





### CONGRESS TAKES WINGS

After Hasty Agreement Members Fly Away.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The session of the 53rd Congress closed today with a hasty adjournment.

The extraordinary session of the 53rd Congress was called to order by Speaker Cannon at 10 o'clock.

The session was devoted to the consideration of the bill providing for the repeal of the purchasing clause of the silver purchasing act of 1890 known as the Sherman silver act.

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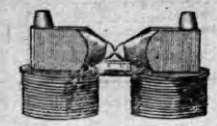




**THE MAGNETISM OF OXYGEN.**

Wonderful Achievements of Modern Chemistry and a Unique Experiment.

Although oxygen is considered to be a non-magnetic element, it is found that when in the liquid state it is quite strongly attracted by a powerful magnet. It is the only element in a few years that the liquid state of oxygen gas has been accomplished. It being formerly considered one of the most difficult of elements to liquefy.



OXYGEN ATTRACTED TO POLES OF MAGNET.

The "permanence" of oxygen, but now it can be produced in the form of a liquid, and the use of the improved methods devised by Professor Dewar.

An experiment proving the magnetic property of liquefied oxygen is described by Popular Science News, authority for the statements here made. The liquid is placed between the poles of a very powerful electro-magnet, and the liquid of rock crystal or quartz. It does not adhere to this substance, but remains in the spherical state like a drop of water in a red dish. Now if the electro-magnet is excited the liquid oxygen is strongly attracted, leaving the quartz dish adhered to the poles of the magnet. On breaking the circuit, and allowing the liquid to fall through the oxygen falls back into the dish again.

Hydrogen being an element of a metallic nature, it might be expected that it would also be attracted by the magnet, but although it has been liquefied and even solidified by intense cold and pressure it has only been obtained in such small quantities that it is impossible to try the experiment. However we are able to obtain it in large quantities, it would be very interesting to observe whether it is influenced in any way by a powerful magnet, either by being attracted like iron or nickel or repelled like diamagnet or other diamagnetic bodies.

**High Temperature Thermometer.**

Extremely useful high temperature thermometers have been constructed by replacing mercury with an alloy of sodium and potassium, which is liquid at ordinary temperatures and remains so at very high temperatures. When a very hard glass is employed to hold the liquid alloy, it becomes impossible to determine directly the temperature of any source of heat up to 1,100 degrees Fahrenheit, says Knowledge.

**Photographing Under Water.**

According to a scientific contemporary, Mr. Boutan has proved that photographs can be taken in a brief time under water with a camera by direct sunlight. He has been able to take pictures of fish, shells, and other objects at depths up to six or seven meters; while by the use of a special lamp they can be taken instantaneously at any depth that can be conveniently reached by a diver, and the state of the weather is of no importance.

**Hotels.**

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**FREE**

Handwritten description of a lamp, mentioning its features and the fact that it is free. The text is somewhat blurry but mentions 'Lamp' and 'free'.

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**A GREAT SLAUGHTER!**

**Ladies' Wrappers, for one week, at 75 cents.**

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A NEW MEDICAL SCIENCE.

Which Science do you wish to see? The one that has been the subject of the most extensive and successful experiments. The one that has been the subject of the most extensive and successful experiments. The one that has been the subject of the most extensive and successful experiments.

**A Six Inch Beetle.**

The Hercules beetle (Dynastes hercules), one of the largest species of the coleopterous or beetle family, is frequently seen in the case of the entomologist, but it is seldom that one is seen in New York. According to the New York Tribune, however, there was recently one of these giant beetles.

**A HERCULES BEETLE.**

alive, eating a peach every day and doing unusually well at the Natural History Museum.

It was caught in the island of Dominica and brought to New York by a sailor. It is full 6 inches long from the tip of the lower branch of its mandibles to the end of its body. The head is jet black, and from it grows out a long black horn, somewhat irregular in shape. The lower surface of this horn is covered with deep gold colored bristles, which do double duty in holding together the beetle's antennae. Another shorter horn grows out from the thorax. But the two form a powerful pair of pincers, with the body for a handle.

The elytra, or wing covers, are of a dirty yellowish color, with narrow dark spots. The elytra are covered with a fine network of lines, and are very strong. They are covered with a fine network of lines, and are very strong. They are covered with a fine network of lines, and are very strong.

**The Superstition of Halloween.**

The tradition of superstition regarding Halloween is, according to an essay by the late Dr. J. H. P. in the "Littell's Living Age," one of the most widespread of all. It is the night of all others when supernatural forces prevail, when spirits of the invisible and the world of the dead, as well as the world of the living, are believed to be in contact with the world of the living. It is the night of all others when supernatural forces prevail, when spirits of the invisible and the world of the dead, as well as the world of the living, are believed to be in contact with the world of the living.

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A Suggested Battle of the Present Indian. Traditions of the Pequot Indians, whose story home along Long Island sound center in the story of the Pequot Indians, whose story home along Long Island sound center in the story of the Pequot Indians.

**THE WOMEN OF GREECE.**

Completeness by Their Absence in City Streets—Day Laborers in the Country. The women of Greece are the most beautiful and the most interesting of the women of the world. They are the most beautiful and the most interesting of the women of the world.

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**General Belief in Convincing Arguments.**

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