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Dramatic Episode.

The Senate chamber was the scene of a highly dramatic episode when Senator Benjamin Tillman of South Carolina challenged his colleague, Senator McLaurin, to resign with him on the spot in order to use his own language, that they might be allowed to "wash their dirty linen at home." Mr. McLaurin did not take up the gage.

The incident was the sequel of the very bitter controversy which arose between senators in South Carolina last spring.

Mr. McLaurin arose to a question of personal privilege and proceeded to explain what he charged was a conspiracy to discredit him and it did not meet the approval of certain Democratic leaders.

He declared that he was being humiliated and, according to public prints, was to be excluded from the Democratic caucus because he had acted upon certain public issues in a way which he considered for the best interests of the country and of the people of his state.

He announced himself a believer in the old Democracy, and after denouncing the new Democracy leaders, who, he said, had brought destruction upon the party, declared that he could not be driven from his old allegiance into a party with which he did not care to affiliate.

Mr. Tillman reviewed the whole controversy, and Mr. Hoar took occasion to express the opinion that it was very doubtful whether both the South Carolina seats in the senate were not in reality vacant. He contended that when the resignations were offered last spring, to the governor they could not be withdrawn thereafter, having become immediately operative.

The climax came when Senator Tillman challenged Mr. McLaurin to join him in preparing their joint resignations and handing them to the presiding officer of the senate. The episode was brought to an abrupt close by Senator Lodge moving an executive session.

Strange Bird Fights Farmer.

Elias Peabody, who lives in the northern part of Madison county had a terrible struggle the other night with either a strange visitor from the moon or James Whitcomb Riley's "Crack of Doom" bird which he turned loose in Madison county in 1867, when he was editor of the Anderson Democrat. Peabody was aroused from his dreams by something falling heavily upon his roof. The thump was followed by scurrying footsteps.

He jumped out of bed and grabbed his gun. In the moonlight he saw the strangest kind of a thing. He lowered his gun and went out to meet it. Though he cried "Shoo," as loud as he could, the thing came straight at him, and when it came into close range, Peabody grabbed it around the neck. The visitor demonstrated in a second to Peabody's mind that it was not a member of the goose family, for according to the honest farmer, it threw a few kinks out of its neck and showed both of its long legs landing on Peabody's breast with such a force as to floor him. Then it stood guard over him and his fowling piece, blinking at him with great, blight, weird eyes.

Peabody says he grabbed it again and caught it about the legs but it set its wings in motion and laid him out again. He was game however, and at last succeeded in getting it in a corn crib, where he locked it up until morning.

When Peabody inspected the bird in daylight, its legs were large and short, and its feet were not webbed. It had a yellow beak and large white eyes, while its feathers were snow white and very coarse. When he peeped through a crack, the bird was walking up and down the floor, turning his head in every direction. He opened the door, and let it go out but it showed no sign of flying away. It walked into a pool of water, but hustled out in surprise as if water was a new thing to it. It would bump against the side of the barn and into the fence, yet it is not blind.

Neuralgia and Lame Back.

Dear Sir—I have been a sufferer from neuralgia and lame back for years; two bottles of your liniment cured me, accept my thanks and best wishes for your success. I am sincerely yours,
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Visit to Goebel's Grave.

I strolled out to the Frankfort cemetery—one of the most beautiful spots on earth I verily believe—and stood by the grave of William Goebel, the kindest spirit of them all, yesterday evening. There is no mark now to distinguish the little earth-mound where, after his stormy life and tragic death, he rests at last. Presently they will rear a marble shaft that will tower towards the sky and stand a mute, undying protest against the cruelty of man to man. But it will not bring him back. The unconquerable spirit has fled to the God who created it; the powerful brain, the dauntless heart the poor tenement of clay, have moulded back to a mother earth kinder, more merciful, than his fellow-man. And the end of all the struggles of a life such as few mortals ever live is a hillock of clay, a handful of withered flowers—the darkness, the silence, the oblivion of the tomb. Oh, the infinitude of it all! Better, a thousand fold better, had democracy lost, and its great leader lived to lead it still. There was but one William Goebel. Kentucky will never look upon his like again.—J. M. Richardson in The Glasgow Times.

Operations in Wayne.

The following is a summary of operations in the Wayne oil field as given by a correspondent to the Courier-Journal, and is doubtless correct or nearly so: Total number of wells drilled, sixty-two; total number of producing wells, twenty-eight; total number of dry wells, thirty-four; total number of producing wells worked out of flooded, fourteen, present number of producing wells, eighteen; number of wells better than 100 barrels, four; total daily production, 780 barrels; average daily production a well, forty-one barrels. Note the average production, leaving out the four large wells at Sunnybrook, is about five barrels a well. The pay wells outside of Sunnybrook are from from one to six years old and are drilled only to first sand.

How to Cure Croup.

Mr. E. Gray, who lives near Amenia, Dutchess county, N. Y., says: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best medicine I have ever used. It is a fine children's remedy for croup and never fails to cure." When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough has developed, it will prevent the attack. This should be borne in mind and a bottle of the Cough Remedy kept at hand ready for instant use as soon as these symptoms appear. For sale by M. Cravens.

There will not be time at the January term of the Franklin circuit court for Berry Howard's trial. It is said he may have a hearing for bail.

Felis A Deadly Attack.

"My wife was so ill that good physicians were unable to help her," writes M. M. Austin, of Winchester, Ind "but was completely cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills." They work wonders in stomach and liver troubles. Cure constipation, sick headache. 25c at T. E. Paul's, Columbia and W. H. Wilkinson's, Liberty.

One hundred and sixty street cars were destroyed in Chicago by the burning of the Lincoln-avenue barn of the Chicago Traction Company.

The Pride of Heroes.

Many soldiers in the last war wrote to say that for scratches, bruises, cuts, wounds, Corns, Sore Feet and Stiff Joints, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best in the world. Same for Burns, Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Skin Eruptions and Piles. It cures or cures. Only 25c at T. E. Paul's Columbia and W. H. Wilkinson's, Liberty.

The worst earthquake shock since 1868 was felt in Manila Sunday morning. One house was wrecked and many houses were damaged.

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Thoughts From Sermons.

"The great claim that Christ makes for himself is that he has come into the world as the source, and the only source, of spiritual life."—The Reverend J. F. Cannon.

"Man was created in God's image—not without consultation."—The Reverend John L. Brandt.

"We judge that he died that they who live should not live unto themselves, but unto him who died for them and rose again."—The Reverend C. R. Watson.

"Winter forces men to fight cold and hunger, or to overcome. Out of this battle are born courage and fortitude and foresight. We Americans are losing sight of the value of cold—human nature needs opposition. There is a physical, as well as spiritual opposition. Opposition is never pleasant but it is profitable."—The Reverend J. K. Brenna.

"Trials gave us Plymouth Rock, and it is the same spirit in the moral and physical world that forces us out of the places of ease and complacency and makes us attain unto the best."—The Reverend W. J. Williamson.

"Of all titles, Christianity has rejoiced most to be called 'The Religion of the poor.'"—The Reverend F. M. Kieley.

"Sometimes unexpected agonies come into our own hearts, when, though our work appears to be acceptable and successful, the worker is ignored and forgotten. This is what tests us."—The Reverend E. Duckworth.

"Smooth out the little imperfections which mar life. The fly is a little thing so is the rift in the lute, but the one destroys the fragrance that might fill a room; the other destroys a harmony that might thrill a soul."—The Reverend J. C. Horning.

"No cause is so impotent as not to find men ready to endanger life for it."—The Reverend M. T. Haw.

"The result of every minister's study ought to be a systematized form of truth."—The Reverend F. W. Sneed.

Race for U. S. Senator.

Mr. J. M. Richardson, editor of the Glasgow Times, writes his paper as follows, from Frankfort:

There is one feature of the situation that should give heart-felt pleasure to every good citizen. Whatever happens, there will be no repetition of the riotous proceedings, the bloody tragedies, of the Blackburn-Hunter and Goebel-Taylor legislatures. No republican governor will call out a thousand militia to prevent the election of a United States Senator. There will be no ringing of riot alarms at the dead hour of night. The legislature will not be dispersed at the point of the bayonet or recalled for slaughter. There will be no more of dark conspiracy or infamous assassination. Bradley is retired to private life. Taylor is unceasingly writing on the bed he made for himself in Indiana. The republican party has been tried, found utterly wanting and turned out of the power it could only use to abuse. Democracy will at least conduct itself decently, and republicanism is powerless. There will be rows, but they will all be in the democratic family and, like the proverbial feline fight, only result in more democrats. There will be a royal battle—but it will be of brain and political strategy. There will be pitting of intellect, and sharpening of wits and a fierce struggle for a prize the highest that can come to a Kentuckian honored by Kentuckians—but through it all will shine the sun of good-humor, and it will all be between democrats. "The republicans are not in it—thank God!"

The Gradyville High School will open first Monday in January. Primary course \$1.50, Intermediate course \$2.00, Teachers course \$2.50. Good board can be obtained for \$150 for full week, from Monday until Friday \$100. Address
John W. Flowers, Principal,
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Chairman Payne, of the House Ways and Means Committee, says a bill will be framed reducing the war taxes on the general lines of the last bill for this purpose.

A force of 1,000 Colombians Liberals, supported by 4,000 Venezuelan troops, is reported to have taken Rio Hacha December 10, after two Venezuelan Generals had defeated 2,000 Colombians at Trienta.

Courier-Journal and News, \$1.50 a year.

Three Months Have Passed.

Just three months ago this morning President McKinley died. Just three months ago to-day, at Buffalo, Mr. Roosevelt took the oath of office as President and said:

"In this hour of deep natural bereavement I wish to state that it shall be my aim to continue as dutifully unbroken the policy of President McKinley for the peace and prosperity and honor of our beloved country."

And the whole country stood relieved and grateful for the announcement that the dead President's policy would be the new President's chart.

Yet now that three months have passed since that pledge was so solemnly given and so loudly acclaimed by the nation that it had all the moral effect of a covenant into which the President and the people entered together, what do we see?

Mr. Roosevelt's first message to Congress is an absolute rejection of the main feature of Mr. McKinley's policy as he outlined it in his very able speech at the Buffalo Exposition, and which proved to be his farewell message to the country. That speech was received with approbation that was not limited by party lines, but was national in its character. Its keynote was—reciprocity. Its gist was contained in these memorable words:

"The period of exclusiveness is past. The expansion of our trade and commerce is the pressing problem. Commercial wars are unprofitable. A policy of good will and friendly relations will prevent reprisals. Reciprocity treaties are in harmony with the spirit of the times; measures of retaliation are not."

In President Roosevelt's message there is nothing like that. He has practically repudiated it all—and the reciprocity treaties are dead.

Nor is this the only, though it is the main abandonment of Mr. McKinley's policy. There is a new order of Federal appointments in the South. It may be good, but it is not the "absolutely unbroken" policy of McKinley. There is to be a new Collector of the Port of New York, the first Federal office outside of Washington—and he is not to be Mr. Bidwell, whom Mr. McKinley had decided to reappoint. And the chief counselor and senatorial representative of President Roosevelt is not—Mr. Hanna.

In fine, three months after the new President's promise to "continue absolutely unbroken," Mr. McKinley's policy, nothing material of that policy remains unchanged except that the war in the Philippines goes on and the tariff-sheltered trusts, the monopolies, the subsidy hunters and all the capitalistic combinations that thrive by Government privileges and favors continue to enjoy the Administration's first consideration and care.—New York World.

Owing to the great quantity of floating ice in the Mississippi river steamers plying between Memphis and St. Louis have been compelled to tie up.

Firemen are accused of placing an infernal machine in the Liverpool Exchange building, which exploded, wrecking the building and causing a fire.

The blizzard in the West and Northwest has spent its force. The damage is not so great as first reported.

A fire at Salem, W. Va., destroyed fifty-six buildings. The loss is estimated at \$300,000, with little insurance.

"Rattlesnakes are grateful if you gain their affections," says a correspondent of the Corsicana, Texas, News. "My brother, Jim, found a six-foot rattler near town caught under a boulder, and instead of using his advantage he sympathetically released the snake which became a pet and followed Jim about and guarded him as watchfully as dog. One night he was awakened and missing the snake from its usual place at the foot of the bed, he knew something was wrong. He got up and lighted a match to investigate and found a burglar in the next room in the coils of the snake, which had its tail out the window rattling for a policeman."

Mrs. Mary Hays was drowned near Williamsburg while attempting to ford the river. The male she was riding became unmanageable and got into deep water, and she was washed off.

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