PROGRESSIVES ARE LINING UP TO FIGHT FOR PRIMARY BILL

Norris Measure Probably Will Be Called Up in House Monday.

Progressives of both parties in the House are lining up for the fight on the Norris Presidential preference primary bill, which applies to the District of Colmbia, and which probably will be called up in the House on Monday, the next regular District day.

The Norris bill was reported unanimously yesterday by the House District Committee. The Senate committee, however, made an adverse report on the Bristow bill in the upper chamber, but favorable action in the House will aid the Senate progressives in their advocacy of the measure.

The Bristow and Norris bills are intended as models for the various States and in the event of passage will mean a progressive victory and official recognition of the Presidential preference primary system, although it can apply only to the District of Columbia.

It is provided that the primary elections shall be under control of the District Commissioners and the bills provide the necessary legal machinery for the ascertainment of both the "first choice" and the "second choice" of the District voters. Delegates to the national conventions are required to take oath that they will obey the mandate of the voters as expressed in the primaries.

The Australian ballot system is provided and in the event there is no national conventions are reqired to take may be selected by combining the first and second choice votes.

The District Committee also had a clean-up day, and reported out a number of bills which have been hanging fire in the committee for some weeks.

In the event the Norris bill passes the House it will have the effect of giving official approval to the progressive platform of Presidential primaries. The bill provides complete legal machinery for the holding of the primaries in the District, and Congressman Norris said today that he hoped to make the bill apply when it passes the House to the approaching campaign, as well as all succeeding campaigns.

The Norris bill provides for primaries in January preceding the national convention, but Mr. Norris said today that he hoped to have the bill amended in the House so that it would provide for both Democratic and Republican primaries to be held between this date and the conventions in June.

May Vote This Spring.

In the event this change is made in the bill, it will have the effect of nullifying the recent election of the Republican delegates to the Republican national convention, and will mean that both Democratic and Republican voters in the District must vote for their preferred Presidential candidates and delegates.

The Norris bill probably will be called up in the House next Monday, and the unanimous report of the District Committee forecasts favorable action in the lower branch of Congress. It may also be possible to get either the Norris or Bristow bills, which are practically identical, through the Senate by means of the Democratic and progressive coalition.

Other bills favorably reported yesterday of the House District Committee are as follows:

H. R. 8615, requiring the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company to build and maintain bridges, when ordered by the Commissioners, over the Chesapeake and Ohio canal.

Senate 2224, providing that hereafter no combustible or non-fireproof building in the District used as a dwelling or apartment house, hospital, or dormitory shall be raised more than fifty-five feet above the sidewalk.

H. R. 22642, providing for the protection of the interests of the United States in clearifying the titles to lands and waters comprising any part of the Potomac river, Anacostia river or Eastern Branch, and Rock Creek, and lands adjacent thereto.

Fines For Delinquent.

H. R. 22643, providing a fine not to exceed $25 and imprisonment from one to six months for any person who willfully detains any book, magazine, or other publication belonging to any library in the District.

H. R. 22010, requiring that hereafter drivers of taxicabs and other vehicles for hire in the District must procure a license from the assessor, which license shall not be granted unless the applicant is a person of good moral character.

H. R. 14094, providing that it shall be deemed a felony to carry openly or concealed about the person any pistol, bowie knife, dirk, blackjack, dagger, sword cane, slungshot, brass or other metal knuckles. This is the Sims bill introduced on the first day of the present session.

Senate 2904, conferring upon the Commissioners of the District authority to regulate the operation and equipment of the Metropolitan Coach Company.

H. R. 21710, making more drastic the law relating to false pretenses and providing that in the event a person obtains property or money amounting to $35 or more through false pretenses he may be imprisoned not less than one year or more than ten years. Another section provides that it shall be a misdemeanor to defraud any hotel or boarding house of a board bill.

H. R. 21711, amending the act relating to blackmail and providing for imprisonment for not more than five years or a fine of not more than $1,000 or both for those who attempt blackmail.

H. R. 21713, requiring all foreign corporations doing business in the District to file with the Recorder of Deeds a copy of its charter and full information regarding the assets, liabilities, and other business details of the corporation management.

For Breach of Trust.

H. R. 21714, providing imprisonment and fines for those guilty of breach of trust in converting to their own use property left in their care by another. If the value of the property exceeds $35, imprisonment from one to ten years is provided, with a lesser grade of punishment in the event the article converted is worth less than $35.

The Norris bill for direct primaries in the District, which is the most important measure reported, provides the following suffrage restrictions in the Presidential primaries:

"All male citizens of the United States of the age of twenty-one years or over and those who shall have declared their intention to become such one year next preceding any primary nominating election, who shall have been actual bona fide residents of the District for at least one year preceding the day on which any primary nominating election shall be held in the District of Columbia, shall be deemed and held to be legally qualified electors at such primary nominating elections."

District Realty Transfers

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ard M. Etchison et ux. to Berkeley L. Simmons, part lots 313 and 314, $10.
Mount Pleasant and Pleasant Plains—Percy Crauford et ux. to Berkeley L. Simmons, part lots 313 and 314, $10.
Columbia Heights—Charles E. Tribby to Katherine S. Tribby, lot 42, block 26, $10.
West Bloomingdale—George C. Pumphrey et al. to Margaret V. Sinyard, lot 34, block 1, $10.
Effingham Place—Benjamin H. Kohler et al. to Edith H. Gottwals, west half lot 6, block 39, $10.
Mount Pleasant and Pleasant Plains—Charles H. Weser et ux. to Leopold Richold, lots 65, 66, and 67, block 3, $10.
Mount Pleasant—Raphael Palmer et ux. to Raphael and Anglina Palmer, part lots 78 and 79, $10.
Effingham Place—James H. Winslow to Charles H. and Mary E. Burnett, part lot 23, block 18, $260.
City View Heights—Henry H. Gilfry et al. to Charles M. Stevens and Mary L. Stevens, lots 59, 60, 61, square 4471, $10.
51 Rhode Island avenue northwest—Malinda Downing to Ada A. Brayshaw, lot 21, block 5, Moore & Barbour's Second Addition, $10.
Meridian Hill—John H. Voorhees et ux. to Howard M. Etchison, lots 45 to 49, square 2562, $10. Howard M. Etchison et ux. conveys same property to Charles H. Weser, $10.
Addition to Le Droit Park—Harry C. Johnson et ux. to Dennis C. Shea, lot 14, block 18, $10.
Holmead Manor—Charles E. Wire et ux. to Capitola C. Rogers, lot 144, block 43, $10.
Whitney Close—James K. Jones et ux. to Floyd I. Hope, lot 21, block 11, $10.
West Bloomingdale—John M. Henderson to Laura M. Weyrich, lot 54, block 1, $10.
Whitney Close—Charles T. Richardson et ux. to James K. Jones, lot 20, block 11, $10.
Holmead Manor—Daisy Becker to Edmund Becker, part lot 63, block 43, $10.
Meridian Hill—Henry W. Henshaw to Lee Hill, lot 20, block 10, $10.
Petworth—Luther A. Swartzell to Edith H. Gottwals, lot 39, square 25, $10.
Indolence—Harry Wardman et al. to Edward J. and Janet F. Mehl, lot 49, square 2700, $10. Same to William M. and Nettie R. Smith, lot 44, square 2700, $10.
Addition to Le Droit Park—Gertrude E. Lewis et vir, Timothy L., to Joseph K. Davison, lot 150, block 25, $10.
Effingham Place—Moses Winters to Isabella Winters, part lot 1, block 71, $10.
Petworth—Thomas Bones et al. to Frank G. Wurdemann, lot 49, block 38, $4,400.
Highview—Harry Wardman et al. to George E. and Alice M. Waesche, lot 79, square east of 2535, $10.
Kalorama Heights—Clarke Waggaman et ux. to Claude A. Swanson, lot 7, block 6, $10.
Mount Pleasant—Sarah B. Miller, trustee, to Allison N. and William E. Miller, lot 815, square 2892, $10.
Mount Pleasant—Christian B. Dickey to William T. Heyser, lot 128 and part lot 129, $10.
Le Droit Park—George A. Gray et ux. to John W. Brawner, trustee, lot 34, block 2, $10.
Columbia Heights—Richard T. Daniel, trustee, to Annie E. McQueen, part lot 13, block 36, $10. Annie E. McQueen to Morris L. and Annie Wolpe, same property, $10.
West Holmead Manor—Harry Wardman et al. to Harry and Marian Cozlin, lot 75, square 2827, $10.
West Holmead Manor—Harry Wardman et al. to Arthur J. Delevingne, lot 73, square 2827, $10.
Harlem—Joseph B. Bowers et ux. to Benjamin F. Perrow, parts lot 11, $10.
Padgworth—Susie R. Denty to Irene A. Mattingly, lot 40, square 2826, $10. Irene A. Mattingly conveys same property to Susie R., Clinton S., and Samuel L. Denty, $10.
Holmead Manor and Petworth—Agnes B. Croxall et vir, Morris L., to William F. Powell, lot 18, square 3222, and lot 17, square 64, Petworth, and lot 54, block 43, Holmead Manor, $10. William F. Powell conveys same property to Agnes B. and Morris L. Croxall, $10.
Connecticut Avenue Heights—Howard M. Etchison et ux. to Clarke Waggaman, lots 22 and 23, block 2, $10.
Whitney Close—William M. Gain, trustee, to Charles E. Weast, lot 90, square 2036, $10.
Mt. Pleasant and Pleasant Plains—Floyd H. Heaton et ux. to W. Wallace Chiswell and Harry A. Kite, lot 27, block 15, $10.
Mt. Pleasant and Pleasant Plains—Christina Miller et vir, William G., to J. Harry M. Chaney, lot 698, $10. J. H. M. Chaney conveys same property to William G. Miller and James Martin, $10.
Petworth—Almira P. Livingston et vir, Claude, to Charles A. Vanderlip, lot 14, square 3122, $10.
Mt. Pleasant and Pleasant Plains—Albert R. Mackenzie et ux. to Dupont Laundry, lots 23, 24, 811, 812, 814, 952, 853, square 2882, and lots 21 to 27, block 1, $10.
Trinidad—Mary E. Gibbs to David L. Bowersox, lot 54, block 3, $10.

Suburban.

Randle Park—John Cook, trustee, to Isabella Cook, lot 12, block 2, $300.
Mullikin Hill—Katherine E. Malone to John W. Brawner, trustee, part, $10.
Rhode Island Avenue Terrace—Joseph K. Davison et ux. to Gertrude E. Lewis, lot 10, square 4316, $10.
Brookland—Travelers' Insurance Company to J. E. Eastlack, lot 11, block 30, $10.
Bellevue—Ralph P. Barnard et al., trustees, to Frank P. Reeside, part, $2,903.13.
Lincoln—Louis A. Alexander to Stance J. Trotter, lot 130, square 5192, $10.
Villa Park—Clara A. Marden et vir, Edwin R., to C. E. Maxwell, lot 2, block 4232, $10.
Cathedral Highlands—William H. Roland et ux. to Edward A. Lacey, lots 1 and 2, square 1814, $10.
Sunnyside—Robert M. Gray to William K. Hill, lots 22 to 26, square 2970, $10.
Fourteenth Street Heights—Northwest Washington Company to Lillian M. Benson, lot 1, square 2917, $10.
Villa Park—Clara A. Marden et vir, Edwin R., to George E. Curry, lot 2, square 4296, $409.65.
Friendship—Sophia Voigt to Frederick C. Voigt, part, $10.
Benning Heights—Valley Realty Company to E. M. Davies, lot 60, block 5406, and lot 130, block 5683, $10.
Pinehurst—Strickler N. McCune et ux. to Pinehurst Park Company, lot 4, block 1, $25.
Eliaston Terrace—Nina T. Alexander to Henry Brecht, lot 7, block 3, $10.
Fourteenth Street Terrace—Lynchburg Investment Corporation to Charles H. Cutts, lots 35 and 36, square 2802, $10.
Twin Oaks and Lynview—Malinda Downing to Ada A. Brayshaw, Nellie W. Isel, Joseph W., Walter B., and Henry C. Downing, lot 10 and part 11, Bayley's Purchase, $10.
Chichester—Frank C. Haines et ux. to Etta G. Drummond and Emma May Martin, part, $10.
Friendship and Mt. Airy—Alfred M. Vaux et ux. to Charles E. Shoemaker, part, $10.
Cathedral Highlands—Charles J. Bell, trustee, et al. to Henry F. Woodward, lot 37, square 1930, $2,245.15.
Brookland—J. Harry King et ux. to Caroline M. Walker, lot 1, block 8, $10.
Manor Park and Robert's Choice—Manor Park Securities and Development Company to Transit Realty Company, lots 38 and 39, square 3339, and part of Robert's Choice, $10.
Beall's Adventure—Joshua S. Mewshaw et ux. to Albert A. Strauss, part, $10.
Granby—James B. Lackey to City and Suburban Railway Company of Washington, part lot 42, $10.
Chichester—Michael L. Raedy to Mary Raedy, lot 7, $10.
Beverly—James Cruso to Georgianna Cruso, lot 35, square 5197, $10.
East Deanwood—Weldon S. Booker et ux. to Thomas Walker, lot 21, square 5222, $10.
Avalon Heights—Richard E. Fairo et al., trustees, to Francis X. Higdon, lot 10, block 4, $225.
Girl's Portion—Takoma Land Company to John C. and Carrie F. Quady, lot 1, square 3174, $10.
Whittingham—Owen H. Fowler et ux. to Samuel W. Holcombe, lots 1 and 2, square 5097, $10.
Chichester—Caroline Langhorn to Patrick J. Whalan, lot 1, $10.
Cleveland Park—Grace L. W. Farnham to Alice B. Pope, part, $10.
Randle Highlands—United States Realty Co. to Stanton R. Norman, lots 27 and 28, square 5537, $10.
Same to Stanton R. Norman, part lot 13, square 5498, $10.
Manor Park—W. H. Morrow et ux. to Carl L. Davis, lots 2 to 10, square 3341, $10.
St. Elizabeth—Elizabeth M. Zane to Edith Z. Pyles, part, $10.
Villa Park—Clara A. Marden et vir, Edwin R. to Edwin C. Read, lot 19, square 4238, $129.38. Same to Joseph H. Thompson, lot 16, square 4238, $153.25. Same to T. W. Cappelen, lot 42, square 4239, $189.39. Same to W. L. Nelson, lot 4, square 4232, $138.97. Same to Bert N. Genung, lot 17, square 4237, $10. Same to J. R. Eddins, lots 18 and 19, square 4293, $795.
Mt. Airy—Allan E. Walker et ux. to Roy E. Beberneyer, lot 20, square 1873, $10.

TODAY'S TRANSFERS

Fourteenth Street Heights—Aaron C. Rebes to Milton L. Veasey and Albert G. Towers, lots 29 to 33, 38 to 42, square 2919, $10.
1428 Q street northwest—Jacob Kohner et ux. to Edward E. and Mamie K. Marshall, lot 71, square 209, $10.
202 Tenth street southeast—Charles H. T. Over to Mary V. Lewis, lot 26, square 944, $10.
Chichester—Charles P. Powell et ux. to Mary A. Harvey, lot 22 and 23, square 5821; lots 1 to 11, 32 to 50, square 5819, $10.
Pennsylvania avenue southeast, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets—John W. Brauner et ux. to William A. Boss, lots 23, 24, 25, square 1078, $10.
High View—Harry Wardman et al. to Eugene L. Greenewald, lot 117, square E. of 2535, $10.
Manor Park—Carl L. Davis to Emma J. Morrow, lots 2 to 10, square 3341, $10.
Tenth street northwest, between T and U streets—Mary E. Scott et al. to Masonic Hall Building Association, part lots 27 to 30, square 333, $10.
Tenth and U streets northwest—Joseph Lavezzo et al. to Masonic Hall Building Association, part lots 24 to 27, square 333, $10.
K street northwest between North Capitol and First streets—Mary C. Guiney to Herman R. Howenstein, lot 44, square 622, $10.
Petworth—William L. Bowie et al. to Petworth Primitive or Old School Baptist Church, lot 41, block 26, $10.

MISSING 7 YEARS, ARRAIGNED IN COURT

Colored Man Held for Assault Alleged to Have Been Committed in 1905.

After eluding the police for seven years, Charles Hewlett, colored, was arrested yesterday morning and locked up on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon. In the Police Court today he was held under $1,000 bonds for a hearing by the grand jury.

The complaining witness, James Johnson, colored, showed the court a silver plate that he has been wearing as the result of a blow with a brick given, he says, by Hewlett on March 15, 1905. Policeman Moran, of the Fifth precinct, who helped to carry Johnson to the Providence Hospital seven years ago, arrested Hewlett.

The defendant and complaining witness agree they had trouble over a pail of beer, but Hewlett denies the assault charge. While the police of the Fifth precinct have been looking for Hewlett he has been working on boats running from Philadelphia to southern cities. He had but just returned to Washington when Policeman Moran arrested him.

CITIZENS OF PARK VIEW TO OPPOSE ROAD IMPROVEMENT

Resolutions Against the Changing of Highway Passed at Meeting.

Every effort will be made by members of the Park View Citizens' Association to prevent the passage of the bill recently reported favorably by the Commissioners providing for the changing, widening, and improving of Spring road.

This was decided at the monthly meeting of the association held last evening in the hall of the Whitney Avenue Christian Church, Park road, near Seventh street. Resolutions passed by the association relative to the proposed improvements to Spring road are similar to those recently adopted and transmitted to the Commissioners by the Columbia Heights Citizens' Association.

Resolutions opposing the passage of the bill were introduced by George H. Russell, who said the proposed plan for changing the course of the highway would cost $20,000 alone. Strongest opposition to the bill is to that portion which makes the entire cost of the improvements fall on the owners of the adjacent and abutting property. The association contends that one-half the expense should be paid by the property holders and the other half by the District and Federal Government.

The Commissioners estimate the cost of acquiring the necessary ground for widening the street at $56,830. Real estate appraisers have told members of the association that land appraised at 2 cents a foot by the Commissioners would bring 20 cents at auction, and that the cost of acquiring the land would be fully $100,000.

C. M. Clark, chairman of the committee on schools and public buildings, stated that the estimate of the District Commissioners of $86,000 for a school building at Park View had been included in the appropriation bill by the Senate and that it was expected the conferees would not take it out.

President John B. McGrath announced the appointment of the following committee chairmen for the ensuing year: Laws and legislation, George H. Russell; public utilities, Dr. A. B. Crane; streets and parks, W. P. Coleman; police, fire, and lighting, Theodore L. Gatchel; membership and entertainment, O. B. Reed; election and public buildings, Charlton Clark; sanitation, John R. Lamson; and civic relations and finance, Charles Williams.

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