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EVENING BULLETIN.

Tuesday, March 15, 1870.

THE JUDICIARY.

The Senate Judiciary Committee has paid so little attention to the opinions and wishes of the bar of Philadelphia as to present a series for the increase of our judiciary in direct opposition to the expressed and reasonable wants of this community. The Legislature has been asked for breat and given us a stone. Where it was told that we needed additional judges it proposes to give us none. And where it was asked to give us one judge, it insists upon giving us two.

This apparently puzzling action of the Senate Committee is not difficult to explain. Our Harrisburg correspondence has already thrown some light upon it. The majority of the Judiciary Committee has had a clever trick played upon it by its clever Democratic member, Mr. Walker, a gentleman who is up to a great variety of ingenious experiments, besides the antiquating of bogus naturalization papers with coffee grounds. As our correspondent has already stated, Mr. Wallace,—and we hear Mr. Buckalew named in the same connection, —innocently suggested to the Committee that there was no need for more judges in the District Court, but that all that was needed was a younger and more vigorous man in Judge Stroud's place. Next he suggested that the Common Pleas does need two more judges,—the bar of Philadelphia having asked for only one. Then came the appeal to the generosity of the majority of the Committee to give to elect these two judges on the Buckalew system, thereby securing one more Democrat in that Court. Why the majority assented to this trick, no human sagacity can divine, but it was agreed to, on condition that the Democrats would put up a respectable candidate. Then, when the bargain was made, Mr. Wallace allowed the cat to peep out of the bag, and with increased innocence suggested whether Mr. Lewis C. Cassidy would not be a very acceptable candidate!

This is carrying out the request of the bar and the business men of Philadelphia, with a vengeance. So far as the District Court is concerned, we have this to say. Judge Stroud is an old man, and has certainly not treated the EVENING BULLETIN with dignity, propriety or justice. But the argument used by the Democrats at Harrisburg is ungenerous to an old, faithful and able judge, and is only used as a pretext. We hope that the bar will select judges into the Common Pleas Court, in order to get Mr. Cassidy on the bench.

We trust that the Legislature will act in this important matter only in accordance with the deliberate and general judgment of the Philadelphia bar. The wants of the courts are far better understood here than they can be at Harrisburg, and the political trick which has been perpetrated by the Democrats in the Senate certainly should not receive the sanction or support of a single Republican member of either branch of the Legislature.

THE BORDER RAID SWINDLE.

The people of Pennsylvania have need to watch the Legislature narrowly, or the great robbery, so deliberately planned against the State Treasury, will yet be perpetrated. The timely warnings which we have felt it our duty to give, of this enormous design upon the revenues of the State, while they have aroused public attention and public indignation, have not deterred the engineers of the bill from securing its favorable report from the Ways and Means Committee. Either one of the Philadelphia members, Messrs. Davis, Josepha or Adaire could have defeated this important preliminary step, but the Border raiders were not wrong in relying upon the alliance which they have formed at Harrisburg.

The people of Philadelphia are principally concerned with their own representatives, and while the other members of the Ways and Means Committee who voted for this iniquity are equally responsible, Messrs. Davis, Adaire and Josephs must bear the burden of having consented to, if they did not urge and promote, the favorable report of this infamous scheme of public robbery. That they will do so, the burden a terribly inconvenient one, next fall, we have not a shadow of doubt.

Yesterday, we learned that Mr. Davis, properly conscious of the storm of condemnation which he has aroused, had declared his determination to withdraw his further support from the bill. He will be able to do so if he does. But Mr. Davis said essentially the same thing in this city, more than a week ago, and he went back to Harrisburg and put the bill through his committee. How this is explained, we know not. Whether the "arguments" of the Border raiders were increased in weight, during the week, or whether Mr. Davis was already tied up to support the measure, beyond retreat, will soon be known publicly. Probably, Mr. Davis, having set the ball successfully upon its passage, may have ascertained that votes enough have been bought to secure it without his further active aid, and it may be a part of the plan that he, as Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, is not to go on the record in favor of the bill. Whether these suspicions are well founded or not will be proved by Mr. Davis's future course. He has the power to defeat the bill, if he chooses to do so. If the bill passes the House, it will be because Mr. Davis has allowed it to pass, first by his action in committee, and afterward by his acquiescence or apathy in the House. We hope that Mr. Davis, out especially, because he is the parliamentary leader of the House, and because his personal and official influence at Harrisburg is probably greater than that of any other member of the Legislature. We would not screen Mr. Adaire or Mr. Josephs behind the shadow of the chairmanship of the Ways and Means Committee. They have their full share of the responsibility, and will find it to be so, at the next election.

THE MERCANTILE LIBRARY.

The question of opening the Mercantile Library on Sundays has so far settled as to have been referred, by the Board of Directors, to a vote of the stockholders. This is the proper course for the Directors to take. The Mercantile Library has about six thousand stockholders, and it has had the misfortune to include within this number a little handful of restless, and often factious, spirits, who are never satisfied either with the omissions or commissions of the Board of Directors, and who have a happy faculty for disturbing the peace and quiet of the placid regions of the Library. These agitating gentlemen have been greatly exercised because the Directors, representing six thousand clients, have declined to obey a direction from fifty-seven members, who determined that the Library was to be open on Sundays.

The Directors have unquestionably acted in strict accordance with their duty in declining to be dictated to by the small minority, and in submitting the subject to the general voice of the stockholders, to whom they are responsible, and who alone have any right to decide questions of this kind.

We are unable to form any opinion as to how the stockholders will determine the question of opening the Library on Sundays. Strong arguments will be advanced on both sides, and we suppose that we may look for some repetition of the exciting contests which have disturbed the tranquility of the Library on former occasions. It is a subject that does not need excited canvassing or impassioned debate. It is quite possible to settle it one way or the other, in sober quietness and good feeling. Whatever the majority decides, the Directors will cheerfully and in good faith carry into effect, and we trust that the good sense of the mass of the stockholders will prevail to prevent all resorts to unfair or improper influences and appliances on either side, letting their "yea be yea, and their nay, nay," without hard words or foolish excitement.

The loyal people of the country will regard with pleasure the passage by the House of Representatives, of a joint resolution appropriating an amount equal to one year's salary of an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, to the widow and children of Edwin M. Stanton. If there is any justice at all in the system which makes the families of men who have died in the service of their country, in some sense the wards of the nation, it is clear that the family of Mr. Stanton should receive at least an acknowledgment of our obligation. Mr. Stanton was killed by his labors for the salvation of this government, and his death was as much a gallant and heroic sacrifice for that cause as if he had perished upon the battle-field. If there is anything to regret in this matter, it is that the resolution of Congress does not appropriate a sufficient sum. But as a handsome amount has been obtained by private subscription, we are ready to express satisfaction that Congress, by giving even a small sum, has recognized officially the claims of Mr. Stanton's family upon the nation. This act of justice ought to be supplemented by another, which is demanded in an equally impressive manner. A pension should be given to Mrs. Lincoln. Mr. Lincoln had even a stronger claim to our gratitude than Mr. Stanton had, and no consideration whatever should interfere to prevent acknowledgment of that claim by placing his widow above the reach of want.

The satisfaction which we naturally derive from the intelligence that Lydia Thompson and her troupe of blonde and brazen brazes have been indicted by a Chicago jury for riot, would be intensified if we could have some assurance that the penalty for the crime in Illinois was of such a character as to make the operations of the party upon the stage impossible. If, for instance, the Chicago judge could be induced to sentence them to imprisonment for life, or to perpetual exile from Canada, or to condemn them to be forsake pudding or dress as decently as other women, we should be ready to pardon to several of the indictments for the sake of the pleasure that would be derived from reflection that these people could not disgrace our theatres again and take the bread from respectable actors and actresses.

The Montpensier-Bourbon duel in Spain has apparently destroyed whatever chance there might have been for the election of a Bourbon Prince to the throne. Montpensier seemed to have, for a time, some chance, and as he and his wife are both Bourbons, their heirs might have secured the succession permanently. But the fatal duel has spoiled the prospect, for the people would probably never consent to be ruled by the hero of such a murderous duel as that of last Saturday. If the Spanish Republicans are wise, they may derive great benefit from the catastrophe that has put two of the chief aspirants to the throne out of the way forever.

We are waiting, with some impatience, for the particulars of the little arrangement by which the Legislature was induced to prohibit the people of Philadelphia from selecting a site for their public buildings. It is now generally understood that the vote was not charged to Mr. Davis's spread-eagle speech, and we hope to lay the real history of this apparent outburst of unusual patriotism before our readers.

We hear some talk about reviving the old theory about the "Sacred Steeple" of Independence Hall, which was started by one of the present Penn Squarelites, some years ago. Demands are being made for copies of that celebrated speech.

DRAMATIC.

Fechter as "Ruy Blas."

Mr. Fechter appeared at the Walnut Street Theatre last night in a presentation of "Ruy Blas," which was as original and peculiar as his performance of "Hamlet." It is a pretty long jump from Shakespeare's supreme work to the abridged and mutilated translation of Victor Hugo's melodrama; but we incline to consider Mr. Fechter's performance in the latter rather more satisfactory than his presentation of "Hamlet." Compared with *Hamlet*, *Ruy Blas* is a mere sketch, full of splendid situations and vivid contrasts, but yet possessing a slight plot, and containing only sketches of characters. Of the principal personages there are but three that are of any importance; and of these "Don Salluste" is only a conventional stage villain, while "Don Cæsar de Bazan" has figured so much on the theatre, in all kinds of plays, that he has been spoiled in the using, and he seems tame. The "Queen" is a mere lay figure arranged for Ruy's love-making. She possesses little intrinsic interest, and this was not heightened by Miss Leclercq's method of representing her. But there is in this play fine opportunity for a good actor who has great power of passionate expression. There is no subtle philosophy, no mysterious depth of feeling, no vague, intellectual conflict of emotions. From the first, "Ruy Blas" is confiding, honest, and manly, and, in the great, played upon their feelings as a musician touches the tenderest chords upon his instrument.

This is an evidence of power, whether the artist has skill to clothe it in elegant shape or not. When, for instance, Lucille Western, in *Leah the Forsaken*, night after night, provokes mutiny, notes to tears, she proves that she possesses rare and wonderful sympathetic power; that she is superior to her coarse manner and to the cheap passion of a mandlin play. It is this same noble power of quality that enables Mr. Gough, even through the medium of stale anecdotes and rhetorical bosh, to compel his hearers to sadness or mirth. It is the highest gift of the actor—it is a divine gift, which cannot be acquired by study, and the want of which cannot be compensated for by the most exalted intellectual ability. Mr. Fechter has this power, but he has made it more effective still, by the graceful, and elegant, with tasteful stage business and with just conception of his characters. He has intellectual power as well as this quality of magnetism. He needs now only fine elocutionary skill, and a nice art of developing the strongest meaning of his language by correct emphasis, to make him an unexceptionable actor. These things probably he will never learn, but we are willing to accept him as he is, satisfied that he has dared to break through the shell of tradition and to give us exhibitions of a school of art which is new and fresh and beautiful and which, while it does not destroy nearly our admiration for the classic excellence of the old method, fills us with a longing desire to have that method improved by at least a portion of the fire and spirit and passionate earnestness of this.

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EUROPEAN NEWS.

The Threatening Aspect of Affairs in Ireland.

Strengthening of the Garrison

Ineffectiveness of the New Repressive Measures.

FROM EUROPE.

[By the American Press Association.]

ENGLAND.

Threatening Aspect of Affairs in Ireland.—Strengthening of the Garrisons.

London, March 15.—Gladstone's speech on the threatening aspect of affairs in Ireland, arrangements are in progress for the strengthening of the garrison throughout the island.

Outlawry—The New Repressive Measures.

The *Times* of to-day, in discussing the new repressive measures proposed by the Government in relation to Ireland, fears that they will not secure the desired object. The *Times* calls for immediate martial law, check at once the outlawry which threatens life and property in Ireland.

FROM THE WEST.

[By the American Press Association.]

OHIO.

Arrest of a Merchant—Writ of Habeas Corpus Applied For.

CINCINNATI, March 15.—Joseph Josepha, the Cincinnati merchant, who was abducted by the officials, during the excitement, from a New York hotel three months since, was again arrested on a charge of fraud, and has been on the lookout for him, and last night they succeeded in his capture. He was fortunately to convey him back again to New York. A writ of habeas corpus has been applied for for his release, and a warrant made out for the arrest of the detective on the charge of kidnapping.

Proceedings of the Legislature—Revision of Statutes—Female Suffrage.

COLUMBUS, March 15.—A bill has been introduced into the Legislature reducing the salaries of all the State officers, as follows: Governor, to $3,000; Attorney General and Railroad Commissioner, to $1,000 each, and other officers in proportion.

A resolution was introduced asking Congress to abolish the National Banking system.

A petition was received from the ladies of Oberlin, remonstrating against the enactment of a law for providing women with the right of suffrage.

ILLINOIS.

The Storm—Tornado Lines—A Freshet Anticipated.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 15.—The railroads and telegraph lines have mostly recovered from the violent snow storm of Sunday. The snow has begun to melt. It is one foot deep north of here, and a freshet is anticipated.

Fall of a Roof—The Building Inspected.

A committee yesterday examined the Court House, both roofs of which were partly ruined by the fall of the roof. The walls have settled considerably, and some are of the opinion that they will have to be taken down entirely and rebuilt. The loss already amounts over $100,000.

Telegraph Opposition Line—Extension of Wires.

The Great Western Telegraph Company, who are now in the city, are actively engaged extending their wires rapidly westward, and will be ready for business in a few days. Telegraph poles are set to within twenty-five miles of Lincoln, Nebraska.

Snow Storm.

A violent snow storm commenced here early this morning, and still continues, to the telegraph lines, some of which have not yet recovered from the effects of Saturday's storm. At noon the snow is falling fast.

City Printing.

Common Council finally settled a fight which has been going on between the Illinois *State Journal* and the *Volksfreund*, for the city printing, during the past year, by awarding the job to the latter, it being the largest circulation.

Senate Liquor Law.

The Mayor has referred the immense petition, signed by ladies, asking liquor to be closed on Sunday, to the Common Council.

FROM THE SOUTH.

[By the American Press Association.]

Congressional Elections—Change of Time.

FRANKFORT, March 15.—The bill passed the House of Representatives yesterday changing the time of Congressional elections from November, in 1850, to August, 1871, for the purpose of the election of Republicans under the Fifteenth Amendment, by the time when Congress will be unrepresented in Congress after the first of March next.

TENNESSEE.

State Bonds.

NASHVILLE, March 15.—As one or two of our State Senators have made the allegation of the ordinances barring certain obligations of the State, either from authority or design to carry up the truth for speculative purposes, we quote from the act of 1865 (the following: "All laws, ordinances and resolutions passed after May 6th, 1865, prohibiting the issuance of State bonds for the Bank of Tennessee currency, are hereby null and void, and no Legislature shall have the power to authorize the payment of such issue."

The following provision in the proposed constitution abrogates the above:

"In the miscellaneous provisions of Sec. 1 all ordinances passed in any former constitution or schedule are hereby abrogated."

German Colonists.

About 3,000 Germans, from our Prussia, are expected to form a colony in Middle Tennessee. They are all said to be very wealthy.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Philadelphia Stock Exchange Sales.

	FIRST BOARD.				
5000 City 6s new	93	100 Leh Nav	35		34¾
2000 do	93½	50 sh do	35	1h	34¾
1000 Leh Nav 6s	85	100 do	35		34¾
1000 Cam & Am 6s	100	100 do	35	5d	34¾
1000 Cam & Am 6s	99				
1000 Penna RR 6s	92	100 Leh Nav	35	5d	34¾
3000 Penna RR 6s	92	13 sh Penn R	56		
1000 Penna RR 6s	92	100 Penna R	56	10d	56
1000 Leh Nav 6s	85	100 sh Reading	51		50¾
2 sh Mechanics Bk	31	100 sh do	51	5d	50¾
		BETWEEN BOARDS.			
1000 City 6s new	93	100 Mt Carbon Div	1s		45
1000 Lehigh Cl 6s	100	100 sh Read R	50		50¾
22 sh Green & Coul	38	100 do	50	5d	50¾
100 sh Leh Nav	35	100 do	50	10d	50¾
10 sh Cam & Am	114	100 sh do	50	5d	50¾
100 sh Leh Nav	35				
		AFTER BOARD.			
100 sh Leh Nav	35	100 sh Penn R	56		56
		OFFERED EARLIER.			
1000 Amo Gld	112	1000 sh Read R			49.44
1000 do	112	1000 sh do		5d	49.44

Philadelphia Money Market.

TUESDAY, March 15.—The effect of the weekly bank statement yesterday in advancing the ruling items was to depress the market, which has been dull throughout the day. The demand for loans is very light, and the supply of funds is ample, at 7@8 per cent., on Government, and 8@10 per cent. for other collaterals.

The stock market was dull, and the chief transactions were made by the brokers of the Board, owing to the nearly overbought condition of the "bull" original bears placed them to no desperate a condition that those who sell stocks "short" are certain to keep money. The City 6s sold at 93, the new issue, and the old issue is expected to be retired out, as longer profits are secured to be realized from forcing the short interest to settle at very unfavorable rates to the bears.

RICE.—100 CASKS CAROLINA RICE for sale by order of the Sheriff, by COCHRAN, RUSSELL & CO., 113 Chestnut street.

THIRD EDITION

2:15 O'Clock.

BY TELEGRAPH.

LATER BY CABLE.

Disorders and Incendiarisms in Ireland

The Czar Pays a Visit of Condolence to Mrs. Burlingame.

Financial and Commercial Quotations

HARRISBURG.

The Police Bill Passed to a Third Reading.

FROM EUROPE.

[By the American Press Association.]

Disorders and Incendiarism—Troops Sent.

LONDON, March 15, 2 P. M.—Much disorder prevails in the towns of Tuam, Ireland. Incendiarism is one of the features. Large bodies of troops have been sent to the localities from Galway and Athlone.

RUSSIA.

Widow of Mr. Burlingame—Visit of Condolence.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 15.—The Czar of Russia has paid a formal visit of condolence to the widow of the late Chinese Ambassador, Hon. Anson Burlingame.

BRAZIL.

Pursuit of Lopez—Probability of His Capture.

RIO JANEIRO, February 23, via Lisbon, March 15.—The pursuit of Lopez by the allied troops is still kept up, and it is quite probable that he will ultimately be captured.

Foreign and Commercial Quotations.

LONDON, March 15, 2 P. M.—Consols for money, 92½; for account, 93. United States Five-twenties of 1862, 92. Ten-forties, 87½. Atlantic and Great Western, 29½; Illinois Central, 93½. Erie, 19½.

LIVERPOOL, March 15, 2 P. M.—The Cotton market is quiet. Middling Uplands, 10¾d.; Middling Orleans, 11¼d. Sales estimated at 10,000 bales. California wheat, 9s. 5d.; Winter do., 8s. 11d. Flour, 20s. Corn, 27s. 9. Pork, 75s. Beef, 105s. lard, 72s.

LONDON, March 15.—Common Rosin, 5s. Spirits of Turpentine, 28s. 6d. Tallow, 44s. 6d.

FROM HARRISBURG.

The Police Bill...It Passes to a Third Reading Lottery.

[Special Despatch to the Phila. Evening Bulletin.]

HARRISBURG, March 15.—The Police bill passed to a third reading, with an amendment by Senator Connell, which gives the Governor in choosing the Commissioners each member of the Council in convention may give his vote to four candidates, or for any less number. Then voting for the Mayor, the person having most votes shall be declared elected.

FROM WASHINGTON.

[Special Despatch to the Phila. Evening Bulletin.]

The St. Domingo Treaty.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee, today, by vote of 5 to 2, agreed to report the St. Domingo treaty, with the recommendation that it be rejected. Senator Sumner, the principal author of the treaty, while Senator Sumner took the lead against it, has, however reserved his right to vote for the treaty in the Senate. The considerations which influenced the Committee were various. It was said that it was a great mistake to annex St. Domingo, would cost in the end that we should have to take it up by an expensive navy, and that the possession of an island in the Gulf of Mexico would greatly facilitate smuggling; that it is bad policy to absorb any of the Latin races. Senator Sumner, member of the Committee say that their decision will in no sense be a verdict on the final result in the Senate, as each Senator will vote according to his own final predilection. The impression is that the necessary two-thirds majority cannot be obtained.

The Condition of the Indians...An Appropriation Asked.

A delegation of Indians, forming a convention of Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and Boston, which for the last 24 hours has been held in Baltimore, arrived here to-day, and presented a petition, signed by Commissioner of the Northern Superintendency, of Nebraska, and Delegates from the Sioux Nation, in Convention, to urge Congress to make an appropriation to aid them in settling, by giving a tendency to engage in agricultural pursuits, by making the Indians allege, of a portion of their They represent the condition of these Indians as deplorable in the extreme, and insist that it is their misfortune rather than their fault, as they have been induced to act not only to fulfil their obligations but its solemn promises to them. They ask a total appropriation of one hundred and forty thousand dollars, to be divided among the Winnebagoes, Omahas, Pawnees, Otoes and Poncas, and Sacs and Foxes, and urge immediate action on account of the season approaching for planting.

The Committee have had an interview with the President and Secretary Delano, Hallinan, &c., and have met with considerable encouragement.

Affairs in Tennessee.

Dorsey B. Thomas, Speaker of the Senate and William O'Neill Perkins, Speaker of the House of Representatives of Tennessee, are here to protest against the passage of Mr. Boutwell's bill, or other Congressional interference with the affairs of Tennessee.

The Sutro Tunnel.

The House Committee on Mines and Mining yesterday voted, with but one dissenting vote, against reporting favorably on the bill repealing so much of the act incorporating the Sutro Tunnel as authorizes a subscription on the Comstock lode to pay a royalty to the Tunnel Company.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS IN NEW YORK

Money Market Firm—Gold Fluctuating—Governments Steady with Uniform Prices—Stocks Declined.

[By the American Press Association.]

NEW YORK, March 15, 1 30 P. M.—The money market is firm at 5@6 per cent. call. Foreign exchange is heavy at 107@108 for prime bankers' 60-day sterling.

Gold is unsettled. The premium fluctuated between 111½ and 111¾, closing at one per cent. to-day, 3 to 5 per cent. The Sikesia took out $41,000 in specie for Europe to-day.

The stock market opened ste