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REPUBLICANS OBSTRUCTING TARIFF BILL

Declare That if Passed it Will Bring on a Calamity in the United States

SOME PROGRESS MADE WITH THE SCHEDULES

Washington, July 30—Democrats and Republicans of the senate clashed again in debate on the Underwood Simmons tariff bill today, when Senator Stone charged that the Republicans were deliberately attempting to bring on a panic in their speeches attacking the pending measure.

Republican leaders, denying any intention to bring about disaster, declared they feared that such actually would be the result.

Senator Gallinger asserted he was no "calamity howler," but that he actually feared the results, which he hoped would not come. If the disaster he feared did not come, the senator said, the glory would go to the Democrats.

Senator Penrose declared that not only did he fear the proposed bill would bring on disastrous consequences, but that industrial depression already was upon the country. He cited instances of steel mills in Pennsylvania that already had closed down.

While Republican and Democratic leaders were engaged in hot discussion, Senator Kenyon averred that in his talks he had always stated he did not believe the pending bill would result in disaster and that the people of his state did not believe so either.

"Of course, I was not referring to the Progressive Republicans," said Senator Stone. "I meant the majority of the minority were attempting to arouse the people."

SOME PROGRESS OF SCHEDULES

After the flurry of this oratorical storm and the later excitement caused by a hail and wind storm, which forced a recess of the senate, considerable progress was made in consideration of the bill. The earthenware schedule was completed, except for a few paragraphs which were passed, and the metal schedule was taken up. Strong opposition to this schedule developed, substitutes being proposed by Senator Oliver for the regular Republicans and Senator Cummins for the Progressive Republicans.

WORLD'S NEWS IN SHORT METRE

New York, July 31—London Bank rate unchanged at 4½ p.c.

New Northern Pacific president may not be chosen for several weeks. Howard Elliott going to St. Paul Friday.

Balkan states agree on five days armistice and conclusion of peace treaty seems assured.

Washington believes Secretary McAdoo lacks proof of charge against Banks; President Wilson said to be displeased.

House Committee consideration of Currency Bill may be concluded Friday. Of 14 Democratic members only four will oppose the bill in caucus.

Great Britain refuses to participate in Panama Canal fair intimating she resents course of the United States regarding Canal tolls.

Currency Bill may provide for advisory bankers committee without voting power.

Bankers regard such concession of problematic value.

New York Central inquiry for 150,000 tons of rails expected shortly.

Southern Pacific to invoke National Mediation Board's services to settle dispute with trainmen and conductors over terms of employment on company's electric lines.

20 active railways declined .75; 12 industrials declined .24.

American stocks in London firm generally ½ to ¾ up.

I.O.O.F. MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Independent Order of Oddfellows of the Maritime Provinces will be held at Chatham on August 15th. Upwards of five hundred delegates will attend. The North Shore brethren are making great preparations for their entertainment.

CALLS ROAD A TRAMWAY LINE

F. B. Carvell M. P., Sharply Criticizes the St. John Valley Railway

Says it Goes Up and Down Hill Like a Tram Line—Highways are Bad.

(St. John Telegraph)

"It is really disheartening to see what a miserable trolley line has been built between Fredericton and Centreville," said F. B. Carvell, M. P. for Carleton County, on his arrival in the city last evening, in speaking of the observations he had made on an automobile trip from Woodstock to Fredericton along the line of the new St. John Valley railway. "The company is getting a subsidy of \$31,000 and a tramway line I should say worth about \$16,000 a mile, has been built. In two places at least the road is from 100 to 200 feet above the river level and it follows the contour of the land, up hill and down, like any tramway line."

"As for the Grand Falls connection said Mr. Carvell, 'I knew long ago this would never be built. The minister of railways told us in the house last session that the connection would not be made and many of us knew it long before that.'"

"The only reason," said Mr. Carvell, "that the Galetown-St. John section is not being proceeded with is because the men making money out of the railway construction are trying to avoid the expensive bridges over the St. John and Kennebecasis rivers. I look for the road still to be hauled in to the C. P. R. at Welsford or possibly Westfield."

THE HIGHWAY ROADS

Mr. Carvell is out on a pleasure jaunt with his automobile, but said the trip from Woodstock to Fredericton on Tuesday and from Fredericton on yesterday, was very strenuous.

"Between Fredericton and Westfield," he said, "the roads are nothing short of damnable. It shows that statute labor has got to go. First there will be a short piece in good shape followed by a stretch something horrible. I should say, too, that the use of the road machine prevents really good roads as the bad spots around the culverts are left untouched and the sods thrown up where the roars are really good."

TRIPLE DROWNING AT LOCK LOMOND

St. John, July 31—As a result of the capsizing of a boat on Loch Lomond yesterday afternoon Miss Matilda Davis, of 9 White Street, Miss Brown, of 192 Waterloo Street, and Miss Margaret Dowling, of 202 Duke Street, were drowned, and Jos. Noble and John Stanton of the customs department and Miss Georgie Paterson had an experience they will remember the rest of their lives. When the boat capsized Miss Brown, Miss Dowling and Miss Davis instantly sank, but Mr. Noble and Mr. Stanton managed to get on to the bottom of the boat and haul Miss Paterson up alongside of them.

Horror stricken by the drowning of their friends, the three survivors clung to the bottom of the overturned boat calling for help. But the accident occurred in a lonely part of the lake, near where the smaller lake runs into Loch Lomond, and there were none to hear or heed their frantic cries. In this freightful plight they spent over two hours, and were high exhausted and had about given up hope when the wind and current set them onto the shore. By the time they reached the shore they could barely drag themselves to safety.

The accident occurred about 3.30 p. m., and after two hours or more adrift on the lake, they had to spend about four hours more on the shore before their hoarse cries attracted attention.

It was after midnight when the party returned to the city.

J. W. Brankley of Chatham, manager of the Miramichi Lumber Company, and G. M. Stearns of Megantic a member of the same company, are at the Barker House.

GEOLOGISTS TO CONVENE AT TORONTO NEXT WEEK

Will be the Most Important Gathering of Scientists Ever Held in the Dominion—One Thousand Delegates Expected to Attend—Will Include Many Professors and Teachers From Leading Colleges—Many Excursions Planned.

Toronto, Ont., July 31—One week from today the twelfth International Geological Congress will begin its sessions in this city. The congress will be the largest and most important gathering of scientists ever held in Canada. The attendance will be made up of nearly one thousand delegates from about thirty countries. The largest contingents will come from the United States, Great Britain and Germany, in the order named. All the countries of Europe will be represented. In addition there will be delegates from Mexico and several South American countries and from Japan, China, India, Manchuria, Australia, South Africa, New Zealand and the Philippines.

The International Geological Congress is essentially a working body of scientists. The members consist principally of professors and teachers from the leading colleges and universities of the world, officers of government geological surveys and geological and mining engineers in private practice. The congress really took its rise from the Centennial Exhibition held in Philadelphia in 1876, when the numerous geological specimens and maps so struck the visiting geologists and mining engineers that they formed a committee to take into consideration the formation of an international society. The society was formed and its first meeting and exhibition was held in Paris in 1878. Since then, about every fourth year, various capitals have been visited in turn. The last congress was held in Stockholm in 1910 and was attended by more than 600 delegates representing thirty-six different countries.

The congress about to assemble here will continue in session seven days. The chief topic of discussion will be the "Coal Resources of the World." The discussion will be based on a monograph which has been in preparation for nearly three years. Information has been supplied by government officials, geological surveys, mining bureaus and geological and mining engineers throughout the world.

The Duke of Connaught, Governor General of Canada, is the honorary president of the congress, and the honorary vice-presidents include the Right Hon. Robert L. Borden, premier of Canada, Louis Coderre, minister of mines; Frank Cochran, minister of railways and canals; Charles Devlin, minister of colonization, mines and fisheries of Quebec; Richard McBride, prime minister of British Columbia, and E. H. Armstrong, commissioner of works and mines for Nova Scotia.

During the meeting short daily excursions will be taken by the delegates, and after the congress, prolonged tours will be made reaching as far as the Pacific Coast, one party going as far north as Dawson City.

MISS HELEN RICHARDSON LED HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE

Bishop's Daughter Led Examination—Marks Submitted to School Board Yesterday—Special Committee Appointed to Take up Matter of Purchasing Site for New School in West End—Miss Alice Boyd Appointed to Teaching Staff of Charlotte Street School.

The regular monthly meeting of the School Trustees yesterday was a somewhat protracted one and several matters of importance engaged the attention of the members. Mr. Jas. M. Lemont, the new appointee of the City Council, was present and was most cordially welcomed by Dr. Vanwart, the chairman, and by the other members of the Board. The letter read from the City Clerk informing the Board of the appointment of Mr. Lemont, also announced the re-appointment of Ald. Weddall and Mrs. W. G. Clark.

At the meeting Dr. Vanwart presided and the other members in attendance included Mr. Sterling, Mr. Weddall, Mr. Sharkey, Mr. Spurden, Mrs. Lynch, Mr. Lemont and Secretary Sampson.

NO INCREASE IN ATTENDANCE.

The Secretary read the Board's annual report to the Chief Superintendent of Education, which was approved and a copy ordered to be forwarded to Dr. Carter. Several matters of interest are referred to in the report, including the working of the Compulsory Schools Act, which seems to have failed to materially increase the attendance in the schools or to have altogether removed the boys from the streets. In discussing this Act, the Trustees do not condemn it, but rather express surprise at trifling results. While there has been considerable over-crowding in some of the schools, the total attendance of pupils is not greater than that of twenty or more years ago. The average number of pupils to the teacher in the first term of the year was 41.65 while for the second term

it was only 39.20 and yet it has been suggested to the Trustees that they at once open three or four additional schools. In order to relieve the congestion in the primary grades, it is probable the Trustees may fit up another class-room in the York street school building by transferring the present chemical room to the basement.

MISS BOYD APPOINTED.

Several applications for position on the teaching staff were read and the names recorded in the applicants' book. Miss Vida Carruthers was appointed to succeed Miss Alexander in the York Street School for one year, and Miss Alice L. Boyd was appointed to the Charlotte Street School for one year, during Miss McAdam's leave of absence.

A letter addressed to His Worship Mayor Hooper and by him handed to the Secretary, was read. It was inviting the city or school board to send a representative to the Fourth International Congress on School Hygiene to be held in Buffalo, N. Y., next month. There was no scrambling for the position as there was no provision for travelling expenses.

The Chairman reported respecting progress of the contract for sanitary work at the York Street School. Some trouble had arisen between the contractor and the plumbing inspector, but that will have to be settled with the architect who is overseeing the job.

A letter from one of the teachers, asking to have his request for increase of salary complied with, did

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CEMENT STOCK TAKES A BOOM

The Common Sold in the Montreal Exchange Today for 311-2

Dividend Cut of Illinois Central Has Had Bad Influence on the Market Today.

New York, July 31—It is plainly evident that the action of the Illinois Central directors in reducing the dividend of the company overshadowed all other news that influences the prices. The new selling era brought a sudden check to the upward tendency that has been going on for some time and the buying power seemed to have disappeared. A peculiar feature of this dividend reduction is that while it was looked for, as the company did not earn it, there was some feeling that the old rate would be maintained, due to prospective business this fall. The directors evidently have not given this any consideration and will let the future take care of itself. London prices for Americans do not follow our market. A better range for Americans from that section probably means they have not digested the matter sufficiently to influence the trading, still there are other factors governing which have been more influential.

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ALBION LODGE, I.O.G.T., ELECT OFFICERS FOR YEAR

York and Sunbury District Lodge Meets at Patterson's Settlement August 7

Albion Lodge, No. 44, I.O.G.T., held its regular meeting last evening in the I.O.O.F. Hall with R. J. Baxter in the chair. There was a large attendance and two brothers were re-admitted to the Order. It being the last meeting in the quarter, election of officers was carried out and resulted in the following officers being elected:

J. D. Scammell, Chief Templar.
Mrs. A. L. Charters, Vice Templar.
H. T. Brewer, Past Chief Templar.
J. D. Scammell, Superintendent of Juvenile Work.
Mrs. J. M. Chappell, Recording Secretary.
Miss Mabel Clewley, Financial Secretary.
A. L. Charters, Treasurer.
Charles Clarke, Marshall.
Mrs. A. L. Charters, Chaplain.
Walter Smith, Guard.

The following were elected as delegates to attend the York and Sunbury District Lodge which is to be at Patterson's Settlement on August 7th—J. D. Scammell, Walter Smith and R. J. Baxter, and Ernest Smith, Mrs. J. M. Chappell and Mrs. Minnie as alternates.

MUCH IMPROVED.
The condition of Mr. Alexander Gibson Sr., of Marysville, is reported to be much improved. Yesterday he was able to sit up in bed, talk and sing. The way in which he rallied after being unconscious almost all Tuesday night is considered remarkable. He passed a good night last night and is very comfortable today.

PERSONAL

Miss Mary Thompson of Ottawa formerly of the N.B. Educational Department is visiting relatives in the city.

Prof. Phillip Mittell of New York who is camping at Davidson Lake and a large party of American boys is in the city today.

Dr. Phillip Cox of the U.N.B. faculty, is at St. John with the party of visiting geologists.

SUFFRAGIST DEMONSTRATION AT WASHINGTON

A Petition Urging Votes for Women Presented to the United States Senate Today

PROGRAM OF SPEECH- MAKING CARRIED OUT

Washington, D. C., July 31—The second big demonstration that the advocates of woman suffrage have held in the national capital this year took place today and was carried out far more successfully than the similar demonstration and parade held last March on the eve of the inauguration of President Wilson. The chief object of the demonstration today was to present petitions to the senate asking that body to pass immediately a constitutional amendment enfranchising women all over the country.

The demonstration was participated in by delegations of suffragists from many States. The delegations rendezvoused during the forenoon at Hyattsville, Md., where they were officially greeted by the Washington suffragists and escorted into this city in automobiles. At Hyattsville there was a program of speechmaking in the public park and the raising of a suffrage flag.

Upon arrival in the capital the parade of automobiles proceeded south on 14th street to Pennsylvania Ave., and then on to the Capitol. The presentation of the petitions to the senate was accompanied by brief addresses delivered by several of the national leaders of the equal suffrage movement.

ARTHABASKA GOES LIBERAL

Edmonton, July 30—With eight out of twelve polls heard from in the deferred provincial election in Athabasca, Hon. A. G. MacKay (Lib.) has a majority of 141 over the Conservative candidate, Mayor J. H. Woods, of Athabasca Landing.

The remaining four polls which are at far outlying points will not be heard from for several days, but it is not probable they will affect the general result. Mr. MacKay's election is now conceded by the Conservatives. The fight was a bitter one, and nearly all the prominent politicians on both sides in the province took part during the past few days.

CANDIDATES WHO PASSED IN FIRST DIV.

Following is a list of candidates who passed the High School examination in first division:

Helen Richardson	856
Ernest Brewer	822
Alice Belliveau	821
Mary E. Adams	752
Jack A. Belyca	699
Isabel Chestnut	686
Thurston Clark	783
Jack Edgecombe	751
Gerald S. Howard	674
Charles T. Harrison	791
Ruth Humble	796
Margaret Hall	829
Willard E. Harris	700
Edith McLeod	717
Willard E. Harris	798
Douglas Millican	790
Helen Scott	677
Henry D. Squires	755
Willard D. Thompson	814
William Vradenburg	771

CANADA IS FIRST ON ROYAL VISITING LIST

London, July 28—A report from Australia that King George and Queen Mary were to lay the foundation-stone of the Australian Commonwealth Parliament House at Canberra next year is discredited today by The Pall Mall Gazette, which declares that Canada is to be the next British Dominion visited by their Majesties, and adds—

"They take for granted that while so near the United States they will cross the border, and it is thought probable that they may pay a brief visit to Washington and perhaps to New York."