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## LEGISLATORS AWAIT TAFT

**Before Trying Further On Railroad Bill. Insurgents Quit.**

Washington D. C. May 5.—The Senate leaders are awaiting the return of President Taft before proceeding further with the badly battered railroad bill.

There will be no more votes on the measure this week. It will be permitted to go over until next Monday, by which time the leaders will have opportunity of conferring with the President and ascertaining his views. Then it is planned to push it, but whether the regulars will be able to do this is doubtful.

The administration supporters are no longer appealing for votes on the merits of the railway bill, but have turned now to the more simple and probably more effective appeal of party expediency.

They were laboring yesterday in the Senate lobbies and committee rooms with the near-insurgents, trying to make them see that failure to enact the Taft legislation at this session will mean certain party defeat in the fall, with far-reaching effects upon Republican campaigns of the more distant future.

Evidences were not lacking that this tact taken by the regulars was yielding some results.

Insurgents in both the House and Senate have been considerably sobered in the last few weeks by Democratic successes throughout the country, and it is understood that serious questions have arisen among the insurgents themselves as to the length that they should go in opposing President Taft's programme of legislation.

## INTERNATIONAL PEACE ADDRESS

**Colonel Roosevelt Speaks Before Nobel Prize Commission. CHERISHES HIS GOLD MEDAL.**

**Gives His Views on How War Can Be Avoided—Favors Arbitration First—Advices European Powers to Study Constitution of the United States. Should Limit Size of Ships.**

Christiania, Norway, May 5.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt delivered an address before the Nobel prize commission on "International Peace," as follows:

It is with peculiar pleasure that I stand here today to express the deep appreciation I feel of the high honor conferred upon me by the presentation of the Nobel peace prize. The gold medal which formed part of the prize I shall always keep, and I shall hand it on to my children as a precious heirloom.

The sum of money provided as part of the prize by the wise generosity of the illustrious founder of this world famous prize system I did not, under the peculiar circumstances of the case, feel at liberty to keep. I think it eminently just and proper that in most cases the recipient of the prize should keep for his own use the prize in its entirety. But in this case, while I did not act officially as president of the United States, it was nevertheless only because I was president that I was enabled to act at all, and I felt that the money must be considered as having been given me in trust for the United States.

I therefore used it as a nucleus for a foundation to forward the cause of industrial peace, as being well within the general purpose of your committee, for our complex industrial civilization of today the peace of righteousness and justice, the only kind of peace worth having, is at least as necessary in the industrial world as it is among nations.

There is at least as much need to curb the cruel greed and arrogance of part of the world of capital, to curb the cruel greed and violence of part of the world of labor, as to check a cruel and unhealthy militarism in international relationships.

**Peace Generally Good.**

We must ever bear in mind that the great end in view is righteousness, justice as between man and man, nation and nation, the chance to lead our lives on a somewhat higher level, with a broader spirit of brotherly good will one for another.

Peace is generally good in itself, but it is never the highest good unless it comes as the handmaid of righteousness, and it becomes a very evil thing if it serves merely as a mask for cowardice and sloth or as an instrument to further the ends of despotism or anarchy.

We despise and abhor the bully, the braver, the oppressor, whether in private or public life. But we despise no less the coward and the voluntary. No man is worth calling a man who will not fight rather than submit to infamy or see those that are dear to him suffer wrong.

No nation deserves to exist if it permits itself to lose the stern and virtuous, and this without regard to whether the loss is due to the growth of a heartless and all absorbing commercialism, to prolonged indulgence in luxury and soft, effortless ease or to the delinquency of a warped and twisted sentimentality.

Moreover, and above all let us remember that words count only when they give expression to deeds or are to be translated into them. The leaders of the red terror parties of peace while they steeped their hands in the blood of the innocent, and many a tyrant has called it peace when he has encouraged honest protest into silence.

Our words must be judged by our deeds, and in striving for a lofty ideal we must use practical methods, and if we cannot attain all at one leap we must advance toward it step by step, reasonably content so long as we do actually make some progress in the right direction.

Now, having freely admitted the limitations to our work and the qualifications to be borne in mind, I feel that I have the right to have my words taken seriously when I point out where, in my judgment, great advance can be made in the cause of international peace.

I speak as a practical man, and whatever I now advocate I actually tried to do when I was for the time being the head of a great nation and keenly jealous of its honor and interest. I set other nations to do only what I should be glad to see my own nation do.

**How to Secure Peace.**

The advance can be made along several lines. First of all there can be treaties of arbitration. These are of course states or backward that a civilized community ought not to enter into an arbitration treaty with them at least until we have done much further than at present in securing such kind of international justice action. But all really civilized communities should have effective arbitration treaties among themselves.

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## STEAMERS CRASH FAR FROM SHORE

**Crew Refuses to Leave Ship, and Work Vessel Into Part at Risk of Their Lives.**

Boston, Mass., May 5.—With a great hole in her starboard bow, received in collision off Cape Cod with the oil tanker Ligonier, the freighter Santurce arrived at Provincetown, Mass., at dawn today and was beached with decks awash. After the crash Captain Folker, of the Santurce, put seventeen of his crew aboard the Ligonier, and with full steam on drove through the dense fog for the shore. All through the night the men fed the boilers, and with pumps at full head fought seas which poured through the breach into the ship's side, fearing every moment that the bulkheads might collapse and the vessel go to the bottom.

The Ligonier is owned by the J. M. Guffey Petroleum Company, of Boston. She reached Beverly, Mass., this afternoon.

There was another triumph for wire less telegraph following the night's smash.

The Santurce arrived in Boston three days ago from San Juan, Porto Rico, and left late night for New York. Because of the heavy fog, Captain Folker laid his course well outside of Cape Cod.

Shortly before midnight the lookout sighted another steamship near the big freighter and gave the alarm, but before either captain could change his course the vessels were in collision, the other striking the Santurce almost amidship.

There was scurrying on both craft and they dove to the fog.

The strangers reported through a megaphone that she was the oil tanker Ligonier. Captain Cates, bound with a cargo of crude petroleum from Port Arthur, Texas, to Beverly, Mass. Her captain said his bows were crushed, but that all damage was above the water line. Captain Folker had had his collision bulkheads closed at the first impact and this saved the Santurce.

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**DIED.**

Little Ruby Belvia, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Faulkner, at 12 o'clock last night, at the home of Mr. Thomas Daniels. The funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. J. B. Hurley, at the residence on Pollock St., at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

**Library Moved Yesterday**

The Circulating Library has moved into rooms on the third floor of the Elks Building, their former rooms having been rented to new tenants. The move has inconvenienced the association very much and the new quarters are considered only temporary. The ladies who have done so much to benefit and educate the young people of the city feel that it is a good time for those able to do so, to help build a permanent home for the Library, on a lot that the ladies can now obtain at a reasonable price.

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**Important Property Sales**

There was a large gathering of prominent business men at the auction sale of what was advertised as the "Howe properties," four separate pieces. The first what is known as Mrs. Yoeman's boarding house, after some bidding sold to A. H. Bangert at \$7,750. The next door, north of this, 66x107, with a frame building sold to T. D. Warren, for \$3,600. The crowd then walked around on Broad St. number 23, a lot 19 feet front, with an old frame building, sold for \$1,550 to A. H. Bangert. The property with several buildings, corner Griffith and Atmore Sts. sold to A. H. Bangert for \$2,200.

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**Fire at Aurora.**

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**Make Clark a Station.**

Clark has been a flag station on the A. & N. C. Railroad for the last fifty years, but surely it has outgrown that now, even though the management of the Norfolk and Southern has not seen fit to recognize the fact, that is, so far as to establish a ticket office and waiting room. It is claimed by those who live at Clark that the railroad receives more passengers, both passengers and freight from that place than it does at Tuscarora, although the trains have to be flagged down for passengers at Clark while freight bills from the latter place are charged from Tuscarora. Clark in the past ten years has grown more than any other small place on the A. & N. C. Railroad, to wit. There are four stores handling general merchandise, a post office, two churches, a large public school for whose occupancy a seven-story brick building is almost completed, and also a fine dairy farm. This does not include the brick and tile manufacturing plants of the Enterprise Brick and Tile Co. and the Carolina which are running every day, giving employment to something like five hundred hands. There are two saw mills, Clark Lumber Company and A. T. Wetherington's, both running constantly supplying quite a number of hands both at the mill and in the woods. Another enterprise is J. B. Boggs' Wood Working plant which supplies all this section with house furnishings, such as windows, doors, blinds, mantels, bedsteads, porch columns, etc. All of these industries are looked up to as one of the best farming sections in the county. What's the matter with Clark being a regular station?

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