

# THE TARIFF TO WAIT

New Philippine Schedule Probably Withheld Until Insular Cases Are Decided.

## A CHANGE MAY BE UNNECESSARY.

Work of Adjustment Progresses, However, Without Interruption—Several Revisions Advised—The Clause that Dairymen Ask For.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—It is not likely that the new Philippine tariff will be promulgated until after the decision of the supreme court in the insular case. It is stated at the War department, where the matter has received consideration, that this decision may make it unnecessary for the government to establish a system of tariff rates in the Philippines, although the department has proceeded with the work of equalizing the rates and receiving and considering suggestions, as though the coming decision would not make any change in the present conditions.

Some months ago the War department published the tariff as prepared by the tariff experts in the Philippines and approved by the Taft commission. Interested parties, especially manufacturers and shippers, were invited to examine this proposed tariff and make suggestions and criticisms. It is interesting to note that of the 419 paragraphs in the proposed tariff only 23 paragraphs have provoked criticism or suggestion. Even these are in a mild tone and nearly all take the form of suggestion. Some of the more important suggestions are embodied in the following:

It is suggested that there will be difficulty in making duties specific and that in many cases perhaps ad valorem duties will be better. There are some objections to the metric system, as American goods are in yard folds and European goods are in metric folds. If the yard folds are continued it would be better for the American manufacturers.

The Manila Chamber of Commerce asks that four months intervene between the promulgation of the tariff and its enforcement. No provision is made for marking oleomargarine to distinguish it from butter. The dairy interests think such a provision desirable. A lower rate is asked for gasoline to be used for fuel and for launches. An ad valorem duty is advised upon precious stones and watches. One firm suggests that copper and oxide should be upon the free list.

It is claimed that cotton yarn should not be admitted at a lower rate than fabrics woven from such yarn, also that the weight and washing of cotton tissues should be changed in the interest of the coarser cotton fabrics. There has been quite an extensive discussion of this subject and it has been pointed out that the changes in the Cuban tariff also were needed in this particular.

The free entry of "news" print paper is advocated. Reductions are asked from 20 to 40 per cent on harness and saddle makers' wares. It is suggested that cheap and expensive machinery should not pay the same rates. Certain typewriter firms want the duty on their machines reduced.

A change is asked in the classification of meat products. It is said that the duty on alcohol should be doubled or manufacturers of whisky will be able to use the alcohol for making whisky at much less than the distilled product.

### Sheriff Will Starve Them.

LONDON, Ky., April 22.—The latest news from Letcher county reached London tonight. It is that the Reynolds crowd has increased until they now number twenty-eight men; that they are fortified in a brick house on the head of Millstone creek; that the sheriff has them surrounded with a posse of sixty men, some of them coming from the Virginia side, and that they refuse to surrender unless they can dictate terms, which means bail of their own making. It is said there is no way by which they can escape, and the sheriff says he will starve them into a surrender.

### News From Lord Kitchener.

LONDON, April 22.—The war office has received a dispatch from Lord Kitchener, reporting that since April 18 the various British commanders have taken eighty-one prisoners, together with 100,000 rounds of ammunition and many horses, cattle and wagons. Lord Kitchener reports also the surrender of twenty Boers since that date.

### Costs Pennsylvania Much Loss.

PITTSBURGH, April 22.—The most widespread and destructive storm, from a material point of view, has passed. It has left a zone of ruin 200 miles in diameter. Electric plants or their wires are damaged and the gas in the mains is generally turned off, so half a million or more people are tonight groping in darkness. A rail-roader caught in a wreck caused by a landslide and death of an old woman from shock are the only fatalities.

## REPULSED BY THE BOXERS.

Gen. Reid's Punjab Infantry Encounters Stronger Force Than Anticipated.

PEKIN, April 22.—Brigadier General A. F. Reid, commanding the Third brigade of the India Imperial Service troops in China, who is now at Shan Hai Kwan, sent a company of Punjab infantry to disperse a band of robbers in the neighborhood of Fu Ning.

A force of Boxers and robbers, more than 1,000 strong, attacked the Indian troops, killing Major Browning and one Sepoy and wounding others. The company retreated to Fu Ning. Reinforcements have been sent from Shan Hai Kwan. The Boxers are apparently well armed with modern rifles. PAO TING FU, Saturday, April 20.—This city has been for the last few days a big French military camp. It is now estimated that 8,000 French troops and 6,000 Germans will form the entire force when all the reinforcements have arrived. There is no truth in the current reports concerning severe fighting between the outposts and the Chinese.

Three men left yesterday under escort to convey Emperor Kwang Hsu's first order to General Liu to retire immediately into the province of Shan Si. Prince Ching and other Chinese officials say the Chinese general has already retired, but their confirmations or denials are considered very unreliable.

## POSTPONES EXAMINATIONS.

Civil Service Commission Defers Date for Testing Applicants.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 22.—The civil service commission announces that the examination advertised for April 23, 1901, for the position of department assistant in the Philippine service, has been postponed to June 3 and 4, and that this examination will be held in any city in the United States where postal free delivery has been established. Competitors in the examination in addition to taking the regular examination required for this position also may take one or more of certain optional subjects, for which due credit will be given.

Particular attention is called to the fact that within a few months it is probable that a number of financial agents will be needed. These agents will be selected for this examination and the selections will be confined as far as practicable to those who have shown proficiency in the optional subjects of bookkeeping and finance and who have passed the regular examination. The salary of the position of financial agent will be about \$2,000 per annum. The entrance salary of the position of department assistant will not be less than \$1,200 per annum.

## KOREA DECIDES TO BORROW.

Would Be Pleased to Secure Five Million Yen From France.

Yokohama, April 22.—The Korean government, according to advices just received from Seoul, the capital of Korea, has decided to borrow from France 5,000,000 yen for the purpose of constructing the Northern railway from Seoul to Wikkui. It is asserted that it was objected to pledging the Korean customs for security of this loan, which created a desire in certain quarters for the dismissal of Mr. McLeavy Brown, the director general of Korean customs.

According to the same advice, Vice Admiral Seymour and Sir Claude M. MacDonald, British minister to Japan, have arrived at Chempo, Korea, on board the British cruiser Powerful, and it is said they will have an audience with Emperor Yi Yiung.

## Pioneer Salmon Packer Dead.

BERKELEY, Cal., April 22.—Joseph Hume, the pioneer salmon packer of the Pacific coast, is dead. Death was due to heart disease. Mr. Hume established the first salmon cannery on the Columbia river in 1874. In 1896 his business interests were transferred to Alaska.

## Democratic Leader Dead.

DOVER, Del., April 22.—Former Congressman J. C. Stockley, a picturesque figure in Delaware politics and a former democratic leader, died last evening after a long illness at his home in Georgetown.

## Snowslide's Fatal Sweep.

TELLURIDE, Colo., April 22.—This afternoon a snowslide carried away the bunk and boarding house of the Alta mine near here. Richard Penegast, the cook, lost his life.

Germany, the United States, Great Britain and Spain have refused the Venezuelan courts as fit tribunals to adjudicate claims involving the rights of foreigners.

## Free Bunks at Encampment.

CLEVELAND, April 22.—Col. James Hayr, chairman of the Grand Army standing committee on free quarters, announced today that he and his colleagues of the committee had secured secured free quarters in schoolhouses and halls for 27,000 veterans at the encampment here September 9 to 14 next. Colonel Hayr is now ready to receive applications for free quarters. He invites the same at the earliest possible date and promises good care.

## Stamp Counterfeiter's Baffled.

"For more than a year past," says the Philadelphia Record, "the treasury department has been defrauded of thousands of dollars by the washing of canceled revenue stamps. Those engaged in the business have secured canceled stamps of all denominations, washed them clean, reinked them and sold them. Now, however, the treasury chemists have found an olive gray ink for the stamp itself which will fade away if any attempt shall be made to wash out the cancellation mark. Unfortunately, it has proved impossible to blend this fugitive ink with any chemical producing an agreeable color, and beauty has, therefore, been sacrificed to safety. The design of the battleship Maine will be retained."

Take Garfield Tea for constipation; it has this to recommend it: it is made from health-giving herbs and it surely cures.

## Australia's Capital.

There is every probability that early in next year the site of the Australian federal capital will be decided and competitive plans for laying it out invited. The idea is that it should be one of the finest cities of its kind in the world, enjoying a salubrious climate and possessing beautiful surroundings. Only the public buildings will be constructed at the cost of the commonwealth, all others being left to private enterprise.

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## Spring Cleaning Made Easy.

Much of the terror of Spring Cleaning may be avoided by good management. Settled weather should be selected for the work, and every thing necessary provided before hand. Ivory Soap will be found best for washing paints, doors and windows; it is harmless and very effective in making the house clean and fresh.

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