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### UNDERWOODSHOWS **BROKEN PROMISES** OF REPUBLICANS

Wilful Deception Through Many Years

REPUBLICAN TARIFF MOTHER OF TRUSTS

Even President Taft Is Quoted as Speaking Against Party He Heads

> Citizen Bureau, (B) H. E. C. Bryant).

VeaSHINGTON, April 30 .- Chairman Underwood in his report for the farmers' (rec list bill, with the recommendation that it pass, claims that the exemption from fluty of all ar ticles affected will reduce the tariff \$110,016,495. This revenue only amount, he says, is inconsiderable in comparison with the great saving and advantages to the American people.

The report of the committee tells of broken promises made by the republican party, and says that the democrata were swept into power to make an honest revision of the tariff sched-The Canadian reciprocity bill which has just passed the house, does quoted reveral times to prove that the republican wriff is the mother of trusts, and the democratic position taken on the question of tariff duties the right ous one. Republican promises and republican performances compared. The piedge of the Chicago pictiorm and the Payne-Aldrich tar- eral

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OF MCNAMARA BROTHERS

tardly Attempt of Organ-

ized Capital on Labor.

WILL RAISE FUNDS

party now in session here.

other help within our power."

ized labor by crime and violence."

Among the members of the national

ion reading as follows:

ENTIRE SOCIALIST PARTY

### A DESPERATE STATE OF AFFAIRS EXISTS IN CANTON, CHINA

Report on Free List Charges Rebels Strong in Numbers Are in Arms Against Manchu Dynasty and it is Feared That Many of the Troops Will Prove Disloyal.

> dicate a desperate condition of af- came to Canton from Singapore fairs in that city. There are thirty While the authorities have not been thousand soldiers within the walls, and there is great fear that many of these will prove disloyal if it appears that the rebels are able to gain the promptly decapitated. It is feared, upper hand.

Rebels Strong in Numbers,

The rebels are strong in numbers and have carried on their work of destruction with fanatical bravery. They made an attack upon the provincial arsenal, but were repulsed by the troops under loyal officers. Many of the revolutionists were killed while some of them fled to an unoccupied rice store and built a barricade with hundreds of bags of rice. The troops found great difficulty in assaulting the barricade, owing to bombs, which the rebels threw with freat accuracy.

Finally the store was set on fire. while the troops remained at some distance to pick off those who might seek to escape the flames. Thirty or Bot go far enough. President Taft is more of the rebels were burned to death, while others committed suicide with their revolvers rather than oe

Oppose Manchu Dynasty.

There has been a gathering at Canare ton intely of those opposed to the Manchu dynasty. A few days ago sevhundred arrived from Hong The plot to overturn the gov-Kong ernment was betrayed and the leaders of the movement urged the viceroy's bodyguard to join forces and cat of production of domestic kill the Manchus. This the bodyguard refused to do, with the result that when the attack was made upon a pricace in the the official residence of the viceroy w few days ago the revolutionists were

Troops Remain Loyal.

There are certain bodies of troops which may be depended upon not to submitted to the senate shandon the rulers to their fate, and 1810, is used against the all attempts by the rebels to induce them to job in the movement have them to job in the movement have in the report reads ing together in a wall deviced . . . the --in. (2) trusts, have succeeded in doing much damuse to property in addition to killing rome of the officials. The fahilly of En while of Provident Toft and the the viceroy is now living on a gun-

outer in Japan and wears Biropean

DRGANIZED LABOR WILL

MAKE DESPERATE FIGHT

FOR LIVES OF ACCUSED

HONG KONG, April 30 .- All ad-! clothes, is the leader of the move vices reaching here from Canton in- ment. Both he and his confederates able to capture these men. a number of suspects have been arrested and

however, that some of these were en-

tirely innocent The American gunboat Wilmington is now at Shamien, the foreign concession, which is on the point above the city southward of the western suburb and facing Macao fort pas-

ADVOCATES GENERAL STRIKE

LOUIS, April 30.-Addressing meeting of laboring men in Union headquarters today, Wm. D. Haywood, once tried and acquitted for compilcity in the death of former Governor Stunenberg of Idaho advocater a gen-eral strike throughout the United

movement and appointed delegates to work to interest laborers in the proposed strike.

SIX MORE STATES NEEDED

NEW YORK, April 30.-Twenty nine states according to reports received here have ratified the proposed income tax amendment to the constitution. amendment can become a law it must be approved by six more states making the total number in favor 35, or three fourths of the whole 46, Arkansas and Tennessee were the only

STORM SWEEPS, KANSAS

TOPEKA, Kan., April 30 .- A storm driven by a high wind swept north-western Kansas today. Salina and towns report a temperature of 34 degrees, a fall of 58 since Satur-

# MAY DAY TO WITNESS INAUGUARATION OF GREAT

Whole Affair Declared Das- Gompers With Important Leaders of Labor Holds Numbers of Strikers Conference for Defense.

NO DEVELOPMENTTS.

America was offered for the defense American Federation of Labor, ar- three trades will go on strike tomorof John J. and J. B. McNamara, who secret conference with forty leaders By tomorrow night not a wheel will are charged with murder in connec-tion with the explosion at the Los Angeles Times building, by the na-Gompers said the McNamara case was tional executive committee of the discussed and that the executive counday. To those figures the leaders A telegram was sent to President Labor would take charge of a defense Saturday. The machinists strike over-F. M. Ryan of the Iron Workers un- fund which would be raised by con- shadows the two others which have tribution from the various labor or-The national executive committee ganizations of the country. of the socialist party offers the entire

power of its 4,000 organization and is to be called soon by Mr. Gompers side. The machinists are demanding its press, consisting of ten dailes, who said the session would probably over 100 weeklies and ten monthlies be held here. Futher than this, Mr. Brooklyn, Yonkers and Hudson counin all languages, to be used in the de- Gompers would not discuss the action ty, N, J., and the waist makers in fense of the McNamaras and any of the labor leaders.

A communication was also addressed J. Spencer, secretary of the Building conditions which existed before their to the locals of the socialist party Trades of the federation and Frank condemning the arrest of the man as L. Mulholland of Toledo, attended. "suggesting a deliberate plot," and Mr. Mulholland is an attorney for laiming the prosecution of the men the national organization and will be is claimed, will strike in scattered as "inspired by the National Manu- one of the lawyers for the defense of shops for better sanitary conditions facturers association and that the the three labor men now in jail in Labor leaders expect two thousand whole affair was "a dastardly con-spirac, on the part of organized cap-explosion in the Los Angeles Times to walk out. ital in this country to crush organ- building.

Detective Burns, who brought about The communication calls upon the the arrest of the three men. Is still of the 250 employers notifying them locals to raise money for the defense in Inlianapodis, seeking evidence that there can be no compromise with of the accused and for carrying on against the men. He said there were an aggressive campaign for socialism no developments today and that he in California, and particularly in Los expected to start for Los Angeles to-

GOLDEN JUBILEE.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 30 .- The first of the 'nation-wide observances of the golden jubilee of Cardinal Gh-KEY WEST, Fla., April 30.—The bons' ordination to the priesthood and the twenty-fifth anniversary of British steamer Hannah M. Bell, his elevation to the cardinalate, took which has been on Elbow reef for place here today in Immaculate Contwo weeks, is a total loss. Capt. ception church. The cardinal presid-Thomas and his crew have abandoned ed and delivered a brief sermon. Solthe vessel as she has broken up in the emn high mass was celebrated by heavy weather of the past few days. Rev. E. J. Quinn, C. M., of Brookheavy weather of the past few days. Rev. E. J. Quinn, C. M., of Brook-She was bound from Norfolk to Vera lyn, N. Y. The congregation contri-Cruz with coal. The wracking tug buted over one thousand dollars to Roosevelt, which left New York to the fund for the erection of the Car-

Waistmakers and Bakers in New York Will Swell

FOR EIGHT HOUR DAY

BOSTON, April 30.—The full INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 30.— NEW YORK, April 30.—Ten thouserrough of the socialist party in Samuel P. Gompers, president of the sand or more men and women in rived today and immediately went into row. May daw, say labor leaders here cil of the American Federation of add 4,000 machinists who walked out been called by the waist makers and bakers, these affecting only isolated A meeting of the executive council shops in Brooklyn and on the east certain shops threaten to walk out Besides the local men present Wm. to protest against the restoration of recent strike. These they say, include Mulholland of Toledo, attended, a return to unsanitary surroundings

One of the largest employers of machinists has addressed a letter to each their demands and that their places will be filled.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE TO MEET.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 30. Richmond, Va., to 1911, and Los Angeles in 1912 are the two places chosen for the yearly meeting of the league. National Municipal nouncement of the action of the executive committee was made today by Clinton Rogers Woodruff, secretary of

TORNADO STRUCK SEDALIA.

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## SIX MILLION FIRE SWEEPS OVER CITY OF BANGOR, MAINE

Rapidly Spread Over Business Section of City

ONLY ONE LIFE IS KNOWN TO BE LOST

Firemen in Desperation Dynamited Buildings to Check Rush of Flames

BANGOR, Me., April 30 .- Property valued at upwards of 35,000,000 was destroyed, hundreds of people made homeless and almost the entire business section of the city devastated during a conflagration which at midnight tonight was believed to be practically under control although the tically under centrol although the fire was still burning in many places. A light rain fell which helped to check the fire. One life is known to have been lost, an usknown man who was killed by a failing wall. Mayor Mullen called out the local company of the national guard and placed the city under martial rule. Portland Lewiston, Augusta, Oldfown. Brewer and every other place within reach

eral strike throughout the United States on the day the McNamara brothers are brought to trial in Los Angeles for alleged complicity in the Times explosion.

The meeting was under auspices of the socialist labor party and there was a large attendance. Officers of the socialist labor party, following the address of Haywood discussed plans for gaining newspaper support for the movement and appointed delegates to northwesterly direction. Before midwas sweeping through the city in a northwesterly direction. Before midnight both sides of Eichange street from York to State, both sides of State street from Kenanskeag stream to Broadway, a considerable part of Central and Franklin streets, nearly all of Park street and Markow street was in ruing and the danies had made income. inroads of nearly a mile lute the best residential section in Broadway, Center and French streets.

Fire Spread Rapidly
Fanned by a high wind, an insignificant fire which started near the corner of Broad and i nion streets, south of the city hall about t o'clock tonight, a partout practically all the business section of the city and swept uncontrolled into the residential sections. Half an hour after the first alarm had been sounded nearly a dozen buildings were in flames and the fire was eating its way northerly up Broad and Exchange streets on either side of Kenduskeag stream. In its path were banks, office buildings. the public library and other structures, all of which were reduced to

The city was soon shut off from telephonic communication by the (Continued on page five.)

### STRIKE OF MACHINISTS WOODROW WILSON LEAVES INTERNATIONAL MATCHES OHIO LEGISLATORS WERE FOR LONG SPEAKING TOUR FOR POLO TROPHY IN JUNE

Presidential Possibility Will British Army Officers Will Talk on Pacific Coast and in the West

TRENTON. N. J., April 30 .- Gov. Woodrow Wilson will leave Princeton Wednesday for a four weeks speaking tour of the Western and Pa-cific coast states. His itinerary includes Kansas ICty, Denver, Los Angeles, San Francisco ( Berkeley Portland, Seattle, Minneapolis and St. Paul. Lincoln and Chicago. It is stated in the governor's behalf that the swing around the circle is not a campaign in any sense. All through winter and spring he has been receiving invitations from organizations and groups of admirers in the West to visit and address them. He has, it is said, declined invitations from purely political or partisan bodies. It is said he will discuss political issues on the trip only in a broad, non-partisan sense.

TORNADO CAUSES DEATH ST. JOSEPH. Mo., April 30.-A tornade early today caused the death of Harvey Dean, 4 years old, and the serious injury of his father, Henry Dean, at the family home in Avenue City. He recently completed a storm ceilar which caved in and buried the Dean family beneath several feet of earth. Mrs. Dean escaped with only slight bruises and burrowed he way to the open air and summoned help.

### EIGHT ARE KILLED IN WRECK OF SPECIAL BEARING TEACHERS

Starting in Hay Shed Fire Three Fatally Injured, Lives of Two Despaired of, and Many 'Others Hurt.-Spreading of Rails Believed to Have Caused Wreck.

EASTON, Pa., April 30 .- So far as jout, and that the engineer, believing it is possible to ascertain here and at he had a clear track, rushed into the scene of the accident, eight persons were burned to death, three fatally injured, two others so seriously injured that their lives are despaired of and scores of persons were cut and burned and brulsed, some of them dangerously, in the wreck of the teachers' special from Utics, N. Y., to Washington, D. C., on the Belvidere-Delaware division of the Pennsylvania railroad at Martin's creek yesterday afternoon.

The line was reopened for traffic today. Bones of eight persons have been taken from the debris and the wreck crew have quit work.

List of the Dead,

The missing, given up as dead, are: Misses Bessie Walker, Sophis Knolt, Louise Lindeman, Sarah Jones Walker, Sophia and Mrs. Mary Allen, all teachers of Utica, and Miss Susan Sessions, Utica; Harry Wilmer, Trenton, N. J., baggagemaster of the train; James Bicknell, Philadelphia, tourist agent for the Pennsylvania ratiroad. Miss Eleanor Rutherford, a teach

er in the Utica school, died in the Easton hospital, as did Walter Van Oye, of Trenton, engineer of the illfated train, and Charles Pearson, conductor, of Stroudsburg, Pa.

suffering from burns and shock, George W. Parsons, of Lambertville, N. J., fireman, is so severely burned that neither is expected to survive.

Stlent as to Cause. This morning Dr. J. J. Quincy, local health officer, took X-ray pictures of the injuries of Miss Frederica Schwab and Miss Mary Conderon, both Utica teachers, and found that each had sustained a fractured arm. Both the young women and all the other New Yorkers, excepting Miss Lyte, are resting comfortably and the hospital authorities see no cause for of the accident. Gen. F. L. Sheppard, of the Pennsylvania railroad. was at the wreck today but refused to make a statement. He hurried back to Jer-

been at the scene. Rushed Into Death Trap.

sey City. Other high officials have

It is the general belief that the rails spread and caused the train to leave the track and plunge over the were jacked up, that no signal was ing up.

Do Battle With Ameri-

LAKEWOOD, N. J., April 30 .- Pre-

will be chosen the rival teams to re-

practicing at Lakewood, N. J., field of

and the Waterburys, also is prac-

court polo fields. Although the above

quartette has not announced officially

as the team that is to defend the cup,

it comprises the four players who

went to England two years ago and

recaptured the trophy, which John

Watson and three British army offi-

cers had carried off from New port 23

years previously and barring acci-

dents, it is assumed that they will

defend it. Captain J. H. Lloyd, the

leader of the British, has not an-

nounced which four of his six British

cavalry officers now here will compete

NO FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 36.-

against the Americans.

present England and America.

The six British army officers

Geo. J. Gould.

cans for Polo Cup

what proved to be a death trap at the rate of fifty miles an hour.

One hundred and five excursionists were realstered at the Martin's Creek hotel last night. Many of them went home on the special that was run down by the Delaware. Lackawanna & Western railroad last night, others, including those who had been taken to farm houses and hotels at Belvidere, N. J., and Stroudsburg. Pa. left for Utica today, A number of Uticans came down to Easton to look after the dead and injured.

Dr. Hennessy, of Utics; was among those who remained at the Martin's Creek hotel last night. She assisted the injured, and while doing so she was suffering intense pain from a severe injury to the spine.

Gas Caused Explosion

The explosion that occurred at the wreck last night was due to the ignition of gas in a tank under the dining car, the only car which did not go into the ditch. A flying fragment of the tank struck Harry Francis, of Titusville. Pa., a student at LaFay-atta college, on the head and inflicted an ugly wash.
While Charles Pearson, the conduc

Miss Augusta Lyte, of Utica is in tor, lay planed in the wreckage, he a serious condition in the hospital suffered excruciating pain and had a premonition of death. He said to W. S. Cummings, district passenger agent for the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad who lay pinioned over his prostrate body, that he knew he was going to die. He took Cum-mings by the hand, saying he could not see. It was later learned that Pearson's eyes were burned out. Cummings managed to tree himself and later assisted in extricating the mangled body of the conductor.

DR. PIGGOTTY DEAD.

lstry in the University of the South, died today age 55 years. Dr. Piggotty was born in Maryland and was a graduate of Johns Hopkins university. He is survived by his widow and one son, Charles, of Baltimore,

QUIET AT FEZ.

FEZ, Morocco. Sunday, April 23 The city is quiet but the stock of embankment to destruction, carrying provisions is low and maine threatens its load of humanity. Trackmen had the populace. There have been no been at work at the point of the dis- further attacks by the rebels, among aster, and it is alleged that the tracks whom dissensions appear to be spring-

# **GUILTY OF TAKING BRIBES**

### Detectives Laid Clever Trap to Catch Them, Including Phonographic Record

COLUMBUS, O., April 30 .- Admissions were made tonight by three deparatory to the international polo match to be played at Westbury, L. L. tectives arrested last night as alleg-May 31 and June 1 with a third and ed lobbyists in the general assembly deciding game, if necessary, on June that they had successfully manipu-7, promises to be replete with assi- lated a trap for legislators suspected of participating in bribery. Five legislators were named by the detecduous practice by players from whom The six British army officers who have some from England and India was named. It is admitted by Proseto give battle for the international cutor Turner that a device to record conversations was placed under a couch in the hotel room occupied by polo trophy expect to do most of their the detectives and that incriminating evidence is in process of presentation FAMOUS BOTANIST ONE The All America team of H. P. Whitney (captain)) Devereaux (back) to a jury. There are reports that a number of legislators will be indicted and that a legislative investigating ticing on one of the Gould Georgian committee will be appointed.

The three men arrested last night were employed by the Manufacturers' offered an paid bribes so as to gain evidence against assemblymen.

Their arrests were made on warrants sworn to by Dr. Geo. B. Nye. representative from Pike county, who engineer is missing. Among those said they had paid him money to de-killed was Dr. Pehr Olssen, a botanist feat a bill to admit mutual insur- of repute, who formerly was attached ance companies, now barred from the to a department of the Mexican gov-state, and the woman's nine-hour ernment as an expert in rubbar cul-

STORM DID MUCH DAMAGE

WARRENBURG, Mo., April 20,-Additional details of the ternado LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 30.— which swept a path across northern ley was fired through the windows of There were no developments in the Johnson county, yesterday, destroying the chair car. Once out of range of dynamite conspiracy case today. John scores of houses and barns, disclose J. and Jas. B. McNamara and Ortis the fact that at least one life was McManigal the defendants spent a carried a quarter of a mile by the the track. The locomotive was overquiet Sunday in Jali. All three de-wind and thrown against the ground turned and it was believed that the clined invitations to attend church with such force that nearly every bone in his body was broken and his The arraignment, scheduled to occur not later than Wednesday, may be deferred. It was reported in official quarters today that the second se

### **WEEK IN CONGRESS** AGAIN WILL BE ONE OF MUCH ACTIVITY

PRICE FIVE CENTS

Senate Committee Will Hold Hearings Upon Canadian Reciprocity Treaty

FARMERS' FREE LIST WILL PASS HOUSE

Democratic Leaders Prepar, ing for Further Revision of Tariff Laws

WASHINGTON. April 10,-Three ceks of the extraordinary session of the sixty-second congress has passed into history with a record of rapids fire legislation by the house. The senate is finally organized to transact business but in no haste to consider that pick of the democratic program already disposed of by the lower aircady disposed of by the lower branch. Canadian reciprocity is the only measure now being considered by the senate, and that probably will not be before it for discussion for several weeks. The finance committee, to which it was referred, has de-termined to grant hearings on the bill which would carry the reciprocity

How long committee deliberation will be prolonged is problematical, but the prospects are for a longthy discussion before the measure emerges from committee.

To Determine, Proceedure. Tomorrow or Tuesday, the finance committee will meet to determine upon a plan of proceedure on the red-iprocity measure. It practically has been decided that all interests featr-ing to be heard will be welcomed. Chairman Penrose, of the com is in favor of the bill, and the major ity of the committee opposed to R. The prevailing opinion is that it will be reported to the senate without any recommendation, as was the ease lest sension. Senator Stone, of Missouri, will address the senate tomorrow on the reciprocity bill and andeavor to explain some of the misrepresentations that have been made regarding the proposed agreement. After his people of the misrepresentations that have been made regarding the proposed agreement. After his proposed agreement.

the senate, and adjournment until Thursday is probable again, with adfournment from Thursday until Monday to follow. There is no prospect of the senate considering the house bills providing for popular election of senators, election publicity of congressional campaigns, or reapportionment until the reciprocity issue has been decided.

Week in the House.

In the house the democrats are keeping up the rapid legislative pace and most, if not all, of the coming week will be devoted to discuss the farmers' free list bill. Chairman Underwood demonstrated his desire to members a chance to be heard, by in-sisting upon 11 o'clock as the hour to convene instead of noon. It is probable that debate will be closed Thursday or Friday; that it will be passed there is no doubt, the democratic support being almost solid, reinforced by the votes of a few progressive repub-

### UNDER FULL STEAM TRAIN RUSHED BY WHILE REBELS POURED VOLLEYS INTO IT

And Then Was Wrecked on Torn Up Rails and Several Passengers Killed

MEXICO CITY, April 30,-The week end special train for Cusrnavaca, seventy-five miles south of this city, was shot up and wrecked by rebels last night at El Paso, a few miles from its destination, passengers and a negro porter were killed and several others injured. The

The engineman was signaled to stop but growded on steam instead, fearing that an attack was intended,

As the train rushed past the point where the rebels were stationed a volthe firing the train slowed down but not in time to avoid being partis wrecked through the tearing up of engineer was buried beneath it.

render assistance, has been advised dinal Gibbons memorial hall at the by wireless to return to New York. Catholic university in Washington.

executive committee in gession here La Congressman Victor L. Berger of Milwaukee. STEAMER IS TOTAL LOSS.