic poisoning and which began to cause serious alarm about July 19, has prevented the imperial patient taking sufficient nourishment, and he has continually become weaker. The bulletins have hitherto maintained a hopeful tone and it was hoped that his majesty would rally, but instead he appears to have suffered a relapse and it is feared that his heart cannot stand the strain.

A remarkable hush prevailed over this city this morning. Even during the business hours of the day almost the only sounds heard was the occasional cry of the newsboys selling extras. Outside the palace in the extreme heat of midday, the patient crowds awaited with bowed heads for news of his majesty's condition.

Prince Arimoto Yamagata, president of the privy council; Marquis Kimochi Saeki, the premier, and Count Chiaki Watanabe, minister of the imperial household, held conference today, during which they made preparations for eventualities.

The crown prince after a long stay in the imperial sick room returned to his residence at 1:15 o'clock this afternoon.

Orozco's Army is Greatly Depleted by Desertions

JAUREZ, Mexico, July 26.—The rebel commanders and a generous sprinkling of colonels here today found themselves with an immediate command of only 300 men.

Pascual Orozco, commander-in-chief of the Mexican revolutionists, is confronted with a curious problem. If he does not hasten his long delayed evacuation of the border city, he may be unable to evacuate with no other than himself and staff officers. His army here is rapidly dwindling. Orozco has an army, but it is scattered over northern Chihuahua and eastern Sonora. A condition responsible for the situation here is that more men have been sent out of Juarez than originally planned, and besides there is a steady desertion of soldiers who lay aside the rifle to accept a section hand's shovel on an American railway.

Since the coming of the rebel army to the border, deserters have continued to flock into the United States to be recruited rapidly by employment agencies.

The federal army, which three times has defeated the rebel forces, is approaching slowly from the south and the rebel bands are hurrying on to the newly planned campaign in Sonora.

White Men Hanged for Killing Negroes

NASHVILLE, Tenn., July 26.—Two white men, George Sheldon and John Bailey, were hanged here this morning for the murder of Ben Pettigrew, an old negro, and his two children. As Pettigrew and his children came along the road they were shot down. Dispute over land is said to have been the murder motive.

HISTORIC FRENCH MARKET IN NEW ORLEANS TO GO

NEW ORLEANS, July 26.—The French market, which was established in the latter part of the eighteenth century, is soon to pass into history. The bazaar, where four generations of New Orleans housewives bought their meat and vegetables, where artists and story writers haunted dark nooks for echoes of ancient New Orleans, is to be sacrificed on the altar of modern sanitation. War on the house fly is mainly responsible for conditions that led up to the edict compelling almost complete reconstruction of the market.

BUTTER AND EGG INQUIRY GOES OVER TO SEPTEMBER

CHICAGO, July 26.—The government today concluded its case against the Chicago butter and egg board in the suit for an injunction to restrain the quotation committee of the board from "fixing" the price on butter and eggs.

The last evidence was from the publishers of a trade bulletin which quotes the prices made by the butter and egg board. The directors of the board will begin their defense September 10.

It is also expected that an injunction suit similar to the present hearing before Master in Chancery Morrison will be brought by the government against the Elgin Board of Trade covering alleged "fixing" of butter prices at Elgin.

SAYS HUGGING GIRLS IS DANGEROUS IN MINNESOTA

ST. PAUL, July 26.—Hugging a girl in Minnesota is just as dangerous as hugging one in Montana, according to Attorney General Linton A. Smith, and the presumption hangs either in the county jail or in state's prison, unless he is urged to the act by the girl herself.

This informal opinion was given by the state's attorney following publication this morning of a dispatch from Great Falls, Mont., where a man 29 years old was arrested for hugging a 15-year-old girl on the Missouri river bridge and a charge of assault in the third degree placed against him.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL TRAIN IS DERAILED NEAR GALENA

GALENA, Ill., July 26.—Running sixty miles an hour, passenger train No. 5 of the Illinois Central was wrecked near Apple River, twelve miles east of here this morning, by a broken rail. The entire train was derailed, but the coaches remained upright and no one was hurt.

WEST SENDS OMAHA ITS SUGAR SURPLUS

Missouri River Territory Called Dumping Ground for Excess of Product.

HANNA GIVES THIS TEST

Omaha and Kansas City Distributing Points in Selling Plan.

SOLD FOR WHAT THEY CAN GET

No Money Made in Competing with New Orleans.

DESIRE TO KEEP IN THE MARKET

Secretary of Spreckels Sugar Corporation Denies that California Companies Try to Restrain Trade.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 26.—William H. Hannam, secretary of the Spreckels sugar corporation, was cross-examined today in the federal inquiry into the so-called sugar trust.

The Missouri river territory, with Kansas City and Omaha as distributing points, was characterized by Hannam as the "dumping ground" for western sugar.

"The surplus is sold there for what we can get," said Hannam. "The prevailing freight rate from New Orleans to Kansas City is 25 cents per 100 pounds. When the market price is around \$4.80 per 100 pounds it enables them to sell sugar in the Missouri river territory at \$5.12 per 100 pounds. With the price here at \$5 and the freight rates 55 cents per 100 pounds the total of \$5.55 makes profitable competition impossible, but we have thought it advisable to keep in the market for what we could get."

Hannam denied that the California companies had at any time sought to restrain trade.

Bryan Will Speak On Unveiling Day

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, July 26.—(Special.)—W. J. Bryan has accepted an invitation to make an address at the unveiling of the Lincoln monument on September 2. Whether this will cut out Colonel Roosevelt, who thought he could not be present until a later date, is not known.

Mr. Bryan will close his chautauque season a few days before the above date and will go with his family for an outing in Colorado a few days later. He will then return and take up the work of the campaign.

House Excise Tax Bill is Passed by Senate

WASHINGTON, July 26.—The senate tonight by a vote of thirty-seven to eighteen passed the house excise tax bill, which would extend the corporation tax law to individuals and co-partnerships on incomes in excess of \$5,000. The bill is passed included a provision for the repeal of the Canadian reciprocity act, and a substitution of a 2 per cent rate on print paper. Senator Borah's income tax bill was defeated.

Ex-President Diaz is Seriously Sick

MEXICO CITY, July 26.—A special Paris dispatch to a newspaper here says that ex-President Porfirio Diaz is seriously ill and that a fatal result is probable. No information is obtainable here.

LANDMARK AT SHENANDOAH GIVES WAY TO NEW BUILDING

SHENANDOAH, Va., July 26.—(Special.)—Workmen today commenced tearing down one of Shenandoah's old landmarks to make room for a modern two-story brick store building. The old frame building is known as the Argus building, and is located near the western end of the business section. When Shenandoah was established in the fall of 1870 this historic old building was put on wheels and moved from Mantle, four miles away, to the new town of Shenandoah, then called Fair Oaks. One by one the Mantle buildings were hauled away to the new town attracted by the railroad which was being built from Red Oak to Harburg. Only a few neglected graves mark the site of Mantle, the old Mormon settlement, today, though one or two of their ancient buildings still stand in Shenandoah.

TWO PROMINENT YANKTON CITIZENS ARE DEAD

YANKTON, S. D., July 26.—(Special.)—Death has been busy among some well known Yankton people. Mrs. Ida Graham, for twenty years matron and supervisor at the state hospital, who died in Tucson, Ariz., will be buried here Saturday. Porter Robinson, killed by a train near Bowman, N. D., was buried here Friday, as was Mrs. Henry Butler of Vermillion, a former Yankton girl, and sister of Mrs. W. S. Stockwell.

The National Capital

Friday, July 26, 1912.

The Senate.
Convened at noon.
Adopted a joint resolution appropriating \$2,000 more to fight the army worm in the south.

Democrats in caucus decided to support house excise bill against the Borah income tax bill, introduced as an amendment.

Agreed to conference report on naval appropriation bill with exception of battleships and torpedo boat provisions, which house insisted should be eliminated and sent back for further conference.

The House.

Convened at noon.
Resumed consideration of the general deficiency appropriation bill.

Territories committee considered Alaska legislative assembly bill passed by senate.

The Time and the Place



From the Minneapolis Journal.

ROOSEVELT IS FOR BIG NAVY

Colonel Attacks House Democrats for Refusing Battleships.

HE CALLS IT AN OUTRAGE

Says United States Should Abandon the Panama Canal if It Does Not Have an Adequate Navy.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., July 26.—An attack on the democratic majority in the house of representatives for refusing to adopt the two battleships program was made today by Colonel Roosevelt. He declared the upbuilding of the navy must go on if this country is to maintain its position among the nations of the world.

"When the democrats vote down the battleships," he said, "if they are to agree, they should also vote to abandon the Panama canal. It is an outrage, from the standpoint of the national honor and interest to go on with the Panama canal at all unless we both fortify it and keep up an adequate navy."

Colonel Roosevelt was told that William J. Bryan in his newspaper had criticized him as a reactionary and "Hamiltonian."

"I'm mighty glad," said the colonel smilingly, "that Mr. Bryan has heard of Hamilton. It reminds me of a man in Boston who was asked if he liked to read the Bible. 'Like it?' he asked. 'I should say I do. There are ten men in Boston who could have written that book.'"

Wilson May Go to Indianapolis.

SEA GIRT, N. J., July 26.—There was an unconfirmed report here today that Governor Wilson may go to Indianapolis in August to attend the ceremony of Governor Thomas R. Marshall's notification of his nomination for the vice presidency.

Judge Alton B. Parker of New York, who was temporary chairman of the Baltimore convention will act as chairman of the committee to notify Governor Marshall. Herman Ridder of New York, it was learned here today, will continue as treasurer of the national committee.

Marshall Writing Address.
Governor Thomas R. Marshall, democratic nominee for vice president, who returned to his office late yesterday after a week spent at a lake in northern Indiana, today began work on his notification speech. No time has been set yet for notifying the governor officially of his nomination.

Colonel Congratulates Illinois.
CHICAGO, July 26.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, in a telegram to Medill McCormick today, sent a message to the Illinois progressives, in which he congratulated them on the outlook on the eve of their state convention.

Colonel Roosevelt declared that the action of the Illinois progressives was of prime importance at this time as an example to the entire country.

"Illinois progressives have met the issue exactly right," said Colonel Roosevelt. "They are working in Illinois to nominate candidates for the governorship and for the other state offices, who, when elected by the people, will stand on the progressive national and state platforms for the fundamental principles of popular government."

In other portions of his telegram Colonel Roosevelt asserted:

"Those candidates nominated at the republican primaries in Illinois who now cast their lot with the fraudulently nominated candidates of the illegally constituted republican convention have left the support of their position to the perpetuation of a gross fraud upon the whole nation."

"Mr. Taft * * * was utterly repudiated by the republicans of Illinois in their primaries, and no republican nomination is possible."

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British Ministry Misses Defeat by Only Three Votes

London, July 26.—The British government was nearly turned out of office by a snap division in the House of Commons this afternoon, the small margin of three votes saving it from defeat.

In the presence of the usual thin attendance of members David Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, moved that Monday be devoted to the discussion of supplementary appointments. The opposition protested and forced a division. By dint of a hurried search in the lobbies of the house the government whips just managed to save the situation.

The announcement that the government had been successful by 126 against 123 votes was greeted by the opposition by loud cries of "resign." The Liberal members have been recently somewhat slack in their attendance at the house and the government majority on several occasions has been below fifty. Only the keenness of the Irish nationalists and the members of the labor party has enabled the government to hold the fort.

Thaw is Still Insane and Must Remain in State Asylum

WHITE PLAINS, July 26.—Harry K. Thaw, in the eyes of the law, is still insane and must remain in the asylum where he was placed on February 1, 1908, after he had killed Stanford White.

Justice Martin J. Kesch of the supreme court today denied Thaw's application for freedom. The court took the ground that Thaw's release would be dangerous to public safety.

Thaw procured a copy of the decision shortly after it had been rendered. He read it only with seeming indifference. It was stated by an acquaintance that Thaw lost heart after Dr. J. W. Russell, superintendent of the Matteawan insane asylum, testified that in his opinion Thaw might commit another murder if freed.

PHOTOGRAPHERS MEET AT KANSAS CITY NEXT

PHILADELPHIA, July 26.—Kansas City, Mo., was today chosen as the next place of meeting by the Photographers' Association of America, which concluded its annual convention in this city.

Officers were chosen as follows: President, Charles Townsend, Des Moines; secretary, Homer Harding, Wichita, Kan.; treasurer, L. A. Dozer, St. Louis. The women's federation elected these officers: President, Ruth Jamison, Pittsburgh; first vice president, Laura McDaniels, Springfield, Ill.

KIDNAPED BOY IS LOCATED AT ST. LOUIS

CLIFFORD LAKE, Ia., July 26.—(Special.)—Clifford Guzzie, the boy who was kidnaped in this city on Monday, has been located in St. Louis, where he was located by the police in company with his mother and Herbert Gates. Mr. and Mrs. Guzzie separated a few years ago and the father was awarded the custody of the boy, who is now 14 years old. His mother came here on Tuesday and in some way got hold of the boy and intended him to accompany her. Mr. Guzzie went in pursuit of the two and today located them in St. Louis. Just what action he will bring against his former wife for kidnaping the boy has not yet been announced.

News Notes of Oxford.

OXFORD, Neb., July 26.—(Special.)—A fine rain of 3 1/2 inch fell night before last and last night a regular sod-soaker of 3 1/2 inch came. These rains came just at the right time, being just in the stage when it is beginning to tassel. Pastures were beginning to get brown.

The first threshing so far done in this vicinity was that of Peter Rhenhimer, a mile west of town. He threshed out 1,100 bushels of forty-five acres. The wheat was of splendid quality, testing better than sixty pounds to the bushel.

THIRTEEN DETROIT OFFICIALS CHARGED WITH TAKING BRIBES

President Glinnan, Eleven Members of Common Council and Secretary Are Arrested.

GROWS OUT OF STREET DEAL
Men Charged with Accepting Money for Vacating Highway.

DICTOGRAPH FIGURES IN CASE
Detectives Say They Have Records of Conversations.

E. R. SCHREITER IS PROMINENT
Accused Secretary is Also Secretary of the League of American Municipalities—Wabash Road Implicated.

DETROIT, July 26.—Warrants were issued this afternoon for the arrest of twelve members of the common council of the city of Detroit and charges of accepting bribes for their votes and influence in passing of a measure affecting city property recently transferred to a railroad, preferred. It is alleged that \$3,700 passed in bribes.

Thomas Glinnan, president of the common council, and E. R. Schreiter, secretary of council committees, and also secretary of the American League of Municipalities, were arrested this afternoon, and other arrests are expected soon.

It is said that Glinnan accepted \$1,000 and Schreiter received \$500. Eleven other aldermen are also alleged to have received money for the same purpose.

The bribery was consummated and the arrests accomplished through a detective agency working under the direction of a private citizen, Andrew H. Green, general manager of a large Detroit manufacturing plant. The detectives say they have caught their men not only with marked money, but by dictographic testimony and photographic records. It is alleged that \$3,700 was passed, split in sums of from \$100 to \$1,000.

The alleged graft was in connection with the application of the Wabash railroad for the closing of a street where the road wanted to build a warehouse.

According to statements to the police of Mrs. John Bell, a colored woman, Kuhn tried to hire her to kill his wife, offering \$100 for the job. Mrs. Bell told a detective and he stationed a shorthand reporter in an adjoining room while, it is charged, Kuhn made a bargain with Mrs. Belle E. Mitchell, another colored woman, to do the work. Kuhn's arrest followed.

Iowa Man Charged with Plotting to Murder His Wife

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., July 26.—Simon P. Kuhn, a real estate dealer, is under arrest here accused of plotting to have his wife murdered so he could marry another woman.

According to statements to the police of Mrs. John Bell, a colored woman, Kuhn tried to hire her to kill his wife, offering \$100 for the job. Mrs. Bell told a detective and he stationed a shorthand reporter in an adjoining room while, it is charged, Kuhn made a bargain with Mrs. Belle E. Mitchell, another colored woman, to do the work. Kuhn's arrest followed.

FIGURES FROM WASHINGTON COUNTY ASSESSMENT

BLAIR, Neb., July 26.—(Special.)—The Washington-county assessment for personal taxes, which has just been completed, shows that the most valuable single piece of property in the county is the Blair railroad bridge, which is valued at \$73,000. This is \$24,310 more than all the cattle are worth. The railroads are valued at \$1,941,956 and the telephones at \$76,965. The county has 9,215 horses of an average value of \$85.00 and 284 automobiles worth \$1,200 each. Money, mortgages and bonds are found worth \$1,667,390. Bank stocks are assessed at \$403,805 and stocks of merchandise at \$367,900.

Wheat Yield Immense.
EDGAR, Neb., July 26.—(Special.)—Wheat threshing is now at its height. Wheat, the best ever marketed in Edgar, has been rolling into market here at the rate of 4,000 bushels per day. The wheat tests from sixty-two to sixty-four pounds per bushel and the average yield is very close to twenty-five bushels per acre, very few fields averaging less than twenty bushels and some yielding from thirty to thirty-five bushels per acre.

Fireman Loses Foot.
ASHLAND, Neb., July 26.—(Special.)—While attempting to boot his engine in the Burlington yards here Thursday afternoon, O. A. Quackenbush, fireman on a freight train, missed his foothold and fell with his left leg under the wheels of the locomotive, severing his foot near the ankle. Dr. A. V. von Mansfield, the company's surgeon at this point, amputated the injured member below the knee and Quackenbush was removed to his home at Lincoln.

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The Weather

For Nebraska—Unsettled weather and probably local showers; not much change in temperature.

For Iowa—Unsettled weather and probably local showers; somewhat higher temperature.

Temperatures at Omaha Yesterday.

Hour	Temp.
5 a. m.	72
6 a. m.	72
7 a. m.	72
8 a. m.	72
9 a. m.	71
10 a. m.	69
11 a. m.	68
12 m.	76
1 p. m.	77
2 p. m.	79
3 p. m.	81
4 p. m.	80
5 p. m.	82
6 p. m.	81
7 p. m.	81
8 p. m.	79