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man always, under the very motive stated by Mr. Bailey, agree that each of them shall be protected and that they will get protection for both at the selling end and so, after they give the wool man 11 cents per pound on his wool, they give the cloth man, first, 44 cents per pound on his cloth to compensate him, and then 60 per cent ad valorem for his own protection. The wool man not only always has and always will, but he absolutely must join the manufacturer in demanding a duty on cloth and no wool man will ever join Mr. Bailey in asking to take off either the compensatory or the added duty from the cloth.

### Bailey and Hides

Even Mr. Bailey proposes a duty of 10 per cent on hides with a duty of 10 per cent on leather and shoes and in doing so proposes a more than compensatory duty to the manufacturer.

Let me show you. Suppose the American shoe man buys and puts into his shoe 30 cents, at foreign price, of hides. He pays the hide tax, 10 per cent, or 3 cents, and he puts in with it 70 cents worth of labor to make the shoe. The shoe has cost him \$1.03. The Englishman bought the same hide at 30 cents, paid no tax and put in with it 70 cents labor. The shoe has cost him \$1. Mr. Bailey's law would then levy a tariff of 10 per cent upon the total English cost of the shoe, so that when he collected his tribute from the consumer the American shoe man would collect from him, first, the 3 cents tax he paid on the hide and then 7 cents production on his labor, which would give him just the same degree of protection given on the hide. But it would result in the consumer being out 10 cents, while the government received only 3 cents. If you had taken that duty off of the hide and reduced the duty on the shoe to 3 per cent, you would have gotten the same revenue and the consumer have paid 7 cents less.

But if revenue and not protection is what you want, let us take Mr. Bailey's democratic law—10 per cent duty on hides and 10 per cent on shoes—further. Now suppose there were raised \$2,100,000 net revenue on imported hides of which to make shoes, giving the hide percentage and the labor percentage of value in the finished shoe at 30 per cent hide and 70 per cent labor, under Mr. Bailey's law to raise \$2,100,000 revenue on hides for shoes to be made and sold here, you would import \$21,000,000 worth of hides, foreign price, and the shoe man would pay that \$2,100,000 duty into the treasury. He would then put in labor 70 per cent of the total foreign cost of the shoe. The total foreign cost of the shoes would be \$21,000,000 hides, plus \$49,000,000 labor; total \$70,000,000. On this sum Mr. Bailey's law would give 10 per cent, or \$7,000,000 protection to the American shoe man to be paid by the home consumer. Thus the treasury would receive \$2,100,000 and the consumer bear \$7,000,000 burden. If hides had been free you could have raised the same revenue by a duty of exactly 3 per cent on the imported shoes. And so every duty on raw material actually costs the consumer two to five times what it would had it been levied on the finished product.

### Bryan's Contention

Now that is so plain that a way-faring man, though a fool, if he is trying to lessen the burdens of the consumer, can see it, and it establishes Mr Bryan's contention that the cheapest tax you can levy on the consumer is the tax on the product at its last stage before it reaches the consumer.

The question of free raw material, however, is wider than wool and cloth and hides and shoes and iron

ore and steel. What's the matter with the American flag-on the ocean? Nothing; only it's a free finished product with a taxed raw material, and it flies or floats no more. You can't build ships for the ocean—free ships—out of taxed iron and steel. Republicans and protection democrats will not take the tax off of the raw materials of ships, but would float the flag by subsidies larger than all the tax we get from iron and steel and all their products. With free iron ore, God's gift and blessing, which we ought to be willing to receive; free iron and steel, which we do make at less cost than anybody on earth, and free ships, our keels will plow all seas, our vessels cast anchor in all ports and our flag wave by the side of England's before all peoples.

But there is one statement of Mr. Bailey's I do believe. He says: "It is plain that we have reached a point (Continued on Page 13)"

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