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SENATOR Morgan has introduced a bill in Congress providing that any state or municipality may collect taxes on property in the hands of a receiver appointed by order of the United States Courts in a manner as if the property remained in the possession of the person or corporation from whom taxes were due. The bill should pass; there is no reason why an insolvent corporation should be able to avoid paying taxes adjudged to be just and correct any more than a private individual or a corporation not in the hands of the U. S. Courts.

If Senator Butler is correct in his estimate that there is not $2 per capita in circulation in South Carolina it will be a hard matter for the State dispensaries to avoid bankruptcy.—Atlanta Constitution.

It is not the condition or success of the dispensaries that is worrying us so much, contemporary, but the effort to get hold of the small amount of $2, that each one of us is entitled to.

It is said that Tom Watson will run for Governor of Georgia next year. He will likely take it out in running as the people of Georgia will never put him in office again after his political somersault into the third party.

AN exchange makes the following suggestion, which is a good one:

There seems to be a very general idea that the convicts should be worked on the public roads That is the place for them, without a doubt, if they can be securely kept.

A GEORGIA paper contains the following:

"Lives of 'aristocrats' remind us
That we would scorn their derby;
And departing leave behind us
Scarecrows for Breckenbridge and Irby."

The Lawyer's Ways.

I've been list'nin' to them lawyers,
In the court house of the street,
And I've come to the conclusion
That I'm most completely beat,
Fust one fellow riz to argy,
And he boldly waded in
And he dressed the tremblin' pris'ner
In a coat o' deep-dyed sin.

Why, he painted him all over
In a hue o' blackest crime,
An' he smeared his reputation
With the thickest kind o' grime,
Till I found myself a wond'rin'
In a misty way and dim,
How the Lord had come to fashion
Sich an awful man as him.

The other lawyer started,
An' with brimin', tearful eyes,
Said his client was a martyr
That was brought to sacrifice,
An' he gave to that same pris'ner
Every blessed human grace,
'Till I saw the light o' virtue
Fairly shinin' from his face.

Then I own 'at I was puzzled
How sich things could rightly be;
An' this aggervatin' question
Seems to keep a puzzlin' me.
So, will some one please inform me,
An' this mystery unroll—
How an angel and a devil
Can persess the self-same soul?

Hard Times In Texas.

People in this State, farmers especially may think, and rightly so, that times are hard and money scarce, but the following extract, from a personal letter received by the editor of this paper, from Texas, shows that, if anything, a worse condition of affairs exists there than here:

"The South Carolina farmers have many advantages that the farmers here do not have. Cotton sells on an average in South Carolina from three-fourths to one cent higher than it does here. Oats are selling in this place (a small country town) at 18c., and corn at 25c. per bushel. Eggs usually sell in the cross-roads of Texas at four or five cents per dozen, and butter at from 10 to 15 cts. per pound.

The low price of a good many things that farmers raise in Texas is owing in a measure to high local freight rates, and the fact that Texas is a long distance from the large cities of the United States.

The crops are very short in nearly every portion of Texas this year. Corn is selling at 65 cts. a bushel 90 or 100 miles West of here, but the high local freight rates prevent the people here from selling it there to advantage.

The crops are almost a failure in Western and North-Western Texas this year."

List of Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining uncalled for in the Camden post office for the week ending Sept. 10th 1893:

MEN'S LIST.

Wood, Joe M.,
Simmons, Robert,
Kirkland, Mims,
Editor Journal,
Jackson, Lewis,
Samon, Thomas,

WOMENS' LIST.

Timmons, Miss Mary A.,
Hall, Miss Louisa,
Haggins, Miss Francis,
Hall, Miss Rosa,
McLeod, Miss Emma.

Persons calling for these letters will please state *what week* they were advertised. G. G. Alexander, P. M.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our regular correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17 1893.

Not since the memorable silver debate began in the Senate has the outlook for passing the financial measure that will receive the vote of every democratic Senator been as bright as it is at this writing. The failure of the attempt to compel the Senate to vote by holding a continuous session, which was a foregone conclusion, has convinced those democratic Senators who were pledged to do their best to secure the passage of the Voorhees bill that unconditional repeal is under present circumstances an impossibility and they are for the first time taking part in conferences held for the purposes of reaching an agreement upon a compromise that can be passed as a distinctively democratic measure, and there are the best of reasons for the prediction that such a measure will this week be passed by the Senate.

President Cleveland is not taking any part in these conferences. He is still firm in his belief that unconditional repeal would be the best thing, but he will not veto any compromise which meets the approval of the Democrats in the Senate and House, as any compromise will necessarily include the vicious purchasing clause of the Sherman law, and probably the authority for an issue of bonds to strengthen the gold reserve. The indications are that it will also include the repeal of the tax on State bank currency. Secretary Carlisle is reported to have given his opinion as to a compromise that would be approved by President Cleveland and it includes these propositions.

Laying away personal opinions and looking at the matter from a strictly political point of view it must at once be apparent to those familiar with public sentiment in the West and South that it will be better for the democratic party to grant some recognition to that sentiment in financial legislation than to ignore it. Without votes from those sections the party can neither elect a President nor control Congress.

All of the Ohio Republicans members of the House have been called home to help McKinley, who for some reason has become very much alarmed at the outlook Democrats in Congress do not forget that Ohio is under ordinary circumstances a Republican state but their private advices are certainly very favorable of late to the Democrats.

The Democrats of the House are setting the democratic Senators a good example in keeping together. Notwithstanding the efforts of the Republicans to create dissension among the House Democrats over the Tucker bill for the repeal of the obnoxious federal election laws, that bill was passed on schedule time and it received the votes of every Democrat present, as well as those of the Populists. The House then took up the McCreary bill amending the Geary Chinese exclusion act, which would have been passed last week if more members than were expected had not desired to make speeches thereon, causing the taking of a vote to be postponed until this afternoon.

The democratic Congress has one opportunity to bring about a great reform, and at the same time save a very large sum of money, that should not be neglected. It is a fact well known to all who have had any considerable business with the Treasury department that there is an unnecessary amount of red tape in its method of dealing with accounts involving the expenditure of money. This is not the fault of individuals but of the absurd system which compels a duplication of all the work done in connection wit every account which passes through the office of five out of the six auditors of the Treasury. To duplicate the work the clerical force is also necessarily duplicated. It is not a good argument to say that this duplication is a necessary safe guard, because the work of the Sixth Auditor's office, which handles all of the postoffice accounts, and which has long enjoyed the reputation of being conducted under a thorough business system, is not duplicated, being of itself a final settlement of the accounts upon which it passes. It is probable that the joint Congressional committee now investigating the work and methods of the various departments will recommend that all of the bureaus of the Treasury department which exist merely for the purpose of duplicating the work done in the offices of the first five auditors be abolished, they certainly ought to be abolished. It would mean the dropping of five or six hundred needless employees—the influence represented by their friends, many of them Senators and Representatives, is what will make the task a difficult one for Congress—and the consequent saving of their salaries, and it would reduce the time required to get an account through the Treasury nearly one half. It would also show the people that democratic economy was being practiced as well as preached.

At last the House is unanimous upon something. It adopted a resolution asking the Attorney General whether the interests of the Government are jeopardized by the passing of the Union Pacific Railway into the hands of receivers.

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D. C. KIRKLEY.

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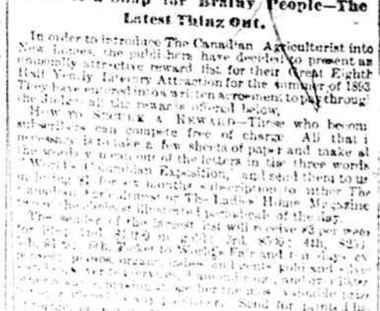
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