

ARE THE TARIFFS OF OTHER COUNTRIES PROTECTIVE?

The British Free Trade League of New York city, and their Revenue Reformers...

LIFE INSURANCE. The New York Herald sounds a note of warning...

France. The Bradford (England) Chamber of Commerce, just before the French war...

Germany. Mr. Burn, of Manchester, England, says in a pamphlet, that "The German Zollverein is practically prohibitory..."

Austria. The Austrian tariff is characterized by Sir L. Mallet, at a Union Meeting...

Russia. On the same occasion Mr. Behrens, President of the Chamber of Commerce, of Bradford, England, said...

Sweden. The tariff of Sweden, that "it has the unfortunate character of disputing with Spain the debatable honor..."

Switzerland. The following officers have been elected in the Senate for the present Session...

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India. Under British rule, there is a strong and growing feeling among the English residents...

Canada. There is a disposition on the part of some persons at Harrisburg, to make a Congressional district out of Huntingdon...

Statistics. The bill increasing the number of representatives in Congress to 283 has passed both Houses...

POSTAL TELEGRAPH.

The Postal Telegraph system is commanding a great deal of attention now, and finds no little favor...

On a vote taken last week it was finally decided to locate the picture at Harrisburg, in a building to be erected for the purpose...

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Section two makes the rates uniform for equal distances, twenty-five cents between offices not over 250 miles apart, and fifty cents for over 250 miles apart...

Section three provides for prepayment by stamps, and for destruction of all telegrams within one month.

Section four fixes press rates for each one hundred words of special dispatches at fifty cents by night, and seventy-five cents by day...

Section five defines the duties of the fourth Assistant Postmaster-General over telegraph lines.

Section seven authorizes the Postmaster-General to contract for the transmission of telegrams at the above rates with parties who will furnish and operate the necessary lines of telegraph.

Section eleven and twelve authorize the company to purchase all such lines, if required by the owners thereof, at an appraised value.

Section thirteen authorizes the company to open offices wherever the wants of business may require.

Section fourteen authorizes Congress to purchase lines at any time at an appraised value.

Section fifteen reserves to Congress the right to alter or amend the act.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 25, 1872. Mr. Editor—Having come to this town on some important business, and having a little leisure time, perhaps I cannot better employ it than in trying to post your readers upon some of the doings of their public servants, the members of the Senate and House of Representatives...

What my business here is it is not necessary now to tell you. I may say, however, that it is connected with the passage of an important underground railroad bill—in short, that I am an honorary member of the same...

Transcribing Clerks—J. Ross, David Lane, A. K. Warfield, L. W. Hickson, C. K. Sartwell, S. Caven. Sergeant-at-Arms—Joseph Hall. Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—H. Jones, Joseph Olmstead. Doorkeeper—Capt. John A. Swartz. Assistant Doorkeepers—R. P. McCull, Wm. Sherwood. Librarian—Sullivan S. Child. Postmaster—A. Lutz. Messenger—T. B. Monks. Assistant Messengers—W. W. Heeb, Wm. Bates. Superintendent of Folding Department—M. L. Sherwood. Pastors and Folders—Capt. J. P. Hoffmann, John Stewart, George Wood, Capt. J. B. Vance, Thomas Wilson and James McCauley. Doorkeeper of Rotunda—H. W. Nelson.

but the country members consider it unsafe to keep it so near to the sea coast, as in case of a war with France the first thing the French would attempt to capture and carry to Paris would be this same picture. The member from Pittsburgh would like to have it kept in his town, but in case of a war with Great Britain, and of an invasion from our Lake Erie border the picture would be in still more danger...

Mr. Gray, the new Senator elected from the fourth district, arrived here and was sworn in on the 1st inst. The Patriot rejoices in the "indecent haste" evinced by the Republican members of this body...

On Friday, of last week, the House, without the consent and concurrence of the Senate, adjourned over to Wednesday...

The Phil. Press—the paper which thought McClure ought to be elected because he is a Republican in spirit—complains that the bodies composing the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, don't work enough...

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ed Judge Lynch would assume the seat which I would thereby have proved myself unworthy to hold. I refuse to admit that the prisoners to hold.

Mr. Bates urged upon the Attorney General his application for the admission of the prisoners to hold, ostensibly to save expense.

In the House this evening the Committee to express the sense of that body on the veto of the admission bill reported a resolution that the statements in the Governor's message were unsound, false, disgusting, and a direct insult to the people of the Territory...

RAILROAD SLAUGHTER. Fatal Accident Near March Creek. A Passenger Train Over an Embankment—The Wrecked Cars Catch Fire—Eight Persons Lost Their Lives—Eighteen Injured.

SCRANTON, PA., February 1.—A terrible accident occurred this morning on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, near Rockport. As the Buffalo express train was nearing this point, a rail broke, precipitating the train over an embankment about thirty feet high, wrecking the cars, which were set on fire by the stoves. Four of the passengers were instantly killed, and four more have since died of their injuries...

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE HUNTINGDON COUNTY ALMS HOUSE, FROM DECEMBER 15th, 1870, TO DECEMBER 31st, 1871, inclusive.

Table of Receipts and Expenditures for the Alms House, showing income from various sources and disbursements for food, clothing, and other necessities.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE HUNTINGDON COUNTY ALMS HOUSE, FROM JANUARY 1st, 1872, TO THE 15th OF JANUARY, 1872.

Table of Receipts and Expenditures for January 1872, detailing the current month's financial transactions.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE HUNTINGDON COUNTY ALMS HOUSE, FROM JANUARY 15th, 1872, TO THE 31st OF JANUARY, 1872.

Table of Receipts and Expenditures for the remainder of January 1872.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE HUNTINGDON COUNTY ALMS HOUSE, FROM FEBRUARY 1st, 1872, TO THE 15th OF FEBRUARY, 1872.

Table of Receipts and Expenditures for the first half of February 1872.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE HUNTINGDON COUNTY ALMS HOUSE, FROM FEBRUARY 15th, 1872, TO THE 31st OF FEBRUARY, 1872.

Table of Receipts and Expenditures for the second half of February 1872.

Table of Miscellaneous Receipts and Expenditures, including items like postage, printing, and other minor expenses.

Table of Receipts and Expenditures for various departments, such as the Sheriff's Office and the Prison.

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