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APPOINTMENT OF TERRITORIAL OFFICERS.

Judge Douglas and the Administration

PROCEEDINGS IN CONGRESS.

DISSOLUTION OF THE CANADIAN PARLIAMENT, &c., &c., &c.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, June 23, 1854.

THE TERRITORIAL APPOINTMENTS—POSITION OF JUDGE DOUGLAS WITH THE ADMINISTRATION, ETC.

The nominations of Reeder and Gen. Butler, as Governors of Kansas and Nebraska respectively, and of Woodson, of Virginia, as Secretary for Kansas, and Cummings, of Iowa, as Secretary for Nebraska, have not yet been acted upon, but they will of course be confirmed.

It is stated in this connection, that Judge Douglas applied for the appointment of a friend of his as Secretary of Nebraska, but it was refused. The unsuccessful applicant for the office is a young man of unexceptionable character, but his chances were destroyed from the fact that Judge Douglas endorsed him. We have before stated that the Judge was regarded with the utmost jealousy by the administration. If we are wrong, perhaps the *Union* will dare deny that the facts we have stated above are correct. It is almost ludicrous to think that the originator of the Nebraska bill and its great champion could not obtain a petty appointment under it for a political friend amply qualified for office.

THE GOVERNORSHIP OF KANSAS.

The *Sentinel* of this morning says that rumors are afloat that the President is about to give the governorship of Kansas to a non-slaveholding man, whose opinions upon the territorial bills are unsound or unknown. The *Sentinel* complains, if this be true, that the President will nullify and abrogate the intent of the bills.

The President and family left here this morning to pass a few days at Old Point Comfort.

THIRTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

FIRST SESSION.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, June 23, 1854.

THE MINT.

The CHAIR laid before the Senate a communication from the Treasury Department, transmitting in reply to Mr. Fish's resolution copies of the accounts of the Director of the Mint, showing the charges collected of depositors and others. Referred and ordered to be printed.

The report shows that the expenditures of the Mint in Philadelphia since March 3, 1853, for officers and clerks, laborers, and incidental and contingent expenses, and repairs, amount to $295,667 51. That the amount collected from depositors of gold bullion for coinage, is $232,613 66; do. collected on silver bullion for coinage, $324 51; do. on silver parted from gold for the benefit of the mint, $10,645 59. Total amounts collected from depositors for coinage, &c., by the Mint at Philadelphia, $243,583 76.

THE PRIVATE CALENDAR

Was taken up. The bill for the relief of the owners of the private armed brig General Armstrong, destroyed by the British in the neutral port of Fayal, in September, 1814, was first considered.

The bill was advocated by Messrs. SEWARD, CLAYTON, SLIDELL, BAYARD and BELL; and was opposed by Messrs. CHASE, PRATT and TOOMBS.

It was rejected by the following vote:—

YEAS—Messrs. Atchison, Bayard, Bell, Brown, Clayton, Dodge of Iowa, Foot, Gwin, James, Pettit, Seward, Slidell—12.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Chase, Dawson, Dixon, Dodge of Wis., Evans, Fessenden, Fitzpatrick, Geyer, Gillette, Hamlin, Pratt, Rockwell, Stuart, Sumner, Thompson of Ky., Toombs, Toucey, Wade, Walker, Williams—21.

The Senate then adjourned till Monday.

House of Representatives.

WASHINGTON, June 23, 1854.

PRIVATE BILLS.

Numerous private bills were reported from Standing Committees—among them, one by Mr. Fenton, from the Committee on Commerce, to remit the duties on certain goods destroyed by fire in New York and San Francisco. Referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Two private bills were passed.

The House then went into committee on private bills, and several were laid aside to be reported.

At a quarter to 4 o'clock no quorum was present, and the House adjourned.

From Quebec.

PARLIAMENT PROROGUED—SPEECH OF LORD ELGIN—NEW ELECTION TO BE HELD.

QUEBEC, June 23, 1854.

Parliament was prorogued this afternoon amid great confusion. Members of the House insisted on speaking while the Governor was waiting in the legislative council chamber. His Excellency's arrival being announced, cries of "Let him wait" were heard. The Speaker could not restore order, and the Governor General was kept waiting several minutes, during which the House was in the greatest confusion.

When order was restored, and the members arrived in the legislative council chamber, the Speaker, on the part of the House, informed his Excellency that he considered no session had been held.

The Governor General delivered the following speech:—

HONORABLE GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED:—

When I met you at the commencement of the present session, I expressed the hope that you would proceed without delay to pass such a law, in reference to the period appointed for introducing the amended franchise, as would have enabled me to bring at once into operation those important measures affecting the representation of the people in Parliament, which were adopted by you with such singular unanimity last session. Having been disappointed in this expectation, I still consider that it is due to the people of the province, and most respectful to the decision of the Legislature, that I should take such steps as are in my power to give effect to the law, by which the parliamentary representatives of the people are augmented, before calling the attention of parliament to questions on which the public mind has long been agitated, and the settlement of which it is most desirable to effect in such a manner as will be most likely to secure for me the confidence of the people, have come, therefore, to meet you on the present occasion for the purpose of proroguing this parliament with a view to its immediate dissolution."

A proclamation dissolving parliament will be issued to-morrow. The elections are to be over and the writs returable by the 9th of August."

New Hampshire.

THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE LEGISLATURE—DEATH OF A MEMBER.

CONCORD, June 23, 1854.

The Senate has rescinded its share of the joint resolution assigning the 1st of July for the final adjournment, and the House will follow the same course. The session will probably extend to the middle of July.

Dr. Thompson, of Lisbon, a democratic member of the Legislature, died yesterday.

From Boston.

SUDDEN DEATH OF CHIEF JUSTICE WELLS—THE WEATHER.

BOSTON, June 23, 1854.

Chief Justice Wells, of the Common Pleas and Municipal Courts, died suddenly, this afternoon, at his residence, in Cambridge. He occupied the bench of the Municipal Court yesterday until late in the afternoon, when, feeling unwell, he adjourned the court until this morning. His disease is said to have been inflammation of the lungs.

The weather here is cold and thick, and an easterly wind prevails.

Murderer to be Hung.

NEW HAVEN, June 23, 1854.

The House of Representatives this afternoon refused by a large majority to commute the punishment of young Michael Jennings, who murdered Mrs. Bradley, of North Haven, last summer. He will, therefore, be hung on the second Tuesday in July.

Markets.

CHARLESTON, June 21, 1854.

Our cotton market has been firm and tending upward to-day; sales 1100 bales. Good middling is quoted at 9¾c.

CHARLESTON, June 22, 1854.

The sales of cotton to-day were 650 bales; and for the week they foot up 4,000 bales—prices closing at an advance of ¼ a ½c. The receipts of the week have been 3,543 bales, and the stock on hand here is 10,325 bales.

Jersey City Intelligence.

The trains on the New York and Erie Railroad were run yesterday the same as on the day previous.

A special election for Alderman in the First ward is to take place on the 11th of July to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Alderman Thomas W. James.

The excursion of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School, of Jersey City, which was to have taken place yesterday, was postponed on account of the unfavorable state of the weather.

CELEBRATION OF THE FOURTH OF JULY.—Extensive preparations are being made by the Order of United Americans for the celebration of the approaching anniversary. The several chapters of the order in Jersey City, Newark, Paterson, Orange, Morristown, and Keyport, will be present. The Jersey City Continentals, Capt. Pollard, and Ellis Guard, Capt. Ellis, will parade. Also, the American Continentals, Capt. Hand; the American Rifles, Capt. Cory, of Newark, and the Morgan Rifles, of New Brunswick. The line will form at twelve o'clock, and the procession will move at one P. M. An oration will be delivered in the First Presbyterian Church by Hon. Jacob Broome, of Pennsylvania, at three o'clock. A display of fireworks will take place in the evening.

It is expected that water will be introduced into Jersey City on the 4th of July.

Board of Councilmen.

FRIDAY EVENING, June 23, 1854.

Councilman VERMILYE, President, *pro tem.*, in the chair.

THIRD READING.

This being Friday evening, the regular order of business was the third reading of bills requiring appropriations of money. Accordingly, a large number of papers received the final vote and were adopted, while a few others were rejected and recommitted.

REPORTS ADOPTED.

Report of Committee on Finance—Concurring to remit sundry taxes to various individuals.

Report of Committee on Markets—In favor of erecting sheds adjoining Jefferson market.

Report of Committee on Streets—In favor of regulating Twenty-eighth street from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue.

Of Committee on Streets—In favor of removing pump and well cover corner of Varick and Franklin streets.

Of Committee on Roads—In favor of removing pump and filling up well corner of 125th street and Fourth avenue.

Of Committee on Wharves, Piers, and Slips—In favor of having Pier 39 East river, cleaned out.

Of Committee on Repairs and Supplies—In relation to the repairing of buildings occupied by Croton Water Department.

Of Committee on Finance—Concurring with the Board of Aldermen for releasing a gore to J. and E. McEvers.

Of Committee on Streets—In favor of fencing lots on Twenty-eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Of Committee on Fire Department—In favor of repairing and altering bell tower in Twenty-second street.

Of Committee on Streets—In favor of fencing lots on Thirtieth street and Ninth avenue.

Of Committee on Streets—In favor of flagging Thirtieth street, from Tenth avenue to Hudson river.

Of Committee on Streets—In favor of flagging south side of Twenty-eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Of Committee on Finance—In favor of concurring with the Board of Aldermen remitting tax against Paul O Brown and J. J. Coddington, trustees of Jewish church; and non-concurring in the reduction of taxes of Samuel Masters from $20,000 to $10,000, and reducing tax of Edward Butler.

Of Committee on Finance—In favor of paying bills of *Express Messenger* of $52 50, for advertising Amended Charter.

Of Committee on Finance—In favor of refunding tax erroneously paid by J. J. West, Geo. Field and Charles A. Coe.

Of Committee on Streets—In favor of fencing vacant lots in Eleventh avenue, from Thirtieth to Thirty-third streets.

Of Committee on Streets—Concurring in the amendment of the Board of Aldermen as to claim of Jasen S. Palmer.

Of Committee on Lamps and Gas—In favor of placing two lamps before the church on corner of Twenty-fourth street and Madison avenue.

Of Committee on Finance—In relation to appropriation for repairs for casualties by freshet, and extension of the Croton water works.

Report of Committee on Finance, concurring with the Board of Aldermen in favor of remitting taxes of various applicants.

Report of Committee on Police, in favor of purchasing six horses for the use of the Twelfth ward police force.

INCREASING THE POLICE FORCE OF THE TWELFTH WARD—DEBATE.

The report of the Committee on Finance, in favor of increasing the police force in the Twelfth ward by appointing ten additional men.

Commissioner DELANY opposed the report on the ground that the Twelfth ward was not worth the appropriation required for the salaries of these policemen. If any increase in the police force should be increased at all it should be in the lower part of the city, where the owners of property were obliged to hire private watchmen to protect their property from thieves and burglars. In the Twelfth ward there was no property to protect, except a few patches of watermelons and a few hundred sour apple trees. When he was a boy he used to steal apples and watermelons, and never thought it any crime. (Laughter.) He did not think it was just or right to appoint ten additional men to look after chicken thieves.

Councilman NORTH spoke in favor of the adoption of the report, his reasons being that the ward was of such a size that the number of men now appointed are unable to do anything against the great number of bad and disorderly characters that infested his ward. It was well known that the inhabitants of that ward were disturbed every Sabbath day by numbers of persons racing their horses on the Bloomingdale road, contrary to the city ordinances. For the purpose, therefore, of putting a stop to the disgraceful proceedings enacted in his ward, he hoped the report would be adopted.

Councilman HODGKINSON then rose and made an attack on the Chief of Police, saying that all those police measures were originated by him, that he went lobbying to Albany every year for the purpose of legislating away the rights of the Common Council, who were at the present day deprived of almost all control over the police department of this city. Instead of the reformer (Mr. North) endeavoring to decrease the taxes of the inhabitants of the city, he was by his course of action doing all he could to burthen them with useless expense.

Councilman NORTH found out that it was against the head of the Police Department the fire of the gentleman was directed and not against the report of the Police Committee; therefore he hoped the Board would not sustain that gentleman in his project to defeat the report.

Councilman CLANCY hoped before the vote would be taken, that the gentlemen of the Board would consider what they were about. They would be appointing ten men to trot the six horses just appropriated up and down Bloomingdale road, who would be acting the part of gentlemen at large, instead of being servants of the public.

Councilman KENNEDY then spoke in favor of the adoption of the report. He for one was not addicted when he was young to stealing apples and chickens, as one member of the Board had confessed. He hoped that the members who would vote against the report might be regared and set down as chicken stealers, and those who voted for the report as honest members of society.

Mr. HODGKINSON said that the clerk should put down those who voted against the report as chicken stealers, but he wished the gentleman of the Ninth's name would be put down as an ass. (Laughter.)

Mr. PURDY then said that he would vote against the adoption of the report, although he did not want to be considered a chicken stealer by any means. The reformers were, he was sorry to say, afraid to come up to the mark, and they wanted to increase the taxes of the city unnecessarily.

The vote on the adoption of the report was then taken, which stood 30 to 20 for its adoption, which was declared lost for want of a constitutional vote by the Chair.

Councilman KENNEDY moved for reconsideration of the last vote.

Councilman CLANCY hoped that the gag law and "choke off" practice would be put off for the present.

Councilman HODGKINSON.—I hope so, too.

The vote on reconsidering being taken was carried.

Councilman KENNEDY moved for the adoption of the report.

The vote being taken stood 33 to 17 for its adoption, which was declared carried by the Chair.

REPORTS.

Of Committee on Public Health—Concurring with the Board of Aldermen to let contract for filling in sunken grounds between 114th and 123d streets, Second avenue and Avenue A.

Of Committee on Sewers—In favor of rescinding ordinance for sewer in 118th street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

Of Committee on Streets—In favor of raising grade of Coenties slip and repairing the same, with an ordinance therefor.

Of Committee on Streets—In favor of removing pump and well covering in Thirteenth street between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Of Committee on Streets—In favor of flagging Twenty-fifth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.

Of Committee on Assessments—In favor of confirming assessments for grading Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth avenue and Broadway.

Of Committee on Assessments, with assessment lists for regulating Sixty-third street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, recommending that the same be confirmed, and a collector appointed therefor.

Of Committee on Police—In favor of paying medical bills of Drs. Waterman, Traphagan, Budd and Boveram, for attendance at various station houses in this city.

Of Committee on Sewers—In favor of sewer in Franklin street, from Hudson street to North river.

Of Special Committee on the Celebration of Washington's birth day.

Of Committee on Fire Department—In favor of a new engine for Engine Company No. 20.

Of Committee on Fire Department—In favor of repairs to engine of Engine Company No. 38.

Of Committee on Fire Department—In favor of procuring a location for Hose Company No. 46.

Of Committee on Streets—Concurring with the Board of Aldermen in granting permission to Charles Morgan and others to grade, pave and regulate Tenth street, west of avenue D.

Of Committee on Streets—In favor of regulating paving, &c., on Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets, between Second and Third avenues.

Of Committee on Public Health—In favor of filling in sunken lots between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, on avenue First and avenue A.

Of Committee on Sewers—In favor of sewer in Elizabeth street, between Prince and Houston streets.

Of Committee on Police—In relation to bills of Hunter & Revere, for medical attendance at station houses.

Of Committee on Fire Department—In favor of paying John Hannan $150, for injuries received while discharging his duty as a fireman.

Of Committee on Fire Department—Relative to building a new house for Hose Company No. 8.

Of Committee on Finance—In favor of paying Captain Helme sixty-seven dollars for expense of music at the burial of Henry Gibson.

On motion the board then adjourned until Monday evening.

Court Calendar—This Day.

SUPREME COURT—Circuit.—Nos. 1427, 1562, 1553, 1561, 1260, 1385, 1142, 1739, 576, 605, 607, 610, 584, 618 to 627.

COMMON PLEAS—No. 789.

THE OTHER COURTS—Motions and decisions.

MISTAKING THE MAGNOLIA FOR CABBAGES.—Last week a party of German emigrants went ashore from a boat on the Mississippi river, and gathered large quantities of the leaves and flowers from the magnolia trees, which they took on board, boiled and ate, from the effects of which one man died, and four others came near dying. They had mistaken the leaves of the magnolia for cabbages, supposing that in this fertile country cabbage grew wild, and from 60 to 70 feet high, as does the magnolia on the coast. The leaves of the magnolia resemble those of the cabbage, but are poisonous.

Brooklyn City News.

THE CHOLERA.—Two new cases of Asiatic cholera were reported in this city yesterday, both in the Sixth ward. The names of the persons are Mary Campbell, who resides at the foot of Warren street, near the river, and a man named Carroll, who lives in Columbia street, near Degraw street. In the opinion of the attending physician, both cases are likely to prove fatal.

THE CHOLERA HOSPITAL.—The Brooklyn Board of Health, at a regular meeting held yesterday morning, selected a building known as the old Jackson homestead situated on Lafayette avenue, between Raymond and Navy streets, as a hospital for the accommodation of cholera patients. Subsequently, a special meeting of the Board was called, and the action previously had was rescinded, when on motion, it was resolved, to take possession and occupy a portion of the premises situated on the east side of Raymond street, at the corner of Willoughby street, as a Hospital for the reception of persons attacked with cholera.

A committee of two, consisting of Aldermen Simonson and Quevedo, was authorized to employ a suitable physician, superintendent and nurses, and agree upon a proper compensation.

The President of the Board is authorized to procure the necessary beds, furniture, &c., but no articles are to be procured, or expenses incurred, without the written approval of the President.

Williamsburg City Intelligence.

TEMPERANCE ANNIVERSARY.—The third anniversary of Eureka Division, No. 157, Sons of Temperance, was celebrated by a supper on Thursday evening, at No. 24 Grand street. Prof. Metcalfe presided. The following toasts were given:—

1. The Maine Law, vetoed by Gov. Seymour. The people, in November next, will signify their appreciation of his services by permitting him to retire to the walks of private life." Responded to by Rev. E. S. Porter.

2. "The Order—May it never cease its efforts until victory over intemperance is accomplished." Responded to by Rev. Chas. Gorse.

3. "The event we celebrate." Responded to by Hon. E. D. Culver.

4. Volunteer toast. By P. S. Jacobs, and responded to by Rev. Mr. Fox, of Conn.—"Connecticut all hail! She has promulgated a new edition of the 'blue laws' to the terror of all rum sellers."

5. Volunteer toast.—"Governor Seymour will 'see more' anon." Responded to by Mr. J. Davis.

6. Volunteer toast.—"The Sons of Temperance, wiser men than their fathers—may they have a better law." Responded to by Dr. Slade, who proposes the following:—"Our lady guests. Their attention to our Division shows they are not all for the Union—may they bestow their hearts and hands on some worthy Sons of Temperance." Responded to by Rev. E. S. Porter.

There were some sixty ladies and gentlemen present.

THREATENING LIFE.—A woman named Bridget Kelly was arrested and locked up yesterday, on a charge of threatening the life of her husband.

ACCIDENT.—At half past six o'clock last evening, a large two wheeled-truck, loaded with heavy ship timbers, in going from First street down to the Houston street ferry, became unmanageable, and ran against the ferry master's box with such force as to carry it away. Timothy Conklin, the driver, was caught between the hub of the truck and the ferry-master's box, and narrowly escaped being killed. His hand was crushed and badly lacerated. D. F. Daniels, who was with the driver, had his shoulder sprained, and was otherwise bruised.

CHARGE OF ASSAULT WITH ATTEMPT TO KILL.—The trial of the persons charged with assault and battery on Mr. Meade, of New York, with intent to kill, on the night of the 9th inst., was brought up for trial before Justice Boswell and a jury, yesterday afternoon. Mr. Busted, counsel for complainant, applied for an adjournment, on the ground of the absence of material witnesses. The request was denied, and the Court took a recess until 8 o'clock, for the purpose of procuring the witnesses. Mr. Busted gave notice that he could not be present. At the assembling of the Court in the evening, neither Mr. Busted nor the complainant was present. The case was further adjourned to Monday evening next, in order to procure the attendance of Mr. Meade, the principal witness. From the peculiar circumstances of this case, considerable interest is manifested by the citizens, and the Court room was filled with spectators.

Statistics of Coinage.

Statement of deposits and coinage at the mint of the United States, Philadelphia, during the month of May, 1854:—

GOLD BULLION DEPOSITED.	Value.
From California	$3,400,000 00
Other sources	196,000 00
Total gold deposits	$3,596,000 00
SILVER BULLION DEPOSITED.	
Including silver purchases	$134,000 00
Total gold and silver deposits	$3,730,000 00
COINAGE EXECUTED.	
Gold. *Denomination.*	*Value.*
Three dollars	$311,484 60
Quarter eagles	42,780 00
Dollars	174,616 00
Fine bars	2,741,500 12
Total	$3,270,330 12
Silver.	
Half dollars	$441,000 00
Quarter dollars	173,000 00
Half dimes	88,000 00
Three cent pieces	8,100 09
Total	$710,100 00
Copper.	
Cents	$8,175 96
Total	$8,175 96
RECAPITULATION.	
Total value	$3,988,606 08
Total number of pieces	4,717,132

Theatrical and Musical.

BROADWAY THEATRE.—The Irish drama of "Shandy Maguire" will commence the entertainments of this evening. Mr. Williams will sing several songs, and dance an Irish jig. The next feature will be the comedietta of "Our Gal," in which Mrs. Williams will appear in two characters, and the new national drama, entitled the "Irish Yankee," Mr. Williams as Ebenezer O'Donohue, and Mrs. Williams as Lyddy Jinks.

BOWERY THEATRE.—The drama of "William Tell, the Hero of Scotland," is announced to commence the amusements of this evening, Mr. E. Eddy as William Tell, it being the last night of his appearance till his return from the West. Mad. Olinza will give her astonishing feats on the tight rope, and the beautiful spectacle of the "Naiad Queen" will terminate the amusements.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.—An overture will commence the amusements at this theatre, after which there will be evolutions on the tight rope by La Petite Isabel, Madame Axel, Leon Gavelli and M. Blondin. The grand divertissement of Seven Dances will succeed, and the fairy spectacle of "The Green Monster" will terminate the entertainments.

NATIONAL THEATRE.—The famous drama of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" is announced for this afternoon, Mr. T. Prior as George Harris, Mrs. Prior as Eliza, and little Lavinia Bishop as Eva. The evening entertainments will consist of the drama of "Kenneth, or the Weird Woman of the Glen," the feats of Posturing by Mons. Devani, and the popular drama of "Nick of the Woods," Mr. and Mrs. Prior in the leading characters.

AMERICAN MUSEUM.—The much admired drama of "Raffaelle" is announced for the amusements of the afternoon and evening, Mr. C. W. Clarke, Miss Mestayer, and other eminent artists in the principal characters. Besides the amusements in the saloon, the visitors have the privilege of viewing the great curiosities with which the Museum is furnished.

CHRISTY'S MINSTRELS.—This band announces a variety of their favorite melodies for this evening, also musical pieces and various dances. A visit to Christy's will amply repay the lover of pure negro milstrelsy.

WOOD'S MINSTRELS.—The new burletta called "Black Douglass," which is being performed every night to large audiences, is announced again for this evening, with other interesting features. Other new features are in preparation.

BUCKLEY'S SERENADERS.—This band is attracting very large audiences every evening. The burlesque of "Sonnambula" seems as attractive as ever. It will be presented again to-night.

Superior Court—Special Term.

Before Hon. Judge Hoffman.

THE SIXTH AND EIGHTH AVENUE RAILROAD CASE.

JUNE 23.—*Thos. Hope and others vs. the Sixth and Eighth Avenue Railroad Companies.*—This was an application to compel the defendants to take up the eastern track of their line running through College place, which the plaintiff complains of as a public nuisance and a hindrance to his business. Judge Hoffman delivered an elaborate decision in the case, denying the application. He says:—"It appears to me that the Sixth Avenue Railroad Company have an unquestionable right to the enjoyment of the privileges granted by the corporation of New York to them." With regard to the Eighth Avenue the Judge says:—"The original complaint, as before observed, sought to restrain the company from laying the eastern track, and a case was sought to be made out of an individual special injury to the plaintiff, Hope, arising from the locality of such track with his own premises. The deliberate declaration of the Common Council has been made in the last resolution that public convenience requires that the connections should be made, and sanctioning this eastern track. It is not clear upon the case as now made that a private injury, arising from an invasion of a right of use, has been done to this plaintiff. However, what is now decided could not operate to prevent a new action, if he is advised to bring one founded upon such personal damages and violation simply."

The Turf.

NATIONAL COURSE, LONG ISLAND.

This new race course is now completed and will be opened on Monday next. It is situated between Newtown and Flushing, about five and a half miles from Green Point ferry. Its appearance, as you approach it, is quite imposing. It is surrounded entirely by high brick walls, coped with concrete and broken glass, and it will be impossible for improper persons to gain admittance, unless through the gates, at which an efficient police will be stationed. In order to preserve strict order and decorum on the course, deputy Sheriff Boyd, of Queen's county, with a posse of sixty men, has been engaged for the occasion. No gambling of any description will be tolerated on the grounds, either inside or out of the walls, so far as the control of the proprietors extends. There are two carriage entrances, one at each end of the grand stand, through which vehicles can be driven into the interior of the course.

The building, castellated Gothic in style, 1,200 feet in length, is a magnificent affair, being both strong and capacious, and combining every convenience and comfort desirable. It is capable of seating 25,000 spectators with ease. On the south wing of the building is a space devoted exclusively to ladies, to which is attached a reception or withdrawing room, &c., so that those ladies who may think proper to grace the sport with their presence may be free from annoyance or intrusion of any kind; as much so as in the private boxes of a theatre or concert room. Adjoining the space devoted to the ladies is that allotted to members of the club, and those wearing badges. None but the stewards, and those wearing badges, are to be admitted on the track, and no one during the running, except those specially delegated. The remainder of the stand is devoted to the accommodation of the public generally. Opposite to the grand stand is one for the judges, &c., which is two stories high, the upper portion being appropriated for a band of music. The view from the stand embraces the entire course, and the progress of the horses during the running is discernible throughout. The ground floor of the stand is divided into saloons for refreshments, ticket offices, &c., forming the most perfect establishment of the kind in this country.

The course is nearly, if not quite, of an oblong form, which gives the horses two very long, straight runs in each mile, the corners at the same time not being too abrupt. It is nearly a level, and those in the field can see over the entire space. The soil is admirably adapted to running, and if the weather should prove fair, the track will be in capital order on Monday next. In front of the grand stand, and for a distance of two hundred yards, is an iron railing some eight or ten feet high, at both ends of which are iron drawgates to prevent the crowd pressing upon the track.

Adjoining the course, and in the rear of the Mansion House, are the racing stables, capable of accommodating a large number of horses. Among the horses now present may be enumerated the following, commencing with

HIGHLANDER, a chestnut horse, by Glencoe, dam Castanet, by Monarch, five years old. He was bred by Benjamin F. Taylor, of South Carolina, and is now owned by Mr. Boyden, one of the proprietors of the National Course. He is a horse of fine size and appearence, and is just such a horse as his performances show him to be—one of the best racers of the age, and never beaten but once, which was in the great State post stake, ran at New Orleans last spring. The value set upon him may be estimated from the fact of his having been sold within a few months for $10,000.

REUBE, a chestnut gelding, by imported Trustee, dam Minstrel by Medoc, eight years old, bred by John Harper, of Kentucky, and now owned by J. G. Childs & Co., of that State. He is a well known horse, of fine size, and in appearance presents all the points of a thorough-bred racer. Though not always successful in his many races at long distances, he has never failed to acquit himself with credit.

FLYING FLEA, (better known as Little Flea,) a bay gelding, by Grey Eagle, dam by Sarpedon, six years old, bred by Col. Ross, of Kentucky, and now the property of R. P. Field, of the same State. His performances upon the turf have been remarkably brilliant and attractive from the fact of his being so very small—not more than fourteen hands high, and rather slender in appearance; yet so nicely is he balanced, and so elastic are his muscles, that he carries weight with apparent ease, and moves with all the vigor of horses of larger size. Like Reube, he has run many races, winning a fair proportion, and has made the best time at three miles of any horse in the country—5:33¼.

COMPROMISE, a chestnut horse, six years old, by Glencoe, dam by Stockholder. He has run twelve or fifteen races, and been very successful. He is a splendid animal.

LITTLE ARTHUR, a grey colt, by Glencoe, three years old, dam Blue Bonnets, by imported Hedgeford, a winner of two stakes. A finely developed colt.

TERRIFIER, a bay colt, by Sovereign, dam Jane Mitchell, by imported Leviathan, three years old. He exhibits all the points requisite for speed and bottom.

BLONDE, a chestnut mare, by Glencoe, dam by Wagner, four years old. She is a remarkably fine mare, and considered one of the fastest at the South.

SAM LETCHER, a chestnut colt, by Wagner, dam by Medoc, three years old. He won the two mile stake at Lexington, Ky., this season, beating Mr. Clay's colt.

GARRET DAVIS, a chestnut colt, by imported Glencoe, dam by imported Sarpedon, four years old. He ran a two mile race in Cincinnati last fall, in 3:42.

MADONNA, a bay filly, by imported Yorkshire, dam by Glencoe, four years old. She was the winner of the four mile race at Baltimore, beating Florence, and is a beautiful creature.

HENRY, a chestnut colt, by Glencoe, dam by Medoc, three years old. He is a very promising colt.

DIE CLAPPERTON, a bay mare, by Boston, dam by Monarch, six years old. She is very fast, and capable of running any distance.

WHITE EYE, a chestnut horse, five years old, by Boston, dam Barbara Allen, by Sumpter. He is a horse of great speed, and has distinguished himself in Virginia, South Carolina and Georgia.

WILD IRISHMAN, a brown horse, four years old, by Glencoe, dam by Medoc. He has been a winner in nearly all his races, at mile and two mile heats.

ELLEN BATEMAN, a chestnut mare, four years old, by Glencoe, dam by Trustee. She won three races in Baltimore at the last meeting. Her last mile in her third race was done in 1:47½. She is a very fine mare.

JIM BARTON, a bay horse, by Grey Eagle, dam by Sumpter, four years old. He is a capital racer, and a winner at Lexington and New Orleans.

KITTY HUNT, a bay mare, five years old, by Alec Churchill, dam Sally Ward, by Bertrand. He was a winner at Lexington and Louisville, making fine runs in both instances.

MAID OF ORLEANS, a bay mare, five years old, by Bethune, dam Alice Carneal. She has won on every track she ever run on.

Two Glencoe colts, one three and the other four years old, dam by Medoc.

Mr. Gibbons has two bay fillies.

Mr. Brown has a grey filly, by Glencoe, dam Sally Ward, by John R. Grimes.

Mr. Ten Broeck's horses, Lexington and Arrow, it was said, would reach the course yesterday afternoon, besides a number of other celebrities.

UNION COURSE, L. I.—RACING.

The sweepstakes postponed from Thursday, came off yesterday afternoon, between R. Ten Broeck's grey filly, Susan Berbeck, and Wm. Whittin's sorrel filly. W. H. Gibbons' entry did not come to the post. There were but very few to witness the race. The betting was two and three to one in favor of Ten Broeck's filly. She won the stake very easily, passing the sorrel filly at the quarter pole in the first heat, and afterwards kept the lead. In the second heat the grey was in front from first to last. The following is a summary:—

Friday, June 23, purse $300; subscription $50, added; mile heats.

R. Ten Broeck named g. f. Susan Berbeck	1	1
Mr. Whitten named s. f. four years old	2	2
W. H. Gibbons named b. f. by Mariner, dam Cassandra	withdrawn.	

Time 1:55—1:57.

ARRIVAL OF THE NORTH STAR.

VERY SHORT PASSAGE.

TWO WEEKS LATER FROM CALIFORNIA.

News from Oregon and Washington Territories, Central America, and the South Pacific.

TRIAL OF THE FRENCH CONSUL.

Official Report of the Surrender of Col. Walker's Party.

Destructive Fires at Marysville and San Francisco.

Reported Naval Conflicts Between the Russians and English.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

More About the Earthquake at San Salvador.

The War Between Honduras and Guatemala.

THE REVOLUTION IN NEW GRANADA.

MARKETS, &c., &c., &c.

The steamship North Star, Capt. Warnock, arrived at three o'clock yesterday afternoon, from Aspinwall, having left that port on the morning of the 16th inst., at four o'clock.

The North Star brings 340 passengers and $355,000 in gold dust, brought down to Panama by the steamship Yankee Blade, which left San Francisco on the 1st instant. The passage through has been made in twenty-one days and twenty-one hours, being the shortest trip on record.

On the 20th inst., at 5 P. M., a passenger who was delirious with fever, jumped off the forward guards, and being struck by the wheel, was instantly killed. His name was W. Hawley, of Columbiana county, Ohio.

We are indebted to Purser Oxley, of the North Star, for favors, and also to Wells, Fargo & Co., for full files of California papers.

There has been an almost entire cessation of political excitement since the adjournment of the Legislature on the 15th ultimo. The Governor vetoed the deficiency bill, and sent in a message reproving the Legislature for having defeated or neglected the most important bills of the session and the financial interests of the State.

The rumor is contradicted, on the authority of the Governor, it is said, that he will call a special session of the Legislature for any purpose.

A statement was current in San Francisco a few days before the departure of the steamer, that the Russian frigate of sixty-four guns had fired into an English bark outside the Heads, and nearly sunk her, and that while two of her armed boats were returning from an ineffectual chase of the bark, they were suddenly attacked by the English steam frigate Virago, and entirely destroyed by a discharge of grape shot. The Russian, seeing the condition of her boats, made all sail to escape, but was fired upon by the steamer, which carried away her main topgallant mast and rudder, and she soon after struck without firing a shot, when the steamer took her in tow and made for San Francisco. These particulars were published on the 25th ult., in the San Francisco *Herald*, by an "Eye-Witness," who manufactured them, supposed in revenge for having, with others, been hoaxed into chartering a fast sailing craft and proceeding out off the Heads to witness the anticipated battle. Of course neither the capturer nor captured had arrived, as at the departure of the Diana from Valparaiso the news had not been received of the declaration of war.

A new excitement has been furnished the public in the indictment and prosecution before the United States District Court of M. Patrice Dillon, the French consul, for an alleged violation of the neutrality act of 1818, in assisting to engage the French party that went down to Guaymas on the Challenge to enlist in the service of the Mexican government. The District Attorney had also, in the progress of the trial, attempted to charge M. Dillon with aiding and abetting the filibustering schemes of Count Raousset Boulbon. On the 23d M. Dillon was arraigned for trial, having for counsel Gov. Foote and Col. E. D. Baker, and entered a protest against the proceedings, both before the Grand Jury and the Court, as irregular and in opposition to existing treaties, and especially the convention of the 23d February. The case was submitted to the jury on the 26th, who, after a retirement of six hours, were unable to agree, and were discharged by the court. Ten of the jury were for conviction.

Two destructive fires have occurred in the State within the past fortnight. On the evening of the 25th a fire broke out in Marysville, at the corner of D and Second streets, which destroyed nearly the whole of nine blocks of buildings, including the theatre, post office, court house, the Orleans Hotel and Presbyterian Church. The flames raged with unabated fury for nearly three hours. The loss is estimated at $200,000. This terrible conflagration is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary, and a man named Hall was arrested on suspicion of the crime, but has been discharged.

A terrible accident occurred on the 14th in the vicinity of Tehama. One of the large four horse coaches, running between Marysville and Shasta city, in attempting to ford Pine Creek, was swept down by the swollen current, and five of the passengers were drowned.

The engineers and workmen are busily employed in surveying the railroad line between Sacramento city and Mormon Island.

Thomas H. Corwin, under sentence of death for murder, broke jail in Mariposa on the night of the 20th, and escaped with another prisoner.

The advices from the mining districts are generally encouraging. Rich discoveries have been made at Iowa Hill and other places in the neighborhood of Grass Valley, which some time ago had fallen off considerably in that district, seem to have acquired a fresh impetus.

Many of the water companies throughout the State have declared handsome dividends.

The season is now approaching when mining in the bed of the streams will have fairly commenced, and most of the miners now engaged in the dry diggings will repair to the creeks and rivers.

The Quarterly Report of the Superintendent of the City Schools shows the whole number of scholars to be 1574, of which 901 are boys, and 673 girls. The number of schools is 7; quarterly revenue of the School Fund, $12,006; quarterly expenditure, $10,631; balance on hand, $1,375.

The city's claim to her Pueblo lands, sixteen square leagues, at the end of the peninsula, was on argument before the U. S. Land Commission, and will be submitted for decision during the week.

A duel took place on the morning of the 21st, between Geo. T. Hunt, an attorney, of San Francisco, and N. Hubert, ex-member of the Assembly. At the third fire Mr. Hunt received his adversary's ball in the abdomen, and died during the day. A warrant was issued for Hubert, but he has not been arrested.

On the 25th, Messrs. Christopher Dowdigan, of San Francisco, and James Hawkins, of Tuolumne, fought a duel near the Presidio, with rifles, at forty paces. Dowdigan was slightly wounded in the left arm.

Still another fatal duel occurred on the 24th, in which Thomas L. Benson, a native of London, was killed.

A horrible murder was perpetrated in San Francisco on the night of the 20th. An old Mexican woman was found