

# CLAR ENCAMPMENT

## EXTRA SESSIONS MANY AND LENGTHY

Glance at Congressional Record In This Respect During Fifty Years.

### GOV'T PRINTING EXPENSIVE.

Another Slice of Virginia Needed to Properly Square Up District Of Columbia.

(Special Correspondence.) Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—The extra session of Congress which has just closed is by no means the longest in record. During the past 50 years Congress has convened in extraordinary session a great many times. The first session of the Fortieth Congress was convened at noon on the 4th day of March, 1867, and did not adjourn, sine die, until the date fixed for the meeting of the second session, December 2 following, but there were recesses from March 30 to July 1, and from July 20 to November 1. The regular session was called to order on December 2, and remained in session until November 10 following, but in that period there were two recesses aggregating 69 days. The Fortieth Congress, according to the records, was in session 606 days out of a possible 70 days, and in this respect is unique in history. There was an extra session of the Forty-first Congress convened on March 4, 1869, but it lasted only 37 days. Again, the following Congress was called to session on the 4th of March 1871, and sat for 47 days. Then for six years there was no extra session, but in October, 1878 President Hayes convened the Forty-fifth Congress, and 50 days were required to complete the work cut out. The Forty-sixth Congress met in special session March 18, 1879, for a session of 106 days, but no necessity arose again for an extraordinary session until President Cleveland convened the makers on the 7th of August, 1893. That session lasted until the 3rd of the following November. Immediately after his inauguration in 1897 President McKinley called Congress to meet in extraordinary session on March 15, when the currency question was taken up and the gold standard of currency adopted after a session of 131 days. The next was called by President Roosevelt for November 9, 1903, and remained in session until the date for the regular meeting and thereby arose the question whether a period of time could elapse between 12 o'clock noon on one day and 12 o'clock noon the same day. The affirmative was decided, and the affirmative with the result that such member received "mileage" for the extra session. The session just closed has been a strenuous one, and it is drawn to Washington by a larger crowd of manufacturers and producers than has been seen here before in two years. The effect of the labors of the law makers is still problematical but everyone in business from Maine to Texas and from Florida to Alaska is glad that the agony is over and that commercial conditions can now settle down to a normal state to remain undisturbed for a few years.

### SUCCESS OF SEATTLE FAIR.

"The record of attendance at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition for the first 42 days is one of the really surprising features of the fair, because it goes much beyond the reasonable expectations of the promoters," declares L. William Thavis, eastern representative of the exposition. "For the period indicated," continued Mr. Thavis, "the attendance reached the amazing total of 1,015,272. This total just about equals the total for the first month's attendance at the Chicago world's fair, also, the total of the first month's attendance at the St. Louis exposition. It surpasses the record of other expositions held in this country. "That the million mark should have been passed at such an early date after the opening is alike surprising and gratifying, for it seems to afford certain evidence of the success of the enterprise, though from the beginning doubting the outcome of the Seattle exposition. It surpasses the record of other expositions held in this country. "It need not surprise the public to note still other increases in the at-

## STRANGE TALE OF TANGLED FINANCE

Tells How F. Augustus Heinze Was Nipped by Somebody of Forty Thousand Dollars.

### A YOUNG FINANCIER IN JAIL.

Donald L. Persch, Charged With Stealing Great Sum, in Tombs in Default of Bail.

New York, Aug. 10.—Donald L. Persch, an ambitious young financier, is in the Tombs tonight in default of \$50,000 bail, and thereby hangs a tale of the tangled finances through which somebody, in Wall street nipped F. Augustus Heinze, the one-time copper king, for \$40,000. Persch is specifically charged with the larceny of \$40,000, a profit obtained by the sale of 15,000 shares of Ohio Copper common and 4,000 shares of Davis-Daly Copper common, which an agent for Heinze placed with the Windsor Trust company, as security for a loan of \$50,000. In some manner, as yet unexplained, the stock was not held by the bank, but was turned over to a clerk acting for Persch and at the latter's orders thrown on the curb market and sold for approximately \$90,000. How Persch obtained the capital to carry through the deal and why the stock was relinquished by the trust company are points yet to be cleared. After his arrest Persch intimated that there were men "higher up" in the transaction, but refused to say more, upon the advice of counsel. He was arraigned late this afternoon before a magistrate, and efforts made to have his bail reduced to \$10,000, which failed, and he was committed to the Tombs. In opposing the reduction of bail, Asst. Dist. Atty. Nott said to the court: "There are other powerful people behind the man, your honor, and he should have no difficulty furnishing \$50,000."

### TO CARVE UP THE OLD DOMINION.

President Taft, who will from this time forward for at least a month be installed at the summer capital, Beverly, Mass., will during that time outline a portion of his message to Congress and will take up the subject of recession in the District of Columbia of that portion of the original territory which receded back to Virginia in 1846. All the old school geographers show the District of Columbia to be a square bounded by the Potomac river, containing 100 square miles, practically half of which was taken from the territory of Maryland and the other half from Virginia. The Virginia portion of the District of Columbia are ceded back to the old dominion by act of Congress in 1846. President Taft is understood to be of the opinion that the recession was illegal and unconstitutional and therefore void. Already bills have been introduced to restore the original boundaries of the District of Columbia but they will meet with very emphatic objection on the part of the residents of the city of Alexandria and Alexandria, Virginia, in particular. The state lost a considerable portion of its territory without its consent when West Virginia was carved from its western section during the Civil war; and if President Taft undertakes to take another piece away from the old state there is sure to be a very vigorous protest and a very hot time in Congress. Opinion is divided as to the correctness of the president's position but it is deemed certain that the restoration will not be accomplished without payment by the general government of a very large sum to the state of Virginia to compensate her for the loss of taxes and territory. The people most interested are opposed to the plan largely on account of the fact that if they are restored to the jurisdiction of the District of Columbia they will at once lose the right of franchise.

## POPE SENDS GREETING TO CATHOLIC SOCIETIES

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 11.—His holiness, Pope Pius X, through the papal secretary of state, Cardinal Merry del Val, sent his greeting yesterday to the union of the American Federation of Catholic societies. The greeting came in the form of a cable message to Bishop Regis Casavan.

### DOCTOR FLED FEARING FAMILY WOULD ATTACK HIM

New York, Aug. 11.—The sudden and excited departure of Dr. Phillip Sussman from the doctor to the coroner's office, after he had been called to the scene of a murder, was explained today by the doctor's own account of the death of her 12-year-old son whom the doctor was attending. Dr. Sussman was called to perform an operation on the boy's knee and to do so, he said, that he had administered chloroform. Before he was ready to operate, however, he discovered that the boy had died while he was in the room.

### CHARGED WITH AUTO STEALING.

Long Beach, Cal., Aug. 11.—Douglas MacDonell, son of a retired police captain of this city, and Robert Davis, son of the United States marshal of Wyoming, are in custody today charged with having appropriated an automobile in which they are said to have started for the Seattle exposition.

### WOMAN CAPTURED MAN AND VICIOUS BULLDOG

Chicago, Aug. 11.—After seeing a bulldog bite 12-year-old Franz Nelson, who lives in a small cottage on the last evening Mrs. Martha Murphy, who lives in a small cottage on the same street, pursued for five blocks and captured J. B. Meyer, and the dog which he had in leash and held both prisoners until a patrol wagon arrived and took them to the police station. While the boy was examined by the ambulance physician several deep cuts were found on his face and his nose had been nearly severed by the dog's teeth. His wounds are serious and may prove fatal.

### CHICAGO AUTOMOBILISTS TO BUILD HOSPITAL.

Lawe Geneva, Wis., Aug. 11.—As a result of a serious automobile accident to Philip Swift, son of a millionaire packer of Chicago, might easily have proved fatal for want of facilities for immediate operation, the colony of millionaires owning summer homes around Lake Geneva have taken steps to build a modern, thoroughly equipped emergency hospital. Almost \$100,000 already has been subscribed.

### WANDAMERE IS THE FAIRYLAND OF UTAH.

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### BOY SWALLOWED UP IN QUICKSAND

Peoria, Ill., Aug. 11.—Adam Ross, 8 years old, son of Nicholas Ross of this city, while on a fishing expedition with other members of his family yesterday, waded into Farm creek near its mouth, and the Illinois river and was swallowed up by quicksands.

### SHARK, 72 FEET LONG, CAUGHT ON JERSEY COAST

New York, Aug. 11.—A shark of the elephant species, said to be the largest ever caught along the Jersey coast, is on exhibition today in a Long Branch shop. It is 72 feet long and weighs 1,000 pounds. It was caught off Long Branch by a fishing crew after a vicious battle. The shark, which is of the man-

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### CRUISE OF PACIFIC FLEET.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 11.—According to the latest details of the coming cruise of the Pacific fleet for the fall and winter, the eight vessels comprising the squadron of the fleet will travel in pairs after their arrival at Manila on Dec. 1. The cruisers will pair off as follows: Tennessee and Washington, California and South Dakota, West Virginia and Pennsylvania, Colorado and Maryland.

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## CAPTAIN A. F. LAUDENSACK

The Rifle Expert who inspected and sighted the Arms to be used by Ex-President Roosevelt on his African trip WILL BE AT THE

## WILSON HOTEL, SALT LAKE CITY

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## THE GREAT TABERNACLE CHOIR, 300 voices, under direction of Prof. Evan Stephens, will compete in Grand EISTEDDFOD August 27th and 28th for PRIZES against the best choirs of the world.

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