

Congressman of Iowa Wins Fight Over Tariff Act

New England Members Seek To Prevent Passage of Emergency Duties on Farm Products.

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Washington, D. C., Feb. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—A somewhat acrimonious controversy developed among the republicans over the emergency tariff bill on agricultural products. Congressman Green of Iowa, who in the absence of Mr. Fordney, took charge of the bill after its passage by the senate, found to his surprise that New England members had organized to prevent the bill coming to a vote at this session. When Green asked for unanimous consent to have the bill sent to conference, Treawday of Massachusetts objected. Green then promptly called the yeas and means committee together to obtain authority to ask for a rule from the rules committee which would send the bill to conference.

Sustained by Committee

Here again he was opposed by Treawday and Tjelson (Connecticut), but was sustained by a large majority of the committee. Treawday even took the unprecedented course of appearing before the rules committee and opposing Green when he was applying for a rule, but the rules committee sustained Green. The New England members continued their opposition when the bill came up in the house, Treawday and Tjelson making speeches of the free trade order against the bill, but Green rallied a number of the democrats to his support, and the rule carried, after a spirited contest by 190 to 157.

Fight Sugar Rate.

The conference between the house and senate over the bill began Monday, the republican managers in the house being Fordney, Green and Longworth. The house conferees were endeavoring to confine the bill to what is known as the emergency bill, the value of which was so great as to make them of national importance.

The senate added 11 products, most of them of minor importance. The great conflict has been over the rate of wheat and sugar, the house conferees considering the rate on wheat fixed by the senate altogether too high and unnecessarily so. The house conferees also oppose having sugar included in the bill but for the sake of agreement have offered to accept the rate of the Payne bill on sugar.

An early vote is necessary if the bill is to be passed this session and not die in one house or the other. Representative Green said that the house conferees might be obliged to accept the senate amendments and take rates which they would not agree to in a permanent bill in order to get it passed. They would do this because the rates were merely temporary and, as he believed, would not be in force longer than 60 days as there is a growing opinion that the Payne bill, with some modifications, should be put in force until a complete tariff revision could be framed.

After an all-day session the conferees adjourned at 5 o'clock with the sugar items still in controversy. The house foresees a standing out for a sugar duty about the same as carried in the Payne bill while the senate conferees want the duty much higher. It is thought, however, that both senate and house conferees will yield a little and thereby reach an agreement tomorrow.

Bill Proposing Regulating Radio Stations Must Wait

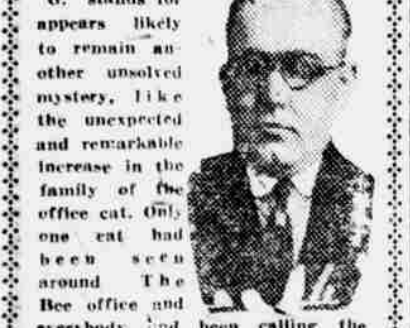
Washington, Feb. 24.—Senator Poindestex's bill for government control and regulation of radio stations will go over until next session. Further hearings had been planned at the request of Hudson Maxim, representing amateur operators, the senator said today, but the request was withdrawn later and action on the measure will not be sought during this session.

Says Hubby a Night Owl

Alleging that her husband stayed out nights, gambled his money away and deserted her three months ago, Alva Quinlan filed suit in district court yesterday for a divorce from Daniel Quinlan and custody of their 5-year-old child.

Get Acquainted

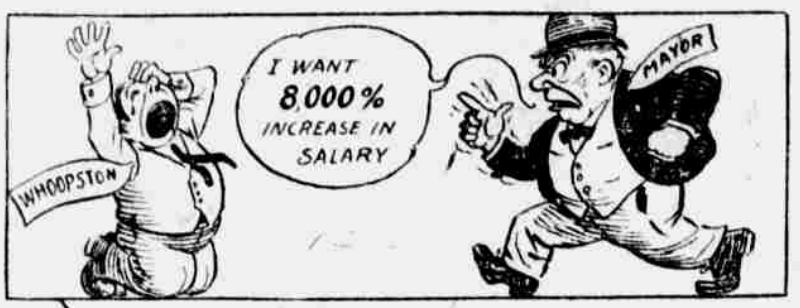
HERE'S Aleck, telegraph editor of The Bee, known in the city directory and the birth records as Guy G. Alexander.



What the "G." stands for appears likely to remain another unsolved mystery. The unexpected and remarkable increase in the family of the office cat, only one cat had been seen around The Bee office and everybody had been calling the feline "Tom" until this happened. But the famous cat mystery isn't any more mysterious than some of those "code" messages that come over the telegraph wires and reach Alexander's desk.

"Add sub lead Congress," the typewritten copy from the telegraph operator reads. "New Lead Harding... President-elect Harding said he... Flash... President Wilson shot... Kill it! Kill it! Harding said... etc."

50c-a-Year Mayor Would Like His Pay Boosted Some



Hoopston, Ill., Feb. 24.—With salaries falling every place, the mayor of Hoopston has just filed a demand for an 8,000 per cent increase in salary and his aidmen for a 5,000 per cent advance.

With 5,000 population and \$50,000 in the city treasury, the city officials declare they are tired of working for their present stipends. The mayor now receives 50 cents a year, or 96 mills a week, and the aidmen 25 cents a year, or 43 mills a week. They are paid by the year and have to expense accounts. The mayor is demanding \$8 a week and the aidmen \$5.

A resolution embodying the demands was introduced at the last meeting of the city council by Alderman Thomas Has and adopted without a dissenting vote. As soon as the citizenry heard of it a mass meeting was held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. Two former mayors, I. E. Merritt and William Moore, opposed the demands.

"For 40 years," declared Mr. Moore, "Hoopston's mayors have been glad to serve the people of this commonwealth for 50 cents a year. This resolution is indicative of the shocking state of affairs that now obtains in this country. It would be a reckless waste of money to accede to the demands. These men are dollar mad."

Other speakers set forth the "envious fame gained by Hoopston as the 'Holy City.'" "We've never had a saloon here. We have more church-going people than any metropolis of its size in the world. We have well-paved and clean streets and handsome homes. Hoopston has never been broke. It now has \$50,000 in the city treasury."

Wilson to Ride To Capital With President-Elect

Outgoing Executive to Uphold Precedent by Accompanying Harding From White House to Inauguration.

Washington, Feb. 24.—President Wilson will follow the long established custom of riding to the capitol with the incoming president on March 4 under plans of the congressional inaugural committee, approved by the president, it was announced today at the White House.

Whether Mr. Wilson will attend the inaugural ceremonies has not yet been made known, but he will not accompany Mr. Harding back to the White House, going direct from the capitol to his new home on S street.

Cavalry Act as Escort

Four troops of cavalry, numbering 350 officers and men, will escort the president and the president-elect to the capitol and then will accompany Mr. Harding to the White House. The plans of the congressional committee, as they became known today, provide for the opening of the day's program with a visit of the committee to the president-elect and vice president-elect, Mr. Coolidge, at the New Willard hotel. After this visit, the entire party will enter automobiles and, accompanied by the cavalry, drive to the White House, where it will be joined by the president and Mrs. Wilson.

From the White House the procession will move over Pennsylvania avenue to the capitol. The president and probably Mr. Harding will enter the president's room, where Mr. Wilson will sign the bills passed in the closing hours of congress.

After the new vice president has taken the oath in the senate chamber and has delivered his inaugural address, the guests will proceed to the east front of the capitol, where Mr. Harding will be sworn in. As soon as he finishes his inaugural address the new president will depart for the White House.

Open Air Inaugural.

Five hundred marines in full dress uniform will be on duty at the capitol, augmenting the regular capitol police, and will form a lane through which the guests will pass in ascending the capitol steps.

Mr. Harding will take the oath in a stand 30 feet square, which has been erected on the steps. This stand will accommodate only the president-elect, Chief Justice White, the members of the congressional committee and a few others.

The other guests will stand during the ceremonies.

Besides the marines and cavalry, 500 regulars from Camp Meade, Md., will be brought to Washington on the morning of March 4 for guard duty along Pennsylvania avenue.

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Ten-Day Clause In Cold Storage Bill Is Killed

McLaughlin Wages Successful Fight in House—Further Conference Is Now Necessary.

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Washington, Feb. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—The "10-day provision" in the cold storage bill which has been having rough sledding ever since the conferees agreed to the clause which would compel shippers to brand their shipments "cold storage," even though these shipments are made in refrigerator cars or in the holds of vessels, where the temperature is maintained at or below 45 degrees above zero, was completely knocked out yesterday by the house on a rising vote of 139 to 51. Congressman Evans being the only Nebraska to vote in the negative.

Congressman McLaughlin, a member of the agricultural committee, while in favor of branding food in cold storage and a champion of the bill as it originally passed the house, could not stand for the provisions as agreed to by the conferees and he said so during the course of the debate on the conference report. He said that the provision as agreed upon in conference would work both to the detriment of the producers and the consumers. Knowing that the conference report on the cold storage bill would be taken up by the house at an early day Mr. McLaughlin got the consent of Speaker Gillett to offer an amendment striking out of the definition of the term "warehouses," the words "including a car, vessel, or other vehicle." In the meantime, however, the senate acted on the conference report which presented a parliamentary status precluding the offering of the motion to recommitt. When the situation became known, there was nothing left for the house to do but to disagree with the conference report and ask for a further conference on the obnoxious clause.

Mr. McLaughlin in the course of his remarks stated that he was in favor of cold storage legislation, having been much interested in the preparation of the bill which originally passed the house, but that the 10-day provision included in the conference report would make it necessary for shippers of produce in the west to label their products "cold storage" before shipment was made to New York and other eastern terminals, because in many cases the goods would be in transit 16 days or more.

Youthful Criminal, Given Another Chance, Caught in Burglary

Chicago, Feb. 24.—Judge David of the criminal court, 10 days ago, gave Jimmy Wicks, 17, another chance. Jimmy admitted robbing a dozen homes, but the court, after securing a \$12-a-week job for Jimmy, told him to go home to his mother and forget about his burglarious business.

But Jimmy couldn't forget. Today he is held at the police station, having been caught as he was climbing into the rear window of a suburban home.

"It's the sixth job I've pulled since I was paroled," Jimmy confessed, according to the police. "I just can't seem to help it, it's so much fun."

Judge David was notified of the arrest and ordered the youth returned to his court immediately.

"He will get the maximum penalty this time, if the story I am told is true," declared the judge.

Proponents of Walsh Bill Appear Before Committee

Washington, Feb. 24.—Proponents of the Walsh bill to allow use of Yellowstone park flood waters for irrigation in Montana argued today before a senate committee that the project would result in reclaiming 830,000,000 worth of land which would provide farms for 31,000 people.

Henry Gerhart, engineer for Montana irrigation projects estimated the cost of dams in the park to hold back the flood waters at \$300,000. He declared Secretary of the Interior Payne was in error in saying that constant encroachment on the park area would be entailed by a congressional grant of privileges now asked.

Cuba Observes Holiday That Marks Its Freedom

Havana, Feb. 24.—Cuba observed a national holiday today, the occasion being known as "El Grito de Baire," or the "yell of Baire." Business was suspended and in most every city and town there were exercises.

Baire is a small village in the province of Oriente, where a group of patriots in 1895 set up a cry for Cuba's independence, which resulted in Cuba's second revolution, followed by the Spanish-American war and American intervention.

Watch for the Big Green Signs



Hearst Injunction Suit Costs Government Millions

Action in Stopping Sale of Former German Ships Will Mean Heavy Loss to United States—Big Slump in Prices Since Disposal of Vessels Was Held Up.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The Hearst injunction suit caused the government to pocket a loss of millions of dollars by preventing sales of the ex-German liners on a favorable market. President Harding's new shipping board will be compelled to scale down the prices of all ships to get the government out of the shipping business. All reports to Washington by those who have consulted with Mr. Harding are to the effect that he favors such action as will facilitate the disposal of the fleet and permit the development of the American merchant marine by private enterprises.

Included among the ships which will be affected by what ever policy the new board lays down are 10 prices are three former German passenger ships.

Just at present no one seems to want these passenger ships at any price. In any event it appears impossible that the government ever will be able to realize as much out of them as it could have a year ago when the injunction suit instituted by William Randolph Hearst blocked their sale.

Not only have developments in the shipping market since that time made it impossible to sell the ships, but as yet they have been of little use to the government, either for its own use or as a help in building up the merchant marine.

The Hearst injunction suit came at a time when shipping conditions were favorable, freight rates being high and shipping companies being in a position to make enormous profits. The bids received for the three former German passenger ships were considered by John Barton Payne, then chairman of the shipping board, to be as favorable as could ever be expected.

Values of ships have suffered a slump since the time of the Hearst injunction suit. Steel cargo ships formerly held by shipping board at about \$210 per dead weight ton, are now held at about \$165 per dead weight ton, but without any purchasers at that price.

Two Policemen and Young Woman Killed In Irish Ambuscade

Belfast, Feb. 24.—An ambuscade at Mount Charles, County Donegal, last night, resulted in the death of two policemen and a young woman. Her body was found today in a yard. She had been shot through the heart.

The fighting lasted half an hour and two attackers were captured. Reprisals followed. Two shops in Mount Charles were burned and another house was set on fire, but was saved.

When policemen reached Dougal with their dead comrades the people jeered them and reprisals followed. Sun Fein hall was burned, shops were raided and people fled.

The disturbance continued all night. A constable was killed, but it was officially announced today his death was due to accident.

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Tom Kelly, Rum Runner, Sought In Minnesota

Fugitive Thought to Have Been Driver of Omaha's Auto Found Wrecked at Grand Falls.

Ditched near Grand Falls, Minn., the badly wrecked automobile, belonging to W. K. Craig, 1317 City National bank building, which was stolen from in front of the Athletic club, has been recovered, according to a telegram received yesterday afternoon by the Piquette Detective bureau from the chief of police of Grand Falls.

The chief expressed the suspicion the car so found may have some connection with the escape of Tom Kelly, wanted in Canada with three companions for the alleged theft of \$2,000 worth of whisky and passing \$60,000 worth of bogus checks.

Seen to Leave Omaha.

Kelly was seen to leave Omaha for the south in an automobile of the same description as the one found in the ditch near Grand Falls.

This was the night word was received in Omaha of the filing of extradition papers for him and his three companions in Chicago by Canadian authorities.

Suspicion that he was headed for Mexico to escape extradition caused Omaha detectives to wire his description to all towns along the Rio Grande border of Mexico with instructions to arrest him.

When informed Kelly had headed south when he left Omaha the chief declared he believed that was merely a ruse and that the men wanted in Canada are really in hiding in Minnesota.

Dragnet Spread.

A dragnet has been spread in that state for their arrest.

The position of the car when found in the ditch is mute testimony of the speed at which it must have been driven at the time of the accident.

Whether anyone was injured in the accident has not been disclosed.

Diligent search of surrounding farm houses failed to reveal any victims of automobile accidents during the night, which strengthened the theory of the Grand Falls chief.

An electric motor similar to those used with drills operates a new straight motion hand saw.

Marked-Out Items in Will To Be Wholly Disregarded

Requests of \$1,000 to St. Catherine's hospital and \$300 to Marie Wendall, a servant, were crossed out in the will of the late Mrs. Ellen Murphy, widow of Hugh Murphy, contractor, filed yesterday in county court. Officials say the document will stand as it is written without regard to the penciling.

St. James Orphanage is left \$1,000, the pastor of St. Peter's Catholic church, \$500 for masses, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Peters, \$1,000. The main part of the estate, said to be worth \$150,000, is to be divided equally among the four children, Hugh Murphy, jr.; Richard Murphy, Mrs. Helen Curtis, and Mrs. May Adams.

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