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# FLOOR PRIVILEGE

## Congress Guards It Jealously In Both Houses.

## RARELY USED IN THE SENATE

**Former Members of That Body, While Free to Attend Its Sessions, Prefer to Shun the Scene of Their Soionic Efforts—A Story of Evarts.**

What is known as "the privilege of the floor" in congress is the right to go upon the floor of the senate or house when either body is in session.

Although the right to go upon the floor of a legislative body is not so exclusive a privilege in some of the state legislatures, it is a great privilege and an exclusive one in congress. The doors are carefully guarded while congress is in session, and it is sometimes exceedingly difficult to have access to senators or representatives when public business is being done.

Senators and representatives have no regular or rigid rule on the subject, but it is known in Washington that the statesmen feel that their constituents or others who desire to see them privately should endeavor to do so in their offices, their committee rooms or at their residences.

To former members of the senate and house "the privilege of the floor" is given, but they do not often avail themselves of that right. This, however, is in strong contrast to the customs of twenty years ago and longer, when it was not uncommon to see former members moving about on the floor of the house when it was notoriously known that they were lobbying for some private claim or public graft.

Speaker Reed found this condition so obnoxious that he issued orders that no ex-members should be permitted to pass the doorkeepers without written authority from the speaker. Subsequent speakers have not found it necessary to draw the lines so rigidly, because the abuse has almost entirely ceased.

There is an unwritten law, however, governing the privilege of the floor of the senate, and it is the unwritten law of good breeding, good manners and common sense. Every ex-senator has the privilege of the floor, but it is so seldom exercised that its abuse has never occurred, nor is it ever likely to occur.

Former members of the senate are never seen there unless it is well known that they have proper business calling them to Washington, such as appearing before the supreme court as attorneys for clients in great cases, and even then it seldom happens that an ex-senator thus engaged ever enters upon the senate floor, although in going to and from the room of the supreme court they are obliged to pass by its doors.

After James G. Blaine ceased to be a senator he avoided the senate chamber forever. After resigning from that body Senator Roscoe Conkling of New York never entered the senate chamber, although he was often in the capitol on business before the supreme court. There was an exception, however, in one instance. By invitation he was one of the pallbearers of Senator Logan of Illinois, who was buried with obsequies from the senate chamber, and on that occasion Senator Conkling was present. Senator Benjamin Harrison upon leaving the senate never crossed its threshold until he went there to be inaugurated as president. Senator Dawes of Massachusetts, Senator Blair of New Hampshire, Senator Don Cameron of Pennsylvania, Senator Thurman of Ohio and Senator McDonald of Indiana are examples of distinguished senators who remained away from the senate after their terms expired. During the period of four years when he was in retirement Senator Gorman of Maryland never availed himself of the privilege of the floor, and during the two years he was without election Senator Quay of Pennsylvania absented himself from the senate chamber.

From a veteran employee of the senate there is gleaned an unusually interesting story concerning the late Senator Evarts of New York. This senator was one of the greatest intellects in public life for many years, but he was absentminded in small things. On one occasion he overlooked the rule about the privilege of the floor. He was entertaining Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes at his Washington home and invited his guest to accompany him to the capitol. Together they walked along the capitol corridor, and when they came to the door of the senate they entered together.

There was a copy of the senate rules on each side of the doors, but Senator Evarts did not look at them, nor, of course, did his guest. The doorkeepers did not interfere or ask any questions.

Well, Senator Evarts gave Dr. Holmes a seat in the rear of the desks of the members and proceeded to bring Senators Hoar, Quay, Hawley and others to introduce to him. Quite a levee was held there, and Dr. Holmes was gratified with his reception.

After awhile Senator Hoar went to Senator Evarts and, calling his attention to the rule concerning the privilege of the floor, asked, "How did you get him in?"

"He is my private secretary," said Senator Evarts quickly, with a boyish twinkle in his serious eyes. At that time private secretaries of members were allowed the floor privilege.—Smith D. Fry in Washington Star.

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| Sheer India Linon, 40 inches wide; a yard | 12½c |
| Linen-finish Suiting; heavy weight; 36 inches wide; a yard | 15c |
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| Irish Poplins, 27 inches wide; highly mercerized; white and colors; a yd | 25c |
| English Cotton Voiles, 24 inches wide; in stripes and check; a yard | 25c |
| Silk and cotton Chiffons, 27 inches wide; plain and dotted; a yard | 25c |
| English Shirting Madras, 32 inches wide; a variety of stripes; a yard | 25c |
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### Ratification Nisi.

William W. Beck, Assignee, versus Richard Groves.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity. No. 1764.

ORDERED, this 14th day of June, 1911, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the Auditors Account and Report, stated and reported by Lewin W. Wickes, Auditor, in the above entitled cause, be Ratified and Confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 10th day of July next;—Provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of two successive weeks before the 3rd day of July next.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy—Test: JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

June 17 1911—2t.

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S. SCOTT BECK, ATTORNEY.

### Order Nisi.

Charles A. Jessop, et al, versus Laura H. Jessop, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County In Equity. No. 1757.

ORDERED, this 22rd day of June, 1911, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by S. Scott Beck, Trustee, appointed by a decree of this court to make sale of said property be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 25th day of August next;—Provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of four successive weeks before the 24th day of July next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $7,500 00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy—Test: JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

June 24, 1911—4t.

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## JUST TRY AN ADV. IN "THE NEWS"

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## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The Board of Control and Review has discontinued its sitting until further notice.

By order of the Board,

j17-3t CHAS. W. KIBLER, Clerk.

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Coal to be delivered as follows: 20 tons on August 1, 1911, and 15 tons on August 10, 1911, at Chestertown, 2240 pounds to the ton.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all the bids. By order of the Board,

je10-4t GEORGE T. HUDSON, President.

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## FINAL NOTICE TO DELINQUENT TAX PAYERS.

I hereby give notice to all delinquent taxpayers that I will advertise and sell all property upon which the taxes are not paid by July 1st, 1911.

The law compels me to take this action; I have no option in the matter. I therefore urge all delinquents to settle by the above date and avoid the expense that they will necessarily be put to if their property is advertised.

W. J. TARBUTTON,

11 TREASURER.

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## TEACHERS EXAMINATION.

Notice is hereby given that the annual examination of applicants for certificate to teach in the public schools of Kent county, Md. will be held in the school building in Chestertown,

*JULY 11th, 12th, 13th, 1911.*

The examinations will commence each day at 9 o'clock and close at 4 o'clock with one hour intermission at noon. The additional subjects necessary for First Grade examinations will be given on the 12th and 13th.

Colored Teachers' Examination will be held JULY 18th, 19th, 20th, 1911.

je24-3t MILTON MELVIN, Supt.

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## SCHOLARSHIPS.

Notice is hereby given of free scholarships which are vacant and which are to be filled by the Board of County School Commissioners.

One at Western Maryland College, Westminster, Md. For a girl. Board and tuition free. Appointment by competitive examination.

Three at the State Normal School, Baltimore, Md. Tuition free. Appointment by competitive examination.

One at the Maryland Institute, tuition free, without examination.

One at St. Mary's Female Seminary, board and tuition free, without competitive examination.

The examinations indicated above will be held in the Public School Building, Chestertown TUESDAY, JULY 11, 1911, beginning at 10 o'clock.

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