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CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE

The Deficiency at Red Cloud.

WASHINGTON, 29.—The chairman laid before the Senate a message from the President, enclosing a communication from the Secretary of the Interior in regard to the deficiency in the supplies at the Red Cloud Indian agency, and recommending favorable action on the estimates submitted by the Secretary to supply such deficiency; ordered printed and referred.

Sherman, from the committee on finance, reported adversely on the Senate bill to amend section 5,138 of the Revised Statutes of the U.S., permitting national banks to organize with a capital of fifty thousand in towns, irrespective of population.

Ingalls, who introduced the bill, said he had received numerous letters from national banks, in cities as well as country towns, asking the passage of this bill, and if the chairman of the committee on finance had no objections he would like to have the bill placed on the calendar with the adverse report; it was so ordered.

Bayard, from the committee on finance, reported favorably on the Senate bill extending the time for the redemption of lands held by the U. S. under the several acts levying direct taxes; passed.

Mitchell introduced a bill granting the right of way through the public lands for wagon roads over the Blue Mountains in the State of Oregon; referred to the committee on public lands.

Sargent introduced a bill to establish certain post roads in California; referred to the committee on post offices and post roads. Sargent said that, yesterday, his colleague, Booth, presented a memorial of the California legislature asking an appropriation to give the people of that State cheaper telegraphic facilities, as they had now to pay twenty-five cents a word. Several bills relating to this subject were before the committee on post offices and post roads. The memorial presented yesterday was referred to the committee on commerce, and he asked that it be referred to the committee on post offices and post roads, instead of the committee on commerce; referred.

Booth presented resolutions of the California Legislature, asking for such legislation as will protect actual settlers in their rights upon certain lands in that State, granted by the act of July 1st, 1862, to aid in the construction of a railroad and telegraph line from the Missouri river to the Pacific Ocean; referred to the committee on public lands.

Merrill, of Vt., submitted a resolution instructing the committee on public buildings and grounds to inquire as to the expediency of allowing artists having samples of their work on exhibition in the national statuary hall, at the capitol, to exhibit the same at the Centennial Exhibition at Philadelphia, after making proper arrangements for its safe return; agreed to.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill making appropriations for the support of the military academy, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1877, the pending question being the amendment of the committee on appropriations, to strike out the clause appropriating $2,496 for sixteen musicians for the companies, as provided in sections 9 and 10 of an act approved March 3rd, 1875, and inserting in lieu thereof the following—"for the pay of the military academy band $14,880," and it was agreed to.

The next amendment proposed to increase the appropriation for contingencies for the superintendent of the academy from $10,000 to $12,000; the amendment was agreed to, yeas 27, nays 14.

Other amendments of the committee were agreed to, and the bill having been considered in committee of the whole, was reported to the Senate, and the question being on concurring in the amendments made in committee, Whyte moved to strike out the clause increasing the amount for contingencies for the superintendent of the academy; rejected, yeas 19, nays 21.

On motion of Wright the Senate took up the bill declaring the true intent and meaning of the Union Pacific Railroad acts, approved June 1st, 1862, July 2nd, 1864, and July 3rd, 1866. Wright said that he did not expect to have this bill acted upon to-day. The question had been discussed last session, and he hoped the Senate would dispose of the bill with as little delay as possible.

Sargent asked if the effect of the bill was not to negative the several propositions which the government had always maintained heretofore?

Wright replied that the bill was in entire accord with all the departments of the government and was approved by all.

Pending the discussion the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned.

HOUSE.

Message from the President, etc.

WASHINGTON, 29.—Speaker Kerr laid before the House a message from the President urging the necessity of an immediate appropriation to supply the deficiency at the Red Cloud Indian agency.

Randall, chairman of the committee on appropriations, said that the committee had considered the subject, and had been unable to procure the information deemed essential; the committee therefore, reported a resolution, which had been adopted by the House, requesting the President to detail an army officer to go to the Red Cloud agency and report on the causes of the deficiency, and unless the reports of that officer were unreasonably delayed, he thought the committee might wait for it. There had been gross frauds connected with that agency, and there also had been a disregard of law, but if the President deemed the matter of sufficient importance to send a communication to Congress on the subject the committee on appropriations would proceed at once to consider it.

Banning enquired whether an army officer had been sent out.

Randall—"The President so states."

The message was referred to the committee on appropriations.

Bedee made a motion to recommit, which after discussion he withdrew, and the bill passed, yeas 174, nays 87.

Kelly, by unanimous consent, introduced a bill empowering the Secretary of the Interior, the Secretary of the Smithsonian Institute, and the librarian of Congress to resort to such measures as will most effectively restore the writings in the original manuscript of the Declaration of Independence with the signatures appended thereto, now in the patent office.

Sayler, from the committee on public lands, reported a bill to amend the act to encourage the growth of timber on the western prairies; also a bill explanatory of the timber culture act; recommitted.

Burleigh, from the committee on naval affairs, reported a bill directing the method of making the annual estimates of the expenditure for the navy department; recommitted.

The House then took up the bill which was up a few days ago, limiting the cost of the custom-house building at Memphis, Tenn., to four hundred thousand.

Discussion About Pensioners.

The House went into a committee of the whole, Blackburn in the chair, on the bill amending the laws granting pensions to the soldiers of the war of 1812, the question being on the motion to strike out the section restoring to the pension list the names of the persons stricken therefrom on account of sympathy with the rebellion.

Neal advocated the motion to strike out, and Bland opposed it.

Jenks moved to amend the section by providing that no arrears of pensions shall be paid for any portion of time during the existence of the rebellion to any one who either participated in the rebellion or held any office under the Southern Confederacy; he made an argument in support of his amendment. He thought it fair to say that from one to two score million dollars was involved in the bill.

Cook insisted that by the decision of the Supreme Court the whole question of the right of these pensioners to be restored to the pension rolls had been settled, and that after the President's proclamation at the close of the rebellion all legal rights were restored.

Kasson said the estimate of the commissioner of pensions, based on the bill as originally reported, was that it would require the annual payment of $2,140,000, and that by the peculiar phraseology of the bill all who had served in Mexico or in Indian wars would be entitled to pensions.

Hurlbut said that there was an impression on the public mind that this carefully worded and skillfully managed bill was but the entering wedge to other claims of vast amount, and whenever this bill was so altered as to be confined simply to the restoration of these pensioners to the rolls it would have his support, but not till then.

Caswell remarked that he regarded the bill as a departure from every sound principle of justice.

Hooker advocated the passage of the bill, and said that he had hoped that in this centennial period the American people would manifest a desire to throw the mantle of oblivion over the late contest.

Vance regarded the opposition to the bill as essentially intended for the soldiers of the South who had taken up arms against the Government. The war had not commenced among them, but in the House and Senate, and many members of both houses had declared at that time that it is sweet to die for one's country, and had quoted the line "go where glory waits thee," but they had taken care themselves not to go, or to die worth a cent (laughter). He asserted, as an humble soldier of the South, that if the country were engaged in a foreign war no man would more promptly reply to the call than the men in grey.

The Chairman, Harris, let the hammer suddenly fall as the indication that Vance's time had expired.

Vance—"You want me to quit now, do you?" (Laughter.)

The chairman kept up the hammering with the gavel.

Vance—"Can you not give me another minute?"

Chairman—(severely) "The gentleman from N. C., will be seated."

Townsend of N. Y., favored the recommittal of the bill.

The discussion was further continued by Hoskins, Williams, Henderson, Atkins, Reagan and Hill. Hill expressed his regret that gentlemen on the republican side of the House seemed determined to go back on their record of last session, when a bill similar to the pending one was passed by the House. He had canvassed the State of Georgia against secession, and he had always found these old invalid soldiers standing by his side and opposed to secession. It was a curious incident in history that at the very time these southern soldiers were fighting the enemy at New Orleans, there was a convention of New England men at Hartford proclaiming the very doctrine of secession on which the South had subsequently acted.

Kasson—"Did any State ever undertake to enforce it?"

Hill—(without noticing Kasson) "And I do not know that anybody engaged in that convention was ever struck from the pension rolls."

Atkins—"What has secession to do with this bill? Secession is dead, why should it be brought up here and discussed in this hall? Why should the gentleman from Georgia fling it in our faces on this floor? As a southern man I protest against the introduction of such questions."

Hoar replied to Hill's remarks about Hartford, Conn., and said the convention was composed of men as pure, able and patriotic as ever lived, and when they declared that a state legislature was to judge of the validity of an act of Congress they never contemplated any right to resist any act by force.

In the midst of a good deal of excitement and various interruptions, Hoar went on to say that he was tired of such lectures coming from the gentleman (Hill) on the other side of the House. In this connection he referred to Hill's record on the amnesty bill, and Hill again undertook to explain the resolution offered in the Confederate Congress in regard to the punishment of pretended officers and soldiers of the United States that might be captured on confederate soil.

Hoar continued—"A gentleman on that side of the House, (meaning Cox) in the same debate, used language which it is hardly decorous to repeat, and spoke of a distinguished member of this house as a hyena, an utterance that excited the disgust of the civilized world wherever the telegraph extends, and yet the other side of the House seized the first opportunity to place the author of that utterance in the Speaker's chair as their representative of the order, dignity and decency of the American Congress.

Cox replied to Hoar, and said he was sitting quietly in his seat when that gentleman's poisoned arrows were hurled at him. When he (Cox) used the language charged against him, he did it under provocation and without much deliberation; he had no special controversy with the gentleman from Maine (Blaine), or with the gentleman from Mass., who came forward as a defender of Hartford and of the bluelight federalists, who hung out their signals to the British. In conclusion he said that the best thing to be done with the bill in the interest of retrenchment and economy was to have it recommitted.

The committee rose, and the House, on motion of Holman, ordered that the bill be recommitted.

Luttrell offered a resolution declaring it to be the opinion of the House that the Secretary of the Treasury should at once commence the issue of the silver coin accumulated in the Treasury, as a substitute for the fractional currency; referred.

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