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THE DAY

OF RECKONING NEAR

The United States senate on Thursday ratified the conference report on the tariff bill which had previously been adopted by the house. Within a few minutes of its final passage the bill was signed by President Taft. Thus the Dingley tariff is succeeded by the Payne-Aldrich-Taft tariff. The new law went into effect on Friday, August 6th.

The Associated Press dispatches tell us that President Taft was in high spirits as he awaited the presentation of the bill to him for his signature, and that he joked merrily with Senator Aldrich and others who were present. He, perhaps, can afford to joke. But the masses, who will find the cost of the necessities of life increased instead of reduced as a result of the new law, may not find the situation so humorous. That the president has a premonition of the people's shocking lack of appreciation of the joke perpetrated upon them is shown by the fact that he deemed it necessary to go into a lengthy but lame defense or apology for his action in signing the bill. He admits that the measure is "not a complete compliance with the promises made" but declares "there have been very few increases in rates" and doubtless hopes the people will forget and forgive.

Will they? The indications do not point in that direction. With the cost of living soaring and no proportionate

increase of the means of the average family, it cannot be expected that the treachery of Mr. Taft's party and the complaisant acquiescence of the smiling executive in the repudiation of party pledges will go unrebuked. The day of reckoning is near.

At any rate labor remains on the free list in the new tariff bill.

Alabama, the first of the states in alphabetical order, has set good example for her sister commonwealths by speedily ratifying the amendment to the constitution paving the way for an income tax. She is the first state to take action on the amendment. The legislature being conveniently in session grasped the opportunity and headed the procession.

A REUNION HERE

The 89th Indiana Regiment and 9th Battery to Have a Reunion

HELD IN DECATUR

The Date is September 29 and 30—Arranging for a Great Time

Sam Henry Post are getting ready for the reunion which will be held in this city on September 29 and 30. It is the twenty-fourth reunion of the eighty-ninth regiment and the ninth Indiana battery and the comrades are fixing up for a gala time when they get together and tell the tales of the rebellion. Members of this regiment and battery are now scattered all over the country, but there is still quite a number living in this part of Indiana, and they are all expected to come, as well as many of those from a distance, and the two days in Decatur is bound to be the happiest two days they have enjoyed for many a moon. Postal cards are now being sent the surviving members of this regiment and battery and as soon as replies are received the number of visiting vets will be known. The members living here and the Sam Henry Post intend to show the visitors a great time and it is a safe bet that they will succeed, and that September 29 and 30, will long be held in remembrance by them. Camp fires and stories of the war will be told and retold on this occasion, and every one will have a happy time.

NOTICE—All Eagles are requested to be present at the meeting Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock to make arrangements for the picnic to be held at the Corner Rod and Gun Club grounds at Fort Wayne. By order of Joe B. Knapke, Secy., of 1570. 190-22

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COURTHOUSE NEWS

Two Marriage Licenses Were Issued by Clerk Haefling Today

OTHER COURT NEWS

Auditor Michaud is Busy—County Institute Comes Next Week

Two marriage licenses were issued at the clerk's office today, they being to John V. Singleton and Miss Edith Cook, the latter being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coat Cook. A license was also issued to Robert E. Slawson and Miss Christena Schlagenlauf, both of Linn Grove.

Deputy Clerk Dan Roop is not on duty this week, he taking his vacation which is being spent with relatives and friends in Ohio.

Auditor Michaud is busy making out the road lists which are soon due to be turned over to the township trustees, and used by them in the transaction of the business of their respective townships.

County Superintendent Opliger is now ready for the institute, which begins on next Monday morning and will continue for five days. The sessions promise to be more than interesting, and the list of instructors could not be improved upon. Following institute week it will be but a short time until the schools in the county will be opened for their fall terms.

ANOTHER DEATH

Mrs. Amanda A. Price Answers Call of Grim Reaper

WAS SICK ONE WEEK

From Peritonitis—The Funeral Will Be Held Friday

Jasper Gilbert, of east of Decatur, received a message this morning apprising him of the death of his sister, Mrs. Amanda A. Price, occurring this morning at three o'clock at her late home, southwest of Monroe. He left on the morning train for the home to assist in making the funeral arrangements. The deceased was born in Kirkland township, Adams county, April 16, 1859. She has continuously been a resident of the county, going near Monroe with her husband for future abode subsequent to their marriage twenty years ago. Mrs. Price was taken ill about one week ago from peritonitis and her decline was gradual, death relieving her sufferings this morning. The funeral services will be held from the Winchester church Friday afternoon at two o'clock and interment to be made at the Ray cemetery. The deceased was well known in the county and she is survived by a multitude of friends, who will receive with regret the news of her untimely demise. Her age was fifty years, three months and twenty-five days.

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WAS IN THE SOUTH

Roy Sautbine Followed Commercial Photography in South

GONE SEVEN MONTHS

Has Returned to Decatur for a Few Weeks' Vacation

Roy Sautbine, who a year ago disposed of his photograph gallery to Martin Jaberg, and who left subsequently for an extensive journey in the south, returned to Decatur last evening and will remain here for several days as the guest of friends and relatives. Mr. Sautbine last January accepted a position with a Chi-

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YOU'RE going to have this coming fall, a chance to buy and wear the best clothes in the world; the kind of clothes that well-dressed men are always glad to buy.

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are to be the feature of our line the coming season; and we want every man of you to know it early, and keep it in mind for the time when you next think of buying clothes.

We are making a specialty of these goods because we want you to get the greatest possible value for your money. You want value; that's the only real way to economize in clothes; and value means the sort of quality Hart Shaffner & Marx and Clothcraft put into their goods. They're all-wool, in every thread of the fabrics; they represent the products of the best weavers in the world, and they offer a great variety for your selection than you'll find in any half dozen other makes put together.

But all-wool, vitally important as it is to your interest as a wearer, is not the only thing we know about Hart Shaffner & Marx and Clothcraft quality. These clothes are designed right; the whole question of fit depends on that; and it's important to you to know that you can be correctly fitted without trouble here. They're correct in style, of course; and perfectly tailored; these makers know their business well enough not to spoil good all-wool fabrics, fine linings and trimmings by designing and tailoring that are wrong. Hart Shaffner & Marx and Clothcraft are the best clothes makers in the world; and every dollar of value they put into the goods is there for you to get out in the wear.

There's a lot of inferior, cotton-mixed clothing in the market; pretty poor stuff, some of it. It looks pretty good; enough so to enable dealers to charge a good price for it; it isn't as a rule worth what it costs.

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BIG RANGE HORSE SALE

Sale to be held one mile north and one and one-half miles east of Bluffton, on the J. M. Baker Farm on

SATURDAY, AUGUST, 14th.

Consisting of 90 head of yearlings, two-year-olds, three-year-olds and a few five and six year-old horses and mares. Over one half of these horses are unbranded. These horses were raised in Montana and are as good as money can buy. Any farmer who has pasture, will do well to attend this sale.

A FEW GOOD MILK COWS
Sale to begin promptly at 10 a. m. Don't forget the date. Free transportation from Gilbert & Hesher Feed barn to the farm.

Terms—Six months' credit with approved security. I guarantee to buy these horses back when fat.

J. M. BAKER.

Noah Frauhiger, Auctioneer.

A farewell party was given for Mrs. Mary Bremerkamp last evening and a jolly time is reported. The party took in the performance at the Star (Continue on page 4.)