

# LUMBER MEN ARE QUAKING

Alleged Cracking of Taft's Whip Held to Forecast Actual Revision.

By John E. Lathrop.  
Washington, Nov. 21.—The past 24 hours have wrought an entire change in the feeling of confidence existing among the visiting lumbermen, who had all thought it assured that the lumber duty would not be changed this winter or next summer. Tonight nearly every lumberman admits the chances are that either the duty will be removed or a terrific fight will ensue between Speaker Cannon and the incoming as well as the present administration.

"The administration is pledged to the removal of the lumber duty," said one lumberman; "this I believe beyond question."  
Proof was offered in the visit of Forester Pinchot to the meeting of Lumbermen, where he stated frankly that so far as he had gone into the subject he favored the removal or material reduction of the lumber duty.

"The whole plan rests on the necessity for the conservation of our forests," Pinchot told the lumbermen. "If a better plan can be evolved, then I am for that plan, but the present consumption is three times as much as we grow annually and it means the entire destruction of our forests; hence we must do something to save the situation. The free entry of Canadian lumber might relieve the situation; if so, then we should remove the duty."

I have seen many telegrams sent home by lumbermen visiting here saying, as in one instance:

"There is absolutely no hope of an increase of the duty. We will do well if we save any of the present tariff."

The change in the situation is due to no voluntary act on the part of the majority membership of the ways and means committee, but arises in the report that Taft has decided to oppose Cannon for reelection because the latter and his close friends, it is feared, have determined to carry through a fake plan for the revision of the tariff. This report, from Hot Springs, Va., wrought a remarkable change in the attitude of Chairman Payne and his supporters.

Already the lumbermen are laying plans to carry on the fight all winter for defeating the removal or reduction of the tariff if possible.

Facts developed during the lumber agitation today indicate a savage contest between the Taft and the Cannon-Aldrich forces unless a compromise is patched up soon. It is noticeable that already a majority of the lumber representatives here are aligning in support of Cannon, anticipating his fight against the revision forces, which mean to thoroughly rearrange the schedules.

## CORN DOCTOR TAKES NAT GOODWIN'S COIN

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Detroit, Nov. 21.—While Nat C. Goodwin, impersonating Cameo Kirby on the stage of the Detroit opera house, fled from a posse this afternoon a real, live constable with a real revolver descended upon the actor's room at the hotel and seized the Goodwin trunk.  
It was all a dispute over a little matter of \$25, the amount of the bill of Dr. Marcus Scheer, chiropodist.  
Goodwin's spirit was one of defiance thru his manager was more equable of mind. He took Dr. Scheer aside and something that looked like a yellowback passed from hand to hand. Then the constable was called off.

## JOHN W. GATES' MOTHER IS DYING

(Heart News by Longest Leased Wire.)  
Aurora, Ill., Nov. 21.—Mrs. A. A. Gates, mother of John W. Gates, the millionaire, is dying at Fort Arthur, Texas, the winter home of her son. Mrs. Gates is 83 years of age and was in poor health when she left St. Charles two weeks ago. Word was received tonight that she could not recover and that her death was momentarily expected. Mrs. Gates is known as "Lady Bountiful" in St. Charles. A short time ago she was to the First Methodist congregation of that city a \$25,000 edifice. Her charity seemed to be unbounded and no needy family has ever been turned away from her door.

## DEBATERS CHOSEN FOR STATE LEAGUE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Cottage Grove, Or., Nov. 21.—The Cottage Grove High school held a contest at this place last night for the purpose of selecting three debators to represent this place in the state debating league. The three successful pupils out of thirteen who contested last night were Miss Maud Hooper, Miss Alice Phillips and John Cooter. These three are to be pitted against the Junction City High school February 18.

## SEEKS LETTERS ON M'GLINCHY ESTATE

H. M. Barrett has applied to the county court for letters on the estate of James P. McGlinchy, valued at \$15,000, to which the only heir, so far as known, is a distant relative in Wisconsin. Barrett does not even know the name of the heir. McGlinchy died November 19, leaving real estate in Multnomah county valued at \$5,000, \$1,000 worth of personal property, and land in Crook county said to be worth \$3,000. He was unmarried and had no near relatives.

Keep Your Eyes on the Ground.  
From the London Daily News.  
In walking about the Australian gold fields it is always advisable to keep your eyes on the ground. You can never tell when you may kick a nugget—or fall down a deserted shaft.  
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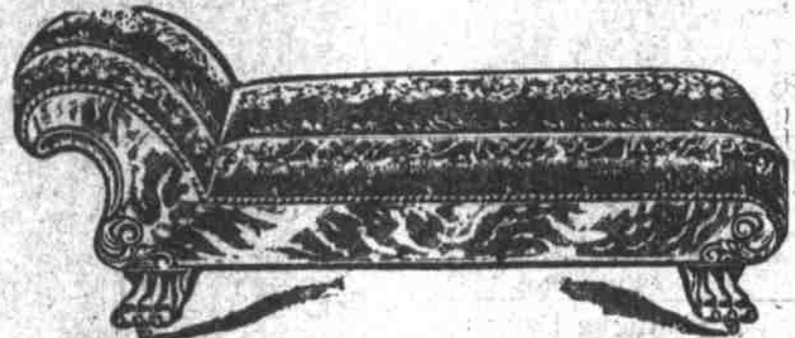
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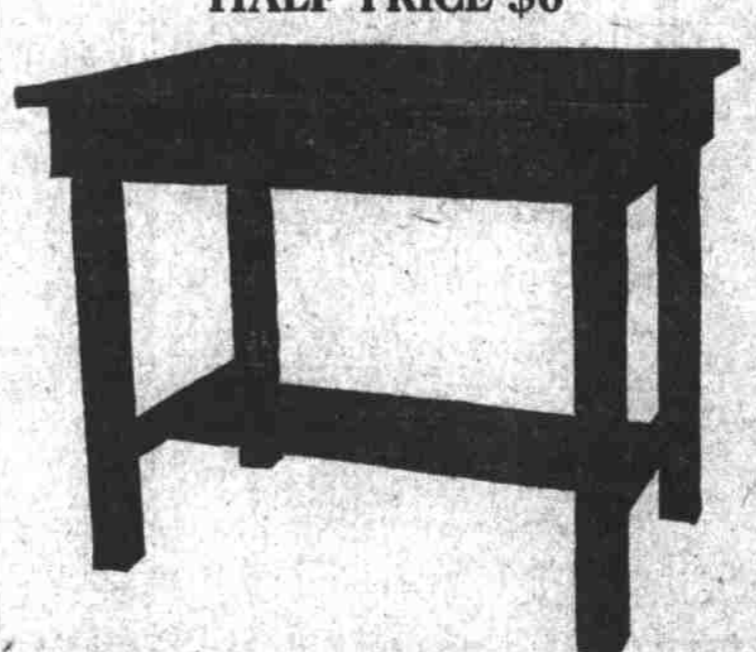
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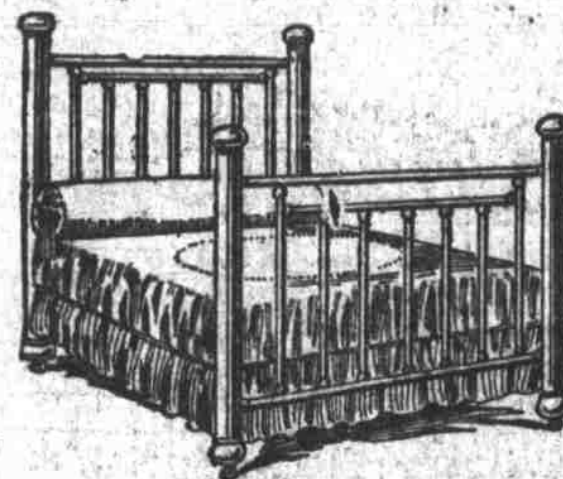
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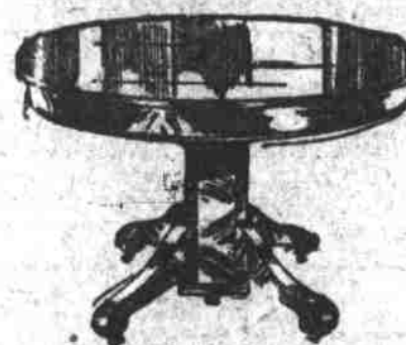


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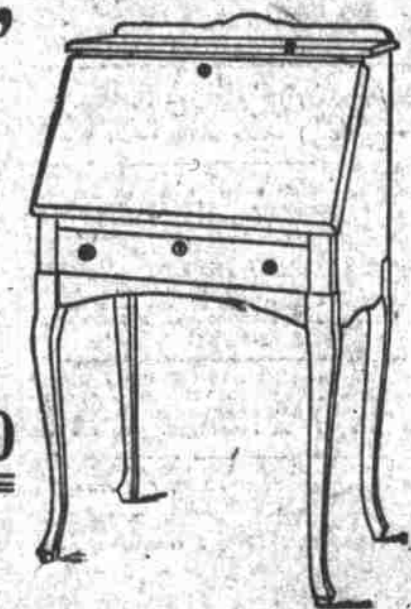
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