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## WASHINGTON LETTER.

Hope for Nicaragua Canal legislation has been revived by senatorial gossip, and is again running high. According to this gossip a deal is under way through which the amendment to the Ship Subsidy bill offered by Senator Clay, of Ga., providing for the construction of the Nicaragua Canal, at a cost not to exceed $140,000,000 is appropriated to start the work, is to be accepted by the republican senators and the democratic senators from the south are to join the republicans in voting for the bill. Outwardly there is a stubborn fight on over the Ship Subsidy bill between the republicans, and the democrats and populists, aided by ex-Senator Gorman, of Md., who has never lost the prestige he gained by his management of the successful fight against the Force bill a few years ago. The Senate is holding night sessions and the majority are expressing the determination to force a vote on the Subsidy bill and at the same time not to neglect the regular appropriation bills. The revenue reduction bill was passed this week without a division. The situation is decidedly interesting and growing more so every day.

Political lines have not been drawn in the rush by senators and representatives to get some of the army commissions provided by the Reorganization Act, for their constituents. The record of congressional callers on the President was broken this week, and all shades of politics were represented among the callers. It was a physical impossibility for the President to see them all, but he saw as many as he could and will doubtless see them all before the commissions are disposed of. He now recognizes the wisdom of his recent announcement that the commissions would be given as far as possible to those who had served with the volunteers. It makes his task much easier and the risk of making mistakes is much less, as the record of the volunteers is accessible to him and he will not have to depend altogether on more or less prejudiced recommendations, as he would have to do in appointing civilians.

The bill appropriating $5,000,000 for the Louisiana Purchase Exposition to be held at St. Louis, has been favorably reported to the House and Speaker Henderson has assured gentlemen interested in the exposition that the bill would be voted upon at an early day, which means its passage, as there is no opposition outside of the comparatively few members who oppose on constitutional grounds all congressional appropriations for expositions.

Gen. A. R. Chaffee, one of the three men nominated by the President this week—Gen. S. B. M. Young and Gen. Arthur MacArthur were the other two—to be major generals in the reorganized regular army, will be the first general officer of the regular army promoted from the ranks. Gen. Chaffee, who is now in command of the American troops in Pekin, began his military career as a private in the famous Sixth Cavalry. Gen. Chaffee's nomination jumped him over Gens. Wade, Merriam, Ludlow and MacArthur and fifty-four colonels who held higher relative rank in the regular army than he did. There are two vacancies yet to be filled in the rank of major general as the new law provides for six and Gen. Miles has been nominated to be Lieutenant General.

Representative Griggs, of Ga., made a speech while the House was considering the proposition to increase the salaries paid the railway mail clerks, against the practice of lobbying for congressional legislation in behalf of this or that class of government employes, which is attracting more than passing attention. He admitted that the railway postal employes had a good case, because they worked longer and received less pay than other postal employes, but took the ground that Congress was not established as a panacea for every grievance of every government employe, and that those who could better themselves would get out of the public service. He concluded by saying: "The government employe is perennial in his demands. There are about 300,000 employes of this government, a body which, once thoroughly organized and voting solidly, could turn the scales in any Presidential election. In almost every congressional district in the U. S. an active organization of government employes may be able to turn the scales at every election held. Suppose it should come to this where would the free representatives of the American people stand? Instead of being as they have always boasted, free and independent representatives of a free people, they would come here bound hand and foot, the mere puppets of organized office-holders."

Representatives Bromwell of Ohio, and Livingston of Ga., had a little spat as to the value of resolutions adopted by legislative bodies, the bone of contention being the subsidy for fast mails on Southern railroads, and the former said: "The gentlemen must know that you can get any resolution through, endorsing any project on earth, if you have got the right kind of a man to take hold of it and push it. One can get the members of this House to sign a petition to hang you. I mean no disrespect at all to the gentleman. I might have substituted myself." There was a general laugh and the incident closed, so far as those two gentlemen were concerned.

The Senate was not willing to accept the promise of the present Corps of West Point Cadets to engage in no more hazing, and has made it certain that the practice will be stopped for good and all by adding an amendment to the Military Academy appropriation bill, providing not only for the expulsion of any cadet guilty of hazing but making him ineligible to hold a commission in either army or navy.

## Pastor Rushbrook's Sermon.

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lowest Hell." Deut. 32: 22. David, the sweet singer in Israel, said: "The wicked shall be turned into Hell." Psalm 9: 17. Isaiah, the prophet, who could sing so beautifully of Christ in His sufferings, His triumph and reign, spoke also of "the everlasting burnings." Isaiah 33: 14.

But I will not stop with the meekest man in his day, or the sweetest singer in Israel, nor with the majestic prophet. I will ask you to listen to the meek and lowly Jesus, the One who could see beyond this scene, who was willing to leave the glories of Heaven for the sufferings of the cross to save people from the place of punishment. Hear Him in that sermon or sermon where three times He speaks of the hell of fire and twice of being cast into it. Matt. 5: 22, 29, 30. And in His second sermon on the Mount He speaks of the everlasting punishment. Matt. 25: 46. Again in Mark 9: 43-48. Five times in these verses the Lord speaks of the unquenchable fire and three times of the worm that dieth not. This is not conscience for the Lord says "go into" and "cast into hell fire."

Read what He says in Luke 16 about the conversation between that rich man who had recently been buried and Abraham who had been buried at least 1800 years. The rich man could see, speak, feel, remember, reason, pray, and was tormented. This is the testimony of the Son of God on this important and solemn subject. Did He mean to harrow up our souls with lying pictures of what never existed? Nay, my dear friends, He never used any exaggeration or tried to mislead anyone with the figures He used. We must remember that the same Jesus who used so many figures to describe the felicity of Heaven, used the opposite to describe the miseries of the lost. If the one is called light, the other is called darkness; the one is called day, the other night; one goes to the wedding where there is joy and gladness, the other is cast into outer darkness where there is weeping and gnashing of teeth. Matt. 22: 1-13.

If you like the figures used to describe Heaven as a place of happiness where the foundations of the walls of the city are of all manner of precious stones, its wall of jasper, its gates of pearl, its streets of gold and music of angels, be honest and believe the figures used to describe the place of punishment as the very opposite. If the one has a river clear as crystal, the other has a lake of fire. You know that such figures as the one class being compared to wheat and the other to chaff run all through the bible, and we may think as we please, but after all God holds us responsible for what He has said.

Don't think, my dear friends, that anyone can live here in sin and reject God's salvation, and then have a glorious entrance into heaven. What a sight it would be to see Cain and Abel, Herod and Moses, Jezebel and Elisha, Jesus and Herod, John and Judas, Tom Payne and Murray McCheyne, D. L. Moody and R. Ingersoll: the murderer and the murdered, the robber and the robbed, the seducer and the seduced, the hater and the hated, the blasphemer and the blasphemed, all walking the streets of heaven singing the songs of redemption. A pretty heaven that would be. Be not deceived dear friends, the same God who hurled oceans over Alps and Andes, drowning a world, and scorched Sodom to cinders in a hurricane of fire, and choked the streets of Jericho with corpses, and threw the Roman dogs on Jerusalem to tear it limb from limb until in a wild struggle of darkness and fire a nation found its grave, reigns still. The same God who cursed Cain and sent remorse upon Esau, and dug a grave for Korah, flung Jezebel to the dogs, and slew Belshazzar at his own banquet table reigns still, unchanged and unchangeable, and He will see to it that the Christ rejector, the swearer, the liar, the scoffer, the hypocrite, the drunkard, and the drunkard maker who made money by the murder of souls shall all be turned into hell where there is no death, but as long as heaven lasts hell shall last.

Be wise dear friends, don't turn away from this subject, saying I don't believe it, because the time will come when you will believe it. Colonel Charteris when dying exclaimed in great remorse, "I would gladly give £30,000 to have it proved to my satisfaction that there is no hell." But no one could prove that since God has said there is. Be wise in time for "A prudent man foreseeth the evil and hideth himself, but the simple pass on and are punished." Prov. 22: 3. □

## Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of money and secured by a certain mortgage bearing date the thirteenth day of March, 1893 Made and executed by Archibald D. McArthur and Caroline L. McArthur, his wife, and George McArthur, an unmarried man, to Iola E. Larkin and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the County of Tuscola, Michigan, on the thirty-first day of March, 1893, in Liber 65 on mortgages on page 71, which said mortgage was duly assigned by a written assignment bearing date the twelfth day of June, 1893, made and executed by the said Iola E. Larkin to the said Caroline L. McArthur and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office aforesaid in Liber 73 of mortgages on page 480, on the thirteenth day of June, 1893, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of eight hundred thirty-four dollars and forty-three cents ($834.43).

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