An Injustice To All Farmers

The billion-dollar Grundy tariff bill was given Senate approval Monday afternoon under the unusual circumstances of its godfather being absent.

Senator Grundy, under whose nurturing the infant has grown to enormous proportions since it came into the Senate from the committee of the whole was in Pittsburgh on pressing political business, but he was paired in it sfavor and there were enough regular Republicans, Progressives and Democrats to carry out the ceremony successfully.

The bill, which has been under discussion for six and a half months, was passed by a vote of 53 to 31. The affirmative vote included seven Progressive Republicans and seven who are classed as Democrats.

Taken as a whole it is a disreputable product, both in form and the method of enactment which marked its final phases. The rates, represent a slavish regard for parochial interests at a time when there is a crying demand for a constructive international commercial policy to fit the needs of a nation that has outgrown its swaddling clothes, apparently unbeknown to most of the Senate.

The outlook at present seems to be that the country will be saddled wit hanother weird tariff bill, and that any general tariff improvement will have to come through a collapse of the whole structure rather than through the far more wholesome method of gradual improvement by Congress. Perhaps, however, the Senate will recover its self-respect before the conference report is finally adopted. That, however, would seem to be a long shot in view of its recent record.

Senator La Follette, Progressive, Wisconsin, said it was "the worst tariff bill in the nation's history. It should be known hereafter as Grundy's billion-dollar tariff bill." He said it "eclipsed the tariff of abominations of 1828 in its impositions on the public and by comparison dwarfs the injustice and iniquity of the Payne-Aldrich act of 1909, which wrecked the Republican party. As the bill stands it is the product of a series of deals conceived in secret but executed with a brazen effrontery that i swithout parallel in the annals of the Senate."

"The farmer has been betrayed," Senator La Follette said, and his back had "been used as a spring board from which the industrial lobbyists had leaped to new and higher rates for the benefit of the special industrial interests they represent." Not only the farmers, but the consumers and labor has been delivered over to the mercy of the trusts, foreign nations had been offended and provoked to retaliation and ill-feeling between different sections of this country aroused. By placing excessive duties on building materials a blow had been struck at public and private construction to assist in remodeling unemployment.

Crudely Worded

A mayor who owed his prosperity more to hard work than to education was making his farewell speech after a strenuous year of office. "Ladies and gentlemen," he began, "tonight I finish my year of morality. Tomorrow I resume my normal life."—London Tit-Bits.

S. Scott Beck, Attorney.

RATIFICATION NISI

S. ~~Scott Beck, Assignee~~

versus

William H. Cacy

In the Circuit Court for Kent County

In Equity No. 2567

Ordered, this 21st day of March, 1930 by the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity, that the Auditor's Account and Report, stated and reported by Herbert E. Perkins, Special Auditor, in the above entitled cause, be Ratified and Confirmed, unltss cause to the contrary thereof be shown within three weeks from the date of the first publication of said notice, viz: April 12th, 1930. Provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each two successive weeks before the 7th day of April next.

ROBERT A. SHALLCROSS, Clerk

True copy—Test:

ROBERT A. SHALLCROSS, Clerk

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Sotice is hereby giventhat the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent County letters administrator on the personal estate of James P. Price, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 22nd day of September, 1930, otherwise they ma yby law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 18th day of March, 1930.

ETHEL P. GIBBS,
Administratrix of
James P. Price, deceased

March 18, 1930 22mar-4t

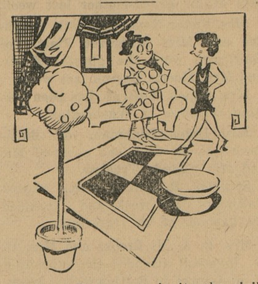
MADE ENOUGH FOR THAT



"Does she make enough of a living to clothe herself?"

"Oh, perfectly, dear—she's a nude model for artists during the day and in the chorus at night, you know."

A BRIDGE SPECIALIST

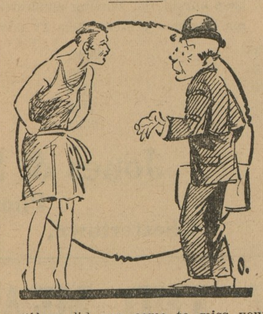


Mother—Be sure to invite the civil engineer to our card party, dear.

Daughter—Why invite him?

Mother—He's a bridge specialist, you know.

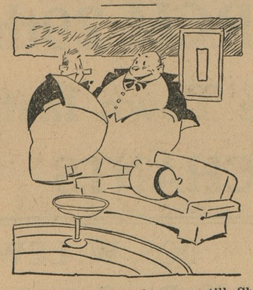
A GOOD REASON, TOO



"How did you come to miss your train?"

"Why the derned thing was on time this morning."

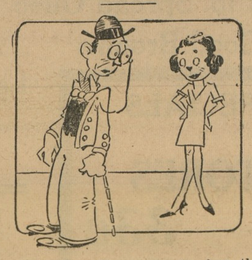
MUST FEEL RELIEVED



"My wife's tongue is never still. She talked her head off this morning."

"How relieved you must feel."

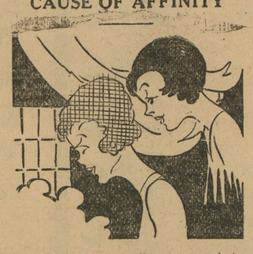
NOT CONGENIAL



"Why does Tom seem to shun the society of ladies?"

"Well, you see, he doesn't smoke."

CAUSE OF AFFINITY



Gertie—"Every fellow around here seems to consider Miss Rich his affinity." Maggie — "Yes; she's very wealthy."

Great University

Yale university has 142 buildings, besides 20 dormitories and a library which contains 1,700,000 volumes.

The Great Moral Force

What has been the greatest force in achieving such morality as we have? Probably the certainty, demonstrated cruelly every hour of the day, that it is a better policy than immorality, has more to do with it than anything else. It isn't natural wisdom, love, that rules the world, but experience, punishment. —Howe's Monthly.

FINE PLAY AT STILL POND

"Aunt Jerusky on the War Path"

The Still Pond Epworth League gave a fine show Friday night at I. O. O. F. Hall under the name of "Aunt Jerusky on the War Path."

The following were the characters:

Little Sis Hopkins "The Thread Girl"
Margaret Anthony
Sufficiency Fish "Right off the Farm'
Richard Fellows
Aunt Jerusky Fish .....
..... "Hiram's Better Half"
Mrs. Carson Greenwood
Stelly Etta Sanpper "An Old Maid"
Mabel Norris
Hiram Fish .... "The Constal le'
Howard Rasin
Elder Snuffels .... "The Hypocrite"
Henry Clark
Madam Reeno-de-Beeno .....
..... "Fortune Teller"
Florence Anthony
Bill Barker "Fanager of the Carnival'
Charles Clark
Elsie Barker.. "A Carnival Queen"
Mrs. Wm. Thompson
Chorus Girls: Elizabeth Smith, Elizabeth Sahllcross, Lelia Anthony.

ACT I

The Kitchen of Hiram's Farmhouse —Morning "The Pink Letter"

ACT II

Same Afternoon "The Carnival Grounds" Aunt Jerusky and the Wild Man.

ACT III

Same Scene as Act 2—Same Afternoon.

"Call The Constabule"

Quartette—Messrs George Skeggs, Gordon Kendall, William Thompson and Howard Rasin.

Pianist—Miriam Cornelius.

Just as the moths threatened the whole tariff debate the Senate reached the camphor section.

And we got even more concrete results on the tariff when the Senate voted to keep cement on the free list.

There is no truth in the report that hereafter dry agents will be limited to shooting only one member of a family.

FARMERS WHO CAN PAY NOW

We recently ran across a Notrh Carolina doctor's diagnosis of the farmer's financial troubles which is worth passing along. This was a general practitioner in an average small town, who carried the accounts of many farm families on his books, usually making collections yearly when crops were marketed as is the custom with many.

On January 1 he checked up his delinquent accounts and found that in nearly every case those who had failed to pay were one-crop farmers, wh made no attempt to raise a variety of products. Then he looked over his paid-up list which disclosed conditions somewhat like this:

One had a flock of sheep a third had brood sows, others had dairy cows, orchards, vegetables, hay and other feed for their stock. In other words, those who had raised their own food and stock feed, or had been able to market poultry and dairy products, had also been able to pay their doctor's bill. And by the same token had been able to pay their other bills, without doubt.

Spring will soon be here. The decisions the farmer makes regarding what he will raise next season will materially affect his condition next fall. Will he profit by the experience of those who have succeeded through diversion, or will he stick to the old poverty-breeding one crop plan?

His doctor and other creditors will be interested in this question. The farmer should take an interest in it himself.

Humperdinck—Who convinced you that you couldn't learn to play the saxophone?

Picklesimmer — The installment collector.

Burglar Bill—And after yez got away from de cop, where di dyez hide?

Burglar Jake—Oh, I just ducked into de city hall, flopped down in a chair and put me feet on a desk.

Opens Easily

When opening a can where a key is necessary, place a small screw driver through the end of the key and then turn. It will turn easily and quickly without hurting the fingers.

Marriage a Great Teacher

"Co-education is a great aid to marriage," says the head of an American university. And on the other hand marriage is a great aid to co-education.—Toronto Star.

Kentucky's Distinction

Kentucky has 1,800 miles of navigable streams and 12,000 miles of fishable streams, said to be the greatest mileage of this kind in any state in the United States.

Heavy and Light Woods

Results from more than 130,000 tests made by the United States forest service show that hickory is the heaviest wood grown in this country, and the lightest when green was found to be western red cedar.



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