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Washington Letter.

Washington, D. C., April 17.

The Aldrich substitute from the Payne tariff bill has finally been completed, or practically so, and made public. The Democratic members of the Finance committee were given no opportunity to read the bill before it was reported to the Senate, the majority, solely by virtue of superior numbers, voting down the motion of Senator Bailey to postpone a report until time should be afforded the Democrats to examine the measure and at least present their views to the committee. This course was typical of the high handed methods which the majority has pursued throughout the consideration of the measure. The Democratic members of the committee were given no opportunity to examine witnesses or even to hear their testimony and, as Senator Aldrich put it, "The majority expects to assume the full responsibility for the bill."

As was to have been expected, the Aldrich bill is not tariff revision in any sense of the word. In fact, the changes from the Dingley law are so immaterial that in the opinion of many experts it has been simply a travesty on revision and a wholly useless disturbance of business to attempt at all to revise the tariff. "Tariff revision by its friends" has proven a total failure. There are it is true, a few spectacular changes in the Aldrich bill. A duty of 35 per cent. has been placed on foreign built yachts and the duty on champagne and wines has been increased somewhat, but on the other hand the duty on woollens has been increased, lumber is still taxed at \$1 a thousand feet, the tax on gloves and hosiery is left the same as the Dingley law and, in a word, there are no material reductions from the Dingley law on any of the real necessities of life.

The Democratic Senators held a caucus today to consider what steps they should take in the interest of the consumers to secure some reductions on those things which the plain people are compelled to buy day after day and on which they now pay high tribute to the trusts. The Democrats will make an earnest fight for reductions all along the line except in those things which the South produces, such as lumber, sugar, etc. An effort will be made by the Southern Senators to restore the duty on lumber to \$2 a thousand, which is the Dingley rate, and the Texas and other Senators will doubtless seek to have the duty on hides increased.

There is serious question as to whether the Aldrich bill will produce sufficient revenue to carry on the government and Senator Bailey will introduce an amendment providing for an income tax which is in accord with the views of President Taft, although there is not the slightest likelihood that the Senate will permit any such amendment to be added to the bill. However, the Republicans are themselves considerably worried for fear the President will send a message to Congress urging that some form of income tax be adopted.

The House leaders having, as they supposed, carefully concealed a little "joker" in the Payne bill which would have enabled the Standard Oil Company to import the petroleum from its Mexican mines free of duty and would have afforded protection from 20 per cent. upwards on all products of petroleum, were detected in their little game and were compelled to adopt a resolution recalling the bill and adding the products of petroleum to the free list, to the great chagrin of Speaker Cannon and his cohorts in the House organizations. The House, under a provision of the Constitution, will have to meet twice a week while the Senate is considering the tariff bill but these meetings will be pro forma, practically no business will be transacted; in fact, it is doubtful if there will be a quorum present at any time as most of the members have gone to their homes, so that the prospects are that there will be nothing doing in the House for the next three or four weeks.

The Attorney General has made public a letter addressed to Swift & Co., the Chicago packers, in which he tells them that they have been accepting rebates but

that they will not be prosecuted if they will promise to be good in the future. Under the last administration the packers would have been prosecuted for such violation of the law, despite the fact that it was a custom of long practice and that the packers seem to have been ignorant of the fact that they were violating the law. It must be admitted however, that it is doubtful if such a prosecution would have resulted in a conviction, so it is perhaps to the best interest of the public that they should be let off with a warning this time and the government thus saved the expense of a useless prosecution.

There will be general satisfaction over the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States affirming the decision of the Texas courts imposing a fine of \$1,600,000 on the Waters-Pierce Oil Co., which is merely a branch of the Standard Oil Co., and ousting it from the State.

(Deferred from last week.)

WASHINGTON April 10, 1909.

The Republicans in Congress are getting themselves into a pretty snarl over the alleged tariff revision. Apparently President Taft and some other members of the party deluded themselves with the belief that "the tariff could be revised by its 'friends,' but the attempt has served only to demonstrate the accuracy of the Democratic contention that the Republican party is the creature of trusts and special interests, that its members are beholden to them for their election to Congress, and that however insistent may be the demands of voters or the wails of the consumers, they dare not disobey their masters. Were the tariff system what it purports to be, simply a method of encouraging infant industries to a point where they can stand alone, the claim that the tariff law should be revised by its friends would be logical and consistent, but whatever may have been the fundamental theory of the protective system, as administered by the party in power it has become simply a method of enhancing the profits and perpetuating the monopolies of its beneficiaries and in return for the favors conferred upon them send men to Congress to carry out their wishes whenever a revision is undertaken.

The truth of these assertions is becoming apparent to Mr. Taft and other theoretical advocates of that fundamental policy of the Republican party. Already the President is beginning to realize that in the near future he will be confronted with the dilemma of vetoing the Aldrich-Payne bill because it is in no sense a "revision downwards," or of signing a bill which in no essential makes good the pledges of his party, as expressed in the platform on which he was nominated and elected.

Behind the closed doors of the Finance Committee Senator Aldrich and his colleagues are gradually but surely eliminating from the Payne bill every feature which could, by any stretch of the imagination, be regarded as in the interest of the consumer. Republican Senators on the Finance Committee complain bitterly of the selfishness of the protected interests. They say frankly that these men are so insistent on the maximum of protection that they demand rates which must prove the destruction of kindred industries. The tanners of hides insist upon duties which the makers of boots and shoes declare will prove their ruin. The steel trust insists upon duties on bar steel which make it impossible for manufacturers of tools to turn out their products at a profit. "But, why do you heed these inordinate demands?" your correspondent asked a Republican member of the Finance Committee. The reply was as illuminating as it was frank. "They are our friends," said the Senator "and we cannot afford to incur their enmity."

Whether the next House of Representatives is Republican or Democratic depends entirely upon whether it is possible to deceive a majority of the people all at the time. The Republican candidates for reelection will go on the stump and point to the magnificent reduction of five-one-hundredths of a pound they have made in the duty on raw sugar. Of course they will say nothing of the fact that as long as they left the duty on refined sugar

intact the reduction profited only the sugar trust. They will point to the increased duty on gloves and hosiery as evidence of the solicitude of their party for the girls and women working in the knitting factories and numbering several hundred thousand, but they will say nothing of the consumers compelled to pay higher prices or wear thinner gloves and stockings and numbering several millions. If the voters think, instead of permitting the Republican politicians to do their thinking for them November 1910, there will be a Democratic majority in the next House of Representatives.

Attorney-General Wickersham has struck a body blow at the Kansas law guaranteeing bank deposits. He has officially decided that National banks cannot avail themselves of this law and, therefore, enter into competition with the State banks. It remains a question whether the National banks will be driven out of business in Kansas or their all-powerful influence will prove sufficient to repeal the law. When Mr. Wickersham was asked recently if it were true that he has received a fee of \$200,000 from the Chicago traction companies for his work on the reorganization committee, he replied that it was and that he did not deem the fee inordinate, in fact he doubted if he would be willing to undertake life work for the same compensation. There may be no connection between these facts, but there are those who will be prone to believe that the New York corporation lawyer who charged the Chicago traction companies \$200,000 for his "services," would naturally feel little consideration for the Kansas bank guarantee act.

President Taft, after spending another half day listening to the contentions of the representatives of "straight" whiskey and rectified whiskey has thrown up his hands in despair and turned the whole matter over to Lloyd Bowers, his new Solicitor General. Meanwhile, however, he has ordered a suspension of the ruling that rectified spirits shall be branded "imitation whiskey," which, of course, the rectifiers hale as a decided victory, as doubtless it is, for it will add at least one hundred per cent to their profits, pending Mr. Bowers' decision whatever that may be.

The old fashioned way of dosing a weak stomach, or stimulating the Heart or Kidneys is all wrong. Dr. Shoop first pointed out this error. This is why his prescription—Dr. Shoop's Restorative—is directed entirely to the cause of these ailments the weak inside or controlling nerves. It isn't so difficult, says Dr. Shoop, to strengthen a weak Stomach, Heart or Kidneys, if one goes at it correctly. Each inside organ has its controlling or inside nerve. When these nerves fall then those organs must surely falter. These vital truths are leading druggists everywhere to dispense and recommend Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Test it a few days, and see! Improvement will promptly follow. Sold by Graham Drug Co.

Two men were burned to death and three others seriously injured as the result of an explosion in one of the oil stills of the Standard Oil Company at Point Richmond, Cal., Friday a week. The fire, which was scattered over eight acres, was fought for an hour by 1,500 men and the damage is \$50,000. The still which exploded had a capacity of 10,000 barrels.

Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic national committee, announces that he has completed arrangements for the publication of a monthly magazine to be known as the National Monthly, and to be devoted to the interests of the Democratic party in the nation. The first issue of the magazine will make its appearance under date of May 1. The contributors to it include United States Senators, members of the House of Representatives, Governors and other prominent members of the Democratic party.

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MEBANE ITEMS.

(Crowded out last week.)

Mr. Chas. Allen has about completed a nice residence on his lot in South Mebane.

Mr. A. W. Sykes has material on the ground for an addition to his residence.

Quite a number went from here to Ocoonechee Farm at Hillsboro to picnic Monday. All report an enjoyable time.

The children of our town were treated to an Egg hunt Monday afternoon in the park.

The Mebane Drug Co. have added very much to the appearance of their place by having it repapered and painted.

The H. E. Wilkerson Co. have erected a nice awning over their front which adds much to its appearance.

Mrs. Mary Scott is real sick at her home in North Mebane.

Mr. Ed. Wilkerson's baby is very sick with measles.

Mr. W. A. Murray, who holds a position as traveling salesman with the Armour Fertilizer Co., of Atlanta, Ga., spent Sunday and Monday at his home here.

Mr. J. B. Stroud, traveling salesman for the Craddock-Terry Shoe Co., of Lynchburg, Va., was in town Monday.

Miss Alice Lasley, of Durham, spent Easter with her cousin, Mrs. H. C. Nicholson.

Misses Ada and Rose Smith, of Durham, visited Mr. Ab. Smith from Saturday until Monday afternoon.

Miss Barbara Shaw is visiting friends in Hillsboro this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Qualls spent Easter at Effand.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barnett went to Burlington Saturday to spend Easter.

Mr. W. A. Thompson spent Sunday and Monday with his people at Effand.

Miss Roxie Vaughn, of Mebane, R. F. D. No. 2, spent Monday and Tuesday with relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Morgan spent from Saturday until Monday visiting Mrs. Morgan's people.

Mr. J. L. Amick spent Sunday with his father near Liberty.

Miss Minnie Sudds, of Durham, spent Easter with Mrs. H. C. Nicholson.

Mr. Ernest Thornton spent Sunday at Haw River. Must be some attraction up there for Ernest as he goes up there right often of late.

Mr. C. K. Thompson, of Semora, was in town Monday.

Mr. W. B. Cheek, Supt. of Ocoonechee Farm at Hillsboro, was in town Saturday.

Rev. M. O. Sample, Pastor of Cross Roads Church, was in town Tuesday.

Rev. B. W. Mebane, Pastor of Hawthills Church, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Wm. Covington, an old citizen three miles south of Mebane, is very sick and not expected to live.

An Immense Reviewing Stand For 20th of May Celebration.

Cor. of the Gleaner.

Charlotte, April 19th.—All committees of the Twentieth of May celebration, which is to be held in this city next month commemorating the signing of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, are rapidly completing their programs for the big event. The several parade committees, including the floral, the colonial and others, are making preparation for the most spectacular affair in the history of the city. The Daughters of the American Revolution, the Children of the Confederacy, the Colonial Dames and other historic organizations will participate in the procession. The chairman of the floral parade committee is anxious that all members of these organizations who do not live in Charlotte shall be present on "Taft Day" and take part in the parade.

Definite plans have been made to erect an immense reviewing stand on the Mecklenburg County court house grounds from which President Taft and his party, including Mrs. Taft and Mrs. Stone-Wall Jackson, will review the parade.

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In Richmond county Superior Court last week W. H. Griffin, tried for the murder of Sandy Gilchrist, was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. Griffin, who was a police officer at Hamlet, shot Gilchrist while trying to arrest him, claiming that the latter resisted.

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Saturday, March 15, 1909,

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