

HE WOULD RETALIATE

Senator Davis Talks on Germany's Prohibition of American Meat.

Thinks the President Should Prohibit a Few German Imports,

And That Country Would Soon Be Very Glad to Come to Terms.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Senator Davis, a leading member of the committee on foreign relations, has given considerable study to that portion of the president's message relating to foreign affairs. The Minnesota senator does not agree with the president in anything except as to Venezuela, and it is this particular he would have it much stronger. Mr. Davis noticed particularly that part of the message relating to the manner in which Germany is discriminating against American meat and other products upon the plea of sanitary precaution which the senator thinks is unfounded in fact. The president, he says, seems to forget that he

Has a Remedy at Hand

by reason of legislation passed by the Fifty-first congress, and which still remains on the statute books, empowering the president to prohibit importations from any country discriminating against American products.

Senator Davis says that if the president should enforce the provision of this law against Germany for a short time there is little doubt but that she would soon be found willing to make a place for American products without discriminating. He says there are plenty of German imports upon which an embargo could be placed, which would soon bring that government to terms. He does not think it will be necessary for the present congress to pass any additional legislation to secure the proper treatment of American products abroad.

WAS A SHORT SESSION.

The House Meets and in Half an Hour Adjourns Till Monday.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The house was in session but half an hour when it adjourned until Monday. Mr. Baker of New Hampshire, who has proclaimed war upon Secretary of Agriculture Morton because of the latter's refusal to expend an appropriation for the purchase of seeds for distribution among congressional constituents, attempted to put through a resolution calling upon the secretary for information on the subject but Mr. McMillan of Tennessee objected. Later Mr. Walker of Massachusetts, in whose district reside nine-tenths of the naturalized Armenians in this country, asked for the printing in the record of their resolution reciting the outrages committed upon their relatives in Turkey and pleading the support of congress to any steps that might be taken by the executive for their protection, but to this Mr. Turner of Georgia interposed an objection.

WANT TO BE A STATE.

Convention of Oklahomans Adopt Some Resolutions.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 9.—One of the largest and most representative conventions ever held in the territory in favor of statehood has just adjourned after adopting the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the people of Oklahoma territory, without distinction of party, earnestly urge upon the congress of the United States at its present session, to pass an enabling act providing for the admission of Oklahoma as a state, with such boundaries as in the wisdom of congress will best subserve the cause of government.

Arrangements were made to send a committee to Washington to push the claims for statehood.

Minnesota Gavel for Reed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Minnesota presented Speaker Reed a unique gavel. The Minnesota gavel was used by Mr. Reed during the day's session of the house. It was presented to him by Representative Tawney, and the man who donated it is E. P. Nelson of Duluth, one of the deputy state grain inspectors of Minnesota. The gavel is made of oak timber from the Algonquin, the first vessel passing through the Soo canal to reach the head of the Great Lakes. The first trip was made by this schooner was in 1847.

Had Both Arrested.

HURON, S. D., Dec. 9.—Richard Ramsell's wife went to her former home, Cedar Rapids, Ia., for a short visit some two months ago taking her young son with her. About a month ago James E. Wall of Cedar Rapids left his wife and child and eloped with Mrs. Ramsell. Last Saturday she telegraphed from Nashville, Tenn., to her father, John B. Baker, for money. Baker

telegram to Ramsell who started early Monday morning and wires that he has both Wall and Mrs. Ramsell arrested.

Two Counterfeiters Arrested.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The secret service has received a statement that Mike Ford and William Senter, arrested at Atlanta, Ga., with a large quantity of counterfeit \$10 silver certificates on their persons, have been passing counterfeit certificates throughout the West. The officers have been on their track for some time, and the arrest is regarded as very important.

Barn and Horses Burned.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Dec. 9.—The three large barns of Capt. A. M. Sherman's farm, were destroyed by fire and eight head of horses, including Belle Urs, the well-known trotter, was burned. Loss \$30,000; partially insured.

THE DEATH RECORD.

Count von Taaffe, the Austrian statesman, is dead.

Alexander Dumas, the younger, the famous French author, is dead.

NEWS OF LEGAL NATURE.

Margaret Mather settled the proposed divorce suit with her husband, Gustave Pabst, for \$100,000.

An appeal has been taken by the government from the decision releasing Major Armes, arrested for insubordination.

RAILROAD NEWS.

It is supposed that C. P. Huntington is the power behind the throne in the effort now being made to separate the Atlantic and Pacific from the Santa Fe system.

Messrs. Goddard, Midgley and Blanchard are now thought to be the men who will probably constitute the board of arbitration under the new president's agreement.

Transcontinental passenger time will be still further reduced by the competing lines. The fastest regular time between New York and San Francisco is now almost exactly 100 hours.

RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

Nine cardinals were created at the consistory held Friday. Mgr. Satolli is among the number.

Father Thomas O'Gorman, it is believed, will be the new bishop of the Sioux Falls (S. D.) diocese.

The pope presided at the public consistory and conferred the red hats upon the nine cardinals created at the secret consistory on Friday last.

The Misses Ely, who have returned to Buffalo, N. Y., from missionary work in Armenia, relate the most shocking stories of the barbarism of the Turks.

The Christian Endeavor societies of Cleveland and the Salvation Army everywhere celebrated Thanksgiving by praying for the conversion of Bob Ingersoll.

UNFORTUNATE EVENTS.

A landslide in the Tilly Foster mines at Carmel, N. Y., caused the death of 13 or 14 men.

A still in which a farmer was making whisky from sugar beets was captured in Sherman county, Neb.

Three boys while "coasting" at St. Paul dashed into a moving street car and were seriously injured.

Explosion of a lamp caused a panic at a church fair at Wooster, O., and many women and children were hurt.

The steamship Tacoma has arrived at Vancouver damaged by contact with a typhoon off the Japanese coast.

Four persons were drowned in the Monongahela river by a skiff being upset by the waves caused by a steamer.

A special to the Cologne Gazette from Odessa says about 500 deaths are recorded as having resulted from the severe storms which have prevailed recently in that district of Russia.

At Platte Center, Neb., Rev. A. Henrich and his wife were asphyxiated by gas from their hard coal stove. They came from Louisville, Ky., several years ago.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Cubans are reported to have won a great battle.

The police of Berlin have summarily closed eleven socialist clubs.

The Brazilian armored cruiser Uranus has been reported lost in a storm.

President Pierola has refused to accept the resignations of the Peruvian cabinet.

Prince Charles of Denmark and Princess Maude of Wales will be married in London in June, 1896.

The state department is in receipt of information that Spain is sending 30,000 more troops to Cuba.

Arabians to the number of 45,000 are in rebellion against Turkish rule and the Turks may lose Mecca.

The condition of the czarowitz has become more serious and eminent specialists have been summoned.

It is rumored that a British warship was fired upon by Turkish forts while passing through the Dardanelles.

Dr. Foster, a German editor, was sen-

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tenced to three months' imprisonment because of an article in his paper.

The funeral of Alexandre Dumas was held in Paris Saturday. In accordance with his desire it was unostentatious.

Senor Machado has been appointed Portuguese minister to the United States, vice Baron Theodin, deceased.

There is some talk of Emperor William acting as arbitrator in the Anglo-Venezuelan dispute, if it is settled that way.

The United States gunboat Concord went ashore on the north coast of China. It is feared that she is seriously injured.

Lieutenant Feijo, who surrendered Fort Pelayo to the Cubans, was tried by court-martial and sentenced to life imprisonment.

The statue of Washington and Lafayette by Sculptor Bartholdi, presented to the city of Paris by Joseph Pulitzer, was dedicated Sunday.

President Diaz has issued instructions for the suppressing of bull fighting within the limits of federal districts of Mexico for an indefinite period.

Foreign ambassadors at Constantinople are awaiting orders from their governments to bring warships into the Bosphorus without the sultan's consent.

It is reported here that 6,000 Spaniards, residing in Algeria, have volunteered their services to the government for active duty with the troops in Cuba.

The consul general of the United States in Brazil has reported to the state department that foot and mouth disease is quite prevalent in the state of Sao Paulo.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

It Deals Only With Foreign Affairs and Finance.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The message of President Cleveland deals only with the relations of this country with foreign countries and with the financial question.

In regard to the Venezuelan matter, the Monroe doctrine has been reiterated. As to Cuba, the president urges observance of neutrality laws.

The Chinese and Turkish massacres are touched upon briefly.

In regard to finances the president recommends the retirement of greenbacks and the substitution of national bank notes. Also the coinage of seigniorage. Neither free coinage of silver nor increase of revenue receipts would help present conditions, he declares.

LABOR NEWS.

The housemiths' strike at New York is ended.

All the Philadelphia sugar refineries have closed, throwing 2,000 men out of work.

SPORTING NEWS.

A fight between Maher and Fitzsimmons is being arranged.

Kid Lavigne and Joe Wolcott fought at Maspeth, L. I. The encounter was a 15-round one, and was awarded to Lavigne.

Signed articles of agreement have been received from Frank Slavin with a request that they be forwarded to Peter Maher for his signature.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

The camphor market is said to be cornered by a London syndicate.

Two enormous whalebacks will be built at West Superior to carry Rockefeller ore.

Contracts have been let for the construction of ten steel steamers and tow barges to carry ore on the great lakes.

With the opening of the new \$1,000,000 Wool Exchange, New York importers will rival the great London market.

Money exchange rates have gone below the exporting point, and no gold is expected to go out unless the rates go up again.

The Newport News Ship Building company, underbid all competitors on the plans for the two new battleships to be constructed.

Estimates made at the department of agriculture shows that it costs American farmers nearly \$1,000,000,000 to haul their goods to the market.

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