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Work of Congress Explained By Fess

TARIFF AND TAX LEGISLATION ARE BUT PART OF GREAT TASK UN-DERTAKEN BY REPUBLICANS

construction problem in the history transacted. of the United States is told by Chair- Tariff legislation is designed to

defeat, by operating as the most ef- \$500,000,000. fective protection possible.

When the Republicans were returned to power, the Committee on Ways and Means at once, even before Harding was inaugurated, began the sooner it is enacted the sooner to hold hearings upon the question. business will settle. e emergency tariff act was brought this measure was reintroduced. It exchange, due largely to an almost was broadened somewhat so as to hopeless money inflation where gold protect our industries by aid of an as a basis has been abandoned for anti-dumping clause. It passed the mere paper, makes tariff legislation House April 15 and the Senate May upon a scientific basis almost im-11th in amended form. It was agreed possible. How to frame the law to to in conference and approved by protect our own industries from coun-President Harding May 27th.

worked upon the permanent tariff interfere with those countries in their bill, having submitted separate sched- struggle to get on their feet is new ules to subcommittees. After weeks in tariff legislation.

May. The House will open hearings soon after the tariff bill gets through the House. It is expected these hearings will be completed through the Loan Bank to extend longer credit House by the time the Senate completes its hearings on the tariff ques-

The success of any taxation system depends upon the business condition of the country. Where business is gress is working out the greatest re-largely upon the amount of business struction.

man Simeon D. Fess, of the National promote the business condition of the gles of this problem. Republican Congressional Commit- country. It looks to the protection tee, in a statement issued today. He policy that enables the fullest invest-

Logically it was decided that tariff in history. egislation should come first. (1) It would offer a basis for tax.

(2) It always interrupts business.

tries, like Germany, paying one-sixth In the meantime, the committee what we pay for labor, and still not

of the most continuous and arduous The draft of a bill containing near-labor the full committee has completed the final draft. The measure eral thousand items, nearly a thouswill require the most of July for its and of them never considered in any consideration in the House when it previous tariff measure since they will go to the Senate and be referred were developed here while the war to the Finance Committee, which will embargo was on, and many of these open hearings upon it. While this items involving acute differences, committee is conducting these hear- cannot be made without time to maings the Ways and Means Committee ture the draft. While the Ways and will take up the other pressing ques- Means Committee has been busy every day on this draft, the Congress

The chief and all-important ques- has been losing no time m its work tion for Congress is the revision of of reconstruction. Already it has enthe tax system. The Senate Finance acted a most salutary immigration act Committee conducted hearings on which became law May 19th; emergthis question during the month of ency tariff act which became law

came law June 10th, besides a deficiency appropriation act, the military appropriation act and the naval appropriation act. The latter two bills also took a decisive step in economy by reducing the Army to 150,-000, a tremendous reduction from Secretary Baker's recommendation for an Army of 576,000. The naval bill also wrote into law the request disarmament by seeking an agreement with the leading naval powers of the earth.

May 27th; a budget act which be-

The critical situation in Europe on the delay of definite determination of troubles that he went through. . . . crowd! They brought him flowers the German indemnity where France 1 knowed him fer nearly fifty year an honied words, an' some of us was threatening to enforce the treaty by a military invasion, Germany counseled discreet action to convince Germany that this country expected the vanquished to pay her obligations. This was not only to be inferred by our international conduct, but also our specific instructions to Europe. Peace declarations were some-

what delayed, due to some differences between the two houses of Congress upon the precise form it should take, but have now been passed.

building is enlarged, and a maintenance provision has been added.

Remedial legislation for the disabled in the war has been enacted, such as improved facilities for hospitalization and rehabilitation of invalided soldiers. The Sweet bill to reorganize and concentrate the agencies of soldier relief has passed the House. Remedial legislation on behalf of agriculture has been advanced through one branch of Congress.

and report on agricutural conditions. (2) The Farmers' Cooperative Association rights now in conference. (3) The regulation of the gamblng transactions in grain.

(4) The Packer bill now in con-(5) The authority of the Farm

for agriculture. Remedial legislation for industrial

rehabilitation:

(1) Transportation, Winslow bill (2) Telephone consolidation. Washington, July 18 .- How con- stagnant tax receipts fall off. The of the country to assist in the solu- pay her street car fare!

Washington representing various an- her!'-Richmond Dispatch.

The aggressive work of the Congressional Joint Commission created ment of American capital in the best for the purpose of reorganization of several large hams that had been is a great piece of impertinence on Tariff legislation absorbs the time employment of American labor, upon the government departments here in hanging in his barn loft. He sus- your part, to assume that the court of the session that enacts it. From a scale of wage to insure and main- Washington is an example of the pected that the thief did not live is listening to him."-Philadelphia the day of the passage of the Under- tain an American standard of living. manner in which the administration many miles away, but he made no diwood bill it was known that it would At the same time it provides revenue is dealing with the problems of re- rect charge against anyone; in fact, have to be repealed. Before the year for the expenses of the government, construction on the basis of economic ne refrained from mentioning his that saw its passage was ended, gen. The amount of revenue from this and efficient government service. loss to a single soul. A few days eral stagnation and paralysis of en- source under the present law was Readjustment is always difficult, but later his neighbor called. "Say, terprise was upon us. The European \$337,000,000 this year. Under the never so much so as today when we Judge," said the man. "I heard you War alone saved the sponsors from proposed law it should reach at least are correcting the evils of the worst had some hams stole the other spree of government disintegration night.

> Tillamook Milk Yield High Tillamook County Cow Testing as- know about it."-Watertown Times. sociation reports 1117 cows tested during June, with an average yield

As soon as these were completed (3) Tariff relief can begin at once, of 1031 pounds of milk and 44 tax relief will take effect next year, pounds of butterfat, according to rebefore the House and in due time This character of legislation is ports just received. This is the bandstand with this notice posted on passed the Senate. It was defeated more difficult than in any period of highest average yield of any asso-them: by a Presidential veto from Wilson, the past. The condition of Europe ciation in the state for the month. After the inauguration of Harding complicates the problem. Foreign according to E. B. Fitts of O. A. C. bandstand are for the use of ladies.

Uncle Johns Josh

MARY HAD A LITTLE SKIRT, THE LATEST STYLE NO DOUBT: BUT EVERY TIME SHE GOT INSIDE SHE WAS MORE THAN





that the country lead in the work of POST MORTEM THOUGHTS that it wouldn't matter of he was The other day, old Bill Hicks died, as anybody might do. They say

a pleasant word. . . .

feel, as I watched him from day to day,-that he was a sort of a surplus here, an' mightily in the way. . . An' I half surmised, from his weary look, an' the sadness about his face,

cow was "Jewel," a grade Guernsey, time I argy wi' him."-American Leowned by P. G. Sharks, which produ- gion Weekly. ced 1599 pounds of milk and 97.54 The system of federal aid to roadpounds of butterfat.

The highest average production for an entire herd was 1302 pounds of milk and 61.41 pounds of butterfat, made by a grade Jersey herd, owned by Clyde Kinneman. The individual cow and herd averages

There are 48 members in the association, 47 of whom have registered dairy sires at the head of their herds. (1) Commission to investigate of the herds during the month, 7 a civil case tried in a Wyoming court. Five inferior cows were weeded out

SMILE AWHILE

THE CHOICE.

'Fifty dollars a week!' the old man snorted.

'You've got a nerve, talking about marrying my daughter on fitty dol-

CONFESSION.

W. J. Bryan's father once missed

'Yes," replied the Judge very confidentially, "but don't tell anyone. You and I are the only ones who

A PLEASANT RULE. In a large park in one of the eastern cities there are seats about the

"The seats in the vicinity of the in charge of the work. The high Gentlemen should make use of them only after the former are seated." Imerican Legion Weekly.

FLIGHTY.

Pat had been heatedly debating polatics with Mike. Pat stepped outside the boiler room to deposit his quid. Suddenly there was a terrific explosion and Mike disappeared through the roof.

"Poor Mike!" ruminated Pat, sticking his head back into the room. He alwuz flies up into the air every

took, and sent to some other place.

But-we buried old Bill the other our loss was old Bill's gain, from the day, an' you ort to have saw the an' so fur as I ever heard, nobody lent him a belon' hand or give him. lent him a helpin' hand, or give him derin' about it still,—that none of us l've often thought that Bill might we loved old Bill!



SATISFACTORY.

"How about that fifty you owe "By Jove, you know-I haven't

the money or a check with me. I'll make a note of it, though. are also the highest made in any Ore- at eight per cent."—American Legion Weekly.

IMPERTINENT.

registered cows and heifers were It was an appeal case and on one purchased, and one registered bull. side was a testy lawyer and on the other a number of inexperienced attorneys. The arguments on both sides had been heard and the case closed for judgment.

Suddenly one of the inexperienced lawyers got up and addressed the court once more. The testy lawyer stood it for a moment, but losing patience, he also rose and addressed the court in this wise:

"Your honor, I would beg with all (3) Mobilizing the business talent lars a week! Wny, that wouldn't respect to point out to the court that my learned friend opposite is entire-"Humph!" grunted the Young ly out of order in addressing the Chump. "If she doesn't hang around court, and if I may be permitted to (4) Various conferences held in nome any more n that, I can't use say so, the court has no right to be listening to him."

The court, who at that time was writing, put his head out in a belligerent way and said: "Mr. Smith, it

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Editorial

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you as a neighbor and HE CARES. He cares enough for you and your trade that he goes to the trouble and expense of telling you about his goods and his bargains. He

his goods and his bargains. He cares enough to carefully show you his goods. He gives you a choice among many; if you don't like one article, he shows you another until you are pleased. Trade at home and you get service, choice quality, and as good prices. Trade at home and your money helps your town—which is only another word for saying that you help to make your own property or your own job better,





