sort of a bill the House is going to send to the Senate, assuming that the House will pass a currency bill, which now seems probable, but which the talk at today's democratic caucus did not make a certainty. It is supposed, but is not yet certain, that the House will vote on the Carlisle currency bill and the proposed amendments and substitutes the latter part of this week or the first of next, and the general expectation is that some kind of a currency bill will be passed, but Senator Hill is the only man who has yet predicted that any sort of a currency bill would or could be passed by the Senate at this session.

Representative Phillips, of Pa., is so certain that the labor commission proposed by his bill would be beneficial to the country that he has offered to donate $250,000 of his own money to pay the necessary expenses of the commission, if Congress will pass his bill providing for the commission. The bill is in the hands of a special committee of the House, which will grant public hearings for and against it, if it decides that there is time to act upon it at this session.

Senator Stewart had a somewhat costly experience with Chinese diplomates, who for a number of years occupied his house, locally known as "Stewart's Castle," and that may have made him doubtful of statements made by those who follow diplomacy as a profession. At any rate he introduced a resolution in the Senate enquiring of the Secretary of State whether Mr. John W. Foster is in any way officially connected with the United States government while on his mission to China and Japan, and notwithstanding the statement of Senator Morgan, that Mr. Foster had no official connection with the United States government, he said that he wished that statement to come officially from the Secretary of State. As if to accentuate his doubt Senator Stewart said he was aware that Mr. Foster had publicly stated that he had no official connection with the U. S. Government.

Realizing that the money estimated to come in from the income tax will be needed by the government this year, those who are seeking to indirectly kill the income tax by striking out the appropriation bill passed by the House before the recess and now in the hands of the Senate Committee on Appropriations, are proposing that $1 a barrel be added to the tax on beer and that the old tax of 2 cents on bank checks be revived, in order to replace the money that would be lost to the Treasury by a failure to provide for the collection of the income tax. This underground movement against the income tax was at first treated as insignificant, but opinions regarding it are more serious since it is seen to be tacitly, if not openly endorsed by the administration. It is said by many that it was this movement that brought about a renewal of friendly relations between President Cleveland and Senator Hill.

There is likely to be a short but lively fight in the House over that portion of the Naval appropriation bill providing for the building of several battleships. Although the majority of the House committee on Naval affairs has decided in favor of the building of these battleships it is not certain that the House will take the same view of the matter. These

Jan. 8:

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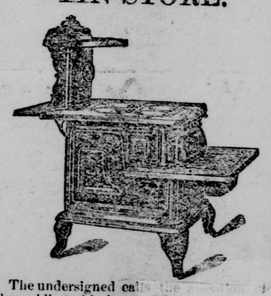

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