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ARBITRATION IN SIGHT

ANGLO-AMERICAN TREATY SENT TO THE SENATE.

President's Message Declares This Convention May Mark New Epoch in History. Formalities Incident to the Signing.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 12.—The President sent the following message to the Senate transmitting the Anglo-American general arbitration treaty:

To the Senate: I transmit herewith a treaty for the arbitration of all matters in difference between the United States and Great Britain.

The provisions of the treaty are the result of long and patient deliberation and represent concessions made by each party for the sake of agreement upon the general scheme.

Through the result reached may not meet the views of the advocates of immediate, unlimited and irrevocable arbitration of all international controversies, it is, nevertheless, confidently believed that the treaty cannot fail to be everywhere recognized as making a long step in the right direction and as embodying a practical, working plan by which disputes between the two countries will reach a peaceful adjustment as matter of course and in ordinary routine.

In the initiation of such an important movement it must be expected that some of its features will assume a tentative character looking to a further advance; and yet it is apparent that the treaty which has been formulated not only makes war between the parties to it a remote possibility but precludes those fears and rumors of war which of themselves too often assume the proportions of a national disaster.

It is eminently fitting as well as fortunate that the attempt to accomplish results so beneficial should be preceded by kindred peoples, speaking the same tongue and joined together by all the ties of common traditions, common institutions and common aspirations. The experiment of substituting civilized methods for force as the means of settling international questions of right will thus be tried under the happiest auspices.

Its success ought not to be doubtful, and the fact that its ultimate ensuring benefits are not likely to be limited to the two countries immediately concerned should cause it to be promoted all the more eagerly. The example set and the lesson furnished by the successful operation of this treaty are sure to be felt and taken to heart sooner or later by other nations and will thus mark the beginning of a new epoch in civilization.

Profoundly impressed as I am, therefore, by the promise of transcendent good which this treaty affords, I do not hesitate to accompany its transmission with an expression of my earnest hope that it may commend itself to the favorable consideration of the Senate.

GOVERNER CLEVELAND.

Executive Mansion, January 11, 1897. The proposed treaty consisted of thirteen articles and covered twenty pages of the special paper on which all conventions are spread for original signature. This paper is made distinctive by a continuous border of two heavy red lines, half an inch apart and one inch from the margins of each sheet. Each copy was clearly written in legible manuscript without flourishes and the only ornamentation consisted of the red, white and blue twisted cord, with which all State Department documents are held together.

The copies were exact duplicates, except where references to the countries of the Queen or President of the United States occurred, in which case the Queen's name was placed first in the British copy to be sent to London, while the President and the United States were mentioned first in the copy transmitted to the Senate for ratification.

The British ambassador reached the State Department with Viscount Gough, one of his secretaries. He had received a final catalogue from Lord Salisbury authorizing the signature and had made an appointment with Secretary Olney for commencing the negotiations. The Secretary promptly met Sir Julian in the diplomatic room on his arrival, and the two plenipotentiaries immediately presented their credentials to each other.

Secretary Olney signed as designated by the President of the United States and Sir Julian Pakenote signed as designated by the Queen on behalf of Great Britain.

Sir Julian was given an extra broad-pointed stub-stem pen in a plain gutta perch holder and promptly wrote "Julian Pakenote" on the British copy. The Secretary of State wrote "Richard Olney" under the other signature and then repeated his signature in the first place on the American copy, after which the ambassador wrote his name below the Secretary's.

A State Department clerk lighted a taper and put a drop of sealing wax after each signature and affixed the proper seal, Secretary Olney's being the simple letters "H. O." surrounded by a border cut in brass, while Sir Julian's bore his crest engraved upon an eagle seal, which he brought with him for the purpose.

The formalities having been completed, the Secretary and Sir Julian shook hands, congratulating each other, and the British representative returned to the embassy, taking his copy of the document with him.

The American copy was immediately sent over to the Executive Mansion and

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delivered to the President, who, a little later, sent it to the Senate with a message asking for ratification.

That the general principle of arbitrating international disputes finds favor with members of the House was evidenced today by the unanimity with which the Anglo-American treaty received their approval. Representatives from every section of the country, reflecting every shade of political opinion were spoken with. From each came expressions of cordial satisfaction.

There was not a discordant note. Secretary Olney incidentally came in for a large share of praise, which was freely bestowed by Republicans as by the members of his own political faith.

IT IS GOV. RUSSELL.

inaugurated today. Synopsis of His Address. Governor Carr Retires at 4:30 P. M.

SPECIAL.

RALEIGH, N. C., January 12.—Governor Russell was inaugurated this afternoon, after a tedious count of the vote. His inaugural address began with the words: "There is retribution in history" and then went on to say the people of North Carolina are restored to their constitutional rights.

He says the Railway Commission has done great work; that passenger rates are reasonable, but freight rates excessive; that the lease of the North Carolina Railway must be revoked.

He does not allude to the Atlantic and North Carolina Railway; says the Geological Survey and Bureau of Labor Statistics should be abolished; that lynchings must be stopped by giving the Governor the power to call a court instantly to try the prisoners; the charter of railways not complying with the State law must be revoked and that control or absorption of competing lines by rivals must be prohibited.

That cities must be protected against danger of misrule by the propertied and ignorant elements; that thrifty immigration from other States and from Europe must be encouraged; that the University must be fostered and State aid to it continued; that pensions and homes for Confederate soldiers must be increased.

At 4:30 Governor Carr turned over his office to Governor Russell.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

January 12. New York.—Cotton, March closes 7.10, a net gain of nine points over yesterday's close.

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SHORT SESSIONS IN HOUSE AND SENATE.

Bills Introduced. Committees Appointed. Senator Butler Threatened with Pneumonia. Tom Watson Favors Fritchard.

JOURNAL BUREAU, RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 12, 1897.

Owing to the meeting of the electoral college yesterday there was only a short session of either the Senate or the House. In the Senate a message was received from the House referring to agree to the Senate resolution to have 1,500 copies of Governor Carr's message printed.

Bills were introduced as follows: To permit foreign railroads to become incorporated in North Carolina; To define certain crimes and regulate their punishment.

In the House a petition was entered that in the election of a Public Printer it be stipulated that he employ union labor.

The Senate resolution to appoint a committee to investigate charges of bribery in the Senatorial contest was unanimously adopted.

The following committees were appointed in the House:

Enrolled Bills.—Hauser, Abernathy, Drew, Hore, McCreary, Dockery, Eldins, and Bunch.

Propositions and Grievances.—Blackburn, Sutton, of New Hanover, Crews, Craven, Carter, Crumpler, Cunningham, and Lyle.

Insane Asylums.—Sutton, of Cumberland, White, of Alamance; Alexander, of White, Parker, of Perkin, Rountree, Pearson, Dixon, of Cleveland.

Pensions.—Crumpler, Barrow, Ward, Chilcutt, Roberts, Adams, McPheters and Hanson.

Pearson and Green were added to the Finance committee.

In the Senate the committee on enrolled bills is as follows: Shore, chairman, Moyer, Whedbee, Clark, Person, Hardison, Ashburn, Robinson, Seales, Ray.

The bolting Populists last night, proposed to the regular caucus to return to them provided they be allowed to vote as they pleased. A committee was appointed to confer with them today.

Senator Butler is sick here, threatened with pneumonia. Both sides claim they are sure of success, but things are still in a middle.

Judge Russell slept in his private car last night. It is said he will entertain very handsomely during his administration.

Congressman Skinner today, has a telegram from Populist Tom Watson saying if Fritchard was worthy of Populist support 2 years ago he is worthy of it now.

Senator Fritchard was one of the first to call on Judge Russell in his car yesterday.

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Jan. 6th, 1897.

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