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CONGRESS. PROCEEDINGS YESTERDAY IN SENATE AND HOUSE.

THE GREAT STRIKE CONSIDERED IN THE HOUSE—OTHER NEWS.

By Telegraph to the News and Observer. WASHINGTON, March 5.—SENATE.—Among the petitions and memorials presented and referred, were the following: For the abolition of all licenses and taxes on commercial travelers; from the W. C. T. U. for the repeal of the internal revenue taxes on alcoholic liquors and for a prohibitory amendment to the Constitution.

Mr. Cullom asked Mr. Reagan, who had reported the bill from the post-office committee, whether it was the regulation bill. Mr. Reagan: It is the regulation bill. Mr. Cullom: Then it should go to the committee on inter-State commerce, which has had a like bill already referred to it—the one introduced by Mr. Spooner.

Mr. Reagan: The post-office committee has had several bills before it for the establishment of a postal telegraph system. One of them I thought it best to report the bill regulating the telegraph system of the country. Two committees might well have simultaneous jurisdiction of the subject, but it would be hardly just to the post-office committee to refuse to consider the bill which it has reported.

Mr. Platt argued that the bill reported by Mr. Reagan should be referred to the inter-State committee. He would feel anxious either to have that committee, of which he was a member, discharged from further consideration of the subject or to let it have its untrammelled and unembarrassed consideration. He presumed the bill reported was not a bill in the interest of the postal service, but in the interest of commerce.

Mr. Beck thought it hardly the fair thing to take the control of the bill from the postoffice committee and give it to the inter-State commerce committee. The Senate committee to have a chance to see the bill on the calendar and then if the Senate thought it should be sent to the committee on inter-State commerce that might be done hereafter. The discussion was further continued by Senators Cullom, Chase, Blair, Reagan, Salisbury, Hoar and Gorman.

Mr. Reagan said that the postoffice committee, in order to avoid a dangerous experiment, had preferred to report the bill regulating telegraphic transmission of news. The purpose of the bill was to provide means of regulating the rates for the transmission of intelligence. The object of the committee had been to frame a bill that would not do injustice to the telegraph companies, but would leave them secure in their rights, while at the same time it would secure the people against improper discrimination and unjust charges.

Mr. Gorman expressed his regret that the post-office committee had not confined itself to the subject referred to it—that of establishing a postal telegraph system. The rapid transmission of intelligence was now in the hands of a single corporation which had wiped out all competition heretofore attempted, and yet that great question referred to the post-office committee had been set aside and the bill to regulate telegraphy (with which the post-office committee had nothing to do) substituted for it. The post-office committee had gone beyond anything referred to and he therefore hoped that the bill would be sent to the committee on inter-State commerce.

Mr. Cullom consented to withdraw his motion to refer the bill to the committee on inter-State commerce and to have the bill and the reports laid on the table at present. The Senate passed the House concurrent resolution directing the Secretary of the Navy to designate a national vessel of war to convey the remains of ex-President Paez of Venezuela, from the port of New York to the port of LaGuayra, and it was passed.

Mr. Colquitt gave notice that he would on Thursday next submit remarks on the motion to refer the President's message. The unfinished business (pension bills) was laid aside and the urgent deficiency appropriation bill was taken up for consideration. A great many amendments recommended by the Senate committee on appropriations were agreed to, nearly as many striking items from the bill as adding to it, but a majority of them involving small amounts. The amendment to strike out the following paragraph: "And the public printer is hereby directed to rigidly enforce the provisions of the eight hour law in the department under his (the public printer's) charge," having been reached, Mr. Hoar inquired of Mr. Hale why the committee had recommended the striking out of those lines.

Mr. Hale replied that in the first place the committee had no knowledge that the eight hour law was not enforced in the department of public printing. There were persons employed there working by the piece who desired to work more than eight hours; who preferred to work twelve hours, and the adoption of the item might be construed to make these men stop work at the end of eight hours. The result of that might be to compel good workmen to stop work after eight hours and to allow new and untried green hands to be brought in the office. In fact, it had been said that the object of the provision was to introduce 150 new untried men in the public printing office. Arguments against striking out the provision were made by Messrs. Hoar, Teller and Blair, the former wanting that to strike it out would be

FRIGHTFUL. RAILWAY ACCIDENT IN KENTUCKY.

TWO MEN KILLED—AND A NUMBER SERIOUSLY INJURED—OTHER NEWS.

CINCINNATI, Mar. 5.—A special from Somerset, Ky., says: A frightful collision occurred on the Cincinnati, New Orleans & Texas Pacific Railroad at Pine Knot, Ky., about 3 o'clock yesterday evening, which resulted in the killing of one man, the fatal injury of another and the serious wounding of others, besides considerable damage to the railroad. The killed and injured are: Fireman John Adams, of Lexington, Va., killed outright, body still under the cars; Sol Perkins, tramp, injured internally, lying, badly bruised about the face; Engineer L. B. Murray, leg broken; brakeman J. S. Goss, hip-joint dislocated; brakeman Wm. Jones, leg fractured.

The blame for the accident is placed on the Taylor and Engineer Murray of the freight, who, it seems, attempted to run to Pine Knot ahead of time. Conductor Green had orders to run to State Line on freight No. 15, regardless of No. 20. When No. 20 was in a mile of Pine Knot, Green's train dashed from beyond the curve and crashed into him before the men of either train had time to jump. The engines were shattered into fragments. Ten cars toppled over the embankment and were shattered into splinters.

Mr. Warren and George of this place, were wired for and went down on a wrecking train to relieve the wounded. Taylor is a new man and came here as a result of the accident. Green is from this place, and is one of the best conductors on the road. Green had orders to run to State Line and Taylor tried to make Pine Knot on five minutes time and the above frightful catastrophe was the result.

This is the second accident that has occurred at this place since the road was constructed. Trains will be delayed until about noon today. The killed will be brought here some time today. A costly blaze. By telegraph to the News and Observer. NEW YORK, March 5.—A can of paraffine caught fire of a gas burner in the seventh floor of 443 to 445 Greenwich street this morning and exploded. Before the flames were gotten under control over \$100,000 worth of damage had been done. The principal losers are J. H. Bunnell & Co., electrical and telegraphers' supplies, in which place the fire started. The building is owned by Trinity corporation and is considerably damaged.

The stock of Simon Bachie & Co. glass and tinware, valued at \$75,000, was damaged \$50,000. J. H. Bunnell & Co. place their loss at \$57,000. The loss to the building is \$8,000. All the losses are fully covered by insurance. A Pleasant Yacht. PUTS IN AT MOREHEAD FOR A HARBOR. SPECIAL TO THE NEWS AND OBSERVER. MOREHEAD CITY, N. C., March 5.—Arrived, the steam pleasure yacht "Belle L." Captain Packard, owned by D. A. Loring, of New York, en route for Jacksonville, Fla. Encountered a heavy gale yesterday in Pamlico Sound, and sprang a leak, but was not seriously damaged. Put in here for a harbor, fuel and temporary repairs. Will proceed to her destination as soon as the weather permits.

Failure of Cotton Brokers. BY CABLE TO THE NEWS AND OBSERVER. NEW YORK, March 5.—George T. Dixon, of No. 2 Stone street; M. V. King and J. H. Garrison, all cotton brokers, failed today. Dealings in the cotton market were excited all day. In the first hour the market dropped 20 points, and after a rally a further decline of 10 points occurred. The failures of the three brokers were announced before the close and several large operators are said to be embarrassed. The prices at the close are 30 to 35 points below the closing prices Saturday. Transactions were very large, being four times those of an average day's trading.

The Crown Prince. BY CABLE TO THE NEWS AND OBSERVER. SAX REMO, March 5.—The German Crown Prince passed a good night. His cough and expectoration have lessened. There is a more cheerful feeling regarding his immediate prospects. Prince William left Sax Remo today. Snow Storm in Virginia. BY TELEGRAPH TO THE NEWS AND OBSERVER. WINCHESTER, Va., March 5.—A furious storm has prevailed here today, and snow has fallen to the depth of

PROGRESS OF THE STRIKE. A DOZEN OF THE NEW ENGINEERS RETURN TO THEIR HOMES IN THE EAST—OTHER NEWS.

By Telegraph to the News and Observer. CHICAGO, Ill., March 5.—A dispatch from Omaha, Neb., says: Twelve of the new Burlington engineers left yesterday for the east, saying they had been brought out by the Burlington under a false representation. A freight train arrived from the east and one was sent west yesterday.

Chicago, March 5.—The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy trains ran into and from the Union depot this morning with pretty much the same regularity as they did the day before the big strike began. Early this morning this notice was posted in the conductors' room: "All trains will run today on schedule time except Nos. 1, 15 and 17. No. 1 is a Howland."

The abandoned trains are all through trains. All the engines, both in and out, were manned by new men. About 100 men were being examined as engineers at the offices of the company this morning. They are mostly men who arrived from the East yesterday. Today freight is being received for all points east of Mississippi, and tomorrow it will be received for points up to the Missouri river. A secret meeting of the grievance committee of the Engineers and Firemen's Brotherhood, representing the various Western and Northwestern roads, met today in Chief Arthur's quarters at the Grand Pacific Hotel. The following roads were represented: Chicago & Alton; Chicago, R. I. & Pacific; Missouri Pacific; Washburn; Burlington; Cedar Rapids & Northwestern; Union Pacific; Wisconsin Central; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul; Baltimore & Ohio; Chicago, Burlington & Northern; Louisville, New Albany & Chicago; Illinois Central; New York, Chicago & St. Louis; Chicago, Burlington & Quincy; Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe; Chicago & Northwestern; Minnesota & Northeastern; Chicago & Eastern Illinois; Chicago & Atlantic; St. Paul, Minnesota & Manitoba and the Chicago Grand Trunk. Up to the present writing nothing has been made public as to their action.

One of the delegates said this much: "The boys are happy. The session was of the most harmonious nature; each one of the delegates announced himself as standing shoulder to shoulder with the Burlington men in this fight." A number of telegrams were exhibited to the reporter by Chief Arthur from local officials of the Brotherhood in different parts of the country pledging financial aid to the Burlington men and urging Arthur to call out the Brotherhood everywhere.

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