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CONGRESS HAS QUIT

They Wanted to Print a Comparison of Bills,

BUT TOM JOHNSON OBJECTED

The Japs Have Landed an Army on the Line Between Corea and China, Cutting Off Supplies.

Congress Adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The galleries of the senate were packed today with visitors. On the floor were exactly a score of senators. Ransom and Mander-son were appointed a committee to notify the president that congress was ready to adjourn. After several short recesses, resolutions of thanks to Vice-President Stevenson and Senator Harris, president pro tem., were adopted, and the senate was declared adjourned sine die at 2 p. m.

In the House.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Today the galleries of the house were packed to overflowing with Pythians drawn hither to witness the closing scenes of the session, which was to expire at 2 o'clock. The attendance was very light, the majority of the members having already gone home. The resignation of Representative Oates, recently elected governor of Alabama, was laid before the house. Wilson offered a resolution which was adopted without division for the appointment of three members of the house to meet a similar committee of the senate to wait upon the president and inform him that the congress was ready to adjourn and ascertain if he had any further communication to make.

The chair appointed Wilson, Holman and Hepburn. The speaker appointed the following committee to investigate the Ford's theater disaster: Maddox, Brooks, Hire, Pigott, Daniels and Updegraff.

A resolution to print in comparison the new tariff law with the present law and the Wilson bill as it passed the house was called up by Richardson (democrat, of Tennessee). The vote resulted—yeas 71, nays 3. Johnson of Ohio made the point of no quorum. As it was apparent a quorum could not be mustered, an appeal was made from all sides to induce Johnson to withdraw the point of order, but he refused.

Johnson claimed the comparisons proposed to be printed had been prepared under the direction of Gorman, and were misleading, and finally Richardson withdrew the resolution.

The committee appointed to wait upon the president reported he had no further communications to make. "The president also requested me," said Wilson, "to congratulate the house and the senate on the close of its labors, and wished the individual members a happy and prosperous vacation."

At 2 o'clock the speaker declared the second session of the 53d congress adjourned. Great cheering greeted the announcement.

Vice-President Wickes on the Witness Stand.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—In the investigation of the Pullman strike by the national commission today, Chauncey Kelsey, of the Chicago & Alton road, testified the loss sustained by that road during the strike was \$286,360. The Chicago & Eastern Illinois reported \$21,600 loss. The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy \$150,000 in the destruction of its property with other losses not tabulated.

Charles E. Webb, chief clerk of the bank at Pullman, testified that Jennie Curtis, who claimed she was compelled to pay back rent, had paid voluntarily.

When Vice-President Wickes took the stand, he said the cost to the company of building cars under contract at the time of the strike was about \$1,400,000. The labor would cost about \$240,000. The contracts were taken on the basis of a reduction of 20 per cent. Thus under the old prices the labor would have cost about \$340,000. Wickes admitted that on this basis the company had reduced the receipts \$52,000 and the employees' wages \$60,000. This, the vice-president said, looked hardly fair, but he thought it much better than to throw men entirely out of employment. In answer to

the chairman, Wickes said the cut in pay had been made to fit the depression in business and in the low selling price of cars, and not to stop any encroachments on the profits and paid stockholders. The surplus of \$25,000,000 undivided profits consisted partly of idle cars whose value was constantly deteriorating. The cost of the cars was counted in the surplus, so there was to some extent a fiction in the figure of the surplus.

Sugar Bounties Cease.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Some days ago Commissioner Miller, of the internal revenue bureau, telegraphed agents in the sugar districts to separate and identify all sugar made at factories from July 1, 1894, to midnight of August 27th. This having been done, the commissioner today gave the agents instructions to withdraw all government control and supervision of sugar factories. This supervision has been maintained heretofore because of the sugar bounty provision of the McKinley bill, and now bounties have ceased by virtue of the new tariff bill, and it is no longer necessary.

French Forces Annihilated.

PARIS, Aug. 28.—According to a report received at St. Louis, the French garrison at Timbuctoo, after three days desperate fighting with the Laurens and other hostile tribes, which had been besieging that city, made a sortie. The beleaguering forces, in overwhelming numbers, fell upon the sortie party, fairly annihilating it. This news has created consternation in army circles, as it is the second serious resistance the French have met with in the vicinity of Timbuctoo since that important Soudanese town was occupied by them, early in the present year.

Japanese Landing Troops.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 28.—It is reported here that Japanese transports escorted by war vessels are landing troops to the northward of Taku, with the intention of marching upon Peking. Another report says the Japanese have succeeded in landing 20,000 men on the banks of Yulariver, separating Corea from China, and thus cut off supplies of the large army which the Chinese have sent down the Korean peninsula. Another report says the French commissioner at Hong Tsiang has been murdered by the soldiers of Gin Yeh.

California Fruit in the East.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The morning papers say last week was not so heavy a week in the California fruit trade as the week previous. During the week ending August 18th, 135 cars were received from shippers on the Pacific coast, while last week only 115 cars came. Bartlett pears are being received fully ripe, as the season is nearing a close and the fruit here had to be sold as soon as opened. In spite of this fact, however, a good demand kept the prices steady.

Effect of Tariff in Mexican Mines.

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 28.—In the Mexican Central railroad yard at Ciudad Juarez, Mexico, there were more than 300 cars of silver-lead ores, waiting for the new tariff bill to go into effect before transferring to the United States. Many Mexican silver mines running a high per cent in lead, which closed down on account of the Windom ruling, will now be opened up again, and it is thought another smelters will be erected here at an early date.

Americans Accused of Poaching.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—The St. James Gazette this afternoon gives prominence to a letter written by a Canadian, charging serious poaching upon the part of American schooners in Hudson bay, especially on the McKenzie river. The writer says: "Brother Jonathan is an exceedingly smart practitioner. While inviting the powers to adhere to the Behring sea award, he is poaching on his own account."

The Mosquito Chief.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The steamer Alene, which arrived today, took as passengers from Port Limon to Kingston, Jamaica, Chief Clarence, of the Mosquito Indians, and forty-five followers, who took refuge aboard the British man-of-war Mohawk at Bluefields, and were taken to Port Limon. Chief Clarence was reported as saying that he expected to be back at Bluefields within a month, which is regarded as altogether unlikely.

Feed wheat for sale cheap at Wasco Warehouse.

Will Increase Smuggling.

TACOMA, Aug. 28.—Collector James Saunders, who is here from Port Townsend, says: "Yes, the new tariff reduces the duty on opium one-half, but that will not affect smuggling, except to increase it about one-half. Smugglers will have to carry just twice the amount to make as much hereafter as they have been making heretofore, and they will do it, too. The new tariff will not stimulate the importation of coal from British Columbia."

Dutch Loss More Serious Than at First Reported.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 28.—The defeat of the Dutch troops sent to punish the rajah of the island of Lambok, not far from Java, seems to have been more serious than at first supposed. It is now asserted 164 Dutch soldiers and fourteen officers, including General Van Ham, were killed, and many wounded. The Dutch residents at Lambok succeeded in escaping.

Preparing to Attack Kassala.

CAIRO, Aug. 27.—It is reported here that the Mahdists are concentrating their forces to attack Kassala and wrest it from the Italians who recently occupied it. The provinces of Eastern Soudan, at Berber, and Dongola, have been stripped of Mahdist troops. The Mahdist rendezvous is Omdurman.

Comparisons Odious to the House.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The house, having refused to provide for printing the tariff comparisons, the senate today ordered printed another 2500 copies. The senate ordered a like number printed yesterday; there will be 5000 printed in all.

The Bluefields Prisoners.

MANAGUA, Aug. 28.—Prisoners from Bluefields arrived here today. Among them are British Consular Agent Hatch and two Americans. They were released on parole. The foreigners will be tried in the civil courts, the natives by court martial.

A "Run-down"

And "used-up" feeling is the first warning that your liver isn't doing its work. And, with a torpid liver and the impure blood that follows it, you're an easy prey to all sorts of ailments. That is the time to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. As an appetizing, restorative tonic, to repel disease and build up the needed flesh and strength, there's nothing to equal it. It rouses every organ into healthful action, purifies and enriches the blood, braces up the whole system, and restores health and vigor.

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A Blow to the Rock Island.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Commissioner Miller, of the revenue bureau, has decided that playing cards used as advertisements are not exempt from duty under the new law.

It Should Be in Every House

J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay St., Sharpsburg, Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, that it cured his wife who was threatened with pneumonia after an attack of "la grippe," when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for lung trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free trial bottles at Snipes & Kinnersly's.

Announcements do not always give the impression they are intended to convey. A well-known concert manager appreciated this fact after he had given it out that Mr. Jones would sing by special request "Through All Eternity."—Arkansaw Traveler.

Malarial and other atmospheric influences are best counteracted by keeping the blood pure and vigorous with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. A little caution in this respect may prevent serious illness at this season. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best all-the-year-round medicine in existence.

Counsel (for defendant)—Would it be contempt of court to say that your honor has presided over the case in a manner which is a disgrace to the bench? Judge—Certainly it would. I should commit you at once. Counsel—Then I shall not say it.—Tid-Bits.

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