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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 1917.

REPUBLICAN CITY TICKET.

For Mayor, JAMES H. GALLEY; For Clerk, HENRY F. COOLIDGE; For Councilmen, FRANK WURDEMAN, First ward, J. A. BERRY, Second ward, J. E. BOFFMAN, Third ward, CLAYTON C. GRAY.

Ma. GLADSTONE is the freshest, liveliest most thoroughly up-to-date "back number" existing in the world today.

TAKEN in moral force in the good name of an administration. The Spanish authorities on Friday released three more Americans held as prisoners in Havana.

OMAHA barbers are discussing the question of having a tax on whiskies, on wool, on hair, or on hair wash.

MISS BRANTICE HARRIS of Plattsmouth, a bright little girl six years old, is pronounced a musical prodigy.

HON. JOHN C. LUTHERAL, past department commander of New Hampshire, will be the candidate of the Grand Army of that state for commander-in-chief at the Thirty-first national encampment at Buffalo.

KANSAS gets the fourth assistant postmaster generalship, the place that does the work with the fourth-class postmasters.

WILLIAM T. ADAMS, the well known writer, who under the pen name of "Oliver Optic," has entertained by readers for more than a generation.

FRANK QUINN, one of five young toughs of Omaha, has confessed that the gang set fire to bars with the intent of burning alive John Schumley, who was the principal witness against them for stealing a calf.

THE fire drill for schools has again proved to be a good thing. Recently in New York city a school building containing 1,800 children, was discovered to be on fire.

JUDGE MAXWELL, congressman from this district, introduced a bill in congress providing for a bounty to be paid on sugar beets in this country.

THAT old statesman, John Sherman, much maligned by anti-republican would-be's whose only mission on earth is to roar and kick, is the author of the 1890 anti-trust law which has again been recognized by the supreme court.

Tax residence of Jacob Ada, fifteen miles east of Newcastle, Tennessee, was burned Tuesday night of last week, and scorched the ruins the next morning found the mutilated bodies of the whole family.

EXCITING DAY IN HOUSE

Democrat Block Proceedings by Demanding a Quorum.

JOHNSON DEFIES THE CHAIRMAN. Speaker Reed called in to restore order. Ways and Means Committee Offer General Amendments—Jerry Simpson Reads a Statement Defining the Position of the Populists—Washington News.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Monday was by far the most exciting day the house has witnessed since the tariff bill began. The proceedings throughout were of a lively order and several times bordered on the sensational.

At this point Mr. Dingley moved the approval of the journal, and after one hour and 15 minutes delay it was ordered, yeas 229; nays 1. On resumption of consideration of the tariff bill Mr. Dingley announced that the ways and means committee had several amendments to offer.

Mr. Strother (Silver Rep., Colo.) inveighed against obstruction, declaring that the failure of the tariff bill in the house or senate would be the most disastrous blow that could be struck at silver. The tariff bill should be passed and the issue clearly drawn between gold and silver.

A somewhat sensational scene occurred at this juncture, which necessitated the summoning of Speaker Reed from his room. Mr. Johnson (Rep. Ind.) entered an exceedingly vigorous protest against the irrelevant discussions with which the tariff bill was being taken up.

Mr. Simpson offered some amendments which were ruled out of order. He also had read a long statement which he said defended the position of the Populists toward the tariff. It stated the effect that the tariff has had on the financial condition of the country.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Before turning to the arbitration treaty the senate Monday gave an hour to routine business in open session. Resolutions were agreed to by Mr. Pettigrew, asking the secretary of the interior for information relative to President Cleveland's sweeping order establishing forest reserves.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The secretary of state has sent the following identical note to all maritime powers, about 30 or 35, inviting them to send warships to participate in the ceremony, April 7, when the Grand National Monument association will formally deliver to the city of New York the tomb of General Grant.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The comptroller of the currency has granted authority for the organization of the Omaha National bank of Springfield, Mo., capital, \$100,000.

LONDON RUMOR IS PREMATURE. Reported that the president will appoint General Wood as ambassador to the United States. The rumor is premature.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—From central injury in official circles here it appears that any statement that the president has determined to appoint specially Mr. Wood as ambassador to the United States is premature.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—General Peyton Wood died this morning. He was a nephew of the late General Henry A. Wise, a brother of ex-Oregon Governor George D. Wise, and was a member of the Confederate re-entrance here last summer.

CLAYTON C. GRAY, in order to secure the necessary majority in congress, the chairman has telegraphed to their respective governments to send an additional 600 men each. They have decided to comply therewith.

POSITION OF POPULISTS

Their Representatives in Congress Issue an Address.

OUTLINE PARTY TARIFF POLICY. Say the Country Has Always Suffered Hard Times When There Was a Contradiction of the Money Volume. No Matter Whether There Was High or Low-Interest Rates.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—A joint caucus of the Populist members of the senate and house was held last evening to discuss the course of that party toward the tariff bill. As a result an address was issued, which says that the tariff has been the battleship and shuttleship of politics for more than 100 years.

"We have no faith," it says, "in either a Republican or a Democratic tariff as a remedy for the evils of the gold standard and monopoly law. We recognize the fact that all former tariff legislation, as well as the proposed measure, has many unjust discriminations, and works hardship on many industries, and unreasonably fosters others."

The address concludes as follows: "While the Populists do all in their power in both houses of congress to remedy the manifest defects in the Wilson bill and to secure to farmers and laborers such protection as shall correspond with the protection in the McKinley and the Wilson bill of finished products to equalize the burden of taxation necessary to raise sufficient revenue to defray the cost of the government."

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The funeral of Henry E. Jenkinson, superintendent of construction of the Western Union telegraph, was held at St. Paul, Minn., today.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—An old gentleman by the name of Donquist, dropped dead at Whitman last night. Mr. Donquist was a resident of Hyannis and was on his way to Whitman.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—One of the men arrested here last week charged with shoplifting at Champlin, was reported to be one of the men who broke jail at St. Paul recently.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The attorney general has issued an order that the names of the three persons certified by the examining committee of the three republicans as competent, has been selected by Secretary Sherman as director of the bureau in place of Ohio.

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BED-ROCK PRICES! We quote the following yard prices on hard and soft coal. Pennsylvania Hard Coal, \$10.00; Western Hard Coal, 8.75; Semi-Anthracite, 7.50; Rock Springs Lump, 7.00; Rock Springs Nut, 6.25; Canon City, 7.00; Maitland, 6.25; Hanna, 6.00; On Queen, 5.50; Rock Springs Pass, 4.50.

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