

FIRST EDITION. TWELVE O'CLOCK M.

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE.

Last Day of the Session—Farewell Address of Speaker Graham of the Senate—Election of a New Speaker—Thanks to Speaker Davis of the House—Presentations—Adjournment Sine Die.

The Senate met at 12 o'clock this A. M. After the usual closing scenes and proceedings Speaker GRAHAM said: Senators—Before vacating the chair and handing the reins of my honored friend and successor, allow me to tender my sincere acknowledgments to every member of the Senate for the uniform courtesy, forbearance and support which I have received from you. I shall cherish the remembrance of your kindness and friendship until the latest hour. When I assumed the duties of the Chair I promised to discharge them impartially, fearlessly, firmly, and sincerely, endeavoring to redeem the pledge, and if in the discharge of my duty as your presiding officer I have wounded or given offense to any Senator, unintentionally and earnestly ask to be forgiven. This hour dismisses us from legislative labors to the repose and sweet privacy of home, and I thought of soon again meeting with and enjoying the society of loved ones at home, dispels, in a measure, the sadness which always gathers around the last moments of a session, when we bid each other adieu, with the thought that in all human probability we shall never meet again. I have devoted my best efforts to the discharge of my duties, and I trust I may have succeeded.

And now, brother Senators, in bidding you an affectionate farewell, permit me once more to cordially thank you for your uniform kindness and courtesy, and accept the assurance that you bear with you my warmest regards and affectionate remembrance. Mr. WILMER WORTHINGTON, of Chester, was then elected as the successor of Mr. Graham, by a strict party vote.

Speaker WORTHINGTON thanked the Senate in a brief speech. Resolutions of thanks to Speaker Graham, Chief Clerk Hamersley, Messrs. Rogers and Braggins, Assistant Clerks, and to Chaplain Baily, were passed unanimously. At twelve o'clock the Senate adjourned sine die.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The House met at ten. Mr. SUBERS, of Philadelphia, offered a resolution authorizing the purchase of a large flag for public buildings. Adopted. The usual Committees were appointed to wait on the Senate and Governor.

The standing Committee discharged from the consideration of all bills. Mr. NICE, Dem., of Schuylkill, offered a resolution of thanks to Speaker Davis, (Mr. Mann, of Potter, being in the chair,) which was passed unanimously.

Mr. MANN, addressing Speaker Davis, said: I have the pleasure of notifying you of the vote of the House on the resolution of thanks to you, which was passed by a unanimous vote of the House. It has been your duty to preside over the House, and to discharge the duties of the office with a freedom and independence which has been the desire of the people of Pennsylvania. I do not say that this is great progress in the right direction, and that this progress is the result of your administration. I do not say that this is the result of your administration, but I do say that it is the result of your administration.

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FORTIETH CONGRESS. The Impeachment Trial—Illness of Mr. Stanbery—Adjournment Till Wednesday—Legislative Business—Printing of Impeachment Report.

WASHINGTON, April 14, 1868. SENATE. Court was opened in due form. Mr. SUMNER offered the following order: Ordered, that in answer to the motion of the Managers, in reference to the limiting of the final argument, unless otherwise ordered, that such other Managers and counsel as choose may print and file their remarks at any time on the closing of the argument.

CHIEF JUSTICE—If there be no objection it will be so ordered. Mr. CONYERS—I object. Mr. SUMNER—I would respectfully ask under what rule such objection can be made? CHIEF JUSTICE replied that on several occasions he had decided the rules of the Senate to be the rules of the Courts far as applicable to the trial.

Mr. SUMNER—Of course, it is not for me to argue the question, but I beg leave to remind the Chair of the rule under which this order was made. CHIEF JUSTICE—It will lie over. The counsel for the President will proceed with the defense.

Mr. EVARTS said that it was the misfortune of the President's counsel to be obliged to state to the Court that since the adjournment yesterday Mr. Stanbery had been seized with an illness that prevented his attendance this morning. He (Mr. Evarts) had seen Mr. Stanbery this morning, and learned that, in the opinion of the physician, he would undoubtedly be able to resume his duties within forty-eight hours. There might be some hope he could do so tomorrow. In view of the urgency of the occasion, and their arrangements in regard to the trial, it would be very difficult, almost impossible, with any propriety, with proper attention to the case, to proceed to-day, and they supposed an adjournment, at least for to-day, would lessen the chances of longer procrastination.

The Senate would bear in mind that much of their proposed evidence was in the hands of Mr. Stanbery, and that their proposed knowledge of Mr. Stanbery, and not within that of his associates. It was, of course, unpleasant to them to introduce personal considerations, but in their best judgment it was necessary to submit the motion to the discretion of the Senate, whether the trial should be postponed to this day or extended to a time necessary for the restoration of Mr. Stanbery, whom he had seen last evening, and who he supposed he would be able to attend to-morrow as usual, as did Mr. Stanbery himself. He had only learned this morning that Mr. Stanbery would be able to attend to-morrow.

Senator DRAYTON sent the following to the 'chair, and it was read: "Cannot be occupied by the counsel for the President in stating in documentary evidence." Mr. EVARTS—It cannot be as we understand the nature and condition of the proofs. On motion of Senator HOWE, the Senate, sitting as a Court, adjourned until to-morrow at 12 o'clock, Messrs Sumner and Pomeroy only voting no.

The President resumed the chair and called the Senate to order. Mr. DAVIS gave notice he would move the following additional rule to the rules of practice and proceedings in cases of impeachment: Two-thirds of the Senate present shall be necessary to rule on any question of evidence or law, or to suspend the rules of the Senate, or to amend the Constitution, or to change the organization of the Committee on Railroads, placing at its head a gentleman known to all as being highly and zealously in favor of this great measure of reform. In addition to this, under your administration laws have been passed authorizing insurance companies, and taxing all corporations of the State, and codification of enactments, laws, and requiring all insurance companies to make annual reports. All this has tended to lessen the labors of the financial officers of the State, and to bring into the Treasury considerable additional revenue, without imposing additional taxation upon corporations that were taxed.

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merely proposed an equitable distribution among the people. The amendment was rejected. The reason was the adopted. Mr. CONYERS offered a resolution, which was adopted, asking the President for copies of any papers in the Department of State, or in the hands of any other officer, or for information relative to any acts done in relation thereto. He explained that a report to the effect that he had considered considerable copies of the same in the hands of the President, and subsequently adjourned.

SECOND EDITION. FOUR O'CLOCK A. M.

THE CAPITAL.

Sergeant Bates and the Flag—Speech of Mr. Eldridge—Lincoln Monument—Dedication—Political Matters—Savings Banks Statistics—Land Office, &c., &c.

WASHINGTON, April 14, 1868. SERGEANT BATES, THE PEDESTRIAN. Sergeant Bates, the pedestrian, carrying the United States flag, arrived here this forenoon, and was met at the Long Bridge by a committee of citizens and escorted by a large crowd to the Executive Mansion. Sergeant Bates, the pedestrian, carrying the United States flag, arrived here this forenoon, and was met at the Long Bridge by a committee of citizens and escorted by a large crowd to the Executive Mansion.

Speech of Mr. Eldridge, of Wisconsin. Sergeant Bates proceeded to the Metropolitan Hotel and having ascended to the portico, Hon. Chas. A. Eldridge delivered the following address: Fellow Citizens: It is owing to the fact that I am a citizen of Wisconsin that I have been invited to appear here on this occasion, and for a few brief moments to present to you the guest of Washington, the youthful son of the State of Wisconsin, Sergeant Bates (Cheers). Ho, finding a popular error existing in the State of Wisconsin, I think that in every northern State there are people who are ignorant of the people of the South submit to the flag of the Union in good faith, and who expect us of the North to maintain ours. (Applause.) I understand that the present plan proposed to erect a monument to the flag on the dome of the Capitol. But I will no longer detain you in this rain. I will further than say, when our flag was lowered in humility and sorrow from the battlements of Fort Sumter, and rejoiced in the triumph of our flag.

FLAG NOT PLACED ON THE DOME. Mr. Michler, Superintendent of Public Buildings, to place the flag on the dome of the Capitol, has been ordered to do so. Mr. Michler, Superintendent of Public Buildings, to place the flag on the dome of the Capitol, has been ordered to do so.

Lincoln Monument Association. The dedication of the Lincoln monument, erected by the City of Washington in front of City Hall, will take place to-morrow. Mayor Wallace to-day addressed a meeting of the Lincoln Monument Association, and asked that the Department be closed in time to allow clerks and other employees an opportunity to attend the dedication, which takes place at two o'clock in the afternoon. The monument will be unveiled by the President on the 20th of July.

SAVINGS BANKS STATISTICS. The Comptroller of Currency has information that there are three savings banks in the United States and States and Territories. In New York, having one million and seventy-seven thousand depositors who own \$12,000,000. Under favorable conditions and fifteen million dollars of national bank stock as investments.

LAND PATENT. There has been prepared at the General Land Office under instructions from the Secretary of the Interior, a patent in favor of Robert Myers Shoemaker, Trustee, embracing 19,800 acres of land in the States of Kansas, Nebraska, and Colorado. The Union Pacific Railway Company, Eastern Division, or its assigns, under the treaty of 1850, July 21, 1851, with the Delaware Indians.

PHILADELPHIA MINT. The official report from the United States Mint at Philadelphia shows the amount of gold coined during the month of March to be \$321,091, of which there were gold coins to the amount of \$263,550, silver coins \$57,541, and the balance in coin \$1,000.

CONTINUATIONS CONTINUED. The Senate, in Executive session, confirmed the following nominations: Commodore James Lauman to be Rear Admiral; George W. B. Loring to be Major General; Lieutenant Colonel in Marine Corps; Alexander Spaulding, Collector of Internal Revenue for the Eighth District of New York, and William H. Whaley, Collector of Customs for the District of Brazos Santiago, Texas.

TRINIDAD IN EXILE. The Secretary of State has instructed the United States Consul General at Alexandria to furnish the General Land Office with such information as may be in his power to give the relative system of irrigation of lands in the region of the Nile.

PATENTS TO BE ISSUED. For the week ending the 21st inst. two hundred and ninety-three patents will be issued by the Patent Office. In the present week four hundred and ninety-five applications have been filed and sixty-six patents granted.

FRUIT IN THE WEST—Heavy Rain. St. Louis, April 14.—Reports from competent judges and from the nurseries and orchards are to the effect that the fruit has not been so badly injured as was expected, and that the fruit crop will be abundant. Heavy rains have fallen almost incessantly the past twenty-four hours, accompanied with a great deal of thunder and lightning, and the rain still pours down. The storm has been general throughout this and surrounding States.

Honorable B. Wells, Senator from Nova Scotia, died suddenly yesterday morning at Ottawa, Canada.

FROM EUROPE.

Death of Marquis Cranborne—Visit of the Prince of Wales to Ireland—Schleswig Question and Russia—No War News from South America.

DEATH OF MARQUIS CRANBORNE. GREAT BRITAIN. MARQUIS CRANBORNE DEAD. LONDON, April 14.—Viscount Cranborne, Marquis Salisbury, Secretary of State for India, under Lord Derby, is dead. His eldest son is Viscount Cranborne, member of the House of Commons, for Stamford, who succeeds to the titles and estates of the late Marquis. The London journals of this morning publish elaborate obituary notices of the deceased Peer, and all express regret for the loss which the House of Commons will sustain in the transfer of Lord Cranborne to the House of Peers, in consequence of his father's death.

PRINCE OF WALES' VISIT TO IRELAND. LONDON, April 14.—After a parting interview with the Queen this morning, the Prince and Princess of Wales, accompanied by their respective suites, left London for Ireland. They took a special train for Holyhead, where they will embark on the fleet which is to convey them across the Irish Sea. It is expected that they will land in Dublin at noon to-morrow.

DUBLIN, April 14.—The great preparations which have been made here for the possible visit of the Prince of Wales are about completed. The Castle has been changed into a Royal Palace for his accommodation, and St. Patrick's Cathedral has been most superbly decorated for the coming ceremonies attending the visit of the Prince of Wales. The principal streets through which the royal visitors will pass. The people of the surrounding country are flocking into the city, and crowds of visitors are hourly arriving from England to witness the ceremonies and participate in the festivities of the reception.

SOUTH AMERICA. NO WAR NEWS FROM BRAZIL. LONDON, April 14.—A telegram from Lisbon announces the arrival of the steamer from South America, with dates from Rio Janeiro to the 24th ult. The dispatch states that she brings no war news from Brazil, and that the impression that the recent movements of the Allies on the Rio Parana have not resulted so favorably as the Brazilians expected.

FRANCE. THE WAR RUMORS. PARIS, April 14.—The Journal des Debats, an editorial article to-day, sounds the alarm, and says that the reports of approaching war, and particularly denies that there is any danger of war between France and Prussia. It says that France has already refused to enter into close alliance with England and Austria unless Prussia is included.

DENMARK. THE SCHLESWIG DIFFICULTY. COPENHAGEN, April 14.—This afternoon here it was reported that the Emperor of Russia has declined to interpose his good offices as mediator between Denmark and Prussia for the settlement of the controversy concerning the Schleswig provinces.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. LONDON, April 14.—Evening News unimportant. Consols closed at 93 1/2; 3 1/2 per cent at 72 1/2; 4 1/2 per cent at 72 1/2; Erie at 46. Exchange, April 14.—Evening.—U. S. Bonds closed at 75. ANTIWERP, April 14.—Petroleum closed nominal; standard white at 42 francs and 75 centimes.

QUEENSTOWN, April 14.—Evening.—The steamship City of Boston, from New York, arrived this evening. LIVERPOOL, April 15.—Evening.—Cotton closed firmer and prices a fraction higher; middling uplands at 12 1/2; Orleans at 12 1/2; Under favorable conditions from Manchester the sales of to-day were 32,000 bales. Breadstuffs—Corn declined 1/4 at 40; wheat steady at 46; white California 14s. 3d. for red Western. Barley, 5s. 1d. Oats, 4s. 6d. Peas, 4s. 6d. Potatoes, 3s. 6d. for refined oil, for spirits, 37s. Provisions closed unchanged; Beans, 3s. Bacon, 4s. 6d. Produce—Sugar steady at 28s. 6d. Tallow, 48s. 6d. Petroleum, 3s. 6d. for refined oil, for spirits, 37s. The London Market Express, received per City of Paris, says: It is now very doubtful whether the season will prove favorable. Prices of wheat have little altered, as the foreign supply has been liberal, but there is little doubt that it will not be for France prices would have been rather lower. Although some of the interior markets of France have rather cheapened, Marsailles has advanced, and therefore, since August, English receipts in wheat and flour have averaged 73,000 quarters per month, whereas in the remaining five months before harvest England will want about 9,000,000 quarters per month. So this year an early or late harvest becomes a serious matter.

SECRETARY STANTON. Letter to Senator Cameron—He Declines Further Public Service. (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.) WASHINGTON, April 14.—The following letter was addressed by Secretary Stanton to Senator Cameron to-day: War Department, Washington, April 14.—To Hon. SIMON CAMERON—Dear Sir: Perceiving in this morning's Chronicle that communication has been signed by the Governor of your State, and Republican members of the Legislature, and other persons, asking your recommendation to the head of the Treasury Department, I hasten to request earnestly that you will not recommend any such course. My life has been devoted to public duties. No consideration can induce me to assume the duties of the Treasury Department, or continue in the War Department longer than may be required for the appointment of my successor.

Yours truly, EDWIN M. STANTON. (Signed.) At a Commemorative meeting at Savannah, Georgia, Monday evening, the names of J. B. Gordon, for Governor, H. S. Flanders, for Lieutenant Governor, and Rufus C. Lester, for State Congress, and Rufus C. Lester, for State Congress, were received with loud applause. The audience was addressed by several prominent speakers.

The Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance of Kentucky, at its annual meeting in Newport, to-day, and to-morrow the delegates will have a grand procession in Newport, and the three cities—Cincinnati, Covington and Newport.

Common Pleas—Judge Sterrett. In the case of M. B. Hartzell, for use, vs. Wm. Hill, reported yesterday, the jury returned a verdict for Hill, and the county of Allegheny, for himself and the county of Allegheny, vs. G. W. Gibson, action to recover penalty of \$50 for peddling without license. For assent.

Following is the trial list for to-day: No. 22—F. C. Coal company vs. W. C. Shaffer et al. No. 23—Conrad Patrick vs. Frank Lollar's administrators. No. 24—Ester Sagnone et al. vs. John F. McComb et al. No. 25—Edward Lynch vs. Marcus McLaughlin et al. No. 26—Samuel Matthews and wife vs. Wm. Morrow. No. 27—Abraham Dickinson vs. Wm. Malholand et al. No. 28—John Hunter vs. Calvin Adams et al. No. 29—F. C. Coal company vs. W. C. Shaffer et al. No. 30—John Hunter vs. Calvin Adams et al. No. 31—John Hunter vs. Calvin Adams et al. No. 32—John Hunter vs. Calvin Adams et al. No. 33—John Hunter vs. Calvin Adams et al. No. 34—John Hunter vs. Calvin Adams et al. No. 35—John Hunter vs. Calvin Adams et al. No. 36—John Hunter vs. Calvin Adams et al. No. 37—John Hunter vs. Calvin Adams et al. No. 38—John Hunter vs. Calvin Adams et al. No. 39—John Hunter vs. Calvin Adams et al. No. 40—John Hunter vs. Calvin Adams et al.

United States District Court—Judge McCandless. In the bankruptcy branch, Wm. Maher, President of the First National Bank of Blairsville, filed a petition in bankruptcy against A. S. Miller, of Lockport, Indiana. The petitioning creditor says that Miller is indebted to him in the sum of \$4,000 in the shape of promissory notes, and that he has left Blairsville, Indiana, with a view of defrauding his creditors. A rule to show why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted was issued, and made return on the fourth day of May. Final discharges were granted and certificates awarded to Peter G. Walker and Jos. Palmer of Toga county.

District Court—Judge Hampton. The case of Wm. Kuffner, surviving administrator of Wm. Lowrie, vs. H. H. Hall, executor of Samuel Lowrie, deceased, and Wm. J. Miller, was concluded. John Barry vs. John Carroll. The plaintiff owns a house and lot on Chestnut street, Eighth Ward, and the defendant owns the adjoining house and lot. The plaintiff alleges that the defendant failed to grade his lot, and that the wash water from the kitchen and hydrant, as well as the surface water, had been allowed to soak down and against the foundation walls of plaintiff's house, damaging them to a considerable extent. The action was brought to recover for the damage sustained. The trial for \$105 18.

Hugh Wallace vs. Administrators of estate of James Sproul. Book account. O'Neil. Following is the trial list for to-day: 134. Charles Hill vs. A. C. Williams. 135. Geo. McClellan vs. Wm. McClung. 136. Mary Ann Daly vs. Jas. McMiller. 137. Alex. McClellan et al. vs. Geo. Smith. 138. Henry Evans vs. Henry Kappanus. 139. James Clegg et al., owners of steam tug "Mary Davis," vs. A. J. Baker. 140. Ed. Sharp, Davis & Bousall vs. Murphy & Shultry.