FAVOR CARLISLE'S BILL

Currency Committee Will Ask the House to Vote for the Measure.

THE VIEWS OF TWO BANKERS

Strong Opposition Will Probably Confront the Bill When It Is Taken Up for Adoption—St. John Urges Free Silver Coinage.

By the United Press.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Secretary Carlisle's bill to reform the banking and currency is scheduled to pass the house of representatives at 3 o'clock next Friday afternoon.

This is the time agreed upon by the Democratic members of the committee on banking and currency for taking the vote. This agreement, to be put in force, must receive the approval of the committee on rules, and must be voted for by a majority of the members of the house. The programme was fixed up late yesterday afternoon, after the conclusion of the hearings which have occupied the time of the committee during the week.

The differences of opinion in the committee are so many and of such a radical nature that there was no hope of ever getting a majority to indorse any bill. It was accordingly determined by the Democratic members of the committee that the only thing that could be done would be to report the Carlisle bill to the house without amendment, with the understanding that the members of the committee will have an opportunity to offer individual amendments in the house. Mr. Springer was authorized to report the bill in this way.

It was at first proposed to have the committee adopt a resolution, to be referred to the rules committee, providing for carrying out this programme, but there was considerable opposition on the part of the Republican members to proceeding so rapidly, and some of the Democrats also thought there ought to be more time given. It was therefore agreed that Chairman Springer and such other members of the committee as might wish to do so should go before the committee on rules on Monday and present their views as to what ought to be done. It is probable the programme will be agreed to by the rules committee, as it is understood the Democrats of that committee were consulted before it was prepared.

Opposition to the Programme.

When the rule is reported to the house it will probably meet with the united opposition of the Republicans and a considerable number of Democrats. There are at least four Democratic members of the committee who think more time ought to be given for debate, and that the vote on the bill ought to be postponed until after the holiday recess. This will be strongly opposed by Chairman Springer and others, who are understood to be acting in concert with the president, and who insist that the bill must be sent to the senate before the holidays if there is to be any hope whatever of action upon it by that body.

The impression among the members of the banking and currency committee and others who have studied the situation in the house is that the bill will pass that body, if at all, substantially as it was drawn up by Secretary Carlisle. This is not because any one is satisfied with it in its present form, but because there is so much difference of opinion as to be the character of the amendments to be made. It is doubtful if a majority of the house can be secured on the vote for any one of the amendments.

Among the amendments that will be offered will be one to strike out the provision making each bank liable for the security of notes issued by every other bank. Amendments will also be offered to strike out the provision for state bank currency and to provide for the funding of legal tenders in low interest bonds. Unless the speaker rules such an amendment out of order an effort will also be made to add to the bill a provision for the free coinage of silver.

Changes in the Senate.

The chances for favorable action on any bill in the senate are rather difficult to forecast, especially as some of the Republicans seem to be disposed to oppose any bill, good or bad, and at any rate, a vote can only be reached by a continuous session.

Secretary Carlisle's plan has now been before the country for two weeks, and has been the subject of hearings before the house committee on banking and currency for one week, and among all the men who have appeared before the committee, and among the hundreds who have written to Chairman Springer, only one man has been found who approves the plan. This is President Post, of the York National bank, of York, Neb., whose letter Chairman Springer read before the committee this morning.

Mr. Johnson, of Indiana, objected to its going into the record of the hearings, and asked Mr. Springer if his reason for adding it was not that it was the only letter he had received indorsing the Carlisle plan. Mr. Springer admitted that it was, but did not insist upon its going into the record, and it was left out.

Bankers representing directly opposite views occupied the attention of the committee today. They were G. G. Williams, president of the Chemical National bank, of New York, and W. P. St. John, president of the Mercantile National bank, of New York. Mr. St. John is in favor of free silver, while Mr. Williams is against it.

Mr. Williams maintained that the present situation in currency matters was one requiring only firmness and common sense. The first problem in a clumsy and conglomerated financial system was the disposition to be made of the legal tender notes. No financial system, he said, could be permanently successful without providing for the elimination of these notes. Provision should be made at once for funding a part of them, say $250,000,000, in amounts of perhaps $50,000,000 at a time, at the discretion of the secretary of the treasury.

Wants Low Interest Bonds.

Mr. Williams' suggestion was the issue of United States bonds bearing a rate of interest not more than 3 per cent. and that these bonds should be received as security for circulating notes of national banks on the basis of par for the bonds, the government having a first lien also on the assets of the banks as additional security.

The tax on the circulation of national banks, he said, should be removed at once, and with a 3 per cent. bond at par and no tax on circulation there would be sufficient inducement for national banks to take out circulating notes.

As for the silver certificates, he believed it would be wise to pass an act allowing them to be redeemed in silver bullion at its market value, and the Sherman act notes might be also included. With these few changes in the law he thought our financial system be placed on a safe basis.

Mr. St. John discovered that under official dictation, tutored by the one most aggressive of all our handful of "goldites" in the United States, Congress fiddled with bank notes while the burning issue was our primary money.

His entire statement was devoted to an argument that congress should enact a law providing for bimetallism. This, he asserted, would do away with the necessity for other financial legislation, and once such a law was passed and approved there would be no reason for passing new banking laws.

JILTED ON HIS WEDDING DAY.

Aged Cato Hoagland's Unhappy Experience with a Young Bride.

By the United Press.

New Brunswick, Dec. 16.—A few weeks ago Cato Hoagland, 70 years old, a well-to-do colored resident of Franklin Park, engaged Ellen Baker, 23 years old, to keep house for him. He paid her some money in advance, and she promised to assume charge of his household last Saturday. As she failed to keep her word, Hoagland had her arrested for obtaining money under false pretences. When arraigned before Justice Wesscott the girl protested that she meant no harm, and begged for leniency. She made profuse apologies to Cato and manifested a great affection for him.

The justice racked his brain for a solution of the difficulty, and finally announced that the only way it could be settled properly was for the couple to marry. Mr. Hoagland was not averse to such a step, nor was Ellen. The justice tied the knot forthwith.

On Sunday afternoon Mrs. Hoagland told her husband she was going out for a short time to see her aunt and tell her what a nice husband she had and all the circumstances connected with her marriage. She did not return that night, and for several days Hoagland waited in vain for his bride to return.

Finally he went in search of her, and found her yesterday. He asked the girl why she had not come back. She replied:

"It was marry or go to jail, so I married you. Did you think I was going to live with you?"

Hoagland came to this city this morning and inserted an advertisement in the local papers that he would not be responsible for any debts she might contract. The woman is a cousin of the young negro who murdered Mrs. Moore Baker and her baby and was himself killed by the murdered woman's husband.

THEY STEAL COFFINS.

Michigan People's Charge Against Chicago Undertakers.

By the United Press.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 16.—Grand Haven officers here claim to have vidence that a firm of Chicago undertakers have been stealing many coffins they have used during the past five years out of country graveyards in Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, and perhaps other states. They are of the opinion that they have not only stolen what they used, but refitted and sold them in quantities to country firms. Emissaries have been going over the country opening newly made graves in isolated cemeteries. They take the body out of the coffin, throw it back into the grave and cover it, robbing the corpse of any jewelry there may be upon it.

The coffins are taken to pieces, packed in cases, and shipped to Chicago under various fictitious names. A Chicago detective who recently visited in this vicinity is authority for the statement that the officers are on the tracks of the men who rob the graves.

INDUSTRIAL TOPICS.

The electric road between Mt. Carmel and Centralia will be ready Jan. 1.

The Shamokin Telephone company has been chartered with a capital stock of $12,000.

Twelve new passenger cars have been ordered by the Lehigh Valley for the main line.

The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad is said to have had less accidents than any other road in the United States.

During the past week the Philadelphia and Reading railroad carried 216,276.07 tons. In the same week of 1893 they hauled 202,819.05, an increase of 13,457.00 tons.

Under the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company the mines are at present working very slack. The quota of coal for the year is almost filled and much will not be done before Jan. 1.

The "air line" between New York and Chicago brings out some of the most remarkable propositions. A writer in the Mauch Chunk papers gets over the difficulty of grade between Audenried and Mauch Chunk by sinking a shaft 1,700 feet and dropping passengers and freight down an elevator.

Work was unexpectedly resumed at the North works of the Lackawanna Iron and Steel company last Friday, and the order on which the mill was started is said to be one that will last for a few months. The South works are undergoing repairs and after a week it is said that plant will also resume.

The Stevens colliery at Pittston is in danger of being flooded by a sudden inflow of water. The other night while one of the night miners was at work in his chamber he struck a stream of water which filled the place so rapidly that he was unable to secure all of the tools. The water has continued to flow in ever since, and all of the pumping facilities of the mine have been insufficient to cope with it. Additional pumps are being placed in position in hopes of controlling the flood. The colliery is still in operation, those portions of the mine not under water furnishing the coal.

The material made by the Bonta Plate Glass company at Moosic will be much stronger than marble and much more desirable from a sanitary point of view, and with this process it can be produced at a much less cost than polished marble or slate and can be decorated in relief in any color or design desired. This opens a new article of commerce for which this company have letters patent covering the embossing process and the casting of plate glass by rolling on both sides of the sheet, saving labor in the grounding and polishing after the sheet of glass has been annealed.

A new trolley car track was tried between Fullerton and Allentown this week which seems to have many advantages over others previously in use. While it embraces all the capabilities of the old style truck it is as much an improvement and advancement on the latter as electric light is superior to kerosene, says the Allentown Chronicle. The old style trucks now in use are rigidly fixed to a car. Their maximum distance is 7 ft. 6 in. In the new trucks the distance between the wheels can be increased or reduced to suit the length of any car, and being placed at the extreme front and rear they do away with that disagreeable pendulum-like and jarring motion so productive of nausea whenever a car is run at even a moderate rate of speed. So smooth and easy was the motion that when the car was run at a forty mile an hour clip the reporters on board were able to write down their notes with perfect ease. The new truck is the invention of J. W. Fuller, who spent a year in perfecting it.

The Dickson Manufacturing company is at work upon three large fans for the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company. They are to be set up at the Woodward, Pettebone and Bliss mines. They are what is known as Guibal fans and have an outside diameter of thirty-five feet, nine feet face. The fans have double inlets 17 ft. 6 in. in diameter and are of central disc construction, built of plate and shape steel, well braced from periphery of interior circle to the heavy cast iron center. Each fan has sixteen blades. The estimated weight of each of the fans complete is 60,000 pounds. The calculated capacity of each fan at a periphery speed of 7,000 feet per minute and under a three and a half water guage, is from 250,000 to 300,000 cubic feet of air per minute. The fan is connected to a 28 by 40 Dickson Corliss engine of special design. The casting is of steel plate and shape, with evassee chimney and adjustable V shutter of construction commonly used with the Guibal fan.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

By the United Press.

New York, Dec. 15.—The sales at the Stock exchange today were 87,000 shares, of which 48,000 were Sugar. The trading was mainly of a professional character and the changes, except in a few instances, were unimportant. There was some pressure to sell Sugar and Chicago Gas. Sugar sold down from 98⅝ to 91¾ and Chicago Gas from 71⅝ to 70¼. The general railway list receded anywhere from ⅛ to ½ and closed weak in tone. Net changes show losses of ⅛ to 1⅝. Sugar and Gas being the heaviest sufferers.

The range of today's prices for the active stocks of the New York stock market are given below. The quotations are furnished The Tribune by G. du B. Dimmick, manager for William Linn, Allen & Co., stock brokers, 412 Spruce street, Scranton.

	Op'ning.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.
Am. Cot. Oil	25	25¼	24¾	24¾
Am. Sugar Re'g Co.	93¼	93¼	91¾	92
A. M. T.	97½	98	97½	98
Can. South	51	51	51	51
Ches. & Ohio	18¼	18¼	18¼	18¼
Chicago Gas	71½	71⅝	70¼	70½
Chic. & N. W.	99¼	99¼	99¼	99¼
Chic., B. & Q.	72⅞	73	72⅝	72⅝
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	59	59¼	58⅞	58⅞
Chic., R. I. & P.	61½	61½	61⅛	61¼
Delaware & Hud.	126½	126½	126½	126½
Dist. & C. F.	9⅜	9⅜	8⅞	8⅞
Gen. Electric	35	35⅜	34¾	34⅞
Louis. & Nash.	53⅞	53⅞	53½	53¾
Manhattan Ele.	104½	104½	104½	104½
Mo. Pacific	29¼	29¼	28¾	28¾
N. Y. & N. E.	31¾	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞
N. Y., L. E. & W.	9⅞	9⅞	9¾	9¾
Phil. & Read.	14¾	14¾	14⅜	14⅜
Union Pacific	11⅞	11⅞	11¾	11¾
Wabash, Pr.	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜
West. Union	88¾	88¾	88⅜	88⅜

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE PRICES.

	Op'ning.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.
WHEAT.				
May	58⅝	58⅞	53⅝	58⅞
OATS.				
May	32⅜	32½	32⅜	32½
January	29½	....	....	29½
CORN.				
May	49¾	50¼	49¾	50¼
December	46⅝	47⅛	46⅝	47⅛
January	47	47⅝	47	47½
LARD.				
January	6.85	6.85	6.82	6.85
May	7.10	7.10	7.05	7.07
PORK.				
January	11.85	11.85	11.72	11.80

Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations.

No. Shs.	Par Val.		Bid.	Ask
10	100	Scranton Packing Co	....	120
10	50	Providence & Abington Turnpike	75	....
5	100	Scranton Glass Co.	....	85
5	100	Traders' Nat'l Bank	110	....
1	1000	Mt. Jessup Coal Co.	500	....
10	50	Moosic Mount'n Coal Co	....	60
60	50	Lacka. & Montrose Railroad	....	50
10	100	Scra'n Savings Bank	175	....
25	100	Third Nat'l Bank	350	....
10	100	First Nat'l Bank	600	....
15	100	Lacka. Trust & Safe Deposit Co	130	....
400	50	Scranton Trac. Co.	....	10
30	100	Walker Automatic & Steam Coupler Co.	....	25
5	100	Suburban Elec. Light Co	....	100
30	100	Allegheny Lum'r Co.	....	110
2	500	Scranton Glass Co (Bonds)	450	....
8	100	Wyalusing Water Co (Bonds)	....	100
2	500	Stevens Coal Com'y (Bonds)	....	500
2	100	Scra'n Jar and Stopper Co.	....	70
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100	100	Lacka. Lumber Co.	100	....

New York Produce Market.

By the United Press.

New York, Dec. 15.—Flour—Steady. Wheat—Quiet, steady; No. 2 red store and elevator, 59½c.; afloat, 62c.; f. o. b., 60⅜a61½c.; ungraded red, 54a63c.; No. 1 northern, 68¼a68½c.; options closed firm; at ¼a¼c. below yesterady; January, 59⅝c.; February, 60⅜c.; March, 61⅝c.; May, 62½c.; June, 62⅞c.; July, 63⅛c.; December, 59½c. Corn—Dull, easier; No. 2 new, 53c.; old, 55⅝c. elevator; do. 56⅝c. afloat; ungraded mixed, 51½c.; steamer do., 56½c.; No. 3, 48⅜c.; options closed steady at ⅛c. decline to ⅛c. advance; December, 53½c.; January, 53⅞c.; May, 53⅜c. Oats—Dull; options dull, firm; December, 34⅛c.; January, 34⅝c.; May, 36⅛c.; No. 2 white, 38⅜c.; No. 2 Chicago, 35¼c.; No. 3, 38c.; No. 3 white, 38c.; mixed western, 34½a35½c. Provisions—Quiet, weak, unchanged. Lard—Quiet, lower; western steam, $7.15; city, 6¾c.; December, $7.15; January, $7.20; refined, quiet; continent, $7.60; South America, $7.90; compound, 5½a5¾c. Butter—Quiet, fancy steady; state dairy, 12a21c.; do. creamery, 17a23c.; Pennsylvania do., 17a25c.; western dairy, 10½a15c.; do. creamery, 15a24c.; do. factory, 10a16c.; Elgins, 24c.; imitation creamery, 13a18c. Cheese—Dull, unchanged. Eggs—Quiet, choice steady; state and Pennsylvania, 25c.; refrigerator, 17a21c.; western fresh, 24c.; do. per case, $2a4; southern, 21a23½c.; limed, 15a15½c.

Buffalo Stock Market.

By the United Press.

Buffalo, Dec. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000 head; on sale, 60 head; market steady; extra Christmas steers, $6a6.15; light steers, $3.40a3.85; fat bulls, $2.65a3. Hogs—Receipts, 13,000 head; on sale, 5,000 head; market easy; heavy Yorkers, $4.60; light, $4.50a4.55; good mixed packers, $4.55a4.60; stags, $3a3.50. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 10,000 head; on sale, 9,000 head; market steady; good mixed sheep, $2.50a2.75; choice, $3; extra heavy wethers, $4.25a4.65; native lambs, good to prime, $3.75a4.20; common to fair, $3a3.60; Canada lambs, $4.75a4.25; extra Christmas wethers, $4.75a6; very fancy Christmas wethers, $7a8.

Chicago Stock Market.

By the United Press.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000 head; market weak; common to extra steers, $2.90a6.25; stockers and feeders, $2a3.50; cows and bulls, $1.25a3.40; calves, $2a5. Hogs—Receipts, 24,000 head; market weak; heavy, $4.20a4.55; common to choice mixed, $4.20a4.50; choice assorted, $4.30a4.40; light, $4a4.30; pigs, $2.25a3.90. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000 head; market steady; inferior to choice, $1.25a3.25; lambs, $2.25a4.

Oil Market.

By the United Press.

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