PARDON GRANTED THE LAST REBEL

Political Disabilities of Col. Simms Are Removed.

MR. GROW TALKS ON OKLAHOMA

Makes Extended Remarks Concerning the Free Homestead Measure. Mr. Richardson Seeks Information. Pension Bills Passed in the Senate. Senator Daniel Will Read Washington's Farewell Address.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The open session of the senate today lasted for only half an hour. Two conference reports on pension bills were agreed to—one giving $50 a month to the widow of General Stoneman and the other $75 a month to General Julius Stahl. Senator Daniel (Democrat, Virginia), was designated as the reader of Washington's farewell address next Monday—an observance introduced by Mr. Hoar (Republican, Massachusetts), some years ago when Senator Ingalls, of Kansas, was presiding officer pro tem., and when he was, as such, designated as the reader. His splendid elocution has never been equalled on a like occasion since.

Possibly the last of the "unreconstructed rebels" was pardoned today in the person of Colonel D. E. Simms, of Kentucky—the senate passing a bill to remove his political disabilities.

At 12.30 p. m., the senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business—the arbitration treaty— and did not adjourn until 8 p. m.

MR. GROW'S VICTORY.

Another appropriation bill was taken up in the house today, but little progress was made. The measure was that carrying appropriations to supply deficiencies for the current fiscal year and prior years. It encountered its

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first snag when Mr. Grow (Republican, Pennsylvania), insisted that he had a right to speak as long as he wanted to on it. This proposition was discussed for some time and resulted in a victory for the venerable Pennsylvania member who devoted some extended remarks, not to the appropriation bill, but to the Oklahoma free homestead measure.

Then a long discussion was started by Mr. Richardson (Democrat, Tennessee), over an item to pay special attorneys for defending suits against the United States.

Mr. Richardson wanted to know the use of paying attorneys to defend such cases when the judgment given against the United States, particularly in claims under the Bowman act, were never paid. Many members spoke with regard to the propriety of opposing the Bowman claim, but when the afternoon was nearly over the discussion was dropped. The bill was not finished at 5 o'clock when the house took a recess for three hours.

Tonight the house discussed private bills.

AVOCA.

Postoffice hours on Monday will be from 9 to 10 a. m. and from 6 to 7 p. m.

The Heptasophs will meet in regular session on Monday evening.

The Juvenile Order Sons of St. George will meet this evening.

There will be a union rally at the Primitive Methodist church this evening. A large delegation from Pittston will be present. Mrs. Blandy will conduct services and will continue her labors during next week.

Mrs. John Lally, of Olyphant, has returned home after a few days' visit at the residence of her parents.

Mrs. H. M. Steever and Miss Jennie Newlin have returned home after a few days' visit at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Brown, of Peckville.

A large trolley party left here last evening to spend the night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tyrell, of Forty Fort.

The elateddfod on Monday promises to be a very successful affair. The committee have worked earnestly and have secured excellent judges who will award the prizes to the best talent only. Choirs from Taylor, Pittston, Scranton, Plymouth and Nanticoke have reported. Music will be furnished by Miss Norma Williams.

Mrs. J. Gallagher, an aged lady of the North End, was seriously burned on Tuesday evening by the explosion of a lamp, which she was carrying in her hand while descending the stairs. Her head and face was terribly burned and but little hopes are entertained of her recovery.

Miss Kate Taylor has returned home after a few days' visit at the residence of her sister on the West Side.

Miss Bertie Lee, of Tunkhannock, is visiting friends in town.

The Avoca and Florence Coal companies will pay its employes today.

Patriotic exercises will be conducted in the borough schools on Monday morning. The following programme will be rendered at the High school: Opening song, "America," school; presentation of Washington's portrait, Tillie Clifford; essay, "Washington's Childhood," Agnes Clifford; poem on Washington, Margaret Dixon; solos, Robert Golden, Kate Murphy, Celia McGlynn; "Death Bed of Benedict Arnold," John O'Malley; "Washington as a Statesman," Annie Aikman; song, "A Flag of a Resolute Nation," school; "Washington as a Soldier," Margaret Healey; "The Revolution," Sadie Campbell; "Our Flag," Martin King; "Washington as President," Alice Campbell; "Character of Washington," Mary Burns; "Historical Relics," Celia McGlynn; "Washington's Rules of Civility," Lizzie Green; address, Robert Golden.

BUSINESS MORE HOPEFUL.

Large Increase in Iron and Steel Trade, and Better Demand for Other Goods Encourage Buyers.

New York, Feb. 19.—R. G. Dun & Co. will say tomorrow in their weekly Review of Trade:

A large increase in the iron and steel business on account of sales covering eight to twelve months' production of the largest works, a better demand for woolen goods, and slightly better for cottons, a gain which may prove lasting in boots and shoes, slightly better prices for wheat, cotton, wool and iron and a money market well adapted to encourage liberal purchases against future improvement in business, have rendered the past week more hopeful than any other since early in November. The heavy excess of merchandise exports over imports in January, the continuance of exchange rates showing that Europe is still largely indebted to this country on current account and the prospect that congress will adjourn without any disturbing action, all have their favorable influence upon the money market, and upon future undertakings. In nearly every branch, the great iron and steel industry feels the upward impulse supplied by purchases of steel rails, said to be half a million tons each from the Illinois Steel company and from the Carnegie company, besides some from other companies, in part as low as $15 per ton, about 100,000 to foreign purchasers at $17 to $18, but all recent sales at $20 at eastern and $21 at western mills. These enormous orders have advanced Bessemer pig at Pittsburg only 15 cents per ton, with grey forge a shade lower there, and no considerable change appears in finished products.

The sales of wool have sharply declined. The larger mills have acquired full supplies for the present, and at any advance of prices they appear ready to drop out of the market. The demand for woolen goods does not seem to have expanded materially and no quotable change in prices has appeared during the week. Wheat dropped to 80.75, but rose to 83.25. Receipts of corn have been nearly double those of last year. The volume of business is not accurately represented by clearing house exchanges, owing to the extra holiday this year at some commercial centers. But the daily average appears to be 3.4 per cent. smaller than last year. The railroad earnings begin to show improvement, being 9.7 per cent larger than last year for the second week of February.

Failures for the past week have been 303 in the United States, against 280 last year, and 583 in Canada, against 66 last year.

OLYPHANT.

Johnnie, the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Weaver, of Delaware street, was painfully injured yesterday afternoon. The boy was given a cartridge by a companion which he lit with some matches. In an instant there was an explosion resulting in the loss of two of his fingers.

A birthday party will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, of Blakely, Tuesday evening, March 9, for the benefit of the Presbyterian church.

Last night the council room was filled with citizens interested in the borough electric plant. The proposition which was made to the councils the other night in relation to the new electric plant was again read by Borough Attorney O'Malley, after he had finished reading it he was closely questioned by the members of the council, who did not seem inclined to favor the proposition. A motion was made by Mr. Curran, seconded by Mr. O'Halloran, that the proposition be laid on the table until the supreme court decides the legality of the bonds. The meeting then adjourned.

A sacred concert will be given at the Father Mathew opera house tomorrow evening by Dr. James P. Morgan and company. Dr. Morgan will deliver an illustrated lecture on "The Life of Our Saviour." During the lecture a number of mechanical effects will be introduced, among them being, "The Ascension of Our Saviour," "The Rock of Ages," "Faith," "Crowned by an Angel." The concert is for the benefit of St. Patrick's parochial academy.

Miss Frieda Harris, of Scranton, was entertained by friends in town yesterday.

Episcopal services will be held in St. George's mission in Edward's hall, Blakely, tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Sunday school at 3 o'clock. Rev. Rogers Israel, of Scranton, will conduct the services.

Rev. Peter Roberts leaves today to spend Sunday in Pittsburg, where he will occupy the pulpit in one of the Congregational churches.

Mrs. D. Y. Davis and Mrs. Mary Owens spent yesterday with relatives at West Scranton.

Mrs. P. H. Murrin, of Carbondale, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Farrell yesterday.

HAWLEY.

The twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kevling, of Blooming Grove, was celebrated on Thursday. A large party of their Hawley friends were in attendance.

A warrant was issued Monday by 'Squire Curtis for the arrest of Joseph D. Frisby, charging him with assault and battery upon the person of Horace Chapman. He was brought before the Justice on Tuesday by Constable Armstrong and waived a hearing upon entering bail in the sum of $100 for his appearance at the next quarter session term of court.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Tuttle pleasantly entertained about sixty guests at their home on Nineteenth street, Wednesday evening. Music and various games were the features of amusement. Refreshments were served and the coterie dispersed between one and two o'clock.

The entertainment given by the Young People's society of the German Lutheran church Wednesday evening in Mannerchor hall was witnessed by a packed house. The characters comprised only small children who, under the proficient training of F. W. Scholm, acquitted themselves in a commendable manner. The programme consisted of shadow pantomines and a harvest drill. The latter, in three acts, was rendered by sixteen little folks, who were attired in true farmer style. Refreshments were served at the close of the entertainment and about $65 were netted.

A large delegation of Odd Fellows from Freedom lodge, No. 88, of Honesdale, visited Wangem lodge, No. 448, on Wednesday evening. The second and third degrees were worked after which the visiting brethren were served with an elegant lunch in the dining room connected with the hall. A smoker was also enjoyed and the visitors took their departure at 11.30 o'clock well pleased with Hawley's hospitality.

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MARKETS AND STOCKS.

Wall Street Review.

New York, Feb. 19.—The stock market was duller than ever today, the transactions, 106,100 shares being the smallest total for any day this week. The business was almost entirely for professional account. In the early trading the tendency of prices was downward. The continued heaviness of the coal stocks exercised an adverse influence. The Grangers were lower for a time. The greatest decline was in New Jersey Central, which yielded two points. The other losses were ½ to ⅝ per cent. Later in the day firmness prevailed and prices recovered ⅛ to 1⅜ per cent all along the line. The general market closed barely steady in tone. Net changes show gains of ¼a⅝ per cent., except Jersey Central, which lost ⅝ per cent.

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	Opening.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.
Am. Tobacco Co.	71½	72¾	71	71¾
Am. Sugar Re'g Co.	114	114¼	113½	113⅞
Atch., To. & S. Fe.	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼
At., To. & S. Fe., Pr.	22⅞	23⅜	22⅞	23
Ches. & Ohio	16¾	17	16¾	17
Chicago Gas	76⅝	76⅞	76⅝	76¾
Chic. & N. W.	104	104	103¾	103¾
Chic., B. & Q.	74	74⅞	73⅞	74½
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	75¼	75⅝	75	75⅛
Chic., R. I. & P.	66⅝	66¾	66	66¼
Del. & Hudson	107	107¼	107	107⅜
D., L. & W.	152½	153¾	153⅜	153¾
Dist. & C. F.	14	14	13½	14
Gen. Electric	33⅝	34½	34	34½
Lake Shore	155¼	157	155¼	157
Louis. & Nash	49	49¼	49	49
M. K. & Texas, Pr.	30½	30½	29½	30½
Manhattan Ele	87	88	86⅞	87¼
Mo. Pacific	19¾	20¼	18⅞	20⅛
Nat. Cordage	8½	8¾	8½	8⅝
N. J. Central	97¼	97¼	95⅞	96
N. Y. Central	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾
N. Y., S. & W.	9	9	9	9
Nor. Pacific	14¼	14½	14¼	14½
Ont. & West	14½	14⅝	14½	14⅝
Omaha	48½	49	48½	49
Pac. Mail	25¼	25¼	24⅝	24⅞
Phila. & Read	24⅜	24¾	24	24⅛
Southern R. R.	9	9	9	9
Southern R. R., Pr.	27¾	28¼	27¾	28¼
Tenn. C. & I.	26¾	27½	26¾	26⅞
Union Pacific	7	7⅛	7	7
Wabash	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Wabash, Pr	15⅝	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞
West. Union	82	82⅞	81⅞	81⅞
W. L.	1½	1½	1	1
U. S. Leather	8	8	8	8
U. S. Leather, Pr.	56¾	58¼	56½	57¼
U. S. Rubber	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE PRICES.

	Opening.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.
WHEAT.				
May	75¼	76½	75⅛	76⅜
July	71½	73	71½	73
OATS.				
May	17⅛	17⅜	17⅛	17⅜
July	18	18¼	18	18¼
CORN.				
May	24⅛	24⅜	24	24⅜
July	25⅛	25½	25⅛	25½
LARD.				
May	4.00	4.10	4.00	4.05
July	4.17	4.20	4.12	4.12
PORK.				
May	8.05	8.12	8.00	8.02

Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations—All Quotations Based on Par of 100.

STOCKS.	Bid.	Asked.
Scranton & Pittston Trac. Co.	...	20
Scranton Lace Curtain Co.	...	59
National Boring & Drill'g Co.	...	80
First National Bank	650	...
Scranton Jar & Stopper Co.	...	25
Elmhurst Boulevard Co.	...	100
Scranton Savings Bank	200	...
Bonta Plate Glass Co.	...	10
Scranton Packing Co.	...	95
Lackawanna Iron & Steel Co.	...	150
Third National Bank	350	...
Throop Novelty M'f'g. Co.	...	90
Scranton Traction Co.	15	17
Scranton Axle Works	...	80
Weston Mill Co.	...	250
Alexander Car Replacer Co.	...	100
Scranton Bedding Co.	...	105
Dime Dep. & Dis. Bank	145	...
Colliery Engineer	110	...
Lacka. Trust & Safe Dep. Co.	135	...
BONDS.		
Scranton Pass. Railway, first mortgage due 1918	110	...
People's Street Railway, first mortgage due 1918	110	...
Scranton & Pittston Trac. Co.	...	90
People's Street Railway, Second mortgage due 1920	110	...
Dickson Manufacturing Co.	...	100
Lacka. Township School 5%.	...	102
City of Scranton St. Imp. 6%.	...	102
Mt. Vernon Coal Co.	...	85
Scranton Axle Works	...	100
Scranton Traction Co.	...	95
Economy Steam, H. & P. Co.	...	100

New York Produce Market.

New York, Feb. 19.—Flour—Easy, unchanged. Wheat—Dull, stronger; f. o. b., 90c.; ungraded red, 72a91c.; No. 1 northern, 86¾c.; options active and strong at 1a1¼c. advance; February, 83¾c.; March, 82¾c.; April, 83⅜c.; May, 82c.; June, 81⅝c.; July, 79¾c.; September, 77c. Corn—Quiet, firmer; No. 2, 29⅝c.; elevator, 30⅜c. afloat; options were dull and firm; February, 29¾c.; May, 30¼c.; July, 31⅝c. Oats—Quiet, stronger; options dull, firmer; February and May, 21½c.; July, 22¼c.; spot prices No. 2, 21¼c.; No. 2 white, 23½c.; No. 2 Chicago, 22¼c.; No. 3, 20¼c.; No. 3 white, 21¾c.; mixed western, 21a23c.; white do., 22a30c.; white state, 22a30c. Provisions—Steady, unchanged. Lard—Stronger; western steam, $4.20; city, $3.80; May, $4.35; refined dull; continent $4.45; compound, 4a4½c. Butter—Steady, unchanged. Cheese—Firm, steady, unchanged. Eggs—Firm; state and Pennsylvania, 19½c.; ice house, case, $2.25a3.30; western fresh, 19c.; southern, 17½a18¾c.; limed, 12½a13½c.

Philadelphia Provision Market.

Philadelphia, Feb. 19.—Provisions were in moderate jobbing demand and steady. We quote: Beef hams, $18.25a18.75, as to age and brand; pork, family, $16a11; hams, S. P. cured, in tierces, 8¼a9¼c.; do. smoked, 9a10½c., as to average and brand; sides, ribbed in salt, 4½a4¾c.; do. do. smoked, 5¼a5½c.; shoulders, pickle cured, 5¼a5½c.; do. do. smoked, 6½a6¾c.; picnic hams, S. P. cured, 5a5½c.; do. do. smoked, 6a6½c.; bellies, in pickle, according to average; loose, 5a5½c.; breakfast bacon, 6½a7½c., as to brand and average; lard, pure, city refined, in tierces, 4¾a5c.; do. do. in tubs, 5a5¼c.; do. butchers', loose, 4c.; city tallow, in hogsheads, 3c.; country do., 2½a3c., as to quality, and cakes, 3½c.

Chicago Grain and Provision Market.

Chicago, Feb. 19.—The leading futures ranged as follows: Wheat—February, 73⅝a74⅛c.; May, 75¼c.; July, 71½a73c. Corn—February, 22½a22⅝c.; May, 24½c.; July, 25⅛a25½c. Oats—February, 15½a15⅝c.; May, 17⅛a17⅜c.; July, 18a18¼c. Mess Pork—May, $8.05a8.08½; July, $8.22a8.15. Lard—May, $4a4.05; July, $4.10a4.12½. Short Ribs—May, $4.12½a4.12½; July, $4.20a4.20. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—Quiet and steady; prices unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 73⅝a75½c.; No. 3 do., 70c.; No. 2 red, 84¼a86½c.; No. 2 corn, 22½a22¾c.; No. 2 oats, 15½c.; No. 2 rye, 32c.; No. 2 barley, 32c.; No. 1 flaxseed, 74½a77c.; timothy seed, $2.50; mess pork, $7.50a7.65. Lard—$3.90a3.97½; short ribs, sides, $3.95a4.25; shoulders, $4.50a 4.75; short clear sides, $4.25a4.37½; whisky and sugars unchanged.

Buffalo Live Stock.

Buffalo, Feb. 19.—Cattle—Steady; light butchers, $3.80a3.85; medium, $4.30; old to fat cows, $2.25a3.10; bulls, $2.65a3. Hogs—Active and higher; good to choice Yorkers, $3.80a3.85; mixed packers, $3.70a3.75; heavy, $3.65a3.70; pigs, $3.70a3.75. Sheep and lambs active and 10a15 cents higher for lambs; steady for sheep; prime lambs, $5.20a5.35; common to good, $4.60a5; culls, $3.55a4.40; mixed sheep, choice to extra, $3.90a4.10; fair to good, $3.50a3.80; culls and common, $.75a3.40.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500 head; market steady; common to extra steers, $3.50a5.40; stockers and feeders, $3.15a4.25; cows and bulls, $1.85a3.80; calves, $3.25a6.25; Texans, $2.50a4.30. Hogs—Receipts, 22,000 head; market 5a10 cents higher; heavy packing and shipping lots, $3.40a3.60; common to choice mixed, $3.40a3.62½; choice assorted, $3.50a3.65; light, $3.50a3.65; pigs, $3.30a3.65. Sheep—Receipts, 7,000 head; market active and strong; inferior to choice, $2.50a4.25; lambs, $3.50a5.25.

Oil Market.

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(Signed) J. P. HIGGINSON, Secretary.
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