

CANNON DEFIES INSURGENTS.

After Defeat of Automobile Provision Aged Speaker Takes Floor in Defense of Himself.

Washington, April 11.—Almost the entire "insurgent" strength of the house was joined with the Democrats today, in what was acknowledged to be an additional rebuke to Senator Cannon.

A conference report on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill contained an agreement to appropriate for the expense of automobiles previously provided for Speaker Cannon and Vice-President Sherman. The house reiterated its disapproval of these expenditures and by a vote of 111 to 132 refused to agree to the reports, sending it back to the conference for further consideration.

After this action had been taken Mr. Cannon, leaving the chair, went to the Republican side of the house and there delivered a speech that contained much sarcasm and invective. He again defied the "insurgents" and intimated that they lacked courage to join with the solid minority in deposing him. Encouraging his Republican colleagues and admonishing the Democrats, he declared he believed a Republican majority would be returned in the coming elections.

Want the Opportunity.

Minority Leader Clark made a speech in which he insisted that if given an opportunity the Democrats would endeavor to realize the suggestion of Senator Aldrich that the expense of the government might be curtailed to the extent of \$300,000,000 annually.

Mr. Sims of Tennessee was among the leaders in opposing the appropriations for automobiles for the speaker and the vice president, declaring it cost \$20 daily to bring the speaker or the vice president to the capitol.

With intense interest the roll call was listened to in order to determine how the insurgents were voting, as it was realized their attitude would settle the outcome. The result was soon foreseen and the announcement provoked applause on the Democratic side.

Mr. Mann Irate.

Then Mr. Mann (Ill.), arose and said in sarcastic tones, "this is mere child's play."

"If this is Democratic leadership," added Mr. Mann, "I hope to be delivered from it in the future."

"You will," came from a score of Democratic members.

Minority Leader Champ Clark gave the house a statement of his purpose to work for economy, whether that was denominated "child's play" or anything else.

Mr. Clark said he would come to congress if there were no salary attached to the office.

"If we ever get possession of the government," he said, addressing his Democratic colleagues, "I propose to make good Senator Aldrich's declaration that this government can be run for \$300,000,000 less per year than it now costs."

Cannon Speaks.

Speaker Cannon then requested Mr. Mann, of Illinois, to take the chair, after which he addressed the house.

"Mr. Speaker," he began, "this whole controversy, touching the automobile in connection with the offices of the speaker of the house and vice-president of the United States, has not been inspired from beginning to end or encouraged or approved of by the present occupant of the speaker's chair."

In a low tone he recalled to the attention of members the difference that has always existed in the salary of the speaker and other members.

"It is true," he added, looking straight into the eyes of Champ Clark, who occupied a seat just across the aisle, "that a desire to preside over this house when a different party may be in the majority—(hand-clapping and Democratic shouts interrupted)—"

"Looking in to the eyes of the gentleman from Missouri," said Uncle Joe, when he was allowed to continue, "I know that if he becomes speaker, he will be the same Champ Clark that he is now."

Mr. Cannon added: "I believe the speakership should be accorded the same dignity as the office of vice-president."

"I am quite content, but I want to notify you that unless the Republicans on this side, who do not approve of the personality of their speaker, have the courage to join a solid majority in deposing him, I am speaker until March 4."

For the first time smiling upon his colleagues, Mr. Cannon continued to say that while he had not asked for the automobile he would use the appropriation for its maintenance if

voted to him.

Defends Tariff Law.

He then entered into a defense of the new tariff law, declaring, to the apparent delight of the Republicans, that the government had enjoyed greatly increased revenues since the passage of the Payne-Aldrich law. Referring sarcastically to "headlines of newspapers," that "rarely tell the truth and frequently give the lie to the dispatches under them," Mr. Cannon assured his colleagues that the facts would be known.

There was more than even chance, he said, that the facts would be so well known by next November that Republicans would be returned in full control of the government.

"And again," he said, nodding and smiling upon the Democrats, "you will be shown to be false prophets as you have been during the last decade."

Amid applause Mr. Cannon took his seat.

RURAL SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT.

Announcement of Prizes Offered and Conditions—Newberry Should Be In.

The South Carolina School Improvement association offers 50 prizes to the schools of the State for the most decided material improvement made during a given length of time. Ten of the prizes are to be \$100 each, and 40 are to be \$50 each. Regulations concerning the 50 prizes that are to be awarded by this association are as follows:

1. Improvements must be made between November 1, 1909, and December 10, 1910.
 2. Prizes will be awarded to schools where the most decided material improvements have been made during the time mentioned.
 3. Under material improvements are included local taxation, consolidation, new buildings, repairs and painting old ones, libraries, reading rooms or tables, interior decorations, beautifying yards and better general equipment.
 4. No school can compete for any of these prizes unless it is a rural school. No town with more than 400 population shall be eligible to the contest.
 5. All who wish to enter this contest must send names and descriptions of schools before improvements are made to the president prior to October 1.
 6. All descriptions, photographs, and other evidences showing improvements must be sent to the president before December 15, 1910. The chairman of the board of trustees of any school that is competing for a prize must approve all descriptions before and after improvements are made.
 7. Blanks will be sent to schools competing for the above prizes with questions to be answered relating to the conditions under which the improvements have been made.
 8. Prizes will be awarded in checks Dec. 31, 1910. The prizes are to be used for further improvements in the schools, receiving them.
- Address all communications to Mrs. W. L. Daniel, President South Carolina School Improvement association, Saluda, S. C.

Points Regarding the Census.

The census begins April 15 and must be completed in two weeks in cities and in 30 days in all other areas.

The enumerators will wear a badge inscribed "United States Census, 1910."

The law requires every adult person to furnish the prescribed information, but also provides that it shall be treated confidentially, so that no injury can come to any person from answering the questions.

The president has issued a proclamation, calling on all citizens to cooperate with the census and assuring them that it has nothing to do with taxation, army or jury service, compulsory school attendance, regulation of immigration, or enforcement of any law, and that no one can be injured by answering the inquiries.

It is of the utmost importance that the census of population and agriculture in this State be complete and correct.

Therefore every person should promptly, accurately and completely answer the census questions asked by the enumerators.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

All persons holding claims against the estate of O. McR. Holmes, deceased, are hereby required to render to the undersigned statement of their demands duly attested as required by law.

R. McC. Holmes, Administrator.
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Condensed from Report to State Bank Examiner.

RESOURCES:	LIABILITIES:
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Furniture and Fixtures	Surplus
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	Deposits
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Annie R. Harris, Executrix.

NOTICE TO DEMOCRATIC CLUBS.

In accordance with the constitution of the Democratic party of South Carolina the Democratic clubs of the County of Newberry are hereby called to meet at their respective places of meeting on Saturday, April 23, 1910, for the purpose of reorganization. At this meeting in addition to the election of officers for the club there should be elected on member from each club to serve as a member of the county executive committee for two years, and also delegates to the county convention which will convene at Newberry court house on Monday, May 2, 1910. Each club is entitled to one delegate for every twenty-five members and one delegate for a majority fraction thereof.

Fred. H. Dominick,
County Chairman.

Carolina Cotton School

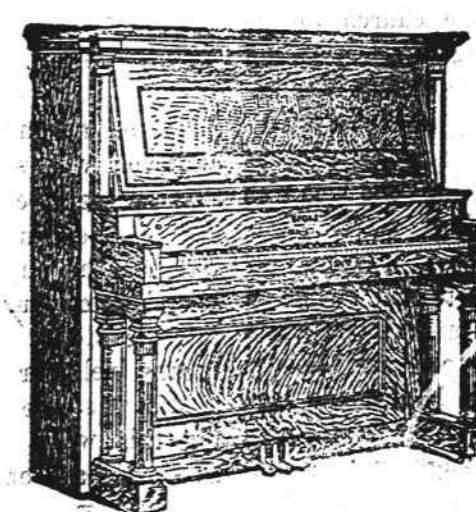
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