

MY LORDS AND GENTLEMEN.

The Proxy Speech of the Queen Read to the Members.

OPENING SCENES IN PARLIAMENT.

Opposition Leaders Lay Aside Personalities and Indulge in a Brief Session of Sociality—Views of Victoria.

Calm Before the Storm.

Calcutta, Feb. 9.—[New York Herald Cable—Special to the Bee.]—Parliament day always offers a cheap show for the masses, who through the passages to view the governing classes assemble at St. Stephen's gates. But to-day the show seemed less attractive than ever.

Parliament Opens with the Usual Ceremonies.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—A large crowd gathered outside the parliament houses this morning, drawn thither by the opening of the session. The Parneille members of the house of commons held a meeting this morning and adopted a resolution thanking America for its generous support, and praying for its continuance, as one of the most glorious causes in the world.

Physicians Perform Treachery on the Crown Prince's Throat.

SAN RAMO, Feb. 9.—[New York Herald Cable—Special to the Bee.]—The crown prince had a bad time of it last night. He had great difficulty in breathing. Dr. Howell slept in an adjoining room. During the morning he walked briskly about in his coat and trousers, and the other physicians held a consultation and unanimously decided upon the operation of tracheotomy at once.

Death Deferred to the Fete.

BRILLIS, Feb. 9.—[New York Herald Cable—Special to the Bee.]—Minister Penlidion has been forced to postpone his intended Washington birthday fete owing to the death of Mrs. Potter, who was Mr. Penlidion's adopted daughter.

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A TERRIBLE CRIME.

A Farmer Kills His Wife, Shoots His Daughter and Suicides.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 9.—The little town of New Prague, Minn., on the Minneapolis & St. Louis road, about forty miles south of here, is in a fever of excitement over the most horrible tragedy in the history of that part of the state. Farmer John Januszek is dead by his own hands and his wife lies at the point of death with her husband. Their daughter, a girl of ten, lies at the point of death with a bullet in her head from her father's pistol. The shooting occurred at 7 o'clock last night and the news was carried to New Prague by a crippled stevedore of the murderer. Januszek married a widow about twenty years ago, but they never lived happily together, the principal cause of contention being some property belonging to the wife, of which the husband desired to become possessed. Once before he had threatened to kill her, and had purchased a revolver for that purpose. Yesterday morning she fled from her home, and was followed by her husband, who fired a shot at her. She fled to her father's house, and the shooting occurred at 7 o'clock last night and the news was carried to New Prague by a crippled stevedore of the murderer. Januszek married a widow about twenty years ago, but they never lived happily together, the principal cause of contention being some property belonging to the wife, of which the husband desired to become possessed. Once before he had threatened to kill her, and had purchased a revolver for that purpose. Yesterday morning she fled from her home, and was followed by her husband, who fired a shot at her. She fled to her father's house, and the shooting occurred at 7 o'clock last night and the news was carried to New Prague by a crippled stevedore of the murderer.

A NEW HORSE DISEASE.

Many Animals in New York City Suffering from an Epidemic.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—[Special Telegram to the Bee.]—A disease resembling diphtheria, which broke out among the horses in this city about a month ago, is keeping the veterinarians very busy. It is the nature of an epidemic and probably there is no large stable in town that has not two or more cases of it. It invariably proves fatal unless treated heroically in its incipient stages. Scores of animals have died from it and others are dying every day. The greatest sufferers have been truckmen, who only own one horse and have had to give up their means of livelihood. It is the nature of an epidemic and probably there is no large stable in town that has not two or more cases of it. It invariably proves fatal unless treated heroically in its incipient stages. Scores of animals have died from it and others are dying every day. The greatest sufferers have been truckmen, who only own one horse and have had to give up their means of livelihood. It is the nature of an epidemic and probably there is no large stable in town that has not two or more cases of it. It invariably proves fatal unless treated heroically in its incipient stages. Scores of animals have died from it and others are dying every day. The greatest sufferers have been truckmen, who only own one horse and have had to give up their means of livelihood.

Nebraska and Iowa Penitentiaries.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—[Special Telegram to the Bee.]—Penitentiaries were granted for Nebraska to-day. Original invalid—Dawson Clark, Green, Ansonia, Ill.; Plattsmouth, Increase—Jerome B. Brooks, York; Robert Lockwood, Schuyler. Penitentiaries for Iowa: Original invalid—Jacob Colclaus, Knoxville; Thomas Allison, Albia. Restoration and release—Henry D. Perkins, Webster City. Increase—Cyrus C. Cook, Cedar Rapids; Walter Mitchell, Horton; Simon P. Wheeler, Muscatine; James B. Griffin, Eastport; James W. Lamb, Martinsburg; Charles C. Cook, Cedar Rapids; William G. Pangborn, Anamosa. Release—Anna L. widow of Addison Snyder, Marshalltown. Mexican release—Henry T. Taddock, Lincolnville; Andrew Clark, Iron Hill.

The Land Injunction.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The hearing before the senate committee on agriculture on the bill to impose a tax on land containing anything except pure hog's fat, was resumed this morning. Judge Wilson, attorney for Squire & Co., read petitions signed by a large number of manufacturers and dealers in pure lard. When the reading of the bill, also letters from two cracker manufacturers of St. Louis and Omaha stated that crackers in which was used lard composed in part of cotton-seed oil would be ruined in a few days. Cromwell, attorney for "refined" lard manufacturers, said he had a petition from over five thousand persons stating that "refined" lard was not an article of commerce. He said that cotton-seed oil could be used for every purpose and he would admit it was not fit for cracker making. He said that the lard industry and cotton-seed oil people, representing in all \$30,000,000 of invested capital, he desired to protest against the passage of the bill, which would place refined lard in a degrading position commercially. After further arguments the hearing was adjourned.

National Capital Notes.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The committee on labor to-day, after hearing further arguments on the bill to license railway conductors, authorized its adverse report to the house. In the senate to-day Mr. Hoar introduced a bill to extend the jurisdiction of the circuit and district courts of the United States to the lake and river connecting waters. Representative Payson, of Illinois, who has been appointed a sub-committee of one by a full house committee on public lands on the bill to quiet the title of settlers upon the Des Moines river lands, will report it favorably. The bill was passed by the house to-day to receive the approval of that body. This was the bill which passed both houses last year, but was vetoed by the president.

Committee Work.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The Anderson bill directing the attorney general to institute suit against the officers of the Union and Central Pacific railways for violation of law was taken up by the house judiciary committee to-day, and after some discussion it was held to be within the jurisdiction of the committee. The bill was reported back and sent to that committee.

He Was a Defaulter.

ROCKFORD, Mo., Feb. 9.—[Special Telegram to the Bee.]—The bank had an expert accountant examine the books and today he submitted a report, showing that the swindling had extended over a period of four years. The reason for a Missouri Bank Cashier's Suicide Explained.

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Russian Affairs.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 9.—The Grushdinin says that a number of patriotic St. Petersburg capitalists are forming a company for the purpose of acquiring fast steamers which can be easily converted into armed cruisers. Many arrests have been made in southern Russia, owing to the discovery of an extensive agrarian movement.

PROPOSED NEW IOWA LAWS.

Many Measures Presented in the General Assembly Yesterday.

The K. O. L. AND 2-CENT FARES.

A Delegation of Knights Advocated the Bill—Barn and Horses Burned at Lenox—Nebraska and Iowa News.

The Iowa Legislature.

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 9.—The following bills were introduced in the senate: By Mr. Seeds—To amend the law relating to the time of placing sheriff's deeds upon record. By Mr. Smith—To provide a plan whereby independent or township school districts may be furnished with school books at cost or free, as may be elected by the voters. By Mr. Young—To amend the law relating to the education and qualifications of dentists. By Mr. Weber—To relinquish all the state's right and title to the United States in the so-called "river lands." By Mr. Weber—To regulate the runs made by transient or "night" passenger trains. By Mr. Weber—The concurrent resolution introduced requesting Iowa congressmen to vote and work for the passage of the Des Moines river land bill. Laid over. The bill defining and regulating insurance contracts was referred back to the committee. Mr. Weber spoke in favor of the bill which makes the valuation given on contract contracts of value of property insured. Mr. Stevey spoke against the bill. In the house the committee on compensation of public officers reported a joint resolution of the bill authorizing the recorder of deeds to keep an abstract book, and to make abstracts of title. The bill granting women the right to vote at municipal elections was favorably reported. A petition was presented by Mr. Berryhill from G. A. R., post No. 17, on behalf of 50,000 troops for the erection of a soldiers' monument in the city of Des Moines. A concurrent resolution was adopted that 25 mills be the rate of tax levy for 1888 and 3 mills for 1889, and that the amount of the appropriation of this assembly do not exceed the amount raised by such tax minus the state debt. Mr. Thompson's resolution was adopted asking why the report of the railroad commissioners had not been printed and distributed. Bills were introduced as follows: To empower municipal corporations to exempt new corporations from taxation. To encourage the use of geological and other scientific resources in Iowa. To reduce the number of jail jurors. By Mr. Earl—A concurrent resolution that the general assembly meet on Monday, February 10, to February 23. Laid over. By Mr. Riley—A concurrent resolution that the general assembly meet on Monday, February 23 to elect regents of the state university and trustees of various state institutions. Adopted. Mr. Anderson offered a joint resolution requesting our congressmen to favor some bill by which soldiers may be paid for the use of their pocketbooks in which they were paid. Adopted. The following bills were considered: Relating to the service of notice of suit on municipalities. Relating to the construction of cattle ways across highways and under bridges. Passed. To prevent special sessions of the senate. A delegation of Knights of Labor from the state assembly appeared before the senate committee after session. They claimed that they represented nearly 30,000 members in favor of a 2 cent fare reduction of rates, and the election of railroad commissioners by the people. Mr. Trotman, of Missouri, editor of the Appomattox, was one of the speakers.

Among the Committees.

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 9.—Bills by Senator Bayless to prevent discrimination against female teachers in Iowa, making it unlawful to pay more to men than to women for the same service in teaching, passed the senate school committee this morning, and will be reported favorably. The senate committee on agriculture decided to report favorably on the following three bills: The bill providing for the re-enactment of the state veterinary law, which will make more economical the present plan. The bill was drafted at the suggestion of the governor and the state veterinary surgeon. The bill giving the board of agriculture the congressional act of March 2, 1887, regarding the establishment of an agricultural experiment station at the agricultural college and the "Holston" bill. The house railroad committee will make a favorably report on the railroad funding bill; however, only requiring cattle guards at public crossings.

Wants \$5,000 Damages.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Feb. 9.—[Special Telegram to the Bee.]—A suit for \$5,000 damages was instituted to-day against Charles Brown, a leading grocer, by a substantial German farmer named Gotschock. The question involved is the legality of the methods of a collecting agency which menaces debtors with public exposure. There has been much complaint here lately of the operation of this collecting agency.

Three Saloon Injunctions.

DRUTZKE, Ia., Feb. 9.—Three permanent injunctions were ordered against the saloons to-day. These are the first granted after the continuous effort made, since the prohibitory law was first passed, to close the saloons here. Before the writs were issued by the clerk the defendants filed supersedeas bonds, and will keep open until a decision in the final court. Suits are pending against nearly every saloon in the city, but it will take two or three years to try the cases at present.

The Injunction Remains.

DRUTZKE, Ia., Feb. 9.—Judge Noy to-day refused to dissolve the temporary injunction against the Cedar Falls & Minnesota railroad in favor of the Dubuque & Sioux City in a case involving the lease of the former road to the latter.

Barn and Horses Burned.

LENOX, Ia., Feb. 9.—[Special Telegram to the Bee.]—The barn of John C. Fulton burned last night, together with five horses and several cows. Loss, \$2,000. No insurance. The fire is supposed to have been incendiary.

Cold at Sioux City.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Feb. 9.—[Special Telegram to the Bee.]—The thermometer this morning is 25° below with high wind, snow drifting and railroad travel interrupted.

Killed in California.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Feb. 9.—[Special Telegram to the Bee.]—Particulars of the killing of Tom