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There never was advanced in the whole course of discussions of the economics of American industry a more hollow humbug than that our protective system destroys our foreign trade. The facts of history prove beyond a shadow of doubt that the claim of the opponents of protection that the protective tariffs discourage foreign trade, compelling foreigners to refuse to buy American products because "foreigners will not buy where they cannot sell," has not a solitary fact in experience upon which to hang as a demonstration to the people of the actual results in our foreign trade.

If there is one thing certain besides the fact that protection gives revenues where lower tariffs fail to supply adequate funds for government use it is the plain truth recorded in the pages of the experiences of the American people, under all the tariff laws which the country has known in twenty-five years, that adequate protective tariff laws are accompanied by increased foreign trade, exports as well as imports.

Foreigners do not refuse to buy American products when we have protective tariffs. Under protection they buy more generously than they do under lower tariffs. Foreigners do not fail to sell commodities to the American people during the existence of protective tariffs, because under protection the American people are prosperous and they are better able to buy high priced foreign goods, luxuries, etc. If, then, it can be shown not only that protective tariffs are the only kind of tariffs which produce revenues and that under their operations our foreign trade, including both our sales to foreign countries and our purchases from foreign countries, increases, what becomes of the basis for the present day agitation for a lowering of our tariff duties?

The recent agitation of trade questions in Germany incident to the proposed establishment of closer protective lines upon German industries has had the effect of producing a general clamor throughout this country among the "tariff smashers" that our protective tariff system is shutting us out of foreign markets, decreasing our sales to foreigners, "who will not buy of us because we do not buy of them." And this statement is made in the face of the facts, easily shown from the government records, that under our protective system we sell more commodities abroad and we buy more foreign goods than we did under the experiments with lower tariffs.

Protection encourages domestic industry, increases the productive power of our mills and shops, gives added prosperity to the whole people and enables them to buy increased quantities of such goods as enter the markets of the United States under our customs laws. It is because the protective system gives protection, discriminates in the character of importations, gives encouragement to domestic industries and enriches all our people that it is possible for our people under protection to buy increasing quantities of such foreign goods as are admitted because less competitive in their character and influence upon the American markets.

In the matter of the application of Blanche Tinkham for a divorce from Alva Tinkham, her husband.

To Alva Tinkham: You are hereby notified that an Alias Subpoene, in the above stated case, having been returned that you could not be found in this county, you are required to appear on the fourth Monday of May, at a Court of Common Pleas, to be held at Laporte, at two o'clock P. M., and make answer to the complaint made by your wife in the above stated case.

FRANK W. BUCK, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Laporte, Pa., May 1, 1906.

Register's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filled in my office.

First and final account of Charles Hartzig of Cherry township, Sullivan county Pennsylvania, Administrator of Lucinda Hartzig, deceased.

First and final account of Frederick Rosbach administrator of the estate o John L. Herman, deceased.

First and final account of Albert F. Heess, executor of the last will and testament of Mary Pardoe; deceased.

First and final account of Mrs. Ida A Bender, administratix c. t. a. of Levi Samuel Bender, diseased.

Also the following Widow's Appraisements have been filled, viz:—

Appraisements of widow's share in the estate of Frank D. Brenchley, deceased.

Appraisements of widow's share in the estate of Jerry Watts, deceased.

And the same will be presented to the Orphan's Court of Sullivan county on Monday, May 28, 1906, at three o'clock P. M. for confirmation and allowance.

Thomas E. Kennedy. Register.

Register's Office. Laporte, Pa., April 28, 1906.

In the matter of the application of Chas. Kilmer for a divorce from Emma Kilmer, his wife.

To Emma Kilmer: You are hereby notified that an Alias Subpoena, in the above stated case, having been returned that you could not be found in this county, you are required to appear on the fourth Monday in May at a Court of Common Pleas, to be held at Laporte, at 2 o'clock P. M. and make answer to the complaint made by your husband in the above stated case.

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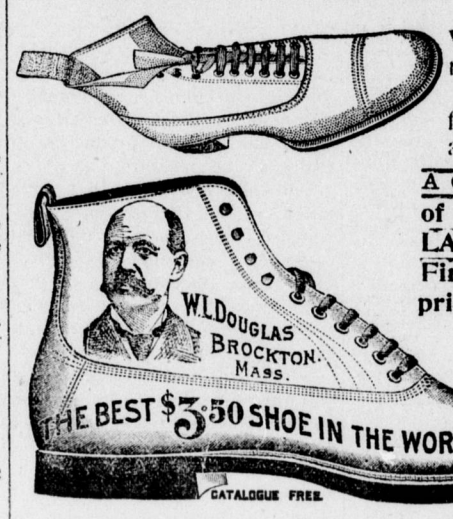

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