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TARIFF DUTY ON COFFEE.

The suggestion that, in view of the Government's need of revenue a tariff duty be levied upon coffee, was recently set afloat in a very quiet manner. It was not given much attention, for a tariff duty on coffee, which is not produced in this country or its dependencies, has always been regarded as a free trade measure and, as such, could not be expected to pass a Republican Congress.

The only legitimate reasons for the imposition of such a duty would be the protection of an infant industry and a pressing need of revenue. As stated, we have no such infant industry, though there is some slight possibility of coffee production in Porto Rico and the Philippines. But a series of years would be required to even start the culture, even if climatic and other conditions were found to be favorable. As to an increased revenue there is need of it, but it has ever been a Republican principle that all tariff duties should protect home industries, and coffee is not such now nor likely to become such for years to come, if ever.

There is, however, what may be called an illegitimate reason for the imposition of a duty of five cents per pound on coffee, as suggested. It appears that abnormally large crops in Brazil have resulted in the storage of a great surplus which has reached the control of speculators. Imposition of a tariff duty, to go into effect on some future date, would bring about the shipment of that surplus here before that date, and then the price would at once advance by the amount of the duty, affording a profit, it is estimated, of about $75,000,000.

From this coffee, the government would receive no revenue; consumers would pay 5 cents more per pound, and thus the holders of the coffee would profit the full-amount of the duty. There would be neither protection of an infant industry nor revenue for the government.

If the government is in such urgent need of increased revenune as calls for a tariff duty on coffee, the date of its going into effect should be so early that this surplus stock cannot reach our ports in time to escape it.

"AFTER CLAPS" OF THE CONTEST

A notable point in most of the comments by the managers and supporters of the Hill forces in the Senatorial contest upon the result, is that his candidacy has made a splendid beginning for the next time. The term of Senator Bulkeley will expire on March 4th, 1911, and his successor will be chosen by the General Assembly to be elected next year. That is "the next time" referred to by Mr. Hill's friends will come next year, 1910. As Senators very seldom retire voluntarily. Mr. Bulkeley will probably be a candidate for re-election.

Had he, this year, refrained from aiding Senator Brandegee, it is quite probable that Mr. Hill would have received the nomination, and the way would have been cleared for his own (Bulkeley's) re-election next year. But he, instead, aided the Brandegee candidacy and must now confront Mr. Hill with exceedingly dubious chances of success. Not even the Bulkeley "barrel," supported by the Bulkeley influence, will give him more than "a fighting chance."

The Hartford Courant says that at one time Mr. Hill seemed to have actually won, but the prize "slipped away Tuesday." This slipping away appears to have been coincident with Senator Bulkeley's active appearance upon the scene. We are strongly inclined to believe that Brandegee owes his success to his colleague and that, therefore, he will even more than heretofore carry out the "Me Too" role.

Quite a number of prominent Republicans of this city visited Hartford, Monday and Tuesday, to labor in the Brandegee interest, among them Sheriff Hawley, Presidential Elector Burnham, Ex-City Attorney Marr and Drs. Godfrey and Banks. It scarcely need be said that there is a hereafter for them and that the local Hill men have long memories.

If Fairfield county gave a small majority for Brandegee, as is alleged by some it must be accredited to the labors of Sheriff Hawley and his dependents, the deputy sheriffs. It will hardly be forgotten.

Of course, in that "next time," the Statet machine will favor Bulkeley. It has great respect for the man with the "barrel," as was indicated by its ready response to Brandegee's $5,000 subscription to the campaign of last year. Thus, the Senatorial contest of 1910 will be, as in the one just ended, between the machine and the people, but possibly the Republican rank and file will be more careful in the selection of senators and representatives. It is in the town and city caucuses that the Hill-Bulkeley contest will practically be decided.

State Treasurer Patten recommends such an increase of the inheritance tax as will produce twice as much revenue as at present, and also the reimposition of the State tax on towns. There is no doubt that the state in popular parlance, "needs the money," and also no doubt that the General Assembly will not reduce expenditures to the limit of present revenue.

Both the taxes recommended are unpopular, the inheritance tax because it is in effect, a double tax, provided the deceased has during life paid taxes upon his property; the tax on towns, because those assessing property at full valuation would pay more proportionately than those assessing at less than full value. For these reasons and under exsisting conditions, both of the taxes recommended would work injustice. The only reasons for their imposition are that they are easily collectible and that the state "needs the money."

FAIRFIELD

Dangerous Air Guns—Library Report—Poultry Exhibitors—Home From Florida—Pleasant Personals.

Just now one of the uppermost topics in town is the handling of air or spring guns by small boys. It appears that quite a number of boys have these guns since last Christmas, and that some of them shoot at everything in sight. A day or two ago a little boy named West was shot in the face and the ball came within a quarter of an inch of his eye. If the ball had penetrated the eye the boy would have lost the use of it. There is a man in town who lost an eye from this cause some years ago. It is thought by some that the sale of these guns should be prohibited. Complaint is made that the boys shoot birds, and one man has been shot in the legs. That the guns are dangerous goes without saying.

Yesterday William Glover arrived home from a visit to an aunt who is spending the winter in Florida. Mr. Glover has been passing his holidays in the land of flowers.

John Burr of South Norwalk, was in town Tuesday on business.

It is now known that Mr. Brotherton, who met with an accident while operating a buzz saw in Mr. Forsyth's carpenter shop, will not lose any of his fingers, as was at one time reported.

It is rumored that in the spring time a number of new cottages will be erected on the beach at Little Bridgeport. It is known that two or three lots of land have been sold in that vicinity, and the presumption is the owners intend to improve them.

Rev. William Holman and family, of Southport, intended to go to New Haven on Tuesday to attend a symphony concert at Woolsey Hall.

Mrs. L. M. Crossman is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Newell, in Uxbridge.

Mrs. Frank S. Child and Miss Mary B. Kippen attended the recent meeting of the D. A. R. in Bridgeport, as delegates from this town.

The Library board met last evening when the semi-annual report of the librarian was read and accepted. During this time the number of readers, adults, was 3,797; juvenile, 1,870; visitors, 5,385; a total of 11,052. The daily average for the time indicated was 72, which is a slight increase over the same period in 1907, the daily average then being 67. The number of applications filed was 1,913. The number of accessions in books was 141, of which 61 were by purchase and 80 by gift. The choice of books for perusal by the townspeople is rather curious, as the following table will show: General works, 1.087; philosophy, 49; religion, 73; sociology, 412; philology, 226; science, 160; useful arts, 107; fine arts, 94; literature, 286; travel, 187; history, 245; biography, 178; fiction, 4,005; juvenile fiction, 1,876. The daily average of books drawn from the library is 58. It will be observed that fiction holds the first place as reading matter for the amusement or entertainment of the reader. There are those who think this kind of literature is not the best for the rising generation, or even for people of mature years. Probably the truth is that life is so dull and prosaic in this, as in other small towns, that the readers of books seek for a different atmosphere and resort to romances which lead them into another world of thought and divert them from the prosaic humdrum of everyday life.

Among the exhibitors from this town at the poultry show in Bridgeport are W. O. Burr, William E. Huse, Fred A. Burr, Wakeman Burr Hill and Arthur Burgess of Greenfield Hill. W. O. Burr has received premiums for guinea pigs and black cats. The exhibitors from Southport are William Taylor and E. G. Post.

It has now been definitely ascertained that the strange men in a long coat who disturbed the serenity of Southport on Saturday, "had been drinking very hard of late" and was suffering from its effects.

The public is invited to attend the meeting of the Fairfield teachers on Friday, Jan. 15, at 2:40 p. m. sharp, in Miss Banks' room in the new Post Office building. The teachers and others present will receive a lesson in drawing and one in business penmanship. Admission free to all interested.

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APPLES.—King and Northern Spy, per double-head bbl, $3.50 @ $5; Baldwin, $3.75 @ $4.50; Ben Davis, $3.50 @ $4.25; Greening, $3.75 @ $4.50.

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POULTRY — DRESSED — Turkeys, spring, selected, hens or toms, 23c; Chickens, spring, broilers, 4 lb. and under to pair, 22c @ 25c; spring, roasting, 9 to 10 lb. to pair, 23c @ 34c; Fowls, dry picked, fancy, 4½ to 5 lb. each, 15½c @ 16c; Ducks, spring, 11c @ 16c; Geese, spring, 8c @ 12c; Squabs, prime large, white, per dozen, $2.50 @ $5; poor, dark, $1.50 @ $1.75; Guineas, spring, per pair, 50c @ $1.

VEGETABLES.—Potatoes, bbl, $2.75 @ $2.87; Onions, Connecticut, white, per bbl, $2.50 @ $5; yellow, $2 @ $2.50; red, $1.75 @ $2.25; Squash, nearby, Hubbard or marrow, per bbl, 75c @ $1; Turnips, rutabaga, per bbl, 75c @ $1; white, 50c @ 75c.

BACKED BY AMERICAN GAMBLERS.

(Special from United Press.

Havana, Jan. 14.—American gamblers are to-day declared to be back of the movement to establish a National Cuban lottery under authority of a law that it is expected will be passed by the new Congress when it convenes in regular session. There is a decided sentiment in favor of lottery and plans are said to be under way already for extending its scope into the United States.

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MONROE.

Edward L. Hurd has purchased a fine stepper of Fred C. Nichols.

Mrs. Rachel Fair is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. George Hinman, of Stratford.

Former Selectman Andrew L. Burr is very sick with pleuro-pneumonia and other complications.

Alex Sinclair and wife will attend the State grange at Hartford, Jan. 12, 13 and 14 as delegates from Harmony grange.

Washington lodge did themselves proud Jan. 4th when they entertained about three hundred of their friends at their public installation of officers. P. G. M. Andrew J. Hallock of Danbury was theinstalling officer ably assisted by P. M. Dr. Wales. E. A. degree will be conferred on one candidate Monday evening, February 1st.

A granite stone has been erected in the Monroe cemetery to the memory of George Shelton.

Anniversary night at Harmony grange Friday evenin, January 22nd. The grange has florished twenty years and is still in a prosperous condition.

Walkers' Farms school is closed, the teacher, Mrs. Bertha Sutherland being sick with measles. Miss Edith Osborne is also sick with them.

The board of relief will be in session on Monday, February 1st.

Fairfield County News.

Losses By Fire.

The house of Patrick Finn at Greenwich was destroyed by fire, Saturday. Insurance $2,000. The furniture, valued at $500, was a total loss, and there was no insurance. The fire is thought to have been caused by a defective flue, or a spark from a passing engine.

A fire occurred Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mr. James Frederick McMahon in Norwalk. Mr. McMahon attempted to strike a match, when the head flew off, and landed on a large couch. In an instant this was a mass of flames, and these communicated to the lace curtains and other articles of furniture. The fire and the water used resulted in quite a loss. The house is owned by Frank Lemongelli, and is insured.

Hurt In Runaway.

After a wild ride behind a runaway horse, Misses Florence and Estelle DeWitt, daughters of Mr. C. J. DeWitt, of Wilton, were thrown out of a wagon at Norwalk, Monday. Miss Florence fared the worse of the two. Her face was badly cut and she was bruised over the right eye. She recently left the hospital, after having trouble with her knee, and this was again injured, causing much pain. Miss Estelle also received her share of bruises and cuts.

Burglary at New Canaan.

The New Canaan station was broken into early Sunday morning. Fifteen cents in pennies and a couple of tickets to Danbury were taken from the ticket office. The public telephone was taken to an empty freight car, where it was smashed. It is said that there was less than a dollar in the bell-box.

Dead in Room.

Joseph Redonowitc, a Hungarian, was found dead in his room in East Port Chester, Sunday. He had been missing for two days. It is believed he committed suicide as he had been despondent for several days, and unable to get work. Medical Examiner Clarke found a bullet wound in the side of the man. Two pistols have also since been discovered in the room, one of which was loaded and one cartridge missing from the barrel.

Olaf N. Smith, a farm hand about 50 years of age, of New Milford, was found dead in bed in Chamberlain's hotel, Stamford, Sunday afternoon. He was asphyxiated, and death seemed to be accidental. The gas-jet, about four feet to the left of the bed, was partly opened. It looked as if the man, after turning out the light, accidentally turned the cock on again. Among his effects were found $45 in bills, $. in cash, a silver watch and chain, a bank book on the First National Bank of New Milford showing a deposit of $50 and another on the Greenwich Trust Company showing deposits of upwards of $600.

Litchfield County News.

Burglaries in Torrington.

E. Weitzen's fancy goods store in Torrington was entered by burglars Monday night and goods to the amount of $200 in jewelry, clothing and furs were carried off. The coin-slot gas meter was also broken open and $6 stolen.

When Janitor Bentley opened the Torrington Library on Saturday morning he found burglars had entered and had taken $13 in cash, a clock and some valuable papers. Entrance was made by sawing out a panel in the back door, after which the key was reached from the inside.

Theft By Domestic.

Edith Rice, a mulatto girl, was arrested on Monday for the theft of a coat and skirt, valued at $30, from the home of Mrs. T. Crover in Litchfield, by whom she had been employed. The theft occurred in December. The articles were found in her possession. She at first affirmed her innocence, but before starting for Litchfield, confessed her guilt and exonerated another girl, Hazel Cummings of Winsted, who had been held as an accomplice.

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For men's patent colt welt Shoes in blucher cut or button. Our regular $3.50 grade so stamped on top band.

$1.45
Men's satin calf lace Shoes with cap toe. These are our regular $2.00 grade. But they are to go in this sale at this cut price.

35c
Men's slippers, velvet vamps, patent leather heel foxing, leather soles. Regular 50c kind.

$2.39
Women's $3 Shoes and oxfords, dongola kid, gun metal and patent colt, Goodyear welt.

$1.95
A fine lot of Women's patent colt and gun metal shoes. Button and blucher cut. Our regular $2.50 grade so stamped on sole.

98c
Women's kid blucher cut shoes with patent leather tips medium soles, worth $1.50.

99c
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75c
Women's felt shoes, flannel lined, foxed with soft kid. Regular $1.00 kind. No more cold feet when you wear these.

50c
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Women's storm Alaska over shoes, fleece lined, $1.00 kind for...73c
Women's rubber boots, fleece lined, $1.75 grade, in this sale for..$1.48
Men's heavy buckle shoes, regular $1.50 kind, for.....$1.25
Men's high four buckle arctics, $2.50 grade at.....$1.98
Men's storm Alaska overshoes, fleece lined, $1.25 kind for.....98c
Men's felt shoes, felt sole, odd sizes, $1.50 kind at.....65c
Children's felt slippers with felt and leather soles, 50c kind, at..25c
Children's kid lace shoes, spring heels, sizes 6 to 8, at.....49c
Majestic Shoe Dressing, 25c package at this sale for.....9c
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