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### PROPHETS MIX UP VIRGINIA FIGHT

#### Figureless Forecasts Add to Uncertainty and Doubt.

### BOTH SIDES STAND PAT

#### Mann and Tucker Continue to Claim Everything.

#### Below Normal Vote Is Expected. Evidences of "Machine" Split Are Increasing—Col. James Mann Criticizes the Time-Dispatch Forecast and Wants the Figures—Says Correspondents Are Not Good Judges.

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Richmond, Va., Aug. 3.—With the primary day now only twenty-four hours off, the contest for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination overshadows all other contests for places on the State ticket, due to the indications that the race is a very close one. The headquarters of both Mann and Tucker, however, are still claiming everything, and are standing pat on their predictions.

Despite the Times-Dispatch forecast, published to-day, indicating Tucker's nomination by a small majority, more confidence apparently exists among Mann's friends than there does among the close friends of Tucker. By friends it is not meant those around the headquarters of either candidate, but those persons on the outside who keep in touch with political conditions.

#### Fifth District Close.

The situation is muddled by reports from the Fifth district. This district was relied upon early in the campaign to give Judge Mann from 1,000 to 1,500 majority. At a recent conference or "informal gathering" of Mann's friends, the person representing the Fifth district, and that person is one high in the Democratic party, who has recently toured the district, declared that he could not see more than 100 majority for Mann. This news was quite a shock to the Mann followers at the "informal gathering."

All indications to-night are that the primary is in doubt, very much in doubt, and in fact, the result is regarded as so close that careful persons do not care to be quoted on the probable result.

#### Below Normal.

The indications are further that there will be a below-normal vote, which is not regarded as a good sign for Tucker. The Democratic press, however, has been hammering at the independent and indifferent vote, trying to impress upon it the importance of going to the polls Thursday. The Times-Dispatch this morning set forth the claim that the real election is the primary Thursday, for the nominee will undoubtedly be the next governor. This indifferent vote will go to Tucker if it goes to the polls; in fact, Tucker's greatest danger is that his vote may not be polled.

The absence of figures from the forecasts that have been and are being made is the subject of much speculation. The Tucker men declare that the reports do not coincide with the reports which have come to them, holding that there are as many as two "machines" in the city, which are in the Mann column that will be found aligned for Tucker when the vote is counted.

Judge Mann is certain of winning the nomination, according to recent reports he has received, or, rather, which have been received at his headquarters. He has increased the minimum majority to 12,000.

The governorship is claimed by Mr. Tucker as a dead sure thing. He is here to-night, and made two speeches. In an interview given out to-day, he declared that there was not the least question of his winning.

Below Normal Vote.  
The best information obtainable is that the vote will not exceed 70,000, though there are some who contend that it will be very much below that figure.

The situation is one that is still perplexing, confusing and uncertain. The repeated statements that the "machine" is for Judge Mann are incorrect. The fact is that the organization is very much split as between Tucker and Mann, with a great many voters refusing to go into the primary for the reason that they do not want to vote for either.

The majority of the Democrats who will go into the primary are Tucker men, and they are firm that they will not vote, for the reason that they will not pledge themselves to vote for Mann in case he is the nominee.

On a whole, the prospect to-day is uncertain; but that the victor will have a small majority is certain.

The total vote of the State will fall far below the normal. Many thousands of Democrats will scratch both candidates for governor, voting for the rest of the ticket.

Criticizes Newspaper Forecast.  
Col. James Mann says he is not the slightest disturbed by the Times-Dispatch forecast of this morning.

"It is significant," he said, "that no figures were given. A forecast that does not give any figures is, of course, of no value whatever in determining the vote in a primary where every vote counts. The Times-Dispatch forecast itself is the best evidence of this. If we take from the Mann column all of the counties claimed by our local friends that are given Tucker in the forecast, and place them in the Tucker column by the same majorities that our friends are claiming them for Judge Mann, it still leaves Judge Mann a majority of 6,000 votes. If the Times-Dispatch wants its forecast to have any value it should give the figures. They are the things that tell."

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### WEATHER FORECAST

For the District of Columbia and Maryland—Unsettled to-day. To-morrow fair and warmer; moderate easterly winds, becoming variable.

### HERALD NEWS SUMMARY.

Pages. TELEGRAPHIC.  
1—Czar Enjoys Day of Freedom.  
1—Three-cent Fare Again Defeated.  
3—Mob Besieges Indianapolis Council.  
3—Legacy Awaits Adventurers.  
2—Dr. Barker Calls Thaw Inane.

### LOCAL.

1—Lincoln Pennies may be Recalled.  
1—Fight on Tariff Nearing End.  
2—Mrs. Sutton Glad of Hazing Inquiry.  
3—Diamonds Worth \$1,000 Disappear.  
3—Detectives Defy Sylvester's Order.  
3—Washingtonian Rescues Girl Bathed.  
4—Urgent Deficiency Bill Ready.

### BACK TO OLD BROADWAY.

Atlanta, Aug. 3.—Charging that his wife scorns Atlanta and Atlanta people, and for that reason refuses to live with him here, Robert Jerome Dean, the artist of Uncle Remus' Home Magazine, has filed suit for divorce on the ground of desertion. Dean came to Atlanta from New York in 1905, and his wife followed in a few months.

### GEORGIAN EDITORS IN HEATED CLASH

#### Friends of Howell and Gray Fear Personal Encounter.

#### BITTER EPITHETS ARE HURLED

Atlanta, Aug. 3.—Editor Clark Howell of the Constitution, and Editor Dick Gray of the Journal, have been hurling bitter epithets at each other for some days, and the controversy has become so heated that friends fear there may be a personal encounter.

As usual, the two editors began fighting over former Gov. Hoke Smith, Howell attacking and Gray defending, but the two editors have become so inflamed at each other that the cause belli has been lost sight of. Referring to Gray, Howell says:

"The average monkey has but little sense, and the flat head has none. Makes itself offensive."

"Unlike the average simian, the flat head is of particularly vicious temperament, making itself personally insulting and offensive without provocation and invariably squealing when brought to bay with the lash."

"And there is a journalistic flat head in Atlanta who is true to the instinct of the tribe and whose lamentations at being brought to a sudden halt in his vicious and insulting career is scarcely less than those of a rhinoceros hide and utterly without delicacy of temperament or the average instinct of gentleness, he has not sense enough to know when he is personally offensive, and now tries to draw a diagram illustrating his stupidity with which the public has long been familiar."

#### Gray in Retort.

Referring to Howell, Gray says: "Few people are aware that 'Billiken,' supposed to be the god of things as they ought to be, is again endeavoring to cut some figure in Georgia politics. To be sure, it is not a genuine 'Billiken.' It is a sort of spurious imitation, cheap kind of a 'Billiken.'"

"Nevertheless he attempts to be a little tin god of things as he thinks they ought to be, and his idea of how these things ought to be is that which will yield to him some kind of undesired importance. 'Billiken' is a funny little fellow with a large fat jaw and simian-shaped head, chubby little legs, and exuberant little toes that give him a very comical appearance."

"He is made of the common mud. Our Georgia 'Billiken' is not the genuine article, and he is not exactly the god of things as they ought to be."

"Tom Watson, at whose heels this 'Billiken' is now trailing, like a whiplashed spaniel, once called him 'A little fat liar.' We think the epithet was too severe considering his inability to do any substantial harm."

### QUAKE VICTIMS IN WANT.

#### Temporary Shacks at Acapulco Are Miserably Inadequate in Rain.

Acapulco, Mexico, Aug. 3.—The earthquake shocks continue, and all buildings that remain standing are untenable. A heavy rain set in during the night, and many are suffering for want of shelter. The tents and temporary shacks in which the people are living are miserably inadequate.

The local authorities have sworn to citizens as special policemen, because the force of soldiers is wholly insufficient. Houses and stores have been looted.

Food, clothing and medicine is urgently needed, but thus far no relief steps have been taken by the federal government. It is stated at the war department that no request for national aid has been received. It is said relief measures are being held up through red tape.

The people of Acapulco have heard that the United States has offered to send food and supplies on a war ship, and are overjoyed at the prospect.

Phone Operator Beaten.  
Pittsburg, Aug. 3.—Ella Clifford, a twenty-four-year-old night telephone operator, gave two burglars a battle that lasted three hours last night before they succeeded in beating her unconscious and robbing the office.

81 Niagara Falls and Return, Aug. 6. 7:45 a. m. Special train coaches, and parlor cars via Baltimore and Ohio and Lehigh Valley Route. Limit fifteen days. Dining car. Free. Liberal stopovers returning. Cheap side trips from Niagara Falls. Other excursions August 20, September 3 and 17, October 1.

### DAY OF FREEDOM ENJOYED BY CZAR

#### Russian Royalty Escapes from Surveillance.

### CHILDREN HAVE OUTING

#### Imperial Youngsters Make Most of Their Opportunity.

Czar and Carolina Cruise in the Solent with King Edward, with No Salutes Being Fired and No War Ships Dogging Their Way—Princesses Buy Picture Post Cards by Dozen—Inspect Chair of Late Queen

Cowes, Aug. 2.—Although protected aloft by the guns of the greatest fleet any power in the world could assemble, and though the shore swarms with an unostentatious army of international police, the members of the Russian imperial family to-day were able to enjoy themselves with greater freedom than they experienced anywhere except in the gardens of Tsarsko-Selo.

The Czar and Czarina, escaping the everlasting surveillance to which they are subjected, cruised in the Solent with King Edward in the latter's sailing yacht Britannia just like ordinary yachtsmen and yachtswomen. No salutes marked their progress and no war ship dogged their way. It was a pleasant day's sailing.

Happier still was the lot of the imperial youngsters, who landed in the morning at East Cowes, at an ordinary pier, in Osborne Bay, with the children of the Prince of Wales. They paddled in the water, collected sea shells, and enjoyed themselves as children should.

Buy Picture Postals.  
After luncheon the Czar's two elder children strolled along the main street of East Cowes with two ladies-in-waiting. They bought dozens of picture post cards until the news having spread that the Czar was ashore, a great crowd gathered, and Sir Edward Hely, commissioner of the metropolitan police, interfered with a landau and wagonette.

It was then 4:30, and the elder of the little princesses said: "We have shore leave until 5." Nor would they surrender one minute of their holiday.

Sending their attendant and protectors to the landau intended for themselves, the little princesses got into the humble wagonette, from which more was to be seen, and drove off. They overtook Canon Smith, who took them to Whippingham Church, where they regarded with wide-eyed interest the chair used by the late Queen Victoria.

Libson, Aug. 2.—King Manuel has accepted a personal invitation from King Edward to visit England.

Perfect Understanding Exists.  
Paris, Aug. 3.—President Fallieres, in giving at a meeting of the council of ministers to-day his impressions of his recent meeting with the Czar at Cherbourg, said that in conversation with the Czar he had noted the perfect understanding that existed between the French and Russian governments, and their common desire that their alliance should contribute to the consolidation of peace.

### NO REPORTS ON ENDOWMENT.

#### The Catholic University Scholarship Fund Questioned Up Later.

Mobile, Ala., Aug. 3.—The first business taken up at the opening business session of the Knights of Columbus convention was a call for information on the \$50,000 endowment subscription for scholarships to the Catholic University at Washington. The matter was deferred for report until a later period.

Supreme Knight Edward L. Hearn, in his report to the convention, said that the most important work before the order was the raising of this fund, and he urged the delegates to push the movement, complying with the wish of not only himself, but of Cardinal Gibbons and Deputa.

It is generally understood that Supreme Knight James A. Flaherty, of Philadelphia, will be elected supreme knight upon the retirement of the present supreme knight, Edward L. Hearn.

### STEEL RAILS IN DEMAND.

#### Prices of Railroad Iron Products Are Showing Advance.

New York, Aug. 3.—It is estimated that inquiries for rails to the amount of 100,000 tons are in the market. The Baltimore and Ohio is inquiring for 20,000 tons. Dispatches to-day announced that Southern cast iron pipe is now quoted at \$27, having advanced \$1 a week for the last three weeks, while Bessemer pig has been raised from \$15.50 a ton Pittsburgh to \$16, and Basic from \$15 Pittsburgh to \$15.25. The nominal quotation for steel billets is \$25 a ton, but there is difficulty in getting considerable quantity at less than \$25.

### MOORS ARE DRIVEN BACK.

#### Spaniards Inflict Heavy Loss in Defense of Blockhouse.

Madrid, Aug. 2.—An official communication from Melilla, dated to-day, says: "Last night, from 11:30 to midnight, strong forces of Moors attacked a blockhouse in course of construction. Vigorous fusillades were exchanged until 3:15, when six companies relieved the Spaniards, and the Moors were put to flight. During the engagement the Moors tore up 150 yards of the railway. The Spanish losses were the officer commanding the detachment killed and forty wounded. We retained the position. The losses of the enemy must have been great, but owing to their numerical superiority, they were able to carry off their killed and wounded."

Gen. Marina has ordered the railway repaired and the construction of the blockhouse completed immediately. This is necessary to insure the maintenance of communications.

### JOHNSON ADVISES WEST.

Minnesota Governor Says East Has Ruled Country Long Enough.  
Seattle, Wash., Aug. 3.—In his address at the Minneapolis Day celebration at the Seattle exposition Gov. John A. Johnson said:

"It is time the West threw off the shackles of the East. I would preach no sectional divisions and no sectional strife. But Minnesota and Washington and the States between them, with those to the south, should rise in their might and claim for themselves that fair share of influence in the halls of Congress and in the administration of national affairs to which they are entitled."

The speaker said the call of the West was the call for patriotism and progress, for emancipation from every form of Old World and New World caste and privilege, from tyranny of wealth and birth, and from the domination of the trust and political machine.

### SHOT BY AN ANGRY HUSBAND.

#### Hotel Man Wounded When Found in Company of Another's Wife.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 3.—Finding his wife at the door of the room of Michael P. Anderson, one of the officials of the Aragon Hotel, William White, of Nashville, Tenn., a guest of the hotel, shot and fatally wounded Anderson about 5 o'clock this afternoon. The shooting was done on the fifth floor of the hotel, and Mrs. White says it occurred in the corridor near Anderson's room. Others say, however, Anderson was shot in his own room and that Mrs. White was in the room at the time her husband entered and fired.

### PREMATURELY AGED BY HIS WIFE'S ACTS

#### Remarkable Plea in Answer to Nonsupport Suit.

#### INJECTED OLD MAN'S BLOOD

Denver, Aug. 3.—O. C. Rogers offered a novel plea in answer to a charge of nonsupport made by his wife, Barbara M. Rogers, in court to-day—that Mrs. Rogers had him injected with the blood from a diseased old man, which nearly caused his immediate death, and has handed him a performing manual labor, she claims that his wife cannot compel him to support her.

Rogers, who is yet a young man, claims that he married Mrs. Rogers in Chicago while he was a mere boy and when she was already the mother of five children by a former husband.

"I was inveigled into the marriage by the wiles of a woman old enough to be my mother," he said. "It was my first experience with a woman, and she easily threw me about me. But after we were married she tired of my youth and vivacity, and attempted to reduce me to the state of decrepitude which she herself had reached."

"She secured the services of a quack doctor who was attending an old man afflicted with rheumatism, that was brought about by a terrible disease. Under the pretext that he wished to analyze the blood of the aged invalid, he drew a lot from his veins near the seat of a sore."

"He placed this in a hypodermic syringe and injected some in my arm." Rogers exhibited a hand that was ruled that the motto, "In God We Trust" might just as well be left off the currency. At the former President's say-so, an issue of ten dollar bills was sent out of the mint, devoid of the devout proverb.

Instantly there was a storm of protest from the country at large. Newspapers took up the question in their editorial columns. Preachers in the pulpit made up sermons about it. It was argued that the motto, standing on the coin and currency of the nation, was a fitting tribute to the religious attitude that prompted the pilgrims on the shores of New England to offer up thanksgiving, and inaugurated for all time the custom of celebrating one day of the year in thanks to a higher power that had allowed the new nation to exist.

### LAUTERBACH FOLK STARTLED

#### Son's Secret Marriage Learned Through Newspapers.

#### Ceremony Performed Only Eight Days Before His Death in Automobile Accident.

New York, Aug. 3.—The first intimation that members of the family of Edward Lauterbach had that there is a woman who says she is the widow of Alfred Lauterbach, the lawyer's son and partner, and has a son by him born after his death, came in the advertisements printed on Monday in the same column of a morning newspaper.

Married—Lauterbach-Cunningham—On July 21, 1908, Sophia Houston, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Cunningham, of Oakland, N. J., to Alfred Lauterbach, of New York.

Born—Lauterbach—On May 15, 1908, to Alfred Lauterbach, deceased, and Mrs. Alfred Lauterbach, a son.

In the morning mail that day Mr. Lauterbach received a letter from a woman signing herself as Mrs. Sophia Lauterbach, merely directing his attention to the advertisements, but saying absolutely nothing as to the purpose of publishing the advertisements so long after the events.

The advertisements and the letter following it caused almost as much of a shock to the family as did the young lawyer's death in an automobile accident in July of last year.

When Mrs. Cunningham was questioned about the advertisements to-day, she said: "The wedding took place about eight days before the fatal auto accident, but that is all I care to say on the subject at this time."

Diaz Aids Spanish Widows.  
Mexico City, Aug. 3.—President Diaz has headed a subscription for the relief of the women and children of Spain made dependent because of the war in Morocco. His donation was \$1,000. The Spanish colony here and the Mexican public are contributing liberally to the fund.

### LINGOLLY PENNIES MAY BE RECALLED

#### Overenergetic Engraver Put on His Initials.

### NO CREDITS ALLOWED

#### Uncle Sam Generally Frowns on Signed Money.

Scrutinizing Admirers of New Coppers Discover Small "V. D. E." on Coin, Remember Victor D. Brenner Made Drawing, and Are Going to Tell Mint Director—Many Persons Say New Plate Will Be Ordered.

Like all newcomers in the critical gaze of the public, the new Lincoln penny, which has been in circulation only one day, has already found its enemies.

Heretofore all over the country as the substitute of the old "cigar stand Indian" coin, and sought in all the money centers as a curiosity, the new penny bids fair to become of even more value than was at first supposed.

The trouble is this. A man by the name of Victor D. Brenner, of New York, designed the penny. Somehow or other Mr. Brenner's initials appear in small raised letters on his work.

Initials on the Coin.  
The letters "V. D. E." are on the coin near the edge, on the reverse side just below the sheaf of wheat. They can be seen with the naked eye if one's attention is directed to them closely.

There they are. There is nothing else they can stand for, so far as those who know anything about the design of United States coins can see. They must belong to Victor D. Brenner, and what right—ask the objectors—has Victor D. Brenner to set his name on the exchange of the realm along with the likeness of the illustrious Abraham Lincoln? Victor D. Brenner, they admit, may be all right, but he is slightly misplaced, that's all.

And so the question is going to be called to the attention of the Director of the Mint to-day, and he will be asked to pass on the matter. He will be asked to say, in his official capacity, whether or not the designer of a coin is to be allowed to set his initials on the metal, to be circulated broadcast over the country wherever the coin itself permeates.

Other Freaks on Money.  
It is an interesting question, but it is not entirely without precedent in the annals of the mint.

About three years ago there was a new issue of \$10 bills. The day the issue came out there was the same enthusiasm, the same close scrutiny, and—be it said—the same more or less disastrous results.

It was discovered that if the bill was turned upside down the eagle, with its tail feathers, made a perfect image of a donkey. Instantly there was a howl of derision. Whether or not the designer intended to perpetrate a sly joke on the public did not appear in the argument. The fact remained that the long-eared, thistle-eating animal was on the bill, and he had to go.

So the new issue was recalled, and the designers at the mint were told to get out a new bill, devoid of donkeys. It seems a small enough thing—this matter of getting out a coin. Forsooth, says the casual observer, if it passes as collateral for the butter and eggs, why be critical about it?

But the public is critical, nevertheless, as President Roosevelt learned when he ruled that the motto, "In God We Trust" might just as well be left off the currency. At the former President's say-so, an issue of ten dollar bills was sent out of the mint, devoid of the devout proverb.

Instantly there was a storm of protest from the country at large. Newspapers took up the question in their editorial columns. Preachers in the pulpit made up sermons about it. It was argued that the motto, standing on the coin and currency of the nation, was a fitting tribute to the religious attitude that prompted the pilgrims on the shores of New England to offer up thanksgiving, and inaugurated for all time the custom of celebrating one day of the year in thanks to a higher power that had allowed the new nation to exist.

### PERPETUATED SENTIMENT.

It was contended that the four words perpetuated the sentiment of the prayers offered up on Bunker Hill, and the fervor of George Washington at Valley Forge.

And in the face of the general protest, Congress recalled the order of President Roosevelt and the mint went back to the old forms, and back to the old motto.

It looks as if something of the same sort of thing is about to happen in the case of the new penny coins. That substratum of independence in the make-up of the American people bids fair to rise in revolt against the placing of any man's initials beside the name of the savior of his country—even on a penny.

A decision in the matter will be asked from the Director of the Mint to-day.

### THEY DO RAISE PINEAPPLES.

#### Porto Ricans Send Message to Enlighten Some of the Senators.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Aug. 3.—The chances of the pineapple amendment to the tariff bill favoring Porto Rico having been lost, and the discussion showing many Senators did not even know that the pineapple grows in Porto Rico, the chamber of commerce has been moved to send the following cable to Representatives Payne and Dabell:

"If the Senate amendment providing for a tariff of one half a cent a pound is permitted to stand, the fruit growers who have invested millions in the pineapple industry, will with Florida and Hawaii, supply the whole demand. Next year the Porto Rican crop will be 150,000 crates. The Senate amendment is vital to the interests of the Porto Rico industry."

### BIG RESERVOIR BREAKS.

#### 1,000,000,000 Feet of Water Released in Colorado.

Port Morgan, Colo., Aug. 3.—The Empire reservoir, nineteen miles northwest, holding 2,500,000,000 feet of water, broke last night, releasing 1,000,000,000 feet of water, causing \$500,000 damage to ranches and rushing down the South Platte River. No lives were lost.

### MEXICO FEARS ROOSEVELT.

#### With Him as Ambassador, Editor Warns of Country's Absorption.

Mexico City, Aug. 3.—El Manana, a local daily, gives its version of the report that the American colony in Mexico is getting up a petition to have ex-President Roosevelt appointed Ambassador to Mexico, insinuating that the appointment is bringing the most aggressive man in the United States to the center of Mexico with his avowed ideas about the consolidation of the Latin-American republics with the United States, would be dangerous to the independence of Mexico.

### TRYING TO AVERT STRIKE.

#### Mayor Busse, of Chicago, Hopes to Reconcile Warring Elements.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Mayor Busse and Acting Chief of Police Schuetter agreed to-day to intervene to prevent a strike of the street railway employees of Chicago. They will try to reconcile the street railway heads and their employees.

Such action was found to be within the province of the mayor, because, under the present agreement, the city is a party in the street railway companies. That the mayor will be able to avert a strike is believed.

### REFERENDUM DOWNS THREE-CENT FARES

#### Mayor Johnson Loses Fourth Fight in Ten Months.

#### RESULT CAUSES NO SURPRISE

#### Effort to Pass Basic Ordinance for Extension Grants Does Not Meet with Approval of Voters—Republicans at Odds, Owing to Re-entry in Politics of Former Mayor McKisson

Cleveland, Aug. 3.—Mayor Tom L. Johnson to-day suffered his fourth defeat within ten months at the hands of the voters.

The Schmidt traction franchise, granting to an associate of the mayor a grant in Payne avenue to operate a traction line at a 3-cent fare, which was to have been the basic ordinance of extension grants to cover practically three-quarters of the city's traction system with 3-cent fare lines, was defeated confirmation in the referendum election to-day.

For the franchise's approval 29,947 votes were cast; against the franchise, 34,925, a majority against the mayor's side of 5,978 votes.

The result, though predicted by leaders of the campaign in opposition to the mayor conducted by the citizens' committee of 100, a chamber of commerce body, and by the warring lawyers, who offered 2 to 1 that the franchise would be defeated, fell short of the expectations of the mayor's opponents.

Many confidently expected a 15,000 adverse majority. That a majority of only 5,900 was obtained is blamed to the holding of the election in midsummer.

The total vote was 20,000 short of the registration.

The political situation is complicated, however, by the victory of the mayor's opponents, inasmuch as Robt. McKisson, former Republican mayor, and opponent of Mark Hanna before the latter's elevation to the Senate, had much to do with the defeat of the mayor. McKisson is to be a candidate for the Republican mayoralty nomination.

His entry into the race will revive the factionalism which has split the Republican party, and made more easy Mayor Johnson's frequent victories.

### NAVY WILL HOLD WILLIAMS.

#### Request of Massachusetts Police Rejected by Admiral Schroeder.

Provincetown, Mass., Aug. 3.—Detective Bradford of the Massachusetts State police, went aboard the battle ship Vermont late this afternoon with a warrant for the arrest of David W. Williams, colored, of Marietta, Ga., on the charge of manslaughter.

The warrant charges Williams with being responsible for the injuries that caused Foster's death aboard the Vermont, Sunday afternoon. Detective Bradford did not get his prisoner and was forced to return to Provincetown in his motor boat single-handed.

Bradford first saw the captain of the Vermont, and on being refused the custody of Williams, he went to the Connecticut for an interview with Rear Admiral Schroeder.

Admiral Schroeder admitted the rights of the Massachusetts courts to prosecute Williams, but also said that he desired to investigate the matter still further, in the interests of the Navy Department, and unless ordered by Washington authorities to surrender the man, he would hold him for the present.

OWE NEARLY TEN MILLIONS.  
E. D. Shepard & Co. File Schedules in Bankruptcy Case.  
New York, Aug. 3.—Schedules of the firm of E. D. Shepard & Co., filed to-day in the United States District Court, show liabilities of \$9,558,345.79, and assets of \$8,285,928.52. Of the liabilities claims aggregating \$3,473,537 are unsecured.

### FIGHT ON TARIFF NEARING THE END

#### Senate Will Take Final Vote To-morrow Afternoon.

### FEW CHANGES REQUIRED

#### Leaders Are Confident of Adjournment This Week.

Aldrich Will Cover Corrections with Concurrent Resolution—Senator Calhoun Wants Cotton Bagging on the Free List—President Preparing to Go to His Summer Home at Beverly Friday.

The end of the long struggle to bring forth a tariff act is now in sight. By unanimous agreement, arrived at in the Senate shortly after noon yesterday, a vote will be taken on