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PRESIDENT SIGNS RECIPROCITY TREATY WITH CANADA TODAY

CANADA WILL SUBMIT MATTER TO HER VOTERS

According to Solons, Treaty is Defective in That it Makes Law in United States Regardless of Canada's Action in Matter.

Washington, July 26.—President Taft signed the Canadian reciprocity treaty, passed a few days ago by the senate, this afternoon, and the measure is now a law in the United States. Voters to Decide.

Ottawa, Can., July 26.—Voters of Canada will decide the fate of the reciprocity measure. The liberal government, headed by Premier Laurier, has determined to appeal to the people on account of the obstruction tactics of the conservatives.

The election will be called within two months. If the liberals win, reciprocity will be passed. If conservative Borden becomes prime minister, reciprocity will die.

Washington, July 26.—Just when the Canadian reciprocity agreement will become operative, now that it has been finally ratified into law by congress and President Taft, was a question upon which there was a division of opinion among authorities here today.

As agreed to, the measure contains two sections. The first sets forth the dutiable and free list articles to be sent under the terms of the bill from this country to Canada, and the dutiable and free lists of articles sent from the dominion to the United States.

The second section provides for free entry into the United States from Canadian provinces that do not enforce any export tax or other restrictions, on shipments to the United States, of wood pulp, newspaper and other paper and paper board manufactured mainly of wood pulp and valued at not more than four cents a pound.

Senator Reed Smoot (Rep. Utah), one of the highest authorities on the tariff in the senate, today asserted that the first section of the bill could not take effect until it had been passed by the Canadian parliament.

"As to section 2," he said, "there is a strong opinion among senators that it will take effect on the passage of the bill by congress even if Canada, at that time, has taken no action on the reciprocity measure."

In the first section of the agreement is a provision setting forth that the dutiable and free lists of articles from Canada "shall take effect whenever the president of the United States shall have satisfactory evidence and shall make proclamation" that the dutiable and free lists of the United States goods sent to Canada are recognized by the dominion.

Section two of the United States bill, is a plain statute that requires no action by the president to carry it into effect.

Senator Nelson (Rep. Minn.) has said it is "utterly outside the scope of the reciprocity agreement."

The opinion of Senator Cummins (Rep. Iowa) was thus expressed: "The difficulty about the present arrangement is as the Senator from Minnesota has said. For some reason or other the house has segregated section two from the remainder of the bill, and it is doubtful whether it will be controlled by the provisions and

the conditions of the previous part of the bill. If it is not so controlled then it is not reciprocal and we would be in danger of the favored-nation clause."

An apparent defect in the United States bill was pointed out by some senators. If Canada should, some day, repeal the Canadian bill, the United States law would remain in force until congress could take action.

It was several times suggested that the bill be amended so that it would be automatically repealed in the event of the repeal of the Canadian law by the Ottawa parliament, but the general belief was that the conditions under which it might operate to the disadvantage of the United States were beyond the range of possibility.

LILLIAN GRAHAM'S PRESS WORK ENTIRELY TOO COARSE. New York, July 26.—Discovered in a hotel at Poughkeepsie, Lillian Graham, one of Millionaire Stokes' alleged assailants, who disappeared from New York last Saturday, today declared she had been kidnapped by an unknown man and rushed into a motor car. Having lost consciousness, she declares she knew nothing more until she found herself in Poughkeepsie. She is now being held in jail for safekeeping.

Lillian's little press agent stunt has failed. Today the theater where she is employed, told her that her work was coarse and notified her that she is dismissed after Saturday.

Fisher to Alaska. Washington, July 26.—Secretary of the Interior Fisher on August 2 will begin at Chicago his long postponed trip to Alaska, where he will study conditions, particularly with respect to the possibility of monopolizing Controller Bay.

Wants Trusts Prosecuted. Washington, July 26.—Criminal prosecution of the tobacco and oil trusts, was urged today in the senate by Senator Pomerene of Ohio.

COMBINE HARVESTER DESTROYED BY FIRE. The first combined harvester of the year to burn is reported from the South Cold Springs district. The big machine belonged to S. Fred Wilson, the attorney-banker-farmer of Athena, and was engaged in cutting the wheat on the ranch which he recently purchased from John G. Richardson at the time it burned. The fire occurred Monday night and its origin is unknown, although the general belief is that it was incendiary.

Mr. Richardson had the contract of cutting the grain and had only got well started on his job when the machine burned. O. F. Steel of Nolin was employed on the combine and brought the news of the burning to the city this morning.

BURTON J. HENDRICK, IN M'CLURE'S PAYS TRIBUTE TO INFLUENCE OF C. S. JACKSON. In a story in the McClures' magazine for August, Burton J. Hendrick, the well known writer pays a tribute to the work of C. S. Jackson, formerly proprietor of the East Oregonian and now publisher of the Oregon Journal.

The story in McClures' is upon the subject of "Law-Making by the Voters," and it is an interesting treatise upon the Oregon system and the men who have been influential in behalf of popular government within this state. Regarding Mr. Jackson, the well known economic writer says: "Another influential factor is Mr. C. S. Jackson. Mr. Jackson is a Virginian who came to Oregon as a young man and worked for several years in the eastern part of the state as a stage agent, finally drifting into a newspaper office and acquiring fame as a humorist. Like many of the Oregon reformers Mr. Jackson became a devoted follower of Henry

PENDLETON AGAIN FACES WATER FAMINE

With but four feet of water in the reservoir and with such a scanty supply of water available at the pump station that the regular needs of the city cannot be met the water board is confronting a hard problem this afternoon.

"We will have to stop the street sprinkling this afternoon and tonight," says J. T. Brown, chairman of the commission. "This will give us a chance to partially fill the reservoir. It will also help the situation if local people while irrigating their lawns will use caution and not sprinkle their lawns more than is absolutely necessary."

According to Mr. Brown and other members of the board they are doing everything within their power to provide sufficient water for the city but it is a hard task. At the pump station every foot pipe is being drawn upon but there is simply not enough water for local needs.

STATE TYPIST OF CALIFORNIA IS SHOT DOWN

Woman Victim of Unknown Man Who Jumps From Alley and Fires.

Sacramento, Calif., July 26.—Miss Anna Dudley, aged 32 a stenographer in the office of State Engineer Ellery was murdered today by an unidentified man who was later killed by the police in a gun battle.

Two bystanders were wounded during the duel. No motive for the crime can be found. No love affair of the woman is known.

The murderer leaped from an alley between J and K streets and fired her body full of shot. She died almost instantly.

He then fled to the American river where he fought off the police, despite the fact that he had received half a dozen wounds, until Captain of Police Penhall killed him.

In his pocket was found a note showing that he had premeditated the deed.

Former Governor Knows Little. San Francisco, July 26.—Former Governor Gillette who is here, could shed no light on the murder in Sacramento of Miss Annie Dudley. He said she had been in ill health for several years, but he did not know of any love affairs.

DARROW TO DISPROVE McMANIGAL'S CONTENTION. Los Angeles, July 26.—Positive declaration that he will be able to prove that Orrie McManigal has been promised financial return for his testimony against the McNaman brothers was made today by Attorney Clarence Darrow, counsel for the defense. He said he would disprove fully McManigal's statement that no money or immunity has been promised him.

Commits Suicide. Victoria, B. C., July 26.—J. Robb of Vancouver, B. C., who was being deported from Australia, committed suicide by jumping overboard from the steamer Zealandia which arrived here yesterday. Several passengers saw Robb make the plunge but were unable to stop him. His body was recovered and was buried at sea.

COTTONWOOD STREET MAY NOT BE PAVED. Even the Webb and Cottonwood street districts may be affected by the remonstrances against paving Court and Alta streets, in case such remonstrances are effective at all. Members of the council are very doubtful whether a paving company would install its plant here for a job of four or five blocks which would be the size of the contract in Court and Alta streets are not paved.

At the meeting of the council tonight, the matter will probably come up for discussion. About the only hope is that the Warren Construction Company, which has a plant at La Grande now, will consent to move to this city for the work.

Apple Trees for China. Peking, July 26.—It is stated upon very good authority that the government is considering a plan to send a corps of agricultural experts to the United States in the early autumn to study the apple growing industry, with a view to adding it to the industries of China.

The excellence of the Oregon and Washington apple is well known in several Chinese cities, due largely to the holiday gifts of apples sent by James J. Hill, Maurice Thomson and others who have important commercial connections. At present the apple is a luxury beyond the reach of even the well to do Chinamen, but those who have tasted the fruit are so delighted with it, that they are willing to encourage any plan that will tend to develop apple growing in China.

J. P. MORGAN IS ONLY A HIRELING OF ROCKEFELLERS

Standley Committee Learns as Much From Special Investigators Report to Bonapart.

Washington, July 26.—That J. P. Morgan, usually esteemed as a money king and builder of trusts, is in reality only a servant of John D. Rockefeller, was the gist of a report by Burdette Townsend, a former special United States investigator, which was presented to the house committee investigating the steel trust today.

Chairman Stanley declared the report, which was made in 1905, to Former Attorney General Bonaparte, proved conclusively that the prosecution of the steel trust under the Sherman law would have been successful.

Townsend asserted in the report that the trust controlled 99 per cent of the farm machinery business.

Townsend's report, says: "McCormick, one of the heaviest stockholders in the machinery trust, is a son-in-law of Rockefeller. The McCormick family, therefore, is already distantly related by marriage with the great American family of trusts."

"Morgan is the trust architect usually employed by the Rockefeller. He is a good trust builder and receives fabulous fees. George W. Perkins is his associate."

The report goes on to state that the Rockefeller interests would ultimately secure control of the harvestor trust.

TARIFF REVISION MAY NOT BE TAKEN UP NOW. Washington, July 26.—Democrats are today practically unanimous in the belief that last night's caucus, forecasts the adjournment of congress by August 15th at the latest.

At the caucus the democrats overwhelmingly rejected the plan to continue tariff revision at the present session.

It is predicted that both the Underwood and La Follette bills will be rejected at a final vote to be taken on them tomorrow.

The democratic senators will caucus tonight again.

That an excursion from North Yakima will probably be run to the Round-Up this fall is the announcement made in a letter received by Secretary J. H. Gwinn this morning from H. P. James, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce in that city. An invitation to the people of the Yakima valley was sent to Mr. James several days ago and in his answer that gentleman assures Secretary Gwinn that there will be a goodly delegation from his community.

Already, he says, he has taken the matter of arranging an excursion to Pendleton via Walla Walla up with passenger agents and he is of the opinion that there will be no difficulty in filling a train so great is the interest manifested there in the northwest frontier exhibition.

Reports from another section regarding the interest in the Round-Up was had today when J. D. Holton of Portland arrived here en route home from a trip to Spokane, Lewiston and Salmon River. Mr. Holton saw the show here last year and is an enthusiastic booster. He declares that everywhere he went there is keen interest in the Round-Up and many declare their intention of coming to Pendleton this fall. In the Salmon river country, he says, a party of men is being made up for the purpose of attending the exhibition during the three days.

GEORGE HOLDS WAR SITUATION

England to Make Present Chancellor Secretary of Foreign Affairs.

CANCELS PROPOSED TRIP OF WARSHIP FLEET. Premier Asquith Will Tomorrow Commit Government in Address to the House of Commons—British and German Press Sound War Warnings.

London, July 26.—War between England and Germany was brought appreciably nearer today by the semi-official announcement that Chancellor Lloyd George may become secretary of foreign affairs.

If appointed, this means that George's recent speech, warning Germany to keep her hands off of Morocco, has received the official sanction of the British cabinet.

Diplomats say this is tantamount to a war threat.

That the government believes the chances are good for trouble, is seen in the cancellation of the Atlantic fleet's Norwegian cruise. This will hold the bulk of English warships near England and ready for any emergency that may arise.

Asquith to Discuss Breach. The greatest interest is expressed in the announcement that Premier Asquith will discuss the Moroccan situation in the house of commons tomorrow.

It is believed that Mr. Asquith will definitely commit the government to a policy of resistance to German aggression, which Lloyd George announced.

If he does, there is every probability that matters will soon reach a crisis and that the long shaky peace of Europe may break.

The British and German press both devote much space to the difficulty. Both issue grave warnings. The Berlin Tageblatt says:

"England's methods of dictating her will to Germany and France in their negotiations publicly, instead of exchanging ideas diplomatically, is no longer considered by Germany as justifiable."

Uprising Reported. San Diego, July 26.—According to reports from Lower California, the Mexican gunboat Guerrero, now in dry dock at San Francisco, has been ordered to Ensenada to transport troops to La Paz to quell an uprising there.

PASCO DEGENERATE ALLOWED TO LEAVE. On his promise, to leave town and never to return, the Pasco merchant who had a narrow escape from lynching as the result of his improper conduct toward little girls, was dismissed from the custody of the officers, according to reports reaching here from that town this morning.

He was arrested at North Yakima yesterday and brought back to Pasco last night. The confessions of a number of young girls, daughters for the most part of railroad men, involved him so that he would have had difficulty in clearing himself but the indignant citizens were prevailed upon to allow him to depart without prosecution providing he would never return. Milley has a wife and two daughters.

SPOKANE RATE DECISION WILL AID PENDELTON; ABOLISHES BACK HAUL CHARGES. That the decision of the interstate commerce commission in the Spokane-Reno Pacific coast rate case will be of benefit to Pendleton is the view of local business men.

"It is a step in the right direction and it will help us though to what extent it is hard to tell at present," says G. M. Rice, chairman of the transportation committee of the Commercial club.

"It is possible the decision may not be as effective in building up the interior jobbing business as some people suppose. Matters aside from freight rates enter into the upbuilding of the jobbing business. But I believe the decision should result in the establishment of more distributing houses in places such as Pendleton. It should also mean lower prices to the consumer for the reason that hereafter our merchants will not have to pay 'haul back' charges from Portland as in the past."

The Decision. For many years the railroads have

CHISHOLM MAY HAVE KILLED 16

Authorities Believe Many Women Were Murdered by Convicted Slayer.

HAD BEEN GUILTY OF CRIMINAL PRACTICE. Finding of Skeleton and Clothes on Mount Tamalpais May Aid Officers in Fastening Murder of Mina Bassi on Prisoner.

Santa Rosa, Cal., July 26.—By recent discoveries made by the authorities of this place, it is probable that a series of murders that will equal the H. H. Holmes affairs of Chicago several years ago, will be fastened upon "Doctor" L. C. Chisholm, who was recently convicted of the murder of John Powell.

Doctor Chisholm is suspected by the officers of criminal practices, in connection with his acquaintances of sixteen different women, several of whom have mysteriously disappeared and are believed to have been murdered by him.

One of the alleged crimes, that the authorities are more certain of fastening on Chisholm, is that of Mina Bassi, whom they believed was murdered on Mount Tamalpais, after being closely associated with Chisholm on a number of different occasions.

If the clothing that was found on the skeleton of the dead woman, can be identified as that of the young Bassi woman, District Attorney Boyd has announced that he will have Chisholm brought here, from the Polson prison, to stand trial and will leave no stone unturned in trying to secure a conviction and punishment of death.

Midshipmen Found. Christiania, Norway, July 26.—Gaston L. Homes and Charles L. Clifford, the two midshipmen of the American practice squadron who disappeared Thursday last, were found. They will be returned to their ships. The y will be returned to their ships in care of the police.

FRENCH OFFICER WINS \$50,000 AEROPLANE PRIZE. Brooklands, Eng., July 26.—After a most thrilling air race, Lieutenant Conneau of France, flying under the name of Andre Beaumont, today won the \$50,000 London Daily Mail prize for the great race around the British Isles.

Pierre Vendrine was second. He was just 54 minutes, 29 seconds behind Beaumont, whose total flying time was 22 hours and 28 minutes.

Until he reached Brighton, the leaders raced neck and neck through mists and a thunder storm. Beaumont had at one time a lead of nearly one hour and though Vendrine finished, he could not overcome the lead.

To Combat Race Prejudice. London, July 26.—Leading sociologists, educators, scientists, statesmen and scholars representatives of all races and of more than a score of civilizations met in London today in the first Universal Race Congress, which is designed to bring about closer relations between Occident and Orient, to hasten the movement toward international brotherhood and to combat that prejudice of race which sets white against black and yellow and divides humanity into warring nations.

Fight to Draw. Sacramento, July 26.—Monte Attell and Billie Reagan fought 20 rounds to a draw here last night.

George and the single tax, worked hard in the early days for the Australian ballot, and in his newspaper, the East Oregonian, strongly supported the referendum law. Mr. Jackson became a convert to pure democracy through reading his favorite author, Mark Twain, especially his "Connecticut Yankee," and it was quite natural, when he came to Portland in 1901, to establish a paper of his own that he should champion the popular cause. In those days Harvey W. Scott's paper the Oregonian, the leading newspaper on the Pacific coast, advocated the popular reforms, as the years have gone by, however, this paper has passed from a position of tolerance to one of open hostility and Mr. Jackson has come to the front as the leading journalistic spokesman of the democratic movement.

The story by Burton J. Hendrick is illustrated by a half tone cut of Mr. Jackson and with many Oregon views.

Paul Redetzke of Nolin, is a Pendleton visitor today.