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AN INTERESTING PUBLICATION.

Legislative History of General Staff Issued by War Department.

An interesting volume, entitled "The Legislative History of the General Staff of the Army of the United States," has been compiled and published, under the direction of Adjutant General Corbin, by R. P. Thian, chief clerk of the Adjutant General's Office. It embraces all of the resolutions of the Continental Congress and the laws of the United States from 1775 to 1861, affecting the several staff departments and corps of the army. A caption heads each chapter, and there is a complete list of the heads of the several departments from their establishment to the present date.

While the history is a military publication pure and simple, it throws many curious sidelights on the difficulties under which the colonels labored when they determined on armed resistance to Great Britain, and the various means resorted to by the Continental Congress to arm, equip, clothe, and feed the army. The want of proper quantities of clothing is a particularly striking feature, and is amply illustrated by the fact that General Washington was forced to offer his men an additional ration for each coat. The possibility of distributing two shirts a man was one of the greatest problems of sufficient importance to be announced in general orders, and again Washington offered a reward for inventing a substitute for the best rawhide substitute for shoes. The compilation has been made with care and judgment and is satisfactorily indexed.

City Postoffice Finances. The gross receipts of the postoffice of Washington for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901, amounted to \$73,773.11. The net revenue was \$56,207.76. For the preceding year, the gross receipts were \$69,657.21; net receipts, \$50,921.34. The increase amount of official matter which was free is not included in these figures. The statement has just been prepared by the chief bookkeeper of the Auditor for the Postoffice Department.

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OPENING OF HEMP PORTS.

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Amused Himself at Major Hawks' Expense—Four Witnesses Examined—General Dudley Explains His Connection with the Enterprise.

The testimony of four important witnesses consumed yesterday's session of the hemp enquiry. These were Frank M. Atterholt, of Akron, Ohio; Gen. W. W. Dudley; and Louis T. Michener, of the law firm of Dudley & Michener, and Alfred De Buys, of New York. Mr. De Buys is the principal to whom Major Hawks undertook to sell information about the hemp ports.

The most interesting testimony brought out was that of General Dudley and Mr. Michener, both of whom gave a clear statement of their entire connection with the hemp company.

Major Hawks has been on the stand four times already. He has been reminded by Senator Cockrell or some other member of the sub-committee of his privilege to examine the witnesses, but has generally requested that his questioning be postponed in order that he might get his papers in better shape. His trouble is—and he frequently calls the sub-committee's attention to the fact—that he himself is no lawyer, nor has he means to employ one. His request was granted yesterday, when the cross-examination of Colonel Heistand was postponed until this morning was granted.

At 10 o'clock Mr. Atterholt, the first witness of the day, took the stand. Senator Cockrell asked Mr. Atterholt to state to the sub-committee whether he was acquainted with Colonel Heistand and Major Hawks and whether he had conversation with them in the presence of each other.

"I met Major Hawks in August, 1899, at my hotel. He asked me if I could not assist him in establishing a manufacturing company in Manila. I told him I did not know about the matter, but that I would introduce him to some gentlemen who would probably be interested."

Continuing the witness said: "After an investigation by Flint, Eddy & Co. they concluded that they did not care to be further interested in the matter. The next success was General Dudley. By Senator Cockrell—General Dudley, state what you know about this hemp matter, the organization of the company, etc."

"A—Major Hawks first came to me in connection with the matter in the year 1899. He desired us to act professionally in the matter. I conferred with my partner. He agreed to the proposition. Our compensation was to be in the way of stock. The company, as I remember, was to be organized under the laws of the State of New Jersey, with a capital of \$100,000, 15 per cent of which was to be set aside for Major Hawks for his services in getting up the company."

Continuing, General Dudley said: "Some of the names mentioned were those of General Corbin, Mr. Allen, Mr. Meiklejohn, and Major Hawks said he was sure Judge Boyd would subscribe to stock."

The next witness was A. De Buys, of New York. By Senator Cockrell—What do you know of the efforts to organize this Manila hemp company?"

"A—My recollection is that Major Hawks came quite often to see me, and that he referred to me as being backing in Washington which others could not get. He stated that he had friends in Washington and Manila who would aid him. I believe the name of Meiklejohn was mentioned. I don't remember General Corbin's name in this connection was referred to or not. I think the name of Allen was mentioned later."

Major Hawks declined to go into a cross-examination, stating that in order to enter a cross-examination in the matter he would have to employ a lawyer, as there was a great deal more involved than anyone had any idea.

At 1 o'clock the sub-committee adjourned for the day. Mr. De Buys resumed his testimony at 1:30 p. m. By Senator Cockrell—Major Hawks, if you have any questions to ask the witness ask them. Have you any questions to ask?"

Major Hawks began: "Q—Mr. De Buys, did you ever telephone Mr. De Buys?"

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