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SENATOR OLIVER SAYS TARIFF REVISION WON'T HURT STOCKS

Pennsylvania Millionaire Testifies Before Senate Committee on Lobbying Today

WINS STEEL STOCK AND PITTSBURG PAPERS

Senator Townsend Says That President Wilson Exercises "Undue Influence"

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 6.—The Chairman Reed believes the legislation will turn light upon the so-called lobbyists summoned before the adjournment of the Senate lobby investigation today. Reed is convinced that the committee is on the right trail and that from some of the men summoned it will be able to extract information confirming Wilson's lobby statement. Reed will ask the Senate for an indefinite extension of time holding the hearings.

Senator Oliver, owner of 1,000 shares of preferred stock of United States steel told the committee that he did not expect the tariff revision in any way affect its value.

Sugar Interests. Further evidence of organized effort of the anti-free sugar forces bring pressure to bear on Western Democratic Senators and Congressmen to align them against Wilson's sugar plan were given the Senate lobby committee today by Senator Thomas of Colorado, a member of the finance committee. He produced hundreds of telegrams and copies of documents and letters, pamphlets and newspaper clippings which showed an organized attempt to manufacture sentiment in Colorado which would affect the action of Senators and Representatives.

Oliver said that he also had an investment of \$1,500,000 in two Pittsburg newspapers and 7,700 preferred shares of about 50 common shares of the Pittsburg Coal Company, whose profits might be affected by the tariff. He said he had not sought other Senator's influence on the articles that he was interested in, nor has his influence been improperly sought. Senator Walsh asked how much Oliver has invested in copper properties. Oliver objected to answering and the committee tied on a vote as to the right of the committee to ask such questions.

Wilson's Influence. Senator Townsend told the lobby committee that he believed the nearest approach to undue influence was "influence" exerted by President Wilson and by the use of powers of the party caucus.

"I am convinced," he said, "that the majority of the Senators will vote in favor of the tariff bill and against amendments that they believe in, because of fear of antagonizing what is known as the 'power and influence of the administration.'"

Discharged Railroad Clerk Kills Superior Because He Lost Job in Pittsburg

PITTSBURG, June 6.—James McArthur, agent of the Pennsylvania railroad at the Union Station here, was killed today and his chief clerk, Ralph Pauly, fatally shot by D. C. Schback, who had failed to be promoted in recent staff changes in the street department.

COACH DIVORCE CASE.

National Evidence Given in Bandon Suit at Coquille.

(Special to The Times) COQUILLE, Or., June 6.—The divorce case of Mrs. Arthur Coach Bandon is being heard by Judge Harris and is one of the most sensational that has been tried in a long time. About thirty Bandon people have been subpoenaed to testify and many others are present to hear it, the courtroom being crowded. Mrs. Coach charges him with adultery, riotous living and immoral conduct and he makes similar charges. She testified about a lively scrap which had when he tried to eject her mother from their home. The trial may last all day tomorrow.

BAND DANCE SIMPSON PAVILION, NORTH BEND, SATURDAY, JUNE 7.

The dollar that does a man the most good represents several drops of perspiration.

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SEVENTY HURT IN LABOR RIOT

Ten Policemen and Sixty Strikers Injured in Battle After Killing of One

STETTIN, Germany, June 6.—A battle between the police and strikers in which 70 persons were wounded, was fought last night in a suburb of Frauendorf, as a sequel of the killing of a striker by a non-striker who had continued to work in the chicory factory where the strike had been called. The strikers were angered and demanded the surrender of the murderer and when their request was refused they threatened to demolish the factory. Three hundred police were summoned and a fight followed, sabres, revolvers and clubs being used. The police finally dispersed the mob. Ten policemen and 60 civilians are in the hospital.

PLAN FUNERAL BY MISTAKE

Poor Phone Service Causes Grave to be Dug and Coffin Ordered. Is Improving

NORTH TONWANA, N. Y., June 6.—After her grave had been dug and an undertaker dispatched to the Buffalo Hospital for her body, Mrs. William F. Kelly was found to be alive and improving in the hospital. The mistake was due to a poor telephone connection.

VOTE ON FREE TEXT BOOKS

North Bend School Election June 16 to Determine it—Changes in Schools

The petition of 27 legal voters of the North Bend school district, asking that the proposition of the district furnishing free text books was read and on motion an election was called for Monday, June 16, at 2 o'clock, the polls to remain open till 6 p. m. J. W. Grout, C. A. Smith and Ira Wetzel were appointed judges and C. A. Nollner and J. F. Grubb, clerks.

The opening date of the fall term of school was fixed for September 15th.

The school library is to be assembled at the Central School to be kept open during vacation, on three afternoons of each week, under direction of Mrs. Woodbury.

The resignation of Mrs. Edith A. Irish as teacher was accepted. Miss Julia Dayton, of Cleveland, graduate of the Western Reserve University, was elected teacher of English at a salary of \$75 per month.

DREADNAUGHT IS NAME CHOSEN

COMMITTEE OF BUSINESS MEN SELECT NAME FOR CAPT. HARRIS' NEW BOAT FROM LARGE STACK OF ANSWERS.

Hugh McLain, Albert Matson and Frank Smith this afternoon selected the "Dreadnaught" as the name for Capt. Harris' new speedy pleasure launch.

As a result of his ad in The Times, Capt. Harris received between fifty and one hundred letters submitting names for the boat.

The party who suggested the winning name forgot to sign his or her name to the winning letter and in consequence the award of the \$5 prize and the free excursion trip cannot be made until their identity is ascertained.

WOOD DYNAMITE CASE TO JURY

Sensational Charges Against Millionaire Head of Woolen Trust in Connection With Lawrence Strike Near Decision.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) BOSTON, June 6.—The cases of the alleged dynamite "planting" conspirators, William M. Wood, Frederick A. Atteaux and Dennis J. Collins, were given to the jury today.

Judge John C. Crosby instructed the jury to return a verdict on each of the six counts of the indictments, but to find defendants not guilty on the sixth count, which charged conspiracy to injure certain buildings and other property.

The opening of court was delayed an hour and a half while one of the jurors, Morris Shuman was closeted with Judge Crosby, District Attorney Felter and the counsel for the defense. No explanation of the delay was made when the jurors finally took their places in the box.

TILLAMOOK IN WITH EQUIPMENT

Brings More Machinery for Porter Brothers—Some for the Ten Mile Tunnel

The Tillamook arrived in at North Bend today with a dozen dump cars, a small construction locomotive and other railroad construction equipment for Porter Brothers. She also had a donkey engine on for Coquille parties and will take it to Bandon.

Today a small dummy construction engine belonging to Porter Brothers was taken out North Inlet and will be taken to the south entrance to the big Ten Mile tunnel. Some dump cars will also be taken out so that they will be able to start construction work in good shape there soon.

MILLER HELD IN BABY CASE

Tramp Charged With Child-Stealing—More Evidence Against Him.

Walter Smith, father of little David Smith, the Banker Hill child whose disappearance caused such a furor, filed charges of child-stealing against Bill Miller, the tramp who was arrested in connection with the affair. The charges were filed before Justice Pennock and the latter has deferred Miller's hearing until Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Liljeqvist can come here.

Miller is being kept in jail. He steadfastly denies the charges, but is showing evidences of worry. He is considered simple-minded and those who believe he took the child away think he did it for revenge, thinking Mrs. Stanley was the boy's mother, and later became frightened and deserted it.

The officers are working on the case and have secured additional circumstantial evidence against Miller. The penalty for child-stealing is more severe than for kidnapping, being from one to twenty-five years' imprisonment.

HERE TO MAKE PORT CHANGES

Portland Customs Office Arranging for Absorption, but it May be Delayed

As a result of the action of the Senate Committee on the request of Secretary McAdoo to postpone the reorganization of the Customs districts until next January, the proposed absorption of the Port of Empire by the Port of Portland will be deferred. A. L. Pike, special deputy collector of the Port of Portland, arrived here yesterday to make arrangements to consolidate the Port of Empire with the Port of Portland, but his trip will probably be in vain. The new plan was to have but one port for Oregon, with one collector of customs at Portland and deputy collectors at Empire, Astoria and other points of entry. Major Tower, the present collector, was to be retained for the time being at lease as deputy here, but he will not, it is expected, continue as collector. It was expected that Thomas C. Burke, the new collector of customs, would succeed P. S. Malcolm within a few days and he would probably name a Democrat as the deputy at Empire had not the proposed change been postponed.

It was reported today that T. H. Barry, formerly of Empire, was being considered for the deputy collectorship. The salary has been somewhat reduced. Mr. Barry has been a life-long Democrat.

WANT TOBACCO CASE REOPENED

Over 1600 Independent Dealers Unite in Petition to Attorney General

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) NEW YORK, June 6.—Sixteen hundred independent tobacco dealers of New York and New Jersey have requested Attorney General McReynolds to reopen the dissolution suit against the American Tobacco Company, according to an announcement today by Henry Hunter, their counsel.

Hunter added that the local independents had the support and cooperation of independent companies in Boston, Cleveland, Chicago, Minneapolis, Salt Lake, Butte, San Francisco, Los Angeles and New Orleans.

WILSEY WILL BRING PARTY

Report Reaches Here That He May be Accompanied by Some of Syndicate

W. J. Wilsey and a party are expected in tonight or tomorrow from Portland. Just who is in the party has not been ascertained locally, although some expect that there may be some of the individuals who are interested in the syndicate. Mr. Turner, known as the Duke of Portland, was on the Bay some time ago and may possibly be returning, although it was understood that Judge Brunough was to meet the principal ones of the syndicate in London.

The Times has received the following communication from Major Kinney about the deal:

Statement From Major Kinney. Editor of The Times. A few days ago Mr. W. J. Wilsey, in an interview, forgot himself for half a second and joined the crowd of knoekers of my title by stating that Judge Earl C. Brunough had an awful hard time for the last three months examining my complicated titles and that he wouldn't take \$25,000 to do the same job over again.

Now we forgive Mr. Wilsey for this statement and if it was not for the fact that I am to pay Judge Brunough for the work of examining the titles, I would let it stand. I will not sue The Times for damages for publishing that erroneous statement, but as they are the judges of the credibility of the statements they publish it is their duty to publish this.

I turned over 4500 pages of abstract on nine townsite plats and 12,000 acres of land which had stood out against all the fights and controversies. He took those abstracts to his private home and spent his usual office hours in his office taking care of his own heavy business, as he is the expert examiner of land titles for many of the business men of Portland.

He worked at my abstracts evenings only, only staying out of his office the last four days to finish before his departure for London. I stayed at my hotel there for three months to explain any point or to have corrected any defect in the abstract, as he came to them. Judge Sehlbrede stayed six weeks subject to the call of Judge Brunough. And up to the day that Judge Brunough left to advise the English syndicate that a good title could be delivered to them he had only asked us for an affidavit that had been mislaid in the county recording office of the publication of an execution sale on the David Morrison tract.

L. D. KINNEY.

RITCHIE AND RIVERS. Match Called Off On Account of Row About Weight.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) SAN FRANCISCO, June 6.—The match between Champion Willie Ritchie and Joe Rivers, of Los Angeles, who were to have fought 20 rounds on July 4, is declared off today. The men were unable to agree on weight.

JAPAN RAISES NEW QUESTION ABOUT CALIFORNIA LAND LAW

REV. RUTLEDGE TO LEAVE HERE

Resigns as Pastor of Marshfield M. E. Church Owing to His Ill Health

Rev. H. I. Rutledge, who has been pastor of the Marshfield Methodist Church for several years, has tendered his resignation, owing to ill health, and will leave soon for Canada, with Mrs. Rutledge, where they will spend a few months on a ranch with relatives. The announcement of his retirement came as a surprise to his congregation and was received with great regret owing to the many friends that he and Mrs. Rutledge have made during their residence here. Rev. Rutledge came here from Muscatine, Iowa.

Rev. Dr. Cooley, of Willamette University, has been secured to fill the pulpit until next September, when the Oregon M. E. conference will be held and new appointments will be made. Dr. Cooley comes highly recommended.

Rev. and Mrs. Rutledge will leave here about June 20 and it is expected that Dr. Cooley will be here by that time.

CHINESE WILL BRING SHIP BODIES

Six Bodies to be Sent From Marshfield to China Soon—Have Long Been Dead

So that their spirits may be in glory with Joss and their mortal remains may rest in peace, the remains of six Chinamen, who were buried in the old Chinese burying ground on Knob Hill, have been disinterred and will be shipped back to China for interment there. The bodies were disinterred a few days ago and will be shipped on the next Redondo to San Francisco from where they will be reshipped with hundreds of others to the Flowery Kingdom.

Gee Chow, a local Chinaman, is in charge of the shipment of the local Chinese. The Chinamen had long been dead and only small caskets were required to hold the remains. Small wooden caskets were made with zinc lining and these were hermetically sealed to permit their transportation. The six little caskets are now at the Alliance warehouse. Certificates were secured from Coroner Wilson to show that none of the Chinese had died of contagious diseases.

These certificates show the names of the Chinamen and their causes of death to be:

Chin Fook, epilepsy; Wong Cone, heart disease; G. Fee, heart disease; Jon Youn See, senility; Gee Song, crushed head; Lee On, heart disease. They are consigned to different Chinese at San Francisco, some going to the Yeong Wong Association. It is stated that Chinese in all parts of the country for the last several months have been disinterring the remains of relatives and are sending them to San Francisco and sometime in the next few weeks a ship bearing caskets containing several thousand bodies will leave for China.

GIVE PENSIONS TO 7 MOTHERS

At the session of the Coos County Court this week at Coquille, pensions were allowed seven widows or mothers who were entitled to assistance under the new state law. One application was taken under advisement, it being the one of Mrs. Fannie O'Donnell, of Marshfield, whose husband was injured in a fire at Bay Park last fall. The pensions allowed were:

- Mrs. Annie Hansen, of Ferndale, \$10 per month. Mrs. Bowman, of Marshfield, \$10 per month. Mrs. L. K. Ballinger, of Marshfield, \$17.50 per month. Mrs. Ida Paterson, of Marshfield, \$10 per month. Mrs. Maggie Cooley, of Marshfield, \$47.50 per month. Mrs. Alice Sneddon, of Marshfield, \$17.50 per month. Mrs. Annie Barrows, of Bandon, \$32.50 per month.

Declares That it is in Direct Violation of 14th Amendment of Constitution.

ALSO CITES TREATY OF FEW YEARS AGO

Claim Agreement Was For Citizens to Own or Lease Property in Countries

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

TOKIO, June 6.—The rejoinder of Japan to the United States' note on the subject of the California alien land ownership legislation reiterates that the land bill passed by the California Legislature violates the spirit of the Japanese-American treaty by discriminating against a friendly power. It points out that even if the question is economic, it enters the domain of international relations and therefore becomes a political question. The note says that the legislation violates article one of the Japanese-American treaty of 1911, which authorizes the subjects or citizens of the contracting parties to own or lease houses which are in separate real estate and also declares the bill violates the fourteenth amendment of the United States Constitution requiring states to grant equal protection under its laws to all persons within its jurisdiction. Japanese interest in the question is unabated. Several mass meetings of protest are being arranged.

CREATES MUCH INTEREST.

Washington Officials Consider Japan's Objections.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 6.—The outline of Japan's latest note contained in Tokio dispatches received in Washington is of the greatest interest to officials and diplomats. The note was read to the cabinet today and sent back to the State Department and to Counsellor John Barrett Moore, the government's authority on international law.

The contention about the houses and inseparable parts of real estate is a new one but is not regarded so interesting as the contention of a violation of the fourteenth amendment, which declares no state shall "deprive any person of life, liberty or property without due process of law, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction equal protection of the laws."

MANY ARRIVE ON REDONDO

Steamer Brings Brick and Railroad Material—Will go on Drydock

The Redondo arrived in late yesterday from San Francisco with a capacity passenger list and a good cargo of freight. In the latter was a shipment of stuff for the Smith-Powers line and also a consignment of 27,000 brick from California which Hugh McLain got for the veneer work on the new building which Contractor Fairclies is erecting for A. E. Seaman at Myrtle Point.

The Redondo will sail at 1:30 Sunday afternoon for San Francisco and will have 110 cases of cheese. On this trip she will go on dry dock at San Francisco and the Nann Smith leaving there next Tuesday will bring Coos Bay freight.

Among those arriving on the Redondo were:

- F. Wolfens, E. B. Kramer, M. Gulofson, S. C. Owen, G. W. Artis, R. G. Dillard, Mrs. S. C. Owen, Mrs. Dora A. Gentry, Miss Rose Graham, J. Commisskey, O. G. Hanson, M. Crane, Miss Haberly, Miss M. Mullen, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Mary Magee, Mrs. C. M. Nelson, Miss K. Travers, C. M. Nelson, E. O. Hodges, T. J. Scaife, Mrs. Scaife and children, W. S. Leland, Mrs. Leland, L. Marxheimer, W. Henry, L. C. Dwight, E. Lewis, H. S. Phillips, T. McCoy and twelve steerage.

Work on Road.—Road Supervisor F. P. Norton reports good progress on the improvement of the county highway between Marshfield and Coquille, particularly that portion between Marshfield and Shingle House Slough. Rock from the county quarry near Shroeders is being used and it is expected that fully 2000 yards of this material will be used in improving this section of road.

Launch TOGA will LEAVE MARSHFIELD at 6:30 o'clock SUNDAY MORNING JUNE 8 for benefit of those WISHING MORE TIME for FISHING at head of COOS RIVER. ROUND TRIP, 75c.