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COMMENDABLE RECORD OF MOODY OF OREGON.

Presided Over the House for One Day

Washington, March 3 .- For one whole day Representative Malcolm A. Moody has been speaker of the house of representatives. Throughout Sunday. February 22, he presided over the house, by designation of Speaker Henderson, and exhibited all the dignity and solemnity that the occasion deto hear eulogies on the late Representative Tongue and two other dewith a thump, and the house was in years. order. At his order, the chaplain offered prayer, and then for a brief minute Mr. Moody relinquished the chair to Mr. Coombs, of California. while he returned to the floor to offer the resolution authorizing the eulogizing of his late colleague. Immediately upon its adoption, he returned Moody came in for considerable a law before adjournment, "joshing" at the hands of his colleagues. He had never before presided over the house, and was laughingly accused of nervousness. One of Galusha A. Graw, the Venerable Rephis colleagues went so far as to charge the Oregon man with having burned midnight oil in studying up methods of procedure and looking in-to precedent, but, of course, this was fully said that no man ever presided the house with more dignity over than did Mr. Moody, and, whatever may have been the facts as to study. he made no breaks. His day as speak

RELIEF FOR SETTLERS.

Moody's Bill Passes Senate and Will Probably Become Law Before Adjournment of Congress.

Washington, March 3.—Senator Spooner late Saturday evening secured the passage through the senate of Representative Moody's bill providing that all settlers on odd sections -is Accused of Nervousness by within the conflicting grant to the Colleagues-Very Dignified Speaker. Northern Pacific Railroad and The Dalles military wagon road, in Eastern Oregon, who hade made improvements upon said lands and afterward forfeited them under the decision of the supreme court in the case of Wilcox against the Eastern Oregon Land Company, shall, in making fiant proof upon homestead entries made for other lands, be given credit for the period of time of their bona fide resimanded. The house had assembled dence upon and the amount of improvement upon the lands for which they were unable to complete title. parted members. At the stroke of 12 But all such persons must avail them-Mr. Moody brought down the gavel selves of this provision within two

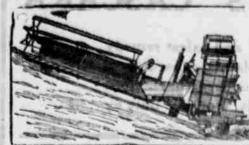
This act does not apply to persons who have received the beneats of the homestead law and received title to other lands, since being deprived of their first entry. The senate struck out the provision requiring one year's residence upon the second homestead. in accordance with the wish of the to the speaker's desk, where he re- settlers, and if the fillibuster in the mained until the adjournment. Prior house does not prevent the reference to the assembling of the house, Mr. of the bill to congress, it will become

WAR-TIME SPEAKER.

resentative From Pennsylvania, First Became a Member of the House 51 Years Ago,

Washington, D. C., March 3 .- With all in good humor. It can be truth- the close of the Fifty-seventh congress speaker. He entered congress as a Grow looks back as the most importa venerable and striking figure passes democrat. in the person of Galusha A. Grow, of Pennsylvania, who first became a member of the house of representatives 51 years ago.

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He entered congress before he was nently broke with his old party associates and became the congressional leader of the newly-formed republican party.

30, and quickly became a leader, Dur- Mr. Grow presided over three sessions ing the stirring times from 1861 to or the house. It is not, however, 1863 he presided over the house as upon his record as speaker that Mr. but when the Missouri ant chapter in his public career, for from the halls of the national capitol Compromise was repealed he perma- he has a right to be considered as the author of the Homestead act, which went into operation Jan. 1, 1863, From 1871 to 1876 Mr. Grow was president of the International and Great Northern Railroad Company of Texas, Presdent Hayes offered him the mission o Russia in 1879, which he declined.

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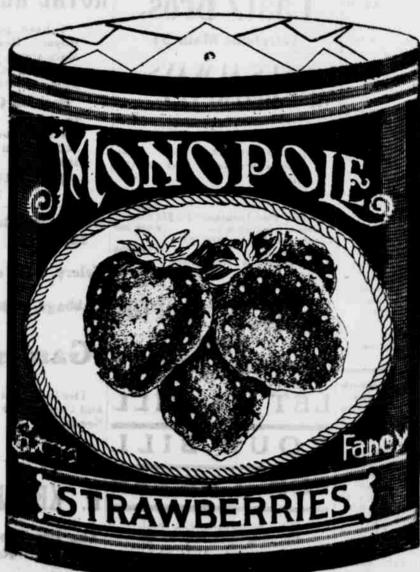
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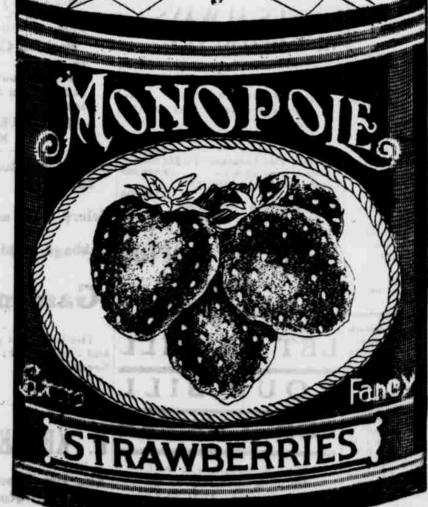
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