

TWO DAYS' DEBATE

The Quay Case Regularly Before the Senate.

FINAL VOTE MAY BE TAKEN TODAY

Chandler, Kenney, Penrose, Platt and Quarles Were the Speakers Yesterday.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A two days' debate on the right of Hon. M. S. Quay to a seat as a Senator from Pennsylvania was begun almost immediately after the Senate convened today.

Chandler (Rep. N. H.), chairman of the committee on privileges and elections, submitted to the Senate a report in the case of Senator William A. Clark, of Montana.

"Does the Senator," inquired the chairman, "desire to make his statement at this time?"

"No, not at all," responded Pettus. "A minority may disagree with portions of the report, and they desire to submit their view in writing, without in any way dissenting from the conclusions."

The resolution relating to the seating of Senator Quay as a Senator from Pennsylvania was then called up, and Chandler addressed the Senate together with Quay's right to a seat under the Governor's appointment.

Chandler then stated that he considered the obvious construction and interpretation of the Constitution was that the Senate at all times should have full representation from all the states.

Platt (Rep. Conn.), replying to Chandler, said that in his opinion the only question that lies in the forefront of this discussion was "whether anything can be considered as settled in the Senate of the United States."

Platt maintained that there was practically no difference between the Quay case and the Corbett case, and the decision in the Corbett case ought to be regarded as sacred as was the judgment of a Constitutional court.

Platt, in reply, asked if Hoar thought the Senate more virtuous now than when it decided the Corbett case.

"The Senate is on trial at the bar of public opinion," said Platt, in conclusion. "This case is known throughout the length and breadth of the land. It is known that this case resembles the Corbett case two years ago."

and attracted attention, not only on that account, but also by reason of the fact that he advanced as to the authority Congress may exercise over the election of both Senators and Representatives.

Under the last clause of section 4, Congress has undoubted power to make complete regulations as to the time and manner of elections, and thus to displace all local regulations heretofore made, or may alter state regulations.

"The power of Congress under the Constitution to provide the time for legislative action on Senatorial vacancies cannot be doubted. It would be competent for Congress to exact the very provision that Pennsylvania has put in its Constitution practically requiring all vacancies to be filled promptly by the Legislature.

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YESTERDAY'S CABINET MEETING. Two Officers for Porto Rico to Be Appointed as Proposed.

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Another matter briefly discussed was that of additional appointments to the Army officers in Cuba. Attorney-General Griggs has been asked if any law had been violated. He reported to the Cabinet that the action taken in violation of law, and that the action taken in violation of law, and that the action taken in violation of law.

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IT WILL HAVE A HEARING

HOUSE WILL CONSIDER THE CANAL BILL MAY 1 AND 2.

General Debate on the Postoffice Appropriation Bill Closed—Special Facilities and Pneumatic Tubes.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—At the opening of the House today, upon request of Hepburn (Rep. Ia.), chairman of the Interstate and foreign commerce committee, unanimous consent was given to set aside May 1 and 2 for consideration of the Nicaragua Canal bill.

The Postoffice appropriation bill was then taken up under an arrangement to close the general debate today and to devote two hours to the two contested items in the bill—special mail facilities and pneumatic-tube service—and one hour to the provision relating to railway postal clerks.

Loud (Rep. Cal.), chairman of the Postoffice committee, explained the provisions of the bill, which carries \$13,343,800.

"That is about it," replied Loud, who added that the service should stop altogether or be extended. I have argued that it should be stopped, but Congress has seen fit to continue it.

Foreign countries employing the tube service charge extra compensation for its use. It was used only for transmission of telegrams and special-delivery letters.

Joe Wheeler's Resignation. MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 23.—Governor Johnston today made public a letter written by General Joe Wheeler, on the 20th inst., formally tendering his resignation as Alabama's Representative in Congress from the eighth district.

Settlers Within N. F. Grant. WASHINGTON, April 23.—Senator Wilson today introduced a bill extending the provisions of the act of July 1, 1888, relative to the adjustment of conflicting claims.

PEARL HARBOR STATION. Secretary Long Sends the Plans to Congress.

NEW YORK, April 23.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says: Secretary Long has sent to the naval affairs committee of the Senate and House the detailed plans for establishing a naval station at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, with an urgent recommendation pointing out the necessity for promptly instituting the improvements to utilize this key to the entrance to the Pacific Ocean.

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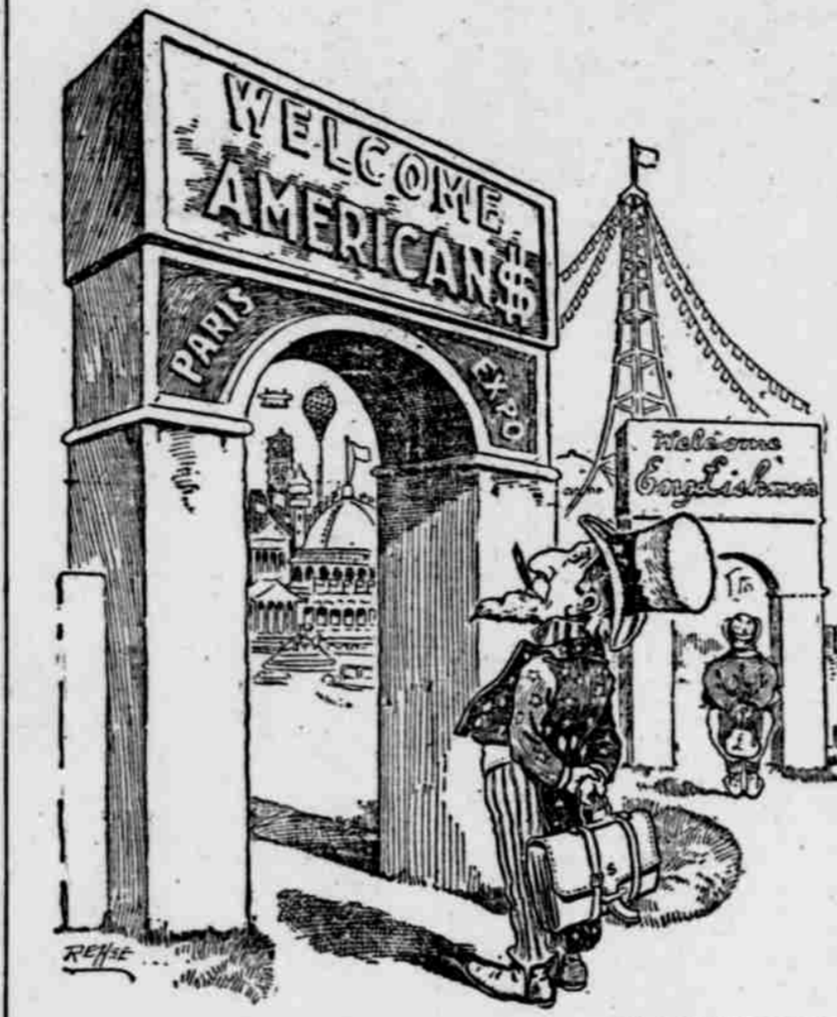
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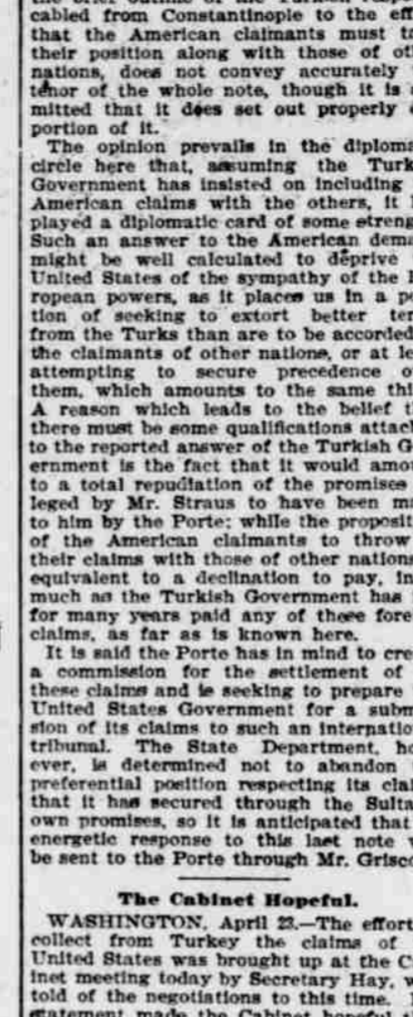
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