CLERKS DISPENSED WITH

on Passed by the Senate-It Astirring and very personal debate ok place in the senate at Salem barslay afternon. It arose primarily er the question of clerks, but it took booler range, and covered the entire cond of the legislative hold-up and candidacy of Senator Mitchell. at after the senate met in the after-

Reed introduced the following ewhereas, the organization of the sisture has not yet been perfected dyshic business is being retarded of necessary legislation, such as apgriations for public purposes, abolsment of useless and expensive comusiens and other legislation promised be people of this state by all political sties, is being denied by the refusal certain persons elected to the house

representatives to qualify; and Whereas, notwithstanding the facts practically transacting no public sizes and there is no work for senate unities clerks to do, there is, neverommittees, at public charge, a large umber of clerks; and

"Whereas, None of the said clerks m engaged in the discharge of any dust services being immediately re- and, addressing the chairman, said: wired; therefore, be it

"Resolved. That all clerks of senate committees be, and they are hereby, ischarged, and no compensation shall he allowed any such clerk from and afto this date, unless the employment to hereafter authorized by the senate the perfect organization of the legislature shall have been secured."

speech in which he set forth his position on questions of economy. He was blowed by Driver and Michell and a anendments to the resolutions as pregeted. A vote was finally reached. The amendments were cleared away, ere by one, and the ayes and noes bepesident voted no, more in a spirit of to get together and do its duty. jest than anything.

The joint convention has met daily, but at no time have more than thirtyaine been present. Each day developed one fiery oratory, accusing the opposis faction of blocking legislation. hursday thirty-seven members were general expectation that it would be surprise was when Nosler's name was beame intensely quiet, as everyone nounce his withdrawal, but the sequel proved a contrary intention on his part. Nosler first spoke of his having been in his seat ever since the session opened, answering every rollcall and ready to do his duty. Said he: "I am ashamed to see such child's

play and must enter my protest."

nade the forty-first man present." instead of the forty-sixth?" Continuing, he declared that some

one was responsible for the situation. The Republican party was not responsindividuals.

In conclusion Nosler said: "I am here to answer to my name

and I expect to be here to the end." Nosler's speech was of peculiar inis to be contested when the house orginizes. Nosler was elected as a Pop-

Senator Reed was the author of the mut incident. He said that he was occapying the seat of Representative Halson, who was ill, and he would

"I don't come here as a Mitchell man, but I will vote for him if I get a chance. I don't propose to be held up by fifteen Populists, and I tell you I am going to stay here now."

Chairman Brownell appointed Reed,
Patterson and Chapman a committee to see who was attending the sick members. Reed's motion was not made seriously and was intended only as a By Dufur, by request, enabling By Dufur, by request, enabling the seriously and was intended only as a By Dufur, by request, enabling the seriously and was intended only as a By Dufur, by request, enabling the system is regular, laxatives or another remedies are then not needed. If

Chapman continued the speechmaking by saying he was here ready to redeem every pledge he had made.

The senate committee on judiciary, to which was referred Gowan's sweeping salary bill, has considered the suggestions of the various county delegations as to the salaries in their respective counties. The Multnomah delegation recommended that the same salaries be maintained for their county, but all fees and emoluments of whatever kind were cut off. The sugestion

was adopted by the committee. Senator Mulkey proposes an amendment to the road laws, providing that the viewers of a proposed road, when damages are claimed by persons residing in the vicinity, shall appraise damages at the same time they view the road. The notice of the proposed time of the hearing of the petition. The measure is thought to be practical

and economical. Two hundred and thirty-one bills have been so far introduced in the senate. Honors are even between Senators Gowan, McClong and Smith, as authors of the greatest number, there being is as follows: Bates 4, Brownell 9, 193, has passed a resolution protesting from the calbreath 4. 8, Driver 9, Dufur 10, Gesner 6, Gowan office in the penitentiary, in accordance office in the penitentiary, in accordance and Dealers generally. 17, Harmon 11, Haseltine 7, Hobson 4, with Governor Rogers' recommenda-Holt 7, Hughes 3, Johnson 10, King tion. 14, Mackay 6, McClung 17, Michell 5,

TWO DEMOCRATS GO IN.

Bilyeu and Lee in the Mitchell Joint

Lark Bilyeu, Democrat, of Lane, occupied his seat in the house a half Best tea, and get your hour before the Mitchell joint assembly which met at noon Monday. Bil- money back if you don't yeu was writing at his desk. It had been rumored around the capitol during the morning that it was the purpose of the Democrats to enter the joint assembly, and Bilyen's presence ap- next ten years is worth peared to confirm the report. As the hand of the clock moved slowly toward 12, the member from Lane continued Anchorage Company composedly to dip his pen in the ink and seemed to be oblivious to surroundings and wholly taken up with the work in which he was engaged.

ed the speaker's rostrum, and, calling of birds he has shot. to order, directed the clerk to call the roll. The senators, the same as last Friday, answered to their names. As the clerk was concluding the senate

owhereas, not that this senate call, Vaughan, the aged representative from Lane, who has been quite sick, after making soap, which for ages was appeared in the lobby, supported by considered of no use. his wife. He looked pale and very the sense of the s Just about the same time, Lee, Demo- that to call a man a Mugwump is not a erat, of Polk, likewise appeared at his libel, but a compliment.

Bilyeu's name is third on the house rell. When it was called, he arose, hair to grow on a bald head. "This is the first time I have made

my appearance here in the joint assembly. I am here for the purpose of as- Gold is a solid basis of dimencial transacsisting to complete the organization of tion, and for business that's the best thing The Man Washington Will Remain at understood that I am not here in any manner whatever to aid in the recognistion of the Benson house. I have many and stiffened we have failed in their object if they do not tend to inculcate in the Senator Dufur made quite a lengthy | ject, and I do not believe that its or-

subset of others, some of whom had I am here to disabuse the mind of any bands of the whole business. I am ing called on the original question, but the walling the streets of called walls for the majority of this legislature semblance to our horses, have been gold only as a norms of carring his countries. is called on the original question, but tired walking the streets of Salem wait-"The people who elected me know I

am not a fool; or at least they believe so; else they would not have sent me here. They want me to help organize this legislature on a proper basis; and I am here for that purpose.

"I want to say that many questions have been raised in the senate and elsewhere relative to the permanent organposent, eleven senators and twenty-six | ization that are not germane to the subrepresentatives. Senator Reed came in ject. I take it that the temporary oragreematives. Senator Recu came in post. I take it that the description of the house is sufficient for or causing it to vibrate by any other sixty years that inevitable goal of indi-Bidson and Vaughan sent letters ask- the purpose of this convention. I have means, diminishes its magnetism. in to be excused on account of sickness. all along maintained that the tem-When the session convened it was the porary organization is the only constitutional organization, and that is where purely perfunctory, but the spectators I stand now. The members of this terr agreeably surprised. The first body, which is made up of members of the leigslature, are not called upon to resched. Nosler arose and the house pass upon that question. The state constitution has nothing to do with this thought that Nosler was going to an- joint convention. I believe the decisions of the United States senate are a sufficient guide for the actions of this body. When a majority of members of the legislature declare their choice for United States senator, no power in the universe can set it aside.

"We have the power here to determine this question of organization. 1 Referring to Senator Carter's speech, ask the Republicans to come forward and organize. After this I wash my "Would it not have been better for hands of the whole proposition. I am

The call then proceeded. Lee an swered to his name, but when Merrill of Columbia was reached there was no response. Twenty-nine members of the for its recalcitrant members. The the house were found to be present, and people would hold these responsible as ten from the senate—thirty-nine in all, or seven short of a majority.

Chairman Brownell then stated that he had received word that Merrill would not be up till the 2:20 train. He suggested that a recess till 7:30 in terest in view of the fact that his seat the evening be taken. This was done. There was no change when the convention met at night. Bilyeu and Lee, Democrats, were in their places, and Merrill, Republican, arrived in the afternoon and was also present. Chairman Brownell waited till 7:38 before he called to order. When the name of continue to occupy the seat as long as Vaughan of Lane was reached, Johnson be, Hudson, was absent. Reed then of Linn asked that he be excused on account of illness. Thirty-nine were present. The conevntion adjourned immediately following the roll call.

The Senators.

When the senate reconevned on Monday, McClung moved to reconsider what doctors were attending Vaughan the vote of last Friday, ordering the and Hudson. He suggested that they bill fixing the legal rate of interest at 6 per cent to third reading. This was done, and, on motion of McClung, the

school districts to borrow money for a short time without issuing bonds; King, regulating the employment of legislative clerical aid; Johnson, fixing rates of express companies; King, to prevent fraud in sales of mines; Daly, by request, accepting the terms of the act of congress providing for the reclamation of arid lands; Johnson, fixing telegraph rates. A number of bills were read the second time and referred.

The Benson House. The Benson house met at 2:30 Monday, and after reading two unimportant bills, adjourned.

The Davis House.

The Davis house met Monday and immediately adjourned.

Firecrackers Caused It.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 11.-A box named Albert Auld was killed through all probable claimants, enabling such the shying of a coal cart horse at fire claimants to file their petition at the crackers in Chinatown this evening-The load was overturned, and crushed Anld's skull. Mayor Relfern stopped the firing of crackers in the streets.

A French Cruiser Starts. Toulon, Feb. 9.—The French cruiser Troude has started for the island of

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Your tea-trade for the

ork in which he was engaged.

At noon, Chairman Brownell mounts feather hel, stuffed with the plumage

White quartz with a great deal of free gold law been struck near Hill City, in the Black Hills.

Givering is derived from the lye left A Pennsylvania court has decided

At Salem, Mass., the Roentgen ray liscovery is asserted to have gamed

A SOLID BISIS.

manner whatever to aid in the recognition of the Bonson house. I have many
times stated my position on that subject, and I do not believe that its organization is legal.

"I have been accused of abling and
abetting in holding-up the legislature.
I am here to disabuse the mind of any
one that I occupy that attitude. I inform you that if the legislature is not
organized, and at once, I wash my
bands of the whole business. I am

Fossil animals, bearing a class resolite. Later, his mobile aspirations valued

VIBRATING IN TUNEFUL ACCORD. seminanity to the apex of its social system then experty offered his assured stand-

Like the strings of a musical instrument, the nervous system in health harmonices pease anniy with the other parts of the system. But weakened or overwrought, it is make most inharmonicestly, quiet and invigorate it with the great transplator was tonic, Hosterier's Stomach Bitters, which promotes discertion, the discount of the promotes discertion, the mature years he was one of the bowets, and prevents malarial, thermatic and kidney complaints.

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In Germany asparagus is peeled be-fore it is canned by the aid of a special may come when experts can question the I never used so quick a core as Piso's Cure for Consumption.— J. B. Palmer, Box 1171, Scattle, Wash., Nov. 25, 1865.



Gladness Comes

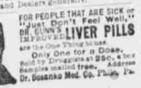
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CREASE



GEORGE WASHINGTON.

Born Feb. 22, 1732; Pres dent of the United States 1789-1797; Died Dec. 14, 1799.



He lived and wrought but for his coun-

And left us Freedom's priceless heritage. In place of piguies filled with love of self;
Like Chelmana in the storied page. When civic honor, duty, by words be,
the quit the plowshare for the clash of And unrestrained reigns the power of

A modest parriet, fired with hely real, Despising danger and the soldier's wage Victorians in war, in pence a sage,

GREELY ON WASHINGTON.

above the race prejudices of his time, and by his individual action forestabled by

vidual freedom, which futurity deferred for America to another century. His ir-religious surroundings and youthful halo

character of thousands. Yet he came to

tion, through the by paths of sobriety, in-

esty and charity are deemed the highest

attributes of human nature, so long will the man George Washington remain at

Would to God they were to end here."

To me it will appear miraculous if our

they were over, as if they had never fall

en to his lot, and therein by the true se

cret of his final triumph and his imperish

Washington's Farming Operations

Washington inherited Mount Verno-in 1750 from his half-brother, Lawren-

Washington, who died in 1757. The brother had a daughter Sarah, who w

heiress to the estate, but she died to years later and the property then reverte

George, who was then just 27 years

id. The estate then comprised less than

(88) acres, but soon after he came into

ossession he added 5,5(s) neres by pur

hase, which gave him ten miles of river

provements and cultivation which subse-

quently made Mount Vernon the mo

valuable landed property in Virginia. He drained the land wherever needed, he ro-

tated crops, got the last farm implements

ences, had his grist mill, his own distil-

lery, had his own smillly for repairing

tools, his own carpenter shop, losms, and

he built scores of houses and enhins for

then in existence, balls and

Then began the system of im

ng low spirited:

able glory.

the apex of American manhood,"

Against a tyrant's rule he led revolt; What son of his shall forge the modern bolt? 1.000 to 2.000 acres each, and each farm had its overseer and its allotment of ne-

Ode for Washington's Birthday.

groes and stock.

Welcome to the day returning.

I bear r still as ages flow.

Widle the torch of Faith is burning tong as Freedom's altars glow?

See the here that it gave us.

Simulating on a mother's breast;

For 40 arm he stretched to save us,

he its more forever bleat:

Hear the tale of youthful glory,
While of Britain's rescued band.
Friend and for repeat the story.
Spread his fame o'er sea and land;
Where the red cross, proudly streaming,
Finps above the frighte's deck,
Where the golden lities, gleaming,
Star the watch towers of Queboc, Look; the shadow on the dial Marks the bem of deadlier strife; Days of terror, years of trial, Scourge a nation into life. Lo, the youth became her Leader! All her bailed fyrants yield; Through his arm the Lord has freed her; Crown him on the tented field.

Vain le empre's mad temptation;
Not for him an earthly crawn!
He whose sword hath freed a nation
Strikes the offered scepter down.
See the throneless commeror seated,
Ruber by a people's choice;
See the patriot's task completed;
Hear the father's dying voice.

By the name that you inherit,
By the safferings you recall,
Cherish the fraternal spirit;
Leve your country first of all!
Listen not to idle questions,
If its bands may be united;
Doubt the patriot whose suggestions
Whisper that its props may sible.

Father! we whose cars have tingled
With the words of doubt and shame,
We, whose sires their blood have mingled
In the battle's thunder-flume.
Gathering, while this holy morning
Lights the land from sea to sea,
Hear thy commet, heed thy warning;
Trust us, while we honor thee!
Officer Wendell Holmes.

She Was Suspicious. A wealthy lady of New York was going down town in an elevated car with a considerable amount of money in her

purse. At one of the stations a man came into the car, a man by whose face she was struck, and she instantly said to herself that he must be a pickpocket. When he sat down beside her she thought of her well-filled purse and resolved to watch him.

Washington Sometimes Despondent. Suddenly her suspicious neighbor put It is the fashion to speak of all who have succeeded in writing their names his hand down at his side. She felt it high on history's page as though they slide down until it touched her purse, never gave way to the temptation to be and instantly she put her hand down despondent. Yet if the facts could only be known it is the very men who have and selzed the stranger by the wrist, within themselves the shilliy to finally. He did not struggle, and she was in and selzed the stranger by the wrist. win the victory that are spt at times to some perplexity as to what she should become most deeply involved in the do next, but she thought that if he sloughs of despond. Washington himself should attempt to get away she could, at least, show that she had him by the was subject to periods of the most intense depression, as witness this passage wrist with his hand in her pocket. from a letter to a friend, written at Val-

She said afterward that she could not "The history of the war is a history of once, but she sat quietly, waiting for false hopes and temporary expedients. her neighbor to make the first move. They rode in this way for some dis-In another letter he said, after a most gloomy recital of the reasons he had for

stranger at one of the downtown stations prepared to rise. "If you will let go of my arm, mad-

am," he said, with the utmost cool-

affairs can maintain themselves much longer in their present train." But Washington possessed the power of recovering from these fits of the blues ness, "I will get out here." He half rose as he spoke, and to her and of putting forth every effort, after atter confusion the lady discovered that his hand, instead of being in her pocket, was thrust late the pecket of his own dister. The garment hung down so IN GUARANTEED ORDER hat his hand had passed against her urse without being in contact with it, nd she had been holding him by the rist with no apparent excuse what 405-7 Sansome Street

She was gvercome with confusion, out managed to say that she had thought his hand to be in her pocket. The stranger smiled and went out, while a gentleman near by leaned forward to say: "Don't you know who that is, mad-

am? That is Rev. Dr. Blank." The name, so says a contemporary, was that of one of the best known cler gymen in Boston.

Sardis, Ga., is a town well governed and made up wholly of colored people. There are about a hundred houses in the town, and every one is owned and his slaves. His five farms ranged from | occupied by people of color,

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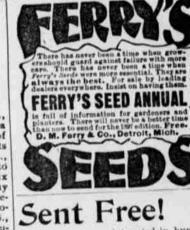
Mr. Lincoln Nelson, of Marshfield, Mo. "For six years I have been a sufferer from a scrofulous affection of sufferer from a scrotulous affection of the glands of my neck, and all efforts of physicians in Washington, D. C., Springfield, Ill., and St. Louis failed to reduce the eulargement. After six months' constant treatment here, my physician urged me to submit to a removal of the giand. At this critical momoval of the gland. At this critical mo-ment a friend recommended S.S.S., and laying aside a deep-rooted preju-dice against all patent medicines, I be-gan its use. Before I had used one bottle the enlargement began to disappear, and now it is entirely gone, though I am not through with my second bottle yet. Had I only used your S.S.S. long ago, I would have escaped years of misery and saved over \$150.

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