

Biographical data Congressman Adolph A. Sabath

From immigrant boy to dean of the U.S. House of Representatives and chairman of ^{its} the important and all-powerful Rules Committee ~~of the House~~ is the remarkable story of Hon. Adolph A. Sabath.

Born in Zabori, Czechoslovakia, April 4, 1866, he was but 15 when he came to the U.S. His first job was in a planning mill. From this humble beginning, through his self-education in Chicago, he got a deep feeling for people and their needs, hopes and aspirations. Since he first entered public life, as a judge in Chicago, he has distinguished himself as a champion of the downtrodden.

First elected to Congress in 1906, he has been reelected in every election since then. He holds the all-time record for continuous service in Congress. In the almost two-score years in the House, the Congressman has known all the great men in public Congress and the White House, and from this close relationship he has a deep knowledge of democracy and its institutions, of which he is an outstanding champion.

Despite his 76 years he is one of the most active men in the Capital. All House actions must pass through the Rules Committee, of which he is chairman. He is a real authority on the Congress, and Picture Scoop his opinions in the accompanying article a "must" for all Americans.

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