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CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS

Forty-First Congress—Second Session.

SATURDAY, June 11, 1870.

SENATE.

On motion of Mr. Sherman, leave was granted to the Committee on Finance to sit during the session of the Senate.

Mr. Morrill, of Me., called up joint resolution appropriating $50,000 to defray expenses of Indian delegations now visiting Washington, which was passed.

Mr. Howard, from the Committee on the Pacific Railroad, reported back with amendments the bill relating to the Central branch Union Pacific railroad.

Mr. Sherman said this bill was little extraordinary provisions, and stated that although a member of the committee he did not know when the matter had been considered.

Mr. Howard said a majority of the members of the committee had signed the report.

Mr. Sherman said the report had never been brought to him.

Mr. Harlan remarked that he had charge of the report, but was unable to find Mr. Sherman.

Mr. Sherman continued in opposition to the bill as making an enormous grant of land, taking a belt of country about 10 miles wide and 300 long. After this great gift made the Government would have no land left from St. Jo, Missouri, to Fort Kearney.

At 1 o'clock the franking bill came up, but it was laid over by yeas 24, nays 21, to proceed with the bill under discussion.

Mr. Yates could not agree that Congress should become a mere plaything of Eastern capitalists. He opposed the bill as giving the exclusive choice of all lands within 25 miles.

Mr. Harlan said that the bill was equitable: lands were to be given in lieu of lands to which the road was entitled.

Mr. Thayer said the proposition was to give the Brownville, Fort Kearney and Michigan Pacific railroad the odd sections of land, and the Central Branch Union Pacific the even sections, thus absorbing a solid belt of land 20 miles wide, or 10 miles on either side, on each side. The people of Nebraska did not want this Central Branch road, and he protested against the absorption of land.

Mr. Thurman argued at length in opposition to the policy of land grants to railroads.

Mr. Davis, while favoring as a general thing a proper donation of lands for the purpose of building railroads, was opposed to such enormous absorptions of the public lands as proposed in this bill.

After further discussion, the bill was passed as amended by the committee, and at 6:15 p. m. the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. Butler, of Mass., asked leave to report a bill from the Judiciary Committee to repeal the several acts relating to the tenure of civil officers, except so far as they related to postmasters and disembodied now in force.

Mr. Poland, of Vt., objected.

A large number of executive communications were referred to the appropriate committees.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the Sergeant-at-Arms announcing the arrest of Patrick Woods, alias Rooney, who is charged with an assault upon Congressman Porter, and it was ordered that he be brought at once to the bar of the House.

In a few minutes the prisoner was brought in, and the Sergeant-at-Arms reported that he had now in custody Patrick Woods, alias Pat Rooney, charged with a murderous assault, on the 25th of May last, upon the person of the Hon. Charles H. Porter, of Virginia.

Mr. Allison, of Iowa, offered a resolution, that the matter be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, with instructions to investigate the subject, with power to send for persons and papers, and to report what action should be taken by the House, and that the prisoner remain in the custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms until the House otherwise orders.

Mr. Randall, of Pa., demanded a division of the question.

The question of reference was passed without dissent. Upon the latter part of the question the ayes and noes were demanded; and the vote being taken, resulted as follows—ayes 118, noes 39.

The accused was then remanded to the custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms.

The House resumed consideration of the Senate amendments to the legislative appropriation bill, the amendment under consideration being the amendment making the pay of the female clerks the same as that of the male clerks performing the same duty.

Mr. Moore, of Arkansas, opposed the amendment, claiming that the employment of female clerks was a war necessity, and should now be done away with, urging that their employment in such capacity had a demoralizing tendency.

Mr. Arnell, of Tennessee, supported the amendment.

Mr. Holman favored the Senate amendment in preference to that proposed by the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Sargent, of California, favored the House amendment, and believed proper claims of the female clerks would be respected.

Mr. Willard, of Vermont, urged the question of paying females the same amount as was paid to males. He said the country owed it to the women of the nation that had done so much during the long rebellion, that they should no longer be held in a subordinate condition. He advocated the increase of the salaries of females from $900 to $1,200. If women had the ballot to-day, as he believed they should have, there would be no carping and cavilling here about this question of pay.

Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts, offered an amendment that hereafter the compensation of such officers, clerks and employees who are females, shall be the same as now paid by law for males of the same class.

Mr. Dawes, of Massachusetts, said he was at a loss to understand what the gentleman around him wanted. If they desired that there should be no discrimination between the sexes they had it in the amendment from the committee. If they desired a discrimination in favor of females they had only to vote it down and adopt the proposition of the gentleman from Vermont, [Mr. Willard.]

Mr. Dawes claimed that there were many females employed in capacities where $900 was an adequate compensation for the services rendered.

The amendment offered by Mr. Hoar was adopted, and the amendment of the committee as thus amended was agreed to.

An aye and no vote was had upon concurring in the Senate amendment providing for a new building for the State, War and Navy Departments, and it was non-concurred in—yeas 93, nays 127.

The amendments relating to the extension of the public grounds were voted on as a whole and the amendment was non-concurred in—yeas 81, nays 127.

The Senate amendment providing for an expedition to the North Pole was non-concurred in, the vote on a division being 9 to 92.

The Senate amendment increasing the salaries of the judges of the Supreme and other courts of the United States was advocated by Messrs. Potter, Davis and Hotchkiss, of New York; Beck, of Kentucky, and Poland, of Vermont; and opposed by Messrs. Logan, of Illinois, and Dickey, of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Dawes desired the House to notice that the effort was made to carry on the backs of the judges of the Supreme Court an increase of the salaries of all the other judges.

He moved to amend by striking out the section and inserting a provision fixing the salary of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court at $8,000, and that of the associate judges at $7,500, but subsequently withdrew it.

The House then non-concurred in the Senate amendment.

The House concurred in all the Senate amendments relating to the Department of Agriculture. The amendments generally increase the appropriations.

The bill was finally completed, and Messrs. Dawes, Niblack, and Logan were appointed to represent the House on the conference committee on the disagreeing votes.

Mr. Logan, from the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes on the army bill, submitted a report, which, after discussion, was agreed to.

The House then, at 4:15 p. m., adjourned.

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The Courts.

EQUITY COURT—Judge Wylie.—This court made the following orders yesterday:

Bears vs. Bears. Order regulating order for appearance, and save order for the appearance of absent defendant, and leave to amend bill.

Tolson vs. Wheeler. Order allowing complainant to amend A. H. Wheeler defendant.

Johnson vs. Johnson. Order for payment of $25 and restraining right to alienate the house lot, and all other alimony.

Whiting vs. Poliffer. Order overruling motion for leave time to take testimony.

In the matter of the Washington, Georgetown and Georgetown Railroad Company. Order of reference to Auditor of Bonner's report of April.

Oatten vs. Faunce. Order striking persons as parties and for leave of answer.

Blagden vs. Bradley. Order appointing W. H. Dennis trustee to sell certain real estate.

Keefer vs. Uniacke. Order not to issue injunction to restrain the collection of a note as agreed to be paid about.

A HOTEL DITCHER CASE.

Newbern vs. Newbern. A jury case in Equity in Saturday's issue stated that the bill was dismissed by Judge Wylie, and that plaintiff prayed an appeal to the court to prosecute it.

It is a case in which the plaintiff says that she and the defendant cohabited together as slaves in Fairfax county, Va., prior to 1865, and that according to law she secured from slavery and followed her husband, the defendant, to this city, he having secured, and that that fact, and also that after living together as man and wife, that he set off Congress at 100 days, and others shortly afterward, coming to the District of Columbia, he—defendant—declared and held to be her husband; and that she has since visited and cohabited in this city the defendant, the defendant had not at first disagreeing to pay $1,000. She then alleges cruelty of treatment, and specifies several acts of violence committed by her husband, and prays a divorce and alimony.

The defendant in his answer admits the marriage, and says that he married him from bondage without a dollar of money, and has seen a good deal back, and that what the first money he earned he did for Mandy (the plaintiff,) and then she has acquired but little money or property, but entirely without her assistance, that she has young women, and about twenty-five, and he is now of more than sixty years, and denies the charge of cruelty.

The testimony, taken before Examiner Duncan and closed one or two days of locality, but to too many to mention, "not more than might be expected in intimate people of this station."

Mr. Milnor for the complainant and James E. Wilson for the defendant.

Adjourned.

CIRCUIT COURT—Judge Cox.—The court will stay and follow on Saturday.

The last bill of Rachel Sewell, insanity of reputed, was fully proven.

The bill of Jacob Hook, incompetent, his estate to his wife and children, was filed and partially proved.

The will of Joseph A. Cohen, hereinbefore reported, was admitted to probate.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION, ETC.

Pierce Shoemaker gave bond in the administratrix of Hayes Spaulding, with A. C. Shoemaker and Basil G. Hayes as sureties, $1,000.

Angelica P. Hoover gave bond in $2,000 as administratrix of Jacob D. Hoover, with A. F. Hoover and John and Hardy as sureties.

Angelica P. Hoover gave bond in $2,000 as administratrix of Mary Miller, for falling to answer a citation of the court.

J. R. Johnson entered a caveat to the will of Margaret Cronan.

Adjourned.

ORPHANS' COURT—Judge Cox.—The following business was transacted yesterday:

Ann A. Wheeler vs. Barbadoes. This is an action before reported, and which has been pending for one year, for alleged infringement of a patent for improvement in reaper and mower. The evidence closed, and plaintiff asked the court to allow a non-suit to be entered. The court refused to allow the case to be submitted to the jury, with instructions to render a verdict for the defendant. In this instance the plaintiff excepted, and the case will go to the general term.

Levy Court vs. Corporation of Washington. This case was on motion of Judge Morris, ordered to be placed on the trial calendar.

Pumphrey vs. Hollingsworth. Judgment confirmed for $1,000.

Adjourned.

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DAVIS—SAWYER.—At Grace Church, Georgetown, by the Rev. Dr. Goodwin, on the 9th June, by the Rev. Dr. Goodwin, Lieut. Hall Davis, 1st Regiment Rebel Artillery, to Fanny, daughter of the late H. E. Sawyer, of Detroit.

BOYD—FRAZIER.—On the 9th of June, at the Church, Georgetown, by the Rev. Dr. Goodwin, Robert Boyd and Miss Annie Frazier, both of this city.

DIED.

LUCAS.—On the 10th instant, Stephen, son of Harriet and Sarah Lucas, aged 5 months and 1 day.

CATHOLIC.—On Thursday, June 9, at 1 p. m., Hugh Catholic, in the 80th year of his age, a native of Ireland, but for the last 40 years a resident of this city.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral on Sunday, at 3 o'clock p. m., from his late residence, No. 1 Ohio avenue, Capitol Hill.

COBBER.—On the 9th inst., MARY E. COBBER, aged 2 years. The funeral will take place Tuesday, at 4 o'clock p. m., from the resident residence, No. 1 Ohio avenue, Capitol Hill. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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PUBLIC NOTICE OF WATER TAX.

WATER REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 4, 1870.

Notice is hereby given, in pursuance of an act of the corporation approved June 8, 1869, that the water tax for the current year, per square foot for all premises fronting on streets or avenues in which water pipes are laid, and per annum for all premises not fronting on streets or avenues in which water pipes are laid, will be payable on the first day of July next, but may, at the option of the owner of the premises, be paid and discharged in full at any time before the tax shall have been levied.

AN ABATEMENT OF TEN PER CENT. will be made in all cases where the tax shall be paid within the month of July.

All lots or premises on which the water tax shall be unpaid on the 1st day of August next, will be subject to a penalty of ten per cent. per annum, per annum from the first day of July next, to be paid and discharged in full at any time after the tax shall have been levied.

AN ADDITIONAL PENALTY of ten per cent. will be made in all cases where the water tax shall be paid within the month of August.

All lots or premises on which the water tax shall be unpaid on the 1st day of September next, will be subject to a penalty of ten per cent. per annum, per annum from the first day of September, to be paid and discharged in full at any time after the tax shall have been levied.

Fifteenth street, south side, between Nos. 200 and 300.

Seventeenth street, west, in square 116.

Twenty-first street, west, in squares 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 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