Daily Appeal.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, January 9.—A Republican caucus was spoken of for to-night; but no reflection mine was thought necessary.

It is ascertained that there can be no further consultation of the Southern Opposition on Mr. Hamilton, whose vote to-morrow will, according to the present indications, be greatly diminished.

Some of the Republicans have been canvassing to ascertain whatever more votes than Sherman has received can be secured to Hickman; but of this they cannot be satisfied.

At the national union executive committee meeting to-night, Mr. Crittenden in the chair, a number of encouraging letters were read.

WASHINGTON, January 10.—The American members of Congress, in caucus last night, decided that they could not support a Lecompton Democrat without stultifying themselves.

The city council, comprehending that legislation in the slave States against free negroes would have the effect of increasing the number of just cause in Washington, took initiatory measures to prevent such immigration; but a recent authoritative exposition of the city charter shows that it gives no power of prohibition, and that legislation on that subject must be confined to prescribe, in advance, such reasonable terms and conditions of residence as may tend to repel the idle and disorderly.

The President-to-day nominated to the Senate Hon. Charles A. Faulkner, of Virginia, as Minister to France.

The Senate confirmed all pending appointments made during the recess of Congress, ex-Senator Breese, as marshal of the northern district of Illinois.

Mr. Grundy's nomination as Consul to Havre is not definitely acted upon.

A bill introduced by Senator Gwin, yesterday, providing for a territorial government for Nevada, in the same as reported in the last Hogans' Representatives.

The Usiter States agricultural society will commence its eighth annual meeting at the Smithsonian Institute to-morrow.

WASHINGTON, January 11.—The War Department is preparing for effective operations in the spring against the Indians, who are now committing depredations on the Santa Fe mail route.

Col. Sumner's command will furnish the forces.

Col. Johnson's Utah command is to be ordered into Arizona in the spring.

Letters from leading bankers in New York state that owing to the non-organization of the House, post office scrip will not be purchased at higher rates than were paid six months ago.

The President has nominated to the Senate ex-Congressman Hughes of Indiana to the vacancy on the bench of the court of claims. Among the other confirmations to-day are those of Marshal M. Smith as consul to Constantinople, and N. N. Miller as postmaster of Detroit.

The mail contractors continue to throw up their contracts, finding it impossible to continue the service through the failure of Congress to appropriate money.

In the House to-day, on the ballot for Speaker, Messrs. Briggs and Morris, of Pennsylvania, voted with the southern Opposition for Mr. Gilmer, Mr. Davis, of Indiana received the votes of Allen, Burr, Cooper, Cox, Howard, Montgomery, Morris of Illinois; and Sickles of New York; while Messrs. Davis and Mr. Clay, Mr. Davis, of Miss., voted for Mr. Boocock; Mr. Clerk, of New York, for Mr. Adrian, and Mr. Adrian for Mr. Reynolds.

The United States agricultural society added President Buchanan and Ex-Presidents Tyler and Van Buren to their list of honorary members.

Railroad Accident—Thrilling Scene and Wonderful Escape.

We have already briefly mentioned that at one o'clock on Friday morning last, an accident happened to a passenger train on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroad, beyond Alliance, by which several passengers were injured, but fortunately none killed. The window of the late Senator Lane, of Mo., and daughter, Judge Delafield, of Memphis, and a dozen others, who were in the sleeping car) were thrown down an embankment of thirty feet, the car turning over several times, once over a stake and rider fence. It took Rev. Ralph Hutchinson, who officiated for the Pittsburg Chronicle with the following account of the accident:

After stating that the accident was occasioned by a broken rail, and that the locomotive and baggage car passed over safely, he says: "The passenger car first meets the obstacle, and it seems as if the rails, with its load of human life, it is hurled over and over down a steep embankment on an adjacent fence. Its inmates are tumbled out—the fallen stoves set it on fire, and abandoned to its fate, it is a beacon-light to what follows. Its flames throw over the ice and snow a lurid glare, which can be seen miles off, and the fence itself is in flames; but, in God's providence, not a single life was lost, and, save with a few bruises only, the passengers escaped uninjured. The sleeping car, last on train, was, he's severe wreck, covered from the passenger car. Carried on with terrible velocity, it struck the sleepers on which the track is laid. It wavered a moment or two, and suddenly leaping over, its impulses carried it forward with still more velocity over the pinnacle. Down the precipice it turned; leap after leap it took; crash after crash came broken glass, falling like rain, among its occupants, until it reached the fence, the car stopped; and in six minutes, sixty feet from the fence, within a field. Crash was only succeeded by groans. Help! was cried, but who was there to help? Those who had escaped the hurricane's short distance in front, had gone on to the shelter of the baggage car, still on the track, and in a very few minutes all, of them—not to be invidious—save Mr. George George, of Cincinnati. He and some others not known, returned to assist the terrified passengers.

Picture to your mind's eye that sleeping car—fallen on its side, at that moment—all prostrate. Some lamps are burning, others are out, the embers of the stoves lying and stifling the air, adding to the gloom distraction and danger. Hurrying feet were raised, and followed by the most terrible cries—groans, in the midst of which a lady was heard to cry, "Help! or my mother will be burned!" The car was now filled with smoke, and the night, if it was dark that nothing whatever could be distinguished. The passengers knew not where they were, or the extent of their danger. At length, a door was forced, and a general rush for the open air was made. Some few, however, remained behind, and assisted in rescuing the lady before referred to, and other noble and courageous daughter, from their perilous position.

In the meantime other cries for assistance were heard. A young lad named Eugene Service, only twelve years old, traveling with his widowed mother, finds her under the twisted stove-bottle injured, and threatened with immediate death. Calmly, but promptly, he drew his coat sleeve over his hand, and, raising the fallen stove, rescued his frightened parent from death. Well may she be proud of that boy. She was helped out of the car, badly burned, and her teeth knocked out. Another young lady was carried out with her collar bone broken. A mistress was spread upon the snow, on which she was laid, and she was protected from the then extreme cold by overlaids plaintly! thrown out of the car. A gentleman of Springfield, Ill., S. S. Whitehurst, Esq., was among the most active in doing good. He was surprised on being asked, by his friends, that he had escaped without a bruise. When the excitement subsided, he found himself with a dislocated shoulder, and otherwise severely injured, and other passengers also suffered much.

Mr. Lane, the Senator, was badly hurt, and was broken was a Miss Lonsdale, an actress. No one was killed. I need only add that the Hibernian Society, of which the late lamented widow of Senator Linn, of Missouri, and that the noble hearted girl, Mrs. Sanger, Mary L. Dorr.

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In Chancery at Memphis.
STATE OF TENNESSEE—At Chancery Sale at the Court-house, Chancery Sale of the Common Law and Chancery Court of the city of Memphis, Monday, January the 16th, 1860.
James W. Proctor, Mary Stewart and George Dunn, administrators and administrator of W. P. Stewart, deceased, Complainants,
vs.
Burwin Stewart, Rachel B. Stewart, W. B. Stewart, Charles P. Stewart, Mary E. Stewart, and others, Defendants.
Bill Suggesting Insolvency of Estate.
It appearing from affidavit filed in this cause, that the defendant Rachel Winne is a non-resident of this State, C. Pedoux & Co. and W. A. Johnson & Co., are non-residents of this State, and it is ordered that unless they do appear before the chancellor at Memphis, within the time required by law, and plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint, filed in the chancery court of said Court, in the term of the court, to be held on the fourth Monday in May next, (1860,) and plead, answer or demur to complainants' bill, or the same will be taken as confessed as to them, and set for hearing ex parte; it is further ordered that all persons interested in the estate of Wm. P. Stewart, deceased, be notified to appear before the chancellor at Memphis, on the first Monday in May next (1860) or the same will be forever barred, and they prohibited from participating in the distribution of said estate, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Appeal.
JOHN C. LANIER,
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Dixon editor for complainants.

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Thomas C. Godwin, et al.
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Willis, man, aged twenty-one;
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Fany, woman, aged twenty-seven;
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