

O'HARA RAPS BIG FELLOWS

Lieut.-Gov. Barratt O'Hara, who aspires to the office of United States senator from Illinois, addressed a mass meeting at the Empire Theater last night. His attacks on the bosses, on big business and particularly on the trust press of Chicago were well received.

O'Hara told of his fight for a living wage for workmen and working women, an idea which eventually caused the establishment of the Illinois Vice Commission and led to the establishment of similar commissions in 32 states of the union as a direct result of the success attained by the Illinois body under the leadership of O'Hara. Also, as a direct result of the vice investigations, four states passed minimum wage laws.

"At the time we questioned Julius Rosenwald he admitted that he received a million dollars a year and that even after he received that amount there was still seven million to be divided among stockholders, while three thousand girls worked for less than they could possibly live upon," said O'Hara.

"I can never forget how a little girl from this big mail-order house told of receiving \$4.50 a week for her services and that every two weeks ten cents was taken from her pay envelope to pay for the water she drank.

"Then I can never forget how 'Dapper Jimmie' Simpson of Marshall Field & Co. proudly boasted that if a man in their employ was married and had at least one child they would pay him the enormous sum of \$12 a week."

The lieutenant-governor rapped Lawrence B. Stringer, whom he termed the "straw man of Roger C. Sullivan," and plead for a "political revolution" to put the professional politicians and big business interests, their backers, out of business forever.

Other speakers present were E. G. Ballard, Richard H. Colby, Clarence Withers, who is to make the run for

the county board on a labor ticket, and Captain George Weichelt.

HUERTA NOW IN JAMAICA

Puerto Mexico, July 22.—Mexico has probably seen the last of Gen. Victoriano Huerta. With Gen. Blanquet, his minister of war, and their families, he is today en route to Kingston, Jamaica, aboard the German cruiser Dresden. It is understood his departure was hastened by threats of attacks by the constitutionalists.

Only Senora Huerta and the children appeared to be affected by the parting. Huerta talked with the newspaper men and paid his respects to Pres. Wilson, Gen. Carranza and Gen. Villa by saying they were his best friends.

Washington, July 21.—That Carranza has agreed to make material concessions to Acting President Carbajal and that the United States will give him its unqualified support was admitted today in official quarters. This means that he will have the aid of the United States and the South American governments in opposing any counter revolution whether started by Villa or any other malcontent.

Chihuahua, Mex., July 21.—Gen. Francisco Villa is prepared to depart today for the south with several thousand troops to effect a junction at Queretaro with the armies of Gen. Pablo Gonzales and Gen. Alvaro Obregon for a triumphal occupation of Mexico City by constitutionalists. This action was decided on at a conference of Villista officers here.

Villa will not take his entire army south because of the necessity of protecting the north against the forces of Pascual Orozco, whom he considers a menace to the peace of Mexico.

At least 5,000 soldiers will go. Orders were issued today for the repair of the railroad from Zacatecas to Aguas Calientes, in preparation for the movement. Felipe Angeles has gone to Juarez to get supplies needed for Villa's artillery column.