

TERRITORIAL LEGISLATURE.

Seventh Session.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Council called to order. Roll called; quorum present.

Howe, from the committee on engrossment, reported.

Lawrence gave notice that he would introduce a bill for the appointment of a Territorial Librarian.

Stuart gave notice that he would introduce a bill for the appointment of Fire Wardens.

H. B. No. 28, relating to reporting decisions of the Supreme Court; read a second time, and referred to the Judiciary committee.

H. B. No. 40, an act attaching Choteau to Lewis and Clarke county for judicial purposes; read second time, and on motion the rules were suspended and the bill put upon its final passage, and passed. Ayes, 12; nays none.

H. B. No. 8, a bill to provide a system of common schools; referred to the committee on education.

C. B. No. 13, a bill relating to roads, cartways and bridges.

Warren said there were lots of good reading in the bill, but he moved that its reading be dispensed with.

The bill was ordered to be passed on its final passage.

A call of the House was ordered. On motion of Stapleton, the Sergeant at Arms was ordered to bring in absentees.

A motion to dispense with the further call of the House was defeated.

Warren was called to the Chair. Collins asked leave to go out. Refused.

Fisher and Mitchell raised points of order, that no person could enter or leave the House while a call existed.

The Chair decided that Collins could go out.

An appeal was taken and the Chair was not sustained.

Beck moved that Collins have leave to retire.

Motion supported by Owen. The motion was decided out of order.

An appeal was taken and the decision of the Chair sustained.

Beck moved that Collins be removed from his seat so that he (Beck) might be suffered to retire to another.

Motion declared out of order. The Sergeant at Arms appeared with Kinney.

The Chair ordered Kinney to appear at the bar of the House.

The President asked Kinney why he was not in his seat.

Kinney answered that he had important business.

On motion, Mr. Kinney was released from arrest, on payment of one dollar to the Sergeant at Arms, as costs.

The bill then passed; ayes 11, nays 1.

H. B. No. 18, relating to Judicial Districts, etc., was read a third time and passed; ayes 11, nays none.

C. B. No. 33, relating to marks and brands, was read a third time. The ayes and nays were called and the bill passed, 11 to 1.

C. B. No. 29, relating to litigants, was read.

Collins raised a point of order, that the bill was in conflict with Bill No. 12, which had passed both Houses, and that the introduction of a similar bill requires five days' notice before its introduction.

The point of order was overruled. The ayes and nays were called and the bill passed; ayes 11, nays 2.

The President announced that he had signed H. B. No. 9, for the relief of Sample Orr. Also H. B. No. 10, in relation to blooded stock.

Lawrence introduced an objection to Bill No. 34, creating the office of Territorial Librarian. Read a second time and referred to the Committee on Incorporations.

Kinney, from the Committee on Ways and Means, reported against the passage of H. B. No. 37, and recommended a substitute. The substitute was adopted.

Stuart requested two additional members to be added to the Committee on the Insane. Kinney and Fisher were appointed.

A question was raised as to the propriety of holding a session on Monday, January 1st. On motion, the Council adjourned till 10 o'clock a. m. on Monday.

HOUSE.—The House bills No. 26 and 38, were reported correctly engrossed.

H. B. No. 36, concerning estrays, was reported back by the committee with amendments and recommended to pass.

The Chair announced that he had signed H. B. No. 5, concerning the killing of game and catching of fish.

Searles reported that he had passed in the Governor's hands, for his signature, H. B. No. 12 and 13, at 10:40.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

HOUSE.—The Chairman of the select committee appointed to investigate the authority of the Auditor to issue warrants to Colonel Johnson for twelve days' clerking, reported that all parties acted within the law.

Smith, of Deer Lodge, gave notice of a bill to change the seat of government from Virginia to Helena.

C. B. No. 28, relative to military stores and arsenals, passed under a suspension of the rules by ayes 22.

C. B. No. 14, for the relief of N. Dickinson, granting him \$500 for pursuing and catching prisoners, was amended to \$1,000. The rules were suspended, the bill considered and engrossed, put on its final passage and lost.

Lowry, of Jefferson, moved to reconsider, which was carried, and the bill passed by ayes 12; nays 10.

H. B. No. 18, regulating the duties of district attorneys, reported back from the Council with amendments, was made the special order for next Wednesday.

C. B. No. 27, in relation to litigants, was read twice and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

C. B. No. 33, regulating record of marks and brands, was read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. No. 47, to provide for the collection of statistics, was read twice and referred to the Committee on Education.

A recess was taken until 7 in the evening.

EVENING SESSION.

The House was called to order; a quorum present.

Smith gave notice of a bill authorizing female suffrage.

Vivion gave notice of a bill to locate the seat of government.

H. B. No. 25, was taken up and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The House then went into Committee of the Whole, and after considering the bill reported it back to the House, recommending its passage. The bill passed by 18 to 4. The bill relates to Chinamen.

Adjourned until 10 a. m. on Monday.

MORNING SESSION.

VIRGINIA CITY, Jan. 1, 1872.

COUNCIL.—Warren reported back H. B. No. 28, recommending its passage.

Shoup reported H. B. No. 27 the subject of incorporations.

H. B. No. 30, authorizing the County Commissioners to fund debts, was read a second time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Lawrence moved that a committee be appointed on H. B. No. 6—adopted.

C. B. No. 5, being the report of the Code Commissioners, passed by ayes, 12; nays, 1.

H. B. No. 27 was read a third time—passed by ayes 13, and nays none.

H. B. No. 28, which relates to the reporting of the decisions of the Supreme Court, passed by ayes, 11; nays 2.

H. B. No. 27, relating to incorporations, was read a third time—passed by ayes 8, and nays 5.

H. B. No. 26, relating to the apportionment of the Legislative Districts of Montana, was referred to the Committee on Elections.

H. B. No. 46, relating to the funding of county debts, was read a second time—referred to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

H. B. No. 25, relating to the acquiring of titles to placer mines, was read and made the special order for half past twelve o'clock tomorrow.

Adjourned to 10 a. m. to-morrow.

MORNING SESSION.

VIRGINIA CITY, Jan. 2, 1872.

COUNCIL.—Lawrence gave notice that he would at a future day introduce a bill relating to water rights.

Collins reported from the Committee on Enrollment.

Warren moved a call of the House.

Collins moved that a further call of the House be dispensed with—carried.

Recess till two o'clock.

HOUSE.—The minutes were read and approved.

H. B. No. 37, regulating care for the poor, was returned from the Council with amendment—referred to a select committee.

C. B. No. 35; a civil code act, was taken up and read—referred to the House Judiciary Committee.

C. B. No. 31, to provide for the pay of officers, members and employees of the Legislature, and repealing the Judge's extra compensation, was read twice—referred to the Committee on Territorial Affairs.

C. B.; an act repealing the act granting an extra compensation to officers, was read twice—referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Governor notified the House that he had signed the House Bill No. 14, encouraging the introduction of blooded stock.

H. B. No. 49; an act to regulate the tolls of grist mills in the Territory, was read twice—referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

H. B. No. 50; an act concerning conspiracy, was introduced by Lowry, of Lewis & Clark—read twice, rules suspended, and passed by ayes 12, and nays 10.

H. B. No. 33; an act to provide for the funding of the outstanding indebtedness of the Territory, and a redemption of fifteen per cent. bonds, was taken up—passed.

H. B. No. 33; an act relative to County Commissioners—passed.

H. B. No. 45; an act authorizing the Governor to provide for the feeding and clothing of convicts—passed.

C. B. No. 18; an act to amend the act relating to counties and county officers was taken up and read a third time—passed.

H. B. No. 38; an act to survive certain rights to representatives of deceased persons passed.

Recess till 2 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Council re-assembled at 2 p. m.

Collins reported from the Committee on Engrossment.

Bullock reported back a bill in relation to fire wardens, and recommended its passage.

Beck reported bill No. 37 back, and recommended its passage.

The same gent reported an amendment to the election, bill changing the time for the election to the first Monday in October.

Bill No. 26 was reported back without recommendations.

The same gent reported back bill No. 4 recommending its passage.

The President announced that he had signed joint resolution No. 6, empowering committees to employ clerks. Also the bill attaching Choteau, Big Horn and Dawson to counties for judicial purposes. H. B. No. 22, concerning elections, having been reported with amendments, was read and carried.

A communication was received from the governor announcing that he had signed Council bill No. 5.

HOUSE.—The Chair announced that he had signed, as Speaker of the House, bills Nos. 6, 16, and 33.

The Judiciary Committee sent in a minority and majority report on the civil code act. The former recommends the passage of the act without the amendment, and the latter amends by striking out certain sections relative to laws of equity cases.

On motion to delay the minority report a discussion of considerable length ensued. The majority report was adopted.

C. B. 35, the civil code act, was taken up with amendments and adopted.

H. B. No. 51, to amend an act securing liens to mechanics and others was introduced by Vivion, read twice and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. No. 22, an act providing for the collection of revenues, was called up and amended. Further consideration was postponed till to-morrow at 10 o'clock, to which time the House adjourned.

FORENOON SESSION.

VIRGINIA, M. T., January 3.—COUNCIL.—H. B. 22, which passed the Council, and recommended to offer amendments, and recommended to the Committee on Elections.

The bill introduced by Howe, C. B. 38, authorizing the County commissioners of Jefferson county to levy a special tax, not exceeding 8 mills on the dollar, for the purpose of erecting a Court House, was read a second time, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

H. B. 23 provides for the funding of the outstanding debt of Montana Territory, and the redemption of the 15 per cent. bonds.

H. B. 33, which was read and referred, relates to County Commissioners.

H. B. 38 relates to the representatives of deceased persons. The rules were suspended and the bill read a third time and passed.

H. B. 45, authorizing the Governor to con-

tract for clothing for convicts, was read a second time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

C. B. 40, relating to conspiracies, was made a special order for the 20th of January, and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

C. B. 4, relative to elections, was read and referred to the Committee on Engrossment.

C. B. 37, relating to fire wardens, was read a third time and passed.

H. B. 34 was indefinitely postponed.

H. B. 25 and C. B. 19, relating to Chinamen. The latter was indefinitely postponed.

H. B. 25 was then taken up and made a special order for half past ten a. m. next Friday.

Stapleton gave notice that he would introduce a bill to authorize J. A. Creighton and others to maintain a toll road in Beaverhead county.

Adjourned till 2 p. m.

HOUSE.—The revenue bill was ordered to be engrossed.

H. B. to prevent bulls from running at large, returned by the Committee on Agriculture and recomend that it pass, was ordered engrossed.

The House refused to concur in the Council amendments to H. B. No. 37, to provide for the poor, and ask the Council to recede.

H. B. No. 15, in relation to restaking quartz lodes, was ordered to be engrossed.

A communication from the Governor was received, returning H. B. No. 9, for the relief of Sample Orr, to issue a warrant in lieu of one lost without his signature. The consideration of the message was postponed until Friday afternoon.

The civil practice act was taken up and ordered read.

Smith and Dixon, of Deer Lodge, asked leave of absence for the balance of the day, which was granted.

The clerk then proceeded to read. A motion to dispense with the further reading of the bill was carried. The bill was then read a third time by title and passed by ayes 20 to noes 1.

H. B. No. 40, concerning certain powers and fees of the Secretary, was read for information, and then referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H. B. No. 44, regulating the election of County Commissioners, was ordered engrossed.

C. B. 29, relating to the rights of litigants, was read a third time and passed—ayes, 10; nays, 4.

H. B. 34, an act defining the duties of county officers, was put to a third reading and passed.

Recess till 2 p. m.

TELEGRAMS

REPORTED SPECIALLY FOR THE HERALD BY WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

UNITED STATES.

Cincinnati, Dec. 28.—A meeting of about three hundred residents, of Port Union, Butler county, was held last night to give expression to their feelings concerning the unexpected acquittal of Tom McGhan of the murder of Myres. Resolutions were adopted denouncing the jury, Judge McKenny and McGhan's attorneys; and, also demanding that McGhan be compelled to leave the country.

Jesse Grant has greatly improved. His recovery is now probable.

St. Louis, Dec. 28.—Further advices from Sedalia confirm the report of the killing of negroes in Saline county. It is said that great excitement prevails there. The negroes are panic stricken. Efforts have been made to suppress the facts.

New York, Dec. 29.—Tweed surrendered to the Sheriff this morning and his son Richard was accepted as surety in the place of Farley. Mort was appointed Commissioner of Public Works by the Mayor, who received Tweed's formal resignation. These events have created quite an excitement. After the necessary requirements the charge for sureties was complied with. Tweed went to his office in the Department of Public Works and introduced his successor to the clerks and employees.

It is strongly suspected among the Reformers that the continuance of the grand jury of the Court of Oyer and Terminer is owing to the Ring's influence, whose object it is to prevent the finding of any further indictments by general sessions of the grand jury. The Oyer and Terminer jury have been occupied a long time in investigation, and have spent many days over the case, but thus far without any particular success.

Tweed's hiding place does not seem to be known except to the Sheriff and a few others. The Herald's reporters say that he was informed that Tweed was yesterday negotiating with the agent of T. A. Scott to dispose of some property.

The fire in Maiden Lane last night damaged the building occupied by Wm. Ester, the Fur Inspector, to the extent of \$18,000. Another fire on East 10th street, damaged the saw mill building of Rodman & Hetburn to the amount of about \$2,000.

Lumberfrith, Derby, Snow & Pentize and Connel & Leitch, brewers, both of Jersey City, failed. The liabilities of the latter are reported at over four hundred thousand dollars.

Washington, Dec. 29.—The total amount of U. S. currency of all kinds, outstanding at this date, is \$399,274,710.

New York, Dec. 28.—James Hackett, the veteran actor, father of Recorder Hackett of his city, died this morning at Jamaica, Long Island.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—It is reported that J. Young, Scammon, and several other prominent citizens have purchased the Chicago Republican. They will place it under the charge of Sydney Howard Gay, formerly of the New York Tribune, but more recently connected with the Chicago Tribune.

San Francisco, Dec. 28.—Arrived, the brig Lewiston, from New York.

The weather remains showery. Nearly sixteen inches of rain has already fallen.

The telegraph lines in all parts of the

State are badly affected by the stormy weather.

The farmers are making great efforts to sow a much larger area of wheat than ever before. Nearly half of the last crop, available for shipping, is still in the State.

Good superfine flour, in lots, is selling at six dollars per barrel.

New York, Jan. 1.—The requisite ball being ready, Collector Connolly will, probably be released to-morrow.

The State Committee have come to the conclusion that the facts brought to knowledge and stated in the report of the Citizens Committee demand the impeachment of the Mayor by the Common Council, the Mayor being invested with supervision of all departments, receiving periodical statements of accounts, and having authority to call for information required, and being responsible for the proper management of the departments, should be held to answer for the frauds committed. And the committee recommend that he be impeached for malfeasance in office in not properly discharging his duties; and, in the absence of any rule, by Common Pleas, defining the mode of impeachment, the committee recommend the passage of a resolution of impeachment and designation of a counsel to prosecute the same in accordance with the rule which may be adopted by the Common Pleas resolution of impeachment, setting forth, in extenso, the charges of malfeasance, and the malfeasance against the Mayor, with a further resolution of appointing as corporation counsel, Chas. O'Connor and John Harley, to prepare articles of impeachment and prosecute the same before the proper tribunal.

At one minute to 12 o'clock Alderman Cowan declared the board adjourned "sine die." At 12 o'clock the clerk commenced to read the call for the re-assembling of the board for the ensuing year. Just then a loud knocking was heard at the door, which the Sergeant at Arms opened cautiously, when admittance was demanded by Henry L. Clinton, a lawyer, heading the new Board of Aldermen, and who said he had a writ from Judge Brady to serve on the old Board, ordering them to vacate the chambers for the Reform Board. The clamor at the door caused the members to rush to the assistance of the Sergeant at Arms. Among them, was Irving, who expressed his intention of "putting a head on," and slammed the door in the Reformers' faces, whereupon the clerk finished reading the call. Cowan was re-elected President for the coming year. The Clerk was re-appointed and the Board adjourned. The door was then opened and the new board rushed in, and with them a small boy, who actively served the old Board with a writ issued by Judge Brady. The Mayor on arriving at the City Hall commenced writing a document recognizing the old Board, when, the reformers being informed of this, they impeached him, whereupon he left the document unfinished and issued another, declaring the offices of, Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen vacant, and appointing thereto the newly elected Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen. He also issued an address to the court of Common Pleas, objecting to their taking action on the resolution of impeachment, on the ground that when the resolution passed, the court prescribed no mode of procedure in regard to the impeachment. The new board organized, with Vance as Chairman. All the members were present except Cowan and Plunkett, who also belong to the old Board. At the request of the Board the Mayor presided and administered the oath of office. The resolution of impeachment was then unanimously rescinded. The Board then resolved itself into a Board of Supervisors, the Mayor presiding. The action of the old Board created a great deal of excitement by the impeachment of Hall. It was a surprise to Tammany and to the Mayor; but the latter says that he has retaliated effectually. It is not probable that the new Board will do anything further concerning the impeachment.

Salt Lake, Dec. 29.—Tremendous storms prevail in the mining districts of Little and Big Cottonwood. Whole settlements have been buried in the snow. Many narrow escapes have occurred. The snow is from ten to fifty feet. Most of the mines have suspended operations. Snow, hail and rain storms continue. The blockade of the railroad is causing much distress. Coal is from \$15 to \$20 per ton.

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