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## TARIFF LAYS PLANS OF ATTACK IN WEST

### Tariff Revision to Be Main Topic.

## VETOES TO BE BACKED UP

### President Will Defend Action in Blocking Legislation.

## WAR IN ENEMY'S COUNTRY

### Nation's Executive Now Preparing Speeches for Western Tour When Democrats and Progressive Republicans Will Suffer.

BEVERLY, Mass., Aug. 28.—So far as President Taft is concerned the tariff will be the main issue of the 1912 campaign.

While the President will speak on many subjects on his Western trip, it is certain now that tariff revision will receive most of his attention.

Following his speech to the Essex County Republican Club at Hamilton on Saturday, the President began today to prepare other speeches on the tariff. He obtained copies of his veto message on the wool farmers' free list and cotton bills, and also set to work to address them to the Democrats and progressive Republicans who put them through Congress.

### Plan of Attack Outlined.

Mr. Taft is said to realize that he must not merely defend himself for having rejected these bills, but must attack the Democrats and progressive Republicans who put them through Congress.

The attack upon the Democrats the President can make almost anywhere. It is understood that the fight upon the progressive Republicans will be confined to their own territory.

The President will carry the war West into the enemy's country.

### Nature of War Defined.

The nature of attack is pretty clearly defined already—it will be in substance that the progressive who voted for a tariff board should have been willing to wait for its report; that the revision bills the Democrats and insurgents drew at the special session were "ill considered" and "badly drawn," and that great industries of the country should not be put into jeopardy by such legislation when revision, if recommended by the tariff board, might be expected anyway a few months later.

It is probable that the President will promise tariff reform so far as he can bring it about at the next session of Congress.

It is quite probable that the progressive will be under fire of the President also on the subject of reciprocity.

## 42 TEAMS ENTER SHOOT

### Infantry Leads in Competition at Camp Perry, Ohio.

CAMP PERRY, Ohio, Aug. 28.—Forty-two teams representing the regular service and the states and territories began shooting today in the National team match for the Congressional trophy, the Hilton trophy and the Soldier of Marathon trophy. Two ranges were completed, the 200-yard slow fire and 300-yard rapid fire. A heavy rain made it necessary to discontinue firing.

The order of the teams was materially changed after the competition of the rapid fire at 200 yards. The infantry made the high score of 555 and forged ahead, leading with an aggregate of 1,000 points in the two ranges of 1911. Other teams scored as follows: Navy, 1054; Marines, 1047; United States Cavalry, 1033.

## POTTERY VALUE IS RAISED

### Government Finds Oriental Shipments Are Undervalued.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—The report of United States appraiser John G. Mattes, filed yesterday, raises the valuation on 500 cases of Oriental pottery consigned to Morimura Brothers, of San Francisco and Tokio, from 45 to 70 per cent. The goods had been set aside pending the investigation of alleged undervaluation frauds at this port, Seattle, Wash., and Tacoma, Wash.

The goods were ordered released to the firm upon the payment of one per cent additional duty for each per cent of valuation above 5 per cent.

Morimura Brothers will appeal to the board of general appraisers at New York.

Several hundred cases of similar goods which arrived after the first seizure are being examined.

### Sherwood Pastor to Leave.

SHERWOOD, Or., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Rev. Arthur Spieles, formerly pastor of the German Evangelical Lutheran St. Paul's Church, will leave September 1 to take charge of a congregation at Endicott, Wash. Rev. Mr. Spieles has been pastor here for the last 12 years, during which time the congregation has doubled, the church property, consisting of ten acres, has been cleared, and several good buildings erected and all debts paid.

## STEAMER IN SURF NEAR END OF JETTY

### UNIDENTIFIED VESSEL GROUND-ED AT COLUMBIA'S MOUTH.

### Bar Tug Wallula Hurries to Give Aid, and Lifesaving Crew Is Rushed to Beach.

An unidentified steamer ran aground last night just off the Columbia River jetty, and with a fairly heavy sea running, is in a perilous position, according to a telephone message received late last night by Harry Campion, superintendent of the pilotage and towage department of the Port of Portland.

The vessel's plight was reported at Astoria by the oil steamer W. F. Herrin, which left Portland yesterday for San Francisco. Immediately on receipt of the news, the bar tug Wallula was hurried to sea to pull the steamer off the sand if possible.

The W. F. Herrin is now standing by outside the bar as close to the stranded vessel as she can stay in safety. Members of the life-saving crew under Captain Wicklund are on the beach ready to attempt to take off the crew if the vessel shows signs of going to pieces. The steamer is flying signals of distress.

Watchers at the North Head wireless station reported that from the position of the steamer they believed that she could be pulled off the bar before morning unless the sea becomes heavier.

All efforts to make out the name of the vessel have been unavailing.

## JUDGE SUES MAYOR SEIDEL

### Milwaukee Executive Alleged to Have Slandered Jurist.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 28.—Circuit Judge Eschweiler today began suit for \$50,000 against Mayor Seidel, in which he alleges the Mayor slandered him in remarks made during a speech at Bayview in the last judicial campaign.

Judge Eschweiler refers in his complaint to a decision in which he held the appointment of a certain City Hall official to be illegal.

The Mayor, commenting on the Judge's decision, is alleged to have remarked:

"You know that in the United States it is always possible to find one man on the bench dirty enough to do a political trick and in this case they found their man."

## SAIONJI TO NAME CABINET

### Japan's Emperor to Announce Personnel of Advisers Next Month.

TOKYO, Aug. 28.—It is expected that the Emperor will entrust Marquis Saionji with the formation of the new Cabinet, the personnel of which will be announced early in September. On Tuesday the Emperor, Baron Uchida, Count Katsura recommended the appointment of Marquis Saionji, who is considered best fitted to carry out the policies inaugurated by the former.

It is understood that Lieutenant-General Terachi will not retain the portfolio of war, but will continue as Resident-General of Corea. Baron Uchida, Ambassador to the United States, is regarded as the most probable candidate for the foreign ministry, but Count Komura may continue in that office.

## LEE TELLS WHY HE KILLED

### Slayer of Family Declares He Feared Parents Meant Harm.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Aug. 28.—Many newspaper correspondents and photographers tried today to see William Lee, self-confessed slayer of his father, mother and brother, at Booneville, Ind., but the Indiana Reformatory officials refused to allow him to be seen, as the court has ordered he be kept in solitary confinement.

Lee retired early last night and slept soundly until he was awakened this morning by his father, who had not made any confession other than the statement to the police, in which he said he believed his parents intended to kill him and thought he would "beat the old man to it."

## GEMS GONE; WOMAN GOING

### Mrs. Johnson, of Seattle, Despairs of Recovering Lost Valuables.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Despairing of regaining her \$1000 of jewels, which disappeared when her husband left her mysteriously weeks ago, Mrs. Stauders Johnson, 2221 Leoti street, declared today that she would leave here in a few days for Seattle. Gustav Adolph Johnson, her husband of six months, had not been heard from since he quit the house.

"I see no reason why I should remain here any longer," said Mrs. Johnson today, "for I am through with Gus."

"I would like to get my jewels back and return to Seattle, where I have many friends."

## CLERK BEATEN BY ROBBER

### Unidentified Man Loots San Francisco Store in Daylight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—A cigar store at Market and Powell streets was held up in broad daylight here today by an unidentified robber, who took \$710 and left the clerk, Carl Dentry, unconscious from a blow on the head.

## CHAOS PREDICTED BY KRUTTSCHNITT

### "Granting Demands Would Hit Millions."

## PUBLIC TRUST BETRAYED, TOO

### Railroad Man Won't Belittle American Boys' Chances.

## REFUSAL REASONS GIVEN

### Recognition of Shop Employees' Federation in Slightest Degree Might Stop All Work Throughout Entire Harriman System, Said.

## STRIKEBREAKERS ARE BEING RUSHED INTO SAN FRAN.

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 28.—White J. A. Frank, National president of the Boilermakers' Union, and M. T. Ryan, National president of the Carpenters, are spending in San Francisco in the hope of averting threatened trouble with the Harriman lines. Strikers are being rushed into San Francisco in anticipation of a general walkout, says the Republican.

In the last three days three parties of 12 men each, all machinists, have passed through Denver. Most of them have come from points in Pennsylvania. Their passage has been made as quietly as possible, as it is thought there is still a possibility of the differences being adjusted.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—That the granting of the demands of the federation of shop employees of the Harriman lines would mean chaos; that it would abridge or deprive the corporations of the ability to fulfill the duties imposed upon them by the law, and that the officers deliberately so betraying their trusts as to agree to such an arrangement would be universally and justly condemned by public opinion, was the statement made tonight by Julius Kruttschnitt, vice-president and director of maintenance and operation of the Harriman roads.

Mr. Kruttschnitt took up in detail the reasons for refusing the demands of the federated shopmen, saying:

### Reasons Given in Detail.

"These are the reasons why we decline to surrender to an irresponsible committee of federated employees, representing a very small portion of the public, trusts confided to us by the entire public, and why we will not concede to such a committee the right to dictate whether we shall or shall not fulfill for 20,000,000 of people in 12 states the duties clearly prescribed by law.

"The employees' demands are substantially as follows:

"First—Recognition of the shop employees' federation. Heretofore issues arising with a machinist, boilermaker, blacksmith or sheetmetal worker were taken up with his associates of that craft. When not successfully adjusted strikes of that craft have followed, but they were not serious enough to pre-

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## HOW GREEN MAY RIPE ORANGE BE?

### GROWERS OF CALIFORNIA PUT PUZZLER TO DR. WILEY.

### It's All on Account of Ruling by Pure Food Expert That Citrus Men Fear Will Ruin Market.

OROVILLE, Cal., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Unless a more definite ruling can be obtained from Dr. Wiley relative to what constitutes a green orange, the rich holiday trade of the Eastern markets may be closed to the orange-growers of Northern California. This was the statement made today by D. O. Hill, secretary of the Butte County Citrus Association.

A serious situation has developed as a result of the indefinite character of Dr. Wiley's ruling.

Dr. Wiley has decreed that green oranges must not be sold. He recognizes, however, in his ruling, that the fruit of the orange tree may be ripe enough for market while the color of the peel is yet green.

The growers fear that they may send fruit to the East, only to find that each inspector has a different opinion, and that, as a consequence, unless the oranges are allowed to fully mature upon the trees, there will be a heavy loss by reason of the actions of the pure food inspectors.

## NO RESIGNATION IS SEEN

### Chemawa's Assistant Superintendent Has Not Resigned, Says Inspector.

SALLEM, Or., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—According to Special Inspector Higgins, of the Department of Indian Affairs, who has been in charge of the Chemawa Indian School during the suspension of Superintendent Chalcraft pending investigation of charges lodged against Chalcraft, only intimations have been received at the school as to the department's conclusion as to Supervisor Holcomb's findings, but says he expects definite information in a few days.

He denied a rumor that had spread to the effect that Assistant Superintendent Campbell resigned today.

### HAZEL DOLLAR WRECKED

#### Lumber Steamer Hits Jap Reef and Is Going to Pieces.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—Advice has been received here by way of London that the steamer Hazel Dollar, which sailed August 7 with a cargo of lumber from Everett, Wash., for Hankow, is ashore on a reef at Nurogan, Japan. The vessel was driven in by a gale, and is reported to be rapidly pounding to pieces.

The Hazel Dollar is a new ship of 2500 tons, and belong to the Dollar line, a local company operating vessels under the British flag. The vessel went ashore May 5, in Puget Sound, but was floated. Captain J. Russell was in command on the recent disastrous voyage. It was his first trip.

SEATTLE, Aug. 28.—When the steamer Hazel Dollar struck on Possession Point on May 5, she tore a large hole in her hull that necessitated repairs costing approximately \$100,000, the largest repair job ever undertaken on Puget Sound. When she came out of drydock the lumber cargo that had been lightered off when she went aground was reloaded. The vessel carried approximately 3,000,000 feet of lumber and poles loaded at Everett.

## MINE BUILDINGS GO; FOREST ABLAZE

### Valuable Blue River Plant Is Burned.

## CAUSE OF FLAMES UNKNOWN

### Costly Conflagration Sweeps Great Northern Property.

## SERIOUS FIRE IS RAGING

### Green Timber at Head of Calapooia River in Santiam Reserve Burning, and Several Hundred Men Fighting—Situation Grave.

## DAY'S DEVELOPMENTS IN NORTH-WEST FIRES.

Springfield—Great Northern mining plant on Blue River, destroyed and flames communicate to timber.

Albany—Winds sweep North Santiam fire to within half mile of village of Niagara.

Chehalis—Four hundred men fight forest fire near Ft. Kelli.

Dallas—Black Rock fire continues to damage timber of Spaulding Lumber Company.

Underwood, Wash.—Fire starts in green timber on Little White Salmon.

Stacada—Clear Fork fire under control; green timber ablaze on Shell Rock Mountains.

SPRINGFIELD, Or., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The buildings of the Great Northern mines in the Blue River district, 45 miles east of this city on the Santiam watershed, were destroyed by fire today, which wiped out the entire gold mining plant valued at \$50,000 and which spread to the forests nearby and as a result a serious fire is raging there in the green timber at the head of the Calapooia River in the Santiam Forest reserve, where already several very serious fires are burning, and where several hundred men are fighting fires.

News of the conflagration was received in this city this afternoon, but details are lacking.

A messenger was sent at 2 o'clock this afternoon from Blue River by the Government Forestry Department to the scene of the fire to investigate. Probably nothing definite as to the extent of the blaze can be learned until some time tomorrow.

## Mine Property Valuable.

The Great Northern mine is located in Linn County about a mile over the ridge separating the McKenzie River from the Calapooia River. It is said to be a valuable property, but it was closed down about three years ago because of alleged mismanagement. While operated it paid dividends.

About six years ago the Great Northern Mining Company, composed of several Brownsville men, installed a fine plant costing \$50,000. Four stamps, in units of two and a plant of equal capacity known as a Huntington mill were installed.

A quarter of mile from the mills was the site of the mine when it was sent crashing into the flatcar.

## DEAD MAN IN DREAM TELLS OF MURDER

### SEARCH FOR BODY RENEWED BY VICTIM'S FRIEND.

### Hoquiam Brotherhood Hears of Visionary Landmarks That Lead to Scene of Crime.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Victor Wallin, a city employe, has put new energy into the search for the body of Andrew Junni, who is believed to have been made away with near Bucoda more than three months ago, as the result of a dream Wallin had Saturday night, in which he says the missing man appeared to him and told him where to search for the body. Wallin is a member of the Finnish Brotherhood, which has taken an active part in the search.

Recently Wallin was one of a party which searched a trail along which Junni was going when last seen. Wallin says that in the dream Junni reminded him of landmarks along the trail, and finally asked him about a large tree, saying that if he had gone a little beyond that in the search he would have found a pile of ashes and Junni's bones, where the body was buried.

Friends of the missing man believe he was murdered, and to corroborate Wallin's dream, declare that A. Bucher, of Bucoda, saw a fire in the brush near the place pointed out in the dream a short time after Junni disappeared.

Further search will be made soon.

## BURGLARS LIKE NEW YORK

### Estimated Total of Plunder in Gotham Since June 1 is \$500,000.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The past Summer has been the most profitable for burglars and sneakthieves in the history of the New York police department, and it is estimated that the total of plunder since June 1, including burglaries in suburban towns, is more than \$500,000.

The police list of stolen property in the past two months shows more than 4200 items, of which recoveries have been made in only 20 instances. The list includes 750 watches and \$200,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry.

## CANADIAN RAIL MAN OUT

### G. J. Bury, Western Manager, to Succeed Sir William Whyte.

WINNIPEG, Man., Aug. 28.—The retirement of Sir William Whyte, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railroad, was announced tonight by President Shaugnessy. Sir William Whyte is two years past the age limit. President Shaugnessy is stopping today in Winnipeg while on his annual inspection tour of the road.

Sir William Whyte said that he would hold no responsibility with the Canadian Pacific Railroad in the future.

G. J. Bury, at present general manager in the West, is Sir William's successor.

## SIX KILLED IN CABOOSE

### Collision With Flat Car at Regina, Saskatchewan, Is Fatal.

REGINA, Saskatchewan, Aug. 28.—Six lives were lost as a result of a collision between a caboose and a flatcar in the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway yards here today.

John H. Hopwood and Samuel Merzhen were instantly killed and L. H. Fortin, from Lynn, Mass., Michael Griffith, from Preston, Lancashire, England; Albert Marsal, from Montreal, and James Christy, from Glasgow were so badly hurt that they died later.

The six men were sitting in the rear of the caboose when it was sent crashing into the flatcar.

## THOMAS W. LAWSON GUILTY

### Noted Boston Financier Appeals in Lottery Conducting Conviction.

PLYMOUTH, Mass., Aug. 28.—Thomas W. Lawson, the Boston financier, today was found guilty of conducting a lottery at the Massachusetts Fair last week and fined \$100. Lawson has appealed.

As president of the Marshfield Agricultural Society, he announced before the fair that a horse, carriage and harness from his farm would be given to the holder of some ticket.

Fifteen thousand tickets were distributed and a ticket bearing the name of the winner was drawn at the close of the fair.

## SPOKANE MAN DIES IN EAST

### Visit to Home of Niece Cut Short by Attack of Heart.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Frank Martin, who is said to have been a wealthy resident of Spokane, Wash., died here today at the home of his niece, Mr. Martin, who was a mining engineer, came East a few weeks ago. At luncheon he complained of feeling ill, and died shortly afterward of acute heart trouble.

He was 33 years old, and leaves a widow and daughter in Spokane.

## COREY TO SUCCEED EAKIN

### Chief Justice's Son Resigns State Board to Practice Law.

SALLEM, Or., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—H. H. Corey, ex-chief clerk in the office of the Secretary of State under Frank W. Benson, was today appointed secretary of the State Board of Control, to succeed Robert Eakin, Jr.

Mr. Eakin, son of Chief Justice Eakin, of the Supreme Court, will go to Grande, where he will commence practicing law with Judge T. H. Crawford.

## BEATTIE UNWELLS MURDER TO COUSIN

### Kin, on Stand, Tells of Confession.

## DUTY FORGES REVELATIONS

### "I Wish to God I Had Not Done It," Rich Man's Words.

## PRIDE OF MOTHER STIFLED

### Mrs. R. V. Owen, Dead Woman's Parent, in Choking Voice, Tells Tale of Son-in-Law's Illness. Prisoner Faces Strain.

CHESTERFIELD COURTHOUSE, Va., Aug. 28.—Paul D. Beattie, cousin of Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., who stands indicted for the murder of his wife, testified late today that the accused had told him 24 hours after the murder how sorry he was that "he had done it," a circumstance relating to the crime that the witness hitherto had suppressed.

Coming as dramatically and as unexpectedly as the pathetic tale an hour before of Mrs. R. V. Owen, mother of the dead woman, as to the domestic infelicity of her daughter as a result of the husband's disease, the brief but thrilling testimony given by Paul Beattie created a profound sensation.

Paul Beattie, at the Coroner's inquest a nervous wreck, but today strong and determined, poured out a tale which confessedly had troubled his mind not only because he purchased the shotgun for Henry, but because he had not until today told all he knew of the case.

## Duty Forges Revelations.

"I hated to testify against my own flesh and kin," he murmured, "but my wife, my child, and the duty I owe to my city forced me to do so. Henry himself told me that he wanted me to stick by him, but I said to him: 'This looks mighty black to me, and you've got me into a lot of trouble.'"

"Henry told me 'I wish to God I had not done it. I would not have done it for \$1,000,000, but she never loved me. She only married me for my money.'"

It was late when this stage of the trial was reached and adjournment was taken until tomorrow morning, when cross-examination will continue.

## Mother-in-Law Forgets Pride.

From early morning, when a mother, Mrs. R. V. Owen, stifled her pride and, in a choking voice, almost a whisper at times, told the jury the sordid details of Henry C. Beattie, Jr.'s alleged physical ailment, which caused his wife heartrending grief and hours of anguish, the prisoner faced the hardest strain thus far witnessed in his fight for life.

Through the testimony of the mother of the dead woman the prosecution endeavored to define the motive for the crime—the fear that the news of the alleged ailment might reach Henry Clay Beattie, Sr., and cause a rupture between the son and the father, upon whom he depended.

To reinforce this theory the prosecution put on the stand Mrs. J. Binford, mother of Beulah, "the girl in the case," and Henrietta Pittman, Beulah's chum.

## Tale of Childbirth Told.

Their testimony brought to the surface a story of Beattie's four years of acquaintance with Beulah Binford, of alleged numerous indiscretions, of the birth and death of the child named Henry Clay Binford and how, just prior to the murder, this relationship was renewed.

## Confusion Seen in Courtroom.

There was confusion in the courtroom when Paul Beattie was summoned. The gun with which Mrs. Beattie was killed was produced.

"Look at that and tell the jury when was the first time you saw it," said Prosecutor Wendenburg.

"The first time," Beattie answered quickly, "was at the pawnshop when I bought it, on a Saturday just before the murder, and the next time was at the Coroner's inquest."

"How did you come to buy the gun?" "Thursday, in the week before the murder, I was at home with my wife and baby," Paul replied. "The telephone rang and Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., asked me to meet him in 15 minutes. I dressed and went to Short and Main streets, three squares away."

## Purchase of Gun Told.

"My cousin came a few minutes later in his automobile. We went to a saloon and had a drink and as we left he said to me: 'Paul, I want you to buy a single-barreled shotgun.' I said 'All right.' He took me home in the machine and gave me \$2 to pay for the gun and 5 cents for cartridges. He told me to call up a girl for him—Mrs. Fisher—and tell her he would be around for his wife's dress. I called up Mrs. Fisher and told her this."

Previous testimony had been given to show that Beulah Binford was known as "Mrs. Fisher."

The witness described in detail his purchase of the weapon and continued:

"I went to the store of Uncle Henry and saw Henry Clay Beattie, Jr. When I walked in I said I had bought the

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