

TALK OF TARIFF MAKES HIM SWEAR

Cannon Prodded Into Much Profanity.

ABOUT PAPER PULP TRUST

Did Not Know a D— Thing About It, He Says.

BUT BONAPARTE KNOWS

Conference With Ridder and Roosevelt Leaves Speaker in Explosive Temper—Action Under Sherman Law is Probable.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—(Special.)—It required several big "dams" to enable Speaker Cannon adequately to express his feelings today, when questioned as to what Congress might do in the matter of the tariff on wood pulp. "Uncle Joe" might have a measure to muzzle the press, but as for doing anything to remove the burden on the cost of white paper under which publishers are struggling and in which the masses of the people who read newspapers have a direct interest, nothing doing in that line with the sage of Danville.

JAPAN DEMANDS APOLOGY

Rejects Plan to Submit Controversy to Mixed Tribunal.

TOKIO, Feb. 28.—The Japanese government is maintaining a determined attitude concerning the seizure of the Tatsuta Maru, and demands both an apology and an indemnity from China. The Chinese Foreign Office wants to submit the entire question to a mixed court. This is refused by the Japanese government unless the vessel has first been released and an apology made for an insult to the flag.

Trust May Be Prosecuted.

Mr. Ridder visited the Department of Justice as well as the White House today. He had had a conference with Attorney General Bonaparte additional facts to show that the trust is operating in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, and there is a strong probability that proceedings will shortly be instituted against it as a result of Mr. Ridder's work.

MAY TURN TO PROHIBITION

Democratic Plans of Revenge for Bradley's Election.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—(Special.)—Democratic indignation over the bolt in the Kentucky Legislature, which resulted in the election of ex-Governor Bradley, the Republican, to the United States Senate, threatens a National prohibition movement on the part of the minority party. This may sound strange in the North, but in the South, prohibitory legislation has had its support in Democratic quarters, and the Southern Democrats are very influential in the councils of their party.

BRITAIN ANGRY WITH JAPAN

Obstruction to Trade in Manchuria Causes Distrust.

SHANGHAI, Feb. 28.—There is a growing distrust in British commercial circles on the Chinese coast of the entire policy of the Japanese government in the Far East. The main complaint against the Japanese is the obstruction of foreign trade in Manchuria. This particularly affects the British steamship companies, and it is reported here today that three of the four Democrats who bolted to Mr. Bradley are identified with the liquor interests in Louisville and that, possibly, they were coerced by the disinterested to vote for the Republican candidate. One of the immediate retaliatory results will be to push to the front more strongly than ever the bill to prevent reshipment of liquors in prohibition states and, if the measure is stifled in committee, Southern Democrats may try to get a declaration in favor of it in the National platform to be drafted at Denver, hold the Republicans responsible for non-action this Winter and make the question an issue in the campaign.

RUSSIA'S VERSION OF BIG STICK

Thinks Cavite Naval Station Means Warning to Japan.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 28.—The New York Herald today devotes one of its leading articles to the American plans for the fortification of Manila, which it believes will convert "Cavite into the most powerful naval base on the Pacific and enable the United States to insist upon an actual as well as a theoretical realization of the open door in Manchuria. Constantinian paper says the denial of the report that it is the present intention of President Roosevelt to raise this question directly exemplifies its conviction that "soft words are a corollary to the policy of the big stick. When the Manila works are completed, the doors of Manchuria will fly open to America's open sesame."

MONTANA USES THE INITIATIVE

Measure Ready to Submit Under Law for First Time.

HELENA, Mont., Feb. 28.—Petitions are being circulated throughout the state for submission to voters this Fall of first laws under the initiative and referendum measure passed by the last Legislature. These propose to give voters the right to determine their choice for United States Senators and the information to be conveyed to the Legislature under seal of the Secretary of State; an employer's liability law and a measure making labor unions immune from injunctions for peaceful conduct of disputes with employers.

FEAR OBJECT OF MOVEMENT

Taft Adherents Think Bourne Would Bring About Clash.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 28.—Much concern is reported among Secretary Taft's friends over the Bureau Senator Bourne in establishing to boom Roosevelt. Yesterday they brought the President's attention to Senator Bourne's crusade, but were soothed with the assurance that Secretary Taft's nomination was already as good as accomplished, and that the only concern of his Taft men should feel was as to his election.

BEEN AS AID TO EDUCATION

INSECTS TO PAY SCHOOLING OF CALIFORNIA GIRL.

Miss Flora McIntyre Rears Queen-Bees and Writes Magazine Articles About Their Habits.

BERKELEY, Cal., Feb. 28.—(Special.)

Skilled in the ways of the bee, Flora McIntyre, a junior student of the University of California, is earning her way through college by rearing the little honeybees. She is writing a number of magazine articles on the bee. These articles will be of the greatest scientific value, as the subject will be covered completely. Miss McIntyre has contributed a number of articles for magazines dealing with special phases of the subject.

FREE WITH HIS BIG D'S

I don't know a damn thing about it.

When the Speaker was assured that the newspaper readers of the country, as well as the newspaper proprietors, were interested in the matter, because it had direct bearing on the price of the dollar, the Speaker climbed into his carriage, and exclaimed:

PLEAS TO KNEES IN COURT

Wayward Lassie Begg Mother to Give Her One More Chance.

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—The spectacle of a pretty 16-year-old girl kneeling at the feet of her mother and with tears streaming from her eyes pleading for her mother's mercy, was witnessed in Judge Snell's court today when Agnes Miller, the daughter of Mrs. Lena Miller, was arrested on a complaint of her mother because she persisted in spending her time on the streets at night in company of young men of questionable character.

OBJECT TO FIVE CENTS A MILE

Suit Against N. P. for Action Against Port Townsend Southern.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—Formal complaint was filed with the railroad commission today against the Northern Pacific by the Port Townsend Southern, which charges five cents per mile for passenger tickets over the branch road. The Port Townsend Southern is operating less than 100 miles and exempt from the provision of the act, the complaint alleges that the Port Townsend Southern is operated and maintained by the Northern Pacific.

MAY STRIKE ON RIO GRANDE

Cancellation of Union Contracts Stirs Up Machinists.

DENVER, Feb. 28.—The News today will say:

TROOPS PROTECT ITALIANS

Vigilantes Threaten Them Because They Accept Low Wages.

KENTWOOD, Ia., Feb. 28.—Kentwood is today under guard of state troops, who quietly took possession last night to prevent threatened violence against aliens. Within the last two days self-styled vigilantes have warned scores of Italians to leave town by the end of this week if they did not wish to be blown up by dynamite.

OUTSIDER GETS THE PRIZES

Dalies Poultry Show Trophies Go to College Place Exhibitor.

THE DALLES, Or., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—The poultry show closed here tonight after three days of most successful exhibition. Today the coupes have been brilliant with blue, red and yellow ribbons; a large Saturday through of owners and their interested friends viewed the birds. F. W. Dertock violently to drive cheap foreign labor away from timber mills. In other disturbances at least one foreigner was killed and several badly wounded.

MISSOURI PACIFIC CLOSES SHOPS.

SEDIALLIA, Mo., Feb. 28.—The following notice was posted at the Missouri Pacific shops here today, stating that "Owing to the continued depression in business, the shops will not be opened until further notice." A similar notice, it was stated, was posted at a Missouri Pacific shops in Sedalia. The local shops were closed February 20, when the Missouri Pacific management announced that they would reopen March 1.

PERU'S KINDLY FAREWELL

President Pardo Reviews Departing Ships and Steamers of Enthusiastic People Follow Ships Into Open Ocean.

CALLAO, Feb. 28.—The American fleet sailed today for Magdalena Bay, in Lower California, a territory of Mexico. Signals went up from the Connecticut, the flagship, this morning, and shortly afterward the battleships were steaming slowly out to the ocean for the long run to their next stopping place.

ADMIRAL EVANS RECOVERING.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Admiral Evans, commanding the battleship fleet, today cabled his wife in this city regarding his health.

TO RAISE BASEBALL FUND

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WE wish to thoroughly test the advertising value of this newspaper. For three days—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday—we will accept this coupon for

\$5 INSTEAD OF CASH toward the payment of any suit or overcoat ordered during those three days. No ifs, ands or buts about it. You must present this coupon when you place your order. If you do not bring this coupon along, there will be no allowance. While this will be expensive advertising for us, we propose to ascertain how many people read this paper today and are willing to benefit by it. Now, let's hear from you, gentlemen!

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May Tie Up Granite Industry.

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—The granite industry of New England is threatened with a tieup which may result in the suspension of thousands of granite workers. The Boston Granite Association is known as the Granite League and its members demand a minimum scale of 4 cents an hour.

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Opening Display of New SPRING WOOLENS

The Columbia Woolen Mills Store Invites the Men of Portland to Inspect the Largest and Finest Line of High-class Fabrics in the West—All the New Season's Nobbiest Effects—the Pick and the Best of Them.

Men who appreciate exclusiveness, style and character in their attire will find everything that is commendable in the splendid gathering of new Spring woollens now ready for their selection at this store. We have outdone all previous efforts, for we have a larger line than ever before—the largest in the West, we are confident—and we believe it is beyond comparison and the finest ever assembled on the North Pacific Coast. The new novelties, new grays, blues, browns and green mixtures, are all shown in bewildering array. The staple lines, as heretofore, are complete in every weave and shade. Columbia Tailoring means more this Spring than before. It has established itself by reason of high quality of fabrics, splendid workmanship, invariably perfect fit, satisfactory wear and all round superiority. Last, but not least, the popular prices of Columbia Tailoring have had much to do with attaining its position of supremacy.

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ALBANY GIRLS CHAMPIONS. ALBANY, Or., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—The Albany High School girls' basketball team defeated the Salem team tonight by the score of 12 to 9, and won the championship of the Willamette Valley League. The boys' game went to Salem, 26 to 24.

NAME DELEGATES AT CLEVELAND. CLEVELAND, Feb. 28.—Congressman Paul Howland was re-nominated at the Republican Congressional convention of the Twentieth district, held here today. Herman Baer and A. C. Co. were named as delegates to the National convention. Resolutions endorsing the Roosevelt administration and Secretary Taft's candidacy were adopted.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS NOTES. VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Wash., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—The resignation of Captain Charles E. B. Flagg, assistant to the Army, has been accepted by the President, to take effect April 1. Captain Flagg was stationed at the Barstow station for a number of years and is now on duty in Cuba.

BUTTER AND EGGS CHEAPER. TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—Eggs this morning dropped from 22 to 21 cents a dozen, and the afternoon sales were made at 20 cents. The market will open at the latter figure Monday. Another market that will open lower Monday will be the butter market. A decline of 2 or 3 cents in the price of Washington creamery butter will go into effect then. The dealers tonight had not decided on the amount of the drop, but stated positively that such a reduction will be made. Home-grown potatoes have dropped from \$1.50 to \$1.4 a ton.

EGLESON GIVES UP OFFICE. BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 28.—(Special.)—E. G. Egleson, whose resignation was asked for by the Government some weeks ago, retired tonight from the office of Surveyor-General of Idaho. D. A. Uter will assume the duties of the office Monday.

FEAR HER BACK IS BROKEN. WEISER, Idaho, Feb. 28.—(Special.)—An automobile was the cause of a runaway in which Mrs. H. G. Gilmour, wife of the County Assessor, was fatally injured. It is feared that the woman's back is broken.

HIP FRACTURE CAUSES DEATH. GRANTS PASS, Or., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—Elizabeth C. Wince, who died here this morning from the effects of

LATEST NEWS FROM THE FLEET. It is awaited with interest, but far more important than this to you and me is the condition of our health this season. If we feel unnaturally tired, have "drawn" or warped faces, if our nerves are "just strained to the utmost,"—as a friend puts it—no matter how good our blood is not carrying the nourishment it should to the various organs. A bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla is just what we want. It is so good, there's no mistake in taking this medicine.

NEW LIFE—"I have always found Hood's Sarsaparilla a good blood purifier, and it gives me new life and vigor, removes all impurities in the blood, cures that tired feeling and makes me feel like working." Gertrude Hammond, Alexandria, Indiana.

HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA. In usual liquid form or in chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs. 100 doses \$1.

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