

DEBATE IN HOUSE WARM.

REPUBLICAN MAKES BITTER ATTACK ON FARMERS' FREE LIST.

Focht and Sims Engaged in Rapid-fire Inexpellation on Cost of Ex-session.

Washington, May 4.—Not since the Republican guns were unlimbered against the Democratic free list bill by James R. Mann, minority leader, over a week ago, has the debate in the house developed such an attack on the measure as made today by Representative Hill (Conn.), a Republican member of the ways and means committee and one of the leading Republican advocates of the Canadian reciprocity bill.

Mr. Hill declared that the bill devised by the Democratic leaders removing the tariff duties from many food products and manufactured articles was so crudely drawn and so indefinite in its terms that instead of \$10,000,000 reduction in revenue, as the Democrats claimed, it might make a reduction of \$50,000,000; and that its effect upon business would be to transfer many flourishing industries to Europe.

Mr. Hill explained that the International Harvester Machine company, the large sewing machine companies and other great manufacturers would be able under the Democratic bill to manufacture parts of their machines cheaply abroad, and bring them into this country to be assembled by cheap labor here.

Mr. Hill said that in attempting to make free of duty the bagging used to wrap cotton bales the Democratic bill would let in free the bagging used by the fertilizer trust, the cement mills of the United States Steel company and by other monopolies which would give no corresponding reductions in prices to consumers.

W. Underwood, chairman of the ways and means committee, interjected that Mr. Hill's whole argument was from the standpoint of the American manufacturer; that the bill's purpose was to reduce prices and cost of living for the American people.

Mr. Hill declared that the reductions would in almost every case be taken up by the big corporations that control the market.

Mr. Focht (Pa.) said that the tariff debate in the extra session was costing the country \$10,000 a minute. Mr. Sims (Tenn.) retorted that the expense to the country would be the same whether the house were in session or not.

"We did not call the extra session," retorted Mr. Focht. "You had to make your agreement with the White House that you would pass the reciprocity bill."

"Whose White House is it?" asked Mr. Sims.

"You claim that and everything else in sight," said Mr. Focht.

"Who owns the White House?" persisted Mr. Sims.

"You act as if you did," rejoined Mr. Focht, "and you act as though you really had the presidency now. I believe you have discounted Democratic success for 16 years ahead, but you are entirely mistaken. The optimism of these Democrats remind me of the man who jumped off the 32nd story of the Singer building in New York. When he got down about the 15th floor he hollered, 'I'm all right so far,' but when he landed on the sidewalk there was not enough left of him to hold a postmortem upon; and so it will be with you when you hit the sidewalk in 1912."

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HORROR DUE TO DEFECT.

CORONER'S JURY REPORTS ON FATAL WORK.

Section Hand Says Bucket or Two of Water Would Have Quenched Greedy Flames.

Easton, Pa., May 4.—"By the evidence before us we conclude that the accident was caused by a defective roadbed," was the finding of the coroner's jury in Phillipsburg, N. J., following the inquest of the victims of the wreck of the Pennsylvania at Martins creek last Saturday. This finding was made in connection with the death of Eleanor Rutherford, the Utica school teacher, who died from her injuries in the Easton hospital.

Prosecutor Striker, who assisted Coroner Kinney in his investigation, said he would have liked to have a more explicit verdict.

"The case is now up to the grand jury for further investigation if they care to take it," he said. "No one being charged with neglect, there is no one against whom a charge can be made. There was no evidence to show any person charged with the care of the roadbed had any knowledge of a defect, if any there was."

Testimony tending to show that ballast had been taken out of the roadbed in order to straighten the tracks, which were from 6 to 12 inches out of line, and that no one had warned the engineer of the special that there was danger ahead was given by Jacob Huff, one of the section men, at the coroner's inquest today.

Leonard Miller, another section hand, admitted that with a couple of buckets of water the fire which followed the derailment could have been extinguished immediately after the wreck.

NO NEWS FROM THE STATE.

Representative Notified That on Account of Attitude of Paper a Boycott is Ordered.

A reporter for The State yesterday, while making his usual rounds, was handed the following letter from the office of Gov. Blease:

Columbia, S. C., May 4, 1911. Mr. Bell: The unfairness with which the Columbia State treated me during the campaign was overlooked by me when I came into office, and I gave to their correspondent all of the information in the office, and requested my secretary and his assistant to be courteous and polite to all of the reporters and give them all of the public news.

Those in charge of The State saw fit not to appreciate it but continued to misrepresent me and to abuse me editorially and even now they publish falsehoods about me under assumed names, and when corrections are sent in by my friends, refuse to publish them for the people.

Mr. Traywick has just sent in a communication in reply to an editorial from the State which the State refused flatly to publish, and Mr. Traywick is now getting it published in such county papers as will accept it.

In view of these facts, I cannot give to The State any news from this office, and have so instructed both of the young men in the office. I regret this, as I feel that my acts in the office belong to the public, yet I feel that there are other sources through which they can be received, and henceforth there is nothing doing here for the Columbia State. Such information as it publishes will have to be received from some other source. If it is false, it can be no worse than the malicious misrepresentations which they have been publishing against me since the Tillman trial. Cole. L. Blease.

CONFEDERATE VETERANS ENTERTAINED.

United Daughters of the Confederacy Give Dinner for Veterans.

The Confederate Veterans of Sumter county will be entertained on Wednesday, May 10, at 1 o'clock at a dinner given by the United Daughters of the Confederacy. The dinner will be served in the Osteen hall and all of the veterans are invited and it is expected that a large number of them will turn out for the entertainment.

At the dinner two crosses of honor will be given out to Confederate Veterans, one to Mr. B. G. Gibson and one to Mr. W. H. Wells. The presentation of the crosses will be accompanied with appropriate speeches and exercises.

In the Wake of the Measles.

The little son of Mrs. O. B. Palmer, Little Rock, Ark., had the measles. The result was a severe cough which grew worse and he could not sleep. She says: "One bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar compounded completely cured him and he has never been bothered since." Croup, whooping cough, measles cough all yield to Foley's Honey and Tar Compounded. The genuine is in the new package always. Refuse imitations. W. W. Sibert.

MEXICAN PEACE CONFERENCE.

MADERO AND CARABAJAL MEET ON NEUTRAL GROUND.

Insurrecto Leader Satisfied with Inspection of Credentials Carried by Diaz's Envoy; Method of Procedure to be Followed by Peace Commissioners Discussed — Only Envoys Representing Each Side to be Present at Conferences — Details of Meeting.

El Paso, Texas, May 3.—Shaded from the sun's heat by a cottonwood grove at the foot of the barren hill, over which the insurrecto army not long ago had threatened to make its way into Juarez, Francisco I. Madero, Jr., the revolutionist leader, clasped hands tonight with Judge Francisco Carabajal, official peace envoy of the Mexican government, thus beginning formal peace negotiations between the warring factions of the Republic.

As Judge Carabajal's credentials had instructed him to deal with Francisco I. Madero, Jr., as leader of the revolution, the two men met on neutral ground and talked alone for nearly an hour. They arranged the preliminaries of the first conference, which will begin at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Judge Carabajal first called on Gen. Navarro, the Federal commander of Juarez, accompanied by Senors Braniff and Obergon, who helped to bring about the negotiations. They proceeded by automobile to the meeting place, where Judge Carabajal and Senor Obergon alighted. Senor Braniff continued over the loose sands beside the muddy Rio Grande to the Madero camp. A few minutes later Madero entered the automobile, wearing a felt hat, around which was a gaudy colored band, the revolutionist insignia. He was followed by a troop of cavalry, which escorted him to the meeting place. Pasquel Orozco and Col. Francisco Vellar rode beside him.

On the meeting ground, the entire escort dismounted. They fondled their rifles at a respectful distance, while Judge Carabajal and Madero sat in the automobile alone, arranging details of the conferences that are to follow.

A squad of United States troops basked in the sunshine across the line near the river, and watched the meeting across the river.

It was arranged that the meetings would be between the envoys, no one else hereafter being allowed within a radius of 100 yards. Even Senors Braniff and Obergon, who are peace advisers to Judge Carabajal, will be forced to wait outside the reserved distance. Dr. Vasquez Gomez will represent Gen. Madero.

At the conclusion of today's meeting, which lasted an hour, Gen. Madero declared that he had examined Judge Carabajal's credentials and found them satisfactory in every respect. He also said he had exchanged "general impressions" with Judge Carabajal, as to the procedure to be followed by the peace commissioners.

The automobiles then carried Gen. Madero to his camp and returned to the meeting ground to convey Judge Carabajal to Juarez.

The three days' prolongation of the armistice went into effect at noon today. It includes Ojinaga.

MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES.

Rev. D. M. McLeod to Deliver Memorial Day Address.

The annual Memorial day exercises will be held on Wednesday, May 10, at the cemetery at 5 o'clock, under the auspices of the U. D. C. Rev. D. M. McLeod will deliver the Memorial day address and Prof. S. H. Edmunds will introduce the speaker of the occasion.

The order of exercises will be as follows:

Procession ends at rostrum which will be occupied by the speaker and Confederate Veterans.

Prayer by Rev. David Klein.

Music by the band.

Introduction of the speaker by Prof. S. H. Edmunds.

Address by Rev. D. M. McLeod.

Music by the band.

Decoration of the graves of the soldiers.

Firing of the salute over the graves of the soldiers by the Sumter Light Infantry.

Dismissal.

The procession will form at the gates of the cemetery at a quarter to five and will be in the following order:

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NINETEEN CHARGE MURDER.

TWENTY-ONE BILLS AGAINST McNAMARA AND McMANIGAL.

Accuse Two Brothers Alone of Responsibility for Los Angeles Times Disaster.

Los Angeles, May 4.—Twenty-one new indictments, according to reliable authority, were voted late today by the grand jury against the accused dynamite conspirators, James B. and John J. McNamara and Ortis McManigal.

Nineteen of the indictments, it is understood, are against the McNamaras alone, and charge them with murder in connection with the blowing up of the Los Angeles Times newspaper plant and the consequent death of 21 men. The other two are said to be against McManigal as principal and the McNamaras as accomplices in the Llewellyn iron works explosion in which no one was killed.

The inquisitors completed their work at dusk and the true bills ordered will not be filed in court until tomorrow morning. The prisoners will be arraigned tomorrow afternoon and a date then will be set for them to enter their pleas.

McManigal was the principal witness heard by the grand jury today. He was examined for more than two hours. Afterwards the grand jury heard several witnesses besides employees and officials of the Llewellyn Iron Works and Paul Stuperich, proprietor of a hotel at Sausalito, Cal., which the wounded dynamiter, known as J. B. Bries, visited before the wrecking of the newspaper plant.

Another witness was Douglas Burrows, partner of Howard Baxter in the ownership of the launch, Pastime, which, according to the detectives, was used to transport the dynamite purchased by the alleged conspirators. Stuperich and Burrows went into the jail this morning accompanied by the district attorney and a stenographer. Mrs. Stuperich and her two daughters went with them.

James McNamara was taken before the party and it is asserted that Stuperich and his wife and Burrows all identified him as the man they had known in Oakland and Sausalito.

Although it had been announced with apparent finality, that Judge Borwell would try the alleged dynamiters, it was not definitely stated until tonight that the new indictments would be returned in his department of the superior court.

Even yet some doubt is expressed that the case will reach the trial stage before Boardwell. Judge Boardwell called the editors of the newspapers and managers of the press associations into a conference. He said he was anxious that the prisoners should have a trial in which there should not be anything savoring of unfairness and asked their cooperation.

SUMMONS FOR VARDAMAN.

Former Governor Must Tell of State Funds Distribution.

Jackson, Miss., May 4.—Former Governor James K. Vardaman, at present a candidate for the Democratic Senatorial nomination, will be served with a summons tomorrow night by the sheriff of Lincoln County, requesting that he appear before J. C. Moort, an expert accountant, at Jackson, Monday, and testify as to several State funds distributed under his direction while chief executive.

The inquiry was authorized at the last session of the State Legislature and came as an after math to a sensational investigation of charges of bribery preferred by State Senator Theodore Bilbo, an adherent of the former Governor in the contest for the Senatorship, which ended in the selection of United States Senator Percy. Bilbo avowed that a sum of money was paid him in an effort to influence his vote for the successful candidate. At the Court trial which followed, the alleged briber was acquitted.

Moore was given authority by Governor Noel to summon witnesses in connection with his investigation of the books and accounts of the State.

Attorney General Hudson, of Mississippi, in a statement issued today, declares that he had no part in the issuance of the summons, and denies that he is acting jointly with Moore. At the campaign headquarters of Mr. Vardaman, the summons was admitted.

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