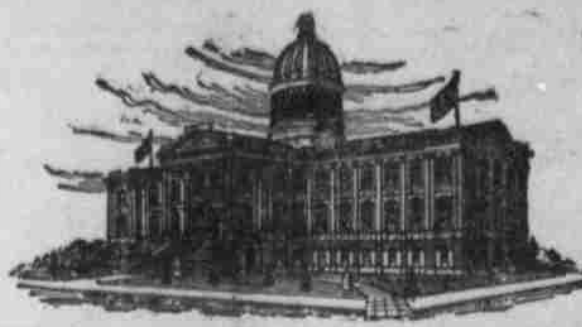


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Evolutions of the New Money System.

IN GREAT MULTITUDE OF COUNSEL.

There Are a Few Grains of Common Sense.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The hearing before the house of the banking and currency committee on the question of the reorganization of the currency laws was resumed today. Among those present were, Horace White, of the New York Evening Post; G. G. Homer, of Baltimore; Chairman of the Committee on national bankers to formulate a so-called Baltimore plan, and R. E. Hepburn of New York, ex-comptroller of the currency. The gentlemen represent the currency ideas embodied in the Baltimore plan.

White submitted his bill on the Baltimore plan. Homer stated the committee of national bankers had yet formulated a bill. Johnson, of Ohio, asked White's opinion of Secretary Carlisle's plan. White answered he did not think the secretary's plan would give elastic currency, it sought to secure. It compelled the banks to put up 30 cents every time they issued 75 cents.

SENATE PROCEEDINGS:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Secretary Carlisle presented a bill embodying his financial plan to the committee on banking and currency this afternoon. In the senate today Dolph reported memorial from citizens of Phoenix, Ariz., in the matter of Indian depredation claims.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Monday afternoon Call presented a resolution setting forth that the independence of the island of Cuba is an object of great importance to the United States, and requesting the president to commence negotiations with Spain for recognition of the independence of the island and for a guarantee by the United States of the payment of such sum of money, as shall be agreed on between the United States and Spain. The resolution went over until tomorrow. Call also presented a resolution declaring that further prosecution of the war between China and Japan will not be advantageous to the people of civilization, and that the interest of the world requires that all governments should unite in negotiating with Japan and China for the termination of the war. Without discussion the resolution was referred to the committee on foreign relations.

Allen called up his resolution intended to expunge a portion of the congressional record and to send a resolution introduced by him last July to the attorney general. The latter resolution called for information concerning the Pullman strike. This resolution was passed, but was re-considered on motion of Pugh. Allen bitterly assailed this action and also attacked the attorney general to whom he attributed the action of the Alabama senator. Pugh vigorously defended the attitude taken by Gray. At 2 o'clock the whole matter went over and the senate, on motion of Morgan, took up the Nicaragua canal. The bill was read at length. Morgan began his remarks by making a statement of the national and international aspect of the subject, upon which the senate and house have agreed. Careful calculations, he intimated, showed that the canal would yield remunerative profits so that it was a security that it would be of the greatest importance to the United States; that it could be operated and that there was nothing to render impossible the construction made by the Central American government to citizens of the United States.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Senator

ALWAYS A BAD MAN.

Warden Coblenz Proves Worse and Worse.

A DEFAULTER AND A DESERTER.

Once Left a Family and Beat His Creditors.

SEATTLE, Dec. 11.—It has developed that John H. Coblenz, warden of the state penitentiary, who committed suicide to escape prosecution, was known as Peter Morrison Moody, in Orleans, Neb., where he was agent of the Buckeye machine company. He married a school teacher there and had three children. One of his enemies was found dead in a field there, and it is supposed he killed him, but it was not proven. He skipped out of Orleans in 1879, and was found to be a defaulter of the Buckeye Co., for a large amount. Later developments showed that he had left a wife in Ohio.

TACOMA, Wn., Dec. 11.—Late last night Governor McCraw returned from Walla Walla. Before he left Francis Rison, one of the bondsmen said, the bondsmen would make good Coblenz's default. The governor thinks the shortage will reach about \$15,000, possibly more. They asked if Coblenz had outside accomplices; the governor said, "I am not prepared to say, but the whole matter is being sifted to the bottom, and the truth will be known."

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Blame the Armenians.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The Turkish legation has received an official communication regarding Armenian troubles, which lays all the charges of cruelty at the doors of the Armenians, about 3000 of whom, under leadership of a rebel named Hampartoum, committed horrible crimes and depredations upon neighboring musulmen.

Regular troops were sent to the spot to put down their rebellion. Chief Hampartoum fled to a high mountain with seven associates. He was captured alive, not without killing two soldiers and wounding six. By the end of August all the insurgent bands were dispersed.

Women, children and invalids were treated with due consideration and according to the dictates of Islamism and humanity. Insurgents who were captured will be punished by law.

Did of Apoplexy.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Dr. S. Merrill, of Seattle, the physician who arrived on the City of Puebla last Friday, and who came into notice here through the aid he rendered a deserted young Russian wife in bringing her child into the world, during the voyage down from Victoria, died of apoplexy Saturday forenoon at the International Hotel. His wife believes that the worry and exposure caused by his humane work led to his death. Mrs. Merrill will take the body of her husband East tomorrow.

A Malpractice Case.

DEVER, Dec. 11.—Dr. Rudolph F. Price was convicted today of criminal malpractice upon Miss Ida Home Jeffrey, a Grand Junction school teacher. Dr. Price left Fairland, Ore., under a cloud sometime ago.

THE MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Wheat Cash 90.
CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Wheat, Cash 90; May 90.
PORTLAND, Dec. 11.—Wheat valley 90; Walla Walla 79 1/2.
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ESTEE WILL CONTEST.

Struggle in the Courts for the Golden State Governorship.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—A political storm that has been gathering for many days, broke here when P. B. Cornwell, chairman of the Republican state central committee, went before the state supreme court and took the initial in what is to be a contest between Budd, Democratic candidate for governor, and Estee, Republican, in San Francisco. Owing to the incompetency of election officials and in many instances their corrupt methods, returns from many precincts have not been properly certified to the board of election commissioners, which is just completing its canvass of returns. In several precincts the officers have not signed their returns and refuse to do so. Twelve officers of one precinct in which great frauds have been discovered, are under arrest for refusing to certify to their returns. It is claimed that if the vote of all these precincts in which there have been so many irregularities shall be thrown out, over 20,000 votes will be stricken from the returns. It is in San Francisco that Budd polled his big vote, and as his total plurality in the state is less than 1,300, it is plain the throwing out of returns from all these precincts will defeat Budd and seat Estee the Republican candidate. The Republican state central committee has decided to attempt this. The supreme court now has the petition under consideration. On the state supreme bench the Republicans have a majority, but it is not presumed that this fact can have any bearing upon the questions in issue. If the court shall decide in favor of the Republicans, further consideration will be immediate and conclusive and Estee be seated. If a decision adverse to the Republicans shall be rendered, it is their declared intention to carry the contest into the legislature where they have an overwhelming majority.

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One Oregon Town Cleaned.

PENDLETON, Dec. 11.—Not a gambling place is open in Pendleton. One week ago there was about a dozen running full blast. Nearly every gambler whose permanent home is not in this city has fled to escape the experience of those who have been arrested. Jacob Sheerman, candidate for city treasurer at the election last Monday, was taken for examination today before a justice, charged with gambling. The case was dismissed, but the others are held. The agitation continues and will probably take the form of an investigation of the police force. It has been alleged that the officers collected blackmail money from the gamblers and prostitutes. Those who fled to Walla Walla found a more rigid observance than here, and write to friends that there is no show for sports.

Foster's Views on Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Charles Foster, who was twice governor of Ohio and was secretary of the treasury under President Harrison, is in the city. In an interview he said he believed the silver question will become the leading issue in our politics, but he thinks free and unlimited coinage of silver would throw this country upon a silver basis, which would be a most unfortunate position for a great country like ours. He believes the United States might safely undertake the utilization of all its silver as a money metal, but does not think there is power enough in all the governments on earth to preserve the intrinsic value alike of the two metals on any ratio agreed upon. Mr. Foster's plan is to use as much silver as possible in the United States, but he thinks nothing would advance the price for American silver abroad.

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The reduction of the price of the WEEKLY CAPITAL JOURNAL to \$1 a year will take place January 1, 1895, but subscriptions in advance for next year will be received now. Old subscribers who are in arrears should read the offer of valuable book premiums published in this week's issue of the WEEKLY. Reducing the price of the WEEKLY to \$1 a year is in keeping with our hard times policy introduced in 1893 when the price of the DAILY JOURNAL was put down to \$2 a year cash in advance. Wages, prices of paper, the prices of farm product and all incomes have been reduced so that these reductions in price of our newspaper are but in keeping with the necessities of the times.

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Tariff, Silver and Closure.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—In an interview this evening, Voorhees, chairman of the senate finance committee, made public his views on the tariff, silver and closure. The senator said that further tariff legislation must be determined by the question of revenue for the government. He would be glad to have sugar, coal, iron and all other raw materials free, but in the present condition of the treasury, the senate would not dare to enter upon legislation, making a greater deficiency in the public revenues. Touching sugar, he said, for the present, at least, this source of revenue cannot be disturbed. He favored giving the Wilson bill a fair trial, and not meddling with the tariff until it has had a chance to demonstrate its qualities. Referring to silver he said, "Silver is money by the constitution, and should be coined on the same terms that gold is coined, without discrimination against either metal and without charge for mintage. The American people have been misled during the last 100 years far more by silver money than by gold."

Referring to the recent agitation for a change of the rules of the senate, Voorhees said he was earnestly in favor of the change.

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