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# CANNO DEFEATED BY MAJORITY OF 22

### Regulars and Insurgents Failed to Reach Agreement in Their Two Hours Conference.

### Appeal from His Ruling on Norris Resolution Is Sustained--"Revolution." Says Tawney.

the chaplain offered a prayer for peace, but there was no peace, and the conflict was renewed. .There was little doubt as to the line-up, when zell, a Cannon lieutenant, to lay the from the insurgents and democrats, was the beginning of the end. The meant his own undoing, with trembling voice, amid renewed shouts of witnessed the speaker's dethronement;

#### SPEAKER CANNON WEARS AN AIR OF DEEP CONCERN.

Washington, Mar. 19 .- When the house of representatives assembled today men and women prominent in the official life of the capitol looked As one by one men who the principal actors in the pending historical drama came upon the floor their presence was noted and their movements were followed with feelings of expectancy. The regular republicans, insurgents and democrais mingled, and gave little evidence of the deep animosities that cended the raised dais leading to the chair of the presiding officer, a great burst of applause and cheers arose. On the republican side of the chamber the applause was long continued and was joined in by many occupants 164, noes 181. of the galleries.

The speaker himself wore an air of deep concern as he gazed sweepingly about the chamber. He gave no expression of appreciation or otherwise, but brought down with a long bang the ivory gavel of authority.

#### CHAPLAIN PRAYS: "UNITE US IN BONDS OF PEACE"

At the announcement that the chaplain would offer prayer, Rev. Mr. Couden stepped forward. His sightless eyes were directed over the body of members, "Unite us in bonds of love and peace, and pour down upon us Thy spiritual peace," prayed the chap-

In the press gallery every seat was occupied by representatives of hundreds of newspapers, the senate not being in session. Many senators came into the house, taking seats in the rear. The galleries were filled; long lines of men and women were waiting in the corridor in the vain hope that they could be admitted. Amid the uproar and confusion fol- appeal. lowing the reading of the journal, Representative Gaines of West Virginia arose and atempted to gain rec-

ed Gaines, "I move that the house

der," shouted Representative Hughes. with a reference to his warm persona

The continued uprour gave way to partial quiet, restored by the speaker, after pounding his desk with the gavel

was ready to rule on the point of order after Representative Norris' res-

Washington, March 19 .- Immedi-| ruling sustaining the point of order ately after the house convened today against the Norris resolution, there was a sudden outburst of applause on

the republican side.

the house rejected the motion of Dal- the democrats sat with folded hands. Cannon appeal on the table, and this At 12:42 p. m. Representative Noract, which brought yells of delight ris appealed from the speaker's ruljoy from his allied opponents. Taw-ney, a house leader declared, as he with yells of delight from the insurg-

#### MR. TAWNEY DECLARES: THIS IS REVOLUTION.

posed rules committee from 15 to 10.

Representative Tawney, one of Canlonger than today. He declared: "This is revolution. You can't tell

#### MR. CANNON'S VOICE SHAKES: DEMOCRATS SHOUT FOR JOY

Norris moved the previous question on his resolution shutting off all deaiready proceeded two days, and the roll call on the resolution was begun. Upon the conclusion of the roll call, vote with those Hessians any longer. tremor in his voice announced: ayes

At once a shout went up from the

sounded throughout the chamber, Mr. Cannon stood motionless in his place, his set features sithouetted against the ed the wail behind his chair. Norris was on his feet again demanding that the previous question be put to the dered by a vote of ayes, 182; noes, That vote was the one that would register Speaker Cannon's fall.

#### HOUSE SUSTAINS APPEAL FROM RULING OF SPEAKER

The house sustained the appeal from the speaker's ruling. The vote gainst the speaker was 182 to 160. The result had been forescen and the tative Oimstead of Pennsylvania occupied the chair during the vote on

question to the front. Speaker Cannon had been repudlated by the house he had ruled seven years; nobody

"Mr. Speaker, Mr. Speaker," shout- knew just what would happen. Champ Clark, democratic leader, tee on rules. "And " he mic. "I speak for the democrats and insurgents.

#### SYSTEM, NOT MR. CANNON. THE OBJECT OF HIS FIGHT

Mr. Clark, in beginning his speech emarked that he had something to and myself have always been pleas-

more power than any man ought to

gents, which began at 9:30 this morn- ago

ent when proceedings began, for the New York; Dazell of Pennsylvania. Smith of Iowa, Tawney of Minnesota, Mann of Illinois. For the insurgents, Norris of Nebraska, Gardner of Massachusetts, Hayes of California, and Len-

#### RODENBURG, REGULAR, WOULD VOTE FOR CLARK.

Representative Rodenburg, regular republican member from Illinois, declares that he is for the deposing of speaker of the tion," he said with heat, "I will vote for Champ Clark for speaker. . I won't Close of Yesterday's Long Session.

At twelve minutes before 5 o'clock the house of representatives adjourned The result was nothing more or less than a draw battle. When the talked over the situation informally final roll call came, 164 republicans and individually, voted to postpone further action on waiting one. If the the resolution offered by Representative Norris until today, 150 democrats and insurgents voted to continue. With bility of legislation, the regular republicans voted 14 of the braska, who left him and sided with the majority for a postponement. The result, they said, conveyed no signi scance and meant anything else than that they had deserted the insurgent

All Willing to Rest.

The full in the long battle came with an apparent welcome to both sides, speaker himself is silent. although there was not a cheer of victory from either. The hands of the big clock above the speaker's desk pointed to the hour of 4:48 when the general chorus of ayes came from made no protest and there was no answer to the call for the noes. The house for the first time in the present session had almost its full membership on the floor. When the speaker's from their seats and filed out through scene of the record-breaking endurance struggle was cleared of its 420 principals, the galleries emptied of the hundreds of spectators who had occupied them constantly for nearly thirty hours, and only ppeal.

This brought the Norris resolution cleaning up the evidences of the Iray Speculating on the Result.

No such scenes have been witnessed in congress in years. The performembraces every element the serio-tragic effort to wrest from speaker the chief source of his power, to the songs, jokes, and jests that the members bandied about during the long hours of vigil.

What of the result? and almost inexplicable ending has ed a thousand questions as to the the light and time enough to haustion and glad of an opportunity to defer the final struggle for a few ours and give all a chance to fresher

# THE SIRDAR'S PALACE HMARTOUM FROM L'ILLUSTRATION

Colonel Roosevelt and His Host



COLONEL ROOSEVEL'
PROTOGRAPHED
WHILE IN UGANDA

of my resolution buil tomorrow. The issue is not affected at all and the inurgents stand solidly and unbroken now just where they stood 24 hours

Worn and haggard, his unshaven face drawn and pale and his eyes red and swollen from sleepiessne and dramatic period, Jt. history, made this declaration in nedlately after the house had voted to adjourn. self, had voted to remain longer in

"The insurgents who vated for this postponement did so because they be-lieve it might provide an easier way to he accomplishment of what we are striving for and I do not disprove of their action in the least. It will give us opportunity to confer with the leaders of the regulars and see how far they are willing to go in conceding us victory. thing. We shall not compromise prin the finish for just what we voted for

Representative Madison of Kansas ne of the insurgent lenders declared; rather be licked to a finish than to stand for any sort of milk-and-water compromise. I intend to fight this until noon today after one of the thing through to a finish and I think greatest parliamentary struggles in its all of the insurgents will stand solid." The regulars following adjournment Their mood is a waiting one. If the republican insurthe "allies" will devolve the responsi-

regulars and the insurgents is proposed elimination of the speaker. The regulars say the speaker committed no wrong, should not be discredited. Some friends of speaker contend that if the house ver-rules him he would "welcome relief from the speakership. The

#### Leader Clark Talks,

Representative Champ Clark, leader of the minority, and his chief lieuspeaker put the motion to adjourn and tenant, Representative Underwood of were satisfied with the sitthe republican side. The democrats uation at djournment although with their solid party they had voted against it. Concerning the conferences of the republican regulars which were held and which will continue today, Mr. Clark had the fol-

lowing to say: "They may agree upon something that we democrats can also stand for but I don't believe it. If they get together on something that we don't be lieve in we will fight it and you can depend on that."

Upon Mr. Clark has fallen the great burden of the battle for the past two days from the democratic side, and he showed the effects of the long Representative Underwood was spe

lific as to what attitude the de crats might be expected to take when use convened. "If the regulars and insurgents come together upon any basis which

new committee on rules by use and the elimination the that committee emocrats will oppose it to a man,' What the outcome would be when the house convened no one would

renture accurately to predict. It was said yesterday that the attitude of Speaker Cannon himself is the greatest stambling block in the way f a compromise. The speaker lines to be eliminated from the rules

Speaker Cannon looked fresh as sony considering the tax on h rength during his all night visi-rom noon Tureday to 2 o'clock ye

#### The Committee of M. E. Church, South, Plans the Erection of Handsome Building in Washington.

Washington, March 19 .- The

The committee has been organized rallows: President, John C. C. Mayo of Paintsville, Ky.; vice-presidents, Gen. Julian S. Carr of Durham, N. C., R. A. Schoolfield, Danville, Va.; secretary, J. Adger Stewart of Louisville. Other members of the commit-tee include Governor Geo W. Donaghey, Arkansas; R. S. Munger, Alabama; J. E. Wall, Florida; Candler, Georgia; H. H. Williams. South Carolina and John P. Branch of Virginia. Among these participat-

ing in the committee deliberations are Bishop Warren A. Chandler of Atlanta, Ga., and Bishop E. E. Hoss, o

# CONDITIONS UNCHANGED

Indeed, There Has Been But Little Change Noted in the Past 24

Hours.

lition of Senator John W. Daniel of Virginia, remained unchanged this morning. There has been little change in the state of coma during the past 24 hours. Senator Daniel is able to take nourishment.

Paris, March 19,-Late this afternoon the government officially an-nounced the conclusion of a Franco tariff agreement and an nounced the government on would submit to parliament a bill ratiying the terms made,

#### THE WEATHER.

#### Authorities of Philadelphia Have Learned That Sympathizers With Car Men Have Stolen Dynamite.

Philadelphia, March 19 .- After a Board of Church Extension of the conferences between union leaders Methodist Episcopal church, South, is and peacemakers, the striking motorholding meetings in Washington for men and conductors and officials of "You can say for me that I would the prosecution of a plan for the the Philadelphia Rapid Transit comerection of a handsome building in pany are still apparently far apart. cuss the tariff troubles between their this city, that will be representative of This is the 29th day of the labor war. church. The general conference of the trolleymen's ranks. The dynamitthe church named \$275,000 as the ing of three cars in different parts of minimum cost of the proposed build- the city last night are the first seri- stars and stripes. ing. The maximum amount has not ous acts of violence reported in a gents win the fight they say that upon been named, and it is believed that week. It was learned this morning half a million dollars will be expend- that a hundred sticks of dynamite was Grey will speak tonight at the Unied on the structure. Many prominent stolen from a quarry on the outskirts versity club banquet. pathway of agreement between the Methodists of the south are in attend- of the city Thursday. The police are making a rigid probe.

# THE ALTAR BOYS OPENED BOXES Two Services Daily Are Held, and the

And, it Appears, Took Money That Had Been Contributed to the Imaculate Conception Italian Church.

Pittsburg, March 19 .- The systematic robbery of the contribution boxes the pastors aiding in the meetings in the Imaculate Conception Italian Rev. J. H. Barnhardt, pas hurch, which has been going on for Methodist church, is one of the leadtwo years, has ended with the arrest of seven altar boys. A detective hidden in the confessionals say the boys come in, and pry open the boxes with daily. Large congregations jack knives. Marked money put in the oxes were found in the boys' pockets.

# DENIES STATEMENTS

Director Newell of the Reclamation Service Takes the Witness

March 19.-Director

# BY MR. CANNON

Congressmen Cowles, Morehead and Grant Sat Through the Long Session to Sustain Him.

MR. POU IS TO TESTIFY STANCIL OFFERED MONEY

Attorney-General Asked by President for an Opinion as to Whether Shaw Can Be Disbarred.

> Gazette-News Bureau. 46 Post Building. Washington, March 19.

Representative E. W. Pon of the ourth district has arrived from the state and added one more vote to the anti-Cannon forces in the present struggle. Congressman Godwin of the Sixth is sick and did not get to the house during the long and stormy Representatives Cowles Morehead and Grant sat through the night session and until late in the afternoon voting to sustain the speaker. Mr. Settle There.

Thomas Settle of Asheville is here, He is attorney for those opposing the confirmation of Stancil as postmaster at Smithfield. Representative Pou is ready to testify that Stancil offered him money for confirmation. he makes this statement, Simmons and Overman will be compelled to oppose confirmation.

The Case of Clifford Shaw. The president has requested the atorney general to prepare by the time he returns from the present trip an opinion as to whether Secretary Bal-linger has a right to disbar Clifford Shaw from law in the interior depart-

## IS BEING WADE WILL TALK OVER TARIFF TROUBLES

#### President Taft Today Invited Prominent Canadians to Meet Him-Albany Ablaze With Bunting.

Albany, N. Y., March 19 .- News that President Taft had asked three prominent officials of the Canadian country and the United States caused a hasty re-arrangement of the plant city is ablaze with bunting, the colors

The president's arrival is scheduled for this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, The president, Governor Hughes and Earl

### UNION REVIVAL MEETING HELD IN WAYNESVILLE

Work Is Meeting Much

Success.

Correspondence of The Gazette-News. Waynesville, March 18.—Startin last Sunday there has been a great revival meeting going on at the Methodist church all the week, being conducted as union services and all ing spirits of the work through his efforts that the meet were organized. Many converts nade. Two services are held attending each meeting. Those who could not attend the night services have taken advantage of the afternoon meetings at 3:30 o'clock.

GENERAL THOMAS L. ROSSER TAKEN VERY ILL LAST NIGHT

For a Time His Condition Was Considered Alarming—Is Bet-ter Today.

Charlottesville, Va., March 15.— General Thomas L. Rosser, one of the last surviving generals of the Con-federacy, is seriously ill at his home here. He was taken with a sudden