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INTEREST IN MAKE UP OF NEXT HOUSE

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THE TAFT PROGRAM

The President May Call An Extra Session and This Possibility Has Started Full Blast the Talk as to the Organization of the Next House—Champ Clark is in the Lead For the Speakership But There is Some Objection to Him—Woodrow Wilson Regarded as a Leader—Matter of Committees Causing Much Interest.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Washington, Nov. 11.—The fact that the democrats will have a majority exceeding sixty in the house makes it almost certain that the organizing of the next house will be of more than ordinary interest. Coupled with this is the feeling that President Taft may call an extra session of the 62nd congress to enact legislation that cannot be pushed through during the coming short session. It is the apprehension that the president may spring an extra session that has started, full blast, the speakership talk and committee assignments. The veterans who know the inside workings of the democratic methods of organization say that it is just possible the democrats will follow the example of the republicans this time and select the speaker by the state delegation scheme and thus avoid a spirited party caucus. It is conceded that Representative Champ Clark, of Missouri, minority leader, who has twice received the caucus nomination for speaker, is the strongest candidate in the field so far and enters the race backed by an organization composed of many of the veterans. He is in the lead at present, and if precedent has any influence ought to win, but the possibility of combinations in the matter of committee assignments and the distribution of the house offices may produce a mix-up that will completely demoralize present prospective program. Mr. Clark is a staunch Bryan man, and the insurgent democrats say that he should make it plain that he will not be guided by the advice of the discarded leader. On all sides the name of Woodrow Wilson is being heralded as the new leader of the democratic party, and it is being urged that he be consulted as to the future course of the party. Mr. Clark has expressed himself definitely in favor of a general revision of the tariff as soon as the next congress convenes. In this position he will be supported by a great many of his allies, but his announcement, nevertheless, has brought forth a storm of disapproval from many leading democrats.

President Taft, it is said, would like to see several of the measures recommended last season enacted into law before the adjournment of the coming session. These measures include amendments to the Sherman anti-trust law in the matter of injunctions relating to labor organizations and the bill to grant charters to corporations doing an interstate commerce business, together with a partial parcel post delivery by the postoffice. It is doubtful, however, if these important measures can be written into the statute books before the end of the session. It is conceded by the old members that if President Taft should call an extra session of the 62nd congress to consider these matters in conjunction with certain amendments of several of the schedules of the Payne-Aldrich tariff he would receive full credit for the legislation and if the tariff act were amended at an extra session it would, perhaps, deter the democrats from an attempt to put through the house a general tariff bill, trusting to the hope that the progressive republicans in the senate would join issue with them and complete the work of entire revision of the Payne-Aldrich law.

Members who have put in their appearance at the capital say that in the matter of committees the question of

MEXICO CITY QUIET

But There Is Much Feeling Against Americans

Big Meeting Planned For Sunday When a Boycott of American Goods Will be Inaugurated—Students Still Clamorous.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Mexico City, Nov. 11.—A squadron of picturesque rurales, hastily called in from the cattle and "bad man" country, marked by buckskin and sombreros, patrolled the streets of this city last night with their carbines slung across their saddles for instant use. However, while violence prevailed on the surface plans were going forward for a great mass meeting which will be held on Sunday when a boycott will be inaugurated against all American goods and all stores employing Americans.

Influential Mexicans deny the seriousness of the anti-American outbreak, nevertheless President Diaz has issued a decree to be known that he intends dealing in a drastic manner with those responsible for the depredations of the stars and stripes.

The barracks about the city are full of soldiers and the police have been warned.

The state department at Washington got in communication with the Central Mexican government today and filed a protest because of treatment of Americans in Mexico City and elsewhere throughout the republic.

Another outbreak is threatened momentarily as the students at the School of Jurisprudence are clamoring for official sanction for another anti-American demonstration. However, Governor Landa, to whom the application was made, stated today that cognizance would not be taken of requests for permission to carry out another demonstration.

Two hundred and thirty persons are under arrest as a result of the outbreak and the students, who were primarily responsible, are being detained in close confinement and their fellows are not allowed to speak to them.

Chief of Police Felix Diaz gave orders today to arrest any and all persons who attempted in any way to stir up further disorder.

American Property Destroyed.

Guadalajara, Mex., Nov. 11.—A frenzied mob of 500 Mexicans attacked American property here yesterday, destroying it and defying Americans to stay in the town upon penalty of their lives. With cries of "Down with America" and "Death to all Americans" the mob surged through the streets, playing the torches, throwing clubs and stones.

The loss of property will run into thousands of dollars and the Mexican police stood by while the depredations were going on. They declared that they could not cope with the numbers in the mob.

Clashes On Border.

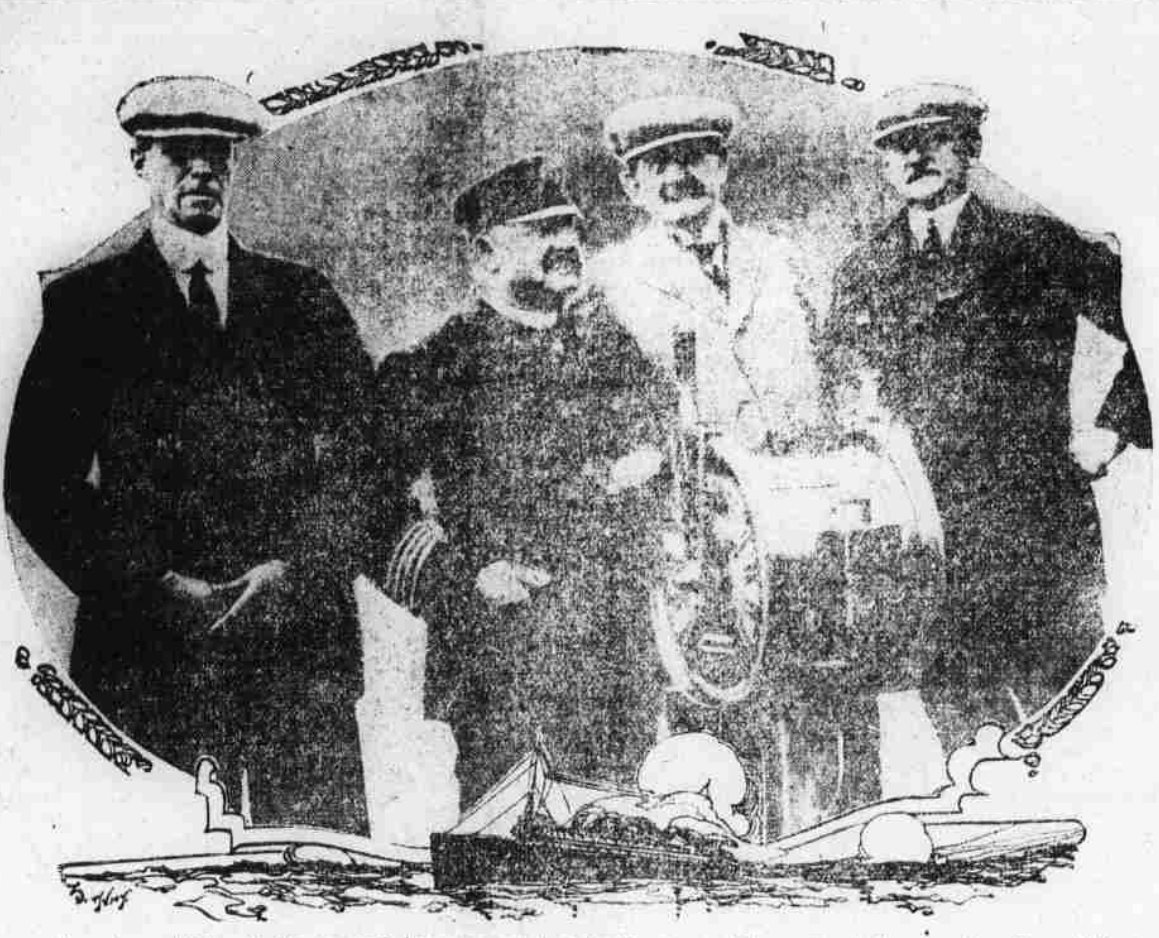
El Paso, Texas, Nov. 11.—Clashes between Americans and Mexicans are occurring all along the Mexican border today according to reports reaching this city from various points. At a number of places in Texas shots were fired. The frontier along the Rio Grande was a skirmish ground which offered the lawless element possibility for much violence in a condition of border warfare.

Ambassador Talks.

Washington, Nov. 11.—At the Mexican embassy an attempt was made to belittle the news received from Mexico including the report that 500 Mexicans had attacked American property and defying Americans to stay in town.

The Mexican ambassador when seen at the embassy declared that his government did not countenance any attacks on American, any more than would the United States government approve of assaults on Mexicans in Texas by citizens of that state.

His government, he continued would enforce the law against disorder and guilty persons would be punished.



Secretary of War Dickinson and his party on their return from a trip around the world. From left to right are Captain Harry M. Coffey, the secretary's military aide; Captain E. Trechin, Mr. Dickinson and General Clarence E. Edwards, chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs of the War Department. On his arrival in New York the secretary and Mrs. Dickinson left immediately for their home in Washington. He would not say anything in regard to his trip, but did say that he is an advocate for the use of aeroplanes in the army and navy. It was during a visit to the French military camp at Chartres, France, that Mr. Dickinson was taken up three times on aeroplane trips—twice in a biplane and once in an Curtiss aeroplane. His trip included the Orient, Germany, France and the Philippine Islands. It occupied four months, and the government is anxious to receive his report of the various questions which made his trip necessary.

MANY GIRL STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Chicago, Nov. 11.—More than 8,000 girl members of the striking garment-workers union today returned to work in shops which signed the agreement submitted by the union, and it was announced that many of the larger shops would sign the scale before Monday. It was expected that the first of next week would see all the strikers back at work.

SUGAR CASE ARGUED.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Washington, Nov. 11.—Argument in the case of the United States vs. Gustav E. Kissel and Thomas B. Harned, of the American Sugar Refining Company, of Pennsylvania, which began yesterday were concluded in the United States supreme court today. Assistant General Fowler closing for the government.

STANDARD OIL CONVICTED.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Washington, Nov. 11.—The Standard Oil Company, of New York, which was convicted in Jamestown, N. Y., in 1907, in a suit brought by the United States government charging a violation of the Elkins act in that the oil company had accepted rebates from railroads today supreme court for a writ of certiorari. The federal court of appeals of New York denied the motion for a new trial, hence the petition for the writ of certiorari. The lower court imposed a fine of \$20,000 for accepting rebates.

Robert Munford Dead.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Macon, Ga., Nov. 11.—Mr. Robert Munford, aged 57, a well-known citizen of Macon, died this morning after a long illness. Interment will be in Richmond, Va., Monday, November 14.

Seine Still Rising.

(By Cable to The Times)

Paris, Nov. 11.—Although the Seine and other rivers in the vicinity of Paris are rising slowly, as a result of the continued rains, no great damage is anticipated in this city.

J.F. SPAINHOUR RESIGNS

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Mr. Spainhour has been elected to the House of Representatives—Mr. Johnston is the Newly-elected Member.

PROFESSOR IN BAD.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Madison, Wis., Nov. 11.—A quiet investigation is being made to find out whether there exists among the students of the University of Wisconsin mystic social circles as might be inferred from private papers seized by postal authorities after arresting Professor Billman, of the history department, on the charge of having mailed obscene letters and photographs to a young woman student.

Condition of Banks.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Washington, Nov. 11.—From a canvass as to the condition of banks in the United States, national and private, conducted by the comptroller of the currency, for June 29, 1910, it was found, according to the report made public today, that the capital of the banks amounted to \$1,879,000, an increase of \$80,000,000, and individual deposits \$15,283,400,000, an increase of \$1,247,900,000 over last year.

Wage Increase For Coal Miners.

(By Cable to The Times)

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 11.—The coal miners in the anthracite region have been granted a wage increase of six percent, based upon the amounts they earned last month. The announcement of the increase was made by Labor Commissioner Neill today.

REVOLVER BATTLE WITH THREE BANDITS

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Three persons shot three times in a revolver battle between three bandits in the town of Chicago early today and police assisted by citizens who attempted to arrest them.

ARGUMENTS HEARD.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Lumber Firm Case Heard Against Railroads.

LABORITES CALL TO SEE THE PREMIER

(By Cable to The Times)

London, Nov. 11.—The chaotic conditions of British politics were further complicated today when a deputation of laborites presented a petition to Premier Asquith demanding legislation favorable to labor in the next session of parliament. Following so closely upon the failure of the constitutional conference, new elements were added to the unrest which in all likelihood will result in the dissolution of parliament shortly after its convening next week, and general elections early next year, possibly before Christmas.

THE COLONEL IN SECLUSION.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Oyster Bay, L. I., Nov. 11.—That Theodore Roosevelt's unusual seclusion and reticence is the preamble to a brilliant statement on politics in which he will declare positively whether or not he will be a candidate for president in 1912 is a belief which gained ground among his friends today.

Twelve Sailors Drowned.

(By Cable to The Times)

Boulogne, France, Nov. 11.—Twelve sailors were drowned when the British steamer Burma cut the French fishing smack Suffren in two today.

Heavy Snow Storm In Germany.

(By Cable to The Times)

Brussels, Nov. 11.—A heavy snow storm is raging over northern France, practically all Germany and part of Belgium. Communication with Germany is cut off.

THE STRIKE SETTLED

New York Strikers Come to Agreement

If Jersey City Strikers Will Sign Same Agreement the Strike Will be Over and Differences Will be Adjusted in Conference.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

New York, Nov. 11.—The strike of the express company drivers and helpers, which has paralyzed much of New York's business in the last fortnight and resulted in violence which kept the entire police force busy, has been provisionally settled.

A meeting of the strikers was held today when a new offer from the express companies was favorably voted upon. Leaders of the strikers planned to take the settlement agreement to Jersey City late this afternoon for ratification of the New Jersey contingent.

The two features of the settlement are: First, that the companies do not discriminate against any of the men for acts of violence, except such as are proven acts of violence in court; second, that the wage and hour differences are to be adjusted at further conferences to be held in the future.

This settlement does not affect the strike of the taxicab drivers. They have individual grievances to be settled.

The express men will return to work Monday morning. William Ashton, of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, in speaking of the settlement this morning, said:

"The plan of settlement must go to the men in Jersey City for ratification. The New York strikers voted conditionally to end the strike, agreeing to go back upon the agreement outlined if the strikers in Jersey City would return to work upon the same conditions. I think that the men in Jersey City will do this. They are to take a vote upon the question later today and I would not be surprised to see the strike ended in its entirety by tonight."

A statement signed by representatives of the Adams, American, National, United States, Wells Fargo companies was issued setting forth the clauses in the settlement agreement. In part this reads:

"We are willing to take back men, no matter whether they have joined the union or not, reserving the right to decline to take those back who have incited hostility or acts of violence against us.

"The former hours and wages shall continue in effect until December 1, but in the meantime the matters will be taken up in conferences by representatives of the unions and the companies conferences for a settlement favorable to both sides."

Jersey City Agrees.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Washington, Nov. 11.—Arguments were heard today by the interstate commerce commission, on complaint against twenty-five railroads operating from southeastern to Ohio river crossings freight territory, brought by two lumber firms of Birmingham, Alabama. In the case of rates from Hollis and other points in Alabama to points in Tennessee, Kentucky and beyond the Ohio river they were characterized as unreasonably high and excessive. The concerns involved are Ogden & Elliott Company, and the Kaul Lumber Company, both of Birmingham, Ala.

All the Old Pleasures Are Forgotten—The Third Term Dream.

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Queen Visits Manuel.

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London, Nov. 11.—Manuel, the exiled boy monarch, of Portugal, received further royal condolence today when Queen Alexandra, the widow of King Edward, went to the Duke of Orleans' Woodnorton estate to visit the deposed king and his mother, Queen Amelie. Queen Alexandra went by train to Evesham and motored from there to the Woodnorton estate in Worcestershire. The greeting of the royal women was very affectionate.

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