

REACHED ITS CRUCIAL STAGE

Present Situation in the Senate on the Wilson Repeal Bill.

MR. VOORHEES' SENSATIONAL SPEECH

He Defies the Press and Denounces the New York Bankers—Other Members Speak on the Subject—Yesterday in the House.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The situation in the senate on the repeal bill reached a crucial stage this morning. Mr. Voorhees, leader of the repeal forces, after a sensational denunciation of New York bankers and a defiance to the press that had been endeavoring to stir up a questioning of his motives, demanded that the minority senators name a date for the final vote.

Mr. Dubois of Idaho met the demand by a positive declaration that the anti-repeal men would oppose the passage of the repeal bill by availing themselves of every advantage offered them by the rules and usages of the senate.

Mr. Voorhees retorted by giving notice that he would tomorrow move for longer and more nearly continuous sessions, so the situation has resolved itself into a mere question of endurance.

That So-called Force Bill

Mr. Voorhees, referring to the so-called force bill, said that it is a death, not talked to death. If there was a majority in the senate against the repeal bill let that fact be shown by a vote. He was ready to embrace its fate, whatever it might be, but he appealed to senators for a vote. Action must follow all the time. This previous question had been abandoned, therefore two laws which govern the senate, and as they govern the world, the law of majority could not be ignored. It is a question of two laws which govern the senate, and as they govern the world, the law of majority could not be ignored.

Not Accustomed to Be Hurried. Mr. Dubois, republican, of Idaho said that many senators were yet to be heard. It was not usual to be hurried in the senate. He heard when they desired to speak, nor were senators accustomed to be hurried or threatened. "My own impression is," said Mr. Dubois, "that the majority of the senate will probably have better success in an orderly manner and in the customary way. He will reach a result sooner by that route than by the opposite one."

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His Friends Fear He Will Prove a Failure as Champion of Repeal.

CLEVELAND SAID TO BE QUITE ANXIOUS

Position of the Indiana Senator Becoming More Embarrassing Daily as the Complications in Congress Develop—Features of the Situation.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Senator Voorhees' position is becoming more irritating and embarrassing every day as chairman of the finance committee. The fate of the silver repeal bill is in his hands. The country looks to him for the success of that measure. Suspended business institutions and cramped financial conditions turn to him for support. The economic debate which has been going on in the senate and the dreary outlook are causing men and interests from every direction to utter bitter complaints.

The senator is charged with dallying. Scarcely a mail comes to Washington now that is not loaded with complaints against the chairman of the finance committee. The telegraph lines are full of their dissatisfaction of his management of the silver repeal bill every hour in the day. President Cleveland has intimated that he does not believe the Indiana senator has his heart in this work.

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No News Can Be Obtained Concerning the Situation at Rio de Janeiro.

BRAZILIANS IN MONTEVIDEO HOPELESS

They Expect to Hear of the President's Complete Defeat in a Short Time—Some Reported Rumors of a Timid Course—Mails Blocked.

Copyright 1893 by James Gordon Bennett. MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay (via Galveston, Tex.), Sept. 19.—(By Mexican Cable to the New York Herald—Special to The Herald.)—The Brazilian minister to Uruguay has not received any communications for two days concerning the progress of the revolution. This is regarded as unfavorable to the cause of Peixoto. Brazilian residents here argue that the absence of official communications indicates that the revolutionists are in control of the city of Rio de Janeiro, and that the president's power has been weakened that his defeat will soon follow.

Private messages have been received from Lisbon stating that the Brazilian warships, Riachuelo and Benjamin Constant, will soon sail from Toulon to aid Admiral Meilo. The officers and crews of both vessels have declared in favor of the revolutionists. Peixoto suspects the loyalty of the men attached to these vessels and recently sent crews from Rio, of whose loyalty he was convinced, to man them and relieve those in charge of them.

Butchered a Lieutenant. News has also been received confirming the previous reports of the shooting of Deputy Saeba and a lieutenant in the navy by order of Admiral Meilo. The lieutenant was steering a boarding boat and had both of his arms shot off. He was then taken to the hospital and died shortly through the head by order of the admiral.

No further news has been received about the second bombardment of Rio. All of the ships of the Brazilian Lloyds are now in the control of the revolutionary party. The United States cruiser Charleston sailed for Rio tonight. It is reported here that Peixoto's agents are unable to communicate with the shore. Nevertheless, mails continue to be dispatched from Montevideo in the hope that some means will be found to land them. The American minister to Argentina will inclose duplicates of all messages for Rio with his official correspondence under cover and send them to Minister Thompson in Rio.

Victory for the Insurgents. Buenos Ayres, Sept. 19.—It is reported here that a skirmish has taken place between the insurgents of Rio Grande and the government forces. The insurgents are said to have been victorious and they are credited with gaining ground generally.

Telegrams from Brazil. New York, Sept. 19.—The Anglo-American Telegraph company issued the following notice today: "We will not accept messages for Brazil in plain language and referring in no way to political events in that country."

Russo-German Tariff Treaty. St. Petersburg, Sept. 19.—The Russian delegates will start for Berlin on September 20 in order to reopen negotiations for a treaty of commerce between Russia and Germany. A paper treating upon the Russo-German tariff war, said to have been inspired by the committee of finance, which was read before the Commercial and Industrial society, is discussed here. The paper referred to declares that free trade has reduced Russia to a critical position, and recommends a return to protection.

Troops sent to Prevent Riots. Paris, Sept. 19.—Owing to the threatening aspect in the Pas-de-Calais coal mining district, large forces of troops have been sent there.

American Crooks in London. LONDON, Sept. 19.—The police officials of London have notified the bankers that a gang of noted American crooks had arrived, or is about to arrive in London from the United States with the intention of undertaking a systematic campaign against English bankers. The police say the method of the swindlers is to obtain checks for small amounts, erase the figures with an acid and alter the checks to large amounts.

Emperors Discuss the Situation. GERMANY, Sept. 19.—Emperor William and Emperor Francis Joseph had a long secret conference yesterday. It is believed the European situation was discussed and an agreement arrived at.

Fatal Fire in Whitechapel. LONDON, Sept. 19.—A man and four women were suffocated in a fire in a pastry cook's shop in Whitechapel this morning.

Death of Sir Alexander Gait. MONTREAL, Sept. 19.—Sir Alexander Gait, a retired Canadian statesman, died this morning.

STILL IN DANGER. Wisconsin Towns Yet Have Reasons to Fear from forest fires by no means past. The fires cast lurid reflections in the sky in all directions from the city tonight. Over Ashburn, across Chequamegon Bay from Washburn, great volumes of smoke are rising. Although the fire is probably six miles back in the interior, the reports from Odaah Indian reservation confirm the statement that the fires there are burning with unabated vigor. An Indian who arrived from the reservation this afternoon told the story in his broken English of ceaseless labors on the part of his Indian neighbors to keep the flames from consuming homes and dwellings. There is an air of gloom in the village of Odaah. The loss is estimated at \$150,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Applied for Their Old Positions. PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 19.—At a meeting of the striking employes of the Oliver Iron and Steel company today the strike was declared off and the men will apply for their old positions as individuals, not as members of the union. This action was taken in view of the starting of the plant with non-union men. When in full operation the Oliviers employ 5,000 men.

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Parliament of Belgians. CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—In the parliament of Belgians today the papers by Prof. A. Bruy of Glasgow University, Sir William Dawson of Montreal, and Prof. Max Muller of Oxford were read. Among the speakers were Prof. Tcherasac and Rev. A. W. Haweis of London.

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Parliament of Belgians. CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—In the parliament of Belgians today the papers by Prof. A. Bruy of Glasgow University, Sir William Dawson of Montreal, and Prof. Max Muller of Oxford were read. Among the speakers were Prof. Tcherasac and Rev. A. W. Haweis of London.

Captious Showers. TOPEKA, Sept. 19.—Rain commenced falling at 12 o'clock last night and continued all day. It extends over the most of the state and will be beneficial to the crops and pastures and it will put the ground in fine condition for the fall.

Murdered a Family of Six. WASHINGTON, Ind., Sept. 19.—News has just been received from Harrison township, twelve miles from here, that Denison Wratta and family, six in all, were murdered last night. Wratta's family was composed of his wife and five children. The crime was for robbery. A hatchet was used, and the bodies were found in a barn on the floor, except the baby, which was killed in bed.

DECEASED THEIR CREDITORS. Sensational Features of the Failure of a St. Louis Firm. Discovered in a New York Town. How Bankruptcy Was Made a Success. Financial Difficulties of the Lombard Investment Company. The news was given out this evening at the headquarters of the Lombard investment company that receivers have been appointed for the company. The appointments were made by Judge Henry C. Caldwell of the Eighth judicial circuit at St. Paul, Minn., yesterday on application of the New York security and trust company, Maria H. Hotchkiss and George Burnham, the title of the suit being against the company as complainants against the Lombard investment company.

The receivers appointed are Charles S. Caldwell, secretary of the Lombard company, also of this city. The Lombard investment company has a capital of \$4,000,000 paid up, and the other shareholders have contributed \$500,000. The company has for years been doing a guarantee mortgage business. It has now outstanding \$1,000,000 of mortgages at 6 percent interest. The assets of the company equal that amount, but they consist of property not now negotiable