

PRESIDENT WILSON SIGNS THE TARIFF REVISION MEASURE

Administration Leaders Are Invited to the White House to Witness the Ceremony.

FINAL TOUCHES IN THE HOUSE

Cotton Tax Futures Provision Feature Formally Dropped.

GREAT PARLIAMENTARY TANGLE

Speaker Clark Overrules All Points of Order Raised.

BILL RETURNED TO THE SENATE

Vice President Marshall Signs It at 1:34 and It Is Sent to White House, Where It Arrives at Half Past Two.

BULLETIN.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 3.—Surrounded by the leaders of a united democracy, President Wilson signed the Underwood-Simmons tariff bill at 9 o'clock tonight at the White House. Simultaneously telegrams were sent to customs collectors throughout the country by the Treasury department putting into actual operation the first democratic tariff revision since 1894.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The house agreed to the tariff bill conference report at 1:32 o'clock today, constituting the final action of that body on the tariff bill. Speaker Clark overruled all points of order made by members, who contended that further action by the house was not necessary.

Speaker Clark immediately afterward signed the bill, affixing his signature at 1:32 o'clock. Cheers and applause greeted the final action of the house. The completed bill was sent to its way to the senate for the signature of the vice president, when it will be ready for transmission to the White House, where the president will sign it at 9 o'clock tonight. Vice President Marshall signed the bill at 1:34 o'clock.

Parliamentary Tangle Eases.
Parliamentary leaders of the house divided over the course to be pursued with the tariff bill as soon as the conference report was received from the senate at noon. Mr. Underwood, following the plan agreed on yesterday, moved that the house recede from the Smith-Lever amendment since the senate had voluntarily given up the Clarke amendment.

Representative Hinds, republican, and former parliamentary clerk, and others said the house had nothing to act upon and should not act a precedent that might prove troublesome.

Representative Crisp of Georgia, also a former parliamentary clerk of the house, upheld Mr. Underwood, as did the majority of the democrats. Underwood and Crisp insisted that the Smith-Lever amendment still remained to be acted on, while Representatives Hinds, Shorley and Fitzgerald held that by receding from the Clarke amendment, the senate had carried the whole subject out of the tariff bill.

Speaker Clark held that unless the house receded from the compromise Smith-Lever amendment as the senate did, the two branches of congress would not be in accord.

Mr. Underwood's motion to recede from the cotton futures amendment was then carried without a roll call, and with practically no negative votes.

"This bill is of too vast importance for the house not to clear up any questions of procedure," said Speaker Clark. "The measure must be put in such shape that skilled lawyers cannot pick flaws in it."

This position was endorsed by Representative Payne, republican leader.

Joseph W. Folk, solicitor of the State department, in a letter to Senator Simmons, has furnished list of countries under treaty with the United States, which would be affected if the United States enforced the provision giving a 5 per cent rebate in tariff on goods brought in American ships. Congress has amended the bill, however, so that countries now bound by treaty provision

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The Weather

Forecast till 7 p. m. Saturday:
For Omaha: Clear, bluffs and vicinity. Unsettled and cooler.
Temperatures at Omaha Yesterday:
5 a. m. 60
6 a. m. 60
7 a. m. 60
8 a. m. 60
9 a. m. 60
10 a. m. 60
11 a. m. 60
12 m. 60
1 p. m. 60
2 p. m. 60
3 p. m. 60
4 p. m. 60
5 p. m. 60
6 p. m. 60
7 p. m. 60
8 p. m. 60
9 p. m. 60
10 p. m. 60
11 p. m. 60
12 m. 60
Comparative Local Records:
1912-1913-1911-1910
Highest yesterday 74 73 76 68
Lowest yesterday 48 47 49 41
Mean temperature 72 72 72 67
Precipitation .00 .00 .00 .00
Temperature and precipitation departures from normal:
Normal temperature 69
Excess for the day .00
Total rainfall .00
Normal precipitation .00
Deficiency for the day .00
Total rainfall since March 1.89 inches
Deficiency since March 1.89 inches
Deficiency for year period, 1912-13 3.16 inches
Deficiency for year period, 1911-12 1.13 inches
Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.
Station and State Temp. High-Rain-
of Weather. 7 p. m. est. fall.
Cheyenne, Wyo. 70 70 .00
Davenport, clear. 68 70 .00
Denver, cloudy. 60 74 .00
Des Moines, clear. 70 72 .00
Dodge City, clear. 68 70 .00
Lander, cloudy. 60 70 .00
North Platte, clear. 74 86 .00
Omaha, clear. 72 72 .00
Pueblo, cloudy. 68 78 .00
Rapid City, cloudy. 68 70 .00
Salt Lake City, clear. 62 72 .00
Santa Fe, rain. 54 64 1.15
Sheridan, cloudy. 50 58 .00
Sioux City, clear. 72 72 .00
Valentine, clear. 72 86 .00
T indicates trace of precipitation.
L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

PROMINENT EASTERNER WHO SPOKE AT COMMERCIAL CLUB.



John J. Fitzgerald
Mayor of Boston

FROM NEWSBOY TO A MAYOR

Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston Says East Now Respects the West.

REMAINS OVER FOR THE BALL

Accompanied by His Two Daughters He Spends the Day Looking Over the Gate City of the West.

Accompanied by his daughters, Misses Rose and Agnes, both young women, Mayor John F. Fitzgerald of Boston arrived in the city at an early hour yesterday and did not have a minute to himself.

The mayor was met by Mayor Dahlman, city commissioner Butler, city clerk Flynn, Dr. H. M. Fitzgibbon and R. L. Carter and escorted to the Henshaw, where he breakfasted, his daughters being taken to the home of R. L. Carter, where they were the guests of Mrs. Carter during the day, she being an old friend of the Fitzgerald family and having formerly lived in Boston.

After breakfast Mayor Fitzgerald was driven about the city and at noon delivered an address at the Commercial club, where a reception was held. During the afternoon it was planned to give him another ride about the city to Florence and South Omaha. He and his daughters had intended to leave the city in the evening, but the mayor was prevailed to remain over and be the city's guest at the coronation ball this evening. At this function he will be accompanied by his daughters and the party will leave at 11:30 o'clock tonight, on route to Racine, Wis., where the mayor is scheduled to deliver an address tomorrow night on civic matters.

Starts as Newsboy.
Mayor Fitzgerald is a rapid-fire talker and better city government is his one hobby. Starting life as a Boston newsboy he had a hard struggle, but he did not remain a newsboy. Shortly after reaching his majority, in 1872, he was elected a member of the Boston city council and in 1883 a member of the state senate, becoming a member of congress and mayor in 1896, to be re-elected, in 1910, running each time on the democratic ticket, and that in a city that is strongly republican.

While he denies it, the mayor of Boston is said to have a reputation as an orator and a man who has made a study of city affairs. As a result he is in demand all over the country. While at his hotel he received an invitation from the mayor, council and Commercial club of Denver inviting him to that city to address a public meeting there. Owing to his limited time he was compelled to decline the invitation.

Country All Right.

Mayor Fitzgerald is of the opinion that there is nothing wrong with the country, and in making his trip he says that on every hand there are evidences of prosperity and evidences of a continuance of good times. In the east conditions are practically the same and no possibility of any change unless it is brought about by a concerted effort upon the part of those who demoralize the trade of the United States and its institutions by seeking to bring on a panic.

The revision of the tariff Mayor Fitzgerald believes will bring about an unprecedented era of prosperity. He takes the position that goods and wares in America can be manufactured as cheaply as in any other country in the world and that on account of their superiority they will go into foreign markets that at the present time are unknown to American manufacturers.

In the east, says Mayor Fitzgerald, people have a very high opinion of the west and the central west, looking upon it as a section peopled by the best citizens of the United States, besides being the bread basket of the world and a section from which comes about all the necessities that supply the table.

Roger Sullivan is Candidate for Senate

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 3.—Announcement of the candidacy of Roger Sullivan, democratic "boss" of Illinois for the United States senate will be made soon, probably at the state fair at Springfield next week. Mr. Sullivan is said to have disposed of his interests in a public utility company and at present is a manufacturer of biscuits.

MRS. REUTER FOUND GUILTY OF MURDERING HUSBAND

BARTLESVILLE, Okla., Oct. 2.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Laura M. Reuter, charged with murdering her husband, a prominent attorney of Tulsa, Okla., last year, returned a verdict of guilty today and recommended life imprisonment.

SCHMIDT IS HELD FOR GIRL'S MURDER

New York Priest is Formally Charged with Killing of Anna Aumuller.

PRISONER DISPOSED OF

Takes Rosario to Prison, Fearing it Will Be a Snare.

THROWS IT AT THE REPORTERS

Jury Finds Clergyman Responsible for Woman's Death.

WHITMAN SURE HE IS SANE

District Attorney's Opinion Based on Conclusions of Four Alienists Examining Slayer in Tombs.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Hans Schmidt, who murdered Anna Aumuller, became frenzied today at the coroner's inquest into the death of his victim, rose from his seat, ripped from his neck the rosary he had worn ever since his incarceration, tore it into many bits and hurled them at the newspaper reporters sitting half a dozen feet away. The jury found him responsible for the girl's death.

District Attorney Whitman expressed the positive conviction today that Hans Schmidt is sane. Schmidt will be placed on trial for the murder of Anna Aumuller, whom he slew as she slept, dismembered and sank in the Hudson river on September 1 last.

Mr. Whitman's opinion, it is understood, is based on the conclusions of the four alienists who have examined Schmidt in the Tombs at Mr. Whitman's behest. Their formal report will be made soon.

Schmidt's outburst of temper occurred in the presence of a jury of millionaires empaneled to conduct the inquest. The verdict was quickly found. It follows: "We, the jury, believe that Anna Aumuller came to her death on September 1, 1912, at No. 8 Broadway avenue, at the hands of Hans Schmidt."

Schmidt was remanded to the Tombs without bail to await the action of the grand jury.

Theodore P. Shonts, president of the Interborough Rapid Transit company, was foreman of the jury. His fellow jurors included Vincent Astor, E. J. Greenhut, merchant; Mortimer Regensberg, cigar manufacturer, and E. S. Marston, banker.

During the examination of witnesses not a trace of emotion crossed Schmidt's face, but Coroner Fienberg's charge seemed to lash the prisoner into a sudden temper of fury. Jumping to his feet, his eyes blazing and his lips moving, Schmidt tore the rosary from his neck with a single sweep of his arms and before the detectives could restrain him, he hurled it into many parts and hurled them at the newspaper men.

Girl Identifies Torso.

The torso of the victim viewed by the jury was identified by Anna Hirt, who roomed with the Aumuller girl at the parish house of St. Boniface's church. Detectives, the physician who made the autopsy and Inspector Faurot, to whom Schmidt confessed, testified. Faurot detailed in a hundred words or less the substance of the confession.

Prosecutor Attacks Charters of Social Clubs in St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 3.—Circuit Attorney Harvey today opened what he called a "war of extermination against 'hid' clubs" in St. Louis by filing quo warranto proceedings against the St. Louis club, the Missouri Athletic club and the Brewery Workers' association of Missouri to compel them to show why their charters should not be revoked.

The proceedings are brought on the allegation that the defendant organizations have been selling intoxicants without a state license.

The St. Louis club is a social organization of wealthy St. Louisans and the Missouri Athletic club is a social and athletic club combined.

Since the Sunday and 1 o'clock closing laws have been enforced in St. Louis, numerous so-called "hid clubs" have sprung up in the city. These clubs have attacked in the courts have sought refuge under a supreme court decision of 1890 holding that the St. Louis club was not a dram shop within the meaning of the law.

Circuit Attorney Harvey said he had advised several wealthy members of various clubs to have their organizations take out dram shop licenses, but they declined on the ground that they did not care to be classed as saloonkeepers.

King Ak-Sar-Ben XIX and His Queen Consort



Charles E. Black Elizabeth Congdon

IMMUNITY GIVEN HENNING

Man in Funk Blackmail Case Names the Principals.

GRAND JURY WILL INDICT

Says Plot Was Concealed After Millionaire Testified in Lorimer Case—Well Supplied with Money by Conspirators.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Indictment of the man "higher up" in the alleged plot to blacken the reputation of Clarence S. Funk, former general manager of the International Harvester company, was promised by the state's attorney's office today. Grand jury action, it was said, would follow testimony of John C. Henning, who has been promised immunity in return for his testimony against those who framed the alleged plot.

Henning confessed yesterday that his unsuccessful suit against Funk, charging alienation of the affections of Mrs. Henning, was the result of a plot concocted after Funk had appeared before the senate investigating committee as an anti-Lorimer witness.

State's Attorney Hoyne planned a first interview with Henning in the presence of counsel for Funk today. In his confession Henning said that during the year he had been a fugitive from trial on a charge of perjury, he had been "liberally supplied with money."

Mrs. Henning confessed to her share in the alleged conspiracy some months ago. She was employed as a checker at a prominent local hotel where Henning was a bell boy.

Henning corroborated the confession of his wife, which resulted in the indictment of Attorney Daniel Donohue, a witness, and Isaac Steffel, a detective.

Henning confessed, according to the state's attorney, that Mr. Funk had been singled out because of testimony he gave in the Lorimer case.

Portrait of the Queen in her royal robes, portraits of the special maids of honor— a picture of them in costume —description of the gowns worn by the ladies at the ball, and a full list of names of the retinue of Ak-Sar-Ben XIX will be found on pages 5, 8 and 9 of this issue of The Bee.

Next Move in Davis Case Use to Be Made of Confession is Not Determined.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—What use will be made of the startling confession of George E. Davis, union iron worker and dynamiter, depends largely on the outcome of the cases of Frank M. Ryan and other officers of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers—now on appeal in the federal courts.

Walter Drew, counsel for the National Erectors' Association, whose plaintiff resulted in the arrest of Davis here, said today that if Ryan and his associates gained a new trial, Davis' revelations would be the government's most formidable weapon. Drew intimated that the arrest of Davis and of Harry Jones, secretary and treasurer of the iron workers' union, did not end the task of the erectors' association.

May Be No Prosecution If Officials of Iron Workers Are Given New Trial This New Evi- dence Will Be In- troduced.

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AK-SAR-BEN XIX, MAJESTIC RULER, RECEIVES CROWN

Magnificent Ceremony Marks Coronation of King and Queen of Ak-Sar-Ben.

BALL FOLLOWS THE CORONATION

Brave Men and Fair Women Dance in Honor of Occasion.

CHARLES E. BLACK IS THE KING

Popular Worker in Realm of Ak-Sar-Ben Honored by Associates.

ELIZABETH CONGDON IS QUEEN

Selection of These Two Meets with Popular Approval.

AFFAIR IS BRILLIANT SUCCESS

Gorgeous Gowns and Jewels Help Set Off the Splendor of the King's Castle, Where the Ceremony is Held.

The king has taken the oath. Ak-Sar-Ben the nineteenth, ruler of the present dynasty of Quivera, is on the throne. Heated by 120 of his selected knights, the bravest in the realm, the two high priests, the governors and select representatives of all the wealth, power and beauty of the prosperous realm he was borne in a luxurious litter to his magnificent throne at his royal castle, known to the populace as the Den, at 9 o'clock last night. The expectancy and anticipation that has been troubling the breasts of the loyal subjects for months, as to who was to ascend the throne this year, is no more the morning. For the identity of the new king was revealed when he ascended the throne.

Charles Black is the new King Ak-Sar-Ben XIX. Miss Elizabeth Congdon is his gracious consort.

Charlie Replenished.
The coronation and ball and the ascending of the king to the throne were magnificent. The great castle was decorated in the most fitting manner for a coronation occasion. Every wall and every corner, even to the great and mighty dome hung heavy with rare and costly hangings, festoons of green and white flowers.

Into these gala surroundings promissory at 9 o'clock, stepped a magnificent body of 120 of the bravest knights of the realm, accompanied by a chorus of trumpets. Entering the hall from the southeast this body of loyal heroes marched forward straight through the center of the great castle toward the luxurious throne on the elevation at the north. Dividing there they marched back and seated themselves at either side of the spacious hall.

The band opened with fitting music and the two high priests entered. Following down the great corridor as did the knights they seated at the luxurious throne on each side of the rostrum, taking their places on either side of the throne.

The King Came.
No sooner had they taken their places than the runner dashed into the hall, like the fleet-footed Mercury of Grecian glory, he raced into the hall, swinging easily and swiftly with the true Grecian stride. Leaping upon the rostrum he prostrated himself before the high priests at the throne and announced the coming of the king.

Following then came the governors. Marching up the corridor they took their places, six on either side of the throne. Expectancy was at the highest pitch, for the king was close at hand. Once more was the multitude doomed to disappointment. Instead of the king, appeared the king's guard in their armor. The suspense was now not long delayed, for ten feet behind the guard came six powerful subjects, the litter carriers, bearing the heavily robed and curtained litter in which rode the king himself.

With due solemnity they bore the litter forward. As they neared the rostrum and through the multitude was breathing in anticipation of seeing his majesty alight. Reaching the rostrum, the litter bearers deposited the front of the litter on the rostrum. Instantly the high priest, Daniel B. Butler, stepped out to greet him. The king stepped majestically from the litter and was led to the throne by the high priest amid the cheers of the multitude.

The high priest then administered the oath, and Ak-Sar-Ben XIX was made the new king of a most prosperous and glorious dynasty for the realm of Quivera.

Immediately the royal princesses and duchesses entered in a whirl of merry

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Big Barn on Mark Morton Farm Burned

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Oct. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—The mammoth barn on the stock farm of Mark Morton, north of this city, was burned this morning, with its contents, ten head of horses, grain, hay and other things. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is estimated at \$10,000, with no insurance.