

RENEWS HIS ATTACK ON SAMUEL GOMPERS

Senator Sherman Also Assails Postmaster General Burleson.

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Washington, Sept. 7.—Senator Sherman renewed his attack on President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, during debate on the Owen Corrupt Practices bill today in the Senate, declaring the labor leader and Postmaster General Burleson were the two most prominent figures on the Democratic side of the presidential campaign. Mr. Gompers, he said, was to deliver the two million labor votes to the Democrats, while Mr. Burleson used the postmasters of the country to "fry fat" for it.

PLATFORM IS ADOPTED BY THE SUFFRAGISTS

(Continued From Page One.) of the long session and another motion was made to postpone consideration and it was quickly adopted and the resolution was fixed for the first order of business tomorrow morning. The annual address of the president was one of the features of the day's proceedings. Mrs. Catt reviewing the suffrage movement in many states for many years back. Many delegates today explained to the convention the difficulties of getting proposed constitutional amendments through the legislatures. Mrs. Guilford Dudley, Tennessee, in favoring a Federal amendment, said that one of the objections heard to it was that it infringed on state rights. She pointed out that many statesmen who oppose a Federal suffrage amendment as an invasion of state rights favored the amendment for electing senators by the people, the national prohibition amendment and the National Child Labor law, which she said are in the same class with regard to alleged infringement. The evening session of the convention was given over to listening to speeches by women. The first was called "Dixie Evening." Those who were on the programme as speakers were Mrs. B. J. Cunningham, president Texas Woman Suffrage Association; Mrs. Guilford Dudley, president Tennessee Equal Suffrage Association; Mrs. Jefferson Smith, president Kentucky Equal Rights Association, and Mrs. T. T. Cotnam, vice-president Arkansas Woman Suffrage Association.

INQUIRY MADE INTO "FERTILIZER TRUST"

(Continued From Page One.) goods under a different name to manipulate prices to the detriment of the small competitors and to be responsible, in part, for the "absurd multiplication of brands." It is said in the letter that in one state, out of 185 brands of fertilizer registered, the American Agricultural Company registered in its own name and the name of the subsidiaries 101 brands, the same formula consequently being sold under numerous brand names. In South Carolina, the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company registered 71 brands of fertilizer, all of which were of substantially the same composition. Violation of Trade Act. The companies which engaged in these practices told the Federal investigators they did so because of the additional business consequent upon the commission raised the question in its letter whether such practices constitute an unfair method of competition. In the sense of section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission act, it being detrimental to competitors who do not employ them. Two of the large companies are said to have refrained from the now corrected practices on the ground that it was "objectionable business."

SECRETARY BAKER SPENDS BUSY DAY IN NORTH CAROLINA

(Continued From Page One.) and which were stated in our Declaration of Independence. He said that America was destined to play a large part in the peace treaties which will be made after the present war. "America," he said, "will be able to say, the rights of kings and the pretenses of princes are nothing as compared with peace to man."

CROCKER LAND PARTY IS RETURNING SAFELY

(Continued From Page One.) F. for Etah, Greenland, to relieve and bring back the members of the expedition. The George B. Cluett was unable to penetrate further north than North Star bay and was compelled to spend the winter in Parker Snow bay, 150 miles east of Etah.

SHONTS DECLARES THE STRIKE IS A FAILURE

Subway and "L" Line Schedules Virtually Normal.

However, Traffic on the Surface Lines of the New York Railway Company is Much Affected—Minor Disorders.

New York, September 7.—Subway and elevated train transportation lines on Manhattan Island were being operated tonight on what officials of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company said were virtually normal schedules, although it was admitted that service on the surface lines of the New York Railway Company was seriously affected by the traction strike called last night. Theodore P. Shonts, president of the Interborough, issued a statement late today in which he said the strike was continuing as good as it had been throughout the day, the city was assured of normal transportation facilities. Disorders that occurred in various parts of the city resulted in only minor injuries to a few persons, according to police reports. Disruption of service on surface lines diverted much of their usual traffic to the elevated and subway lines, and during rush hours this evening there was considerable congestion. Mayor Mitchell arrived from the Plattsburg training camp tonight and with Oscar S. Straus, chairman of the public utility commission, will tomorrow will take up the strike situation. William B. Fitzgerald, organizer of the Amalgamated Association, and Frank Hedley, general manager of the Interborough, testified at a hearing on the strike before the public service commission. Failure of the union to tie up the subway and elevated lines is attributed by some union men to the fact that thousands of strike breakers congregated here and in nearby cities in preparation for the threatened nationwide railway strike, were available to the Interborough.

ASPHALT ROAD FROM RALEIGH TO DURHAM IS ADVOCATED

Organizations and Individuals Taking Steps to Get It. Raleigh, N. C., September 7.—A splendid asphalt road to connect Raleigh and Durham is the objective of a campaign that is being pressed by the Raleigh and Durham chambers of commerce and other organizations and individuals. What is wanted is a road of the type of that between Greensboro and High Point, just opened with fitting ceremonies at Greensboro. There was a delegation from Raleigh attending this ceremony. Mayor Johnson, City Clerk Sawyika and representatives of the chamber of commerce making up the party.

FOUR BODIES FOUND

Negroes Evidently Killed in Auto Wreck in Creek. Belhaven, N. C., Sept. 7.—The bodies of four negroes, two women and two men were found under an automobile in Pantego creek near here today. The car was overturned and the bodies of the bridge broken and noticed off rising to the surface of the water. A further investigation disclosed the car and its occupants. It was believed by the authorities that the accident occurred some time last night.

AMERICAN SCHOONER LOST

The George E. Dudley Wrecked Off the Coast of Iceland. Washington, Sept. 7.—Loss of the American schooner George E. Dudley off the coast of Iceland was reported to the State Department today by American Consul Winslow, at Copenhagen. The crew was saved and taken to Siglofjord. No details of the wreck were given. The schooner sailed from New York for Siglofjord, July 13.

RUSSIANS ADVANCING NEAR LEMBERG ON THE GALICIAN FRONT

(Continued From Page One.) were captured. The Rumanians suffered heavy casualties. "An attack of strong Russian forces against Dobrich (Dobrdjik in southeastern Rumania) was repulsed."

AUSTRIANS WITHDRAW TO AVERT BEING ENTRAPPED

Vienna, via London, Sept. 7.—Austrian troops have withdrawn before a threatening Rumanian envelopment to the heights west of Olah Toplitza, south of Dorna Watro, and twenty miles east of the Rumanian border, says the official statement issued at the Austro-Hungarian headquarters today. On the Russian front the Austro-Hungarian front headquarters today. On the Russian front the Austro-Hungarian front headquarters today. On the Russian front the Austro-Hungarian front headquarters today.

After Vacation Peel Your Discolored Skin

Women returning from the seaside with browned, reddened or freckled complexions will be wise in immediately taking up the mercerized wax treatment. This is the best way to get the complexion back to its normal color. Mercerized wax will ever make such skin pretty to see. It is the safest, most effective way to shed the discolored cuticle with the treatment suggested. Put the wax on before retiring, and in the morning wash and rinse it off next morning with warm water. Minute particles of soot skin will peel off day by day, gradually showing the healthy, youthful skin beneath. One ounce of mercerized wax, obtainable at any drug store, is enough to make any discolored or spotted complexion clear, white and satiny soft. Its action is so gentle no harm is caused, and the face shows no trace of its use. Burning heat, irritating winds and dirt are such wrinkle-makers that the daily use of the following astringent-tonic lotion at this season is highly advisable. Powdered salicylic, one ounce, dissolved in witch hazel, one-half pint. Used as a face bath this is a splendid wrinkle remover and preventive.

REV. PATTISHALL ANOTHER MINISTER TO LAUD TANLAC

Elm City Pastor Joins Other Clergymen and Well Known Tar Heels in Telling Just How Good Tanlac Really Is.

"I am gaining daily in strength, weight and health and am pleased of this chance to offer my hearty endorsement to the wonderful reconstructive powers of Tanlac," says the Rev. L. B. Pattishall, pastor of a leading Elm City, N. C., church. And the Rev. Pattishall is not the first minister to recommend Tanlac for some half dozen prominent clergymen of North Carolina have preceded the Elm City pastor in learning of and gaining from the merits of Tanlac, as have a number of really great North Carolina business, professional and public officials. "For over seven years," continued the Rev. Pattishall, "I have been a victim of severe stomach troubles and indigestion. I was much run down for my digestion failed me. Often I longed for meats and vegetables, but my digestion would not permit me to taste of them. Too, I was nervous and my sleep was broken and unrefreshing. Of course, I tried almost everything I heard of, but nothing seemed to fit my case. Then I found Tanlac. "I have taken three bottles and it certainly has proved itself a great tonic in my case. Now I can eat any public like without suffering after the ward from pains or distress. Nervousness is gone and my sleep is refreshing."

PRESENT SESSION OF CONGRESS WILL END THIS MORNING

(Continued From Page One.) Canadian control of Pacific coast fisheries and Representative Gardner, of Massachusetts, C. Halestead; Southport, Watson's Pharmacy; Rocky Point, A. N. Rhodes & Co.; Supply, G. W. Kirby; New Bern, Bradham Drug Co.; Magnolia, W. L. Southall; Faison, Faison Drug Co.; Pembroke, G. W. Locklear.—adv.

REGISTRATION AT WAKE FOREST STEADILY INCREASES

New Pastor of College Church—New Course of Study. (Special Star Correspondence.) Wake Forest, Sept. 7.—The registration at Wake Forest College has steadily increased since the opening last Tuesday, the enrollment at noon today numbering 372. This figure compares very favorably with last year's registration at the same time, and it will be recalled that the high water mark for attendance was reached last year at the Baptist institution. Seventeen more students have registered this year than at the corresponding time last year, and this is considered a notable gain in view of the unprecedented size of the freshman class last year, which numbered 107.

BRUSSELS BOMBARDED BY 15 AEROPLANES ON WEDNESDAY

Air Craft Were Seen Distinctly But Nationality Is Not Known. The Hague, Netherlands, Sept. 7 (via London).—Brussels was bombarded by a squadron of 15 aeroplanes Wednesday, according to an eye witness of the raid who has arrived here. To the Associated Press he said he was sitting with friends in a hotel in the center of the city when the squadron appeared over the city. Anti-aircraft guns immediately went into action. It was then 1 o'clock in the morning, he said, and some time previous soldiers had issued warnings for the extinguishing of all lights. The aeroplanes were seen distinctly, he declared, and some flew so low that they seemed to touch the roof of the hotel. Guests in the upper rooms of the hotel fled hurriedly downstairs. Intermittent bomb explosions and

RETAILATORY PROVISIONS REMAIN IN BILL AS PASSED.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Authority to take drastic retaliatory steps against interference with American commerce by belligerent nations, a measure which was contained in the Emergency Commerce bill as finally approved. The provisions, put into the measure in the

THE DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE Met at 10 a. m. Considered miscellaneous bills. Conferees continued consideration of Revenue bill. Resumed debate on corrupt practices bill. Passed bill pensioning soldiers' widows. Considered Danish West Indies Purchase treaty in executive session. Adjourned at 8:15 p. m. to 8:30 p. m., while sergeant-at-arms searched for absentees to make a quorum. Reconvened at 8:30 p. m. Ratified Danish West Indies Purchase treaty. Adopted conference report on General Deficiency bill.

HOUSE Met at noon. Marked time awaiting Revenue Conference report. Recessed at 5:10 p. m. to 8:30 a. m. Reconvened at 8:30 p. m. Conference report on General Deficiency Appropriation bill presented. Adopted conference report of General Deficiency bill. Adopted conference report on revenue bill. Adopted unanimously concurrent resolution for adjournment of Congress sine die at 10 a. m. Friday. Adjourned at 10:57 p. m. to 8:30 a. m. Friday.

Senate at the suggestion of the State Department, were written by the conference committee, but their general effect was unchanged. At finally unchanged upon the first of retaliatory authorizations reads: "Whenever any country, dependency, or colony shall prohibit the importation of any article the product of the soil or industry of the United States and not injurious to health or morals, the President shall have the power to prohibit, during the period such prohibition is in force, the importation into the United States of similar articles or in case the United States does not import similar articles from that country, then other articles, the products of such country, dependency or colony."

The second follows: "That whenever during the existence of a war in which the United States is not engaged, the President shall be satisfied that there is reasonable ground to believe that under the laws, regulations or practice of nations, the importation into their own or any other country, dependency or colony, of any article the product of the soil or industry of the United States and not injurious to health or morals is prevented or restricted the President is authorized and empowered to prohibit or restrict during the period such prohibition or restriction is in force the importation into the United States of similar or other articles, products of such country, dependency or colony as in his opinion the public interest may require and in such case he shall make a proclamation stating the article or articles which are prohibited from importation into the United States and any person or persons, who shall import, or attempt to import or export, or be concerned in importing such article or articles into the United States contrary to the prohibition in such proclamation, shall be liable to a fine of not less than \$2,000 nor more than \$10,000, and imprisonment for not more than two years, or both, in the discretion of the court. The President may change, modify, revoke or renew such proclamation in his discretion and the Senate agree to the same."

fring continued until daylight. One machine, he added, was reported to have been brought down at Port Louise, on the outskirts of the city. He said the damage done had not been ascertained when he left Brussels.

TWO MEN KILLED WHEN AUTOMOBILE STRIKES TRAIN

Fatal Accident at Road Crossing on the Southbound Near Albemarle. Winston-Salem, N. C., Sept. 7.—Two men, Kinny Kearns and John Merritt, of Albemarle, were killed this afternoon near Albemarle, when they ran into a Southbound train at a grade crossing. The automobile ran upon the tender and was thrown about 25 feet. Merritt was killed instantly and Kearns died while being taken from the train at Albemarle. Claude Merritt, who was in the car, was not seriously hurt. Conductor Ryan said that the men were evidently in an intoxicated condition, as the approaching train was in view of the highway for 100 yards.

AMERICAN COMMISSIONERS STUDY BORDER CONDITIONS

They Also Question James L. Rodgers and Stephen H. Bonsal. New London, September 7.—While the American-Mexican commission appointed to evolve a settlement of border disputes was not in session today, the American commissioners spent several hours in studying data on conditions along the international line and in Mexico, provided by the State and War departments. They also questioned at length Special Agent James Linn Rodgers and Stephen H. Bonsal, also attached to the State Department, as to their personal knowledge of affairs beyond the border.

COL. HAYNES TRANSFERRED

Col. Foote, of Charleston, Succeeds to Command of Fortress Monroe. Newport News, Va., Sept. 7.—Under an order from Secretary of War Baker, effective September 15, Colonel Ira M. Haynes, who for the past six years has been the commandant at Fortress Monroe, will be transferred to the command of the artillery post on the Pacific coast at San Francisco. Colonel Stephen M. Foote, who has been the commanding officer at Charleston, S. C., under the order, comes to Fortress Monroe to succeed Colonel Haynes as commandant.

PLOT IS NOT MENTIONED

Commander of Cruiser Des Moines, at Barcelona, Spain, Sends Report. Washington, September 7.—Commander Blakeley, of the cruiser Des Moines, now at Barcelona, Spain, in a routine report dated today and received at the Navy Department late this afternoon, made no mention of a plot to blow up the Des Moines, reported in cable dispatches to have been discovered by the Barcelona authorities.

OPENING POSTPONED

Washington Schools Delayed Because of Infantile Paralysis. Washington, Sept. 7.—Georgetown University officials today decided to postpone the opening of their undergraduate school from September 14 to October 2, because of the infantile paralysis menace.

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BROADEN SCOPE OF INQUIRY

Also Investigate Price of Paper Used By Government. Washington, September 7.—A resolution broadening the scope of the Federal Trade Commission inquiry into the cost of newspaper paper to include paper used by the government printing office, was adopted tonight by the Senate on motion of Senator Fletcher, who said the cost of paper for government

WHICH IS AMERICANISM THIS OR THIS?

DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM ON DISLOYALTY

"Whoever, actuated by the purpose to promote the interest of a foreign power, in disregard of our own country's welfare or to injure this Government in its foreign relations or cripple its industries at home, and whoever by arousing prejudices, of a racial, religious or other nature, creates discord and strife among our people so as to obstruct the wholesome process of unification, is faithless to the trust which the privileges of citizenship repose in him and disloyal to his country."

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM ON DISLOYALTY

"We, therefore, condemn as subversive of this nation's unity and integrity, and as destructive of its welfare, the activities and designs of every group or organization, political or otherwise, that has for its object the advancement of the interest of a foreign power, whether such object is promoted by intimidating the Government, a political party, or representatives of the people, or which is calculated and tends to divide our people into antagonistic groups and thus to destroy that complete agreement and solidarity of the people and that unity of sentiment and national purpose so essential to the perpetuity of the nation and its free institutions."

"We condemn all alliances and combinations of individuals in this country of whatever nationality or descent, who agree and conspire together for the embarrassing or weakening our Government or of improperly influencing or coercing our public representatives in dealing or negotiating with any foreign power. We charge that such conspiracies among a limited number exist and have been instigated for the purpose of advancing the interests of foreign countries to the prejudice and detriment of our own country. We condemn any political party which, in view of the activity of such conspirators, surrenders its integrity or modifies its policy."

The above is a reproduction of the inside page of the cover of the Democratic Text Book for 1916, which is to be issued Sept. 2, the date on which President Wilson will be notified at Shadow Lawn, Long Branch, N. J., of his nomination by the Democratic National Convention.