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The continued fault finding of the Democratic politicians and press over the large pension list has led an exchange to remark: The Pension Appropriation bill now before Congress appropriates \$185,000,000, the largest sum ever carried in an appropriation measure. This enormous total is due to Democratic efforts to destroy the Union, and the Democratic party is responsible for every dollar of it.

Work for your favorite teacher.

The dispensary system of controlling the liquor traffic which is maintained in Clark county, Ga., has proved a success from at least a pecuniary point of view. From this plan the county, operating through an agent, is the sole vendor of intoxicants within its borders. The report of the agent for last year shows that \$55,000 was spent in the purchase of liquor, which yielded a gross return of \$75,000. The net profit was \$14,000. The social effect of this system is not stated. It is not probable, however, that the dispensary idea will be adopted north of Mason and Dixon's line.

A BILL has been introduced into our State Legislature providing for the purchase by the state of the ground upon which Washington's army encamped at Valley Forge. Two hundred and fifty acres of land constitute the historic spot, and an appropriation of \$50,000 is needed to secure the property. It is proposed to convert the place into a public park and to reserve from decay as far as possible the remains of the forts and intrenchments reared by the patriot army. In order to encourage the project still further to public support it is designed that the park shall be used as a camping ground for the National Guard of this state. The bill has received the cordial endorsement of numerous social, historical and commercial societies of this state. It is a measure for encouragement of patriotism, and should be passed.

We learn wisdom from experience, if not our own experience that of others. It is a conceded point that the ravages of cholera in Europe last year were generally in proportion to the sanitary or sanitary condition of the localities in which it manifested itself. While in cities in which thorough sanitation was observed there were only sporadic cases, in filthy cities, such as Hamburg, it not only secured a firm foothold, but swept away thousands of those who were most exposed to the influences of the many unclean spots in that city. The moral is obvious. If we would escape such a calamitous dispensation, Hamburg's example must not be imitated. We must grant no mercy to uncleanness in street, lane, alley or house, and everything that has a tendency to foster the plague should be removed, no matter where found. This is no time for halting or hesitation in the matter. The frost and snow are with us, and we are still in what may be termed the midst of winter; but spring is approaching, and in a few weeks in the ordinary course of Nature's workings we shall have warm weather. Let us now take the needful precautions, nor defer them until too late.

The plague of breaking lamp chimneys is abroad in the land. There are two sorts of chimneys; brittle and tough. Ninety-nine in a hundred are brittle. The worst are imported from Germany. The best are Macbeth's 'Pearl-top' & 'Pearl-glass.' Two sorts as to workmanship; fine and coarse. The fine are Macbeth's 'Pearl-top' and 'Pearl-glass.' The coarse are rough and out of proportion; misfits and misshapen; they do not make a good draft; they smoke.

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SOLDIERS ENCIRCLE KANSAS' CAPITOL

Gov. LeWelling Threatens to Drive the Republicans from the House To-day.

HE CALLS OUT THE ENTIRE STATE MILITIA.

Fearing that the State Will Not End Until Blood is Shed Gov the Republicans Entered an Entrance into the House, After Being Barred Out by the Populists' Action of the Douglas House Endorsed.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 10.—The political situation here has reached a crisis. An open conflict is now believed to be inevitable.

The bitterness engendered between the opposing parties during the session and since the organization of two rival Houses of Representatives may be riven out with blood.

Violence has already been resorted to. The Republican House, which was barred by armed Populists from the Hall of Representatives, has taken forcible possession.

The Populists have temporarily abandoned their places in the Hall and adjourned until 1:30 today to await the outcome of executive interference in their behalf.

Gov. LeWelling has issued a proclamation calling out the entire State militia.

When the Republicans went to enter the hall of Representatives yesterday they found the doors had been barred.

The Republican leaders soon determined to force an entrance and sledgehammers were secured for this purpose.

They were used to such effect upon the doors of a side entrance leading to the hall that they were soon demolished and the members of the Republican House filed quickly through and entered the hall.

Had the Populist House been in session a conflict would surely have resulted, but fortunately the Populist House was not in session at the time.

As soon as it became known by the Populists what had occurred, Governor LeWelling was notified.

He promptly called out the militia and instructed them to proceed to the hall and eject the members of the Republican house from the floor.

The soldiers started on their mission. The Republicans being informed of the action of the Governor, held a hurried conference to determine upon what course of action to pursue.

No definite plan was decided upon but individual Republicans went to work trying to induce the Santa Fe Railroad to call out its flag bands to oppose the militia in ejecting the Republicans from the hall.

Other incentives that were known to be in sympathy with the Republicans were also used to furnish men for the same purpose.

Down stairs the Populists were notified. Charles C. A. local militia company which A. J. Gen. Artz had notified to stand in readiness, was already on the ground and orders were telegraphed to Holton and Marion for companies D and G.

While these warlike preparations were going on the Republican House was making a show of business, but nobody took any interest in the proceedings, until Mr. Rife of Cook, arose and said that it was his duty to call the efforts of Speaker Douglas should be recognized by his brothers and be desired to present to him in the name of the House the instrument which he had used to call the House to order.

As he said in the presence of the speaker he drew the big sledgehammer which he had used to help effect an entrance into the hall of the House, and while he afterwards used in rapping the House to order.

This was the signal for more cheering, and when Douglas received it from the hands of the speaker he held it aloft, the members stood up and shouted, and when Douglas used it as a gavel the members fairly danced.

The Populists, anticipating the events of the day, attempted to throw the burden of the situation on Sheriff Wilkinson, of this county.

The Governor informed him officially late in the afternoon that rumors, apparently well founded, were in circulation to the effect that a lawless mob (the Republican House of Representatives) contemplated the forcible invasion of the Hall of the House of Representatives, and called upon him to summon a sheriff's posse to prevent such lawless invasion and to preserve the peace.

Speaker Danmore, or the Populist House, sent the following to Sheriff Wilkinson: "Sir—I hereby call on you, as sheriff of Shawnee county, for sufficient force to preserve the peace and authority of the House of Representatives."

The sheriff after taking legal advice refused to comply with the demand of the Governor and the Populist Speaker and notified them that if there was a House of Representatives legally organized it was closed with the power to appoint a Sergeant-at-Arms who would have all the power necessary to call to his assistance any number of citizens necessary to enforce the authority with which he was invested by the House; that he did not wish to decide which House is the legally organized body and should take no part as long as the peace and quiet of the citizens remained undisturbed.

This reply of the sheriff determined the Governor to call out the militia and after the Republicans made forcible entrance to Representative Hall, he wired the commanders of the various companies to repair at once with their commands to the scene of hostilities.

The various companies which had been drawn up about the State House according to the ideas of the individual commanders were given positions at the four main entrances to the capitol on its four sides.

Squad of men were posted at all the basement entrances. Sentinal lines were thrown out, and the situation assumed a really military aspect.

The forces were divided into three parts, each to remain on active duty eight hours, while the other two, while being held in reserve, were permitted to obtain rest and refreshments.

This plan was adopted to aid in carrying out the general plan of a siege.

The Populist leaders now to turn the issue by an assault upon the Republican position in Representative Hall, but to

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

Get Out the Biscuits for Souvenirs. CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 10.—The coroner has held an inquest over the body of the negro lynched Tuesday night. The verdict says that the deceased came to his death at the hands of persons not known to the jury. After the inquest persons who were standing around the body took their knives and hacked the bullets from the corpse to keep for souvenirs. There is great excitement among the negroes.

Held in Jail for Larceny. WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 10.—Thomas R. Millikin, of Cincinnati, who claimed to represent in a theatrical way the "Latest Separation Company," was arraigned for larceny before Judge Ball yesterday and held to \$1,000 bail. Millikin's scheme was to advertise for girls to join the theatrical company, secure money from them, and skip.

Wisconsin in Favor of Association. MADISON, Wis., Feb. 10.—A joint resolution was offered in the Senate yesterday favoring the annexation of the Hawaiian islands. In the Assembly a bill was introduced to prohibit the sale of cigarettes under the penalty of \$35 fine or 30 days' imprisonment.

The Crease Strikes California, Too. SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—A bill was introduced in the House yesterday prohibiting the wearing of hoopskirts and providing a penalty for violation of the law.



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