

STOCKS.

370 Ophir-11 1/2
120 Mexican-6 1/2
200 Gould & Curry-4 80
100 Best & Belcher-9 1/2
40 Con. Cal. & Va.-19 1/2
1175 Savage-5 1/2
150 Chollar-7 1/2
450 Potosi-8 1/2
190 Hale & Norcross-5 1/2
250 Crown Point-3 90
150 Yellow Jacket-5 1/2
235 Imperial-2 1/2
80 Kentuck-1 50
50 Alpha-3 50
75 Belcher-3 30
125 Confidence-10, 7 1/2
225 Sierra Nevada-5
45 Utah-5, 7 1/2
125 Bullion-2 25, 2 30
80 Exchequer-1 80, 1 45
150 Overman-1 1/2, 1 95
25 Justice-2, 1 55
100 Union-3 1/2, 4 35
90 Alta-3 50, 1 55
75 Julia-65c
375 Caledonia-85c,
100 Goodshaw-10
100 Silver Hill-60c
235 Con. Pacific-35c
415 Bodie-2 65
100 Bulwer-1 45
500 Mono-3
165 Holmes-2 90
600 Tioga-15c
500 North Belle Isle-4 40
375 Navajo-96c
15 Mt. Diablo-4

ALL SORTS.

- Wizard Oil at Geo. Thaxter's.
- FOR SALE-The residence now occupied by Mr. Preble and family inquire at residence.
-The disfiguring on the face, the sunken eye, the palid complexion, indicate that there is something wrong going on within. Expel the lurking foe to health, Ayer's Sarsaparilla was devised for that purpose; and does it.
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Two Legislatures Compared.
There are in the California Legislature 40 Senators and 80 Assemblymen; in the Nevada Legislature, 20 Senators and 40 Assemblymen. Several Nevadans, among them a Reno Gazette reporter, have recently looked in on the California Legislature. It seems to be pretty unanimous among those who have visited both bodies that in general appearance and ability, the Nevada Legislature compares most favorably with the California Legislature. It is asserted with emphasis that the presiding officer of our Senate is in every respect superior to the presiding officer of the California State Senate.

When baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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THIRTEENTH SESSION

FORTY-SEVENTH DAY.

SENATE.

Senate met at 10:30 A. M. President Davis in the chair.
Roll called, quorum present.
Prayer by Rev. George R. Davis.
Journal read and approved.
By Noteware-That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do so until Monday, 21st, at usual hour. After such opposition the Resolution was adopted.
By Mante-S. B. 105, an Act to provide for the erection of a gubernatorial residence at Carson City. Provides for State Prison labor in erection of the building and appropriate \$15,000 for building and \$2,500 for ground. Referred to Com. on Ways and Means.

GENERAL FILE.
S. B. No. 74-An Act to provide for the recording of births and deaths in the State of Nevada. Ordered re-engrossed.
Message from Governor signifying his disapproval of Senate Bill 64, an Act to amend an Act defining the time for assessing county property in the State.
Message taken up, considered and made special order for 2 o'clock P. M.

A. B. 88-An Act relating to persons diverting water from ditches in other persons' property. Referred to Joint Committee on Irrigation.
Senate Con. Res. No. 21-Relative to amending the State Constitution. Ordered re-engrossed.
A. B. 39-An Act to regulate fees and compensation of certain officers. Laid on table.
A. B. 56-An Act to facilitate the giving of bonds by public officials. Made special order for Monday at 2 P. M.

A. B. 96-An Act providing for the government of towns and cities. Ordered re-engrossed.
S. B. 73-An Act relating to construction of highways and bridges. Refers to Douglas county in particular. Passed.
A. B. 86-An act relating to consolidation of county offices. Refers to counties having from 350 to 700 voters. Made special order for 2:30 P. M. to-day.
At noon recessed till 1 P. M.
AFTERNOON SESSION.
Powell's Substitute bill consolidating certain offices. Passed; 14 to 2.

S. B. 107 (Boyle)-Reimbursing expenses incurred by Commissioner Havenor at New Orleans Exposition. Referred to Committee on Claims.
S. B. 101 (Boyle)-Military bill. Passed; Harris voting no.
S. B. 72 (Hardesty)-Relief of J. B. Finch. Ordered engrossed.

A. B. 85-To provide telephone line to State Prison. Passed.
S. B. 64-Relative to assessing taxes. Veto sustained; 15 to 1.
A. B. 86-Consolidating county offices. Amendments adopted.
Senate adjourned till 10:30 to-day.

ASSEMBLY.

House called to order at 10:30 A. M., Speaker McDonnell in the chair.
Roll called, quorum present.
Prayer by Rev. Van Deventer.
Journal read and approved.
MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.
On motion of Drury, the S. B. providing for calling Constitutional Convention was made special order for Wednesday next at 2 P. M.
INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING.
By Griffin-A. B. 108; an Act repealing an Act for the licensing of travelling merchants and drummers. Referred to Committee of the Whole.
By Smith-A. B. 109; an Act relating to repeal of certain sections of the Act providing for the government of the Orphans' Home. Referred to Committee on State Institutions.

GENERAL FILE.

A. B. 91-An Act to grant leave of absence to Geo. F. Talbot, District Attorney of Elko county, for four months. Passed.
A. B. 61-Hale's bill to repeal law licensing gaming.
The author, by leave, introduced a substitute. [Provides for submitting to people at next election, the question whether gambling shall be continued and licensed or not. It also compels people taking out gambling licenses to pay for three months instead of one, as now.]
Referred to Committee of the

Whole and made special order for Monday, at 2 P. M.

By Griffin-That State Printer print 250 copies of decisions of Supreme Court, relative to validity of Constitutional amendments. Resolution adopted.
By Williamson-That State Printer file away two copies of each bill introduced at this session, for future reference. Adopted.

By Drury-That State Printer print 2,000 copies of the list of taxpayers in this State. Adopted.
By Smith-That Messrs. Egan, Planks and Beebe give a proper excuse for their long absence, and account for their conduct. Resolution adopted.
A. B. 58-An Act to establish an Industrial School. Laid on table.
A. B. No. 72-An Act to establish a House of Refuge and provide for its government. Referred to Committee of the Whole and made special order for next Monday at 2 P. M.

RECESS till 1:30.
AFTERNOON SESSION.
A. B. 103-Act relative to registration oath. Passed.
S. B. 100-Lottery bill. Resolution to reject the bill lost. Referred to Committee on Corporations. Several members being absent, a call of the house was made.
House adjourned at 2:30.

A STATE LOTTERY.

The Supreme Court of the United States Recognizes its Validity.

The question of the State giving its sanction to a lottery for the purpose of raising money for an irrigation fund is the subject of some good natured fun from the Enterprise whose editor does not seem to realize the feeling of the people here regarding lotteries or the needs of the State regarding irrigation. The right of the State to legalize a lottery is also questioned, but that a State lottery has a legal status in no longer an indefinite proposition as the Supreme Court of the United States has just rendered a decision in the New Orleans case sustaining its validity.
The Louisiana Legislature has amended its Constitution so as to place a higher tax on the Lottery Company than it had contracted to pay.

The clause was as follows:
The \$40,000 per annum now provided by law to be paid by the Louisiana State Lottery Company, according to the provisions of its charter granted in the year 1868, shall belong to the Charity Hospital of New Orleans, and the charter of said company is recognized as a contract binding on the State for the period therein specified, except its monopoly clause, which is hereby abrogated, and all laws contrary to the provisions of this article are hereby declared null and void; provided, said company shall file a written renunciation of all its monopoly features in the office of the Secretary of State within sixty days after the ratification of this Constitution.

These conditions were promptly accepted by the Louisiana Lottery Company. Indeed, this constitutional provision guaranteed the company exactly what it was contending it possessed-a contract with the State of Louisiana. This position has been further strengthened by a decision of the United States Supreme Court, rendered within a few weeks. An effort was made to tax the lottery company under an act taxing stockholders in corporations for State and city purposes. This tax the company resisted; on behalf of its shareholders, on the plea that it contracted the whole tax by the payment of \$40,000 a year to the Charity Hospital. This plea was supported by the United States Supreme Court, which holds that the lottery company does have a legal and binding contract with the State of Louisiana, and that any attempt to extort from it a sum in excess of the \$40,000 is illegal. This decision, however, carries with it a benefit to the Louisiana Lottery somewhat more important to the managers than the mere saving of dollars and cents-recognition by the laws of Louisiana and of the nation as a corporation engaged in a legitimate business under a legal and valid charter. This recognition of the validity of contract gives the Louisiana State Lottery what no lottery has ever had in America-since the days of Washington and Jefferson, when the Presidents were authorized to draw lotteries for the benefit of the national cap-

ital-a legal existence for the period of its charter.

The Enterprise holds that it would be undignified for State officers to officiate at a lottery drawing, seeming to overlook the fact that George Washington himself signed lottery tickets in 1768.
The Louisiana Lottery Company has on exhibition at its office several hundred lottery tickets signed by leading men in Europe and America. Among others, is a ticket of the United States Lottery, which was drawn at Philadelphia under a resolution of Congress, passed in Philadelphia on Nov. 12, 1886. Another reads as follows:
Number 1768.

This ticket [No. 257] shall entitle the possessor to whatever prize may happen to be drawn against its number in the Mountain Road Lottery.
[Signed] GEO. WASHINGTON.
The "Father of his Country" could not tell a lie, but he did officiate in a number of lotteries, and Congress authorized the earlier Presidents to draw lotteries for the benefit of the national capital.
Germany, France, Belgium, Austria and England lent Government aid to lotteries as a means of raising revenue, and the courts have officially recognized the lotteries. The only thing that has brought lotteries into disrepute is the fact that irresponsible parties have managed them dishonestly. The Lottery bill if submitted to the vote of the people of this State today would be overwhelmingly supported. The money of this State is now going to New Orleans and it is time to stem the tide and turn it this way.

NEW TODAY.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF Ormsby County, for the Quarter ending Dec. 31st, 1886.

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR, ORMSBY COUNTY, NEVADA.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Ormsby County, Gentlemen:-
In compliance with law I herewith submit my Quarterly Report, showing the receipts and disbursements for Ormsby County, for the Quarter ending Dec. 31st, 1886.

Table with columns for Receipts and Disbursements. Receipts include County Treasury, Fees of County Officers, Rents of County Buildings, etc. Disbursements include State Fund, General Fund, Salary Fund, etc.

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Respectfully submitted, A. M. McCABE, Auditor, Ormsby county, Nevada. JACOB TOLBIER, Treasurer.

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