

FOES, ONCE BEATEN, PLAN NEW ASSAULT ON CHILD LABOR BILL

In Senator Crow's Absence Governor's Friends Force "Pickling" Chairman to Report Measure.

HARRISBURG, April 27.—The first battle in the final stage of Governor Brumbaugh's campaign for the passage of his child labor bill is expected to be fought on the floor of the Senate tomorrow. The manufacturers plan to make an effort to recommit the measure, which was reported unamended late last night, at the first session of the "pickling" committee of the Senate, the Judiciary Special.

The bill passed its first reading in the Senate today. This defers the fight to recommit until tomorrow, when the measure will be up for its second reading. Senator William E. Crow, who has led in the Senate, the manufacturers' fight on the bill, will then be on hand to lead the dual struggle to defeat the measure.

The effort to recommit was decided upon this morning at a meeting of the manufacturers' lobby. The purpose of this move is to test the strength of the manufacturers in the Senate, preparatory of a bitter fight to amend the measure on the floor of that chamber. If enough votes can be mustered to recommit the bill the manufacturers feel that they will have enough to amend the measure any way they desire.

Senator Crow was expected to arrive here this morning, but he failed to appear, and the plans of the manufacturers are being held up until he comes to Harrisburg. He telegraphed from Uniontown, Pa., that he will come here tonight.

That the Governor already has won his fight, however, to have the bill passed in its original form appears certain. In view of the fact that the measure was reported last night unamended, and the further fact that Senator Crow, who with Senator Snyder, chairman of the "pickling" committee, has been leading the fight for the manufacturers, was absent when the unparalleled action occurred in the Senate last night.

The battle over reporting the measure was fought on the floor of the Senate, and that body was in session, and continued all during the evening.

REFUSES TO CALL COMMITTEE. Senator Snyder, early in the evening, refused to call a meeting of the committee that had been scheduled for last night. He gave as his reason the fact that Senator Crow, who is a member of the committee, was absent. Senator Crow telegraphed from Uniontown early in the afternoon that he could not arrive in Harrisburg until today.

Senator Snyder argued that to call a meeting of the committee in the absence of Senator Crow, would be to do the work of the committee for him. Senator McNichol, who had pledged his support of the bill to Governor Brumbaugh, argued with him. Senator Snyder was rebuffed. Senator Vane, who is in the assistance of Senator McNichol, but both the Philadelphia leaders were unable to force Senator Snyder to call the meeting.

Senator McNichol then wrote a personal request for the meeting, and secured the signatures of 9 of the 18 members of the committee. The members that signed the demand for the meeting were Senators McNichol, Daiz, Mills, Moore, Thompson, Lynch, Gerberich, Patton and Smith. The "Old Guard" Democratic members, who usually "run along" with the Philadelphia leaders, refused to sign, although methods of persuasion were used on the "third degree" were used.

PHONE CONFERENCE WITH CROW. Repeated conferences between Senators McNichol, Vane and Snyder followed. Senator Snyder still refused to call the meeting, and repeatedly telephoned to Senator Crow. The Fayette Street firm finally agreed to have the committee meet and to have the bill reported out without amendment. The meeting of the committee was then called. It continued for an hour and at the end of that time, Senator Snyder reported the bill.

ACCUSED OF CHECK SWINDLE

Man Locked Up on Charge of Defrauding Friend.

Passing a worthless check on a friend and his liberty, the man was arrested on a warrant sworn out by the friend, John O. Magill, 60th and Walnut streets, whose name Matthews is alleged to have signed to the check.

According to Cabel, Matthews wrote a check for \$2.50 on the Haddington Title and Trust Company, and signed the name of Meyer Magill. This he presented to Cabel, who cashed it. Later the check was refused at the bank, and Cabel was told that Magill formerly kept an account there, but had closed it. Cabel saw Magill about it, and the result was the arrest of Matthews by Policeman William Kenzler, at the 55th and Pine streets station.

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NEGRO METHODISTS IN 103D CONFERENCE

Woman Suffrage, Local Option and Other Reforms Discussed in Session Opened Today.

Woman suffrage, local option and many other important issues will be discussed at the 103d session of the Delaware Conference of the Union African Methodist Episcopal Church, which was formally opened by the Rev. B. T. Raley, in the Grace Memorial Union African Methodist Episcopal Church, 19th and Federal streets, this morning.

The Rev. Dr. Albert Price will discuss "The State of the Country" and Dr. H. T. Ryder will render a report on the local option question. He will be assisted by the Rev. Dr. S. P. Sheppard, the Rev. W. A. Guy and the Rev. Charles H. Lewis.

The list of speakers includes the Rev. I. H. Ringgold, the Rev. Dr. J. Russell, the Rev. C. A. Tindler, the Rev. E. S. Rice, the Rev. William Forward, the Rev. D. W. Smith, the Rev. S. Gunby, the Rev. C. Nichols, the Rev. W. H. Wesley, the Rev. W. Wilson, the Rev. Dr. W. H. Guy.

WOMEN OPPOSE BILL TO AID VIVISECTION

Accompany Lawyer to Committee Hearing on Measure Giving Lost Dogs to Schools.

Anti-vivisectionists and vivisectionists of Philadelphia and vicinity are attending a public hearing on the Gerberich bill by the Health and Sanitation Committee of the Senate in Harrisburg today. The Gerberich bill permits dogs left in a pound for more than 48 hours to be sold to medical schools for experimental purposes.

Arno P. Mowitz, a Philadelphia attorney, headed the anti-vivisectionists and made the principal argument against the Gerberich bill. Among the speakers were Miss Katherine S. Nicholson, a director of the Women's Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; Mrs. T. F. Halvey, Mrs. M. F. Lovell and Mrs. M. K. Vandegrift, all of the same society, and Miss Amy Bonham of the Humane Society, of York, Pa.

They declared that the Gerberich bill, besides virtually recognizing vivisection, will in effect take away from the W. S. P. C. A. and the humane societies of the State the custody of the dog pounds. In Philadelphia the W. S. P. C. A. has had the custody of the pound for the last 43 years, and in other sections of the State the pounds have been in charge of the humane societies of the respective cities.

FLETCHER TAKES CHARGE OF INTERNED KRONPRINZ

German Auxiliary Cruiser to Be Towed to Norfolk.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Admiral Fletcher, under orders from Secretary of the Navy Daniels, today declared his intention to intern the Kronprinz Wilhelm, whose captain brandished a pistol in the case of the raid in the same manner as the Prinz Eitel Friedrich.

Florida Rejects Votes for Women

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., April 27.—The Lower House of the Florida Legislature has rejected a resolution to submit an equal suffrage amendment to the voters in 1915.

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JAMES A. STOVELL Candidate for Select Council with the Taylor transit program as a platform.

COUNCIL CANDIDATE FAVORS RAPID TRANSIT

James A. Stovell Will Run for Select Body From the 27th Ward.

James A. Stovell, a salesman living at 423 Chester avenue, has announced his candidacy for Select Council, declaring his intention of supporting the fight of Director Taylor for a better transit system.

On the transit question Mr. Stovell offered this pledge: "I shall on all occasions vote in favor of bills providing for the execution of the improved transit plans of Director A. Merritt Taylor. My stand in that matter is positive."

According to the announcement of Mr. Stovell, his opponent, John Dugan, is a real estate assessor, and the Washington party candidate protests against the dual officeholding.

MOTORIST TIRED OF TROUBLE

Willing to Sell Car That Made Life Seem Like "Perils of Pauline."

Any one wishing to buy a good "used" automobile cheap may strike a bargain by applying to John E. Burt, 312 South 15th street. Until yesterday Burt was an enthusiastic automobilist, but his reasons for a change of heart today run as follows:

4 p. m. yesterday, collided with a coal wagon to avoid a big truck. Machine damaged, and also a suit of clothes. Machine then crawled to sidewalk at Broad and Chestnut streets. Pedestrian dropped unconscious. At hospital, supposed victim said he had had a fit and never saw Burt's automobile.

5 p. m., policeman found Burt in a cell, awaiting hearing for injuries he thought before which the hearing is being held. Burt released. Found his machine where it had come to grief.

6:15 p. m., Burt seized wheel and turned nose of car toward home. It plowed through a crowd on Chestnut street, rebounded to street and knocked Traffic Policeman Tremper to the sidewalk.

7 p. m., Burt again in a cell. 9 p. m., arranged for hearing. Learned that in unsetting Tremper in car had knocked the policeman's mount against a box with enough force to send him to hospital. This proved too much for Burt and he fainted dead away.

10:30 p. m., revived at Hahnemann Hospital. Returned to City Hospital before Night Court hearings were concluded. 10:50 p. m., discharged. Two bluecoats offered to help him salvage car.

Later, Burt was seen boarding a street car. His automobile is awaiting a claimant in the City Hall courtyard, where it was brought early this morning.

RESCUER GOES THRICE INTO FLAMES; 7 SAVED

Father Carries Three Children to Safety and Then Aids Wife, Maid and Two Others.

Abraham Rice made three trips through a smoke-filled hallway early today and rescued his wife and five little children and a maid when fire swept through his rag shop and dwelling at 607 Pine street. The children arrived safely to the sidewalk before the arrival of the firemen.

Joseph Edickson, who was sitting on the steps in front of his home, which adjoins the Rice house, noticed smoke pouring from the front window of the rag shop shortly after 2 o'clock. He pounded on the front door without awakening any one in the burning building.

By that time flames were roaring up the stairs and the entire house filled with smoke. Finding his escape cut off in the front, Rice shouted to his wife, Helen, 2, and Hyman, 1 year old. The loss is more than \$600.

FIVE HORSES PERISH WHEN STABLE BURNS

Fifty Persons Roused From Sleep and Driven From Beds by Fire Downtown.

Fifty persons were driven from their homes and five horses were burned to death today when fire destroyed the two-story frame stable owned by Isaac Steinberg at 431 and 438 South Lehigh street. Twenty horses were rescued from a stable adjacent to the rear of 21 Fairbridge street by Policeman Cohen, of the 2d and Christian streets station.

The fire was discovered by Jake Fellow, who was sleeping in the left of the burned stable. He turned in an alarm. Firemen prevented the flames from spreading to the other building, which is owned by Morris Berman.

Electric Engines for U. S. Warship

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Electro-propelling machinery for the new battleship California, the first battleship of any nation to be equipped with the electric drive, will be built by the General Electric Company of New York, for \$31,000.

Vegetable Plants

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"BACK TO NATURE" FOR HIM

One Big Trout in Elk County Lures Youth From This Whole City.

A certain barelegged boy with a shock of light hair, who has been cooped up in Philadelphia for several weeks, is today fishing to his heart's content from some shady spot along West Creek, near St. Mary's, Elk County. He is Charles Haines. He enjoys the distinction of being the first boy who was ever before Judge German in Juvenile Court who boldly stated his preference for rural life over that in the great city.

BID FOR G. O. P. CONVENTION

Resolution in House Asks Party to Come Here in 1916.

HARRISBURG, April 27.—Representative Fred W. Willard, of Philadelphia, president of the Pennsylvania League of Republican Clubs, last night offered a concurrent resolution urging that Philadelphia be chosen for the holding of the next Republican National Convention.

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