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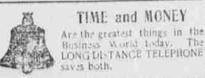
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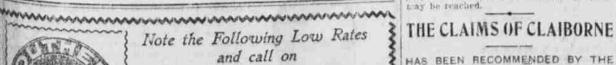
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AREVOLTISON

Against the Methods Which Prevail in the House.

CUSHMAN OF WASHINGTON VOICED THE SENTIMENTS OF MANY

of Speaker Henderson.

THE RULES ARE AN ABSOLUTE DISGRACE TO A REPUBLIC, HE DECLARED.

It is Believed that the Speech Has Furnished the Impetus Needed to Secure a Reform Desired by Republicans and Democrats Alike.

speech made by Cushman of Washington house this afternoon, in which he severely criti-banched and destroyed. (Applause a class the speaker, the majority members) - There are people in Washington city of the committee on rules and the rules today who are going down to a theater of menthemselves, is one of the most significant, and paying out 50 cents each in order to wit had won notes of the present session. Members of see a performance of Hillipothaus. What a existing order of things. With the situaabsolutely control legislation, and what makes me so this. will fellow. These results may not be what | legislation | for body of men who are absolutely powerless have been flattened out

These facts would be now," said Mr. Cushman, "that no memher who introduces a bill, not a private bill, In the senate, however, the lines are much closer drawn and if the bill tappy frame of mind right now gets through the higher body again it will the speaker of this house? Is he mortal judgment on every bill that is introduced; the HAS BEEN SET RIGHT IN THE RIVERS When a member introduces a public bill in Probable that the Same Course Will Be masage and then it goes on the

Calendar: That is a misnomer. It sugar therein lie the whitening bones of legislas to the pending measure and its sponsors. tive hones: (Laughter.) When the bill is Washington, April 17. The senate com- reported, what does the member who in connected today corrected the troduced it and who is charged by his conalreston inner harbor item in accordance stituener to secure its passage? Does he in the amendment heretofore offered by consult himself after his desire to call it

cresenting Galveston's interest. It was you what he does. He either consents that ided that a elerical error was responded the bill may die on the calcular, or he puts sie for the manner in which the frem was his manheed and his individuality in his pecker sed goes tretting down that little pathway that leads to the speaker's young falo haron item will be restored to its orig. All the glory that clustered around the boly a facility before the bill is passed by of bolies in Kint Solomon's temple looked scenare so that the matter will not tike 30 cents spredenged buggiter and an e to be taken up by the conference com- | planser yes, locked like 29 cents, compared with that jobbling department of this gove ernment." (Applause and läughter.)

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS Mr. Cushman then quoted Cassins' allufon to Caesar as the colorsus of the world and continued: "I make no onslaught on KEPT QUIET AND WAS NOT VERY the individual. I have a high regard for the speaker of this house personelly, and for him politically, but the fact is that we have adopted a set of rules in this body that are an absolute disgrare to the legistative hody of any republic, (Applause on the democratic side.) They are unrepublican, they are undemocratic, they are un American. Applause on the democratic "We need to restore this house to the

arty action with reference to the bill for great potriotic plane on which the fathers of the republic placed it, where every in placed by Representative Williams (Miss.) dividual on this floor stands on an equal day, and the caucus was held tonight. The and an exact plane with each other. We whole matter was kept quiet and the at. operate here under a set of rules confessed designed to belittle the hopes and endance was hardly as large as would have dwarf the ambitions of the individual members of this body, and at the same time to vest more power in the hands of one f the house and the senate together in or two men than was ever enjoyed by an be hope that an agreement as to the Oriental despot or a ten-button mandarin. I say to you, my friends, that the system is rotten at both ends. It is gotten at one end because it robs the individual members of this house of the power that the conscilution of the United States and his credentials as a member on this floor entitle him to. It is rotten at the other end because it vests power in men that have no right to II and at times places upon them duties that they have no capacity to fulfill. (Laughter.) "Mr. Chairman, let no man charge me

now with trying to tear down the reginb-Hean party. I not not trying to tear down the republican party, but I confess that I semetimes feel that I would like to put Henn party, (Applatose and brughter: I am borne is keeper of the fighthouse on Rolly of Point, across the buy from Galvesion, and representations have been under to the department that he expended the sum named in assisting enferces after the storm of the original that Claibone street out the man who these up and calls after the first of the proposed of the

both parties say it will mark the beginning winted waste of money when they can some which he refused to change some material changes owing made in the days in the week for nothing. (Laughter.) "Now, Mr. Chairman, a member of this tion as it is at present, the speaker and his home said to me the other day: "Cushman, the exgreened two remiblican associates on the committee what makes you so thin? I will tell you to whom to said this has become irksome to republicans as million egrees), patriotic intelligen toon well as democrats. The flery speech of the stituents behind me, demanding that I se young republican from Washington has fur | cure needed and righteous legislation in niched the recessary Imperus to start a their latgrest. That is the procours on m movement which has long tale dermant from the rear. When I try to scence recogand there is no doubt that favorable results button and an opportunity to being up that should be by any means, but ultimate against the stone wall that surrounds the y It is heped to bring about the abolition specker of the house and the committee of the obnoxious rules and thus make the on rules. That is the pressure on me from representatives of the people, instead of a the rear and the pressure from the front

"Now, in the three years that I have devote a little of my time and a time of heat presidential election to give a little valuable tealiment on that wheel of that machine that the designers (Appliance and faughter.) Who is of the voltele never ordered, (Laughter) INNER HARBOR PROJECT like the rest of the Who, is the speaker of subject with the final observation that this house, that he sets up his immaculate some time between now and the close of this house, what happens? It is referred I will make a speech on the rules of this

tio time at a suitable opportunity and will be so but that it will have to be print

doned threshold and the others who are nightily of this house? Not I will tell to the technically of Benjamin Harrison. ery of Second Payne to the reciprocity of James G. Blaine. There is a picture! The confleman from New York (Mr. Parmer with with the other sot firmly on the rationurs free trade, with the American Sugar-Refuing company in his crims and the plot poeketa" (Laughtern

Mr. Cacheson said that in compalgating the had precured an entire collection of the specifies of Congressian Grosseijor and gove through his example in this part of the will be a control of the attention of the could always. disprove anything that ever cause

WEATHER INFORMATION.

Probabilities. Washington, April 17.-Eastern Texas Pair Friday; warmer in northeast portion Saturday fair; fresh contheasterly winds on the meast.

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the steel magnate, has demosted at the men who conceive that they are the repuls pieces of paper in existence. It is a certificate for 10, 000 chares of preferred stock

DIFFERENCES HAVE ARISEN

Between the Transvaalers and the Free Staters Over the Peace Terms.

Fransvaal and Prec State delegates who are discussing peace terms at Pretoria. General Borba and Acting President Schulkburger, it is reported, have given the Free State representatives nat. April 21 to come to a decision, threatening that thereafter the Transvas) delegation will conduct the peace negotiations independat of the Free State delegates. It is further declared that Boths and Schalkunger had practically agreed upon toyons for surrender prior to their visit to Clerksdorp, but that out of loyalty to their allies they invisted on a conference or with slight hopes that their views would be shared by General Dewet and

Knee Breeches and National Politics Were the Subjects.

New York, April 17 - Ex-Governor Hong

of Texas was the biggest man on board Washington, April 17. The sensational while the great power of this ancient was being towed into her dock he stood is being invaded, hellitled, deson the opper deck, towering above a bevy do of pretty women, in whom his Southern, when the time for election comes? No, of

publican party thick they can take such

Witho Hagliokas

Mr. Hegg thought that the accespence were [101] upon his arrival in Beaumont about

Ralli Brothers Are Alleged to Be Behind the Movement.

vate disputches received at the contour ext. Taken all in all, conditions in charge, no attempt to being mode on a monogies of old brokers have never b for cotton, and shrowd speculators any that | the reports received much credence. nation to the even being below the merrare and most of in sight, the corner strudy a The men who are said to be behind the

deal and who are known to be able to some their associates. This from is said to be me of the largest experites houses in the corid, with offices at New York, Houseon, Liverpeol, London, Calcutta and Bombay. According to the figures at the local exare reported to be interested with them.

used, read as fellows: "Rath Brothers benot the alleged corner is a carefully pro-posed drawback govern up for the brackt look for lower prices as long as the spet of the builts could not be ascertained at the markets couldness from:

New Orleans, April 17. According to pid- and so did the market.

notice for a corner, and for this reason

(Special to The Post.) Now York, April 17.-Cotton made new high towards for the season here today on trength of the phenomenal advance at New Orleans. There was considerable exof the shorts in that option on the ramers that allest the afe that a squeeze in Mar was contemplated.

change they expect more refer than any the lead of May, and the direct result was streegth in spot cotton in all markets. Re-One telegram to a prominent home, whose prevailing helief that the experting house principals do not desire to have their names accept cotton delivered on May contracts. importly closing its offices in Texas would hird Max corner. Bucken by others, Big This report fed to covering by professionals shipments abroad planned. Whether or and general luxing on the theory that a

HAVE BEEN SENT OVER

York, but Told Follow Passengers Their Business.

New York, April 17 .- Two passengers at

in enguarded moments during the voyage order and will surrender. Lieutenaut Crayton are their names and

ARE AFTER MORE MULES they told their fellow passengers all about

It was said by several passengers that the TWO NEW BRITISH ARMY OFFICERS, two officers beasted that they were representatives of the British army and were on route to New Orleans to superintend the shipment of a large number of mules from They are Dodging the Reporters at New the British camp at Pert Chalmette, near New Orleans, on a British transport.

New Orleans Got It. (Special to The Post.) Indianapolis, Ind., April 17. New Orleans today won the next annual meet at of the National Manufacturers' association after a stiff right with Pittsburg and other

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