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CONGRESS HAS ADJOURNED

IMPORTANT BILLS RAILROADED THROUGH.

Reed's "Impartial" Course in the Chair Commended by a Strict Party Vote—An all Night Session and Adjournment at Noon.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The senate was in session all night. Discussion upon Mr. Pasco's motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to the conference report on the copyright bill occupied the attention of the senators at intervals up to the hour of taking recess this morning. Mr. Pasco complained that, notwithstanding his motion, the bill had been hurried to the vice-president and had received his signature and was now awaiting the president's. That was an instance in the opinion of Mr. Hale, of how that bill had been "railroaded."

The idea of the bill being "railroaded" was angrily repelled by Mr. Platt. Very deep regret was expressed by Mr. Hale that the vice-president had seen fit to sign the bill, and it was only, he thought, because the vice-president did not know of the serious effort to have the full vote of the senate on motion to reconsider. He hoped the president would learn the facts in time to withhold his signature.

Mr. Spooner said he had seen the vice-president and had learned that he, not not knowing of the motion, had signed the bill. Here the matter stood when the hour of recess came. In the meantime the conference report on the agricultural appropriation bill had been agreed to; and a partial conference report on the deficiency bill agreed to, further conference being ordered.

At 6.15 a. m. the senate took recess till 9 a. m., and various matters were disposed of with that railroad speed which the senators had complained of in connection with the copyright bill. There was a great pressure of business and but little ceremony used in dispatching it.

The first matter of any consequence was Mr Pasco's motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to the conference report in the copyright bill and to recall the bill. The vote upon the latter motion was yeas 11, nays 29.

Before the vote was announced Mr. Hale asked unanimous consent to present the conference report on the deficiency bill, but Mr. Platt, who was not in the most genial humor, objected to any interruption of the roll call. It went on to the close, and the result was highly satisfactory to Mr. Platt and other friends of the copyright measure.

The further conference report on the deficiency bill was presented and read.

The clerk of the house appeared at the bar with a message announcing that the house had agreed to the conference report on the general deficiency bill.

All of the regular annual appropriation bills have received the president's signature.

The president has signed the copyright bill.

THE HOUSE.

A Resolution Adopted Endorsing Speaker Reed.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The scenes in the house at last night's session—the last one of its existence—were hardly up to the standard of the scenes which have made the Fifty-first congress remarkable. The members sought the speaker's eye for consideration of some pet measure, but few of them were gratified in their wishes.

As the hours dragged away the senate bill was passed to incorporate the National conservatory of music of America.

Just as the gray light of dawn began to vie with the gas and the electric lights illuminating the house Mr. Cannon called up the disagreeing report on the deficiency appropriation bill, the remaining points of difference being the appropriations for the payment of the Central Pacific railroad for the transportation of troops, etc., and for the payment of the French spoliation claims. The report was adopted, and Mr. Cogswell, of Massachusetts, then moved that the house recede from its disagreement to the French spoliation claims amendment. After some opposition it was agreed to—yeas 99, nays 80.

Mr. Burrows having taken the chair, Mr. McKinley offered a resolution that the thanks of the house be presented to T. B. Reed, "for the able, impartial and dignified manner in which he has presided over its deliberations." Adopted by a strict party vote.

Speaker Reed then resumed the chair. His appearance was the signal for a wild outburst of applause from the republican side.

The conference report was then agreed to, thus disposing of the last of the general appropriation bills.

The house then adjourned, it being exactly noon. The senate adjourned shortly thereafter.

BOULANGER AGAIN.

Said to Have Been the Cause of a Recent Agitation.

LONDON, March 4.—It is reported that the British government has conclusive proof that General Boulanger and his supporters concocted the plot which resulted in the explosion of public opinion manifested against Empress Frederick upon the occasion of her recent sojourn in Paris. Lord Salisbury is said to be greatly incensed at the discoveries made.

AT RALEIGH.

Mrs. Sallie Long, wife of Representative W. W. Long, of Warren, died on Thursday last.

Mr. Skinner's bill to establish in the various counties orphans' courts of audit and finance was tabled in the house.

The committee on the new deaf and dumb institution voted 11 in favor of locating it at Morganton and 9 in favor of Raleigh.

The bill to amend the charter of Atlantic, Asheville and Baltimore railroad company, and the bill to amend the charter of West Asheville passed third reading in the senate.

The house by a vote of 50 to 42, tabled the bill to make 6 per cent. the legal rate of interest, and passed, by 8 to 15, the bill providing for the election of solicitors by all the voters of the state.

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EDITOR THE CITIZEN:—It is to be regretted that your correspondent of yesterday, "For Asheville," was by modesty prevented giving his name, because to him belongs the honor of making the suggestion which unlocks the problem of "who shall be our next mayor and aldermen?" I endorse most heartily: For mayor, Thos. D. Johnston. For aldermen, John W. Starnes, W. T. Reynolds, M. J. Bearden, James M. Westall.

I concur in the opinion that it is the duty of these gentlemen to serve if elected, and I go further and urge each to announce now that he will accept the position to which I believe he will surely be elected. This will put at rest once for all a vexed question, which, while open, causes irritation and uncertainty. I believe that such a ticket will meet with no opposition. Asheville will be united and ready to go forward with every conservative measure for improvement of streets, extension of water works, increase of school facilities, and every other idea that commends itself to her citizens.

By this means we will eliminate from the proposed charter amendment every discussion not perfectly germane to its merits. We will feel no doubt about the wise and economical expenditure of whatever appropriation is made. With this ticket I endorse your views that we need no advisory board. We will all give attention to the late amendment as soon as it is published, and unless it has some radical defect, which I by no means expect, it will receive unanimous consent of the qualified voters.

Let us all pray "So mote it be." Therefore, gentlemen, reply to-morrow, that each of you will accept the position to which you will be elected.

T. W. PATTON.

PLEASANT WEDDING.

Miss Bettie V. Brown Married to Col. Joseph Oliver, of Indiana.

A large number of relatives and friends of the family of Mr. J. V. Brown, No. 65 Montford avenue, gathered at that gentleman's residence this morning to witness the marriage of his popular and charming daughter, Miss Bettie V. Brown, to Col. Joseph Oliver, of Michigan City, Ind., a gentleman prominent in business and social circles in that city.

The ceremony was performed at 9 o'clock by Rev. R. S. Brown, brother of the bride.

The couple left on the 10:10 train for the south, going to Jacksonville, Fla., where they will spend a month, when they will return to the home of the groom, at which place they will in the future reside. The congratulations and best wishes of innumerable friends go with the happy couple.

PLANING MILLS BURNED.

The Loss is $8,000, With no Insurance on the Property.

The planing mills belonging to T. L. Clayton, two miles west of Asheville, on the Leicester road, were totally destroyed by fire yesterday evening, between 6 and 7 o'clock. Shortly after the workmen left the building smoke was seen issuing from it, and the alarm was given, but no appliances for subduing the flames being at hand, they spread with great rapidity, and in a few minutes the whole building was in a roaring blaze. A few hundred dollars' worth of doors and window frames was all that was saved. The loss will foot up near $8,000, with no insurance.

The cause of the fire is unknown, but originated in or near a tool chest in the upper story.

"A Quick Match," To-Night.

Of the Noss Family Musical Comedy Company, which appears at the Grand to-night, the Savannah, Ga., Morning News says:

"The 'Family' give a very novel musical entertainment, consisting of performances on mandolins, saxophones, bottles and bowls, and an excellent orchestra of varied instruments. The saxophone quintette was highly enjoyed and heartily encored. The musical comedy, "A Quick Match," was a very pleasant pastime performance. Their selections for the brass band are arranged with great musical ability and rendered in a most enjoyable manner."

Had His Leg Broken.

David Mitchell, an 8-year-old son of T. J. Mitchell, the North Main street harness maker, met with a painful accident yesterday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock.

The boy was playing with several children near the residence of Rev. C. M. Campbell, in North Asheville. In turning suddenly his leg was broken near the hip. He fell to the ground and his companions calling aid, he was carried to his father's home, on East street. Dr. M. L. Neilson was called in and adjusted the broken limb, and the little fellow is resting comparatively easy to-day.

Knoxville's Weather.

A gentleman of this city, who has just returned from Knoxville, says that the weather in that city is absolutely execrable. The most terrific snow storm for years prevailed there on Friday and Saturday, and the mud is only fordable by long-legged men; and yet the Knoxville Journal has telegrams from Asheville almost daily concerning the weather here.

STATE NEWS.

—At Hillsboro, a $150,000 cotton factory is to be erected at once.

—Work will soon begin on the Southern Interstate Exposition at the state fair grounds near Raleigh.

—H. M. Helms, a respectable citizen of Union county, was aroused from his slumbers at midnight Saturday night by a disguised gang, who told him they had come to demand of him $50 for a barn which they accused him of burning. Mr. Helms drove them off the place and as he recognized some of them they will be arrested.

—Thursday the trustees of the Baptist state female university meet at Raleigh to transact important business. They will at once put an agent in the field and their aim will be the collection, in the space of five years, of a fund of $300,000. They are fully aware that to do this earnest effort will be necessary. The legislature has granted a charter to the university.—Wilmington Messenger.

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MEETING AT THE BATTERY PARK HOTEL LAST NIGHT.

A Large Number of Stockholders Present, and the Officers Elected—A Banquet Follows the Work of the Meeting.

The Battery Park bank was organized last night.

This new candidate for financial favors, with a capital stock of $100,000, is soon to be opened, with a set of officers and directors made up of Asheville's best business men.

A meeting of the stockholders was held at the Battery Park hotel last night. All the stockholders were present or represented as follows: Frank Coxe, Sarah A. Croft, Hon. David Schenck, Otis M. Coxe, Francis M. Coxe, Jas. P. Sawyer, J. E. Rankin, H. T. Collins, Powell & Suider, R. McBrayer, T. S. Morrison, T. C. Smith, V. E. McBee, T. W. Patton, W. W. Rollins, R. L. Graham, J. B. Steele, P. F. Sudderth, J. B. Bostic, W. W. Avery, C. D. Blanton, M. E. Carter, E. S. Perry, W. T. Reynolds, J. M. Campbell, J. A. Conant, Col. A. B. Andrews, C. E. Graham, S. H. Reed, C. T. Rawls, Frank Loughran, Ballard, Rich & Boyce, J. H. Watt, cashier Bank of North America, Philadelphia.

Matters concerning the bank's affairs were discussed, and the following officers were elected:

President—Jas. P. Sawyer.
Vice-president—Otis M. Coxe.
Cashier—J. E. Rankin.
Directors—T. S. Morrison, T. W. Patton, Otis M. Coxe, V. E. McBee, Francis E. Coxe, H. T. Collins, George S. Powell, R. L. Graham, E. S. Perry, C. T. Rawls, and W. H. Ballard.

After the work of the meeting had been dispatched, the party partook of a banquet which had been provided by Col. J. B. Steele, the popular manager of the hotel. The supper was an elaborate affair, and wit, wisdom and wine flowed until a late hour.

Workmen are now busy putting in the floor of the building to be occupied by the bank on Patton avenue. The vault has been arranged and the counters and other fixtures will be put in as soon as possible.

It is expected that the institution will be ready for the transaction of business by the 15th of this month.

IN WEAVERVILLE.

What is Going on in Asheville's Pleasant Suburb.

WEAVERVILLE, March 2.—[Special.]—Dr. J. A. Reagan, of this place, a well known and popular physician, was married to Miss Mary Parks, of Hillsboro, N. C., Feb. 26.

Mr. T. B. Myers has rented the St. Clair hotel from Mr. D. L. Reynolds and will soon open up a first class hotel. He will also run a daily hack line from this place to Asheville.

The many friends of our octogenarian, Mrs. Jane E. Weaver, will be glad to learn she is recovering from her recent illness.

Mrs. M. A. Yost, wife of the president of the college, has been summoned to the bedside of her father, Mr. Hoofnagle, of Abingdon, Va.

The mails to this place have been quite irregular lately, owing to the almost impassable roads and swollen streams. The oldest inhabitants pronounce the roads in a worse condition than for many years.

The citizens are eagerly looking forward to the time when the dummy line will make our little village a suburb of Asheville.

Revival Services.

Rev. D. H. Comann, stationed at Franklin, N. C., will preach at Riverside Methodist church to-night, services beginning promptly at 8 o'clock. Mr. Comann is a preacher of experience in evangelistic work and a thorough Bible scholar. The pastor of the church regrets that this series of meetings will seemingly conflict with the services at the West End Baptist Mission, but the engagement of Mr. Comann's services had been announced a month ago. It is only hopeful that good may be accomplished at both churches.

Meetings at the Y. M. C. A.

All ladies and gentlemen are invited to attend the Bible study which will be conducted by Rev. W. J. Erdman at the Young Men's Christian association tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Sunday school teachers will be especially interested, as the lesson for next Sunday will be discussed.

At 8 o'clock a meeting for young men will be held at the same place. Subject: "That blessed hope"—Titus II: 11-15.

Michigan Women May Vote.

LANSING, Mich., March 4.—The bill granting municipal suffrage to women has passed to third reading in the senate.

Leonard Jerome Dead.

LONDON, March 4.—Leonard Jerome, of New York, died at Brighton last night. Mr. Jerome's wife and daughters were present when he passed away.

AFFAIRS OF CONSEQUENCE.

FOREIGN.

A statue erected in honor of John Wesley, founder of Methodism, was unveiled in London.

The first lord of the British admiralty is in favor of maintaining the English navy, so as to hold the fighting supremacy in every part of the world.

A member of the house of commons wants the British government to report upon scientific methods of mitigating the fogs which prevail in London.

HOME

Virginia Knox, the Pittsburg heiress, has been divorced from the Count di Montercole.

The New York telephone people are trying to stop Mayor Grant's raid on overhead wires by an injunction.

As the result of the decline in the price of silver nearly one hundred bars of bullion have been taken from the mint at Carson, Nev., and sent to China, where a higher price prevails for it than in America.

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