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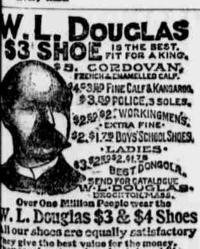


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NEWS FROM THE CAPITOL

NATIONAL AFFAIRS.

Items of Interest About the City of Washington.

The majority of the special committee of the house appointed to inquire into the causes of the prevailing agricultural de-pression, has prepared a report in which it

says:
"While the value of property owned by the American farmers has decreased in thirty years from nearly one-hall of the total wealth in 1850 to less than one-fourth in 1830. wealth in 1860 to less than one-fourth in 1830, of which 30 per cent, is now under mortgage—taxes have steadily increased, and debts now require four times the labor to be paid off than was then required. The purchasing capacity of the dollar to secure the farmer's land and his produce has increased jourfod, while the power to pay his taxes and debts have remained at a standstill. In 1873 wheat sold from \$1.55 to \$2.25 a bushel. In New York in 1894 it sold at 50 cents.

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Discussing the causes of the depression the committee says: "Class legislation of the worst character encumbers the statute books and has been carried on to the detriment of agriculture and its dependent industries for 30 years, cuisimating in the crime of the age—the demonstration of silver in 1873. Silver builion today has the capacity to pur-chase as much wheat, cotton, pork, and corn and land, and every other commodity, that it over had, therefore the depreciation of every article under the sun with one single excep-

tion—the gold of Shylock.

The tariff system is declared to be unequal and condemnation is directed against the sale of futures on stock exchanges, "where the grain gamblers grow rich by farming the telegraph wires and seiling wind; while the honest and industrious tollers on the prairies

reap the whiriwind."

To secure relief we suggest: That silver should be remonetized at the ratio of 16 to 1; should be remonetized at the ratio of 16 to 1; a bounty on exported agricultural staples should be allowed, similar to that on tish in 1813, and for which John C. Cathoun voted that gambling in futures should be prevented by law; that a national pure food law should be enacted. A minority report is being prepar-

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United States Consul Murphy, of Luxemburg, in a report to the state department, outlines the scheme of a national labor exchange, which has proved dependent in that grand duchy in facilitating the employment of labor. It was instituted in 1892, and every pestoffice co-operates in the transmission of offers and applicants for employment between wage-payers and wage carners. Offers and applications are addressed to the nearest postmaster on special postal cards. nearest postmaster on special postal cards, and the applications are registered. The list are publically posted in all postoffices, in railway stations, hotels and public houses. The postoffice assumes no responsibility in the business beyond the transmission and posting of application and others. The postmaster informs an applicant by pestal card when an offer of employment is received. A statement attached shows that during two years there were received through this system, 1904 applications for employment, and 1,701 of these applicants secured places. During the sametime \$514 employes applied for help, and engaged 4,427 persons.

The Next Congress

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The two propositions that are liable to take up most of the time of the next Congress will be the annexation of Hawaii and the building of the Nicaragua Canai. Both of these will be enthusiastically supported by the Republicans, who will rely upon them to create a spirit of lingoism in the land which they expect will aid them in the Presidential campaign. These propositions will also be used to ward off any attempts at silver legislation.

legislation.
The silver men will, of course, attempt to make a great deal of campaign capital in the first session of the next congress, but it has been remarked recently that the sober, conservative element in the country is being finally aroused on this free coinage proposi-

LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

A bill has been introduced in the Indiana legislature, which taxes the gross receipts of Indianapolis street car companies 5 per cent, the resulting revenue to go to the credit of the park fund of that city. The first propo-sition was to make the tax 15 per cent but was subsequently reduced to 5 per cent. The bill has already passed the lower branch of

The Oklahoma house rassed Representa-tive Little's bill for the promotion of athletic sports: which allows sparring matches and prize fights. The council has been polled and will pass the bill as unanimously at the house, where only two votes were against it. This will open the territory to Corbett and Fitzsimmons, and any other national champions without fear of interference.

What is known as the "common drunk bill" has passed the Assembly at Albany. It provides that all habitual drunkards shall serve cumlative sentences on each arrest, and provision is also made for the identification of a person convicted of intoxication within two years of his or her arrest. The second sentence is to be double that of the first, the third double that of the second, and so on. As the bill is now interperted the sentences cannot be doubled after a lapse of two years of sobriety by any one person.

The Georgia legislature has enacted a law prohibiting the running of freight trains on Sunday, except to carry perishable freight.

Missouri has a bill before the legislature to prevent people from shipping green water-melous for ripe ones.

Governor Matthews vetoed the Indiana Legislative Apportionment Bill because of its unconstitutionality. The House passed the measure over the veto.

The bill to grant full municipal suffrage to women in Massachusetts was defeated in the lower legislative body by a vote of 127 to 87. The motion brought out an immense audience of women and occasioned lively debate by

A resolution offered in the Illinois legislature charges that corruption exists in every department of the city of Chicago and Cook

The Gerry bill to re-establish the whipping post for wife beaters passed the New York senate unamiously.

The Oklahoma house passed a bill pro-hibiting the manufacture or giving away of cigareties, or cigarette paper in the territory under penalty of \$500 fine, one-half of which is to go to the informant.

The woman's suffrage bill has passed the Maine house by a vote of 80 to 55. It has yet to pass the senate.

The New Jersey senate defeated Senator Roger's bill making it a misdemeanor for any public school teacher to wear any garb, in-signia, emblem or marks indicating that such teacher belongs to any sect or religious

A bill prohibiting pool selling and bookmaking except upon race courses during the racing season has passed both houses of the Misson i legislature.

Legation Accountant Arrested.

Manuel Almaz, accountant and interpreter to the Argentine legation in Washington, D. C., was arrested at the request of Minister C., was arrested at the request of Arinster Zebalios, on a charge of empezzleing \$2,600 of the funds of the legation. Almagro con-fesses his guilt. He says he lost a large sum belonging to the legation on the streets last November, and tried to make it up by gamb-

TELEGRAPHIC TICKS.

After weeks of wrangling the Nieholson bill to regulate the liquor traffic has been passed by the Indiana senate by a vote of 39

Ex-President Harrison, after a week of iliness that threatened at one time to take a dangerons turn, is rapidly recovering and will be able to be out in a few days,

Investigation shows that Buffenbargen's estate in Brazil is worth \$16,000,000, instead of \$8,000,000, as first stated. It will be divided soon. Mrs. John Crawford, of New York city, will get \$1,000,000.

Two men armed with only a repeating shotgun, robbed the Adel State Bank at Adel lows, after shooting the cashier and a merchant who was in the bank and slightly wounding a number of people on the street. They were pursued and one was captured. The other refused to give up, and was shot

Mrs. Vanderbilt Divorced. Justice Barrett, of New York, issued a decree of absolute divorce in the suit of Mrs. Alva E. Vanderbilt against William K. Vanderbilt. The decree awards the custody of the children to Mrs. Vanderbilt, it being provided that they shall be educated in the Luited States.

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It is said that the break between Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt came at the close of the yachting trip on board the Valiant last summer, during which, it is alleged, Mrs. Vanderbilt was subjected to indignities in the presence of their friends that made it impossible longer to defer action. It is alleged that Vanderbilt's relations with Miss Neustretter were so openly paraded by him with the purpose of forcing his wife to take cognizance of them. Vanderbilt's friends assert that prior to this yatching trip his behavior toward Mrs. Vanderbilt had always been considerate, and that he had before that time conducted himself in an exemplary ime conducted himself in an exemplary manner. They assert that he had no affec-tion for Mis- Neustretter and was in no sense fascinated by her.

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