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CONGRESS

RESUME OF THE WEEK'S PROCEEDINGS.

The House.

Washington, March 14—The last legislative step in the enactment of the financial bill was taken by the house of representatives yesterday when the conference report on the bill was adopted by a vote of 166 to 120; present and not voting, 10. The senate had already adopted the conference report, so that it remains only for President McKinley to affix his signature to the measure to make it a law. Representative Overstreet, the author of the bill, will take it to the White House to-day, and the signature is likely to be affixed soon thereafter. Already arrangements have been made for securing the pen with which the president will sign the bill. The debate on the report continued throughout the day, Mr. Overstreet of Indiana opening, and Mr. Brosius of Pennsylvania closing in support of the measure, while Mr. Little of Arkansas closed in opposition with a severe arraignment of the bill. The vote was on party lines except that nine Democrats joined with the Republicans in supporting the conference report.

The Senate.

Personal explanations were made yesterday in the senate by Mr. Allen of Nebraska and Mr. Butler of North Carolina of their positions on the financial question. Both announced their belief in the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. The statements were called out by reports to the contrary which had gained circulation. Mr. Turner of Washington began an extended speech on the Porto Rican bill. He maintained that the pending measure clearly was unconstitutional and expressed his belief that it would be so held if it were passed upon by the supreme court.

The Senate.

Washington, March 15.—Two arguments were presented to the senate yesterday in which almost antipodal positions were taken by two senators. Mr. Teller of Colorado, in a brief speech maintained that the constitution could not extend over territory acquired by the United States, while Mr. Turner of Washington elaborately contended that the constitution embraced the acquired territory the very moment the United States took possession of it. Mr. Teller held that this government could make this outlying territory into states or could hold it as colonies as it saw fit; while Mr. Turned maintained that the United States could not maintain colonies or dependencies. Aside from the constitutional letters the two senators were in practical agreement. Both were opposed to the pending bill and both were opposed to any of insular territory becoming a part of the United States or any of its inhabitants citizens of the United States.

The House.

The District of Columbia appropriation bill was taken up in the house yesterday, and under the latitude allowed Mr. Adamson of Georgia discussed the Nicaragua canal, Mr. Cowherd, the Philippine question; Mr. Howard of Georgia, questions relating to the Philippines and the "open door" policy in the Orient; Mr. Rucker of Missouri, the advisability of electing senators by the people, and Mr. Boutelle of Illinois replied to Mr. Cowherd. The house adopted a resolution setting aside alternate Fridays for the discussion of private bills reported by the claims and war claims committee.

The Senate.

Washington, March 16. — "I assert most emphatically that when the senator says I told him I should not speak on this subject, he does not state the truth."

This was the sensational retort made in the senate yesterday by Mr. Gallinger of New Hampshire to a statement just made by Mr. Penrose of Pennsylvania. Senators were astounded and the auditors in the galleries quivered with excitement. There had scarcely been the slightest intimation that the debate would take such a turn. For nearly three hours the senate had had under discussion the bill appropriating $2,095,000 for the benefit of the people of Porto Rico. Mr. Fairbanks of Indiana had just concluded some remarks on the measure and suggested that the senate proceed to the consideration of executive business. Pending a motion to that effect, Mr. Penrose, who has charge of the case of Former Senator Quay, suggested that a time be fixed for a vote on the case. In the course of his remarks he intimated that certain senators were throwing obstacles in the way of a vote and indicated that Mr. Gallinger was one of those senators. Mr. Gallinger quietly replied that he desired to be heard on the question, but had not had an opportunity to speak. To this statement Mr. Penrose retorted that the New Hampshire senator had assured him that he did not expect to speak on the Quay case. Instantly Mr. Gallinger was on his feet and, with evident feeling and with great vehemence, replied as above quoted.

"I do not know whether I do not speak the truth," hotly replied Mr. Penrose, "or whether the senator from New Hampshire failed to tell me the truth." Mr. Gallinger retorted that the whole proceeding of Mr. Penrose was unmanly and beneath his notice.

The proposition to fix a time for a vote was postponed until to-day, but it was some time before the excitement subsided. The debate on the appropriation bill developed a decided difference of opinion as Mr. Jones of Arkansas offered a substitute for the measure a bill to return the duties to those who had paid them and providing for absolute free trade between the United States and Porto Rico. The bill had not been disposed of when the Quay case was called up. Mr. Wellington of Maryland presented an elaborate argument against the seating of Mr. Quay, and the remainder of the session was consumed in a running discussion of the constitutional questions involved.

The House.

The district of Columbia appropriation bill, carrying $6,608,378, was passed by the house yesterday, and also a bill granting the abandoned Fort Hayes military reservation to the State of Kansas for experimental station and normal school purposes.

The Senate.

Washington, March 17.—After a debate, at times spirited, extending over parts of two days, the senate yesterday passed the Porto Rican relief appropriation bill. As passed, the measure carries $2,095,000, the president being authorized to use that sum for "public education, public works and other governmental and public purposes" in Porto Rico. Mr. Allen (Neb.) offered an amendment to the bill declaring that the Constitution extends over Porto Rico by its own force, but it was lost by the decisive vote of 36 to 17. Mr. Jones (Ark.) withdrew a free trade amendment offered by him and that proposition, therefore, did not reach a vote. Other efforts to amend the bill were fruitless. An order was made by the senate as to consideration of the case of former Senator Quay, it being unanimously agreed that it should be taken up two weeeks from next Tuesday and discussed until disposed of, the discussion not to interfere with the unfinished busness, the Spooner bill authorizing the president to govern the Philippines until otherwise directed, the appropriation bills or conference reports.

The House.

Yesterday was the first private bill day in the house under the new rules. About two hours were spent in the discussion of a bill to pay Representative Swanson $1,769 for extra expenses incurred by him in his contest in the last congress, but the bill was ultimately abandoned. Six bills of minor importance were passed.

The Senate.

Washington, March 20.—Two measures of national importance and many of slightly lesser interest were passed by the senate yesterday. The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, carrying more than $25,000,000 was passed without debate. The measure providing for the appointment of a commission to adjudicate and settle claims of the people of the United States growing out of the war with Spain was also passed without opposition.

For a brief time the Porto Rican government and tariff measure was under consideration. Mr. Foraker in charge of the bill submitted some committee amendments. A few of them were agreed to, but the important ones are still pending. A free trade amendment to the bill was offered by Senator Beveridge.

The House.

The house to-day refused to concur in the senate amendments to the Porto Rican relief bill. The Democrats supported a motion to concur on the ground that it would avoid further delay in extending relief to the inhabitants of the island, but the Republicans stood firmly behind Chairman Cannon in his demand that the house should insist upon its original provisions to appropriate not only the money collected on Porto Rican goods up to Jan. 1, but all subsequent moneys collected or about to be collected.

The remainder of the day was devoted to District of Columbia business.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, March 21. — Wheat—No. 1 Northern, 63 64 1-2c; No. 2 Northern, 61 @ 63c. Corn — No. 3 yellow, 31 1-4 @ 31 1-2c; No. 3, 31 @ 31 1-4c. Oats — No. 3 white, 24@24 1-4c; No. 3, 23 3-4@24c. Barley and Rye — Feed barley, 33@34c; malting grade, 35@38c; No. 2 rye, 51c; No. 3 rye, 50 1-2c.

Duluth, March 21—Wheat—No. 1 hard, 67c; No. 1 Northern, 65 1-2c; No. 2 Northern, 63c; No. 3 spring, 59 3-4c; to arrive, No. 1 hard 67c; No. 1 Northern, 66 1-2c; July, No. 1 Northern, 67 1-2c; oats, 23 1-2@24c; rye, 52c; barley, 35@38c; corn, 35 1-4c; flax, to arrive, $1.62; May, $1.64; September, $1.14 1-4; October, $1.11.

Minneapolis, March 21—Wheat—No. 1 hard, 66 5-8c; No. 1 Northern, 65 1-8c; No. 2 Northern, 63 5-8c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 34 1-2@34 3-4c; No. 3, 34 @ 34 3-4. Oats—No. 3 white, 24@24 1-4c; No. 3, 23 3-4@24c. Barley—Malting, 36@40c; feed, 34@35c. Rye — No. 2, 52 1-2c.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 21—Flour is firm. Wheat firm: No. 1 Northern, 67@67 1-2c; No. 2 Northern, 65 1-2c. Rye lower: No. 1, 58@58 1-2c. Barley higher; No. 2, 43@44c; sample, 37 1-2@41c. Oats firmer; No. 2 white, 25 1-2@26 1-4c.

Chicago, March 21—Wheat—No. 2 red, 69@70c; No. 3 do, 66 1-2@68c; No. 2 hard winter, 66@67c; No. 3 do, 61@66c; No. 1 Northern spring, 67 1-2@68 1-2c; No. 2 do, 66 1-2@67 1-2c; No. 3 spring, 62@66 1-2c. Corn—No. 2, 36 3-8c; No. 3, 36c. Oats—No. 2, 23 5-8@23 3-4c; No. 3, 23 1-2c.

Chicago, March 21.—Cattle—Beeves, good to prime steers, $5.65@5.85; poor to medium, $4.10@4.65; stockers and feeders, $3.50@3.80; cows and heifers, $3@4.70; Texas-fed steers, $3.75@5. Hogs — Mixed and butchers, $4.85 @ 5.15; good to choice heavy, $5.05 @ 5.17 1-2; rough heavy, $4.90@5; light, $4.85@5.10; bulk of sales, $5 @ 5.10. Sheep, $5.25@6; lambs, $5.40@7.15.

Sioux City, Iowa, March 21.—Cattle—Beeves, $4 @ 4.65; cows and bulls, mixed, $2@4.30; stockers and feeders, $3.50@4.40; calves and yearlings, $3.50 @4.75. Hogs, $4.85@4.95; bulk, $4.85 @4.90.

South St. Paul, March 21. — Hogs—$4.90@4.97 1-2. Cattle—Cows, $2.60@3; bulls, $3@3.25; stockers, $4; heifers, $3.10@3.60.

Connelly Badly Used Up.

New York, March 21.—Matty Matthews of New York met Eddie Connelly of St. Johns, N. B., at the Hercules Athletic club last night in Brooklyn, and Connelly was so badly used up in the fourteenth round that the referee interfered and stopped the bout to prevent Connelly being knocked out. When Matthews was declared the winner Connelly rushed across the ring and tried to continue fighting, and White had a busy time in restraining the Canadian, who finally subsided and went to his corner.

Sugar Goes Up.

New York, March 21.—All grades of refined sugar were advanced 5c per 100 pounds by the American Sugar Refining company yesterday. There was also an advance in the pound price of raw sugars. The advance is said to have resulted from the increased demand for the product during the past week.

Ordered to Esquimault.

Ottawa, Ont., March 21. — Orders have been sent out from the militia department to send the company which was organized on the Pacific coast to go to Halifax for garrison duty, to Esquimault instead.

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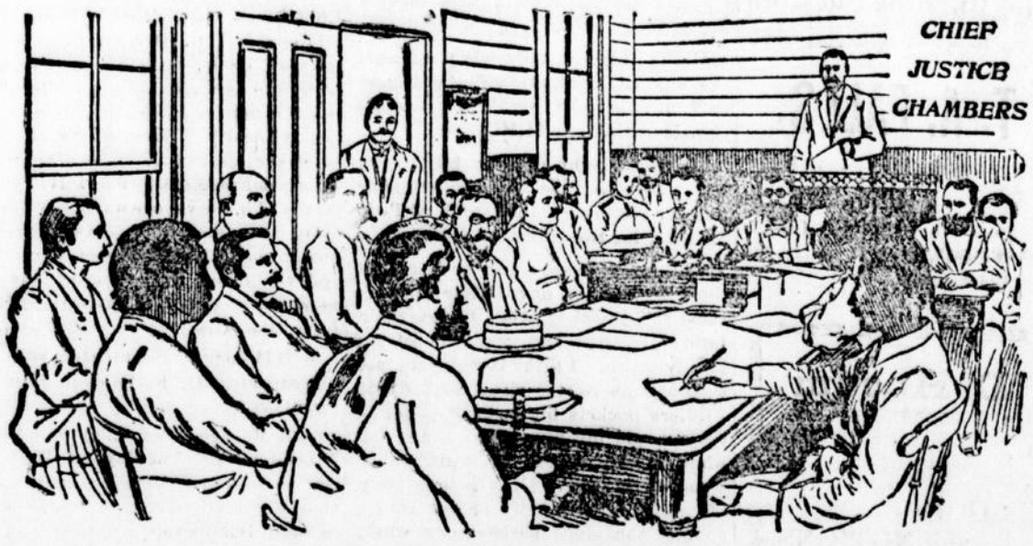

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Tabor's Appeal.

Pierre, S. D., March 15. — Attorneys for Tabor, who is in jail at Sioux Falls on a charge of contempt, have filed the record of the habeas corpus hearing in the circuit court and the supreme court and perfected their appeal.

Too Precocious.

Pierre, S. D., March 16. — Gaylord Thomas, one of the pages of the senate at the last legislative session, was committed to the reform school on the request of his mother, who is unable to control him.

Boxing Carnival at Racine.

Racine, Wis., March 21.—At a boxing carnival last night George Ryan of Milwaukee knocked out Billy Craig of Waukesha in two rounds. Danny McMahon of Philadelphia won from Jack Doherty of Chicago and Sig Hart of Chicago defeated George O'Brien of Racine.

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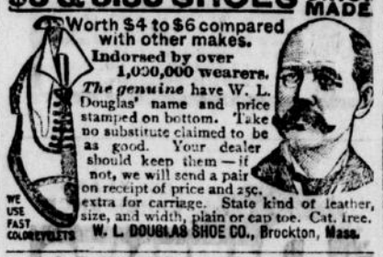

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