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### FORTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

SENATE.  
WASHINGTON, 22.—After the morning hour, the civil service bill came up.

Senator Stanford said the last election meant the country was tired of wearing the harness of war in time of peace. The party which put itself in the position of bringing the country back to peace was now to be employed. It might be none of the existing parties, but if the democrats conduct themselves wisely, he thought it would be that party.

Logan opposed any measure for turning out officers who received their places because they were loyal, while men whom they displaced for disloyalty were in the service of the government.

Sherman and Windom testified that they had not allowed any hold office under pretense that they belonged to other States than they really did.

Hayard said he did not want a democratic spoils system to succeed a republican spoils system. The law must be executed in its spirit to reform abuses.

Allison said: "I understand your construction of the bill is, that a man who is capable, intelligent and of good character, will be continued in office while he performs his duties, if the spirit of the law is carried out."

Hayard said the bill did not undertake too much. Nobody should expect it to regulate the tenure of office, and make a final declaration on the much-debated question of the constitutional power of the Executive to appoint and remove.

Plumb thought the following would meet the requirement of the case. The distribution of offices among the States, Territories or Congressional districts according to population, non-partisan appointments according to the political status of the district, when the appointment is made; stringent prohibition of assessments.

Platt asked Brown if he would in case the democrats succeeded in 1884, demand the present government employees because they are republicans and replace them with democrats.

Brown said he desired justice done, and that the majority have some share of the offices. He favored a fair division of patronage among the burden bearers and after that civil service rules.

Fugh's amendment that the present force of the departments, except soldiers, etc., be subjected to competitive examinations like outsiders and the examinations be divided into three classes, was rejected, 23 to 22.

Van Wyck's amendment pending since yesterday, was agreed to, striking out the words "as far as practicable," so as to require the "appointment of officers among the States and Territories be made absolutely on the basis of population."

On motion of Morgan, the first section of the bill was amended so as to provide there be three commissioners instead of five, and they shall hold no other official places under the United States.

Voorhees offered an amendment of which he gave notice the other day, providing applications for appointment for commissioners under this act shall be examined by a board of school teachers to ascertain their competency to prescribe rules for the examination of other candidates for office; rejected.

On motion of Brown, the provision that shall be extended to the board of school teachers to ascertain their competency to prescribe rules for the examination of other candidates for office; rejected.

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### AMERICAN.

Philadelphia Herald.

New York, 24.—T. B. Conaway, of the New York Herald is granted an extension of absence from six to twelve months, on account of failing health.

Fire.—The main building of Freeman & Clark, novelty wood working establishment, was burned. Fifty men are out of employment and lost tools, some of which cannot be duplicated in this country; loss \$30,000.

Severely injured.—The first Southern cotton warehouse, containing about 1,400 bales, caused a slight damage; insurance \$50,000.

Transit Observations.—New York, 23.—Prof. Young, of Princeton College, gives the results so far as ascertaining of recent observations throughout the country of the transit of Venus. He says they were successful beyond expectation. Returns from all foreign stations show that at 34 of these the third and fourth contacts were observed, and at 24 the first and second. At Santiago, Chile, both American and Belgian parties were generally successful in all their experiments.

Siberian Exiles.—George Keenan, of Washington, D. C., lectured on Siberia. His remarks and statistics went to show that the better class of exiles, those who have not been sentenced for the higher grade of crimes, are in a state of comfort and prosperity, and others are treated no worse nor half so badly as English transports to Australia and Van Dieman's land, and the convicts in our own prisons.

The Canada Pacific.—Kiernan's News says: Parties interested in the Canadian Pacific state that two and a half miles of road are being laid daily; also that the large land grant upon which it is rapidly realising, together with the government subsidy, will leave the road without a bond when completed.

Experimental Vessels.—The Tribune special says: The American ship David Crockett, famous for having one of the best records for a short voyage, has been marred by her record of the last voyage. If one of the swiftest merchant vessels afloat is nearly half a year in making the coast from New York to San Francisco, that fact only gives additional weight to the theory that sailing ships must have auxiliary steam to meet the necessities of commerce.

The 17th Annual Dinner.—The 17th annual dinner of the New England Society took place at Delmonico's this evening. Joseph M. Plafar presided. Among those on the platform were Gen. Grant, Mayor Grace, Judge Lawrence, Rev. Arthur Brooks, Chauncey M. Depew, Col. Viles, Rev. D. Upshur, Mark Twain, Hon. Horace Mann, Senator Miller of California, were among the guests. The large dining hall was crowded.

New Contract.—The negotiations which have been in progress for some months between the Western Union Telegraph Co. and the Associated Press, represented by the New York and Boston telegraph companies, have finally resulted in an agreement satisfactory to all parties. A contract for ten years was executed to-day. The telegraph companies agreed to hold in abeyance for a week or two, the Governor of Arizona, for the time being, and the Associated Press, by a joint committee consisting of Whitelaw Reid, Charles A. Dana, Charles Nordhoff, Richard Smith and William Holdeman.

The Marked.—Business of a purely legitimate sort has been extremely light during the current week, the near approach of Christmas leading to a great attention from wholesale departments and causing transactions to be held in abeyance for a week or two. Merchants have been busy in taking account of stock, etc., but if business has lagged, speculation has been kept up, and there has been no let up in the prices advanced or declined.

A Shot from Sherman.—Chicago, 23.—The following letter from the headquarters of the army, Adjutant General's Office, Washington, Sep. 23, 1882:

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laine, from home his wife left three children aged six months, three years and five years respectively in the house while she did work at the bar. It is thought the children played with coal and set fire to their clothes. Before Mrs. Barker returned two of the little ones were charred and the baby afterwards died in her arms, the mother received burns which places her life in danger.

Philadelphia, 24.—Jas. Smyth & Co., manufacturers of gingham and cotton goods, have been running two large mills in this city, one at 1902 Pine and the other the Berkshire mill at Church and Oxford Streets. The latter mill, which had gone to protect against a strike among textile manufacturers; liabilities are estimated at \$400,000 to \$500,000. It is understood the firm will make an assignment to Wm. Arrot. Smyth says the trouble is due to unfortunate extension of their business, incurring liabilities which the stringency of the money market and the depressed condition of the cotton trade prevented them meeting. They felt warranted in taking the Franklin mill property upon which they spent thousands of dollars; and to do this they negotiated loans, and as they fell due they had to meet them by securing other loans, then money got tight, making their responsibility a burden.

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just returned from Harrisburg to spend the holidays with his family and left home with his nephew, Breckenridge stating that he had some business at the hotel with Dukes. On the way there he said he had seen some infamous letters from Dukes, and wanted an understanding. The two men went to the hotel and Dukes started up to Duke's room, Breckenridge followed, but stopped on the stairs to speak to the proprietor's son. While conversing, scuffling was heard in the room and both ran up to separate the combatants, who were found clutched in a terrible struggle. They were parted, but Dukes drew a revolver and said "You came in here to whip me and so I shoot," at the same time firing at the proprietor's son. The bullet struck the man's left eye, passing just below the eye, and causing quite a stir among textile manufacturers; liabilities are estimated at \$400,000 to \$500,000. It is understood the firm will make an assignment to Wm. Arrot. Smyth says the trouble is due to unfortunate extension of their business, incurring liabilities which the stringency of the money market and the depressed condition of the cotton trade prevented them meeting. They felt warranted in taking the Franklin mill property upon which they spent thousands of dollars; and to do this they negotiated loans, and as they fell due they had to meet them by securing other loans, then money got tight, making their responsibility a burden.

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