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"Keep house?"

"No dad, but she swims beautifully."

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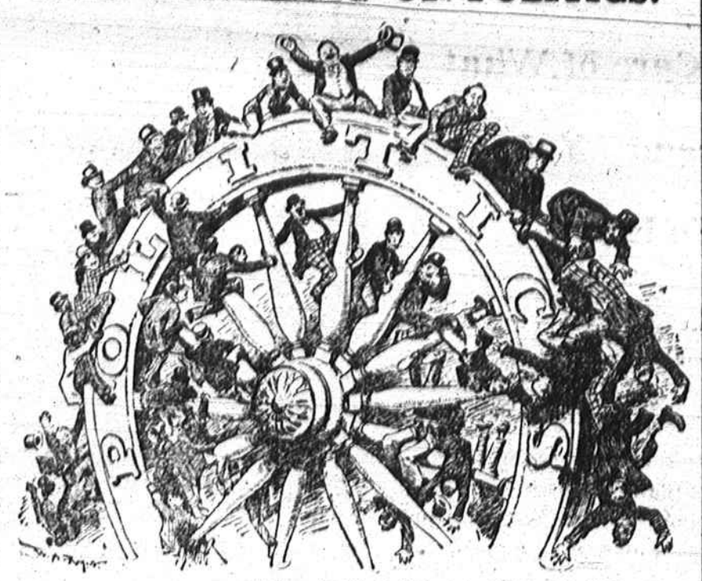

—Cartoon by W. A. Rogers, in the New York Herald.

## UNITED STATES IN PERIL, MR. HILL TELLS MR. TAFT

### Head of Great Northern Railway, in White House Call, Says High Cost of Living is Real Menace, and Urges National House Cleaning.

Washington, D. C.—President Taft's program for railroad and trust reform legislation at the next session of Congress was the lodestone that drew another railroad man to the White House. He was none other than Mr. James J. Hill, of St. Paul, Minn., president of the Great Northern Railway. He remained with the President long enough to say a good many things, and when he came out demonstrated that he was the only and original "artful dodger" in captivity. When he was asked by the newspaper men what he thought of the President's legislative ideas and what suggestions he had made to improve upon them, he seemed inspired to deliver a lecture, which began in this wise:

"I am a student of history. History shows that the high cost of living is the beginning of every national decline. This country is in grave danger of entering upon a period of decadence through extravagance, public and private. Prosperity is not a curse; it is only a help."

How much longer Mr. Hill would have continued to delight his hearers with this dissertation, had not some one broken in, will never be known. He was interrupted with a question as to what all that had to do with railroad and anti-trust legislation. He smiled.

"What this country needs is to clean house and spend less money and stop bothering about new laws to govern corporations," said Mr. Hill. "Deep and serious consideration should be given at once to the question of reducing the cost of food and clothing to the masses. A grave danger faces the Nation. History shows that the decline begins when the cost of living becomes a burden to the masses, but not to the rich."

Just as Mr. Hill was about to escape from his questioners he bumped squarely into a kindred spirit in the person of Senator Jonathan Bourne, of Oregon. Mr. Bourne, as it happens, is chairman of the working subcommittee of the Senate's new Committee on Public Expenditures, of which Senator Hale, of Maine, is the head. The business of this committee is to tighten the strings of Uncle Sam's purse, and it purposes to do it.

It was fifty thirty minutes before these two economists finished their little chat in the White House reception room. When it was over Senator Bourne remarked that it would never do to give away in advance what his sub-committee was going to report, but he was perfectly certain the purchasing power of a Government dollar could be increased from five to ten per cent. by the simplification of administrative methods, centralization and the elimination of unnecessary items.

Mr. Hill is likely to come back to Washington again. President Taft told him just what he has been telling other railroad men and members of both branches of Congress who have had suggestions to make to improve his annual message. In substance it was:

"What you say is interesting; it may be important. Kindly put it in writing and submit it to me again. Then I will give it due consideration."

## DEATH FOLLOWS IN THE TRAIL OF THE HOPE DIAMOND.

### Selim Habid, Latest Owner of Baleful Gem, Drowned in Wreck off Singapore—Ill Luck Stone With Him—Mystery in Its Final Fate, as Disaster Has Followed the Possession of the Jewel.

Paris.—The mysterious and wonderful Hope Diamond, the jewel that came out of the East in the reign of Louis XIV., and which has seemed for many long years a baleful Nemesis, pursuing to misfortune or the grave the monarchs, peers and laymen who have possessed it, and bringing sudden sorrows to the famous women whose beauty it has adorned, has gone back into the East and as popular superstition will undoubtedly declare, is said to have been the cause of its last owner's tragic end.

A curt facetious dispatch from Singapore announces that Selim Habid was among the passengers drowned in the wreck of the French steamer Seyne in the China Sea.

"It is believed," the message says, "that Habid got the Hope diamond in his possession at the time of the wreck."

If this is so the mysterious gem, once the bane and envy of kings and potentates, has ended its dark story at the bottom of the Malacca Strait.

It had been supposed that the Hope diamond was sold by Habid in Paris last June for $50,000. But no purchaser was ever named with authority. Habid had brought the jewel to Paris with many others of lesser fame, and it was rumored that he was an agent of Abdul Hamid, deposed Sultan of Turkey, who was said to be making vigorous attempts to dispose of his jewels.

Now it is believed that Habid did not sell it, but was taking it back to the Orient in an attempt to sell it to some Indian potentate.

Louis XIV. acquired the jewel mysteriously, and, although history gives saner causes, the French monarch's decay set in about that time. The gem was still in the crown of France when Louis XVI. died by the guillotine amid the storm of the great revolution.

Then the jewel vanished for a time, and it was not until 1830 that a London dealer, purchasing it from a stranger, sold it to the famous banker, Henry Thomas Hope.

As the "Hope Diamond," the blue stone leaped into fame. Hope's daughter brought it to her husband, the Duke of Newcastle, as part of her dowry. Her son, Lord Henry Francis Hope, inherited it and misfortune beset him early. He married May Yohe, and soon she was wearing the diamond on the stage.

In 1899, Lord Hope was in financial difficulties and tried to sell the gem, but his family prevented this. After his divorce from May Yohe he sold it, however, to Simon Frankel, the New York jeweler. It remained in the United States until January, 1908, when rumors of the financial difficulties of Frankel Brothers were followed by the sale of the jewel. Immediately after parting company with the mysterious gem the firm paid off all creditors and returned to its former prosperity.

It is supposed that, through a secret agency, the diamond came into the possession of Abdul Hamid, then the absolute of Turkey. His throne fell before he had possessed the Hope diamond even for a year.

## LOWEST DEATH RATE IN 1908.

### Census Figures 15.3 Per Thousand in Area Including Seventeen States.

Washington, D. C.—The death rate for 1908 in the registration area set aside by the Census Bureau for tabulation purposes was 15.3 per 1000 population, the lowest yet recorded in rural districts covered by the tabulation the rate was slightly lower, averaging 14 to the 1000 inhabitants. During the same period the death rate for England and Wales was 15.7 per 1000.

The total number of deaths returned for the year 1908 in the registration area was 691,574, while for the preceding year it was 687,034. This apparent increase of 4540 is explained by the fact that during 1908 two new States, Washington and Wisconsin, were added to the registration.

The month of maximum mortality in 1908 was January, with 67,763 deaths, and that of minimum mortality was June, with 49,701 deaths. The death rates of the individual States vary from 18.4 for California to 10.1 for South Dakota.

### Federal Judge Decides Syrians Cannot Be Barred From Citizenship.

Wheeling, W. Va.—Judge A. G. Dayton, of the Federal court here, handed down an order which upsets an order issued by the immigration department at Washington, D. C. Judge Dayton instructs all Federal officials to admit to full citizenship natives of Syria who have proper qualification. Recently the immigration department rejected natives of Syria, claiming that they were of the Mongolian race, being under the same ban as the natives of China.

### Shot Forty-four Pet Dogs in Streets of Montclair, N. J.

Montclair, N. J.—Forty-four dogs were shot as the result of the proclamation issued by Mayor Henry V. Crawford, of Montclair, authorizing the destruction of all unmuzzled dogs running at large in the streets.

Policeman Hugh Seery and William Stewart, armed with double-barrelled shotguns, were busy all day killing the animals. David Steinfeldt, the official dog catcher, killed the dogs in the centre of the town. Owners pleaded in vain for lives of their pets.

### About Noted People.

Sir Morgan Crofton and his wife, whom he found in New York, returned to London.

Prince Ito was buried in a mausoleum on his estate, near Tokio, after imposing ceremonies.

The Tarrytown annual flower show closed, William Rockefeller being prominent as a prize winner.

James A. Patten, "King of the Wheat Pit," made $4,000,000 in one day by a sudden rise in cotton based on crop shortage, which made his estimated market winnings for the year $12,000,000.

### Items of Interest.

Senator Aldrich made two addresses in St. Louis on monetary reform.

Colonel G. R. Colton was inaugurated at San Juan, Porto Rico, as Governor of the island.

It was agreed between the United States and Chile to submit the Alsop claim to The Hague court for arbitration.

Again risking arrest for contempt of court, President Gompers at the Toronto convention of the American Federation of Labor denounced Judge Wright, of Washington, D. C., who sentenced the labor leaders to jail.


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### Wit and Wisdom.

Too much is worse than want.

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There is no beauty where there is no shade.—French.

The boughs that bear most hang lowest.—Italian.

Of money, wit and virtue, believe one-fourth of what you hear.

Resist thy inclinations in the beginning.—Thomas a' Kempis.

He that covereth his sins shall not prosper.—Shakespeare.

The child that's left to himself will put his mother to shame.—Irish.


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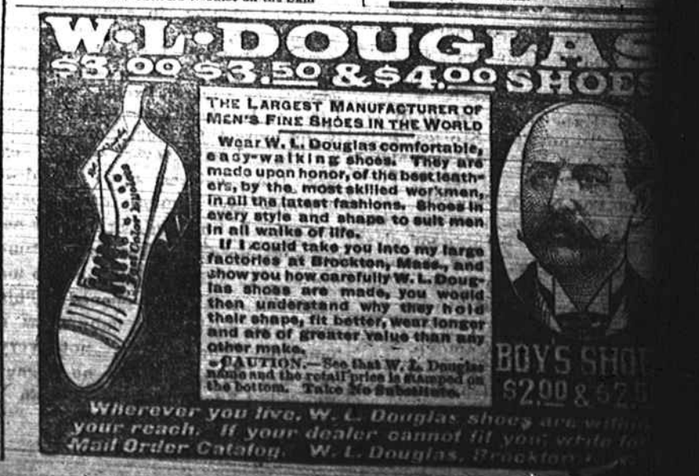

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