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**NEWS OF THE MORNING.**  
In New York yesterday Government bonds were quoted at 122 1/2 for 6's of 1897, 117 1/2 for 4 1/2's, 104 1/2 for 4's, 101 1/2 for 3's, silver bars, 106 1/2. United States bonds, extended, 105 cent, 102 1/2 for 11's.

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**CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE.**

**XXVI. SESSION—SIXTY-THIRD DAY.**  
**SENATE.**  
Monday, March 9, 1885.  
Senate called to order at 11 o'clock. President pro tem. Knight in the chair. Rev. C. McKelvey, of Sacramento, in prayer. The assembly of Saturday session read and approved. Assembly Bill No. 157 was passed on file. (The bill is a bill to amend the act relating to persons employed upon the printing machines used in the printing of the State documents.)

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**THE MCCARTHY CASE.**

**Reports of the Investigating Committee Submitted.**  
At last evening's session of the Assembly two reports were filed by the committee appointed to investigate the charges against Supreme Court Clerk McCarthy. The majority report, signed by Messrs. Ellison, Jones and Goucher, was very long, and embraced a number of the charges, the conclusions being substantially as follows:

Charge 1st—Demanding \$300 from each deputy to pay his (McCarthy's) campaign expenses: Not substantiated.

Charge 2d—Collecting and retaining to his own use, certain fees: Satisfactorily explained and the money since paid to the State.

Charge 3d—Instructing Los Angeles deputy to erase a certain item of \$71.50 from the books: Not proven to have been done; money forwarded paid by the deputy to pay his (McCarthy's) campaign expenses: Not proven.

Charge 4th—Making overcharge and retaining surplus: Not proven.

Charge 5th—Omitting certain fees from reports: On this charge the majority of the committee hold that the books of the San Francisco office were honestly and correctly kept, and the books of the Deputy Kilsby was responsible therefor, and that he kept certain notes for his own use. They, however, hold that the majority of the committee are in error in the discharge of his duties, but that the testimony does not show that he had back any of the fees. The committee conclude with an expression of belief that all moneys received have been paid into the State Treasury.

**MINORITY REPORT.**  
The minority report, also quite voluminous, is signed by Messrs. Mullitt and Hazard, and is substantially as follows:

Charge 1st—The letters requesting the \$300 contribution were written without McCarthy's knowledge or consent, and the money accepted by him as a voluntary contribution.

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Charge 3d—The committee find that McCarthy has never received the fee for the writ of error in the case of Reis vs. Lawrence.

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Sale of Seats commences TUESDAY MORNING, March 10th, at L. K. HAMMER'S Music Store, Admission, \$1. No extra for Reserved Seats. m10-21w

**AUCTIONS.**  
**NOTICE.—ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.**  
THE SALE OF THE INTERNATIONAL HOTEL, Buis and a certain portion of the same, has been postponed to SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1885, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the residence of the undersigned, No. 318 K Street. Bids at private sale will be received by the undersigned.

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THE OFFICERS and MEMBERS of the "Company," 544 Artillery Regiment, will give a Ball at the ALBANY, O., on Wednesday evening, March 11th, 1885. The proceeds of the ball will be used for the benefit of the sick and wounded soldiers of the 54th Artillery. Tickets for the ball will be sold at the residence of the undersigned, No. 318 K Street.

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