

**LIVELY SESSION IN
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WASHINGTON, June 1.—There was a lively session of the House to-day, at which the policy of Speaker Reed and the Republican majority was again made the subject of attack by members of the minority. Mr. Richardson (D.) of Tennessee and Mr. Simpson (Pop.) of Kansas led the onslaught of the minority. The majority position was ably defended by Mr. Henderson (R.) of Iowa and Mr. Grosvenor (R.) of Ohio. The appeal of Mr. Lewis (D.) of Washington, taken last Thursday, from the decision of the Chair that a resolution relating to foreign affairs did not constitute a question of privilege was laid on the table, and after the skirmish over the methods of procedure three special orders were successfully adopted, by two of which the Senate bills making a special appropriation for the Government Printing Office, and for granting the Secretary of the Navy authority to contract with any two vessels to carry supplies to India, were passed. The other provided for the consideration of the Frye bill to prevent collisions upon harbors, rivers and inland waters of the United States connected with the ocean, but Mr. Payne, in charge of the latter bill, was forced to abandon it for the day, to avoid the point of no quorum.

PUBLIC DEBT.

**Statement Issued for the Month of
May.**

WASHINGTON, June 1.—The monthly statement of the public debt, less cash in the treasury, at the close of the business on May 29, 1897, was \$896,084,072, a decrease for the month of \$1,590,080, which is principally accounted for by an increase of over \$2,000,000 in cash in the treasury. The debt, independent of the cash, was increased during the month by \$463,215, according to the redemption account.

CUT IN WAGES.

**Two Hundred Iron-Workers on a
Strike at Pittsburg.**

PITTSBURG, June 1.—A 10 per cent. cut in wages, affecting all men not under the amalgamated scale, was ordered at Jones & Laughlin's American Iron Works to-day. The open hearth workers and some others employed, in all about 200, refused to go to work last night. The firm employs nearly 3,000 men.

American Medical Association.

PHILADELPHIA, June 1.—The American Medical Association began the celebration of its golden jubilee to-day, which continues four days. The convention was called by the President, Dr. Nicholas Senn, of Illinois. Members and their wives to the number of 3,000 are registered. After the Committee on Arrangements had reported, President Senn delivered his annual address. The report of the committee on the Rush monument fund, which followed, was an appeal for means to erect a more suitable memorial than the present amount in hand permits.

Died of Yellow Fever.

NEW YORK, June 1.—Angus McClelland, second cabin passenger on the Albatross, which reached this port to-day from Colon, died of yellow fever yesterday at sea. He was a civil engineer from Ploton, N. S., and contracted the disease at Panama. Herbert Gill, a waiter on the Albatross, was also taken ill with yellow fever on May 21st. He was transferred to the Swinburne Island Hospital. The other second cabin passengers will be detained on Hoffman Island for five days.

Order of Woodmen.

DUBUQUE (Iowa), June 1.—Nearly every delegate to the Head Camp, Modern Woodmen, was present at the opening session. The biennial report of Head Consul Northcutt showed that during the past seven years the membership had increased from 40,000 to 240,000. The Head Physician's report shows that in the past two years the board has accepted 127,110 applications, and rejected 15,000.

**INDIAN TROUBLES
IN MONTANA.**

**Settlers Are Greatly Alarmed at the
Present Turn of Events.**

**The Matter Now Assuming a Very
Serious Phase.**

**Reported That Sioux From Dakota
Have Gone to the Montana Agency,
and That Invitations Have Been
Sent Out for More to Join Them on
the War Trail.**

HELENA (Mont.), June 1.—News from the Cheyenne Agency is meager. The arrest of Indians by the civil authorities will be attempted to-day, but the result will probably not be known before to-morrow. A genuine scare no doubt exists among all settlers in valleys contiguous to the reservation. State officials believe the situation exaggerated, but at the same time believe all preparations should be made to guard against an outbreak by head-headed young Indians. Sensational reports in regard to the killing of settlers sent out by special correspondents are entirely without foundation. It is reported that Sioux Indians from Dakota have come to the agency and that runners have been sent to invite more Sioux to join them on the war trail. Senator Carter will ask President McKinley to instruct Indian Agent Stouch not to interfere with the Sheriff's power and to order the military authorities to support them in the case the Cheyennes resist the arrest of the Indian "Little Whirlwind," known also as Stanley, a graduate of Carlisle, who admits the murder of Shepherds Hoover. White Bull's band of 125 warriors, who escaped from the agency Friday night, are in the hills on the Tongue River near Ashland, and this will be the scene of the first bloodshed, should there be any. The settlers are as well armed as the Indians, though arms and ammunition are being forwarded as rapidly as possible.

CAUSED BY A MURDER.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—The official report of the troubles among the Cheyenne Indians in Montana, dated May 25th, reached the Indian Bureau to-day from Captain Stouch, in charge of the Tongue River Agency. It confirms the Washington dispatches of the Associated Press yesterday, which attributed the trouble to the murder of a shepherd, and indicates that the motive was to prevent the herding of cattle on the reservation. The report states that the slaughter of beef which he had witnessed.

CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

SARATOGA (N. Y.), June 1.—The seventy-first annual session of the Congregational Home Missionary Society began here this afternoon, and will continue until Thursday evening. The society's missionaries have organized in all 6,446 churches, about 1,300 of them being Presbyterian, planted in the early years when the denomination did its home missionary work through this society. During the seventy-one years of its existence it has received \$1,373,571 in cash. The work of the past year shows as follows: Home missionaries employed, 2,206; States and Territories occupied, 41; Sunday-schools under missionary care, 17,784; total amount, 71 years, \$788,318.

Duty on Window Glass.

PITTSBURG, June 1.—President William Burns of the Window Glass Workers' Association, has forwarded to Senator Quay the largest petition ever sent out by that organization. It urges the Senate to restore the duties on window glass to the rates fixed by the Dingley bill, and passed in the House. Every window-glass worker in the country has signed the petition, and it also carries the names of many non-members, who are dependent upon the glass factories for employment.

Luertger Held to Answer.

CHICAGO, June 1.—Adolph Luertger, the rich sausage-maker, charged with the murder of his wife, was to-day held to the Grand Jury without bail. The examining magistrate said there was strong circumstantial evidence that the crime had been committed, and that the evidence points to the conclusion that the defendant was guilty.

Attempted Murder and Suicide.

ROME, June 1.—A man named Rossi, a discharged stable hand in the Vatican, to-day attempted to kill Commander Martinucci of the Major Domus's office, through whom he had lost his place. Thinking he had killed his victim at the first shot, Rossi himself through the haste and will die. The commander will recover.

BASEBALL.

**Result of National League Games
Played Yesterday.**

NEW YORK, June 1.—McDermott gave this afternoon's game to the New Yorks in the latter part of the sixth inning because they refused to play ball. With the score seven to nothing in the sixth, the Giants got on to Killen and hammered out four runs. With Holmes on first, Wilson hit to Padden. Padden fumbled the ball, but when he regained it he tried to touch Holmes. He then threw the ball, but it was too late to catch Wilson. McDermott declared

**DARING ROBBERY
IN NEVADA COUNTY.**

**A Sensational Hold-Up Takes Place at
the Providence Mine.**

**Thieves Make a Raise of Several Thou-
sand Dollars.**

**Open the Safe With Sledge-Hammers,
After Binding the Watchman to a
Concentrator, and Loot It—The
Outlaws, Evidently Very Familiar
With the Premises.**

NEVADA CITY, June 1.—A sensational and daring robbery was committed at the Providence mine last night. Peter Seith, a mill man who was alone in the mill, was captured and bound to a concentrator, after which the robbers broke open the little safe in the amalgamating room and secured the hoist and mill. Superintendent McKinlay will not divulge the amount of the loss. It represented the scrapings from the plates since the general clean-up of last month, and it is estimated at from \$2,500 to \$5,000. Seith's story is that it was about midnight when the robbers entered the mill. He was about to eat his supper, and as he started for his dinner bucket he felt something cold touch one of his ears, and, turning, found himself looking into the muzzles of a brace of revolvers in the hands of a man about the size of a giant. About ten feet away stood another man, somewhat taller than his companion, who had a rifle trained on him. Both were masked. "Throw up your hands," commanded the man with the rifle. Seith put up his hands, and instantly the smaller man pulled the leg of an old pair of overalls down over the millman's head. The two thieves then seized him, bound his hands behind his back, and seating him in a chair tied him, chair and all, to the concentrator. His feet were also tied together. The rope used was a piece of marine.

ON THE TURF.

**Results of Yesterday's Races on East-
ern Tracks.**

ST. LOUIS, June 1.—Results: Six furlongs, selling, Ferris Hartman won, Vixen second, Laura F. third. Time—1:09. Four and a half furlongs, maidens, Miriam G. won, Barrow second, Guide Rock third. Time—1:09. One mile, Hawthorne won, Chiswell second, The Ghost third. Time—1:44. Six furlongs, Timemaker won, Gath second, David third. Time—1:14. One mile and seventy yards, Anger won, Florida second, Goshen third. Time—1:47. Six furlongs, Dorah Wood won, Hester second, Pelles third. Time—1:15.

AT INGALLS' PARK.

CHICAGO, June 1.—Results at Ingalls' Park: Five and a half furlongs, Lillian Wiles won, Tenole second, Confectioner third. Time—1:11. Four and a half furlongs, Lizzie Cavalier won, Doughty second, Hardy third. Time—0:55. Six furlongs, Fioreanna won, Preston second, Cossack third. Time—1:14. One mile, Newsgatherer won, Olivia L. second, Doctor G. third. Time—1:42. Five and a half furlongs, Belle of Nilsson won, E. O. second, Vitro third. Time—1:09.

AT NEWPORT.

CINCINNATI, June 1.—Results at Newport: One mile, Panure won, Salte second, Bleakmore third. Time—1:43. Five furlongs, Eleanor Holmes won, Martha III. second, Lady of the West third. Time—1:02. Five and seventy yards, Fresno won, Tenochtitlan second, Ben Nala third. Time—1:47. Six furlongs, Imp won, Byron McClelland second, Gammon third. Time—1:14. Five furlongs, Brazilian won, Opponent second, Phillip Byrne third. Time—1:02.

RACES AT WINDSOR.

**Six Events Run, But No Sensational
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DETROIT (Mich.), June 1.—Results at Windsor: Half a mile, Greenhorn won, Yernan J. second, Clincher third. Time—0:49. Seven furlongs, Naughty Girl won, Susie Howson second, Bender third. Time—1:29. Six furlongs, Lord Zeni won, R. Q. Ban second, Jennie June third. Time—1:15. One mile, Prima won, The Planet second, Bill Ellison third. Time—1:42. Seven furlongs, Campana won, Bismarck second, Homer third. Time—1:29. One mile and seventy yards, Seranno won, Lura second, Ondage third. Time—1:43.

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FAVORS THE SOUTHERN CITY.

**General Andrade Advocates Purchas-
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LOS ANGELES, June 1.—General G. Andrade, the new Mexican Consul, has arranged to meet the members of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association on June 21st, when he will urge upon them the advisability of sending into Lower California two competent and energetic business men, whose duty it shall be to demonstrate to the Mexican merchants the importance of purchasing their goods in Los Angeles. Instead of San Francisco, thereby saving several days time in shipping the merchandise. General Andrade says he is strongly in favor of an independent steamship line between Los Angeles and the west coast points, and will, at the proper time, advocate the subsidizing of such a line by his Government.

MECHANICS LIENS.

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