

Local showers Thursday and Friday.

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DISCUSS MONETARY PROBLEM

Democratic "Insurgents" Encouraged After Lengthy Caucus—Wilson Favors Rural Credit Legislation at Next Congress

Washington, April 13.—Democratic "insurgents" on the currency question declared themselves much encouraged today, after the caucus had spent more than five hours discussing the administration currency bill.

With the administration measure under the fire in the caucus of those Democrats who seek to write into it a provision which would give the farmer currency on his crops, President Wilson today issued a statement committing himself to rural credit legislation at the next session of Congress.

Friends of the Federal system could not be adequately handled in the present bill, and that separate and distinct machinery for the handling of rural credits should be established.

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UNITED STATES SOUNDS POWERS

Foreign Governments Support Wilson's Mexican Policy.

NOTHING TO EMBARRASS PLAN

President Wilson Incensed at Statement Issued by Former Ambassador to Mexico, Regarding Recognition of Huerta.

Washington, Aug. 13.—The United States government has informally sounded the powers, and learned that foreign governments generally will do nothing to embarrass the peace policy of President Wilson toward Mexico, and are inclined to support it.

Henry Lane Wilson, whose resignation as ambassador to Mexico recently was accepted to take effect October 14th, issued a statement today attacking the reported statement of the British Foreign Office that recognition of the Huerta government had been extended after he had made a "congratulatory speech" to the provisional President.

President Wilson read the ambassador's statement and was so incensed at its tone and contents that he requested Secretary Bryan promptly to ascertain through the British embassy here whether the utterance of the British Foreign Office as reported was correct, and tonight the resignation of Ambassador Wilson by summary acceptance, to take effect immediately, was under consideration by the administration.

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CHARGED UNDER MANN ACT

Witness Tells Story of Trip With Defendant from Sacramento to Reno—Diggs Constantly Prompts Attorneys

San Francisco, Cal., August 13.—Marsha Warrington continued to be the chief witness today in the trial of the government's case against Marry I. Diggs, former State architect of California, charged under the Mann act, with having transported her from Sacramento to Reno for immoral purposes.

She picked up the unfinished story of her intimacy with the defendant, and carried it through to the end, lowering her eyes at times and dropping her voice almost to a whisper, but never faltering in her answers.

When the essentials of her previous testimony were called into question, she made her answers a stronger re-affirmation.

The judge emphatic in his admonition of the juror to the jury that the case must not be discussed by the jurors, particularly with their friends or relatives.

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PROLONGED DEBATE ON TARIFF ISSUES

Proposal to Free List Wheat Enlivens the Discussion.

THE AGRICULTURAL SCHEDULE

Democrats Aroused to Necessity of Hastening Action—Caucus Called for Today to Expedite the Tariff Bill.

Washington, Aug. 13.—Discussion of the agricultural schedule, and the proposed free listing of wheat in particular, enlivened the tariff discussion today in the Senate, Senator Gronna, of North Dakota, proposing in lieu of free wheat a duty of six cents a bushel.

Action on the amendment was deferred owing to prolonged debate, a fact which again aroused Democratic leaders to a realization of the necessity for some action to speed up consideration of the measure if possible.

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MAGNIFICENT PAGEANT BY CAROLINA FIREMEN

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GOVERNOR STILL HOPEFUL

Expects Rate Adjustment Before Legislature—Holds Conference With Corporation Commission—Another Conference.

(Special Star Telegram.) Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 13.—Governor Craig said today he is still hopeful of getting an adjustment of the interstate freight rate differences with the railroads before the convening of the Legislature in September, in spite of the fact that the rejection of the proposal of the railroads yesterday was without any strings to it whatever.

He held a conference today with the Corporation Commissioners and went over the situation. The commission has notified the representatives of the railroad companies of the action of the Governor in rejecting the proposition, and it is now believed that the railroad presidents will come to Raleigh a little later and go into the matter of rounding up the rejected proposals which will ask the Corporation Commission to accept the Governor and his advisers.

It is expected that the railroad authorities will ask the Corporation Commission to arrange a date for a conference between the presidents of the railroads and Governor, Corporation Commission, Legislative Rate Commission and the Council of State, and that this will take place very soon, at least this is the hope of the State officials since the conference held today regarding the matter by Governor Craig and the Corporation Commissioners.

Aftermath of Ratefest. There is considerable divergence of opinion since the rejection of the rate proposal of the railroads, some rejoicing at the outcome, others rather non-committal, and still others adversely disappointed and pessimistic because the negotiations were so abruptly broken off by the complete rejection of the proposal. The possibility of either of the parties at interest renewing negotiations with any degree of self regard.

The change is heard that the dominant force here from among the shippers was represented from sections that really wanted the settlement thwarted to prevent loss of jobbing territory to their particular sections and those who for political reasons really want to see no settlement that does not come through them. That two fatal interests were those adverse politically and those adverse for commercial interest and desire for commercial advantage over other sections. There are those who have concluded that the interests are so divergent and every point so determined to fight for jobbing point advantages that any agreement on a proposition attainable is out of the question. The special session of the Legislature and the attitude it will assume is being anticipated with keen interest that is by no means confident of settlement being attained or very radical measures being put through by that body.

OUTLINES

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