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Washington Letter.

A long and exciting debate was brought to a close on Friday when the House passed the bill for the hundred and eighty-fourth Congress.

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MINNESOTA NEWS

Two henneries will be started in St. Peter in the near future. The Delano G. A. R. Post held its first meeting Thursday evening.

Five thousand cords of wood have been hauled into Le Sueur this winter. C. A. Davis, the would-be editor of Crookston, who shot himself in the head is recovering.

Red Lake Indians are selling a good deal of pine, cut on their reservation this winter. One hundred and forty-six deaths out of 415 in Otter Tail county last year were from diphtheria.

The Delano Elevator Company has paid \$6000 for wood this year and has 3000 cords now on hand. Dr. Waite, of Stillwater, is under arrest for reporting a case of diphtheria to the health officer.

Lee Hammond, collector for Mr. Peck of the village, has absconded with \$400 of his employer's money. The Merchants and Farmers National Bank of Shakopee, with a capital of \$50,000, has been organized.

The farmers of Kanaboth and Rock County have organized a Township Union. West Mankato has earnestly petitioned the Mankato board of education to build a school house in that portion of the city.

A Hogston County man recently sold eight steers, four of them weighing 1350 pounds each and four weighing 1400 each. Mrs. Curtis, arrested in Northfield, charged with killing the illegitimate child of her daughter, has been held for trial in \$300 bond.

Elections have been called in Pipestone, Lyon and Yellow Medicine counties, to vote on the question of aid to the proposed canal railroad.

Edwin Fox, formerly of Jordan, this State, has recently founded a bank at Santa Paula, Cal. He is supposed to have committed suicide. The Standard cement company of Mankato has contracted to furnish 10,000 barrels of their cement to be used in the foundation of the Bartholdi statue at New York.

A little daughter of Hans Pederson, of Rochester, attempting to catch a ride on a sleigh, slipped and fell, fracturing her knee and thigh bone. She will be cripple for life. The Independent hose company of Rochester, have received \$155 from Maurice Strakoch, Ems Thursty's manager, for damages sustained by the breaking of his contract with that contractor.

Quinn house officer Jackson, of St. Vincent, is busy hauling in snugglers, taking in three teams and a single horse outfit on Thursday. The teams belonged to a Canadian Pacific contractor. The Minnesota State Dairymen's Association commenced its seventh annual session at Fairbault on Thursday. The court room, where it was held, was filled, over 400 people being present.

The disappointed Rochester people who were in expectancy over the visit of Miss Thursty, have received \$155 from Maurice Strakoch, Ems Thursty's manager, for damages sustained by the breaking of his contract with that contractor.

CONSIDERATIONS.

Virginia's peanut cry is above average, and shipments are going to market. Cincinnati wires sent and look 40,000 to the poor of Buffalo on Christmas day.

Mrs. Caroline C. Moore gave \$10,000 to the poor of Buffalo on Christmas day. "Moneyville," at Golden Gate Park San Francisco, is no more. Police did it.

Last week 124,088 returned from China were smuggled for postage. Victoria, B. C. was without telegraphic communication four days last week.

Adj. Gen. Drum has a scheme to colonize retired army officers in North Carolina. The parents of Mrs. Fred Dugby, the Northrup breaker over their daughter's marriage.

The New York produce exchange wants a resumption of Western port at the seaboard. Five ocean steamers were detained twenty-four off Sandy Hook by fog Thursday.

J. D. Sprickel has ordered two new steamers for the San Francisco and Sandwich Island line. John Nanning, a 49er, died alone of starvation at Shasta, Cal., with \$75,000 to his credit.

Ocell Sharp of Fairmont, dealer in agricultural implements, has made an assignment. J. D. Nett uses an accident in insurance company for \$5,000 on Capt. Nett's life when Dukes killed him.

The Pennsylvania grand judge of Junior Americans has excluded negroes from membership. Mrs. Lewis, of Red Bank, N. J., has given birth to a one-pound child, well-formed and living.

A Daneport, Iowa, boy of fifteen has just worked out a \$10 bill from the doctor's services at his birth. Flora Martin, thirteen, College Hill, Pa., suicided because she had been debauched by a man seventy years old.

Quinn is \$140 per ounce in Philadelphia on a commission in Germany. During the war it was \$4 an ounce. An arch and an inner wall of the Lincoln monument at Springfield, Ill., have spread, causing a damage of about \$2,000.

The Mississippi house has passed a bill allowing the sale of liquor at Oxford, for the use of the Mississippi university. This causes much comment. Philadelphia's first leap year was at Mrs. J. H. McKean's. The ladies wore short bosoms and low-cut dresses and covered hats.

The annual meeting of the American Institute of Mining Engineers will be held in Cincinnati Feb. 19 to 22. There will be no postponement on account of the flood. Builders of the Elgin, (Ill.) Rubber Tire company, organized for the manufacture of electric light lowers, have asked for a receiver. Liabilities, \$48,000; assets, \$41,000.

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