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Spirited debate was occasioned in the Senate by the introduction of a bill by Mr. Tillman authorizing the interstate commerce commission to fix maximum rates. Mr. Foraker declared that the bill proved that its author believed the present law sufficient to correct all transportation evils except excessive rates. Mr. Tillman responded that he had thought the present laws adequate until the investigation begun by Judson and Harmon into the Santa Fe case had ended in a miserable fiasco. The Panama Canal emergency appropriation bill

was received from the House, and after

considerable discussion, during which the

high salaries paid employes was criti-

tion Committee by a vote of 40 to 23. The death of the late Senator Mitchell of Oregon was not mentioned during the session and the erasure of his name from the rolls follows. Announcement of committees was made in the House. A resolution was passed slightly increasing the membership in several important committees, owing to the fact that the membership of the House has grown from 356 to 386. Mr. Lamar (Fla.), a 36 years old, was born in Cincinnati, Democrat, who with Mr. Shackleford (Mo.) had been left off the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, was stopped from voicing open criticism of Mr. Williams, the minority leader, only by the latter's strong objection. Mr.

The Senate on Tuesday passed a bill authorizing the Rock Island, Arkansas and Louisville railroad to construct bridges across the Ouachita and other streams in Arkansas.

of sympathy for the Russian Jews.

In the Senate Wednesday Mr. Allison presented the report of the committee on appropriations on the Panama canal bill, giving notice that he would call it up for consideration Thursday. A commu- will be made in June, Mr. and Mrs. nication from Secretary Shaw saying Longworth will go abroad, making that only a few small campaign contributions had been made by national banks was read. A controversy over committee appointments in which Mr. Lamar (Fla.) and Mr. Shackleford (Mo.) bitterly attacked Mr. Williams (Miss.) in Washington. They will live there The subject under discussion was the in the White House, although a later committee distribution of the annual residence in Cincinnati, Mr. Longmessage of the President, which was not worth's home, is contemplated. completed when the House adjourned.

or sleep. Her head and body was a separate bill regulating the Isuance of Grant to Algernon Sartoris. mass of sores, and she despaired of re- bonds for the canal and placing them covery. Finally, after spending hun- on the same basis as other government dreds of dollars on doctors, growing bonds was passed without debate. A worse all the time, living in misery pure-food bill was reported by Mr. Hey- Personal Characteristics of the Men burn. Mr. Elkins made a statement from the committee on interstate comnual message regarding insurance regu- some face, though a strong one, which The way to insure a good appetite in fers the question to the ways and means often carries his hands in his coat pock-A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. power. After a number of long speeckes evidently interesting each the other imthe House adjourned.

National Capital Notes.

as Russia does.

district attorney of Chicago for full term cabinet. of four years.

spread, as Congress shows no disposition to modify exclusion act. John Sharp Williams, minority leader of the House, prevented washing of

Democratic linen anent committee appointments.

race prejudice; riotous scenes marked ington. He has only one dissipationexercises in chapel. Secretary of War in annual report

showed condition of army and recomcoast artillery force.

Commissioner General Sargent of immigration bureau said in annual report that influx of aliens into America is nation's gravest problem.

Events in the Wat Indies and South the administration; trouble in Venezuela, glad he doesn't resemble him. Santo Domingo and Brazil,

tie up statehood bills is believed to be mustache. part of his political policy.

A petition from ex-Queen Liliuokalani asking for the payment of \$10,000,000 to her has been presented to the Senate by Vice President Fairbanks.

Luke E. Wright, Governor of the Philippine Islands, had a conference with the Secretary of War concerning pany were burned at Yatesville, Pa.

matters in the archipelago. The board of trustees of the Carnegie institute has elected Prof. Welch of Johns Hopkins university, Baltimore, a

John Hay. Chicago extension of the pneumatic tube mail service to include Lincoln park, Carpenter street, O. D. Pilsen and mended.

Attorney General Moody instructed subordinates whenever possible to prosecute railroad officials and shippers who violate rebate law for conspiracy and send them to jail.

Postmaster General Cortelyou, in annual report, called Chicago postoffice notable example of lamentable deficiency in certain essentials; deficit held less im-

portant than efficiency. The Philippines tariff committee of the Merchants' Association of New York, at the War Department made an argument for a modification of the Philip- i Ballantine, a young millionaire of Newwine tarin on cotton goods

PRESIDENT'S DAUGHTER TOWED

Engagement of Miss Alice Roosevelt and Mr. Longworth Announced. The President and Mrs. Roosevelt have made formal announcement of



Alice Lee, to Nicholas Longworth, of Cincinnati, Representative in Congress from the First District of Ohio. It was announced also that the wedding will take place about the middle of Feb-

ruary. While arrangements for the wedding have not been made, it is MISS ROOSEVELT. probable it will occur at the White House.

Miss Roosevelt and Mr. Longworth cised, it was referred to the Appropria- have been the subjects of pleasant and friendly gossip for several months, especially since the gallant Congressman's faithful attendance on Miss Roosevelt during the recent journey to the Orient. Miss Roosevelt will be 23 next February, speaks nearly all the European languages fluently, and is the country's most popular young woman. Congressman Longworth is and is serving his second term in Congress. He is a

graduate of Harvard, an alumnus of the Cincinnati Law School, and Sulzer (N. Y.) introduced a resolution before going to Washington served in both houses of the Ohio Legislature. He is quite wealthy. The family fortune came down from his paternal great-grand father, a pioneer of Cincinnati.

The bridal trip their first stop at London, where they will be the guests of Ambassador Reid. Upon their return to this country the Longworths will make their residence took up nearly all the time in the House. as long as President Roosevelt remains

Miss Roosevelt's wedding will be the first at the White House since Presi-The Senate Thursday discussed the dent Cleveland was married there. Panama canal emergency appropriation The last daughter of a President marever saw. She was hardly able to eat bill, but did not come to a vote. A ried in the White House was Nellie

THE PRESIDENT'S ADVISERS.

on Whom He Relies.

Wilson and Hitchcock are the chums merce expressing the opinion that the of the cabinet. They often go away committee would report a rate bill with- from the cabinet meetings together. recommendation in the President's an- pearing of the secretaries, with a handlation occupied the House again without is well set off by his white hair and a conclusion. The pending resolution re- mustache. Wilson never smokes and committee, and in its defense Mr. Payne ets. Hitchcock generally lights a cigar argued that the only way Congress could as they start out, and they talk quietly control insurance was through the taxing and seemingly without animation, though

Moody is a little shorter than the President, stocky, looks the athlete, has Speaker before national conference a well-knit form, a ruddy face, and said America treats child toilers same walks well. He rides with joy and sits on his horse as if he grew in the sad-Charles B. Morrison will be appointed dle. He is the only bachelor in the

Root, slender, intense, with keen, intellectual face and eyes that sometimes China's American boycott likely to smolder, sometimes flame, was not popular when he began as Secretary of War. but as Secretary of State he now knows better how to get along with the correspondents and every one else.

Cortelyou, black-eyed, handsome, neat, reserved, but never discourteous, will Negro students at Howard university always seem the accomplished chief rebelled against President accused of clerk to some of the old-timers of Wash-

Bonaparte always dresses in black. His big head rolls from side to side mended addition of 5,000 men to sea when he walks, and the Bonaparte smile -who hasn't read of it?-is always in evidence. His walk is long and swinging and he seems to be nervous when he sits. He doesn't look like a Frenchman-in fact, the blood he has inherited from the Bonapartes isn't French at all, but Corsican. He doesn't often talk America are watched with anxiety by of his royal ancestor, and is said to be

1 Metcalf is so quiet that he is known Senator Foraker's bolt of President as the modest Secretary. He is a good-Roosevelt's rate program and threat to looking chap with graying hair and

Brief News Items. The Hamburg Vitrified Brick works

at West Hamburg, Pa., were destroyed by fire, the loss being \$50,000. Five double blocks of houses belong-

ing to the Reading Coal and Iron Com-Two American young women have been expelled from Prussia for lese ma-

jesty. They talked about the Kaiser. The Japanese budget estimates the to member of the board in place of the late 'tal expenditures at \$515,000,000. Of this \$400,000,000 is the outcome of the war.

The new statue of Camille Desmoulins, recently unveiled in Paris, shows the oretor dressed in garments that did Douglas park station, and Dearborn not come into fashion until after his street depet to cost \$149,838, is recom- head dropped into the basket. It has been removed for alterations.

Milwaukee leather men are stirred up over the alleged manipulation of the hide market by the packers and are demanding relief in the shape of a removal of the duty on hides.

Creditors of the Colonial Brass Company of Cleveland, Ohio, petitioned the United States District Court to have the concern declared bankrupt. liabilities are said to be \$85,000.

James S. Hawkins, an insurance man, has been arrested at Charlottesville. Va., charged with blackmailing R. D. ark, N. J, who committed suicide.



The report of the Commissioner of Pensions shows that during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1905, the total number of pensioners on the roll was 1,046,627, and the number remaining on the roll at the end of the year was 998,441, a net gain of 3,679 over the previous year. The gains to the roll during the year were 49,859 new pensioners, and 2,006 restorations and renewals, a total of 51,865; of this number 188 were pensioned by special acts of Congress. The losses to the roll during the same time by death were 43,883, and from other causes 4,303, a total of 48,186, a net gain for the year of 3,679. The pension roll at the close of the year contained the names of 717,158 soldiers and sailors, 280,680 widows and dependents, and 603 army nurses. The disbursements for pensions by the United States from July 1, 1790, to June 30, 1865, were \$96,445,-444.23. During the year 164 indictments were found and 113 convictions secured on account of violations of the pension laws. The report shows that of the persons convicted only 16 are believed to have had any military service. The names of 5 pensioners of the Revolutionary War are still on the roll-1 widow and 4 daughters. The only surviving pensioned soldier of the War of 1812 died May 13, 1905, but the roll contains the names of 776 widows of soldiers of that war.

The work of the life-saving service for the last fiscal year is summed up in a report of General Superintendent Kimball to the Secretary of the Treasury. The life-saving crews saved and assisted in saving 464 imperiled vessels and their cargoes, beside affording assistance of more or less importance to 667 other vessels, including craft of all kinds, making a total of 1,141 vessels to which aid was furnished. No less than 365 disasters to documented | Boston Herald. vessels occurred during the period stated, involving the lives of 4,089 persons, of whom twenty-seven were lost. The estimated value of vessels and cargoes affected was \$10,320,660, of which \$7.917.385 was saved. Sixty-three vessels were totally lost.

The report of the Commissioner of Education contains much interesting and valuable statistical information relative to education in the United States: "The number of pupils enrolled in the common schools during the year," the report says, "was 16,256,038, the same being 20.01 per cent of the entire population as estimated by the census bureau-viz.: 81,241,246. The average daily attendance for 1904 was 11,318,256, the same being 69.6 per cent of the total number enrolled. This is the largest average attendance in proportion to the number enrolled ever reported in the United States. The average monthly wages of teachers was \$50.96 for males and \$41.54 for fe-

"If customs receipts continue to come in at the rate which has prevailed since June 30, the total for this fiscal year will be the greatest in the customs business of the country," declares Assistant Secretary Reynolds of the Treasury Department. "Up to this I had taken three boxes I was cured time the largest customs returns were in 1903—more than \$284,000,000." To the end of last month they were \$124,-906,109, against \$110,278,693 on Nov. 30, 1904. Mr. Reynolds further pointed out that not only would the present deficit be entirely wiped out by the end of next June, but there would be a surplus, if customs receipts kept coming in at the present rate.

The forestry service of the Department of Agriculture has begun an investigation of wood distillation as a method of utilizing woods in logging and at the mill. The forestry service announces that the application of wood distillation to the utilization of waste material both from the lumber mills and from the cut-over coniferous forests of the South is beyond question, and that any mill waste which is rich in resinous products can be used. In many cases even the roots as well as the stumps may be used for distillation, thus lowering the cost of clearing land for agricultural purposes.

The Keep commission in its investigations has reached the crop-reporting bureau of the Agricultural Department, of which no new chief has been appointed since John Hyde's departure. The proposal will be urged that the bureau be done away with, its 150 clerks transferred under the civil service to other bureaus in the department, and its work assigned to the weather bureau and census office. Both of these perform a service now which, if properly combined, practically would duplicate that of the cropreporting bureau.

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Commissioner Warner has made recommendations to Secretary Hitchcock for the promotion of about 100 clerks in the pension bureau and the reductiou in salary of about twenty-five others. The employes who are to be reduced are generally old persons, who are claimed to be not so efficient as formerly and yet who have rendered such faithful service that it is not considered just to separate them from the ser-

Lawyers.

I have seen something of legal practice on both sides of the Atlantic, and my opinion is that our profession would gain immenely by combining the two branches pretty much as they are combined in the United States and Canada, says a writer in the London Saturday Review. It is obvious that the solicitors would profit by such an agreement. They would have the right of audience in an courts and the opportunity to qualify themselves for promotion to the bench.

In America the young lawyer goes into an office, where he makes his merit known by steady attention to business. There will always be two kinds of lawyers-those who stay in their offices, dealing directly with clients and attending to matters of routine, and those who advise on points of law and argue cases in court. These two orders of men are clearly distiguished in America, but they work together as partners to the great advantage of the client.

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About the time he wanted the fifth match Noble said: "I don't begrudge you the matches, Jed, but I think it would be cheaper for you to put a grate in your pipe and burn coal."-

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