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A ROW IN THE HOUSE.

The Hawaiian Message Leads to a Scene of Confusion.

RESOLUTIONS FOR AND AGAINST.

Mr. Boutelle Wants the Administration Denounced and Mr. Cockran Wants the Alleged Hawaiian Invasion Investigated. Neither Resolution Acted Upon.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—In the senate yesterday the long looked for message from the president as to the relations of this government and this country to the Hawaiian islands was received, and its reading was listened to most attentively. A request by Mr. Chandler (N. Y.) for the reading of the instructions of Mr. Willis led to a debate of an hour's duration, and they were finally read. The message and accompanying documents are now before the senate, the pending question being on the motion of Mr. Hoar (Mass.) to refer them to the committee on foreign relations. The senate also listened to a small speech by Senator Hansbrough (N. D.) in advocacy of a bill for the destruction of the weed known as the "Russian thistle," or cactus. A long speech by Mr. Dolph (Ore.) in favor of the protective tariff system closed the day.

The fight over the Hawaiian matter in the house followed fast and furious on the heels of the reading of the Hawaiian message. The message was read from the clerk's desk. Most of the members having already acquainted themselves with its contents paid little attention to it. At the conclusion of the reading of the message many of the Democrats applauded vigorously. Half a dozen Republicans, among them Mr. Hilt, Boutelle and Hepburn, arose quickly and addressed the chair. On the other side Mr. McCreary and Mr. McWilliams also arose and amid the confusion of voices loudly calling on the speaker for recognition the speaker calmly referred the message and accompanying documents to the committee on foreign affairs.

The deep, loud voice of Mr. Boutelle above the din forced the speaker to recognize him, and he called for the reading of the instructions to Minister Willis. Mr. Boutelle claimed that it was wrong for the speaker to take advantage of a misconception as to the nature of the message which his (the Republican) side of the house understood to be a reply to the resolution passed by the house.

Mr. McCreary made the point of order that Mr. Boutelle was out of order, and the speaker supported this view of the case. Mr. Boutelle, however, still insisted that he had a right to call for this information, and finally the speaker said that, while he did consider it a question of right, he would ask that consent be granted for the reading. This was given, and the instructions were read. At several points the Democrats applauded. Then followed a wild scene. Mr. Boutelle again rushed into the breach. Waving aloft a resolution, he shouted that as the message and instructions clearly disclosed the fact that the executive had transgressed the prerogatives of congress he would move the adoption of the resolution. He would send it to the clerk's desk.

A chorus of objections from the Democratic side drowned Mr. Boutelle's words, and the speaker informed him that debate was not in order pending the reading of the resolution. He called upon Mr. Boutelle to send the resolution up. The latter evidently misunderstood the speaker, and vehemently insisted on his right to state his question of privilege. The chair ruled him out of order, pounding the desk vigorously and recognized Mr. Cockran. A storm of Democratic applause greeted the speaker's ruling. Mr. Boutelle was not annihilated. An instant later he retaliated by objecting to the consideration of Mr. Cockran's resolution. The greatest excitement prevailed.

A motion was made to go into committee of the whole to resume consideration of the urgent deficiency appropriation bill, and was put by the speaker amid such confusion and cries for recognition from Mr. Reed, Mr. Boutelle and others that the speaker was forced to call on the sergeant-at-arms to preserve order. When quiet was restored again, against the protests of the Republicans, the speaker declared the motion carried. Mr. Boutelle demanded the ayes and nays, and as the clerk began calling the roll the confusion subsided and the house had a breathing spell.

Mr. Boutelle's resolution was as follows:

Whereas, the executive communications just read to the house clearly declare that the rights and dignity of the house of representatives as a co-ordinate branch of congress has been invaded by the executive department in furnishing secret instructions to a minister plenipotentiary of the United States to conspire with the representatives of a deposed and discredited monarchy for the subversion and overthrow of the established republican government to which he was accredited, and to which his public instructions related, pledged the good faith and sympathy of the president, the government, and the people of the United States, therefore,

Resolved, That it is the sense of this house that any instructions by the executive of the United States, its civil or military representatives without the authority of congress in the internal affairs of a friendly recognized government to disturb or overthrow it and to aid or shet the establishment of a monarchy, is contrary to the policy and traditions of the republic and the letter and spirit cannot be too promptly or emphatically reprobated.

Mr. Cockran's resolution was as follows:

"Whereas, It appears from the message of the president just an attempt has recently been made by the executive department of the government to affect a change in the territorial limits of the United States without any consultation with the house of representatives and without making any stipulation or provision for obtaining the consent of the house;

Resolved, That a committee of seven members be appointed by the speaker to examine into the rights, powers, privileges and duties of the house of representatives on all questions and proceedings affecting or involving the territorial integrity of the United States and to report their conclusions as to the nature, extent and character of such right, forms and privileges and duties, together with such recommendations for the defense of the same as may seem proper and expedient.

The Republicans refused to vote on the motion to go into committee, and it resulted in 174 to 0, no quorum, and at 4:55 the house adjourned.

After the speaker had adjourned the house Mr. Boutelle tried to call for a division. As he saw the speaker descend from the rostrum he began to shout, amid the jeers and hootings of the galleries. But the confusion was so great that not a syllable he uttered could be heard.

Blown to Bits by Dynamite.

HENDRICKS, W. Va., Dec. 19.—Homer Houston, a celebrated Baltimore contractor, was blown to pieces by dynamite last night. Houston, with an assistant, was engaged in thawing out a can of dynamite, when it exploded.

THE DISTRESS IN PATERSON.

Public Spirited Citizens Providing Measures of Relief.

PATERSON, N. J., Dec. 19.—Not since the the silk industry became the principal dependence of this city has there been so widespread destitution in this city. The mills have either been idle or running on short time for months, and now many of the big mills have shut down until spring. Other branches of business followed the silk trade. The work at the locomotive and structural iron works is almost at a standstill. The result is that those who have been depending on those shops for their living, and almost every one in Paterson has been, are now in want.

The situation is growing desperate, and steps have been taken to relieve the most urgent cases. A committee of ministers, merchants and manufacturers has been formed, and will superintend the work of relief. They are meeting with considerable success, although merchants and manufacturers have difficulty in obtaining enough money to continue business. Besides furnishing food and clothing to the men out of work, the committee will provide coal stations in different parts of the city, and those needing fuel will be furnished. The organization of the committee has been made permanent until spring, when it is hoped there will be a resumption of business.

McKane Still at Liberty.

BROOKLYN, Dec. 19.—John Y. McKane who has been sentenced to Kings county jail for contempt of court, is still at liberty. After the sentence Judge Cullen issued a stay, and would have heard the argument yesterday, but for the fact that he had been designated by the government to sit in special oyer and terminer. Judge Cullen, therefore, turned the stay proceedings over to Judge Pratt. That official declined to have anything to do with the case. When Judge Cullen was informed of Judge Pratt's unprecedented action he set down the hearing for 2:30 p. m. At that hour he heard the opening of the case and then adjourned it until today.

A Desperate Anarchist Arrested.

PARIS, Dec. 19.—Jacques Merigean, a militant anarchist, was arrested here yesterday. When the police arrived at his lodgings they found that he was in bed. When he was partially clothed he suddenly drew a dagger that he had had concealed in a pocket and sprang upon Police Commissary Bernard, who was in charge of the officers. The latter, however, was too agile for him, and before he could do any harm he was overpowered and handcuffed. A search made of his room resulted in the finding of a quantity of explosive material.

Rhode Island's Governor Arbitrating.

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 19.—The outlook in the strike district today is much brighter, and the executive committee believes a settlement will soon be reached and the mills started up. Yesterday Governor Brown visited the mill district and conferred with Messrs. Fletcher and Farwell, of the Providence National and Saranac mills. The governor said he desired to obtain information by which he could have a good understanding of the situation and make suggestions. It is believed he will effect a satisfactory compromise.

Anarchist Threats in Germany.

BERLIN, Dec. 19.—A hundred anarchists, some of whom were recently liberated from prison, met at Weissenze, near this city. The speakers openly denounced the Social Democrats, and the mention of the names of Ravachol, Pallas, Vaillant and other anarchists who have taken part in outrages was received with prolonged applause. It was declared by the speakers that the doings of these men were mere child's play compared to what will be done in the future.

The Danbury Hatters.

DANBURY, Conn., Dec. 19.—The trouble among the hat makers still continues. It was generally expected that the shops of Beltrire, Lursch & Co. and Brothwell & Co. would be open yesterday. They were not, however, and it is not believed that they will be for some days. The manufacturers say that if hat making does not show more signs of life the first of the year than it does at present they will not open their shops even independently.

Lynched by His Own Race.

ADELE, Ga., Dec. 19.—A negro boy named Will Ferguson was assaulted on the street, a leather strap placed about his neck and a pocket handkerchief crammed down his throat. He was then dragged outside of the corporate limits and carried into a swamp and left. He was found in the morning in a half nude condition and dead. It is supposed that he was killed by other negroes whom he informed against for gambling.

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A REMARKABLE SCENE IN COURT.

Juror Lowe, Moved by the Eloquent Plea of Lawyer Brooke, Suddenly Goes Insane, and the District Attorney Says It Will be Impossible to Get Another Jury.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The trial of Dr. Henry C. F. Meyer came to an abrupt conclusion in the court of oyer and terminer yesterday. One of the jurors, Alexander B. Lowe, was so affected by the address of the attorney for the defense and weakened by a previous lapse of mental strength that he was seized with acute dementia in the jury box and was subsequently removed to the insane ward of Bellevue hospital. This compels the abandonment of the case, as the district attorney deems it impossible to obtain another jury in this county.

The case was resumed at the opening of the court by the summing up of Mr. Brooke, of counsel for the defense. Mr. Brooke opened his address in a manner which was placidity itself. His voice was low. In that tone he called attention to the fact that the chemist, Doremus, had required twenty months in which to prepare his report. The voice of Mr. Brooke rose gradually, and he introduced a few gestures as he said the defendant had been charged with having poisoned Brandt with antimony. Then he said the opportunity for the prosecution to convict a man was so great while the opportunities for defense were so little.

"Somewhere in the early part of July," he said, "a coroner of this city received from Dr. Winston, not an officer of the law, but a physician of the Mutual Life Insurance company, an invitation to call upon him. The coroner called, and at once the suggestion was made as to why the body was to be disinterred. And at once the coroner went ahead without the proper authority and gave the undertaker the permit to do the work. It was Winston who directed everything. Two days afterwards the organs had been removed from the body. Schultze obtained the formal permission for his action. For a year after the disinterment of the body no effort was made to arrest this defendant."

He then proceeded to dissect the testimony of Muller, the accomplice of Meyer in the case. Muller, he said, told one of the most frightful stories ever heard in court. Under the ceiling of a court room no such creature ever told such a story. Justice holds its hands up in horror and says: "Pause and reflect before taking the life of a fellow on the testimony of such a creature as that." Muller, he said, had told of his own degradation in a supercilious manner, as if he were telling some entertaining story to a crowd of friends in a barroom.

It was while the lawyer was dissecting Muller's testimony that Juror Lowe was attacked. The man seemed to be very much affected by the plea of the lawyer. His hands twitched, and as the speaker proceeded the juror's head moved till, finally his head was swaying from side to side, his lips moved as if muttering, and his eyes rolled. Mr. Brooke paused and asked: "Mr. Lowe, are you ill?"

"No, there's nothing the matter with me. I'm all right," replied the juror, but his voice was thick and articulation seemed difficult.

Mr. Nicoll repeated the question. The juror tried to reply again but got no further than "no," when he threw up both hands, stiffened out straight in his chair and then collapsed.

Drs. Carpenter and Minden, who came to the rescue, reported to Justice Barrett that Juror Lowe was suffering from cerebral congestion and would not be able to return to the consideration of the Meyer case at once, if ever. An adjournment was ordered.

Meantime Dr. Carlos F. MacDonald, state commissioner in lunacy was sent for to examine Juror Lowe and determine whether he is mentally fit to go on with his duties as a juror. Dr. Dana was selected by Justice Barrett to act with Dr. MacDonald.

It was ascertained after the trial had been closed that the juryman had once been confined in Bloomingdale asylum for the insane. This fact was made known to counsel and the judge when the panel was completed, but Lowe denied that he had been in the asylum, and so he was by consent of Judge Barrett and counsel on both sides allowed to retain his seat in the jury box.

Grip Epidemic in Allentown.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Dec. 19.—Physicians here report a general prevalence of grip, most of the cases being mild. One death has occurred thus far, that of William A. Ziemgenfuss, aged 20, who died yesterday.

STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations of the New York and Philadelphia Exchanges.

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