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Revenue Legislatisn.

The greatest interest centers in what the coming session will do with regard to the National revenues says the National Tribune. Everybody admits that something must be done, for it will never do to have the Government running deeper in debt, by several million dollars a month, as it has done ever since Mr. Cleveland entered office, No one can deny that, in addition to being a severe blow to our home industries, the Wilson Iniquity has beech a failure as a revenue getter. The best demonstration of this is the astounding increase in the National in debtedness, in a time of profound peace, and under an Administration pledged to the most rigid economy. When Mr. Cleveland entered office, March 4, 1893, the bonded debt of the United States had been reduced to \$585,034,160; It is now, less than four years later, \$817,261,560, an increase of \$202,-330,200. This is an average deficit of of more than \$62,000,000 a year. by any means. There are large deficits which have been concealed under the jugglery of Treasury bookkeeping, and carried along until they can be unloaded on the next Administration. All that we have to show for this is a few millions exnended on our Navy, and for some large guns. It is part of this enormous penalty we have had to pay for surrendering the control of the country to the "same old gang."

In the last session the Republicans made an honest and praiseworthy effort to change this discreditable condition, and arrest the progress of the Government toward bankruptey, by passing in the House what is known as the Dingley Bill. For the sake of the country they temporally abandoned their ideas of correct tariff legislation, and accepted the Wilson Iniquity, jp so far as to try to amend it till it would give a sufficioucy of revenue. It was distinct ly an emergency measure and its operation was limited to two years. one of which is now gone.

It restored wool, lumber, and some other things to the dutiable list, at about six tenths of the Mc-Kinley duty and made a general advance of 15 per cent, on the rest of the list. This was a very reasonable step. For example, wool would receive a protection of between 6 and 7 cents a pound. Hay, which had been protected by a duty of \$1 a bale under the McKinley Law, and cui down to \$2 a bale by Wilson, would get \$2.3), and so on. This, it was calculated, would increase the revenues about \$50,000,000 a year. It was reasonably expected that the Democrats would vote for this because it was merely an amendment to the Wilson Bill on the lines that they themselves laid, and the Republicans would support it on patriotic grounds. The Republicans passed it in the House by a large majority, the Democrats generally voting against it.

It could only pass the Senate by a concurrence in its favor of all those who were genuinely desirous of lift- health. ing the Treasury out of its predicament. Unfortunately it did not find enough of these to succeed. Reereant Republicans under the lead of Senator Teller, were much more anxious to foist Free Silver on the country than do something sensible and needful. The bill went to the Finance Committee, and was reported back with all but the enacting elause stricken out-every word about revenues and duties-and a Free Coinage Bill substituted. It was as gross an insult, to the common sense of the country as the Senate ever offered. Senator Morrill made two earnest efforts to get the original bill before the Senate. The first was made Feb. 11, and defeated by a vote of 29 to 51. The second was defeated by 33 to 22, That is the legislative status of the bill to-day. It can be taken from the calendar and passed whenever a majority of the Senate desires to do so. If the election has taught Teller, Cannon, Dubois, Mantie, etc. anything they may consent to allow the bill to come up, and vote for it, and Middleburgh, Pa., Dec. Sth., 1896.

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then go ahead with their Free Silver agitation afterward. It is now believed that the President will sign the bill, if sent to him.

There is another strong reason why the Dingley Bill should be passed now. The certainty that a tariff bill imposing higher duties on foreign goods will be passed as soon as the next Congress can get at it, will induce foreigners to ship in immense quantities of merchandise which will be put in storage. This, while taking work and wages away from our own people, will not in-crease the revenues. The prompt passage of the Dingtes Bill will diminish and retard this. It will, also, by putting the finances in a bealthier shape, give more time for the consideration of a sound, well matured bill to replace the present mass of incongruities, injustices and

But whether or not the Dingley Bill is passed it is now regarded as very likely that President McKinley will immediately call an extra session of Congress, which will take efficient steps to put the country on a sound financial basis.

No Honest Ones in Union.

Among the other things the editor of this week's Middleburgh Post pays a glowing tribute to "an honest horse trader." With the confidence This does not tell the whole story, that comes with married life George is getting so credulous that he will soon be too green to burn. "An honest horse tradec!" Where is my dynamite gun !- Lewisburg News.

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The Monroe Township Mystery.

Coroner Rothrock of Mt. Eleasant Mills called at our office on Monday to give us a truthful statement of the sudden and mystericus death of a man at the residence of Benjamin Costley (colored) in Monroe town township, Nov. 18th. He said in substance: The man's name was Rufus Phillips, whose residence was probably in the vicinity of Bing hampton, N. Y. He had with him a violin and a bottle of medicine and was about 65 years of age. An inquest was held at midnigut succeed ing his death by Esquire Fiss. At the request of numerous citizens Coroner Rothrock made a careful examination. The Coroner employ ed Dr. B. F. Wageuseller of Seliusgrove and the two made a careful examination of the heart, stomach, entrails, etc. and m the brain was found an effusion similar to an apoplectic stroke which both physici in s decided was the cause of the death. The expense of this autopsy was not the fault of the Coroner. He did simply what the law required. No blame tests on the Costleys or any one else as the death was due to natural causes

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.... Work in the ore-mines h resumed. They are being a on a pretty extensive scale Smith sold his house and lets Dreese. The former will be his new residence immedia Mrs. Howard Mitchell is Tshoid fever . . . H. I. Romit a Specialty Cellar Furnace is Brower at Lewistown Mt. accompanied by John Stray it up" last week Harrey man made a business trip to bury on Saturday.

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Meeting is still in progress, Grace church... The sale of Meiser, deceased, which we held on the 28th of November postponed until the lot be F. Weaver, the progressive Meiserville is the happy fac-brand new boy, We wish gratulate him....Mrs. Refs. sey of Meiserville is very a internal complaints ... The ers' Institute of this town still in progress. The a seem to be more intensity meeting. May the good r kept up during the while

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