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THE BOND BILL NOW

House Will Vote on it Tomorrow.

ONE FOR AN UNLIMITED ISSUE

The Other for a Fifty Million Issue—Secretary Carlisle Writes to Chairman Dingley Urging Legislation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—A conference was held between Speaker Reed and the house managers today and the result was an agreement for a vote on the bill at 3 o'clock tomorrow, instead of 5 o'clock today. Meantime it is to be open to debate.

The further arrangement was made that the ways and means committee, before reporting the bill, will insert a clause showing it is not the purpose to retire greenbacks.

It was also arranged that there should be separate votes, one on the proposition for a \$50,000,000 bond issue and another on an unlimited issue.

These concessions were made to overcome the protests against the haste which led last night to the appointment of a committee of republican members to wait on Speaker Reed.

NEITHER SIDE SATISFIED.

Report of the Appraiser in the Jay Gould Estate.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Since March, 1893, Lawyer David McClure, who has appointed appraiser in the matter of the taxation of the Jay Gould estate, was been working on his final report, which he filed yesterday with Assistant Tax Assessor Casey, in the surrogate's office. The lawyer's work consisted in ascertaining the value of the estate which will be taxable under the transfer act of 1892.

The report sustains the testator's will, in which the four executors, George F. Edwin, Howard and Helen M. Gould, were left an annuity of \$10,000 for life for acting as executors and trustees, and make the total property taxable under what is known as the collateral inheritance tax act, \$74,615,423. The report also states that the life interest of the four executors would make a total of \$615,587, which must be deducted from the principal and be exempt from taxation. It is figured that the state taxes would amount to about \$2,000,000, only for the forethought of the late Jay Gould in fixing life annuities of \$10,000 per year upon each one of his four executors.

According to Lawyer McClure report, the Gould family is now taxed \$574,000. At the time of the probating of the will they paid \$500,000, receiving a rebate of 5 per cent. The executors of the estate now assert that the value of the securities is placed entirely too high, and refuse to pay. They will no doubt appeal from the final report of the appraiser as submitted to the surrogate and, in the event of an adverse decision, carry the case to the court of appeals. In that event years of litigation can be looked for. On the other hand, the state is not entirely satisfied with the report. It is claimed that the expenses and commissions should not be deducted from this principal, and thus be exempt from taxation. It is likely the state will appeal if the Goulds receive a favorable decision from the surrogate.

CARLISLE TO DINGLEY.

The Secretary Urges Legislation for Gold Bonds.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Chairman Dingley, of the ways and means committee, has received a letter from Secretary Carlisle, which is private, but which furnishes some information concerning the condition of the treasury. Dingley

says the secretary offers to furnish the house all the data that may be needed. The condition of the treasury is represented as very serious, and Carlisle urges legislation for gold bonds.

Dingley has informed the secretary that gold bonds are out of the question, and could not be considered. Secretary Carlisle did not say to Dingley that 3 per cent bonds cannot be floated, and did not discuss this feature of the case. This denial is made because a report to this effect concerning the secretary's letter is in circulation.

Geo. W. Jenkins, editor of the Santa Maria "Times," Cal., in speaking of the various ailments of children said: "When my children have croup there is only one patent medicine I ever use, and that is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It possesses some medical properties that relieve the little sufferers immediately. It is, in my opinion, the best cough medicine in the market." If this remedy is freely given as soon as the croup cough appears it will prevent the attack. It is also an ideal remedy for whooping cough. There is no danger in giving it to children, as it contains nothing injurious. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggist.

Joint Traffic Association.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Chairman Morrison, of the interstate commerce commission, today sent to the senate copies of articles of the organization of the railroad joint traffic association, and also a copy of a letter the commission sent to the attorney-general. The commission say the agreement is in conflict with the interstate commerce law, and request the attorney-general to direct the United States district attorney for the Southern district of New York to institute proceedings, by injunction or otherwise, to prevent its being carried into effect.

A. E. Kilpatrick, of Fillmore, Cal., had the misfortune to have his leg caught between a cart and a stone and badly bruised. Ordinarily he would have been laid up for two or three weeks, but says: "After using one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm I began to feel better, and in three days was entirely well. The peculiar soothing qualities which Chamberlain's Pain Balm possesses I have never noticed in any other liniment. I take pleasure in recommending it." This liniment is also of great value for rheumatism and lame back. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggist.

Last Night's Storm.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The storm last night was the most severe this vicinity has experienced since the weather bureau was established. At 2 o'clock the velocity of the wind was 80 miles an hour, five miles higher than the highest record in this city. At Long Branch the maximum velocity of the wind during the night was 75 miles an hour.

The success that has attended the use of Dr. J. H. McLean's Volcanic Oil Liniment in the relief of pain and in curing diseases which seemed beyond the reach of medicine, has been truly remarkable. Hundreds supposed to be crippled for life with arms and legs drawn up crooked or distorted their muscles withered or contracted by disease have been cured through the use of this remedy. Price 25c, 50 and \$1.00 per bottle. For sale by Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

Water Tunnel Through Pike's Peak.

COLORADO SPRING, Colo., Dec. 27.—The city council of Colorado Springs tonight awarded a contract for the Strickler tunnel to Wilson M. Jackson, of Chicago. The tunnel will be one and a half miles in length, through Pike's Peak, at an altitude of 11,580 feet, and will form an important adjunct to the Colorado City water system. The cut will be made through solid granite.

The Largest Tobacco-Grower Assigned.

LEXINGTON, Dec. 27.—Leslie Combs, jr., the largest tobacco-grower in the world, has assigned. His liabilities are nearly \$300,000.



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Tried to Brain the Mate.

ASTORIA, Or. Dec. 27.—Nattle Raffale, a sailor on the British bark Bedfordshire, was arrested today by Sheriff Hare on a charge of insanity. Raffale, who has been on the vessel's sick list for some time, came on deck this morning, and, seizing a capstan-bar, attempted to brain the mate. The other members of the crew rushed to the mate's rescue and succeeded in securing the would-be assailant.

How's This.

We offer \$100 reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Overdue Steamer Safe.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The Anchor line steamer Furnessia arrived at Moville at 6:35 this morning. The Furnessia sailed December 1 for Glasgow, via Moville, and was due to arrive at the latter port Saturday or Sunday last.

The popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the high esteem in which it is held leads us to believe it to be an article of great worth and merit. We have the pleasure of giving the experience of three prominent citizens of Redondo Beach, Cal., in the use of the remedy. Mr. A. V. Trudell says: "I have always received prompt relief when I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy." Mr. James Orchard says: "I am satisfied that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured my cold." Mr. J. M. Hatcher says: "For three years I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family and its results have always been satisfactory." For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggist.

Severe at Camden.

CAMDEN, N. J., Dec. 27.—The storm in this city last night was very severe. The car shops of the Pennsylvania railway, in Pawonia, were blown down and many cars were wrecked. It is estimated the damage will amount to \$20,000.

When persons are weak and languid from sickness or overwork, feel debilitated and depressed, it is an indication that the blood is out of order, and they need help to throw off the miserable feeling? The best remedy for this purpose is Dr. J. H. McLean's Strengthening Cordial and Blood Purifier. It restores lost strength, gives vigor to circulation, promotes good appetite and a flow of cheerful spirits. Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

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