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### CONGRESSIONAL.

#### SENATE.

The Vice-President submitted several communications from the Cabinet in answer to resolutions of the Senate; also a communication from the National Typographical Union, praying a favorable consideration of the postal telegraph bill still pending in the House; also for the abolition of the franking privilege, the recognition of the independence of Cuba, etc. A large number of bills were introduced, including a resolution by Corbett in favor of the annexation of British Columbia, subject to negotiation with England.

Stewart moved to take up the bill entitling Virginia to representation in Congress. Sumner opposed action on the bill until the proper committee had investigated the condition of affairs in Virginia. The bill was taken up and a lengthy discussion ensued. Stewart urged the prompt admission of the State, on the ground that the faith of Congress is pledged thereto. Sumner urged, as a reason for deferring action, that the condition of things in Tennessee should teach the Senate caution. If the bill was allowed to go over till next week, he would not oppose its consideration.

#### HOUSE.

Bill Apportioning Representation—Minor wants the Cabinet Called to Account—A Jangle.

WASHINGTON, 10.—A large number of bills were introduced, the most important of which was a bill apportioning the representation in Congress, by Palmer. Section one provides that after March 1st, 1861, the House of Representatives shall consist of 300 members; and that if new States are admitted after the next census, their representatives shall be additional to 300. If any State be reduced in numbers by this apportionment such reduction shall not take effect during the forty-second Congress, but its representatives in that Congress, in excess of the number fixed by the apportionment shall be additional to the 300. If the representation of any State be increased by this apportionment the additional representation shall be chosen out of the State at large.

Section two, requires that a preliminary report be furnished the Secretary of the Interior before August the 15th, 1870, showing the whole number of persons in each state or Territory, and the whole number of voters.

Section three. Says the Secretary of the Interior shall ascertain from this report the basis of representation in each State, and the aggregate basis of representation in the United States.

Section five. Requires the Secretary of the Interior to include the basis of representation in each of the States, Mississippi, Virginia, Texas and Georgia in the aggregate of the basis of the United States, but he shall not transmit the statement of his proceedings to their Governors until those States are respectively admitted to representation in both Houses of Congress.

Other sections provide details for carrying out the bill.

Munger offered a resolution directing all Cabinet officers to report the number of carriages, horses and the amount of harness paid for by the Government, to be used for pleasure and convenience by the heads of departments and their families, and by what authority such Government property has been so appropriated.

The House refused to second the previous question and the resolution went over.

Bingham introduced a joint resolution declaring Virginia entitled to representation in Congress, and moved the previous question on the passage of the main question, which was passed 73 to 58. Benjamin moved to reconsider the vote ordering the previous question, the vote resulting in 73 to 78, the Speaker casting his vote in the negative. The House refused to reconsider, when Whittemore moved to adjourn and called for the yeas and nays. Randall made a remark about South Carolina filibustering to exclude Virginia. Rame called the attention of the Speaker to the fact that the vote on Benjamin's motion had been correctly recorded. After some colloquy the vote was corrected, and the motion to reconsider the vote and ordering the previous question prevailed. The House then refused to second the previous question and the resolution went over.

The Committee reported the pension and military academy appropriation bills; the former appropriate twenty-eight millions, the latter one million. They were made a special order for Wednesday and Thursday next.

Several petitions on various subjects were presented, when the House adjourned.

#### ILLINOIS.

Sheriff Missing—New Steamers—Fechter's Death—Big row in the Georgia Legislature—Numerous Bills, Another for Utah, etc.

CHICAGO, 10.—Considerable excitement has been manifested in this city over the disappearance of Sheriff Fisher, of Clark county. Fisher left over a week ago, promising to return by Friday, on which day Walsh, the murderer, was to have been executed. The Governor has commuted the sentence of Walsh, but nothing has been heard from Fisher, and it is generally believed that he left with an abandoned woman, whom he has been some time keeping as a mistress. This same woman, not long since, shot Fisher while sitting in his office, for some cause not known, but Fisher recovered, and it appears resumed his relation with her. Fisher deserts a wife and three children, and an office worth \$20,000 annually.

Among the bills introduced into the

Senate yesterday was one by Howard regulating descent in the Territory of Utah; one by Harlan, regulating the sale of public lands of the United States, except to actual settlers; one by Stewart, securing to all persons equal protection of the laws and extending to Chinese emigrants the provisions of the Civil Rights' bill; also a bill to change the boundaries of Nevada, and one to abolish the franking privilege and to establish the U. S. postal telegraph system, and to authorize the Postmaster-General to contract for the construction of telegraph lines over the principal mail routes, and to regulate the charges for telegraphing that the revenue will equal as near as possible the current expenses for operating the lines. The construction, on account, in any year, is not to exceed the charge upon the Department for the franking privilege during the fiscal year ending January 30, '69. A joint resolution, by Morton declaring that no State has the power to enforce any tax or duty upon any passenger travelling into the State from other States of the United States.

CHICAGO, 11.—A disturbance occurred yesterday in a saloon between some local politicians, in which Charles O. Donnell and Peter Flannagan were seriously injured, the latter it is believed mortally.

Work will be commenced immediately on the new steamers for the American line. The officers of the International Company promise to have two steamers on the route by next October. It is understood that the Cunard Company have proposed to carry the mails at reduced rates, the same as the German and National line.

Niblo's Theatre was densely crowded last night, being Fechter's first appearance. The play was "Roy Blais." Fechter was loudly applauded, and was frequently called before the curtain. The audience appeared to be favorably impressed, and the general belief is that his engagement will be successful.

The Tribune's Atlanta special says the Georgia Legislature met at noon yesterday. The galleries were filled with spectators. A. J. Harris called the house to order. When the members had been sworn the Chair ordered the opinion of Attorney General Farlow to be read, with regard to the scope of the oath prescribed by Congress; accompanying it was a communication from General Terry endorsing his opinion. The reading was soon interrupted by Captain Bryant, of Augusta, who uttered a protest, against reading this document. The Chairman called him to order, but he persisted that he was a member elect to this house and would stand on his rights. The Chairman ordered the Sergeants-at-arms to arrest him. These officers approached him and one of them laid his hands on his shoulder and asked him to sit down, when Bryant raised his cane in a menacing manner and threatened to strike him if he arrested him. The officer drew a pistol when men arose in various parts of the hall, and said that men had pistols out in the hall and asked if order could not be maintained. There was now great excitement. Bryant and the Chairman were alternately cheered from the galleries, and there were indications of serious trouble. Quiet was, however, partially restored, when Bryant moved the chair. Great confusion ensued, when Bryant made a motion to adjourn, and put the question himself and declared the House adjourned. Chairman Harris said he was here to organize this House, and if he could not do it without assistance he would procure it. This was followed by another ebullition among the disturbers, when several members left the hall, and the work of administering the oath proceeded without further disturbance.

#### TENNESSEE.

Constitutional Convention—A Mayor Injuncted.

NASHVILLE, 10.—The Constitutional Convention met to-day. J. C. Brown was elected president. He was formerly a general in the Confederate army. On taking the chair he made a brief speech.

MEMPHIS.—Judge Padon, to-day, issued an injunction to prevent Johnson, the Mayor elect, from qualifying, on the ground that he is not a citizen of the United States.

#### WASHINGTON.

Mowery Enlisted—Nominations—Financial Bill—Promotion—Secretary Resigns—A new role.

WASHINGTON, 10.—General Sherman, in his general orders to-day, announced the death of Gen. Mowery, than whom, he says, a better soldier or a braver man never lived.

The President sent several nominations to the Senate, to-day, among which were Judge Emmons, as Judge of the 5th Circuit Court, vice Withey declined; Ed. S. Solomon, of Chicago, Governor of Washington Territory; Henry W. Blodgett, Judge of the Northern District of Illinois, vice Drummond; Henry Weller, of New Mexico, secretary for that Territory; Thos. Riddell, of Pa. Consul General at Havana; Jacob P. Bingham, Smelter and Refiner of the branch mint at Carson City, Nevada; Commodore John Rogers to be Rear Admiral; Capt. John J. Olney to be Commodore; Commander R. W. Shufelt to be Capt. Lieut. Commander; D. O. Saltsdale, to be Commodore; E. P. Applegate, Surveyor General of Oregon; Wm. H. Tolwell, 3rd Assistant P. M. General. The President also sent the treaty for the lease of Samana Bay, and the annexation of St. Domingo.

Sumner has prepared an elaborate financial bill, for reducing the national debt at a lower rate of interest, giving additional banking facilities to the South and West and for the resumption of specie payments. Senators and financiers meet to speak in high terms of the bill, and think it will meet the approval of the majority of the Senate. The President's treaty, looking to the

acquisition of St. Domingo, is sharply criticised in both the Senate and House.

Morton has prepared a bill, prohibiting the building, arming or fitting out of foreign vessels in this country, intended to apply particularly to Spain.

The President, in a conference with the Ways and Means Committee, on the subject of the tariff, recommends an increase of the free list, to apply to all articles generally used in this country which do not come into competition with American products.

A private letter from Paris says the resignation of the French Ministers at London and Berlin was owing to want of sympathy with the new French regime.

Brevet Maj. Gen. Charles H. Smith, commanding the 19th infantry, being the next in rank, has been assigned to the command of the Department of Louisiana, vice Mower, deceased.

WASHINGTON, 11.—Secretary Boutwell, last night, lectured for the benefit of the charity fund of the Grand Army of the Republic, at Lincoln Hall, which was filled to overflowing.

#### NEW YORK.

Hudson Frozen—Death of an Ex-Congressman—Gospel Advancing in the Market—In pursuit of the "Ridiculous Person"—No compromise—Republican Convention.

TROY, 10.—The Hudson River is covered with ice to-day.

Hon. John Haylor, ex-Congressman from New Jersey, died yesterday from injuries inflicted by a drunken man some weeks ago. The murderer is in custody.

Henry Ward Beecher's salary has been increased from \$12,500, to \$17,500.

NEW YORK.—Cook, the erring divine who eloped with a young lady, one of the members of his church, has hitherto possessed the entire confidence of his flock; but it is feared that his evil courses are not of recent origin. He is believed to have been the prey of blackmailers for some time past, and in consequence of his secret indiscretions, and driven to the wall by their importunities, he finally resolved to secure the person of a poor trusting child and fly. He departed on Saturday leaving letters to his wife and the father of Miss Johnson confessing his crime. The detectives are on his track in several directions, but the girl is undoubtedly ruined. Her brothers are following and a bloody tragedy will probably end this painful drama.

The Western Union Telegraph Company is firm and the strikers also. There is no present compromise visible. In the meanwhile the funds of the operators out of work are getting low and various labor organizations have undertaken to tax their own members five cents each for their benefit of their suffering brethren.

The Republican General Committee in this city, last evening, fully and permanently organized by the election of General John Cochrane as Chairman. All the delegates were present. With a few exceptions, the proceedings were harmonious, and at the conclusion were substantially unanimous.

#### OHIO.

##### Inauguration.

COLUMBUS, O.—Governor Hayes was inaugurated into his second term yesterday; the ceremonies took place in the rotunda of the Capitol and were witnessed by a large crowd. The governor's inaugural was brief and confined to recommendations on various matters growing out of his experience in managing the affairs of the State.

#### SOUTH CAROLINA.

##### The "Anna" Released.

CHARLESTON, 11.—The steamer Anna, arrested on Wednesday the 5th inst. by the U. S. Marshal, at the instance of the Spanish Consul, was released yesterday, nothing having been found to substantiate the charge of violating the neutrality laws. The Anna sailed for Nassau last night.

#### LOUISIANA.

##### Gambling Bill Repealed.

NEW ORLEANS, 11.—The bill repealing the gambling law has passed the Senate.

#### FOREIGN NEWS.

##### FRANCE.

A Royal Homicide—Exciting Scene in the Corps Legislatif.

PARIS, 10, evening.—This afternoon M. Jourault and Victor Noir, of the editorial staff of the *Marseiller*, *Recherches* journal, proceeded to the residence of Prince Pierre Bonaparte, as the seconds in a contemplated duel between the Prince and Paschall Grousset, the editor of that journal. They had an interview with the Prince, during which an altercation took place, when the Prince became enraged, and seizing a revolver fired twice, one of the shots taking effect in the body of Victor Noir, killing him instantly. The tragedy causes great agitation in the city. The Prince delivered himself to the authorities.

M. Ollivier addressed the Corps Legislatif to-day. He declared that the Ministry considered it their first duty to communicate with the Legislature. Long discourse was not necessary, their intentions being well known. The Ministry had the confidence of the Sovereign, and he asked that of the Chambers. They hoped a policy of conciliation would prevail with all, and aid in the work of establishing a national Government adapted to the requirements of the nation, and such as would be likely to insure liberty without license. Subsequently, during the session of the Chamber, Deputy Gambetta demanded information of the

whereabouts of the soldiers who had been punished for attending political meetings. Gen. Lebaud, Minister of War, replied, censuring all soldiers who disobeyed orders, but asserting, with emphasis, his conviction that the army would be faithful against revolution. The speech of the Minister of War led to an acrimonious debate, Deputies Gambetta and Jules Favre opposing Ollivier, who took up the affair and defended the Minister. Gambetta declared that the breach between Ollivier and the Opposition never could be healed. After a very exciting discussion the Chamber adjourned.

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