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## By Telegraph.

STATE OF THE AUSTRIAN EMPIRE.  
PEABODY'S PROPERTY AND WILL.  
Treaty between Great Britain and China.  
EMBARKATION OF PEABODY'S REMAINS.  
Georgian Democrats Heavy on Negroes.  
POLITICS RUNNING HIGH IN GEORGIA.  
Interesting News from Cuba and Hayti.  
TROUBLE THREATENING IN PORTUGAL.

## CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE.  
Prohibiting Members from recommending to office—No Act of Congress to be decided unconstitutional.

CHICAGO, 14.—In the Senate yesterday, Trumbull, from the Judiciary Committee, reported favorably on the bill prohibiting the recommendation to office by members of Congress. The clause allowing such recommendations in response to written application from Heads of Departments is stricken out. Drake made a long elaborate speech on the support of the bill prohibiting courts of the United States in deciding any act of Congress unconstitutional.

HOUSE.  
Reconstruction Committee.—No more Assessors, etc.

WASHINGTON.—Owing to the non-reception of certain printed documents, the Committee on Reconstruction has postponed the further consideration of the Virginia question until Saturday. The committee took no action in the case of Georgia.

A resolution was introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means to inquire into the expediency of abolishing the offices of assessors and other agents of the Internal Revenue department and apportioning an amount of tax, required to be reserved from domestic sources among the several States, according to the proportion of their population; also one declaring that American people learn with horror and indignation of the treatment of American citizens held as political prisoners under the English Government. No language is adequate to condemn such treatment, and urging the National Executive to the imperative duty of an immediate intervention in their behalf.

## NEW YORK.

Legislation and Speculation.—Peabody's Will—Cuba.—The old Story of Fighting, &c., Continued.

NEW YORK.—At the trial case of White against Mattern, in the Supreme Court to-day, Senator Mattern testified that he had entered into a speculation with the plaintiff for the purchase of a thousand shares of the Erie stock, he (Mattern) engaged to withhold for a while the information obtained by him, as a member of the legislative committee, concerning the Central and Erie railway's condition, he receiving one-half of the profits of the speculation. Mattern declined to answer several questions regarding the transactions on the ground that the answers would debase him.

NEW YORK.—A London special says Peabody's will has not yet passed the Probate at Doctors Commons. Peabody's property in England is set down under four hundred thousand pounds. He bequeaths £5,000 to each executive, £150,000 to his London charity, payable in three years. He has directed a few legacies of minor amount to be given to individuals and the remainder to be divided as provided among his relatives in America. The trustees are Geo. Peabody Russell and two other nephews, who are made residuary legatees and empowered to settle all affairs contracted with the property in America, which is estimated from three-fourths to a million of dollars.

NEW YORK, 14.—San Diego, Cuba, dispatch to the Herald states that a Haytian steamer was seized on the coast and taken to that place under suspicion of having landed arms for the Cubans. Seven hundred of the Valmezada battalion have arrived. The fighting at Mogarte still continues; some of the Spanish who are wounded are coming in.

The cholera is decreasing at Hayti. A special says that the Cacas are in full possession of the northern part of the island and are making extensive preparations to attack Port Au Prince. Five steamers, belonging to the insurgents, were coaling for the purpose of joining in the attack upon Sanaye. It is reported that Petionville, Port Au Prince, is in a wretched condition. One dollar in gold is selling for four thousand in Haytian currency.

## MASSACHUSETTS.

Elections.  
BOSTON.—The vote of the Citizens' Ticket for Mayor: Shurtleff, 11,230; Baldwin, Democrat, 4,198; Chase, of the Labor Reform, 197; Johnson, temperance, 312. The council is largely Republican. W. H. Kent, for the anti-annexation, a Boston candidate, was elected Mayor of Charleston to-day by 400 of a majority.

## GEORGIA.

The Democratic blood is up.—Won't gratify unhalloved and domineering Congress.

The New York Tribune's special from Atlanta City, says that Gen. Morgan is leading. A Democratic member of the Georgia legislature has published a rejoinder to Congressman Liff's letter, in

which he says that "neither the Senate nor the House intended to submit the question of the eligibility of colored members to seats in the Legislature to the Supreme Court. The present Legislature never will reseat negroes; nor will it pass the fifteenth Amendment; these are settled facts. As for myself, I have been a submissionist as long as I intend to be, and have gone as far as I intend to go to gratify the unhalloved will and domineering spirit of a corrupt Congress." The Democratic papers quote the above as mainly sentiments, having a ring of true metal.

Gen. Morgan occupies the seat of the expelled negro member. The President denounces Gen. Terry as an infamous liar, and advocates making the State too hot to hold the friends of the Administration.

An attempt was recently made to assassinate J. H. Donnell and Peter O'Neil, the Republican members of the Legislature for Millville.

## FOREIGN NEWS.

### Great Britain.

Eulogies on Peabody.—Peabody's Remains.—Rindorpest.—British and Chinese Treaty.

LONDON.—Victor Hugo and Louis Blanc have written warm Eulogies on Peabody.

The steamer *Monarch*, having on board the remains of the late George Peabody, has not yet put to sea, owing to a heavy gale.

Much alarm has been created by a sudden outbreak of the Rindorpest in the great cattle show of this city.

The news from Peking of the treaty between Great Britain and China, negotiated by Burlingame, has been ratified by the Chinese Government.

The remains of George Peabody were received aboard the iron clad *Monarch* on Saturday. The ceremony was attended by many distinguished persons accompanied the remains to the place of embarkation. The ships in the harbor displayed their flags at half mast and dipped their ensigns. As the *Monarch* steamed out minute guns were fired. Minister Motley addressed Captain Commerell, commanding the *Monarch*, referring to the great honor paid to Mr. Peabody by the heads of two great nations, in sending two war vessels as a special escort with his remains to his native country. On the part of the relatives of the deceased, he confided his remains to the Captain's keeping. Captain Commerell replied, accepting the sacred trust and assuring him that the remains should be cared for with the utmost zealous interest.

### AUSTRIA.

Emperor of Austria's Speech.  
VIENNA.—The Emperor Francis Joseph opened the Reichsradt to-day with a speech. He favored a conciliatory course of dealing with the Dalmatian insurrection and dwelt upon the peaceful appearance of European affairs with satisfaction. He declared that the Austrian Empire was on excellent relations with foreign powers, even on points which momentarily caused some trouble. Referring to internal affairs, he announced that important concessions will be made to different nationalities, and a modification of the constitution would be necessary, but it must be made in accordance with its spirit. He closed by promising that the autonomy of the provinces would be respected as long as was compatible with the maintenance of unity and power.

### FRANCE.

Trouble threatening in Portugal.  
PARIS.—A dispatch from Lisbon reports much political agitation at Portugal. A military movement has been commenced by the Duke of Saldaña which is assuming large and threatening proportions. The breach between the King and Duke is daily widening. The resignation of the present ministry is expected, and as soon as it takes place the king will appoint another and will resist the influence of the Duke of Saldaña; disorder is reported at Oporto.

### ROME.

Ecumenical Council.  
ROME.—The Council meets to-morrow, simply for the purpose of attending to the details of the organization. Committees on faith, discipline, orders, and eastern affairs will be formed. These committees comprise eighty-six members. The official list of persons entitled to attend the Council has been published, and contains the names of fifty-five cardinals, eleven patriarchs, 927 archbishops and abbots, two mitred abbots and twenty-nine generals of religious orders.



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