

THEY STOOPED TO LIQUOR

The Moist Munitions of War Employed to Wallop England.

The Yorktown Commission Successfully Bearded the Lions of the Hour.

A Sample Case of Costly "Lush" For Congressional Gulets.

The Army Bill Passed by the Senate as Amended.

The Routine of Work in Both Houses Varied by Personal Squabbles.

Blackburn Blows the Bourbon Horn on the Work of Congress.

The Red Handed Assesin Still Claims Kinship With the Powers Above.

CONGRESS

SENATE PROCEEDINGS.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—The army appropriation bill came up. Senator Davis (W. Va.), offered an amendment that the compulsory retirement clause shall not apply to the general of the army. Senator Hall offered an amendment that the clause shall not apply to generals and lieutenant generals. Lost, 29 to 34.

Senator Maxey offered an amendment exempting professors at West Point. Adopted. Senator Logan spoke against the exception.

A vote was then taken on Davis' amendment as amended. Senator Logan expressed the hope that it would be voted down, which was done by a vote of 19 to 33.

The amendment providing that the general shall not be retired unless on full pay and allowances was then agreed to.

The amendment appropriating \$100,000 to build a government hospital at Hot Springs, Ark., and \$10,000 for target practice, was agreed to.

Senator Garland in the chair ruled out Senator Plum's amendment to increase the army 1,000 men in emergency, and appropriating therefor \$100,000, on the ground that legislation of this kind cannot originate in the senate.

Debate followed after the bill came from the committee of the whole, but without further amendment the bill was passed by a vote of 42 to 11, and the senate at 5:50 adjourned.

An adverse report was received in the election case of Wilberforce vs. Davidson, Second district of Florida.

The judiciary committee's report on land grants to railroads was received.

Mr. Dingler's bill suspending the issue of silver certificates and limiting silver coinage passed. Also a bill for a public building at Dayton, O.

Mr. White renewed his attack on the ways and means committee. Mr. Kelley (Pa.) retorted with a story, showing that paralysis might be, but lunacy was not, a disqualification for congress.

The section of the deficiency bill appropriating \$32,000 for defraying the expense of the Yorktown centennial and for the entertainment of national guests, \$18,000 for hotels alone, raised a row. Messrs. McMillan and Holman opposing.

Mr. Cobb (Ind.) said he was not willing that a committee directed to do a certain thing at a cost of \$40,000, should be censured or overlooked in silence in having expended \$32,000 more than they were directed to do. To show how they had expended it he sent to the clerk's desk to have read a bill sent to the committee for wines, &c. The bill looked up \$9,250. The items were champagne, brandies, wines, whisky, cigars, etc., etc. One of them was for a quantity of 1830 brandy, \$220; 130 cases of champagne, \$1,970; various brands of cigars, \$1,500; 63 gallons of whisky, \$340.

Mr. Dingler concurred in Mr. Cobb's remarks, saying he thought the committee ought not to be permitted to run into such extravaganzas without rebuke.

Mr. Tucker (Va.) thought this proceeding shamful. This committee of honorable gentlemen directed to entertain our invited guests had done so in a proper manner, and to have done so shabbily would have been an insult to the invited guests.

Mr. Robeson concurred in Mr. Tucker's remarks.

Mr. Cobb moved to strike out of the bill the appropriation of \$32,000 for expenses of the committee. The motion was lost, only three or four voting in its favor.

Quite a discussion arose over the paragraph to reimburse resident commissioners of the United States to the international electrical congress at Paris, appropriating \$1,000 for each, at the close of which a personal altercation arose between Messrs. Cox (N. Y.) and Sparks (Ill.), regarding the right of Sparks to make a point of order which Cox disputed. A passage of words took place in a low tone, intended as an aside and ended by Sparks calling Cox a "little scamp," and Cox replying that he was big enough not to permit himself to be assaulted and intimating that Sparks would not dare to thus address him under other circumstances and surroundings.

Mr. Kesson introduced a resolution of sympathy with Italy in the death of General Garibaldi, "a man," he said,

"who never failed to express his regard for human rights." Recess taken till 8 p. m.

EVERING SESSION.
Thirty members were present at the evening. Half an hour was occupied in passing unimportant bills by unanimous consent. The house then went into committee of the whole on the deficiency bill. Mr. White took advantage of the deficiency in the internal revenue services for an attack on Mr. Carlisle's whisky bill, charging the deficiency to increased distillation under that bill.

Mr. Spier denounced the system of informers under the internal revenue service. Long debate followed on the motion to strike out the item, but it was rejected. The house shortly thereafter adjourned.

CAPITAL NOTES.
National Associated Press.

NOMINATIONS.
WASHINGTON, June 6.—The president sent the following nominations to the senate to-day: George P. Pomeroy to be agent and consul general of the United States at Cairo; C. J. Brulatur, of Louisiana, to be secretary of legation of the United States at Paris; Eccles G. Van Piper to be consul of the United States at Moscow.

STAR ROUTE TRIALS.
Mr. Wilson opened for the defense, and occupied all day presenting his argument.

W. W. COCHRAN is still very ill, and his condition is deemed very critical.

STRAW BONDS.

Secretary Folger is conducting a quiet investigation into the character of the bonds given in payment of tax on whisky in bonded warehouses. Considerable straw bonds have been found already, and other developments are expected.

TARIFF COMMISSION.
All rumors contrary notwithstanding, it may be definitely stated that not one of the tariff commissioners have yet been decided on.

The name of Robert H. Porter, state statistician, was agreed on, but the question of his citizenship has been raised, and an investigation is therefore necessary. Refusals have been received from Messrs. Wheeler, Mitchell and Phelps. The understanding at the cabinet meeting to-day was that the list will be completed at the next meeting.

BROCKWAY, THE FORGER,
expects soon to be released, not by way of granting immunity on account of recent disclosures made by him, but that Brockway being able to give conclusive evidence that at the time of his trial eighteen months ago, he then gave up all his titles and plates in his possession and under his control, and there is no necessity for keeping him under arrest.

POSTAL RULING.
The postoffice department has made a ruling to the effect that mail messengers must not deliver mail pouches to railroad agents in the night time later than 9 o'clock p. m., and that authority to do that must first be obtained from the railway division superintendent.

THE ASSASSIN.
Guiteau received the news of the denial of the motion made to-day to re-open his case with his customary stolidity. He has implicit confidence in Reed's determination, "Never say die." He now characterizes the court-in-banc as cowards and cranks and says, "if the powers that be don't save me, God Almighty will come down on them. I want it distinctly understood that I am God's man. God has revealed to me recently that He will take care of me. All powers of earth cannot prevail against Him. I made Arthur president by God's direction, and God will order him to take care of me. God works through human agencies and Arthur is to be the human agency to save me if necessary."

EDITORS JUNKETING.

The Pennsylvania editorial association, 100 strong, arrived here this afternoon and are quartered at the Metropolitan and Willard's. At 9 o'clock to-night, headed by President Hensell and Senator Cameron, they called on President Arthur and were each introduced by Senator Cameron. Later an informal banquet was tendered at Abner's.

BLACKBURN'S BLAST.
New York, June 6.—Congressman Blackburn, of Kentucky, who arrived at the Fifth Avenue hotel from Washington this morning, does not entertain high appreciation of the labors of the present congress, which, he had no hesitation in saying, had frittered away five months of valuable time without enacting any measure of benefit to the country.

Guiteau.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Reed, in the criminal court, presented his affidavit and motion requesting correction of the judgment in Guiteau's sentence, making it apply to the counts in the indictment alleging death in New Jersey. Reed admitted intending taking another step but would be embarrassed in doing it unless the motion was granted. The court refused it.

Town Destroyed.
National Associated Press.

MEMPHIS, June 6.—The town of Pochontas, Randolph county, Arkansas, at the headwaters of Black River, is in ashes. The town had fifteen stores and 600 inhabitants.

Minnesota Crops.
National Associated Press.

ST. PAUL, June 6.—Reports from along the line of the St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba railroad, and the great portion of western and northwestern Minnesota, state that wheat is looking well, being upon an average of four inches, and strong and healthy, with fine growing weather. Breaking is in fair progress. Reports

from different parts on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha railroad in southern Minnesota and northwestern Iowa show that crops are all looking well, particularly corn, which is improving in color, and its condition no longer warrants apprehensions of failure which existed a week ago.

FOREIGN NEWS.
National Associated Press.

A TRIBUTE TO GARIBALDI.
ATHENS, June 6.—The Greek chambers to-day passed resolutions expressive of grief at the death of General Garibaldi and inviting the Greek minister at Rome to attend the funeral on Wednesday and present a floral wreath on behalf of the nation, to be placed on the coffin of the distinguished dead.

THE CONFERENCE.
LONDON, June 6.—In the house of commons this afternoon Sir Charles Dilke, under foreign secretary, said that all powers had agreed to confer on the Egyptian question with the exception of the pasha.

CRIMINAL NEWS.
National Associated Press.

BRUTAL RAILROADERS.
MITCHELL, Dako., May 6.—A gang of laborers working on the Jim river valley branch of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway got drunk and engaged in a brutal fight. One man named Pat Burns, was beaten, kicked and struck with stones until dead. His skull was fractured. Two of the gang were locked up and will have a hearing on the charge of manslaughter.

A HORRIBLE DEED.
CAIRO, June 6.—J. W. Bayley, aged 50, living near Vienna, Ill., was seized by an unknown man, bound to a chair and his feet buried terribly by holding a candle underneath. The miscreant then crushed his skull with an axe, and he was found dead on the floor this morning. No clue.

SPORTING.
Special Di-patch to THE BEE.

THE FASTEST TIME ON RECORD.
ATLANTIC, Ia., June 5.—In the running race to-day, one and a half mile dash, J. W. Norton won in 2:46; Ellis Rowett second, making the mile in 1:46; equal to any time in the world, and the first race on the new half mile track.

AMERICAN JOCKEY CLUB.
NEW YORK, June 6.—The spring meeting of the American jockey club continued at Jerome park to-day. First race, for all ages, mile and a furlong, was won by MacDuff, Blue Lodge; time, 1:55.

Second race, ladies' stakes for two year old fillies, one mile and a half, was won by Hiawaha, Rice second; time, 2:44.

Third race, jockey club handicap sweepstakes, for all ages, two miles, was won by Eole, Monitor second; time, 3:39.

Fourth race, all ages, selling allowance, mile and three furlongs, was won by Gioffe, who sold third in the pool; Gioffe, the favorite, second; time, 2:30.

Fifth race, handicap for all ages, short-strap chase course, was won by Disturbance, Frank Short second; time, 3:40.

ST. LOUIS JOCKEY CLUB.
ST. LOUIS, June 6.—There was a fair attendance at the second day of the spring meeting of the St. Louis Jockey club. Five races, mile and a quarter, was won by Harry Gilmore, Heitzig second; time 2:13.

Second race, C.quette stakes, three-fourths of a mile, for two year old fillies, was won by Clephotta, Visavis second; time 1:17.

Third race, selling allowances, mile and one-eighth, was won by Little Phil, John Happy second; time 1:57.

Fourth race, mile heats, was won by Force with Mark Corbett second in the first heat and Pope Leo second in the last heat; time 1:46, 1:45.

THE ANCE.

LONDON, June 6.—The race for the Ascot stakes was won by Valentine, Mistake second. The race was run during a rain.

BASE BALL.
WORCESTER, Mass., June 6.—Worcesters 6; Chicago 3.

BOSTON, Mass., June 6.—Boston, 2; Detroit, 4.

TROY, June 6.—Clevelands, 0; Troys, 1.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 6.—Prov. Indians, 15; Buffalos, 7.

THE NEW ENGLAND CIRCUIT.
BOSTON, Mass., June 6.—Second week of the races in the New England circuit, were trotted to-day at Mystic Park. In the three minute class there were five starters and was won by Douglas, Lulan P. second; best time 2:25. Lowering Douglas beat 24 seconds.

In the 2:20 class there were five starters and was won by Taffy in three straight heats, Robert Lee second; best time 2:22.

A Bourbon Gone.
National Associated Press.

CINCINNATI, O., June 6.—T. T. Forest, a prominent lawyer and democratic politician, died this afternoon.

Indications.
National Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, June 7, 1 a. m.—For the upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys, warmer and generally fair weather, winds mostly from the south to the west, lower barometer in the southern portion. The rivers will fall slowly.

Marine Intelligence.
National Associated Press.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Sailed—Wyoming, for Liverpool; Hapsburg, for Bremen. Arrived—England, from Liverpool.

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—Arrived—British Queen, from Liverpool.

ANTWERP, June 6.—Arrived—Daufroyer, from New York.

HAVRE, June 6.—Arrived, 6th, St. Germain, from New York.

LIVERPOOL, June 6.—Arrived—

British Crown, from Philadelphia; Cirrosian and Lake Haron, from Montreal; Victoria, from Boston.

GLASGOW, June 6.—Arrived—State of Indiana, from New York.

LONDON, June 6.—Arrived—Canada, from New York. Sailed—Egypt—In Monarch, from New York.

SOUTHAMPTON, June 6.—Sailed—Gen. Warden, from Bremen for New York.

A NEW DEAL.
Laying the Corner Stone of the New Produce Exchange.

National Associated Press.

NEW YORK, June 6.—The ceremonies attending laying the corner stone of the new \$3,000,000 Produce Exchange took place this afternoon, in the presence of a great multitude of people. Members of all exchanges in the city, and distinguished citizens from various parts of the state and country were present. With sunshine, flag, streamers, music and crowds, the occasion was a very gala one.

The ceremonies commenced by the band playing an overture, the chairman of the building committee then formally presented the site to the president, for the purpose of laying the stone. Rev. Dr. Lee made a prayer, and the hymn "America" was then sung by the Exchange Glee Club. President Parker next delivered an address, giving the history, origin and growth of the organization, after which he laid the corner stone. The oration was then delivered by Alderman Sullivan in the absence of Hon. Wm. M. Everts, who was prevented from attending by illness. More music, followed by sinking of the box containing mementoes of the day, and exercises were brought to a close.

The Ohio Convention.
National Associated Press.

COLUMBUS, O., June 6.—Predictions as to candidates to be nominated to-morrow at the republican state convention are considered reliable. Townsend for secretary of state, for supreme court judge, Dyle, of Toledo; Leo Weltz of Wilainston for board of public works. Richard Smith and a strong following are for the endorsement of the principles of the Pond law. Another element favors the re-adoption of the license plank of last year.

Appreciative Merchants.
National Associated Press.

BOSTON, June 6.—Jordan, March & Co., the largest dry goods firm of this city, are to send eleven employes on a European trip, as an evidence of their good will, the fortunate ones being drawn for by lot. To the eleven four others who have served the firm continuously for twenty years, are to be added.

The Iron Strike.
National Associated Press.

TERR HAVRE, Ind., June 6.—One hundred and fifty employes of the Vgo Iron company have struck against the old scale of prices. It is expected the furnace men and other iron workers will follow.

CHICAGO, June 6.—An effort to change the franchise law was abandoned.

The horsehoers here have struck for an advance of 25 cents a day, and demand no more machine-made shoes be used.

WORTHAM, Mass., June 6.—The nail strikers are still out, with the prospect of getting the increase demanded.

Sh't His Wife and suicided.
National Associated Press.

GLENWOOD, Iowa, June 6.—John Miller, a wealthy farmer living five miles east of here, shot his wife yesterday and then fired a bullet through his own head, dying instantly. Mrs. Miller will probably recover. Cause, domestic trouble.

Rioter Arrested.
National Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 6.—Engineer Riordan, one of the riotous strikers who recently attacked a train at Brighton, was fully identified to-day and held for trial.

Played With Fire.
National Associated Press.

HARRIS STATION, Mo., June 6.—Four children, the eldest fourteen, the youngest two years, of John Jackson, were burned to death while playing with fire during the absence of their parents yesterday.

Stockholders Reorganizing.
National Associated Press.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., June 6.—Stockholders of mines managed by Clark & Howell, are organizing under a new management.

Michigan Greenbackers.
National Associated Press.

DETROIT, Mich., June 6.—The chairman of the state central committee of the national greenback party has published a call for a state convention, to be held at Grand Rapids August 3, to nominate candidates for state officers.

Runaway Locomotive.
National Associated Press.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., June 6.—A runaway locomotive on the elevated railroad on Coney Island this morning at 9:15 fell off the track at the switch at East Brighton, tearing up the track at that place and injuring nine persons.

Annual Sessions.
National Associated Press.

CINCINNATI, June 6.—The business educators' association of America, composed of principals of commercial colleges, is in session.

The fourteenth annual supreme session of the ancient order of united workmen began at Melodeon hall this morning.

Moses Gone Up.
National Associated Press.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Ex-Governor Moses, of South Carolina, pleaded guilty to petty larceny and was sentenced to six months in the pen at Blackwell's Island.

CITY COUNCIL.

The Mortality Report For the Month of May.

The Mayor Defeated in the Police Force Fight.

The Marshal Ordered to Close All Saloons at Midnight.

The Paving Bond Election Set For June 30th.

At the regular meeting of the city council last evening there were present Messrs. Baker, Behm, Corby, Dellone, Danham, Horman, Leader, McGuckin, O'Keefe and Thrane.

The journal of the last meeting was read and approved.

Petitions and communications from the mayor approving ordinance. Filed.

From the mayor vetoing the ordinance amending the fire limits ordinance. Filed.

From the mayor appointing Jerome Ponzell clerk of the police court. Confirmed.

From the mayor appointing John S. Barrell policeman vice Frank Kleffner, term expired. Referred.

The same action was taken in the appointment of Jeremiah Ryan, vice Frank Buckley, term expired.

The official bond of Gust Burke was approved.

The report of the appraisers in the matter of the Farnam street grade was referred.

The report of the street commissioner for the month of May, showing the expenditure for labor performed to be \$649.36 and giving other details, was filed.

The report of the city physician for the month of May was filed. It shows thirty-five deaths and fifty-eight births.

There were 11 deaths in the First ward, 1 in the Second, 2 in the Third, 1 in the Fourth, 4 in the Fifth, 7 in the Sixth, and 7 in hospitals.

There were 19 males, 16 females, 8 married, 25 single, and 3 widows. Twelve were under 5 years of age, 6 between 5 and 25, 9 between 25 and 50, 5 between 50 and 70, and 2 over 70.

Causes: Suicide 1, small-pox 1, scarlet fever 1, fever 1, pulmonary disease 1, alcoholism 1, rheumatism 1, cancer 1, pulmonary disease 1, pneumonia 4, heart disease 2, meningitis 1, convulsions 3, enteritis, etc., 2, surgical operations 1, poison 1, accidents 2, unknown 2.

Interment: Prospect Hill 21, Holy Sepulcher 4, Cassady's 2, County 4, Sarah 1, Laurel Hill 4, removed 4, infants 4, other 15, 58, colored 1; stillborn 4.

Annual death rate per 1,000, 11.99.

The petition of Bishop O'Connor and others, to have Ninth street, from Farnam to the U. P. depot, brought to grade, was referred to the committee on streets and grades with instructions.

From E E Estabrook, recommending the confirmation of Jerry Murphy as sound master.

From James Neville, offering to deed ground for extension of alley east to Twentieth street, between Farnam and Harney, if the city will fill the alley to grade. Referred.

The petition of T. H. Lesty and others, calling attention to the bad condition of Twenty-first street, between Clark and Grace. Referred.

The report of the city marshal on liquor dealers and druggists doing business in May. Referred.

The report of the city marshal, giving a list of prostitutes for the month of May. Referred.

From P. E. Campbell and others requesting that the ordinance prohibiting the throwing of slops and waste water in alleys, be enforced in Block 121. Marshal instructed to enforce ordinance.

Several propositions for the purchase of the property known as lot 5, block "H" and the old post house grounds, were received.

The majority of the bidders reserved the right to withdraw their bids. This was a novel move, the council generally reserving the right to reject any and all bids but not granting others the same right. The council received the bids with evident astonishment and were at first at a loss what to do with them.

After considerable discussion all bids on lot 5, block H, were rejected and the bids on the old post house grounds were rejected and clerk instructed to re-advertise.

The report of the city engineer on the approximate cost of grading Sixteenth street between Douglas and Isard was received. Excavation 12, 500 yards; embankment 2,000 yards.

The grading of Sixteenth street between Farnam and Howard was estimated as follows: Excavation 5,000 yards, embankment 2,300.

The grading of Sixteenth street south of Howard necessary to bring the street to grade is estimated at: Embankment between Howard and the alley south of Jackson street, 10,700 yards. Excavation from said alley to the end of the cut at Mary street, 33,000 yards. Referred.

From taxpayer of Third ward, asking for crossing at the east side of the intersection of Tenth and Douglas. Referred.

From Hon. James W. Savage, asking for new cross walks on Twenty-second and Chicago streets. Withdrawn.

From the city physician, recommending certain improvements for the sake of the public health.

Proposals for the grading, curbing

and guttering of Harney street were received and referred to the committee on streets and grades.

From Chas. Gardiner, offering to construct sidewalks as per advertisement. Referred.

A number of bills for various departments were received and referred without reading.

RESOLUTIONS.
By Baker—Instructing the city engineer to report as to the advisability of modifying plan of guttering the streets from that used on Tenth. Adopted.

By Baker—Instructing city engineer to report a plat of that portion of Twentieth street lying between Farnam and a point midway between Harney and Howard, to leave Twentieth street of uniform width and unbroken continuous line between points mentioned. Adopted.

By Baker—To protect or fill the center on Tenth and Jackson streets. Referred, with power to act.

By Corby—To allow John W. Luunsberry to put surplus dirt on Woolworth avenue. Adopted.

By O'Keefe—That the mayor be and is hereby instructed to appoint a city marshal, city engineer, city physician and street commissioner. Referred to judiciary committee.

By Corby—Instructing the city clerk to advertise for bids for sewer pipe for the construction of the main of the warping system, from its point of termination running north and west to a point on Fifteenth street, between California and Cass