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unfinished business. There is a bare quorum in attendance.

IN THE SENATE.

Mr. Hill introduced a resolution, which went over until tomorrow, calling on the secretary of state for an opinion as to whether the Chandler immigration suspension bill is in violation of the treaty.

WAITING FOR THE CASH.

SOME PEOPLE DOUBT WHETHER THE SCHEME WILL WORK.

The Board of Directors Adopt the Scheme, But No Money in Sight.

SAVANNAH, GA., January 5.—No news yet from the Central reorganization scheme.

The plan was given to the board of directors Monday and it was approved, but the whole thing hangs fire in New York. Belief is expressed in some quarters that the necessary money is not subscribed in New York, and the plan cannot be started unless the cash is pledged to start the scheme.

BATE MEN STEAL A MARCH.

The Fight for the Tennessee Senatorship Grows Warm.

Special to The Journal.

NASHVILLE, TENN., January 5.—The house met at 10 o'clock and Speaker Davis announced the committee on rules. The senate met but took a recess and the members went into caucus to complete the election of candidates for the offices unfilled.

The senatorial situation is growing more interesting and the action of the caucus which is called to meet tonight will be watched with eagerness.

The caucus was gotten up by the Bate men, and this is taken to be a move of great advantage to that gentleman's candidacy.

His friends are much pleased over the outlook. ex-Governor Taylor's friends are reticent, but it can be seen that they are rather uneasy and in doubt what to do to break down the advantage. Bate has gained since the legislature met.

The call for a caucus is signed by sixty-nine members, lacking one of being two-thirds.

NO CABINET PLACE FOR WHITNEY

He Announces He Will Not Be One of Cleveland's Advisers.

NEW YORK, January 5.—William C. Whitney announced this morning that he would not be a member of President-elect Cleveland's cabinet.

"That does not mean that a cabinet place has been offered you, does it?" was asked.

Mr. Whitney hesitated a moment and then said: "Well, no, not necessarily, but I have nothing to say except that I will not be a member."

A MOST BRUTAL MURDER.

A Negro Kills a Sixty-Year-Old Man Near Selma.

Special to The Journal.

SELMA, ALA., January 5.—Yesterday evening at Old Town, in this county, just at dark E. W. Callaban, sixty years old, went out in his yard to feed his horses when a negro shot him, first in the leg and then closed in upon him and fired through his arm.

The old man loudly called for help when his assailant beat his head into a jelly with the butt of a pistol. The object was robbery. He was the brother of the superintendent of education of Dallas county.

KENNA AND BLAINE.

The Two Distinguished Invalids Are Improving.

WASHINGTON, January 5.—It is said at the residence of Senator Kenna, of West Virginia, that he passed a good night, and his condition is better this morning than it was yesterday. Although the senator has not regained the ground he lost from his relapse of ten days ago, his physicians say he is steadily improving, and it is in contemplation to take the senator to the Bermudas as soon as his strength is such as to enable him to undertake such a journey.

The report from Mr. Blaine is also encouraging.

COL. GEO. W. ADAMS DYING.

Special to The Journal.

FORSYTH, GA., January 5.—Colonel George W. Adams, one of the most prominent men in this county, is dying at his residence here.

Colonel Adams was superintendent of the Central railroad during the war, and has been prominently connected with railroads for a number of years. Colonel Adams is also secretary and treasurer of the Georgia State Agricultural society.

A DESPERATE MAN JAILED.

Special to The Journal.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., December 5.—Tex Edwards, a noted mountain desperado, who killed Deputy Sheriff Taylor near Jellico, Tenn., was brought here today and put in jail to prevent lynching by the people of Anderson county, where he was confined. He pretends to be crazy and

SILVER BOBS UP AGAIN.

TALK ABOUT THE RESOLUTION OF MR. HARTER.

MORE RADICAL THAN WAS EXPECTED.

Thus Far New York Business Men Are Apathetic.

However, It Is Likely That the Example of Boston Will Be Followed. Mr. Cleveland's Views.

Special to The Journal.

NEW YORK, January 5.—Renewed interest on the silver question has been aroused here by the Harter resolution presented in the house yesterday. It has been known for some time that a resolution of this kind somewhat more radical than the similar resolution presented by Mr. Harter some time ago, or the McPherson resolution now pending in the senate, would be soon presented for consideration. But the new resolution is more radical than even the opponents of silver here expected it would be. It has been supposed that it would fix a time limit during which no silver should be purchased or coined, something that might be supposed to represent the views of the incoming administration and satisfy the business interests that have been so long in antagonism over this question.

FAILURE OF THE CONFERENCE.

As a result financiers and business men, as well as politicians, were rather taken aback by the proposition to suspend entirely the purchase of silver until an international agreement was reached, and that without any special time limit.

The failure of the Brussels conference is looked upon as so decided that little hope is entertained here of a final decision of the question. A good deal of surprise has been manifested here as well as in other parts of the country, over the apparent apathy of the business interests in this city, which at all previous times have been so prompt in coming forward to discuss the financial question.

APATHY OF BUSINESS MEN.

Thus far no serious attempt has been made, so much as to call a meeting of any of the exchanges or other commercial organizations to advocate the adoption of the McPherson resolution, nor have any other steps been thus far proposed. Even the reform club, which has generally been first in the field in all such cases, has been strangely quiet, and it is learned from inquiry from its officers that nothing of the kind has thus far been seriously proposed or considered.

SHOULD COME FROM THE WEST.

It is generally thought that the movement in favor of the temporary suspension of coinage ought to come largely from the large cities of the west, as the claim is made that the business men of those cities are just as anxious for this temporary settlement of the silver question as the same element here, and that action on their part would be far more effective in producing the desired result than it would to have the movement originate in New York and eastern cities.

BOSTON'S EXAMPLE FOLLOWED.

But in spite of the apparent lack of interest it is likely that the example set by the Boston business men a few days ago will soon be followed. The question is, however, discussed in financial and political circles more than at any time since the movement which two years ago culminated in Mr. Cleveland's reform club letter opposing the already pending free coinage bill. It is probable that some time within the next fortnight meetings will be held in different parts of the country to promote the passage of a resolution similar to that introduced by Mr. Harter, although one as radical would be gladly accepted.

SPEAKER CRISP'S CO-OPERATION.

It is suggested that Speaker Crisp has agreed to do what he can to promote the consideration and passage of some measure repealing the Sherman law of 1890. On the other hand, most of the men generally interested in this despair of positive action during the present session of congress.

As Viewed in Washington.

ABSOLUTE FREE COINAGE MUST SUCCEED THE SHERMAN LAW SAY SILVERITES.

From Our Own Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 5.—A hard fight seems imminent in both house and senate on the repeal of the Sherman silver law.

Strong efforts are being made in the senate to give the right of way to Senator McPherson's resolution looking to this end, but the strong silver senators are dead against it unless a free silver bill can be put in its place.

THE BLIND BILL.

In the house of representatives, Harter Rayner Cochran and others are using all

A BABY IN THE CASE.

AN INTERESTING QUESTION SETTLED BY THE B'NAI B'RITH.

A Committee Decided to Let a Little Child Remain Where It Is.

A committee of the local order of the B'nai B'rith was, a few days ago, called upon to investigate a peculiar case in which they have just prepared a report.

Last winter a child of Jewish parentage was taken in charge by the Hebrew Ladies' Benevolent society. An effort was made to place it in the orphans' home on Washington street, but its tender age was a hindrance to admission.

It was then that the Home for the Friendless received the baby and cared for it until a few days later, when it was adopted by Mrs. Best, wife of the proprietor of the Standard Ice company.

At the last meeting of the Hebrew Ladies' society the matter, after having remained undisturbed for a year, was brought up. The child's present whereabouts was told and a suggestion was made that it be recovered, if possible, and brought up as its mother had wished it—according to the Jewish faith.

The society was puzzled as to a disposition of the affair; but finally placed it before the B'nai B'rith of Atlanta. At the regular meeting of that organization a committee, consisting of S. Wormsen and Alex Dittler, was appointed to investigate the matter and report upon it.

These two members, after careful consideration, have decided that it is legally right and to the child's interests, in view of the circumstances, that it remain where it is.

They will render a report to that effect and an annoying question is thus settled.

IS GIP SOUTH THE CULPRIT?

ROBERT JOHNSON SAYS GIP TOOK THAT DOLLAR.

Which Caused Him to be Arrested Yesterday—Sequel to the Arrest.

Robert Johnson, the little boy who was locked up on the charge of stealing one dollar, was released last night by Chief of Detectives Wright.

The case against him will probably be dropped, as several gentlemen have taken it up and will do everything possible to keep him from going to jail.

Last night Mr. P. H. Snook, who read the account of the boy's arrest in THE JOURNAL, called at the stationhouse and stated that if the boy was released he would give him a position.

Captain Wright, who was present when Mr. Snook called, investigated the case. The boy told him that Gip South had taken the letter from him and took the money out of it.

After hearing the boy's statement, Captain Wright thought it would be cruel to hold the boy under the circumstances. Mr. Snook agreed to take the boy and care for him until the police wanted him.

The boy was released on his promise to return whenever he was wanted. This morning he was given a place in Mr Snook's store.

Mr. Dahl, who had the boy arrested, called on Chief Connolly this morning and stated that he was not very anxious to prosecute Robert Johnson, but wanted Gip South arrested and prosecuted.

The police have been notified to arrest Gip, if they can catch him, and Chief Connolly states that they will prosecute both boys if Gip is caught.

Gip South has led many small boys astray, and the police have never been able to convict him on any charge except in the recorder's court.

His last chum was Charley Gardner, a boy tramp, who, it was thought, came here from Birmingham. They have been arrested twice in the past thirty days, but were released.

A Card from Mr. Dahl.

To the Editor of The Journal:

Owing to a mistake made in your paper yesterday permit me to say a few words without going into details of the case.

The boy Robert Johnson was arrested on perfect evidence of guilt and on his own confession to having stolen the money and handed it to an accomplice. His father said we had done right, and we hope this little scare will be a lasting advice to the boy.

C. A. DAHL, Florist.

HOW THEY WILL QUALIFY.

THE NEW COUNTY OFFICERS GO IN TOMORROW.

Ordinary Calhoun Takes His Oath Before Judge Clarke—The Others.

The county officers who were elected yesterday will qualify this afternoon or tomorrow and then they will be ready for duty.

Ordinary Calhoun will take the oath of office before Judge Marshall Clarke, who will approve his bond, and then he will qualify all the other county officers whose bonds will be approved by the county commissioners.

Sheriff Morrow will hold over until Saturday, when the new sheriff, Mr. Barnes, will make his bond and take the oath of office.

Sheriff Barnes will have general supervision of the affairs of the office and will attend to the criminal superior court when it is in session.

Deputy Sheriff Mike Blount will have

SNOWY FIELDS RED WITH BLOOD.

TWENTY-TWO MEN KILLED AT BAKERSVILLE.

LIVES SACRIFICED OVER TWO MOONSHINERS.

Defiance of the Law and Its Consequences in the Tar Heel State.

EAST TENNESSEE ALSO TO THE FRONT WITH BLOODSHED.

The Thirteenth Murder of the Month Occurs Last Night.

Two Feet of Snow on the Ground Makes It Impossible to Hear Fuller Particulars From North Carolina's Bloody Town.

From Special Correspondent.

JOHNSON CITY, TENN., January 5.—The following is the most complete list of those killed while attempting to lynch Murderer Snypes:

SHERIFF'S POSSE.

TOM HALL.
J. N. WILLIAMS.
D. F. RITCHIE.
R. N. JONES.
P. B. SAMS.
R. E. JOHNSON.
W. M. REED.
T. N. BECKNER.
J. W. LAWS.
N. B. PAUNELL.
G. N. HALLIFIELD.

THE LYNCHERS.

JACK THOMAS.
JOHN WORTH.
OWEN THOMAS.
WILLIAM OSBORN.
T. G. BAILIFF.
WILL PERRY.
JOHN OSBORNE.
PHIL CROWDER.
JIM NANCE.
WILL BUTLER.
HACEY BYRD.

THE STORY NOT YET CONFIRMED.

The story of the lynching riot at Bakersville, North Carolina, has not as yet been corroborated. The snow being from fourteen inches to two feet deep, it is almost impossible to get information from that mountain village.

SNIPES SURELY LYNCHED.

The latest report, however, from parties coming in from Cranberry on the morning train say that the whole neighborhood is terribly excited over the dreadful affair, and that Snipes, the murderer of Osborne, was surely lynched, and twenty-two men killed in the attempt.

Their names are as recorded above;

THE CAUSE OF THE RIOT.

The crime which led to this bloody riot was the killing last August by riddling the body with bullets one night of Isaac Osborne. Aaron Wiseman was also implicated in the murder and the mob is now scouring the country for him.

TWO MORE TO BE LYNCHED.

A report is also current that they will make an attempt to lynch the Whitson brothers, who are sentenced to be hanged on the 17th for the murder of Kit Byrd several years ago, and are being closely guarded in the jail at that place.

STILL ANOTHER TRAGEDY.

A dark tragedy was enacted in the mountains near Madison a few nights ago, the particulars of which have just reached here. Robert Lane and Alexander White were returning home from the postoffice with a registered letter which they had received containing the pitiful sum of six dollars when they were set upon and beat to death by well known parties and left on the road dead.

KILLED BY A HORSE THIEF.

Special to the Journal.

JOHNSON CITY, TENN., January 5.—Officer Miller, while trying to arrest an escaped horse thief, was shot in the head and instantly killed. Much excitement prevails over the affair, though he has been caught and lodged in jail.

Thirteen Murders in a Month.

STILL ANOTHER HORRIBLE TRAGEDY IN NORTH CAROLINA.

JOHNSON CITY, TENN., December 5.—

MRS. CLEVELAND AN
From a Sketch Made for Fra

After long waiting and countless futile attempts to surreptitiously obtain it, the crying demand of the public for something approaching an authentic likeness of Miss Ruth Cleveland has been met. The young lady has not yet been taken to a photographer's; neither has any of the camera fiends who haunt her pathway during her daily airings succeeded in eluding her nurse's vigilance; but Miss G. A. Davis has managed to get a long enough view of Miss Cleveland at Lakewood to make a "thumbnail" sketch, which, in this Week's issue of Frank Leslie's Weekly, she has combined with a picture of Mrs. Cleveland in a way that gives the public an opportunity to trace resemblances and differences.

A reporter called on Mr. Cleveland with a copy of the picture. The president-elect

"BIG CHIEF" IN ATLANTA.

FELIX MAYS, CHIEF OF THE CHEROKEE NATION.

HE IS ON HIS WAY TO WASHINGTON.

He Talks Interestingly to a Journal Representative.

Seventy-Nine Years of Age He Does Not Appear to be Thirty—A Description of a Prominent Indian.

Tax Collector Stewart has many visitors to call on him in the course of a year, but by far the most interesting personage who has visited him in a long time paid him a call this morning.

Rev. W. H. Tillman, the well known colored preacher, walked in the tax collector's office this morning, accompanied by a man about five feet and eight inches tall, straight as an arrow, with piercing black eyes, and long black hair.

He was introduced by Tillman as Felix Mays, chief of the Cherokee nation, and representing the other Indian tribes.

Chief Mays stated in reply to a JOURNAL man's questions that he was seventy-nine years of age, and had been chief of all the Indian nations in the west for forty years. A chief is elected only at the death of the former one.

Although seventy-nine years of age, the chief does not look to be over twenty-five. His family, however, is noted for its longevity. His father is 120 years of age, and his mother is ninety. She has thirty-nine children.

He said that the Indians of the west were contented and very well off and that they owned much land and cattle.

He was converted to the Baptist Missionary church in 1890, and since then has been an active member. He has in the nations fifty-two churches, with over three thousand members.

Mays showed his credentials of membership to Mr. Stewart, together with a solid