

Governor Kitchin Replies To Three Of His Critics

Refuting Charges That He Has Cooled Down on Trust Question Since Election, He Invites Daniels to Review his Record.

Denies Positively Several Statements Made by Critics in News and Observer And Declares he Has Done All Against Trusts That he Could

Special to Sunday News. Raleigh, N. C., July 22.—Governor Kitchin issued today his expected reply to the attacks made on him in the Raleigh morning paper through the M. L. Misenheimer-J. A. Lockhart letter and the editorial of Editor Joseph Daniels' impeaching the sincerity of the governor in his anti-trust professions as contradicted by his course since he has been governor.

His Statement. I have this to say in reply to the recent attack of yourself and Messrs. Misenheimer and Lockhart, which is in accord with other unfair attacks on your part.

When the legislature of 1909 met I was hopeful that a thorough anti-trust bill would pass. After learning the sentiment of the senate, I became thoroughly satisfied that it was impossible to get any trust measure through the senate beyond the requirements of the platform.

Conferees With Lockhart. A short time thereafter, Senator Lockhart, upon my request, came to see me with Senator Nimocks to talk over the situation—the only conference I ever had with these two gentlemen.

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MOTHER AND BABE KILLED BY LIGHTNING. Decatur, Ala., July 22.—A Mrs. Harmon and her year-old baby were killed by lightning this morning at Pleasant Hill, a village near here. J. H. Holmes was badly shocked. Several head of stock were killed.

MASS OF BONES IS RECOVERED FROM MAINE. Havana, July 22.—A mass of bones, supposed to represent six or seven members of the crew of the battleship Maine, were found today beneath the wreckage on the central superstructure near the inverted conning tower.

DURHAM MAN KILLS SELF WITH RAZOR. Durham, N. C., July 22.—John Alexander Vickers, a member of a well known Durham family, committed suicide this afternoon by cutting his throat with a razor.

CONDITION OF JOHN W. GATES. Paris, July 22.—The oppressive heat of the past few days, together with the rumbling noise from the trains in the underground railway which runs by the hotel Maurice, have deprived John W. Gates, the American millionaire, of much needed sleep and have tended to the bettering of his general condition.

Wall Paper Men Plead Not Guilty. Cleveland, O., July 22.—J. B. Pearce of this city, president of the J. B. Pearce Wall Paper Company, Norton Newcomb, of St. Louis, president of the Newcomb Brothers Wall Paper Company, and E. E. Maxwell, of Chicago, general manager of S. A. Maxwell & Co., charged by the government with maintaining a wall paper trust, appeared in the United States district court today and pleaded not guilty.

Detective Burns Reaches Indianapolis. Indianapolis, Ind., July 22.—W. J. Burns, returned here from Europe today and appeared in court to answer to four grand jury indictments on charges of kidnaping John J. McNamara. Burns waived arraignment on a plea of not guilty and gave bond by a surety company for \$2,500 on each indictment. Judge Markey said he would set the case for trial in September or October.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED. St. Louis, July 22.—Charles J. Dolan, the young Irish nationalist and philanthropist, journeyed to St. Louis from Dublin to study the shoe manufacturing business, but he gained, in addition, Miss Katherine Louise Kenney, daughter of Mrs. Louise Kenney. Formal announcement of the engagement was made today.



BRING HIM IN

Coroner's Jury Holds Henry C. Beattie, Jr. For Wife Murder

Great Excitement Follows Announcement of This Verdict. Police Do all in Their Power to Forestall Any Attempt at Mob Violence—Miss Binford and Paul Beattie Also Sent to Jail.

Woman in the Case Faints When She Hears Verdict—Her Sensational Testimony—Alleged Wife Slayer is Coaled Throughout Inquest.

The Jury's Verdict. The coroner's jury verdict follows: "We, the gentlemen of the jury, selected by the coroner on July 19, 1911, and duly sworn on view of the body of Mrs. Louise Owen B. Beattie, to inquire when, where and by what means the said Louise Owen B. Beattie came to her death on the night of July 18, 1911, between 1:45 and 11 o'clock on the Midlothian turnpike at a point about three miles west of Richmond and one fourth of a mile west of the colored church, as a result of a gunshot wound, the same being fired by her husband, Henry Clay Beattie, Jr."

The Evidence. Evidence was produced to show the following facts: That Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., and his wife, Louise Owen Beattie, went for an automobile ride on the Midlothian turnpike, last Tuesday night, and that Mrs. Beattie was shot to death, a load of shot passing through her head.

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Three Put in Jail. Henry Clay Beattie was remanded to the Henrico county jail to await trial, and Paul Beattie and Miss Binford were held as witnesses.

Who Used The Gun? H. M. Smith, the attorney for the defendant, indicated very plainly in his examination of Paul Beattie this afternoon that an effort will be made to prove that Paul and not Henry Beattie, used the gun on the night of the murder.

Paul Beattie Very Weak. The moment that Paul Beattie closed his statement he became faint and was escorted to a bed where he rested for several minutes, and then returned to the porch, where the inquest was held, and resumed his testimony.

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A Two To One Victory Achieved For Reciprocity

Taft to Sign Arbitration Treaty Soon. Washington, July 22.—President Taft announced today that the signing of the important pact would be delayed owing to the absence from Washington of the British and French ambassadors, but the president has arranged the matter so that Ambassador Jusserand may sign the French treaty in Paris and Ambassador Bryce will probably affix his signature to the English copy at his summer home in Maine.

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WHERE THERES SUGAR THERES SOME TROUBLE. Claus A. Spreckels, Head of Federal Refining Company of Yonkers, Testifies Before Investigating Committee on the Great "Sugar Trust."

Delivers Stunning Blows to The Tariff on Sugar—Gives Interesting Figures—Takes a Rap at Louisiana Sugar Growers.

New York, July 22.—The sugar bounty caused revolution in Hawaii that resulted in the downfall of the monarchy there. Wherever there is sugar there is trouble.

During the course of his examination, which consumed the entire session of the committee, Mr. Spreckels delivered stunning blows to the tariff on sugar, which he declared was costing the people of the United States a year, reducing his statement to a simpler arithmetical proposition.

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Simmons, Bailey, LaFollette And Other Amendment Opponents Swamped Beneath a Tower of Opposing Votes—Treaty Passed Unhobbled.

John Temple Graves, The Erstwhile "Sweet Singer" of Dixie Eloquently Pictures the Dramatic Scenes Preceding Final Triumph.

(BY JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES.)

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At 11:20 a demand for a quorum mustered 78 lagging senators to their seats. At 11:25 McCumber, the blonde giant of North Dakota, offered his first—a free list amendment.

Little Simmons, of North Carolina, with a side glance at Bailey, called in with his plea for fresh meats and flour and cereals at 11:42.

Then Cummins smilingly presented an amendment on iron and steel and another on oil cloth and lineoleum.

Many Others Killed. Then LaFollette, the levithian of anti-reciprocity, with a dramatic intensity of quiet sent forward those far famed amendments on the wool schedule and the cotton schedule for which the senate has waited and the people have waited for weeks.

Now Bailey, with his amendments marshalled, like his oratory always to a climax, offered the free list as a handicap to the bill. Fifteen to 63 was the answer.

Then Bailey with a dramatic defiance to his democratic colleague of the cotton states played his master stroke.

The Solid South Solid Still. There was a nervous stir among the senators whose cotton is king. But the line never wavered. The ranks were firm. Only Johnson, of Alabama, fell in with Bailey, giving him 17 votes to 62.

One dramatic incident of the Bailey amendments was significant. When the roll was called Dillingham, of Vermont, rose to explain that he was pair-mot, with the senior senator from South Carolina, who if he were present, would vote no.

Which means to those who know that the brave old radical from South Carolina, who, in his broken health of mind and body, followed Bailey almost blindly in his last attendance at home former session, has recovered at home his progressive democracy and comes back to his own place in the ranks of the party.

There were more amendments by McCumber, two amendments by Brewster on type and type metal and on rubber products, and a minor amendment by Crawford-making 23 in all—the last going to the grave by the viva voce method of rebuke. Every other amendment had been given the years and nays.

Then at 1:28 the gaffes of amendment. Continued on Page Four.