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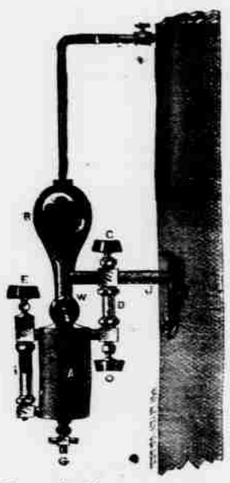

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THE NATIONAL BANKS.

CONGRESS MUST ACT TO PRESERVE THE SYSTEM.

One-Half of the Outstanding 3 Per Cent. Bonds Now in the Treasury Vaults—Interest on Bonds Will Be Paid in Advance—The President's Criticism of the Newspapers—Washington Notes.

WASHINGTON CITY, Nov. 11.—It is probable that one-half of the outstanding 3 per cent. bonds are now in the treasury vaults held as security for national bank circulation. The treasury has the option of calling in these bonds until all are exhausted. If the present rate of call should be kept up, the entire amount of less than $65,000,000 will be called in six months. The 4 per cents can not be called before 1907, but the premium on them is so excessive that the national banks can not afford to buy them to secure their circulation. It is considered almost a necessity that congress shall take some action at its ensuing session on this subject if the national banking system is to be preserved. The comptroller of the currency will, in his annual report, make some suggestions in this connection, and the secretary of the treasury will in all probability also advert to it. It has been suggested that a 2 per cent. interconvertible bond be issued as a basis for bank circulation, and it is probable some proposition of this kind will be urged.

As there is quite a strong element in both houses opposed to the continuance of the national banking system, it is, however, difficult to forsee what will be done. It is estimated that there is now in circulation close on to $220,000,000 of national bank notes. The banks have long since had all the advantage accruing to them by their circulation, and the notes of each bank passing current in every section of the country are scattered far and wide. There is no method provided for their redemption outside of the option of holders, and as the treasury is responsible for them, the majority of the circulation would most likely not be presented for redemption for years, even if all the banks were to wind up and go out of existence as such. A number of national banks have notified the comptroller of the currency of their purpose to reorganize as state institutions.

The President's Press Criticism.

WASHINGTON CITY, Nov. 11.—There has been considerable discussion here as well in political and social as in newspaper circles concerning the severe arraignment of certain newspapers by President Cleveland in his Harvard college speech, on which occasion he denounced intrusions by the press into his domestic privacy. The allusion by the president evidently refers to certain special dispatches sent from Washington, wherein suggestive but no less indelicate comments were made upon the conditions of Mrs. Cleveland's health. While it is thought the president's denunciation was rather sweeping the opinion is universally expressed that the provocation justified the severest reprehension.

Will Pay the Interest in Advance.

WASHINGTON CITY, Nov. 11.—Secretary Manning has issued a notice that the interest falling due Dec. 1 next upon coupon and registered bonds of the loan of 1891 will be paid at once at the treasury without rebate. Coupons of the 4 per cent. consols of 1907 falling due on Jan. 1 next will be paid on presention before maturity upon a rebate of interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum. The interest on registered bonds of that loan will also be paid on and after Dec. 1 next, upon application, accompanied by proper power of attorney. In effect this is an offer to pay out about $10,000,000 of interest from thirty to sixty days in advance of the time it will fall due.

The Chicago Banks.

WASHINGTON CITY, Nov. 11.—The treasury department has issued a statement which shows that the number of national banks in Chicago has increased during the past year from twelve to fifteen. The capital stock has increased from $11,750,000 to $13,950,000, loans and discounts have increased from $46,000,000 to $55,000,000, and the deposits have increased from $40,000,000 to $47,000,000.

Justice Woods Uneasy About His Health.

WASHINGTON CITY, Nov. 11.—Justice Woods, of the supreme court, will go to New York, where he will consult high medical authority to determine whether he has consumption or not. His future course will depend upon the result of this inquiry.

Secretary Lamar Declines.

WASHINGTON CITY, Nov. 11.—Secretary Lamar has declined to accept an invitation to attend a banquet of the Iroquois club of Chicago, because of the pressure of official business.

Cholera at Mayence, Germany.

WASHINGTON CITY, Nov. 11.—The marine hospital bureau has received information through the department of state that cholera is prevailing at Mayence, Germany.

Resulted in a Draw.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—A fight between Charles Ellingsworth, ex-amateur champion of this state, and Jimmy Hogan, of Philadelphia, took place early Wednesday morning near this city. Ritchie Golden was referee. The fighting was very severe and lasted four rounds. The opinion of those present was that Ellingsworth had the best of it. As Hogan was not knocked out the referee decided the contest a draw.

Living Over a Blaze.

PITTSBURG, PA., Nov. 11.—The Standard coal mine, which was sold a few years ago for $800,000 and which keeps 800 men busy and turns out 1,800 tons of coal a day, is ablaze and all efforts to extinguish it are futile. It is feared that there may be a great explosion, and as Mount Pleasant, a mining town, is right over the fire there is the greatest excitement.

A Child Burned to Death.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Nov. 11.—Freddie Hildebrand, a 3-year-old boy, set fire to the clothing of Mary Rodenbaugh, a 5-year-old playmate. Mrs. Rodenbaugh, instead of rescuing the child from the flames, seized a hatchet and attempted to brain the little boy, but was prevented by the neighbors. The little girl was burned almost beyond recognition.

The Italian Government Condemned.

ROME, Nov. 11.—The vatican is printing for circulation an encyclical letter condemning the Italian government for its policy towards the Catholic church, which it claims places the pope in the power of a revolution which menaces his liberty.

Toledo, Ills., the County Seat.

MATTOON, Ills., Nov. 11.—The special election held in Cumberland county Tuesday on the location of the county seat resulted in a majority of 72 in favor of Toledo, Greenup being the other point voted for.

An American Absconder Escapes.

WINNIPEG, Man., Nov. 11.—Stewart, the American absconder, arrested here for bringing stolen money into Canada, was acquitted Tuesday evening on legal technicalities.

Public Notice.

Anyone having business with the ARGUS office after 6 p. m. (in the event that the office is closed) will please call at Wilmans & Galt's news stand in the postoffice building, who are authorized to transact business of every nature for the ARGUS.

Cheap Mail Boxes.

The finest mail and paper box ever invented is for sale at the ARGUS office at the low price of $1 each. The same box is sold everywhere at $1.50. Call and examine them.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The propeller Bessemer, recently reported lost, passed through the Sault Ste. Marie canal Monday.

Fred Archer, the jockey, who killed himself Monday at Newmarket, England, leaves nearly $1,250,000.

One-half of the town of Wolcott, Ind., including Pock's hotel and the Christian church, was destroyed by fire Tuesday morning.

The East Shore Lumber company's mill at Muskegon, Mich., was burned Monday night, entailing a loss of $25,000, with insurance of $18,000.

The Forcite Powder works, at Hopatong, N. J., exploded Tuesday afternoon, one man being killed and five others seriously wounded.

Charles Herron, member of the old board of public works, has been acquitted at Cincinnati of the charge of having issued false vouchers.

Professor St. Leon, a New York astrologist, vouches for the fact that President Cleveland owes his joviality of having been born with Sagittarius rising.

The national convention of United Presbyterians, who are opposed to the action of the general assembly on the music question, met Tuesday at Allegheny City, Pa.

Wite Burns, an agent of the Temperance Alliance, committed suicide Monday night at Des Moines, Iowa. It is said that fear of bodily harm from the saloon element led to the tragedy.

Charles H. Billar, the famous life-saver, who two years ago saved the lives of H. A. Benedict and his two daughters, of Hyde Park, Illinois, at Coney island, has been arrested at Newark, N. J., for obtaing $300 by false pretenses.

Robert J. Fabraham, of R. J. Fabraham & Co., brokers at 26 Congress street, Boston, was arrested at New York Tuesday for embezzlement. His cookedness involves large amounts, and there are said to be a number of victims.

Professor Foster, the Iowa meteorologist, predicts fierce storms between Dec. 4 and 17 next, during which railroads will be blocked with snow, high winds will destroy property, and electrical disturbances will affect telegraph and telephone lines.

The Belgian chamber opened Tuesday. It was announced that the government would submit a number of measures designed to ameliorate the condition of the working classes. The country is in an excellent financial condition, and sustains pleasant relations with foreign powers.

RELEASED THE DRUNKS.

The Mayor of Indianapolis Creates a Sensation in Court.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 11.—A very unusual scene occurred in the mayor's court Tuesday morning and has been the talk of the town during the day. Monday that official purposely passed over a dozen cases of Sunday drunks and Tuesday morning the whole squad entered pleas of guilty. In the course of a long address the mayor said that it was cruel to the unfortunates before him and their families to punish them when no effort was made to arrest the men who, in violation of law, threw open their doors and sold liquor on Sunday, and until the police officials showed a disposition to punish the graver criminals he proposed to release their unfortunate victims. That the superintendent and police board knew well that the law was violated every Sabbath, but no effort was put forth to prevent it, and the saloonmen had became so bold that their doors were thrown wide open under the very shadow of the churches of the city. All of the cases were then released.

American Turf Congress.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 11.—The American Turf congress met Wednesday in fourth annual session at the Gibson house. The congress will make important changes in the constitution and by laws, date the birth of running horses from March 1, instead of January, as is now the custom, and also regulate pool selling.

A Couple of "Dookes" Interested.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—It is understood that the dukes of Devonshire and Buccleugh are heavily interested with the St. Paul syndicate in the recent purchase of dock facilities at Staten Island in connection with the scheme for direct shipments from the northwest to Europe.

A Newspaper in Trouble.

MANSFIELD, Ohio, Nov. 11.—The Herald, of this city, published by George U. Harn & Bro., was Tuesday seized by the sheriff, at the instance of the holder of a chattle mortgage, some time past due. It is not known what disposition will be made of the property.

An Overdue Steamer Safe.

QUEBEC, Nov. 11.—The overdue steamer Mississippi from Liverpool Oct. 16 and Avonmouth Oct. 21 for Montreal, has passed Bird rock.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 10.

Quotations on the board of trade to-day were as follows: Wheat—No. 2 December, opened 75c, closed 74⅝c; January, opened 77⅝c, closed 77c; May, opened 82c, closed 81⅝c. Corn—No 2 December, opened 36⅝c, closed 36½c; January, opened 36¼c, closed 36⅛c; May, opened 41¼c, closed 41⅛c. Oats—No 2 December, opened 26⅝c, closed 26½c; May, opened 29½c, closed 29⅛c. Pork—December, opened and closed $9.15; January, opened $10.05, closed $9.95. Lard—December, opened $5.85, closed $5.80.

Live Stock. The Union stock yards report the following range of prices: Hogs—Market opened strong at yesterday's prices, but later weakened and declined 5@10c; packers bought sparingly; light grades, $3.60@3.75; rough packing, $3.30@3.50; heavy packing and shipping lots, $3.50@3.65. Cattle—Steady; $4.40@5.15; cows, $1.40@3.00; stockers, $2.00@3.15. Sheep—Slow, steady; common, $2.00@2.90; good, $2.50@3.75.

Produce: Butter—Fancy creamery, 29@30c per lb; good dairy, 18@20c; packing, 10@12c. Eggs—Strictly fresh, 18c per doz; ice-house, 12@12½c. Poultry—Chickens, 7@7½c per lb; ducks, 8@8½c; turkeys, 9c; geese, $6.00@6.50 per doz; dressed poultry ½@1c higher. Potatoes—Burbanks, 40@45c per bu, on track; Early Rose and Beauty of Hebron, 40@45c. Apples—Fair to good shipping, $1.50@1.75 per bbl.

New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.

Wheat—No. 1 red state, 80c; No. 2 do, 86c; No. 2 red winter December, 85⅝c; January, 87½c. Corn—No. 2 mixed cash, ¼c; December, 46½c. Oats—No 1 white state, 38c; No. 2 do, 36c. Rye—Dull. Barley—Nominal. Pork—Dull; new mess, $10.37½@10.75. Lard—$6.18, November; $6.21, December; $6.28, January.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 10.

Wheat—Weak and ½@¾c lower; No 2 red cash, 73⅝c; December, 76⅝c; January, 78⅝c; May, 84⅝@84⅞c. Corn—Easy; No. 2 mixed cash, 34c; December, 34⅝c; January, 35c; May, 37½c. Oats—Easy; No. 2 mixed cash, 26½@26¾c; December, 26⅝c; May, 30⅝c. Lid. Rye—Strong, 60@60½c. Whisky—$1.14. Pork—Strong; $9.87½. Lard—Firm, $5.90@5.95.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Nov. 10.

Wheat—Dull and easier; cash, 77½c; December, 78½c; May, 85½c. Corn—Steady; cash, 38c bid; May, 42½c bid. Oats—Firm, cash, 27½c bid. Clover Seed—Firmer; cash $4.30; December, $4.32½; January, $4.40.

ROCK ISLAND.

Oats—27c.
Hay—Timothy—$10.01.
Hay—Wild—$8.10.
Rye—40c.
Corn—Old 42c; New 40c.
Potatoes—35@40c.
Onions 50c.
Coal—Soft 10c; hard $6.50
Cord Wood—$4.25.
Straw—$5.00.

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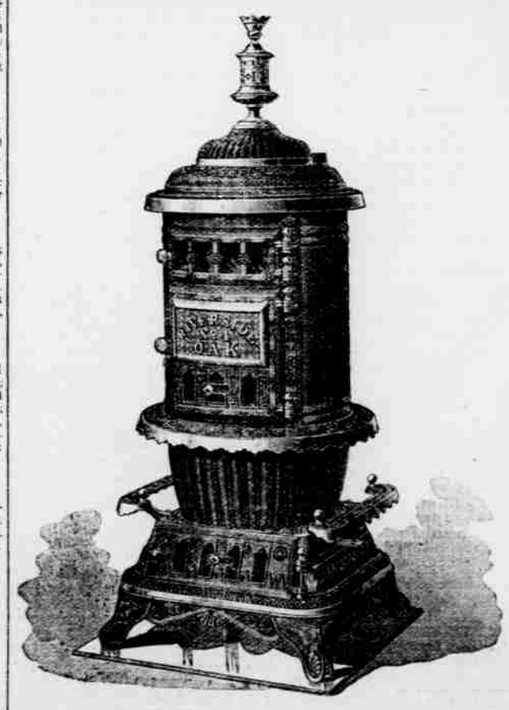

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