

WASHINGTON.

The Tax Reduction Bill—The Contest Today—Funding and Banking Measures—Reports on Cuban Affairs—San Domingo—The Shipping Interest—City Politics—Revenue Matters.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—The House will open, to-morrow, with a renewal of the fight on the tariff. There will probably be no more serious attempts at filibustering, as even the most rabid Democratic free-trader cannot long withstand the odium of resisting, by such tactics, the passage of a bill which proposes to reduce taxation sixty-five millions. The contest in the morning will be on the vote to lay on the table the motion to reconsider the vote whereby the main question was ordered on the pending section. Should the House refuse to lay the motion on table then the vote will be reconsidered, and an opportunity probably afforded to vote separately on a number of the leading paragraphs of the section—such as iron, steel, hemp, oils, woolen and cotton goods, tea, sugar, and coffee. Should the motion to lay on the table be carried, the section will be agreed to by a nearly unanimous Republican vote, as Gen. SCHENCK says the reduction by the tariff amendment is fully \$15,000,000.

THE FUNDING BILL.

Gen. SCHENCK did not get his Funding bill before the House yesterday, owing to the filibustering of the Democrats. It will be expected to-morrow morning, however. It does not contain anything beyond the points already given in these dispatches. An effort will be made to have the funding and currency measures considered together, so that the features of the latter which apply to the banks may harmonize with the class of bonds which shall be authorized by the Funding bill.

THE CUBAN QUESTION.

Gen. BANKS having made his long expected report on Cuban affairs to the newspapers, the other half of his Committee, headed by Judge ORTH, will in a few days present a dissenting report to the House, in which the position of the Administration on this matter will be sustained and its action vindicated. The debate on these propositions will probably open this week.

DOMINICAN ANNEXATION.

The San Domingo treaty is stronger by the votes of two prominent Senators who have come over to its support during the past week. It only needs one or two more converts to insure its passage. One of the latest attempts to manufacture sentiment against the treaty was made last week by the correspondent of one of your contemporaries, which pretends to be friendly to the project and yet gives it a stab at every opportunity. The correspondent manufactured a story about the jobs in the treaty, with which he said it was reported and believed Gen. BABCOCK was connected. He then had the assurance to call upon the President for a vindication of Gen. BABCOCK from these charges. The President, instead of shutting the door in the face of such impudence, condescended to inform the correspondent that he believed Gen. BABCOCK to be an honest man, and that the charges were wholly without foundation.