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LEFT OVER OUR REGULAR FALL AND WINTER SELLING IN OUR CLOAK DEPARTMENT, AND THESE

Must Be Got Rid of.

WE NO LONGER QUOTE PRICES, BUT WILL CLEAN THE ENTIRE LOT.

Part of the Lot,

Or Single Garments

AT LESS THAN COST OF MAKING THIS IS

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In Cloak Selling

BUT WE ARE THOROUGHLY IN EARNEST AND WILL

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OUT WITHIN THE NEXT TEN DAYS, NO MATTER WHAT THE SACRIFICE TO US MAY BE.

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FOR NEXT SEASON, YOU NEVER HAD SUCH AN OPPORTUNITY AS THE PRESENT.

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STATE LEGISLATURE MEETS IN A CHURCH

Both Branches Are Provided With Comfortable Quarters. FLOOD OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS Discussion Over the New Capitol Causes Some Bitterness--Mr. Gobin Insinuates That Some One Has Been Bearing False Witness--Bills Introduced in Senate and House. Measures Passed Finally.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 8--The senate was called to order in the Sunday school room of Grace Methodist church at 9 o'clock this evening by President Pro Tem McCarrel. Immediately after the call to order Senator B. R. Mitchell, of Bradford, who has been detained at his home since the opening of the session by illness, was sworn in by Judge McPherson, of the Dauphin county court.

MEASURES INTRODUCED. The following bills were read in place: By Mr. Osbourne--To authorize the transfer of stock and bonds of corporations and the records of corporations to adopt, edit or compile a uniform series of text books to be used in the common schools of this commonwealth and providing the method of acquiring the right to issue and sell the same and the manner and time of introducing the same in said schools and regulating the printing and publishing thereon.

By Mr. Hertzler--Authorizing and directing the county commissioners of the several counties of the state to take, maintain and assume control of township bridges over thirty feet in length, providing for the rebuilding of any bridges which may be destroyed and the building of new bridges.

By Mr. Mitchell, Bradford--To regulate the location of burial grounds owned by cemetery companies and granting such companies the right to acquire the ground for burial purposes by adverse proceedings.

By Mr. Brown, Philadelphia--Appropriating \$92,500 to St. Luke's hospital, Philadelphia.

By Mr. Grady--Regulating and making certified copies of records and transcripts of proceedings before magistrates, justices of the peace, aldermen, burgesses and inferior judicial officers in the courts of record; making it a misdemeanor for persons to obtain or attempt to obtain positions of trust or solicitor by fraud, perjury, or other illegal means, and providing a penalty for the same.

By Mr. Brown, Lawrence--Relating to municipal claims and liens and proceedings thereon.

After the reading of bills in place Mr. Grady, after making an explanation in which he disclaimed any reflection on the governor in the matter of selecting architects, for the submission of plans for a new capitol building, moved that the vote on the Baldwin resolution, by which the resolution was amended and passed, be reconsidered. Mr. Kauffman, Lancaster, opposed it, and said that the motion to reconsider would throw suspicion on the matter. He hoped the motion would not prevail, but it was adopted. Then Mr. Thomas moved to strike out the words "by advertisement." On this Mr. Kauffman demanded the call of the yeas and nays, which resulted, yeas 18, nays 8. The resolution is now in the shape it came from the house originally, and that body will be informed that the senate has concurred in the resolution. In connection with the resolution Mr. Gobin said that any statement made that he had participated in any caucus on the measure was a deliberate falsehood. He denounced those persons who pretended to see a job in everything, and asserted they were usually the people who swayed a share in anything that looked suspicious.

TREATY DISCUSSED IN SECRET SESSION

The Traditions of the Senate Are Perturbed. SENATOR HILL ASKED FOR PUBLICITY Mr. Sherman's Diplomatic Appeal for Secrecy--Chances for Ratification of the Treaty Are Good--Its Only Opponents Appear to Be the Silver Men Who Supported the Bryan Ticket.

Washington, Feb. 8--By the decisive vote of 49 to 9 the senate this afternoon, after a discussion of almost two hours, voted not to consider the general treaty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain with open doors. Secrecy will be maintained, and the traditions of the senate will be perpetuated. The discussion of the day, which continued close on to 6 o'clock, showed that the chances for the ratification of the treaty are better than many of its friends supposed. The opposition, singularly enough, appears to be confined to the silver men who supported the Bryan ticket.

There was a deluge of resolutions. Mr. Stewart, Philadelphia, offered one providing for the equipment of Grace church with chemical fire extinguishers. Approved. Mr. McWhinney, Allegheny, got in one authorizing the placing of a flag on the church.

Mr. Williams, Bedford, succeeded in having a resolution adopted requiring the use of Pennsylvania materials in the construction of the new capitol and the employment of naturalized American citizens on the work.

Mr. Long, York, asked and was given permission on behalf of the funeral committee, to present resolutions on the death of Representative Cook, of Fulton.

Mr. Voorhees, Philadelphia, offered a resolution which was adopted providing for a committee of investigation, two of the senators and three of the judges, to inquire into the changing of the house resolution authorizing the governor to procure plans for the new capitol.

Mr. Keator, of Philadelphia, offered a resolution constituting the board of public buildings and grounds, in connection with the senate and house standing committees on building and grounds, a commission to draft a bill for the erection of a new capitol. Agreed to.

The house concurred in the senate's resolution thanking the congregation of Grace church for the use of the church.

IT HAS NO EXISTENCE. Judge Pennypacker Rules Against the McKinley-Citizens Party. Philadelphia, Feb. 8--Judge Pennypacker in the common pleas court today rendered a decision deciding that the McKinley-Citizens party of this city (the Quay wing of the Republican party) has no existence. The judge after stating that the McKinley citizens movement originated at a meeting of citizens on Sept. 29, 1896, when Alexander Crow, Jr., was nominated for sheriff, declares that it was "no part of their purpose or plan to organize a new political party."

ASKS \$10,000 DAMAGES. Towards Feb. 8--District Attorney James M. Colwell, to recover, yesterday began suit for \$10,000 damages against the Lehigh Valley Railroad company for alleged injuries to a locomotive which was derailed from a trestle at the Poconos station last September. He fell over a pile of tools and received sprains and injuries from which he has not yet recovered.

MEN OF PROMINENCE.

LORD SALISBURY, Prime Minister of England. IN A STORM AT SEA. Terrible Experience of the United States Warships--Several of the Crew Drowned.

Charleston, S. C., Feb. 8--The United States warships New York, Maine, Columbia, Amphitrite and Marblehead, arrived at Charleston bar this afternoon after a terrible experience with the storm Friday and Saturday. The officers are, as usual, unwilling to discuss their experiences, but it is known that both ships and men were in great peril. When the fleet was visited by a representative of the United Associated Presses this afternoon, it was learned that the actual loss consisted of four lives, eight men seriously injured and minor injuries to almost all of the vessels.

PITTSBURG BICYCLE RACE. Ten of the Starters in the Six Day Run Receive a Good Send Off.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 8--At 1 o'clock this afternoon the six-day bicycle race began in the Central rink. It was a very large, and the race, ten in number, received a good send-off. The track is twelve laps to the mile and was in good condition. All of the expected contestants except Harry Math, of Salisbury Park, N. J., were in place at the start. The list of starters and their records are as follows: Louis Gimm, Cleveland, 486 miles in 24 hours; Fred Forster, German, 1,929 miles in 42 hours; Frank Waller, Germany, 874 miles in 49 hours; George Van Emburg, Arlington, N. J., 1,401 miles in 42 hours; Albert Shoek, New York, 1,786 miles in 42 hours; Charles Ruckelshaus, Allegheny, no official record; Geo. Lewis, Pittsburg, no official record; Andrew Johnson, Long Island, no official record; Louis Hall, Philadelphia, no official record; Clement Turville, Philadelphia, no official record.

EXPENSIVE DETECTIVES. Tax Payers Object to a Bill of \$22,000 for Catching a Criminal.

Susquehanna is Rising. Columbia, Pa., Feb. 8--The situation here this evening is not very encouraging. The water in the Susquehanna is rising a foot an hour. An ice gorge has formed against the stone piers of the bridge, which was destroyed by a torrid last September, and at the dam and at McCall's Ferry, backing up the water. The lumber yard and extensive industrial establishments along the river are in great danger of heavy loss.

Drowned in a Mill Race. Lancaster, Pa., Feb. 8--The body of Cyrus Longenecker was found in the mill race in Penn township tonight. He left Manheim borough for his home Saturday night and had occasion to cross a dam above a mill race. The night was dark and stormy and the supposition is that in feeling his way across the bridge he fell into the race and was drowned. He was 45 years of age, a bachelor and was worth \$5,000.

Correspondent Seovel's Case. Washington, Feb. 8--Consul General Lee telegraphs the state department that Correspondent Seovel, arrested in Panama, will be brought to Havana, reaching there Friday night, and he apprehends no difficulty in the case. It is thought here that Seovel will be expelled from the island after a brief imprisonment pending examination.

Major McKinley's Callers. Canton, O., Feb. 8--Major McKinley had 120 callers today, and it begins to look as if he would have to take measures to limit the number. Among them were Auditor General Mylin and State Treasurer Haywood, of Pennsylvania, and William H. Reiff, of Norristown.

THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

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SINGERS BESIEGED BY COWBOYS. Columbia Opera Company Terrorized for Three Hours.

Verdict Against a Doctor. New York, Feb. 8--The trial of the suit brought by Frederick L. Colwell to recover \$50,000 damages from Dr. Charles A. Tinker for the alienation of the affections of his wife, Geneva, L. Colwell, was finished today. The jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for the full amount claimed. Mr. Colwell charged that his wife had been guilty of immorality in connection with Dr. Tinker, the family physician.

New Work at Hazleton. Hazleton, Feb. 8--The Jeaneville Iron works have received an order for new pumps for the Delaware and Hudson Canal company, of Scranton. It will require ten weeks to fill the contract, and will furnish employment to a large number of idle men.

River Thames Still Rising. London, Feb. 8--Although the rains stopped last Friday, the Thames river continues to rise. Serious floods are reported throughout the valley. The Windsor race course and the playing grounds at Eton are submerged.

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THE HERALD'S WEATHER FORECAST. New York, Feb. 9--In the Middle states today, partly cloudy to fair. Fresh westerly to northwesterly wind, preceded in the morning by light local rain or snow on the coast. On Wednesday, fair to partly cloudy, slightly colder; followed the afternoon by rising temperature, increasing cloudiness.