

THE HERALD.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 1891.

A BROKEN scepter—that one wielded by "Czar" Reed.

COLLAPSED—the pedestal upon which Thomas B. Reed once exhibited himself.

It is customary to speak well of the dead, but the custom is more honored in the breach than in observance, as far as it relates to the Fifty-first Congress.

The Fifty-first Congress appropriated nearly \$200,000,000 more than the Fiftieth Congress, but it couldn't stand the small amount necessary to give the people one cent letter postage.

No wonder Quay got disgusted with his republican colleagues and went fishing. The beginning of the republican Congress was bad enough, but the end was worse.

SENATOR Wolcott thinks the Postoffice Department has become a little chesnutty under the management of Wanamaker.

Ex-Representative Anderson, of Kansas—thanks to his having been a schoolmate of Mr. Harrison's—gets a snug berth in the diplomatic service that will enable him to keep out of the way of the Kansas Farmers Alliance for some time, and get a good salary for doing it.

The death of Senator Hearst was a double misfortune to the country and the democratic party.

The great majority of the republican "ex's" have a double edged snickersnee in their trousers to be used upon the Harrison boom, and none of them have a sharper or heavier weapon than Mr. Huston of Indiana, ex-U. S. Treasurer, who says he resigned because of personal, social and political dissatisfaction with the administration.

Nobody seems to have heard of Mr. Harrison having tendered his friend ex-Senator Ingalls, a plum in the shape of an appointment, nor has any one heard that the vitriolic Kansan proposed employing any of his spare time during the ensuing year in coraling delegates for the present occupant of the White House, to the next republican national convention.

SOMEBODY said that Mr. Harrison's selection of ex-Gov. Foster, of Ohio, to be Secretary of the Treasury, indicated the adoption by the administration of a new Southern policy.

AMERICAN Congressmen will show their good sense by keeping their fingers out of the Canadian campaign now raging.

MANY years practice have given C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of patents at Washington, D. C. unsurpassed success in obtaining patents for all classes of inventions.

It is a waste of space to say nothing of being very unkind for newspapers to remind "me-too" Platt of the part he took in nominating Harrison.

It is apparent from the speeches made at the woman's suffrage convention at Washington, that the women of Kansas elected Senator Peffer, the successor to Ingalls. How long have the women of Kansas been voting?

We would suggest to "Buffalo Bill" that he might add a new feature to his "Wild West" show, which is now in Europe, by employing the ex-members of Congress to repeat daily, for the edification of the adherents of the "effete monarchial systems," the "riot act," which they have enacted so often during the lifetime of the unlamented Fifty-first Congress.

We are now an incorporated town, a municipality, or a government of ourselves; the election over and officers to serve us for one year elected by the legal voters of the district incorporated.

But since it is all over let us show our interest and good sense by encouraging and supporting our town officers in their duties; not kick at every action of our council and criticize every move or effort made by that body, which presumably, is made for the good of our town.

Henry N. Copp, the Washington (D. C.) land lawyer, has revised and reprinted his Settler's Guide, the seventeenth edition.

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Ex-Mayor Daniel F. Beatty, of Beatty's celebrated Organs and Pianos, Washington, New Jersey, has returned home from an extended tour of the world.

FROM THE CAPITOL.

HERALD'S WASHINGTON LETTER.

A Synopsis of a Week's Working at the White House.

(From our regular Correspondent) WASHINGTON, D. C. March 7, 1891.

The United States is bankrupt, as far as the reckless and extravagant appropriations voted by the republican Congress can make it so, and it would be actually so today if all of the appropriations had to be paid at once.

Where the money is to come from to pay all of these wild appropriations is more than any one can see at this time; it isn't in the Treasury nor can it possibly get there under the present methods of taxation.

The republican ex-Representatives are loath to leave Washington until Mr. Harrison has distributed the plums now at his disposal, which includes nine new U. S. circuit Court judges as provided by the new law, which purports to be for the relief of the Supreme Court, but Mr. Harrison proposes to try their patience, as he is going to Maryland to-morrow for a few days of wild duck shooting, and says he will do nothing in the matter until his return.

Ex-Speaker Reed has a pretty thick skin, but he couldn't hide the chagrin he felt when every democrat in the House voted against the usual resolution of thanks that Mr. McKinley, after vainly trying to persuade a democrat to do it, had offered.

It is pleasing to know that the Fifty-first Congress did one good thing. It passed the International copyright bill, although it was apparently done through a misunderstanding, and Mr. Harrison signed it with a quill pen, from the wing of an American eagle, which had been provided for the occasion by one of the editors of the Century Magazine.

Senator Edmunds is entitled to thanks for having balked Senator Plumb's scheme for transferring the employees of the Census bureau to the regular departmental service, without the formality of a civil service examination.

The democratic Senators also deserve well for the smartness they displayed in preventing the mail subsidy bill from being sent to a conference committee, which would surely have incorporated the tonnage subsidy bill in it.

There were some disgraceful scenes at the last night session of Congress, caused by the old time offender, John Barkevorn.

Notice. I announce to the public that I will not do any more credit business.

From this time on I will not give any credit for liquors to friend or foe.

Taken up by the undersigned, on Poison creek, Harney county, Oregon, two bay horses branded on left shoulder with the figure 12, about 8 years old, weight about 1100.

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