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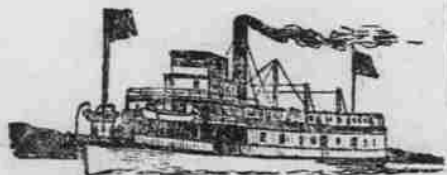
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CONGRESS JUGGLING.

An Interesting Letter—The Situation in Washington.

SHERMAN'S SILVER BILL DOOMED

The National Quarantine to Restrict Immigration Will Pass.

APPROVED BY THE COMMITTEE

Senators Kyle and Peffer Expecting to Act With the "Unknown Quantity."

Special to THE CHRONICLE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Congress is jogging along very quietly, careful of making any breaks. The republican members feel that it is not for them to propose, and the democrats feel the necessity for going slow on anything new, and they appear to be in doubt about some things that are not new. The republicans say the democrats are waiting to ascertain Mr. Cleveland's wishes before showing their hands.

There is at least one thing upon which the Cleveland democrats and the Hill democrats appear to be in perfect accord. That is the repeal of the Sherman silver law. Senator Hill has himself introduced a bill in the senate for its repeal, and a similar bill has been introduced in the house by Representative Williams, of Massachusetts, who is one of the most ardent admirers of Mr. Cleveland in congress. The introduction of these bills indicates that the democrats expect nothing to be accomplished by the International Monetary conference, and they are not alone in that expectation.

If the talk of members is any indication it seems safe to predict that President Harrison's recommendations concerning a further restriction of immigration, and the establishment of a national quarantine, will be acted upon at this session. A bill has been introduced in the house by a democrat, to provide for a national quarantine, and one in the senate by a republican to suspend immigration one year from next March. This last bill is approved by both senate and house immigration committees, and will also be introduced in the house, so that it can be pushed without any unnecessary delay.

Senators Kyle and Peffer appear to be fully alive to the importance of their votes in the organization of the senate of the 53d congress, and neither of them will give the slightest indication of which party they intend to vote with in the organization of the senate. It is apparent, however, from their conversation that they expect, with other third party senators yet to be elected, to hold the balance of power in the next senate, and that their intention is to insist upon certain concessions from the party that gets their votes.

Secretary Foster's annual report, in which he shows, to his satisfaction, that there should be a surplus, instead of the predicted deficit, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, is not as comforting as one would have supposed such information would be to the democrats who are now engaged in preparing the bills carrying the appropriations for that year, which must be passed by the present congress, for the very simple reason that they do not accept the secretary's figures.

In a quiet way the speakership of the next house is already exciting considerable interest, and if it shall soon be apparent that representative Hooker's bill changing the time for congress to meet from December to March stands a good chance of becoming a law at this season, that interest will become all-absorbing. Mr. Crisp is the only avowed candidate, and he has the advantage of possession; but there are four gentlemen; Wilson of West Virginia; Bynum of Indiana; McMillan, of Tennessee, and Breckenridge of Kentucky; any one of whom may become a competitor, with the backing of Mr. Cleveland.

And About The Dalles. Married.

At the residence of the bride's mother in this city, Wednesday evening, Dec. 14th, by Rev. Wm. Mitchell, Miss Ida C. Bagley to Mr. A. C. Matterson. The happy couple leave for Portland tomorrow.

Hard and soft wood for sale by the Columbia River Fruit Co. C. F. LAY, secy 12 & 6t French's bank bldg.

A Hunting Exploit.

On Tuesday a hunting party composed of Messrs. W. E. Garretson, Hal French, Deputy U. S. Marshal Jameson and Railroad Engineer Kelley, left the city for the upper Columbia hunting grounds near Squally Hook, about fifty miles from this place, on a hunting spree for wild geese. They arrived at their destination O. K., and proceeded to build blinds to shield them from the game as it flew past, and after they had fairly secreted themselves comfortably and were ready to open their batteries on the game, up came one of those wind storms which that locality is noted for, and scattered their shelters and the gunners unceremoniously. They went into consultation and decided to cross the river and try their luck on the opposite side, and took a small boat, put their hunting paraphernalia aboard and embarked, determined to have geese or starve. The river was rough when they started, but after they had reached the middle of the stream, which is nearly a half of a mile wide, it was rougher still and the waves ran mountains high. The water was too cold to think of a bath on a December eve, so one of the party, who was more accustomed to the throttle than the oar, prayed the others to return, which they did, resigned to the ill luck that was theirs. The next thing to do, as it was getting late, was to look out for the train. In due time it came along, and to their chagrin the conductor fondly told them to wait for the passenger train which, unknown to them, was six or eight hours late. They sought a sheltered nook and built a fire and made the best of the situation they could. Tired and hungry they waited and waited until the early morning came, and the delayed train stopped and brought them home yesterday about 9 o'clock a. m., with nary a goose, but a hungry set.

FOSSIL LETTER.

Sullivan's Counsel Pronounced "A Very Foolish Fear."

Special to THE CHRONICLE.

POSTL, Or., Dec. 12.—The Roslyn bank robbery affair is the subject of the hour and is talked of in every place from the peaceful fireside to the public bar. From the stories in print about George Zachary and others one is very likely to form an erroneous idea of these so-called bank robbers. The story about Geo. Rose being convicted of cattle-stealing and then being simply fined hardly gives due credit to our law-abiding citizens. The jury found Rose guilty all right enough; Judge Bradshaw imposed the sentence. While the general reputation of these men is rather shady we certainly object to having it said that they ever influenced the administration of justice through fear of them by the officers, either local or county. All agree that Sullivan made a "show" of himself, in bringing a small army to capture these "outlaws." It shows that he took council of a very foolish fear, at any rate.

A. A. Bonney, butcher of The Dalles is out at the Prairie ranch soliciting beef cattle to feed on the company's Tygh valley ranch during the winter.

Bonds for twenty thousand dollars have been raised in the community for the release of Geo. Zachary and Cal. Hale. In fact the people here will be hard to convince that any shepherd would be likely to have sand enough in his craw to do as daring a deed as the Roslyn bank robbery certainly was. Zachary and Kinsey both follow herding as a profession.

Another Freight Outrage.

An Astoria dispatch today reports another outrageous proceeding of the U. P. R. "system," which occurred at that place yesterday. It says the steamer Homer, of the opposition line, was ordered by the owners of the goods to take on board 6,000 cases of salmon for San Francisco, which have been stored on the Union Pacific wharf for some time. She was notified by the Union Pacific agent at Astoria, that she would have to pay \$500 before being allowed to land the officers of the Homer refused this demand, and the steamer dropped down to the Main-street wharf. Drays were engaged in moving the salmon from the Union Pacific wharf to Main-street wharf, and the steamer sailed at 4 p. m. The agent's demand was made on the strength of a telegram from Agent Campbell, in Portland.

The Dalles Markets.

Thursday, Dec. 15.—The week has been a repetition of the former in trade, absolutely lifeless. The near approach of the holidays has pro- pted some little activity in that line of business. The Notion stores have made a fine display, as also have those who deal in jewelry and such goods, for Christmas and New Year remembrances. Other than this there is nothing doing.

The market for produce continues unchanged. One firm received today 125 sacks of potatoes from below, and other dealers are receiving more or less daily from the same source. The reason for this is our farmers are holding for better prices, and decline to bring them in. This may be wise and it may not.

The egg and poultry market is stationary, as is the butter. There are no changes in prices in anything but apples which have advanced. Portland quotations are \$2.00 per box for prime that are clear of dry rot or codlin moth.

The mild weather does not help the hay market, and offerings are more than purchases, and prices are weak with no indication of better late in the season. Oats are quite abundant and prices remain the same. Barley has advanced slightly, 75 to 80 cents is offered for clean and good.

The grain market is weaker. Foreign markets are dull and nearly lifeless. Some believe there will be a change for the better after the holidays are over, and then an advanced will be realized. Present home quotations have certainly reached the bottom; 63 cents for Walla Walla in Portland is bottom, and sellers are storing rather than let their holdings go. In The Dalles, prices range from 52 to 60 cents, and but little changing hands at those figures.

Chronicle Snap Shots.

Anybody is brave when he knows the people are looking.

Marrying a man to reform him is equal to putting your fingers in the fire to put it out.

The best compliment that can be paid the young is that sensible old people admire them.

After a man marries he no longer hears compliments for himself from the women; they are all for his wife.

Let tomorrow take entire care of itself, and some day the poor commissioner will have to take care of you.

Pray too long for a blessing and you will find that while you were praying some other man went to work and got it.

A man has his own way pretty much on earth, but what a difference there will be in heaven, where the women are more than ten to one. All the men there are in heaven went there when they were little boys in short dresses.

Prepared For Work.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—It is announced that I. N. Day & Co., of San Francisco, who have been awarded the contract at the Cascades for \$1,500,000 will begin work immediately upon the close of the rainy season.

Typhus Epidemic Spreading.

SAN LUIS POTOSI, Mex., Dec. 14.—The death rate is increasing at an alarming rate, owing to the terrible ravages of typhus. The disease seems to be spreading, and the people are alarmed.

Fresh Cases of Cholera.

HAMBURG, Dec. 14.—Four cases of cholera have been discovered in this city since the 12th inst.

A Beau of 1899

When grandpa went a-wooling,
 He wore a satin vest,
 A trail of ruffling rose,
 Embroidered on the breast.
 The pattern of his trousers,
 His linen, white and fine,
 Were all the latest fashion
 In eighteen twenty-nine.

Grandpa was a fine-looking young fellow then, so the old ladies say, and he is a fine-looking old gentleman now. For the past score of years he has been a firm believer in the merits of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. "It renewed my youth," he frequently says. "It is the only blood-purifier and liver invigorator guaranteed to benefit or cure, or money promptly refunded. It cures liver, disease, dyspepsia, scurfy sores, skin eruptions, and all diseases of the blood. For lingering coughs and consumption (which is lung-scurf) in its early stages) it is an unparalleled remedy."

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