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TELEGRAPHIC. 4 O'clock, a. m.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Soldiers Bounty Bill Passed by the House.

Repeal of the Bankruptcy Law Postponed till Next Session

The Indian Bill in the Senate. No Money for the Sioux till they Relinquish the Black Hills.

Transferring the Indian Bureau to the War Department, debated in Senate

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The chair laid before the senate a communication from the secretary of war, enclosing the report of Mayor Comstock on improvements in the south pass of the Mississippi river, referred.

The chair also submitted a report of the secretary of the treasury, with a long list of government officers from whom balances are due the government from unsettled accounts, etc.

Mr. Sherman from the finance committee reported favorably on a joint resolution authorizing the secretary of the treasury to issue ten million silver coin in exchange for legal tenders. Objection was made by Mr. Morton to its present consideration, and it was laid over. Mr. Sherman said he should call it up to-morrow.

Mr. Wright from the judiciary committee, reported a bill providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate the operation of the several statutes as to bankruptcies, and recommends legislation thereon. Placed on calendar.

Mr. Wright also reported back from the same committee the house bill to repeal the bankrupt law, and recommended that it be postponed until the first day of next session. So ordered.

The senate resumed consideration of unfinished business, being the Indian appropriation bill.

Mr. Windom said, as it came from the house, it appropriated \$4,090,112. The committee had added \$998,096. Mr. Windom said he would ask the senate to remain in session until the bill should be disposed of.

The committee amendments were then reported to for creating landings and support of schools, etc. for Indians. After the amendment, providing that money appropriated for the Sioux Indians shall not be paid to any tribe thereof whilst said tribe is engaged in hostilities against the white people, and allowing only one half of a million dollars appropriation for their subsistence, to be used unless they shall first agree to relinquish all right and claim to the Black Hills, was read, a debate ensued and the amendment was agreed to.

The committee reported in favor of striking out the third section of the house bill, which provides for the government of the Indians by the war department.

Mr. Logan opposed the transfer. At the close of his speech the senate went into executive session and afterwards took a recess till 7:30.

SENATE—EVENING SESSION.

Upon reassembling, the question being to strike out that portion of the bill to abolish the Indian bureau, was agreed to.

The bill having been considered in committee of the whole, was reported to the senate, and Kerman demanded a separate vote on the amendment to strike out the section relating to the transfer of the Indian bureau, &c.

Mr. Macey addressed the senate in favor of the proposed transfer. The debate was participated in by Messrs. Boggs, Edmunds, Logan, Windom and others. Pending discussion the senate adjourned.

Mr. Douglas, of Virginia, chairman of the committee on Freedmen's land, reported concerning a communication from the secretary of war as to payment of moneys due the colored soldiers, sailors and marines, in cases that their payment had been fraudulently deflected by the contrivance of the late Freedman's bureau; that fraudulent vouchers had been filed by General O. O. Howard, and G. W. Bullock. The committee reports a bill directing the proper accounting officers of the treasury to settle the claims of colored men or their representatives. It also directs the attorney general to take legal steps against all persons who are shown to have been implicated in these frauds.

Mr. Kasson made the point of order that as one of the sections of the bill provided for expenditure of money, it

should be referred to the committee of the whole, and in the debate that ensued asked that it be printed, and alluded to the exoneration by the minority of Brown, of Kentucky, as a reason why general Howard, a one armed soldier, should not be condemned unheard.

Speaker Cox sustained the point and the bill was ordered printed.

Mr. Randall reported the sundry civil appropriation bill, the last of the general appropriation bills. Ordered printed. It appropriates \$14,587,804 against \$26,844,350 last year.

The house then considered the bounty bill. Mr. Thornburgh, spoke in favor of it. It allows all enlisted men, including slaves and Indians, \$4 dollars for their per cent. of service from April 12th, 1861, to May 9th, 1865, deducting bounties already paid. It does not include substitutes, men who were prisoners of war at the time of enlistment, or who were discharged on their own application or for other causes than disability incurred in the service. All applications for bounties to be filed within five years. The bill passed, yeas 141; nays 46. Adjourned.

PRESIDENTIAL.

HAYES AND WHEELER RATIFIERS.

DETROIT, June 20.—A grand Hayes and Wheeler ratification meeting was held this evening at the Young Men's hall. A salute of 100 guns was fired on Campus Martius before the meeting in the hall. Rousing speeches, strongly endorsing the nominees of the Cincinnati convention, were made by Gov. Bagley, Ex-Gov. Baldwin, Wm. A. Howe and Ex-Lt. Gov. Lee, of Ohio, and other prominent Republicans. The meeting adjourned at a late hour.

SPEECH BY THE PRESIDENT.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—President Grant made the following speech last night, responding to a serenade after the republican ratification meeting:

GENTLEMEN:—After all the speaking you and I have listened to to-night, for I was with you at your ratification meeting, you cannot wish, even if I was a speaker, to hear anything from me; but I cannot withhold my approval of the excellent ticket given you by the national republican convention at Cincinnati; a ticket that should receive the cordial support of all races in all sections. I know Gov. Hayes personally, and I can surrender with unfeigned pleasure my present position to him, as I believe I do on the fifth of March next year, with a guaranteed security for your rights and liberties under the law of the land.

BUREAU FOR HAYES.

NEW YORK, June 20.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Hayes and Wheeler ratification committee, the following resolutions were adopted: That the committee should make a personal tour of the several States during the campaign, and promising a cordial and tiring support during the campaign.

St. Joseph, Mo., June 20.—A large and enthusiastic meeting was held here to-night, ratifying the nomination of Hayes and Wheeler.

RECOLLECTED.

A STREET CAR ACCIDENT.

CLEVELAND, O., June 20.—About 11 o'clock last night, as a car on the south side street railroad was going down Market street hill, the brakes gave way, letting the car down the hill at a rapid speed. When the car struck the bridge, the horses became loosened and ran away. The car, jumping the track, plunged into the canal, distant about twenty feet. The passengers in the car were carried into the water. Mrs. Gertrude Delzil, a widow lady, aged 45 years, was taken from the water dead, drowned—Miss Emma Landiborne and J. W. Kelly were severely but not dangerously hurt.

SCIENTIFIC.

PHILADELPHIA, June 20.—A meeting of the American society of civil engineers at the American institute of mining engineering and technical education was commenced last evening, and was continued this morning in the hall of the Franklin institute.—The topics of discussion to-day is technical education.

CANAL THIEVES SET FREE.

NEW YORK, June 20.—Judge Westbrook, of the supreme court, has granted a non-suit in the complaint on the state vs. Stephens, Gale and others, concerning what is generally known as the Belden and Dennison canal contract of 1866. Suit was brought to recover money of which the state had been defrauded through the conspiracy of its own agents and the contractors, with whom they were in league. It was regarded on all sides as a test case, and the decision is expected to terminate the so-called canal suits.

WASHINGTON.

Practical Abrogation of the Extradition Treaty with Great Britain.

Winslow, the Boston Forger, Finds England a Safe Refuge.

A Message of the President to Congress on the Subject.

Resignations of Treasurer New and Solicitor Wilson.

New Hampshire Elects J. H. Rollins to the U. S. Senate.

An Iowa Man Appointed General Land Commissioner

The Criminal Asylum

MESSAGE OF PRESIDENT GRANT.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The president, in a message to congress to-day, about the extradition treaty with England, says:

"It is with extreme regret that I am now called upon to announce to you that her majesty's government has finally released both of these fugitives, Winslow and Brent, and set them at liberty, thus omitting to comply with the provisions and requirements of the treaty under which the extradition of fugitive criminals is made between the two governments. The position thus taken by the British government, if adhered to, cannot but be regarded as an abrogation and annulment of the articles of the treaty on extradition. Under these circumstances it will not, in my judgment comport with the dignity or self respect of this government to make demands upon that government for the surrender of fugitive criminals, nor to entertain any requisition of that character from that government under the treaty.

It will be a cause of deep regret if the treaty, which has been thus beneficial in its practical operation, which has worked so well and so efficiently, and which, notwithstanding the extreme, and at times violent, political disturbances, of which both countries have been the scene during its existence, has given rise to no complaints, on the part of either government, against either its spirit or its provisions, should be abruptly terminated. It has tended to the protection of the general interests of both countries. Its violation or annulment would be a retrograde step in international intercourse. I have been anxious, and have endeavored to enlarge its scope and to give it new treaty which would be a more efficient agent for the prevention of crime, and to secure the extradition of criminals. I have felt it my duty to decline to entertain a requisition from Great Britain, pending the refusal to execute the treaty, and to execute the treaty by practically conceding the identical conditions which the government demands under its act of annulment. In addition to the impossibility of the United States entering upon negotiations under the menace of an intended violation, or a refusal, to execute the terms of an extradition treaty, I deemed it inadvisable to take as only the one amendment proposed by Great Britain, while the United States desires an enlargement of the list of crimes for which extradition may be asked, and other improvements which experience has shown might be embodied in a new treaty.

It is for the wisdom of Congress to determine whether the article of the treaty relating to extraditions is to be any longer regarded as obligatory on the government of the United States. I shall not, without an expression of a wish from Congress that I should do so, take any action, either in making or granting requisitions for the surrender of fugitive criminals under the treaty of 1862.

Respectfully Submitted,

U. S. GRANT.

Washington, June 20, 1876.

The message having been read in the house, was referred to the committee on foreign affairs.

FOREIGN.

CABLE STOCKS.

LONDON, June 20.—There was a sharp upward movement in the Anglo-American and Direct Cable company's shares yesterday, and to-day various journals explain the advance as based upon the rumored arrangement or working agreement between the two companies.

GONE TO HIS REWARD.

James Baird, of Combusdon, who recently gave the Scotch church two and a half million dollars, died to-day.

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KILLED.

CAIRO, Ill., June 20.—Geo. Madison, a yard master of the Illinois Central R. R., at this place was run over and killed this evening while coupling cars.

RAILROAD SOLD.

NEW ALBANY, June 20.—The sale of the Louisville, New Albany and St. Louis air line railway took place this afternoon, under a foreclosure of the first mortgage bond, in accordance with a decree of the U. S. circuit court. Mr. J. J. Brown became the purchaser for \$90,000.

DESTRUCTIVE HAIL STORM.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., June 20.—A hail storm passed over this region this morning. Timber was blown down and every species of vegetation totally destroyed. Damage can not now be estimated.

FIRE.

SUGAR REFINERY.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 20.—The Bay Sugar Refinery, a seven story brick building, corner of Battery and Union streets, was totally destroyed by fire early this morning. Loss three hundred and fifty thousand dollars. Insured for two hundred and twenty-five thousand. Owned by an incorporated company; Herman Lese, president. Refining capacity two thousand tons annually.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

FLOUR—Neglected and dull. 7
WHEAT—Fairly active prices and a shade higher. No. 2, 10 1/4 @ 10 1/2 closed inside for cash; 10 1/4 @ 10 1/2 closed 10 1/4 for June; 10 1/4 @ 10 1/2 closed 10 1/4 for August; No. 3, 9 1/4 @ 9 1/2; rejected 7 1/4. Corn—Dull.

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