

JURY TRIAL FOR CONTEMPT

Senate Passes the Bill that Resulted from the Debs Case.

MANY OTHER MEASURES ALSO ADOPTED

Increased Pay for Letter Carriers After This Month—Four O'Clock Today the Hour Fixed for Adjournment.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The senate has disposed of the last of the appropriation bills and has fixed 4 p. m. tomorrow as the time for the final adjournment.

A number of bills were passed during the day, including the important bill giving trial by jury and other safeguards in prosecution for contempt of court.

The bill establishing a code of signals at sea was passed. Mr. Vest explained that the Great Britain had assented at last to the entire maritime code.

Mr. Mitchell, republican of Oregon, made a statement as to the necessity for action on the resolution looking to the reorganization of the Northern Pacific railroad.

The following bills were passed: Senate bill to increase the pay of letter carriers; authorizing the secretary of the treasury to lease certain Alaskan islands for the propagation of gold and silver foxes.

PAY OF LETTER CARRIERS.

The bill increasing the pay of letter carriers provides that after June 30 the pay of letter carriers in cities having 7,000 people for the first year of service shall be \$200; second year, \$200; third year, \$1,000; thereafter, \$100 more in each year.

Mr. Mitchell again took up the bill to reorganize the Northern Pacific railroad, but Mr. Smith, democrat of New Jersey, said with emphasis that a bill involving \$400,000,000 in money and 42,000 acres of land could not be railroaded through the senate with his consent as it had been railroaded through the house.

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Mr. Hill sought to secure a vote on the contempt of court bill. This precipitated a contest which resulted in the absence of a quorum and thus created complications in the progress of the appropriation bill.

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government expenses \$1,500,000 annually or for swelling salaries of any kind. At 11 o'clock the vice president signed the civil appropriation bill preparatory to its going to the president and the senate adjourned till 10 a. m. tomorrow morning.

HOUSE PASSES A MASS OF BILLS.

Prospect of Adjournment Makes Members Eager for Recognition. WASHINGTON, June 10.—When the house reconvened at 10 o'clock this morning, still in continuation of the legislative day of Saturday, the general feeling was that congress would reach a final adjournment by tonight.

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that the house recede and concur in the senate amendments. Speeches were made by Messrs. Doolittle, republican of Washington; Blue, republican of Kansas; and Henry, republican of Indiana, against concurring; and by Messrs. Dockery, democrat of Missouri; Mondell, republican of Wyoming; and Hopkins, republican of Illinois, in favor of concurring. The latter declared that the house would have to yield or deliberately force a final adjournment this time.

GIVES WAY TO THE SENATE.

On a rising vote the house refused to concur—81 to 88; but by telling the motion was carried—90 to 74. Mr. Owens, democrat of Kentucky, demanded the yeas and nays and the roll was called and the motion was carried—100 to 88. There was some cheering when the result was announced.

The speaker appointed the following committee to sit during the recess of congress to investigate the charges affecting the Leavenworth, Kan., Soldiers' Home: Messrs. Grout, Vermont; C. W. Stone, Pennsylvania; Wagner, Illinois; Sayers, Texas, and Layton, Ohio.

Pending action on the report various members took occasion to speak on the work of the congress. Mr. Cannon, republican of Illinois, in closing his remarks said that to sum up all in a word, "the republicans could unite in assuring the country that if in November they gave the party power they would write the statute book, the executive, economic policy of the republicans party."

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MRS. ANNIE DYER IS HANGED

Death Penalty Paid for the Wholesale Murderer of Babies.

ATROCIOUS CRIME OF AN ENGLISH WOMAN

Made a Business of Slaughtering Helpless Infants—Cast Their Bodies Into the Waters of the Thames.

LONDON, June 10.—Mrs. Annie Dyer, the baby farmer of Reading, who was arrested on April 9, on the charge of murdering many infants entrusted to her care, was hanged in Newgate prison at 9 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Dyer was one of the most extraordinary criminals of the age, a wholesale, cold-blooded murderer. The police first became suspicious of her and her son-in-law, Arthur E. Palmer, early in April, when the bodies of a number of children, apparently strangled to death, were recovered from the river Thames, where they had been thrown, weighted down with bricks, etc.

An investigation led to the arrest of Mrs. Dyer and Palmer. Detectives found in her house showed that many of the parents with whom she and her accomplice had dealings were aware of the fate intended for the infants. These letters were from persons in all ranks of society.

The preliminary examination developed that Mrs. Dyer had long been plying the fact that so many bodies of infants were found in the Thames between Wapping and Battersea, some of them naked and others wrapped in old linen or brown paper, but all of them were weighted down in some way or other, and all of them evidently strangled to death.

It was proved that since Christmas at least twenty children had been entrusted to Mrs. Dyer's keeping and that of this number many had been murdered. In addition, prior to Christmas, many other children that had been placed in the woman's charge were unaccounted for, and were admitted to have been murdered. A conservative estimate places the number of children killed at forty, but other estimates have it that as many as 100 infants were either strangled or drowned by Mrs. Dyer.

REPUTED TO BE PIOUS. Mrs. Dyer and her son-in-law in Reading, where they lived, had a great reputation for piety. Over the mantel-piece of the parlor of the house in which she lived was the inscription, "Suffer Little Children to Come Unto Me, and Forbid Them Not, for Such is the Kingdom of Heaven." Mrs. Dyer had been arrested upon four previous occasions, but somehow she not only managed to escape punishment, but succeeded in maintaining her reputation for piety. In the court, the woman's nerve entirely deserted her. She had a dejected, terrified look and apparently was in despair and saw the gallows ahead.

When the jury returned, they fairly good-looking woman of about 50 years of age, and she seemed to have derived quite a good income from her crimes. Three boys were found at Mrs. Dyer's residence when she was arrested. They were a boy 7 years old, a girl 8 years and a boy 3 months old. There is little doubt that they would have gone the way of the other charges of the baby farmer had the latter not been arrested.

Some idea of the extent of the business done by Mrs. Dyer may be gathered from the statement that baby clothes weighing nearly 300 pounds were found at her house when she was arrested. The first search of a box containing the decomposed body of an infant was also discovered in the woman's dwelling, evidently having been placed there by the baby farmer to be thrown away.

Little by little evidence against Mrs. Dyer was gathered. A large piece of brown wrapping paper in which the body of one of the infants was found was identified by a railroad porter as being the covering of a parcel which he delivered to the prisoner. It was further proved that Mrs. Dyer started on one journey with a baby and a carpet bag and that when she returned she had a bundle which she had hidden in the wardrobe with which nearly all the infants were furnished.

HER PARTICULAR PREY. The particular prey of the baby farmer were single women who had been married, servants and poor working women who were unable or unwilling to take care of their children. In such cases Mrs. Dyer would take the child, and have the mother, who was poor and had no means of support, give up the child to her. Mrs. Dyer would give up the child to her, and have the mother, who was poor and had no means of support, give up the child to her.

On May 21 Mrs. Dyer was indicted for murder and on the following day she was sentenced to death. In prison Mrs. Dyer made several attempts to commit suicide. At Reading she tried to strangle herself with her shoe laces, and time later she tried to force a handkerchief down her throat and upon another occasion she attempted to cut her wrist against a piece of iron.

The baby farmer's last attempt at suicide was on May 26, in Newgate prison, when, while lying in an apparently asleep, she twisted a handkerchief around her throat and almost succeeded in strangling herself.

LORD SUDLEY'S AMOROUS LETTERS. May Gore fails to recover damages on the Tale City Told. LONDON, June 10.—The trial of the suit for breach of promise, brought by May Gore, the actress, against Viscount Sudley, eldest son of the earl of Arran, damages to the amount of \$75,000 being asked, has resulted in a verdict for the defendant. In his examination, Viscount Sudley explained that he had written to Miss Gore, then in America, that he was going to bring her home for good; he said it meant

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FORECAST FOR TODAY'S WEATHER.

Local Showers May Be Expected Before Night in Nebraska. WASHINGTON, June 10.—The forecast for Thursday is: For Colorado—Partly cloudy weather; probably local showers in the southern and eastern portion; cooler; northerly winds.

For Nebraska and Kansas—Fair in the morning; local showers in the afternoon or night; increasing southerly winds, becoming variable; warmer in eastern Kansas.

For Missouri—Fair except local showers in the southern portion; warmer; southerly to southerly winds.

For Iowa—Fair, followed by increasing cloudiness; increasing southerly winds.

Local Record. OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, June 10.—Omaha record of temperature and rainfall compared with the corresponding day of the past four years:

1896. 1895. 1894. 1893. Maximum temperature... 74 70 83 81 Minimum temperature... 58 59 63 61 Average... 66 64 70 68 Precipitation... .99 .97 .99 1.54 Condition of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for the day and since March 1, 1896:

Normal temperature... 70 Deficiency for the day... .4 Accumulated excess since March 1... 123 Normal precipitation... .19 inch Deficiency for the day... .19 inch Total precipitation since March 1... 16.17 inches Excess since March 1... 5.39 inches

Reports from Stations at 9 a. m. STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER. Omaha, clear... 74 74 0.00 North Platte, clear... 74 74 0.00 Salt Lake City, clear... 74 74 0.00 Cheyenne, part cloudy... 74 74 0.00

Thought a Policeman Was After Her. Annie McGarvey, an old woman who has been an inmate of the poor house at times

and also of the Working Girls' home, called at the police station last night in a very excited frame of mind. She said that a big burly policeman had been pursuing her all the afternoon with a club and she had barely succeeded in evading him. She is thought to be insane. She was given a night's lodging at the station and an effort will be made today to have her sent back to the poor farm.

Run Down by a Train. Bailey Davis, a special policeman, while on duty near Fourth and Woolworth avenue last evening, was overtaken and knocked down by an outward bound Burlington train. He was picked up by railroad employes and it was found that one arm had been broken near the wrist and he was also badly bruised. The injured man was taken to his home, 1829 North Sixteenth street, where a physician set the broken member.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

J. H. MacColl left for Lincoln last evening. C. M. Geddes of Grand Island is in the city. Hon. John C. Watson of Nebraska City is in the city. H. R. Corbett of York was an Omaha visitor yesterday.

C. C. McNab of Winser was among the yesterday arrivals. Elijah Filley of Filley was among the Omaha visitors yesterday. Hon. Sam M. Chapman of Plattsmouth was in the city yesterday.

J. Francis left for Chicago last night, where he will join his wife, who preceded him several days. G. P. Fannon, late of the Burlington, left last evening for Boston, where he will accept a position on one of the eastern roads.

Dr. P. D. Wilson and family have just arrived home from the south, where they went with a possible view of making their future home, but have concluded the north is the place. During a two months' sojourn they visited Chattanooga and Lookout mountain, Atlanta, Nashville, Memphis and St. Louis.

Miss Irene C. Byrne of the Omaha public schools left for New York last evening, where next Saturday she will board the steamer Paris for an European trip of three months' duration. She will be joined at Mt. Pleasant, Ia., by Miss Sadie Pittman, who will accompany her through the tour. The young women will visit all the large cities in England, France, Italy and Germany.

PEN PICTURES PLEASANTLY AND POINTEDLY PARAGRAPHERD



WE DON'T SIMPLY SAY IT FOR EFFECT—BUT YOU GET THE MONEY BACK—WHEN YOU NOTIFY US THAT YOU'RE NOT SATISFIED—WE HAVE ENOUGH TO DO WITHOUT PRESSING PEOPLE TO TAKE WHAT THEY DON'T WANT—JUST NOW WE'RE HAVING QUITE A TIME WITH REGULAR ENDS IN CARPETS AND CURTAINS—ODD CLOSING UP—BEFORE WE TAKE INVENTORY—ODD RUNS—MADE UP FROM ODD CARPET—SINGLE CURTAINS AND ODD PAIRS—AT THE MOST RIDICULOUS PRICES TO GET RID OF THEM—AND YOUR MONEY BACK IF YOU SAY SO.



IT'S BOOMING NOW—Our great clearing sale of brand new pianos that were in the smokestack wreck—of course people don't rush off and buy pianos like they do collar buttons—but they come near it—when they can get a brand new first class Kimball piano for \$185 on the easiest kind of terms—not a thing the matter with them now—they've all been retouched at our factory—but the damages we received enables us to give you a big benefit.



'WAY OUT IN DENVER'—They've got a new drink and it's the rage of the town—a "Frozen Postafe"—we are making this delicious drink now—as delightful as our ice cream soda has been—only far more refreshing—it will be the fad in a week—our "Frozen Postafe"—try it—besides our Chicago expert is rapidly convincing the public that he knows a thing or two about soda water that common soda water slingers never dreamed of—some new concoction every day.



SHOOT THE EYE—Sharp pains shoot through it—or your head aches—the whole side of your face hurts—you're wrenching your eyes' out of joint—by reading—without the aid of glasses—it takes so little time and money to restore them to perfect condition that should be put off no longer—consult our expert optician—of whom such men as John Steel—W. F. Bechel—S. H. Clark—John A. McShane—Geo. W. Lindgren and others say—"He is the most accomplished optician in the entire country."



NIGHT GOWNS FOR 50c—There are lots of people wearing 50c night shirts—but unless it's our 50c night shirt it's not as good as 50c night shirt as you can buy—our 50c night shirt is embroidered on the collar—the cuffs and down the front with Cash's genuine imported trimmings—and is made of better muslin than any 50c night shirt in Omaha—you won't begin to get as good a night shirt anywhere as our 50c night shirt is for 50c.

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