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**A MOCK SESSION.**

Amusing scenes in the House near the close of its labors.

The Columbia correspondent of *The News and Herald* gives the following account of a mock session held in the House of Representatives just before the final adjournment:

The regular Speaker having vacated the chair, Mr. W. K. Bradley, of Abbeville, a gentleman of Falstaffian proportions, and of most impressive humor, was called to take his place, and complied without ceremony. It was remarked several times thereafter, in my hearing, that he "filled" the chair very well, whereby I am deprived of the opportunity, and consequent small credit, of making that point myself.

The new Speaker at once seized the gavel, and, with a mighty thump, ordered "Silence in Court!" A burst of laughter and general confusion followed in lieu of obedience to this command, and Mr. Speaker pounded away with his little hammer—as all the temporary Speakers most delight to do when in his place—until order was secured, when he delivered a short address.

Myers, of Beaufort, at once moved to take up a bill changing the names of all the members of a certain family in some upper county, which bill has been read and re-read and amended, and read again and referred to committees and reported back and read again, and re-committed and read again, and read as part of members' speeches, and finally lost and introduced anew and read three times in each House, and referred, and amended and approved, and vetoed by the governor and ordered engrossed, and reported engrossed, and ordered enrolled and reported duly enrolled, and ratified, &c., &c., until every man and boy in the two Houses, and many visitors besides, are so familiar with it as to be able to call from memory every name in that large and interesting family, and until the simple announcement of the bill on one of its many readings in regular session had become the accepted signal for a guffaw.

Myers then moved to take up this everlasting bill once more.

The Chair, in well dissembled dismay, ordered him to take his seat immediately.

Myers: "I move it in behalf of the gentleman from Chester," (J. J. Hemphill.)

Chair, (irrelevantly): "Not at all! Not at all!"

Curtis: "I want to ask the Chair a question about those *coos*." (Alluding to a well known joke on the Speaker.)

Chair, (with the gavel): "*Wham!*" The utmost confusion and good humor now prevailed and the Speaker kept the House in a roar of laughter for some time by his extraordinary rulings. Then Myers took the floor again, and spoke for a half hour, until the Chair, and every one else, wearied, when the Chair peremptorily ordered his removal from the floor. Myers still hold on, and the Chair, after an interval, ordered the assistant sergeant-at-arms to furnish the Chair with a "good basket of rocks," with which he proposed to wing the tedious orator, who, however, finally closed, the Speaker remarking as he did so, "I am glad you are done."

The burlesque was well sustained for nearly or quite an hour, during which Judge Mackey and Senator Gary were called upon to address the meeting. Both did so, and Judge Mackey, with that keen sense of humor for which he is celebrated, brightened the general effect of the scene by pronouncing in solemn dirge-like tones the most humorous discourse I ever heard him utter.

General Gary came up smiling in response to a resolution ordering him to "go" married. He was very happy in his treatment of the theme mentioned, in the course of which he showed his familiarity with the classics by quoting Socrates on the subject, and his ignorance of the Bible by attributing an expression of St. Paul to some one else. (Your correspondent caught him out on this fly. No one else noticed the

error!) This reminds me to remark that General Gary must be more weary of reproaching the Democratic party with not having strictly adhered to its promises, made during the campaign. I call Governor Hampton and all the host of Democratic speakers and hearers who were present at the time to bear witness that the handsome general promised at Edgofield that he himself would certainly get married if, and as soon as, the party carried the State after the speaking, and he has not kept his promise.

On motion, Messrs. Blue, Green, Brown and Gray were appointed a special committee to investigate the blue-glass theory, and report to the next session. Richardson, of the *Register*, was voted seventy-five cents for the purchase of a wig, and the mock session adjourned *sine die*.

Cheap restaurants are becoming a feature of New York life. They abound in the lower part of the city, where a substantial dinner may be had for thirty-five cents.

There is said to be a young girl in Clinton, Canada, whose eyesight is as good as anybody's by day, but when night sets in she becomes blind and has to be led around. She is in good health, and the cause of this singular phenomenon is a mystery.

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