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OUR FOREIGN POLICY

Outlined by Mr. Sherman to a Correspondent.

A NEW ARBITRATION TREATY

No Danger of War With Spain -- He Does Not Want to Annex Canada.

LONDON, March 13.—The Times today publishes an interview its correspondent in the United States has had with John Sherman, secretary of state. He says: "After a long conversation with Mr. Sherman, I believe he has no very definite settled opinions on the foreign policy. He does not think that foreign affairs are of the first importance, or even of high importance. He approves of the doctrine of arbitration, and may readily enough follow the president's lead. He does not seem sure that the amendments proposed for the arbitration treaty are of much importance, though he has been told plainly that the British government will not proceed with the treaty thus amended.

"His intent in Cuba is more direct; his purpose is clearer, and his senatorial jingoism has fallen off him like a worn-out garment. He declares there should be no change of policy in regard to Cuba, and there will be no war with Spain, saying: 'We want none. We do not believe Spain wants war. If Spain gave me a quitclaim deed to Cuba, I would not have it.'

"Referring to Canada, he repelled the notion of desiring to annex the dominion, saying that under the crown she could have all the freedom she would have if independent, adding: 'If she will maintain her connection with England, my dream for a remote permanent future for North America is three great republics—Canada, the United States and Mexico. We shall not take a step to alter things. What is to come hereafter must come from natural political evolution.'

THE NEW TARIFF.

A Correspondent Says It Will Produce \$70,000,000 Additional.

CHICAGO, March 13.—The Times-Herald publishes the complete schedule of the new Dingley tariff law from its Washington correspondent, Walter Wellman. The new tariff bill is conceded to be the most complete legislative act submitted to the American congress in a quarter of a century.

Boldly meeting the situation, the Republican members of the ways and means committee declare in the title that their bill is "An act to provide revenue for the government and to protect the industries of the United States."

The law, if enacted as given, is expected by members of the committee to produce an additional revenue of between \$60,000,000 and \$70,000,000 a year. Estimates vary from the highest to the lowest of these figures.

The chief addition to the revenue is expected from the increase of the sugar duties. From this source alone an additional revenue of about \$27,000,000 is anticipated by Chairman Dingley.

Wool is another source of new revenue. It is estimated that the restoration of the wool duties will provide an increase of \$14,000,000 in the receipts of the government. The restoration of the McKinley rates on lumber and timber will add another pretty sum. The flax, jute and hemp and sundries schedule will add perhaps \$4,000,000 or \$5,000,000.

Each of the other schedules, with a few exceptions, is expected to contribute its quota to the increase of revenue, the total increase being so distributed, as to fall lightly upon any class of customers, while the benefits to be derived from the protective features of the law are also distributed to all lines of business and to all sections of the country.

It is now expected that the bill will be presented to the house on Tuesday, and that by a week from Monday the house will have taken up in earnest its consideration. By the middle of April, Speaker Reed expects to send the bill to the senate. Republican leaders in the senate believe they can pass the measure there by the 1st of July. If they be

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not deceived in this, President McKinley will meet with success in his great aim in the early part of his administration, which is to place a new tariff bill upon the statute-books by the end of the fiscal year, or July 1st.

THE GREEKS IN AMERICA.

Again Called to the Aid of the Fatherland.

ST. LOUIS, March 13.—D. Jannapouli, Greek consul at St. Louis, today received a telegram from Alexander Skouzes, the Grecian minister of foreign affairs, urging the reserves in this country to comply with the order calling to arms the reserves of 1886 to 1893. Upon receipt of this the council issued an appeal to Hellenes in his territory to apply to him and make arrangements for transportation to Greece. Simultaneously to this call to arms, the consul issued a notice for a mass meeting of sympathizers of Greece to be held Monday evening next. The consul has jurisdiction in the Central West, and says the number who will respond to the call in his district will undoubtedly run into the thousands. He said:

"This call means war; of that I have no doubt. Nothing can now prevent a clash between the Grecian and Turkish armies."

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If Greece Does Not Yield.

LONDON, March 13.—The Chronicle announces that a formal ultimatum has been delivered to Greece announcing that a blockade of Crete and of certain Greek ports not now named, will begin on Wednesday.

Some of the powers have decided that unless Greece yields, or if she declares war on Turkey, measures still more severe will be employed, even to the point of utterly destroying Greece as a nation.

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REED CHOSEN SPEAKER.

Caucus of Republican Members-Elect of the House.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The caucus of Republican members-elect of the present congress, which was held tonight, voted by acclamation to renominate ex-Speaker Reed and all officers of the last house to serve through the 55th congress. An effort to change the rules of the house had been expected, and a strong speech was made in advocacy of such a change by Walker of Massachusetts, but the attempt flashed in the pan. There were 175 of the 203 Republicans present. Reed's name was presented by Payne, who referred to him as man of towering intellect, sterling Republicanism and a peer of the greatest parliamentarians.

Dingley responded to a call, promising that the tariff bill should be ready in a week.

Walker offered a motion for the selection of a committee of seven, of which the speaker should be chairman, to revise the rules of the house. Mahany declared the whole tendency of house rules was despotic, and in conclusion said:

"I warn new members of the house that it is an invariable trick of leaders of the house, self-constituted or otherwise, to move the temporary adoption of the rules of the last house, and when once adopted, it is harder to move them than to move Aetna, and under them, new members will find it impossible to represent their constituencies."

There was an exchange of sharp personalities between Mahany and Pitney of New Jersey. Mr. Walker's motion was buried under an overwhelming vote.

After resolving that a call signed by twenty-five instead of fifteen members should be necessary to secure a caucus, the caucus adjourned.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from ten drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

TAKEN OUT OF BOND.

San Francisco Importers Preparing for a Higher Tariff.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—The importers of the city fear that congress will surely raise the tariff. In consequence, a rapid rush is being made to remove all goods now held in bonded warehouses. Monday it is thought will mark the climax, as it is considered that on Tuesday the new bill will become a law. Since the first of the month, however, the importers of cigars, tobacco and woollens have been removing their goods. Figures in possession of Auditor Cope, at the custom-house, show that in all since March 1, about \$87,973 worth of goods have been taken out of bond. It is anticipated that before Monday the limit already reached will be greatly exceeded.

On March 1, goods valued at \$2646 were removed while on the day following, \$17,590 were taken out. Daily the removals have continued, yesterday making the top notch, when \$19,622 worth of goods were removed. The total for the twelve days taken from the warehouses direct is \$81,849. Taken from the "warehouse" lots, as it is called, were goods valued at \$6124. The reason for this is that, although articles may remain in bond for three years, the duty prevailing at the time of the removal is the rate to be paid.

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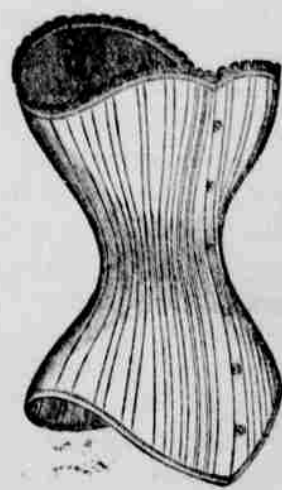
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