

FOREIGN HOMES OF AMBASSADORS ARE FINALLY PROVIDED

American Representatives to Foreign Nations Will at Last Have Homes

HOUSE PASSES BILL AFTER LONG FIGHT

Longworth Says President Is Republican With Democratic Tendencies

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—After a ten years' struggle in the house today passed a bill providing for the purchase and construction of American embassies, legations, and consular buildings abroad.

DEMOCRATS CALL CONFERENCE FOR SITUATION IN N.Y.

Regulars and Insurgents of Legislature Will Both Attend Conference Today

CRISIS IS REACHED IN LONG DEADLOCK

Dix, Murphy, Sheehan and Insurgent Leader All Reticent About Situation

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 7.—In a conference behind closed doors tomorrow morning the democratic members of the legislature, regulars and insurgents, will endeavor to settle the deadlock over the election of a United States senator which eighteen joint ballots have failed to break.

MANUFACTURERS OF PAPER PROTESTING CANADIAN TREATY

Especially Paper and Wood Pulp Sections of The Proposed Agreement

CLAIM MADE THAT CLAUSE IS ONE SIDED

Particular Clause is One Which May be Settled by Further Negotiations

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—As a result of the growing belief that the paper and pulp wood provisions of the new Canadian reciprocity agreement will operate one-sidedly to benefit the dominion without a corresponding benefit to the United States, an important change is likely to be made by congress in the measure before it is ratified.

The Modern Oliver Twist.



YOUNGEST DAUGHTER OF GOULDS BECOMES WIFE OF ENGLISH PEER

One of The Most Brilliant Weddings in History of New York Occured Yesterday Afternoon at St. Bartholomews When Helen Vivien Gould Was Married to Lord Decies of English Peerage.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Helen Vivien, second daughter of George J. Gould, head of the wealthiest and most prominent families in America, was married at St. Bartholomew's Episcopal church in Madison avenue shortly after 4 o'clock this afternoon to Lord Decies, an English peer.

The church was packed with a brilliant assemblage representing the best of New York's social and professional life, together with a sprinkling of foreign nobility, relatives and friends of the bridegroom.

Gould, as maid of honor, came next immediately preceding the bride and her father. The ceremony was over in 23 minutes and Lord and Lady Decies posed for a moment for a battery of cameras, before their car whisked them away to the reception at the Gould mansion on Fifth avenue.

PRESIDENT DISAPPROVES OF AEROPLANE EXPERIMENT ALONG MEXICAN BOUNDARY

International Aviators Offer Themselves and Machines for Service

CONSIDERING OFFER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The war department today received from the international aviators, through Alfred J. Moisant, an offer to supply seven aeroplanes and aviators to manage them for the use of the army on the Texas border.

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS IN HONDURAS SEEM LIKELY TO END IN FAILURE NOW

Leaders of Both Sides Assume Entirely Opposite Attitudes

BONILLA HOLDS OUT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The negotiations looking to the establishment of an armistice in Honduras are seriously threatened with a deadlock. This is due to the government and revolutionary authorities having assumed attitudes diametrically opposite in regard to the conditions which shall govern the acceptance of an armistice.

GAYNOR AND GREENE HAVE COMPLETED SENTENCE AND MUST PAY HALF MILLION

What Became of Heavy Embezzlements Remains a Mystery

MOVE FOR RELEASE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—If the government has evidence that any part of the money embezzled by John E. Gaynor and Henry D. Greene, in compliance with Captain Oberlin Carter in the Savannah harbor trials, is now secured, there is no indication that the department of justice will show its hand before the two prisoners apply for release from the Atlanta penitentiary.

GREAT DEVELOPMENT FOR SOUTH SAYS MR. FINLEY

In Address at Richmond Tells Something of Wonderful Prosperity

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 7.—President W. W. Finley, of the Southern Railway company, who was one of the guests at the reception given by the chamber of commerce here tonight, in connection with the opening of the Virginia mineral, timber and historical exhibit, outlined the development of the company since its organization in 1894, and prophesied a great development for the South.

MONUMENT TO LINCOLN SECOND TO WASHINGTON

Will Be Erected at Capital at Probable Cost of Two Million Dollars

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The house enacted into law today the senate bill providing for a commission to secure plans and designs for a suitable monument or memorial to Abraham Lincoln in this city. It is estimated that this memorial will cost in the neighborhood of two million dollars and be the most imposing of all the monuments in Washington.

COMPLIMENT TO SOUTH OF STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

Words "War of Rebellion" Stricken From Language of Pending Measure

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 7.—An objection to the words "war of the rebellion," similar to one which was made recently by a Southern congressman in the national house of representatives was put forward in the Rhode Island house today.

MOISE LOSES "GOOD TIME"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Chas. W. Morse cannot win back the 20 days good time he lost a few weeks ago for a breach of prison rules in Atlanta penitentiary.

NOMINATION FOR BRITT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—James J. Britt, of Asheville, North Carolina, was nominated today by President Taft to be third assistant postmaster general.

SHOWER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Forecast North Carolina local rains Wednesday and Thursday; moderate northeast winds.



TWENTY JUDICIAL DISTRICTS ARE NOW PROPOSED IN STATE

By Which It Is Hoped to Relieve Congested Conditions of Superior Courts

SOLICITORS MAY BE PUT ON SALARY

House Committee Reports Favorably on Bill Raising Salary of Governor

RALPHIGH, N. C., Feb. 7.—The house committee on salaries and fees voted unanimously this evening for a favorable report on the senate bill to increase the salary of the governor of North Carolina from \$4,000 to \$6,000 a year.

The house bill to transfer part of the town of Saluda from Henderson county to Polk was argued before the senate committee on counties, cities and towns this afternoon.

A sub-committee was appointed to consider the bill of Representative Dillard, of Guilford, reimbursing the members of the board of county commissioners and the highway commission of Guilford money which they paid back under a decision of the supreme court for services they rendered on committee work.

The senate committee on hour today debating the bill amending the state automobile law by giving boards of aldermen power to prescribe the speed limit in incorporated towns, finally tabling it.

Senator Hobgood, of Guilford, chairman of the committee on judicial districts, introduced a bill to change the state into twenty judicial districts.

Senator Allen, of Wake, introduced a bill to provide for larger education of the blind and deaf children attending school.

In the house Representative Wooten offered a bill to put solicitors on salaries after March first 1912. His plan is to allow divorce to be certified to the state treasury in the meantime and for salaries to be scaled on a basis that will allow \$2,000 salary where fees aggregate in a district \$1,000, the scale running up to \$4,000 where fees amount to \$4,300.

Bill by Doughton provides bonds to refund those due in 1915 and take care of the \$250,000 deficit in the state treasury caused by revenues failing to meet the appropriations made by the last legislature.

Connor introduced bills to amend reversal relative to sale of fire contracts, and to provide for an appeal by the insurance companies of the state.

An hour was spent in arguing the bill to amend the revival as to divorce so as to allow divorce after five years separation instead of ten years where there are no children. It passed second reading 47 to 27 and went back to the calendar on successful objection to final reading.

Twenty Judicial Districts. The bill of Senator Hobgood, of Guilford, to divide the state into twenty judicial districts gets a favorable report from the joint senate and house committee on judicial districts, and if passed the committee will then redistrict the state so as to relieve the congested dockets of superior courts in many counties by the work of four additional judges.

The senate committee on legislation today reported favorably on a bill to amend the constitution to give the governor the power to remove any officer in the executive branch of the government.

GREENSBORO ADOPTS THE COMMISSION PLAN BY A VOTE NEARLY TWO TO ONE

GREENSBORO, N. C., Feb. 7.—Greensboro today adopted the commission form of government, including the features of the initiative, referendum and recall by a two to one ballot. The new system is patterned from the commission governments of Des Moines, Iowa; Galveston, Tex.; and other cities and contains some original provisions. Three commissioners are to be elected in May, one the mayor, to receive \$2,500 per annum, and the other two to receive \$2,400.

The adoption of the new plan follows a hard fought contest in which the opponents of the plan claim that the charter prepared was undemocratic, though admitting that the idea of commission government itself was democratic.

BANKER GUILTY OF MISAPPROPRIATION

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Wm. R. Montgomery, former president of the Hamilton bank of New York of New York, a state institution, was found guilty late today of feloniously converting to his own use \$4,400 of the bank's funds. The larceny occurred October 22, 1907, on the day that the bank closed and it was the president's defense that he used the money to save the bank from suspension. The jury which returned its verdict after four hours deliberation recommended the defendant to the mercy of the court. Montgomery nearly collapsed when he heard the verdict. He was remanded for one week sentence.

ARCHBISHOP BETTER

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 7.—The improvement of Archbishop Ryan's physical condition continued today and he was able to discuss several matters of importance with Bishop Prendergast.