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**WASHINGTON LETTER.**

From Our Regular Correspondent.  
Washington, July 8, 1893.

It will be a long time before those familiar with the circumstances that led to the calling of the extra session of Congress for August 7, instead of a month or more later, as had for months been intended, get through talking about how Mr. Cleveland's nerve went to pieces and he got thoroughly "rattled," some of his admirers say for the first time in his life. His friends have tried hard to smooth over his "break" by giving out interviews in which they state that for ten days Mr. Cleveland has been thinking of calling the extra session in August. That is simply not only the day before his proclamation was issued he told a friend who was trying to persuade him to call an immediate extra session that he had fully made up his mind not to call it until September.

What rattled him? Why, the avalanche of petitions from all sections and from all classes of citizens, asking that Congress be called together at once, many of them telling him in plain language that if he failed to do so he would be held responsible for any further damage that might be done through the continued financial stringency. A majority of these petitions, which were as a rule forwarded by telegraph, mentioned the repeal of the Sherman Silver law as the end sought, but many merely asked that Congress be called together and given an opportunity to do something to restore public confidence. Added to these petitions were the opinions of the members of his cabinet, who had themselves been under the same sort of pressure, that August must be substituted for September, and in the language of one of them, "the old man got rattled and threw up the sponge, issued the proclamation and left for Buzzard's Bay before it was made public."

Republicans as a rule glad that the extra session has at last been called. They have from the first been of the opinion that the sooner the democratic Congress got together the better it would be for the country, as the worst possible legislation would not be any more disastrous than the dread and uncertainty of coming legislation which has pervaded business circles from the first day of the present administration, and with Congress in session public opinion will have an opportunity to at least try to influence legislation.

There is a leaven of common sense at work among the democratic Congressmen on the tariff question that later on may produce good results. One of them, who because he is not ready at this time to openly oppose the leaders of his party forbids the use of his name, said to me: "I shall gladly vote for the repeal of the Sherman Silver law, because I have always been opposed to it, but I do not consider it the principal cause of our financial troubles. The fear of disturbances in the tariff has had much more to do with it, and I believe that if Mr. Cleveland would publicly state his intention to veto any tariff bill which cuts the present rates sufficiently to injure any American industry that within sixty days confidence would be completely restored and the country again prosperous." While it is not certain that he will do so, there is a contingency in which this Congressman will publicly state these views on the floor of the House.

Another political debt incurred during the campaign was settled by the appointment of J. F. Tillman, of Tenn., to be Register of the Treasury. Mr. Tillman was promised a good place

if he would use his influence as Secretary of the Tennessee Farmer's Alliance to beat off the populists in that state and prevent their absorbing the alliance. The promise was made by Senator Gorman, but the "good place" was not forthcoming until almost a row was kicked up by Tillman and his friends. This is the position which Gorman was allowed to keep during the entire Harrison administration. His health compelled him to resign it a few weeks ago. Mr. Cleveland was either misrepresented or he broke his word in connection with this office, as he was reported to have said weeks ago that no one but an old soldier should have it. Mr. Tillman isn't an old soldier.

It is announced that the administration is determined that members of the Metropolitan police of this city who are drawing pensions shall either give up their pension or their positions as policemen. It has not yet, however, determined that the democratic member of the cabinet, the democratic Senators and the democratic Representatives who are drawing pensions shall give up their positions or their offices. The pension provision of this administration revision with its numerous other pretensions.

In a paper on Chili read at a woman's club it was told that women street car conductors are a distinct success in Santiago. They were first impressed into service during war time, when men were scarce but were found so useful that they were retained. They wear dark blue dresses, white aprons, a cash pouch slung from the shoulder and a neat straw or soft felt hat.

American Economist: Why cannot the railroads afford to give half fare rates to the Chicago Exposition better than to a republican or democratic national convention? The first lasts six months—the last six days. To the first millions would go to the last perhaps ten thousand.

Why discriminate against the many and in favor of the few? The people do not wish the railroads to lose money, but they do want fair play. Shall they have it? Can the railroads afford not to give it?

**The Danger Line.**

Hundreds of thousands of young men are rapidly rushing into drunkenness, because of the deceitfulness of their expectations that they can escape the liability of passing on the danger line. In the name of the danger line, they will appeal to all of them to study the record of experience, and they will thereby learn that they will have reached that danger line when they enter upon the drink habit. Some of them may not cross that line, but a majority of them will do so. We do not mean that all of this majority will reel through the streets, but the moral, physical and mental manhood of most of them will be impaired, which is practically drunkenness, and very many of them will go down to visible degradation and death.—Sacred Heart Review.

**Coal in Japan.**

The London Financial News says: Comparatively few people are aware that Japan is becoming an important factor in the world's supplies of coal. The output of coal in Japan has been steadily increasing during the last seven years, having risen from 315,000 tons in 1886 to 1,040,000 tons in 1892. A statement to the effect that an agreement has been entered into with an American firm to supply 2,500,000 tons of Japanese coal to San Francisco over the next ten years, San Francisco is a large importer of coal, the imports having reached 1,250,413 tons in 1892, and hitherto the bulk of the supply has been obtained from Australia. It is to be feared, however, that Japan will prove a serious competitor for Australia, as it is said that Japanese coal can be laid down in America at a lower price than the Australian product.

A railway train traveling night and day at the rate of fifty miles an hour would reach the moon in six months, the sun in 900 years, and Alpha Centauri, the nearest of the fixed stars, in 42,000,000 years. A ball from a gun, traveling at the rate of 800 miles an hour, would not reach Alpha Centauri in less than 2,700,000 years.

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Don't kick because the paper is not as large and neat as some of the city weeklies, especially when your subscription is twelve months in arrears. Don't ask for reduced rates, because you won't get 'em. Don't tell us of the misfortunes of our neighbors; we know all about them.

And don't forget, when you have an interesting item of news to call around to the office and tell us all about it. Do this and you can put your feet on the desk and read the exchanges while the editor will use the head of a barrel.—Exchange.

So Beer in that Bucket. The following is a "true story" that actually happened. A man from the new house near by came in at the alley gate and to the kitchen where a mother was working for the comfort of her family. He asked for a bucket. The men working on the brick wall were thirsty, and he would take them a drink. The bucket was brought. The lady, remarking on the discomfort of working in the hot sun that mid-summer day, offered to fill the bucket at her well. The water was so cool men from offices near by often came or sent for water from that well.

Reaching out for the bucket, the man declined the water, saying in a friendly tone that the men would like beer better than water—he only wanted a bucket to carry it in. Steadily the bucket was held back as the lady said, "I am sorry, I cannot loan a bucket of mine for beer. Why, I dare not. I have three boys, and what would they think if I let beer be carried in anything from my kitchen. I am sorry you wanted it for that. Should my boys drink liquor when they are grown, they must not say they ever saw beer in anything belonging to their mother—neither by her consent. Good day."—"Good day,"—World's White Ribbon.

**An Arid Nature.**

Colonel Wattersson, "retired from politics" in disgust, gives his opinion of Cleveland: A man as incapable of receiving an impression as of returning warmth, and sensible of criticism only to the point of resenting it. The President sits in the White House like a wooden image made to be worshipped, not to be loved. To the weaker members of his Cabinet he has imparted his dull self-sufficiency and cold stolidity. The most servile as well as the sincerest form of flattery is his imitation, and the beggars on horseback whom Mr. Cleveland, seeking to discover a new political planet and to people it with creatures of his own, brought into being and mounted, have caught the trick of their chief, and are equally industrious and successful in neglecting great for little things and in seeing nothing clearly except the regulations of the civil service. They, too, take more joy in one Republican who has repented and turned Mugwump than in ninety and nine Democrats who have never gone astray. A new and old friend of his said to me not long ago: "Of all the arid natures I ever encountered he is the most arid. He sympathizes with nobody, makes common cause with nobody, and in the most serious affairs trusts wholly and solely to fortune or caprice."

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A drastic measure for the regulation and restriction of foreign immigration is before the legislature of New South Wales. It regulates the conditions of residence of foreigners already resident in the colony, restricts the immigration of persons belonging to colored races, and absolutely excludes all Asiatics, whether subjects of the queen or not.

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**Hot Fishes!**  
The Fannie C. Hart will leave for Chicago about the 21st, spend one week there, furnish lodging breakfast and supper to the passengers; will call at the dock near the Fair ground every night and return them to the next morning and the expense of the entire trip will only be \$23. Only a limited number will be taken and any that want to go from here must make application at once to E. W. Miller, agent on the dock. The Fannie will start from Green Bay, but the ticket will be good on the Eugene C. Hart to that point where the transfer will be made. Now is your time; a pleasant trip on a boat you know, under a captain that is a small man of money. If you have any idea of going now is your time. Waste no time in making your application, because the list is bound to fill up rapidly at this and other points.

**Jolly Manistiquet Boys.**  
Quite a number of Manistiquet boys came over to spend the 4th, and take part in the bicycle races. The boys are fine fellows and it would be hard to find better. They are a little over confident of their racing ability but took their defeat good naturedly. Those who registered at the new Park Hotel were Harry Clarke, E. N. Orr, G. C. Haddon, W. W. Dr. W. E. Thomas, D. G. Currie, August, Carl, Andrew and Axel Ekstrom, C. Gunnerson, Wm. Buchanan, J. W. Whistler, C. E. Orr, N. Graham, Geo. A. Brooks, E. B. Ulsever and C. E. Riddle—30 in all.

**Ina.**  
There is anything more disgusting than to see a girl, in a public place—the street car, theater, hotel veranda or reception room, or any like place—chewing gum? Nothing, unless it's a man with his mouth full of tobacco who expectorates upon the streets. Coming home, the other evening on an interurban car I saw a young man and what was, unmistakably his best girl sitting across the aisle and in front of me. She would have been pretty regular but the violent manner in which she was chewing gum distorted every feature—her eyes rolled, her cheeks sank in and then expanded, and her mouth flew open and shut with a sound that set my every nerve on edge. Girls, girls if you must chew gum, do it in your own private room but do not inflict the sight of it on others.—Ez.

**Accuracy in Newspapers.**  
Absolute accuracy is not attainable by the press or any other human being. The fault one so often hears found with the newspapers—that no one finds anything accurately told in them of which he has himself personal knowledge at first hand, is a very reasonable fault, because it is the fault of the human sense. Nobody is more accurate, other things being equal, than an honest and careful reporter in describing what he has seen, owing to the irreducible defects of eyes, ears and judgment. History is as full of misstatements as any good newspaper.—N. Y. Evening Post.

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Neither the broad bills for the harvest, nor the clouds with their silver lining are giving comfort to the distracted administration. It promises great things in the future, but a great change has come. The hopeful thing about it all is, that the wheels of ruin will be side-tracked, and the old and tired will be more popular than ever before. The people of the United States will not be down and out until the temporary setback. It will only serve as a good object lesson for future use.

The Detroit Free Press says that "if the people of the United States had half as much confidence as they have money, the country would be enjoying a boom from the center of the boot-lickers." That paper talks to tell, however, the reason for the want of confidence. That would be a hard job for its party.

Cholera infantum has lost its terrors since the introduction of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. When that remedy is used and the child will not be distressed with each hot is followed, a cure is certain. Mr. A. W. Walters, a prominent merchant at Waterbury, Ill., says: "I cured my baby boy of cholera infantum after several other remedies had failed. The child was so low that he seemed almost beyond the aid of human hands or reach of any medicine." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Thompson & Putnam.

Congress will meet next month; then look out for genuine Democratic fun. Grover will send it off with a sorry message and the people will probably know something about the policy of his party; but mark it no reference will be made to the promises given in the Chicago convention. They were only given as a hobby upon which to ride into office and power. The horse has changed its gait.

Attorney-General Ellis seems to have made a mistake in his opinion about the Chicago equipment, and some of the well posted parliamentarians of the state do not hesitate to tell him so. They say a concurrent resolution passed by both houses of the state legislature is good law, and suspends for the time being other laws relating to that or similar subjects.

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The talk now is as to what Congress will do; but no two Democrats can agree upon what it ought to do. Of course the silver bill will be repealed, but what will Grover advise and what will Congress do in regard to the tariff. That is the question?

An Atlanta paper thinks Georgia can beat even South Carolina except in supplying the country with generations—meaning perhaps the results of an overindulgence in watermelon.

South Carolina still believes in "State's rights" and "a State bar." She doesn't even allow a railroad or a mile turn to haul whisky for any rival concern.

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Marquette wants a new city hall. Hon. The Mayor craved at Meeting on the 4th.

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North Lansing is quarantined on account of diptheria.

Worms are destroying the apple trees in Barry county.

L. L. Hubbard succeeds Dr. Wadsworth as state geologist.

The closing down of mines makes times very hard on the Moab range.

Thousands of men are employed in the vicinity of Alpena piling lumber bark.

Four men were badly hurt at an auto race by the bursting of a cannon on the 4th.

The shoener John Rice captured off Clear Bay Island Monday. The crew were rescued by the steamer Jewett.

The Chicago Tribune says: Capt. Bonchard is carrying his reputation on spangly games. That is wholly untrue as he wears the champion belt already.

L. M. Miller, late clerk of the House of Representatives says that Attorney General is off in his conclusions as to the state equipment being held at Chicago. He screeches Ellis.

The new steamer City of Alpena is on the route between Detroit and the Straits. She is said to be a beauty and makes twenty miles an hour.

Charles Sutcliffe, of Marshall, claims to have been waylaid and robbed while taking an excursion into the country with his bicycle Sunday.

Minor accidents are reported from all over the state as a result of the celebration of the still golden Fourth.

Burdett faces and hands, scorched eye brows and whiskers alternate with missing fingers. The latter condition is in almost every case to caution crackers.

Kentucky farmers have already begun feeling their legs with wheat. Corn is too valuable for use in other ways in a Democratic year.

The United States legation in Berlin is said to have been ordered to study the direct system of taxation in force in Prussia, with a view to its adoption in the United States.

Robert P. Porter having completed the census, and done his best work for the American people, has resigned, and asked that his resignation be accepted at once.

Ex-Senator Henderson of Missouri, having a letter to Secretary Carnegie, in which he says that it is not want of money but want of confidence that is causing the present financial difficulty. A single gold standard, the senator says, is the remedy.

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"Perhaps the reason that Mr. Cleveland never wears gloves is because he always has so many other things on his hands," says the Kansas City Journal. Considering that the gloves are naturally worn why he does not feel obliged to wear gloves.

The Mormon Temple. All the hardware used in the great Mormon temple at Salt Lake City, dedicated on April 3, was made in the city, and bears on the device of the temple, and the Mormon name of their country being "Deseret" or "the land of the honey bee"—or the clasp of the honey bee—on the hands, which is also one of the symbols of their church.

The Administration's Hawaiian policy is meeting with the fate which it deserves. The latest news from Hawaii shows that the Provisional Government which represents of civilization and progress of the islands, has steadily grown in strength and popularity in spite of "parliamentary" Blount's invitation to the elements of disorder to overturn it and set up the degraded ex-Queen in its stead.

The flag still waves bravely from hundreds of Hawaii dwellings. The American people have been prompt to condemn the cowardly insult offered by the Administration to the symbol of the Republic. The demand for annexation is stronger today than ever in the United States.

Sunday labor is prohibited in Europe, except in France and the Netherlands, where the workmen are given time for devotion to exercises. Night work is prohibited for women under 21 years of age in Austria, Belgium, France, Germany, Great Britain, Netherlands and Switzerland, except in cases where factories run continuously all hours. The hours of labor are eleven daily, except in Great Britain, where ten hours only are allowed. In unhealthy occupations a doctor's certificate is required in all countries for both women and children.

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