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THE FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

In the record of the Fifty-seventh congress there is much to commend. The legislation it enacted will contribute to the welfare of the country and while some of its omissions are to be regretted, none of these is of a nature to interfere with the business or impair the prosperity of the nation.

South and Central America.

There is nothing in it that will prevent German manufacturers and merchants from securing all the trade they can with those southern countries and commercially increasing themselves there as firmly as possible.

deliver policy pursued by some of the senators with accuracy.

It is doubtful, however, whether the unanimous consent practice of the senate can be broken down until the senators are elected by direct vote of the people.

MINOR SCENES AND INCIDENTS SKETCHED ON THE SPOT.

For years unnumbered a beverage commonly known as "cold tea" has been sold in the capitol restaurant, where statesmen and their friends secured their midday lunches.

THE OLD RELIABLE

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IN THE PUBLIC ESTIMATION.

In the public estimation, and doubtless in the good results that will come from it, the most important legislation of the Fifty-seventh congress is that relating to the corporations engaged in interstate or foreign commerce and to railroad rebates.

ONLY THE FIRST SKIRMISH.

The fight that barred House Roll 330 from going into the general file is only the first skirmish in the campaign for tax reform.

PHILADELPHIA PRESS.

Beginning with Napoleon, every warrior and statesman who has been up against the Monroe doctrine has been unceremoniously knocked out.

WASHINGTON LIFE.

Washington is fast becoming a city of monuments and statues. President Roosevelt has signed a bill providing for the erection of two more statues in the national capitol—one of Brigadier General Count Pulaski and the other of Major General Baron von Steuben, both of revolutionary fame.

REMITTANCES.

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What has the creed of Bob Ingersoll to do with the mission of the Commercial club, anyway?

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THE RAILROAD ORGANIZATION AT LINCOLN ARE TRYING TO MAKE EXCESS OF THE THROUGH-DOWN BY THE LANCASTER DELEGATION OF THE BILL FOR THE MUNICIPAL TAXATION OF RAILROADS BY PLEADING THAT THE MOVEMENT WAS A DEAD ONE LONG BEFORE THE LANCASTER MEN TURNED IN AGAINST IT.

The expenses of the government have gone permanently beyond the billion dollar mark which was reached a few years ago and then caused no little apprehension for the future of the country.

HERO OF GUY SPRINGS.

Brakeman Senter's Prompt Action Saves Many Lives.

Union Pacific brakeman Senter ought not long to remain a brakeman. At Big Springs, Neb., yesterday, he performed an act that showed the qualities that characterize successful men.

SMILING LINES.

"I was thinking," said the humorous barber, "of hanging out a sign: 'Hair cut while you wait.'" "What a misleading," protested the victim.

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GUNS AS PEACEMAKERS.

Effect of Modern Artillery on the Peace of the World.

Dr. Richard Jordan Gatling, who died last week in New York, once told how he came to invent the gun which bears his name and which in its present form is one of the most destructive weapons of war that ever came from the hands and brains of men.

THE BUTCHER MAN'S MOAN.

"I read, then cried, 'She's tongue me deep!' A viper jaws I nursed."

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PERSONAL NOTES.

A standing bronze figure of R. T. Paine, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, will be shortly erected in the public square at Charleston, Mass.

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Congressman David G. De Armond, who has introduced a bill into congress providing for the purchase and annexation of Canada, hails from Butler, Mo., whether it is removed from Pennsylvania or not.

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