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NATIONAL BANK TAXATION.

Inequality in Distribution—Rates of Taxation in the Various States at Different Periods.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 7.—The following is an extract from that portion of the report of the Comptroller of the Currency referring to the taxation of National Banks: The Comptroller in September issued a circular addressed to the National Banks, requesting returns of State taxation for the years 1874 and 1875. The assessment for 1874 had not generally been made at that time, and the returns for that time were therefore meagre. The number of banks in operation during the year 1874 was 1,970, forty-one of which paid no State taxes because they were organized after the assessment for the year had been made, and thirty-six banks failed to reply. Returns were, however, received from 1,900 banks, having a capital of $474,496,000. The thirty-six banks which made no returns had a capital of $16,800,000. The aggregate returns made to the Treasurer in 1874 were classified by States. A table is prepared which gives the amount of United States and State taxes, and the rate of taxation in every State of the Union for the year. Similar tables are given for 1867 and 1869, from which it appears that the National Banks of the State of New York pay the highest taxes of any of the Eastern or Middle States, the United States taxes for that State in the years named being respectively 1.6, 2.6, and 1.9 per cent, and the State taxation 3.5, 2.6, and 2.9 per cent; totals in 1867, 6.1; in 1869, 5.3, and in 1874, 4.8 per cent. The corresponding totals for New Jersey were in 1867, 4.2; in 1869, 4.2; and in 1874, 3.6 per cent; in Pennsylvania in 1867, 3; in 1869, 3.2; and in 1874, 2.3 per cent; in Massachusetts, in 1867, 4; in 1869, 3.7; and in 1874, 3.4 per cent; in Maine, 3, 5, and 3.2; New Hampshire, 3.8, 4.1, and 3.2; Connecticut, 3.3, 3.4, and 2.9; and in the remainder of the Eastern and Middle States, more than 2 per cent in 1874, with the exception of Delaware, which paid but 1.8 per cent. Of the western States the National Banks in Ohio paid the following percentage of taxation: In the year 1867, 4.6, 1869, 5.5, 1874, 3.6; in the State of Indiana, for the same years, the percentage was 3.7, 4.1, and 3.8; in Illinois it was 4.8, 4.8, and 4; in Michigan, 3.5, 3.2, and 2.8; in Missouri, 3.4, 3.7, and 3.3 per cent; in Wisconsin, 4.7, 4.9, and 4.1 per cent; in Minnesota, 3.3, 4.2, and 3.5 per cent; in Kansas, 4.5, 8.4, and 4.8 per cent, in Nebraska, 7.1, 6.4, and 5.3 per cent. Of the Southern States, South Carolina paid 3.4 per cent in 1869, and 4.7 per cent in 1874; in Tennessee, 4.1, 2.7, and 3.7 per cent in 1867, 1869, and 1874 respectively, and the remainder of the Southern States in 1874 more than 3 per cent, with the exception of Louisiana and Alabama, which paid 2.9, and of Kentucky, which paid but 1.6 per cent. Returns were also received from the National banks in 1868, which were not tabulated by States. The United States taxes for that year were $8,069,938; State taxes, $7,949,451; total, $16,019,389. An estimate of the total taxation of the National banks for the ten years ending in 1875 has been made, and a table of the results is given in the report.

The Comptroller has heretofore in his reports called the attention of Congress to the fact that, while the National banks are subject to a tax upon their entire capital, which can be easily ascertained from their books and not infrequently upon the market value of their shares, other corporations, the amount of whose capital and the value of whose shares can be as readily obtained by appropriate legislation, are assessed at not one-half of their value, while private firms and individuals are almost wholly exempt from bearing their share of the burden. Letters recently received by the Comptroller from the Presidents of two principal banks,—one in the East and the other in the West,—refer to this greatest of all economical subjects in such plain terms that he cannot forbear calling the attention of Congress to their suggestions. Many of the shareholders of the National Banks depend for their income chiefly upon the earnings of these institutions, and it does not seem just that these thousands of shareholders shall by any construction of law be compelled to pay an undue proportion of local tax. It is admitted that the law, as now interpreted by the different State courts, and by Assessors and Collectors, is neither equitable nor honest.

Prof. Proctor on Natural Law.

[From his Boston Lecture.]

Passing to matters more strictly within the range of his subject, the lecturer discussed the standing still of the sun and moon, a miracle described in terms manifestly indicating a belief in a central flat earth with certain relatively small bodies moving for signs upon the concave of the sky. In passing, he said, this corresponded with the account of that exceeding high mountain whence all the kingdoms of the earth were seen. The miracle of the going back of the shadows on the dial and its association with the lengthening of Hezekiah's life in response to prayer, were then considered, with special reference to the question of the efficacy of prayer. This part of the lecture was illustrated by views of eclipses. The lecturer compared the way in which nations ignorant of the true nature of eclipses pray for the restoration of sunlight, or otherwise manifest their sense of awe and wonder, with the confidence of the student of science. This confidence is simply the result of certain knowledge of what is taking place. As science removes natural processes and phenomena from the domain of the unknown to that of the known, so *pari passu* the thought that prayer may cause the progress of such processes and phenomena to be modified must of necessity disappear. It is only while we are uncertain that prayer, as ordinarily understood, is possible, and the student of science learns gradually to extend to processes beyond his range of research the reasoning he had applied to those within it; to behave in the same manner in presence of processes whose law he has not grasped as in presence of processes whose course he can certainly anticipate. This simply because he knows certainly that the former, like the latter, are under the dominions of law, and cannot be affected—never are affected, at least, so far as experience shows—by circumstances not operating directly upon their physical cause or causes. After discussing the star said to have led the wise men from the East, the lecturer brought his discourse to a close by dwelling on the importance of recognizing the dominion of uniform law throughout the universe. This great doctrine, when once thoroughly understood, cannot but prove a safeguard against excesses such as have been and continue to be committed in the name of religion,—a safeguard against the existence of the superstitious to which such excesses are due. The belief in universal law, regarded by many in these days as a rock ahead, will be one day recognized as a breakwater against seas which have been heavy and may be heavy yet again.

BELLAIRE LOCALS.—Mr. Robert Ray is erecting a candy and confectionery manufactory and store room on Belmont street, just north of Thirty-third.

Great complaint is made of the large hog pen on Thirty-second street, back of the city jail. The Board of Health should take steps to have it removed. The prevalence of sickness can not be wondered at when such disease-breeding holes are allowed to remain in the city.

A reporters' prayer meeting is proposed, the petitions to be that something worthy of a local item may happen in Bellaire at least once in six months.

West Virginia Legislature.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

WEDNESDAY, December 8.

House met pursuant to adjournment.

By motion of leave Mr. McEldowney introduced H. B. 322, appropriating $1,000 to aid in the construction of a bridge across the mouth of Big and Little Fishing Creek in Wetzel county.

On motion of same gentleman the rules were suspended; the printing dispensed with, and the Bill read a first time this day and ordered to second reading.

Mr. Reynolds (of Taylor) moved to make the substitute for H. B. 191 the special order for 7 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Welch moved to amend by striking out 7 and inserting 2, and the amendment prevailed, and the motion as amended was adopted.

Mr Blakemore, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported the following H. J. Resolution No. 11, in relation to Recorders with amendments without further recommendation.

BILLS ON SECOND READING.

H. B. 123, providing for compulsory education in this State.

On motion of Mr. Simpson the Bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Miller, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported back H. B. 122, in relation to the apraisement of property, with amendments, recommending the Bill with the amendments to pass.

On motion of Mr. Stewart, the rules were suspended in order to take up House Bills on a third reading.

PASSED TO A THIRD READING.

House substitute for S. B. 80, concerning assessment of taxes, was read a third time and passed by its title, and the bill takes effect from its passage.

Mr. Fleming was ordered to communicate the passage of the bill to the Senate and ask concurrence.

House Bill 15, regulating and fixing the fees of officers, approved March 21, 1873, was read a third time and passed by its title.

Mr. Morgan was ordered to communicate the passage of the bill to the Senate and ask concurren e.

Mr. Thornburg introduced Joint Resolution 34, referring the message of the Governor in relation to the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad to a joint committee consisting of two members from the Senate and three from the House, with instructions to report what action, if any, should be taken thereon.

Mr. Thornburg was ordered to communicate the adoption of the resolution to the Senate.

Mr. Welch moved to take up H. B. 126, regulating insurance companies and prescribing the mode of procuring authority to transact business in this State, and fixing the rate of taxation for such companies, and on his motion it was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Fleming, from the Committee on Taxation and Finance, reported back H. B. 292, authorizing the Board of Public Works to receive and audit certain claims, with substitute for the same directing the Board of Public Works to re-examine and re-audit the claims heretofore audited by the Board of Public Works in pursuance of an act of the Legislature passed July 19, 1867, and the acts amendatory thereof, and receive proof and audit any claims of a like character rejected by or not presented to said Board, where properly proven, with recommendation that the substitute do pass.

Also, H. B. 295, appropriating any land warrants which may be donated by the Congress of the United States to this State for the purpose of endowing agricultural colleges, to the Jefferson County Agricultural College, without recommendation.

Also, H. B. 278, providing for the payment of the expenses of the West Virginia members of the Ohio River Improvement Commission, without recommendation.

H. B. 91, appropriating $1,000 for the purchase of buildings, &c., and also $2,000 for paying teachers in Branch Normal School at Concord in Mercer county. Recommended not to pass on account of pending legislation.

H. B. 37, concerning the county levy with recommendation not to pass.

H. B. 38, which allows persons charged with any crime to testify in their own behalf, was taken up, read a third time and passed.

Also, H. B's 44 and 47, relating to persons charged with crime and providing for the examination of such persons.

AFTERNOON.

The House convened at 2 o'clock and resumed the consideration of the substitute for H. B. 191, being the school law.

A communication was received from the officer in charge inviting the members of the House to attend an exhibition to be given at the Opera House in this city by the deaf and dumb pupils of the Romney Asylum.

Mr. Welch, of Mineral, wanted to know by what authority and at whose expense these pupils were to be brought to this city; but on learning that they were already here, remarked that any discussion of the matter was useless.

A communication from the Governor asking that some action be taken looking to the establishing of the boundary line between the States of West Virginia and Virginia.

The special order was then continued and the School Bill from Section 13 to Section 32 was read and amended.

On motion the further consideration of the bill was made the special order for tomorrow, beginning at 3 o'clock.

H. B. 64, providing that all railroads in this State shall be compelled to fence in their tracks, was taken up and discussed, and after the members had sufficiently aired their opinions pro and con, Mr. Keynolds (of Taylor) called the previous question, which being sustained a vote was taken and the bill was rejected.

Without transacting further business the House adjourned.

IN SENATE.

WEDNESDAY, December 8.

The President appointed Messrs. Dennis, Bennett and Berkshire a committee to consider that part of the Governor's message of December 24, 1875, in reference to the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad Company.

Mr. Dennis offered a resolution requiring the Board of Public Works to inform the Senate forthwith what action has been taken by it in reference to Senate Joint Resolution No. 14, requiring it to report what securities the State has for its deposits in various banks, and the names of such securities. Adopted.

Mr. Arnett offered a resolution to require the Treasurer of the Penitentiary to report to the Senate how much money he now has in his hands belonging to the State for the use of the Penitentiary, and where he now has said money deposited. Adopted.

On motion of Mr. Sherrard, Senate Bill 192, amending and re-enacting section 10 of chapter 221 of the Acts of 1872-73, was taken up out of its order and ordered to its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Camden, Senate Bill 132, amending the charter of the town of Clarksburg, was taken up from the table and placed on the calendar.

Mr. Camden offered a resolution to authorize the Clerk to employ a reporter to take down the proceedings, evidence and debates of the Court of Impeachment.

Mr. Loomis offered an amendment to strke out everything except the evidence.

Pending this amendment the Senate resolved itself into a Court of Impeachment to try E. A. Bennett, State Auditor.

Messrs. Morran and Arnett appeared for Mr. Bennett, and asked until Monday at 10½ o'clock to prepare an answer to the articles of impeachment. Granted.

Mr. Arnett then asked leave to file an exception to the validity of the Court of Impeachment, on the ground that Mr. Sherrard, Senator from the county of Hardy, was incompetent to be a Senator because he had, since being qualified as a Senator, been elected President of the County Court of Hardy county, and had qualified as President of such Court.

Pending the discussion of a motion to allow counsel to file said exception the Court took a recess until 2½ o'clock P. M., at which hour it re-met.

Mr. Sherrard arose and stated that he had not qualified as President of the County Court of Hardy county since he was sworn in as a Senator.

On motion of Mr. Caldwell the Court ordered the doors to be closed during the discussion of the motion to allow Mr. Bennett's counsel to file the above exception.

At 4 o'clock the doors were opened.

The President of the Court announced to the Board of Managers and the counsel for defendant that the Court had declined to allow the defendant to file any objection to the Senator from Hardy sitting in the Court of Impeachment.

On motion of Mr. McGinnis Mr. McDonald was qualified to sit on the impeachment of Mr. Bennett.

On motion of Mr. Dennis the Court of Impeachment trying E. A. Bennett, State Auditor, adjourned to meet at 10½ o'clock A. M., on Monday.

The Senate resumed its Legislative session at 4 o'clock.

Mr. Camden's resolution to employ a reporter to take down the proceedings of the Court of Impeachment, with Mr. Loomis' amendment thereto, was laid on the table.

On the motion of Mr. Eastham Senate Bill 157, amending and re-enacting section 7 of chapter 79 of the Code, was taken from the table and placed upon the calendar.

Mr. McGinnis offered a resolution to allow the Public Printer to appear before the bar of the Senate and through counsel or himself to make an explanation of his claim for printing State's Register.

Mr. Camden moved to lay the resolution on the table. Lost by a tie vote.

Mr. McGinnis then withdrew the resolution with the understanding that the proper committee would hear the Public Printer's explanation.

On motion of Mr. Bennett the Senate adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock to-morrow.

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A CALL TO THE FRIENDS OF TEMPERANCE.

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After repeated and mature consultation, it has been determined to call a State Temperance Convention, to meet in the City of Wheeling, on

Wednesday and Thursday, the 15th and 16th of December,

commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M.

As it is desirable that all the friends of Temperance throughout the State, who may be present, should be admitted as delegates, we cordially invite all Temperance organizations, by whatever name known, Women's Leagues, Religious Societies, Congregations, and meetings of citizens called for the purpose, to elect and send as many delegates as they may deem proper. And Ministers and friends of Temperance, who may represent any society, desiring to take part in this Convention, will be welcomed. Free entertainment will be provided, as far as possible, for all members of the Convention.

In this call it is deemed best not to outline measures and methods for the promotion of Temperance. That will be left for the Committee on Programme to indicate, and the Convention to discuss and mature.

We earnestly appeal to the friends of Temperance throughout the State to unite with us in making this Convention a grand success. By its numbers, by its practical wisdom, by its moral earnestness, by its broad and generous charity, it may give the cause of Temperance a lasting impulse for good throughout our whole State.

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