OPPOSES THE TARIFF

Speech Of Hon. T. Alan Goldsborough, of Maryland, In the House of Representatives Tuesday, June 27

The House in Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union had under consideration bill (H. R. 8062), amending subdivision (5) of section 302 of the war risk insurance act.

Mr. Goldsborough spoke as follows:

Mr. Chairman, in previous speeches I have discussed the tariff along general lines, indicating the vicious character of this class of legislation, and now, in a few words, I want to discuss the tax upon the average American consumer concealed in just one of the schedules of the monstrous measure now up for passage through the Senate of the United States.

The schedules on cotton goods are on an average 45 per cent higher than in the present tariff law, and in themselves place an unwarranted and outrageous burden on the American people, but tacked on to the cotton schdules I find the following apparently innocent language in paragraph 905A:

"In addition to the duty or duties imposed upon cotton cloth, there shall be paid the following duties, namely: On all cotton cloth woven with eight or more harnesses, or with Jacquard motions, or with drop boxes, or with lappett or swivel attachments, 12 per cent ad valorem for cloths containing yarns the average number of which does not exceed number 30; exceeding 30, 15 per cent ad valorem.

A careful investigation shows that the language quoted above from paragraph 905A would subject to the additional tax practically every yard of cotton cloth imported into this country; in other words, paragraph 905A is a deliberate attempt to conceal the additional tax on practically all cotton goods.

This paragraph, I find, is the handiwork of ex-United States Senator Lippett, of Rhode Island, now lobbying at the Capitol. I find also, that Senator Lippett is general manager of the Manville Co., which has extensive plants in the State or Rhode Island.

Section 905A, called in the majority cloakroom a "joker," will be a terrible joke in the average American home in the tariff bill becomes a law. These are some of the things it will do:

On ginghams for aprons and workingmen's shirts—that is, the cheaper ginghams—the rates of duty are increased over the present law 161 per cent.

Cotton imitation flannel is used most generally for women's and children's wear. The present duty is 4 cents a yard; the duty will be 8 cents a yard.

Five to 6 cents a yard duty is now paid on jacquards waisting. The duty will be 13.78 cents a yard, an increase of 136 per cent. This goods is used for women's and children's wear.

On fancy flannelette there is now a duty of 5 cents a yard. The duty will be 200 per cent higher, or 15 cents a yard.

Dotted swisses will be doubled in price.

The duty on cotton handkerchiefs will be increased from 46 cents a dozen to $1.18 a dozen; 153 per cent higher.

Chambray, used for dresses, now pays 2 cents a yard duty, but will pay 4 cents a yard.

Fruit of the loom, used for men's shirts and all sorts of women's garments, would pay an increased duty of 96 per cent; that is, an increase from 3 cents a yard to 5.8 cents a yard.

Colored sateens, a substitute for silk, used, among other things, for women's underclothing and for linings, now pays 11 cents a yard duty. It will be 28 cents a yard, or 146 per cent more.

Fancy dress ginghams will pay 290 per cent more duty. They now pay 2.9 cents a yard and will pay 8.4 cents a yard.

I am going to add here that bleached nainsook, bed sheeting, and pillowcases pay increased duties under the tariff bill of 52 and 36 per cent. respectively, although they do not come under section 905A.

The tariff on laces, 50 per cent more than the present duties, will drive the more inexpensive one practically from the stores.

Cotton hose and half hose will probably be increased in price 50 per cent and the price of cotton gloves doubled. In other words, importations of cotton have always been only a fraction of domestic consumption; section 905A will create an absolute embargo and the cost of gingham, striped-cotton flannel, flannelette, dotted swisses, colorded sateens, fruit of the loom, and almost every other kind and grade of cotton cloth can be doubled at retail prices if the tariff bill becomes a law.

Under the present tariff the records of the Department of Commerce show large profits to the cotton manufacturers on an inflated capitalization after paying top-heavy salaries to officers in order to avoid corporate income taxes, wages, costs of production, and income taxes, and no reason has been offered for an increase in the duties, except the selfish greed of a powerful class.

It is estimated that section 905A alone of the tariff, this cynical "joker" inserted at the suggestion of the lobbyist Lippett, will filch from the American people the collossal sum of $750,000,000 annually, an average of $37.50 from every family in the land, and as cotton goods are used by everyone, and as there are more poor people than any other class, the backs of the poor will be bowed under the greater part of this awful burden, and while the golden flood, wrung from the people, is poured into the laps of a handful of rich cotton manufacturers, I say to them that they are depriving the poor of the simplest necessities of life, and I say to them also that their wives and their daughters, when they cover themselves with their gowns of silk, have not been clothed by the worm alone, but their raiment has been spun from the bowels of babes.

WEDINGS.

Mrs. E. D. Noll, near town, entertained Miss Cora Robbins, of Frederica, Del., last week.

Miss Elsie E. Manlove, daughter of Ross Manlove, of near Cecilton, and Bennett Boulden, son of Wm. Baulden, were united in marriage Friday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock at the Zion M. E. parsonage, Cecilton, the ceremony being performed by Rev. T. R. Van Dyke.

—Eddie Griffin, colored, was shot recently by Clinton Gladding, the local manager of the Gladding Express Co. at Cambridge. Griffin died in Cambridge Hospital. The affair was an accident.

SPORTS

Rain Prevents Opening Of Tri-County Baseball League—Chestertown and Centreville Will Clash Today At Centreville

Rain prevented the opening of the Tri-County Baseball League series on Tuesday, when Easton was scheduled to play Chestertown and Centreville was scheduled to clash with Oxford. Interest in the game was keen, but as the hour for the game approached it was found that, unless all indications were wrong, the game would not start. At about 3 p. m. the elements broke loose and the hope of playing the game was at once abandoned.

Oxford took the place of St. Michaels in the Tri-County League and will put a fast team in the field.

Chestertown and Oxford were on the lists for a game here Thursday, but again the weather prevented the same being played.

Chestertown and Centreville will clash today at Centreville.

Manager Fred Russell is deeply optimistic regarding Chestertown's chances for winning the flag in the Tri-County League. If anyone can put it over for Chestertown, Manager Russell can.

Fans are now freely admitting that they are playing faster ball this year down the shore than was possible under the old arrangement.

Johnson, Flowers, Duffy and Wrght continue to hold on to their positions with Cambridge, which team has poor prospects of winning the flag. Parksley is well in the lead, with Pocomoke the runner up. Salisbury is going strong and will likely give the leaders a hard run before the grapes have begun to purple beneath the amorous kisses of the August suns.

Relatives here have received announcement of the death of Mrs. Edith Reese Wheatley, widow of J. Charles Wheatley, a native of this county, at her home in Annapolis. She was 68 years old.

Dr. George Barkman, brother of Mrs. E. D. Albaugh, died in Baltimore last week.

The offical schedule of the Tri-County Baseball League is as follows:

At Chestertown—Oxford, July 21; July 29, Aug. 24; Centreville, Aug. 3, 12, 22; Easton, Aug. 1, Sept. 1.

At Centreville—Chestertown, July 22, 27, Aug. 29; Easton, Aug. 5, 10, 24; Oxford, July 25, Aug. 8, Sept. 1.

At Easton—Chestertown, July 25, Aug. 8, 26; Centreville, July 20, 29, Aug. 31; Oxford, Aug. 3, 12, 29.

At Oxford—Chestertown, Aug. 5, 10, 31; Centreville, Aug. 1, 26; Easton, July 22, 27, Aug. 22.

The promoters of the Chestertown baseball club should receive the hearty and enthusiastic support of every fan in the county. Were it not for such men as Messrs. Morris, Walter Wright and Fred S. Russell, who have given of their time unstintingly, the game styled baseball would have died out in the ashes of the past, with none, in Chestertown, at least, left to rekindle its flames. In every community there are a few men who do all to boost a sport. These few receive nothing but criticism for their efforts, but they are, nevertheless, the torches on the highway to sport. When the light from these flickering beacons dies out, the sport sinks into oblivion, not to sputter out again for perhaps a decade or so. And, so, if we want to see baseball in Chestertown the balance of the summer, we must rally to the support of these men, and attend the games, giving them our moral support by our presence, and helping to make the game posible by what we add to the gate receipts.

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CHARLES E. FAULKNER,

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said 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 January, 1923, otherwise they may by 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 July, 1922.

J. HARRY JARVIS,
j22-4t. Administrator.

ORDER NISI

In the Orphans' Court for Kent County, Md.

Ordered this 18th day of July, 1922, that the sale of the real estate made and reported by Benjamin Comegys Emory, Trustee, under and by virtue of power and authority contained in the will of William N. Emory, deceased, and by an order passed in this Court be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 25th day of September, next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some weekly newspaper, published and printed in said Kent County, at least once a week for four successive weeks before the 21st day of August, next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $14,750.00.

EDWARD A. SCOTT,
J. HENRY THOMPSON,
W. K. HUDSON,
Judges Orphans' Court.

True Copy, Test:
S. J. CALDWELL,
Register of Wills.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent County letters testamentary on the personal estate of

M. MARION MALCOLM,

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 13th day of December, 1922, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

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