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PROGRESS IN CONGRESS.

A Bill Reported Calculated to Please Prohibitionists.

SILVER VALUE SLIDING SCALE.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The bill prohibiting aliens from acquiring titles to lands in the United States, was favorably reported from the house judiciary committee this afternoon.

The bill subjecting oleomargarine to the provisions of the laws of the several states was favorably reported from the house committee on commerce. A bill was also reported by the house commerce committee, providing that nothing is contained in the interstate commerce law, which shall be construed to authorize the sale of intoxicating liquors in any state contrary to the laws thereof. The house then went into a committee of the whole on the river and harbor bill.

After the transaction of unimportant routine business the house took up the conference report on the customs administration bill, which was adopted by a vote of 231 to 191.

The committee of the whole arose, and the house adjourned at 5 o'clock.

Will Have Time to Repent.
Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The superintendent of census has issued the following important order to all census takers in Washington there appears to be great uneasiness on the part of the New York silver corner men to get rid of their present holdings before the break next Thursday. Since the location of the silver corner, made some time ago, the uneasiness has increased, and on last Thursday the treasury purchased 200,000 ounces at one time. This had the effect of lowering the price from \$107 asked to \$103.

A Washington Nasty.
Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—W. C. Ayer, who has been appointed postmaster at Shelburne city, Pierce county, Wash., vice L. Rigney, resigned.

Expedition to Alaska.
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WASHINGTON, May 27.—The National Geographic Society, at a meeting held to-night, decided not to abandon the expedition to Alaska, and will start sometime next week. By the appointment of the secretary of the navy, the ship *Pinto* has been furnished them for the trip.

Oregon Postoffices.
Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The following changes have been made in post-offices in Oregon: E. V. Miller, at Hillsdale, Multnomah county, resigned; M. A. Hartman, at Marquam, Clackamas county, vice E. M. Hartman, resigned.

Quarantine Officer.
Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Dr. Herrick was today appointed quarantine inspector for New Mexico and Arizona.

RAILROAD NEWS.
Special to THE ASTORIAN.

CHICAGO, May 27.—A telegram has been received by the Atchison people to-day from New York, saying that Gould assures them that the Missouri Pacific will join other western lines in advancing rates. O. F. Goddard, who has just resigned the vice-presidency of the Atchison, has been offered the chairmanship of the Trunk Line Passenger Association.

George B. Harris has been elected second vice-president of the Burlington, in place of H. B. Stone, resigned. He will also act as general manager of the lines in Illinois and Iowa, in place of E. P. Ripley, resigned.

Rubber Goods Coming Up.
Special to THE ASTORIAN.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The leading rubber merchants of the country met here to-day, and decided to organize and advance the price of belting, packing, hose and mechanical rubber goods, from ten to twenty-five per cent. The advance goes into effect June 2.

Sullivan Nearly Ready to Fight.
Special to THE ASTORIAN.

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—Sullivan, in an interview, says Lynch had no authority to post money for a match with McAuliffe. He says he will not talk fight till clear of the Mississippi engagement; then he is prepared to meet any man in the world.

What Crop Prospects.
Special to THE ASTORIAN.

CHICAGO, May 27.—The Farmers Review in its next issue will give the following summary of the condition of spring and winter wheat in states named: Winter wheat, Illinois, 67 per cent; Indiana, 65 per cent; Iowa, 65 per cent; Kentucky, 81; Missouri, 81; Kansas, 82; Wisconsin, 77; Michigan, 81; Spring wheat—Iowa, 93; Nebraska, 89; Minnesota, 86; South Dakota, 92; Wisconsin, 93.

AN INTERNATIONAL BANK.

Plans for Its Organization.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The president to-day sent a letter to the senate, with a draft of a bill for the establishment of an international American bank, as recommended by the international American conference.

The president's letter says it is not proposed to involve the United States in any financial basis and to promote the house confidence, the subject is submitted to congress with a belief that it will be found possible to promote the end desired by legislation so guarded as to avoid all unjust criticisms.

The bill provides that Jno. Henderson, Wm. H. Trescott, of South Carolina; T. Jefferson Coolidge, of Massachusetts; Andrew Carnegie, of Pennsylvania; Clement Studebaker, of Indiana; Jno. F. Hanson, of Georgia; Henry G. Davis, of West Virginia; Chas. H. Flint, of New York, and Morris M. Estee, of California, are all delegates on the part of the United States to the international American conference, and shall be designated as commissioners to receive subscription to the capital stock of the corporation, to be known as the International American bank, the principal office of which is to be in New York or Washington, both if desired, and also in the principal cities in South and Central America and Mexico. The capital stock is to be \$10,000,000.

Hard to Maintain a Corner.
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WASHINGTON, May 27.—The New York Mail and Express correspondent telegraphed his paper to-day that director of the mint Leach predicts a break in the New York silver corner next Thursday. From evidence shown in Washington there appears to be great uneasiness on the part of the New York silver corner men to get rid of their present holdings before the break next Thursday. Since the location of the silver corner, made some time ago, the uneasiness has increased, and on last Thursday the treasury purchased 200,000 ounces at one time. This had the effect of lowering the price from \$107 asked to \$103.

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Presbyterian Progress.
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SARATOGA, May 27.—The final meeting of the Montreal Presbyterian assembly was held to-day. The report of the commission on narrative gave a summary of progress over the entire field. The total number of communicants is over 89,000, a gain during the year of 12,192. Benevolent contributions from all sources will not be less than \$13,000,000. No year has ever seen such an increase in the membership.

It is possible to do this even in regions of country where intemperance is most rife, and intemperance is very rife here. It can be assumed their most formidable pest, the immense popularity of Hood's Stomach Remedy is very largely attributable to the fact of its efficacy as a remedy for cholera and fever, bilious ailments, and as a preventive of the various forms of malarial disease. In those portions of the west and south where cholera is of this nature prevalent, and in the tropics, it is particularly esteemed for the proteo-ferrous which acts as a substitute for the dangerous and comparatively ineffective alkaloid, sulphate of quinine. Physicians have not been among the last to concede its merits, and the emphatic professional endorsements which it has received have added to the reputation it has obtained at home and abroad.

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THE PACIFIC MAIL.

Huntington Is in It—Gould Refuses to Remain.

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NEW YORK, May 27.—Among the many rumors started concerning the Pacific Mail company is one this afternoon by the Commercial Advertiser to the effect that a new deal, unknown to the street in general, has been made by the Pacific Mail and Great Northwestern interest.

Thomas and Brice, who are leaders in the two last named enterprises, secure an interest in the Pacific Mail. The object of the Canadian Pacific interest is to prevent any rate cutting between the freight schedules of the steamers and the Pacific Mail.

According to the Northern Pacific people the move is the final resort of the Canadian Pacific people to prevent the establishment of a Pacific Mail service from Tacoma.

Tired of Living in Canada.
Special to THE ASTORIAN.

NEW YORK, May 27.—John Keenan, of 34 Beville aldermanic notoriety, walked into the district attorney's office and surrendered himself. He has been in Canada since the indictment. Bail was given in the sum of \$40,000.

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FIRE IN SPOKANE AGAIN.

President Adams Pleased With Northwestern U. P. Roads.

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SPOKANE, May 27.—A fire broke out in Edmunds' restaurant and lodging house this afternoon, and the entire business portion of the town was burned. Among the houses burned were O. Edmunds' restaurant, Bradley & Butler's saloon, A. J. Myer's barber shop, Geo. Jacobs' saloon, E. H. Braubury's dry goods and grocery store, Fishbush's saloon, A. W. Hart's general store, D. Rodney's boot and shoe store and residence. The loss was about \$50,000, and the insurance is light. There was plenty of help to fight the fire, but a low water pressure.

RECIDIVITIES AND BUSINESS HOUSES CONSUMED.
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Shoe Factory Burned.
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SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—There was a fire in a Chinese shoe factory this evening, doing about \$4,000 damage to the stock.

GEN. LEE'S MONUMENT.
Special to THE ASTORIAN.

RICHMOND, Va., May 27.—The city is filling up with Confederate veterans to participate in the unveiling of Lee's monument. The programme has been announced. Governor McKinney will call the assemblage to order. After prayer, General Early will be introduced by the chairman, and an oration will be delivered by Col. Anderson. The unveiling of the statue by General Joseph E. Johnston will follow amid salvos of artillery. The parade will be the largest that has been seen in the south since the war.

Golden Rule Bazaar Burned.
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SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—A fire this evening in the Golden Rule Bazaar on Market street, did damage to the extent of \$20,000.

Won by Tacoma.
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PORTLAND, May 27.—The base ball game to-day resulted Portland 14, Tacoma 13.

Pleasure Party Drowned.
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BREITAN, May 27.—Six officers and several ladies were drowned while boating at Potsdam to-day.

The Line to Japan.
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PORTLAND, May 27.—Certain parties here are in receipt of advices from Kobe, Japan, to the effect that Frank Upton, who is interested with the Union Pacific in the Portland-Japan line, is opposed to Portland as the terminal on account of the Columbia river bar, and the long haul inland via the river. If the source from which the news originated can be considered authentic the reports originating in San Francisco, to the effect that Portland would secure the Japan line, can be considered something more than mere rumors. The letter states the belief that Upton favors the Union Pacific terminal on the Sound upon its completion.

PORTLAND POINTERS.

Plans of the Union Pacific.

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