MEETING OF CONGRESS.

Opening of the Second Session of the Thirty-eighth Congress To-day.

Names of Senators and Representatives.

The Work Left Undone at the Close of the First Session.

What the Present Congress Have Before Them, &c., &c., &c.

THE SENATE.

Politics—R—republican. D—democrat.

Connecticut. Term Expires.
Lafayette S. Foster....R 1867
James Dixon....R 1869
California.
James A. McDougall.D 1867
John Conness....R 1869
Delaware.
William Saulsbury..D 1865
George Read Riddle.D 1869
Indiana.
Henry S. Lane....R 1867
Thos A. Hendricks..D 1869
Illinois.
Wm. A. Richardson.D 1865
Lyman Trumbull...R 1867
Iowa.
James W. Grimes...R 1865
James Harlan....R 1867
Kentucky.
Lazarus W. Powell..D 1865
Garrett Davis....D 1867
Kansas.
Samuel C. Pomeroy.R 1865
James H Lane....R 1867
Louisiana.
R King Cutler....R 1867
Charles Smith....R 1871
Maryland.
Thomas H. Hicks...R 1867
Reverdy Johnson...D 1869
Maine.
Nathan A. Farwell..R 1865
Lot M. Morrill....R 1869
Massachusetts.
Henry Wilson....R 1865
Chas. Sumner....R 1869
Michigan.
Jacob M Howard...R 1865
Zachariah Chandler..R 1869

Minnesota. Term Expires.
M. S. Wilkinson....R 1867
Alex. Ramsay....R 1869
Missouri.
Benj. Gratz Brown..R 1867
John B. Henderson..R 1869
New Hampshire.
John P. Hale....R 1865
Daniel Clark....R 1867
New York.
Ira Harris....R 1867
Edwin D Morgan....R 1869
New Jersey.
John C. Ten Eyck...R 1865
William Wright....D 1869
Ohio.
Benjamin F. Wade..R 1865
John Sherman....R 1867
Oregon.
Benj. F. Harding....R 1865
James W. Nesmith..D 1867
Pennsylvania.
Edgar Cowan....R 1867
Chas. R. Buckalew..D 1869
Rhode Island.
Henry B Anthony..R 1865
Wm. Sprague....R 1869
Vermont.
Jacob Collamer....R 1867
Solomon Foot....R 1869
Virginia.
John S. Carlile....D 1865
Vacancy.
Wisconsin.
Timothy O. Howe...R 1867
James R. Doolittle..R 1869
West Virginia.
Waitman T. Willey..R 1865
P. G. Van Winkle...R 1869

Republican....39
Democrat....12
Republican majority....27

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Connecticut.
1—Henry C. Deming....R.
2—James E English....D.
3—Augustus Brandegee..R.
4—John H. Hubbard....R.
California.
Thomas B. Shannon..R.
William Higby....R.
Cornelius Cole....R.
Delaware.
1—Nath'l B. Smithers..R.
Illinois.
1—Isaac N. Arnold....R.
2—John F. Farnsworth.R.
3—Elihu B Washburne.R.
4—Charles M. Harris...D.
5—Ebon C. Ingersoll....R.
6—Jesse O. Norton....R.
7—John R. Eden....D.
8—John T Stewart....D.
9—Lewis W. Ross....D.
10—Anthony L. Knapp..D.
11—James C Robinson..D.
12—William R. Morrison.D.
13—William J Allen....D.
James C. Allen....D.
Indiana.
1—John Law....D.
2—James A. Cravens...D.
3—H'y W Harrington...D.
4—William S. Holmes..D.
5—George W. Julian....R.
6—Ebenezer Dumont....R.
7—Daniel W Voorhees.D.
8—Godlove S. Orth....R.
9—Schuyler Colfax....R.
10—Joseph K. Edgerton..D.
11—James F. McDowell..D.
Iowa.
1—James F. Wilson....R.
2—Hiram Price....R.
3—William B. Allison....R.
4—J. B. Grinnell....R.
5—John A. Kasson....R.
6—A. W. Hubbard....R.
Kentucky.
1—Lucien Anderson....R.
2—George H. Yeaman...D.
3—Henry Grider....D.
4—Aaron Harding....D.
5—Robert Mallory....D.
6—Green Clay Smith....R.
7—Brutus J. Clay....D.
8—William H. Randall...D.
9—Wm H. Wadsworth.D.
Kansas.
1—A. C. Wilder....R.
Maine.
1—Lorenzo D M Sweat.D.
2—Sidney Perham....R.
3—James G. Blaine....R.
4—John H. Rice....R.
5—Frederick A. Pike....R.
Massachusetts.
1—Thomas D. Eliot....R.
2—Oakes Ames....R.
3—Alexander H Rice....R.
4—Samuel Hooper....R.
5—John B. Alley....R.
6—Daniel W. Gooch....R.
7—George S. Boutwell..R.
8—John D. Baldwin....R.
9—Wm. B. Washburn...R.
10—Henry L Dawes....R.
Maryland.
1—John A. J. Creswell.R.
2—Edwin H. Webster...R.
3—Henry Winter Davis.R.
4—Francis Thomas....R.
5—Benjamin G. Harris..D.
Missouri.
1—Samuel Knox....R.
2—Henry T. Blow....R.
3—John G. Scott....D.
4—J. W. McClurg....R.
5—S. H Boyd....R.
6—Austin A King....D.
7—Benjamin F. Loan....R.
8—William A. Hall....D.
9—James S. Rollins....D.
Michigan.
1—Fernando C. Beaman.R.
2—Charles Upson....R.
3—John W. Longyear....R.
4—Francis W. Kellogg..R.
5—Augustus C. Baldwin.D.
6—John F. Driggs....R.
Minnesota.
1—William Windom....R.
2—Ignatius L. Donnelly.R.
New York.
1—Dwight Townsend....D.
2—Martin Kalbfleisch...D.
3—Moses F. Odell....D.

New York—Continued.
4—Benjamin Wood....D.
5—Fernando Wood....D.
6—Elijah Ward....D.
7—John W. Chanler....D.
8—James Brooks....D.
9—Anson Herrick....D.
10—William Radford....D.
11—Charles H. Winfield..D.
12—Homer A. Nelson....D.
13—John B. Steele....D.
14—John V. L. Pruyn....D.
15—John A. Griswold....D.
16—Orlando Kellogg....R.
17—Calvin T. Hulburd....R.
18—James M. Marvin....R.
19—Samuel F. Miller....R.
20—Ambrose W. Clark...R.
21—Francis Kernan....D.
22—DeWitt C. Littlejohn.R.
23—Thomas T. Davis....R.
24—Theo M. Pomeroy....R.
25—Daniel Morris....R.
26—Giles W. Hotchkiss....R.
27—R. B. Van Valkenberg.R.
28—Freeman Clarke....R.
29—Augustus Frank....R.
30—John Ganson....D.
31—Reuben E. Fenton....R.
New Jersey.
1—John F. Starr....R.
2—George Middleton....D.
3—William G Steele....D.
4—Andrew J. Rogers....D.
5—Nehemiah Perry....D.
New Hampshire.
1—Daniel Marcy....D.
2—Edward H Rollins....R.
3—James W. Patterson.R.
Ohio.
1—George H Pendleton.D.
2—Alexander Long....D.
3—Rob't C. Schenck....R.
4—J. F. McKinney....D.
5—Frank C. Le Blond....D.
6—Chilton A. White....D.
7—Samuel S. Cox....D.
8—William Johnson....D.
9—Warren P. Noble....D.
10—James M. Ashley....R.
11—Wells A. Hutchins....R.
12—Wm. E. Finck....D.
13—John O'Neill....D.
14—George Bliss....D.
15—James R. Morris....D.
16—Joseph W. White....D.
17—Ephraim R. Eckley....R.
18—Rufus P. Spaulding....R.
19—John A. Garfield....R.
Oregon.
1—John R. McBride....R.
Pennsylvania.
1—Samuel J. Randall....D.
2—Charles O'Neill....R.
3—Leonard Myers....R.
4—William D. Kelley....R.
5—M. Russell Thayer....R.
6—John D. Stiles....D.
7—John M. Broomall....R.
8—Sydenham E. Ancona.D.
9—Thaddeus Stevens....R.
10—Myer Strouse....D.
11—Philip Johnson....D.
12—Charles Dennison....D.
13—Henry W Tracy....R.
14—William H Miller....D.
15—Joseph Bailey....D.
16—A. H. Coffroth....D.
17—Archibald McAllister.D.
18—James T Hale....R.
19—Glenni W. Scofield....R.
20—Amos Myers....R.
21—John L. Dawson....D.
22—James K. Moorhead.R.
23—Thomas Williams....R.
24—Jesse Lazear....D.
Rhode Island.
1—Thomas A. Jenckes..R.
2—Nathan F. Dixon....R.
Vermont.
1—Fred. E. Woodbridge.R.
2—Justin S. Morrill....R.
3—Portus Baxter....R.
Wisconsin.
1—James S. Brown....D.
2—Ithamar C. Sloan....R.
3—Amasa Cobb....R.
4—Chas. A Eldridge....D.
5—Ezra Wheeler....D.
6—Walter D. McIndoe..R.
West Virginia.
1—Jacob B. Blair....R.
2—William G. Brown...R.
3—Killian V. Whaley..R.

Republican....102
Democrat....81
Republican majority....21

TERRITORIAL DELEGATES.

Arizona. Charles D. Poston.
Colorado. Hiram P. Bennett.
Dakotah. William Jayne.
Idaho. William H. Wallace.
Nevada. Gordon N. Mott.
Nebraska. Samuel G. Daily.
New Mexico. Francisco Perea.
Utah. John F. Kinney.
Washington. George E. Cole.

THE UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Public Bills and Joint Resolutions Which Passed the Senate, and Were Pending in the House at the Close of the Last Session of Congress.

A bill granting lands to the State of Oregon, to aid in the construction of a military road from the Dalles of Columbia river to a point at or near the mouth of Owyee river.

A bill to prevent officers of the army and navy, and other persons engaged in the military and naval service of the United States, from interfering in elections in the States.

A bill to amend the act incorporating the Washington Gaslight Company.

A bill to quiet titles in favor of parties in actual possession of lands situated in the District of Columbia.

A bill to provide for the consolidation of certain surveyor general's districts.

A bill to encourage immigration.

A bill to extend the time within which the States may select their swamp lands.

A bill providing for the purchase of a steam fire engine.

A bill further to amend an act entitled "An act for the collection of direct taxes in the insurrectionary districts within the United States, and for other purposes," approved June 7, 1862.

A bill to extend the eighth section of an act entitled "An act to appropriate the proceeds of the sales of all the public lands, and to grant pre-emption rights."

A bill to authorize the Postmaster General to contract with the Overland Mail Company for the carrying of the mails.

A bill making a grant of lands to the State of Iowa to aid in the construction of a railroad from McGregor to some point on the Missouri river and certain lateral roads to connect with the railroads in the State of Minnesota.

A bill to establish a bureau of freedmen's affairs.

A bill for the relief of certain friendly Indians of the Sioux Nation in Minnesota.

A bill granting to the State of Wisconsin a donation of public land to aid in the construction of a ship canal at the head of Sturgeon bay, in the county of Dorr, in said State, to connect the waters of Green Bay with Lake Michigan in said State.

A bill in relation to the salary of the United States agent for the Indians near Green Bay.

A bill to prohibit the discharge of persons from liability to military duty by reason of the payment of money, and for other purposes.

A bill for the protection of commerce and the improvement of navigation.

A bill to amend the act incorporating the Washington Gaslight Company, and for other purposes.

Joint resolution relative to a certain grant of land for railroad purposes, made to the territory of Minnesota in the year 1857.

Joint resolution to extend the time for the reversion to the United States of the lands granted by Congress to aid in the construction of a railroad from Pierre Marquette to Flint, and for the completion of said road.

Joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission upon the subject of raising revenue by taxation.

ABOLITION OF SLAVERY BY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Joint resolution submitting to the Legislatures of the several States a proposition to amend the constitution of the United States, abolishing slavery.

This being the most important measure before Congress, we give the joint resolution as it passed the Senate on Friday, April 8, 1864, with the yeas and nays. The following is the joint resolution as passed:—

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, two-thirds of both houses concurring, that the following article be proposed to the Legislatures of the several States as an amendment to the constitution of the United States, which when ratified by three-fourths of said Legislatures, shall be valid to all intents and purposes as a part of the said constitution, namely:—

ARTICLE THIRTEEN.

Sec. 1. Neither slavery nor involuntary servitude, except as a punishment for crime, whereof the party shall have been duly convicted, shall exist within the United States, or any place subject to their jurisdiction.

Sec. 2. Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

It was adopted by a vote of thirty-eight to six, as follows:—

YEAS.

Anthony, rep., of R. I.	Howe, rep., of Wis.
Brown, rep., of Mo.	Johnson, opp., of Md.
Chandler, rep., of Mich.	Lane, rep., of Ind.
Clark, rep., of N. H.	Lane, rep., of Kansas.
Collamer, rep., of Vt.	Morgan, rep., of N. Y.
Conness, rep., of Cal.	Morrill, rep., of Me.
Cowan, rep., of Pa.	Nesmith, opp., of Oregon.
Dixon, rep., of Conn.	Pomeroy, rep., of Kansas.
Doolittle, rep., of Wis.	Ramsay, rep., of Minn.
Fessenden, rep., of Me.	Sherman, rep., of Ohio.
Foot, rep., of Vt.	Sprague, rep., of R. I.
Foster, rep., of Conn.	Sumner, rep., of Mass.
Grimes, rep., of Iowa.	Ten Eyck, rep., of N. J.
Hale, rep., of N. H.	Trumbull, rep., of Ill.
Harding, rep., of Oregon.	Van Winkle, rep., of Va.
Harlan, rep., of Iowa.	Wade, rep., of Ohio.
Harris, rep., of N. Y.	Wilkinson, rep., of Minn.
Henderson, rep., of Mo.	Willey, rep., of Va.
Howard, rep., of Mich.	Wilson, rep., of Mass.

NAYS.

Davis, opp., of Ky.	Powell, opp., of Ky.
Hendricks, opp., of Ind.	Riddle, opp., of Del.
McDougall, opp., of Cal.	Saulsbury, opp., of Del.

NOT VOTING.

Bowden, opp., of Va.	Hicks, rep., of Md.
Buckalew, opp., of Pa.	Richardson, opp., of Ill.
Carlile, opp., of Va.	Wright, opp., of N. J.

Total....50
For amendment....38
Against amendment....6
Not voting....6
Two thirds....34

On Wednesday, June 15, 1864, the above joint resolution was reported to the House of Representatives. The following is the record:—

The House then resumed the consideration of the joint resolution of the Senate (S. Res. 16) submitting to the Legislatures of the several States a proposition to amend the constitution of the United States—the pending question being on the amendment submitted by Mr. Wheeler.

After debate,

Mr. Pendleton submitted an amendment, in the nature of a substitute for the bill.

After further debate,

On motion of Mr. Wilson,

Ordered, That the time for taking a recess be extended until the pending resolution is disposed of.

The hour of four o'clock P. M. having arrived,

The question was first put on the amendment submitted by Mr. Wheeler, and it was decided in the negative.

The question was next put on the amendment submitted by Mr. Pendleton, and it was decided in the negative.

Ordered, That the joint resolution be read a third time.

It was accordingly read the third time.

The question then being on its passage,

It was put, viz: Shall the joint resolution pass?

And it was decided in the negative—Yeas, 95; nays, 66; not voting, 22.

Two-thirds not voting in favor thereof.

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the members present,

Those who voted in the affirmative are:—

John B. Alley	De Witt C. Littlejohn
William B. Allison	Benjamin F. Loan
Oakes Ames	John W. Longyear
Lucien Anderson	James M. Marvin
Isaac N. Arnold	Joseph W. McClurg
Joseph Baily	Walter D. McIndoe
John D. Baldwin	Samuel F. Miller
Portus Baxter	James K. Moorhead
Fernando C. Beaman	Justin S. Morrill
James G. Blaine	Daniel Morris
Jacob B. Blair	Amos Myers
Henry T. Blow	Leonard Myers
George S. Boutwell	Jesse O. Norton
Sempronius H. Boyd	Moses F. Odell
Augustus Brandegee	Charles O'Neill
John M. Broomall	Godlove S. Orth
Ambrose W. Clark	James W. Patterson
Freeman Clarke	Sidney Perham
Amasa Cobb	Frederick A. Pike
Cornelius Cole	Hiram Price
John A. J. Creswell	Alexander H. Rice
Henry L. Dawes	John H. Rice
Henry C. Deming	Edward H. Rollins
Nathan F. Dixon	Robert C. Schenck
Ignatius Donnelly	Glenni W. Scofield
John F. Driggs	Thomas B. Shannon
Ephraim R. Eckley	Ithamar C. Sloan
Thomas D. Eliot	Green Clay Smith
John F. Farnsworth	Nathaniel B. Smithers
Reuben E. Fenton	Rufus P. Spaulding
Augustus Frank	John F. Starr
James A. Garfield	Thaddeus Stevens
Daniel W. Gooch	M. Russell Thayer
John A. Griswold	Francis Thomas
James T. Hale	Henry W. Tracy
William Higby	Charles Upson
Samuel Hooper	R. B. Van Valkenburgh
Giles W. Hotchkiss	Elihu B. Washburne
Asahel W. Hubbard	William B. Washburn
John H. Hubbard	Edwin H. Webster
Calvin T. Hulburd	Kellian V. Whaley
Ebon C. Ingersoll	Ezra Wheeler
Thomas A. Jenckes	Thomas Williams
George W. Julian	A. Carter Wilder
John A. Kasson	James F. Wilson
William D. Kelley	William Windom
Francis W. Kellogg	Frederick E. Woodbridge.
Orlando Kellogg	

Those who voted in the negative are:—

James C. Allen	Francis C. Le Blond
William J. Allen	Alexander Long
Sydenham E. Ancona	Robert Mallory
James M. Ashley	Daniel Marcy
Augustus C. Baldwin	Archibald McAllister
George Bliss	James F. McDowell
James Brooks	John F. McKinney
James S. Brown	William H. Miller
John W. Chanler	James R. Morris
Alexander H. Coffroth	William R. Morrison
Samuel S. Cox	Warren P. Noble
James A. Cravens	John O'Neill
John L. Dawson	George H. Pendleton
Charles Dennison	Nehemiah Perry
John R. Eden	John V. L. Pruyn
Joseph K. Edgerton	William Radford
Charles A. Eldridge	Samuel J. Randall
James E. English	James C. Robinson
William E. Finck	Andrew J. Rogers
John Ganson	James S. Rollins
Henry Grider	Lewis W. Ross
Aaron Harding	John G. Scott
Henry W. Harrington	John B. Steele
Anson Herrick	William G. Steele
William S. Holman	John D. Stiles
Wells A. Hutchins	Myer Strouse
Philip Johnson	John T. Stuart
William Johnson	Lorenzo D. M. Sweat
Martin Kalbfleisch	William H. Wadsworth
Francis Kernan	Elijah Ward
Austin A. King	Chilton A. White
John Law	Joseph W. White
Jesse Lazear	Fernando Wood.

Those not voting are:—

William G. Brown	John R. McBride
Brutus J. Clay	George Middleton
Henry Winter Davis	Homer A. Nelson
Thomas T. Davis	Theodore M. Pomeroy
Ebenezer Dumont	William H. Randall
Josiah B. Grinnell	Henry G. Stebbins
William A. Hall	Daniel W. Voorhees
Benjamin G. Harris	Charles H. Winfield
Charles M. Harris	Benjamin Wood
Anthony L. Knapp	George H. Yeaman.
Samuel Knox	Schuyler Colfax (speaker)

So the joint resolution was rejected.

Total....183
For amendment....95
Against amendment....66
Not voting....22
Two thirds....122

Private Bills and Joint Resolutions Which Passed the Senate and Were Pending in the House of Representatives at the Close of the Last Session of Congress.

A bill granting a pension to Ellen M. Whipple, widow of the late Major General Amiel W. Whipple, of the United States Army.

A bill granting a pension to the widow of the late Major General Hiram G. Berry.

A bill for the relief of Henry P. Blanchard.

A bill for the relief of Albert Brown.

A bill for the relief of the heirs of Almond D. Fisk, deceased.

A bill for the relief of Mary A. Baker, widow of Brigadier General Edward D. Baker.

A bill for the relief of Charles F. Anderson.

A bill for the relief of Louis Roberts.

A bill for the relief of George A. Scoreimer.

A bill for the relief of Daniel Fitzgerald and Jonathan Bell.

A bill for the relief of John T. Jones, an Ottawa Indian, for depredations committed by white persons upon his property in Kansas Territory.

A bill for the relief of John Hastings, collector of the port of Pittsburg.

A bill to amend an act for the relief of Solomon Wadsworth.

A bill for the relief of Charles A. Hitchborn.

A bill to change the name of the steamboat Magnet, of Buffalo, to Home.

A bill for the relief of William H. Jameson, a paymaster in the United States Army.

A bill for the relief of Eliphalet Brown, Jr., artist in the Japan expedition.

A bill for the relief of Charles A. Pitcher.

Joint resolution for the relief of Charles A. Pitcher.

Joint resolution for the relief of Garret B. Barry, a paymaster in the United States navy.

Joint resolution for the relief of the contractors for the machinery of the side-wheel gunboats known as "double-enders."

Public Bills and Joint Resolutions Which Passed the House of Representatives and Were Pending in the Senate at the Close of the Last Session of Congress.

A bill to reimburse the State of Pennsylvania for expenses in calling out the militia of said State during the recent invasion.

A bill to secure the speedy transportation of the mails.

A bill to facilitate proceedings in admiralty and other judicial proceedings in the port of New York, and for other purposes.

A bill to incorporate the Baltimore and Washington Depot and Potomac Ferry Railroad Company.

A bill to regulate the dismissal of officers in the military and naval service.

A bill for the benefit and better management of the Indians.

A bill for the benefit of half breeds and mixed bloods of the Winnebago tribe of Indians.

A bill to aid in the protection of emigrants to the Territories.

A bill to facilitate the payment of bounties and arrears of pay due for the services of wounded and deceased soldiers.

A bill to extinguish the Indian title to lands in the Territory of Utah suitable for agricultural and mineral purposes.

A bill to provide for the voluntary enlistment of any persons residents of certain States into the regiments of other States.

A bill in relation to the computation of the time within which an indictment may be found against persons charged with crimes against the laws of the United States.

A bill to secure to persons in the military or naval service of the United States homesteads on confiscated or forfeited estates in insurrectionary districts.

A bill to amend the sixteenth section of the act entitled "An act to define the pay and emoluments of certain officers of the army, and for other purposes," approved July 17, 1862.

A bill to prevent the selling and circulation of counterfeit coin, and of counterfeit and altered Treasury notes and postal currency bills.

A bill to amend an act entitled "An act prescribing the times and places for holding terms of the Circuit Court for the district of Iowa, Minnesota and Kansas," approved January 13, 1863.

A bill to regulate commerce among the several States.

A bill supplementary to an act approved July 14, 1862, entitled "An act to establish certain post roads, and for other purposes."

A bill to repeal section two of an act entitled "An act to regulate the foreign coasting trade on the northern, northeastern and northwestern frontiers of the United States, and for other purposes," approved March 2, 1831.

A bill authorizing and requiring the opening of Sixth street west.

A bill to exempt certain vessels therein named from enrolment and license and from the payment of tonnage duty, and for other purposes.

A bill to authorize a departure from the established method of surveying in certain cases.

A bill providing for the removal of certain stray bands of Indians from the State of Wisconsin.

A bill to abolish the collection districts of Cape Perpetua and Port Orford.

A bill to amend "An act to extend the charter of the Washington and Alexandria Railroad, and for other purposes," passed March 3, 1863.

A bill to incorporate the National Union Insurance Company of Washington.

A bill to provide for ascertaining and adjusting claims against the government for injuries or destruction of property by the army of the United States, or by military authority, during the present rebellion.

A bill to regulate the pay of paymasters and military storekeepers of ordnance.

A bill to increase the efficiency of the medical corps of the army.

A bill to regulate the rank, pay and emoluments of veterinary surgeons of cavalry regiments.

A bill to increase the salaries of the judges and arbitrators appointed under the treaty with Great Britain for the suppression of the slave trade.

A bill to facilitate the repayment of depositors at the assay office at New York.

A bill to authorize the issuing of patents for certain lands in the town of Stockbridge, State of Wisconsin, and for other purposes.

A bill to amend an act of Congress entitled "An act to grant the right of pre-emption to certain purchasers on the Soscol Ranch, in the State of California."

Joint resolution to amend a joint resolution explanatory of "An act to suppress insurrection, to punish treason and rebellion, to seize and confiscate the property of rebels, and for other purposes," approved July 17, 1862.

Joint resolution to construe the third section of an act approved July 17, 1862, entitled "An act to amend the act calling forth the militia to execute the laws of the Union, suppress insurrection and repel invasion," approved February 28, 1795, and the act amendatory thereof, and for other purposes, so as to provide for the payment of bounties to all classes of troops called out under the provisions of that section.

Joint resolution directing the Secretary of the Interior to pay to the Chippewa, Ottawa, and Potowatomie Indians, residing in Michigan, the sum of one hundred and ninety-two thousand eight hundred dollars.

Joint resolution to enable the Secretary of the Treasury to obtain the title to certain property in Carson City, and Territory of Nevada, for the purposes of a branch mint, located in said place.

Joint resolution to drop from the rolls of the army unemployed general officers.

Joint resolution relative to the substitution of monarchical for republican government in Mexico, under European auspices.

Joint resolution amendatory of the joint resolution to increase temporarily the duties on imports, approved April 29, 1864.

Joint resolution in relation to the distribution of books and documents.

Joint resolution authorizing the President to construct a military railroad from the valley of the Ohio to East Tennessee.

Joint resolution in relation to the treaty of 1817.

Joint resolution as to sewerage and drainage in the city of Washington.

Joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to expend a portion of the contingent fund for enlarging the Navy Department.

Joint resolution granting additional compensation to the employes of the two houses of Congress.

Private Bills and Joint Resolutions Which Passed the House of Representatives and Were Pending in the Senate at the Close of the Last Session of Congress.

A bill for the relief of Milo Sutliff and Levi H. Case.

A bill for the relief of Isaac R. Diller.

A bill for the relief of Major John A. Whitall, paymaster in the United States Army, on account of lost or stolen vouchers.

A bill for the relief of Chapin Hall.

A bill for the relief of Josiah O. Armes.

A bill for the relief of Charles Anderson, assignee of John James, of Texas.

A bill for the relief of Margaret L. Stevens, widow of General Isaac I. Stevens.

A bill for the relief of Jacob Weber.

A bill granting an invalid pension to Esther P. Fox, widow of Augustus C. Fox.

A bill for the relief of Harriet and Emily W. Norris, widowed sister of the late Commodore Henry W. Norris.

A bill for the relief of the legal representatives of Betsey Nash.

A bill for the relief of the administrator of W. W. Russell, late paymaster in the Marine corps.

A bill for the relief of John J. Michie, of New Orleans, Louisiana.

A bill for the relief of George W. Murray.

A bill for the relief of C. F Johnson, of Alabama.

A bill for the relief of Solomon Parsons.

A bill for the relief of Mary Shircliff.

A bill for the relief of Emily A. Lyon.

A bill granting an invalid pension to William Burns, of Ohio.

A bill for the relief of Edward Williams.

A bill for the relief of Peter Nevarre.

A bill for the relief of Mary Scalos Accardi.

A bill for the relief of Peter Anderson, of the District of Columbia.

A bill for the relief of the Wea, Peoria, Kaskaskia, and Piankeshaw Indians of Kansas.

A bill for the relief of Solomon Wadsworth.

A bill granting a pension to Rebecca Scott, widow of Major J. B. Scott, late of the United States Army.

A bill to grant a pension of eight dollars per month to Harris Welch.

A bill granting a pension to Thomas Booth.

A bill for the relief of the Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company of New York.

A bill for the relief of George Mowrey.

A bill for the relief of Deborah Jones.

A bill for the relief of Mary A. Hyde.

A bill to amend "An act for the relief of Valentine Wehrheim," approved June 12, 1860.

A bill for the relief of Charles M. Pott.

A bill for the relief of John Warren and son.

A bill for the relief of D. McV. Stuart.

A bill for the relief of William Brindle.

A bill for the relief of Frances Munson.

A bill for the relief of Samuel Beaston, master of the schooner George Harris.

A bill for the relief of the heirs-at-law of Colonel Archibald Crary, deceased.

A bill for the relief of George Calvert.

A bill for the relief of James Lindsay.

A bill granting a pension to Ezekiel Darling.

A bill granting a pension to Joseph Pike.

A bill granting a pension to Rachael Mills, widow of Peter Mills, deceased, late a major in the United States army.

A bill for the relief of Frances Patterson.

A bill granting a pension to Elizabeth H. Seppien.

A bill for the relief of Sally C. Northrup.

Joint resolution for the relief of A. T. Doll.

Joint resolution to refer the case of James H. McCollon to the Court of Claims.

Joint resolution referring the case of Charles Wilkes to the Court of Claims.

Joint resolution for the relief of A. S. Clark, Postmaster at Harrison, Ohio.

Joint resolution for the relief of Thomas J. Galbraith, of Minnesota.

Joint resolution for the adjustment of the claim of J. and O. P. Cobb & Co.

Joint resolution repealing an act entitled "An act for the relief of E. T. and Samuel A. Wood."

Joint resolution for the relief of Peter Wheeler.

Joint resolution for the relief of Captain M. M. Hewes.

Joint resolution for the relief of Gilbert and Gerrish.

Brooklyn City News.

A Towboat Destroyed by Fire.—Last evening, about eight o'clock, a fire broke out on board the steam towboat George Farrell, lying at the foot of Partition street, South Brooklyn. The flames soon enveloped the vessel, which was entirely destroyed. The fire is supposed to have been the work of design. The owners are Messrs. Lent & Harvey, New York. Loss $25,000; insured, but in what offices not ascertained.

City Intelligence.

The Segar Makers.—Yesterday morning the journeymen segar makers held a mass meeting at the Germania Assembly Rooms, in the Bowery, with a view of taking action in reference to the convention of the manufacturers and dealers of all branches of the segar and tobacco trade which is to be held during the ensuing week, and to last two days. The object of this convention, which is to be composed of delegations of the various manufacturing and trade associations, is to take measures to secure a modification of the Tax law, so that the taxes shall be levied on the raw material. The journeymen having received an invitation to join the manufacturers and dealers in this movement, they were yesterday considering the question whether a change in the Tax law such as the manufacturers propose will be in the interest of the workmen; whether it would not tend to monopolize the trade, and render it difficult for the workmen to establish their own business. There was a long debate on this subject, which resulted in the passage of a resolution in favor of the movement of the segar manufacturers. A delegation composed of five was then appointed to represent the journeymen at the convention. The delegation is composed of Messrs. Kassner, Kuhn, Seiff, Haas and Kehne.

Professor Doremus.—Our readers will be glad to learn that this gentleman, who renders science so captivating and intelligible to the popular understanding, will give a course of five lectures on "Pneumatic Chemistry," at the Cooper Institute, commencing next Saturday evening. Each of the lectures is to be illustrated by apparatus and experiments on the same grand scale which characterized those of last winter, and which afforded so much instruction and pleasure to those who attended. To avoid the crowd and confusion of last winter, reserved and numbered seats are to be sold.

December Term of the Law Courts.

The December term of the law courts commences to-day. The Supreme Court Circuit will be held by Judges Leonard, Mason and James, while the special term will be presided over by Judge Clerke. Judge Barnard will hold Chambers. The Superior Court trial term will be held by Judges Monell and Robertson, the general term by Judges Moncrief, Garvin and McCunn, and the special term by Judge Barbour. In the Court of Common Pleas Judge Brady will preside in part 1, and Judge Cardozo in part 2. Judge Daly will sit at Chambers. The general term of this court will be held on the third Monday in the month.

COURT CALENDAR—THIS DAY.

Supreme Court—Circuit.—Part 1.—Court opens at ten A. M. Oyer and Terminer and Nos. 2803, 2805, 2807, 2809, 2811, 2813, 2815, 2817, 2827, 2829, 2831, 2833, 2835, 2837, 2839, 2841, 2843, 2845, 2849, 2851. Part 2.—Court opens at ten A. M. Nos. 2514, 684, 1948, 1140, 626, 1904, 2012, 2030, 2046, 1470, 1552, 1560, 998, 2084, 2052, 1242, 828, 916, 520, 1386. Part 3.—73 Duane street. Court opens at ten A. M. Nos. 2629, 1340, 2680, 2526, 2276, 579, 2691, 1915, 268, 2749, 1807, 3004, 2607, 484, 2715, 2513, 2769, 2611, 1901, 1998.

Supreme Court—Special Term.—Court opens at eleven A. M. Nos. 80, 81, 83, 84, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 93. Demurrers only.

Court of Common Pleas.—Part 1.—Nos. 799, 757, 746, 414, 792, 812, 207, 339, 630, 593, 619, 752, 800, 797, 806. Part 2.—Nos. 557, 257, 76, 623, 490, 381, 688, 638, 194, 642, 581, 319, 687, 439, 209.

MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Married.

Mason—Gray.—At Spring Valley, Rockland county, New York, on Thursday, December 1, by the Rev. Wm. H. Johnson, of Brooklyn, New York, Captain James D. Mason, of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, to Miss Phoebe A., second daughter of William Gray, Esq., late of New York city.

Pittsburg (Pa.) papers please copy.

Died.

Barnes.—On Saturday, December 3, William Barnes, in the 56th year of his age.

The relatives and friends are requested to attend the funeral, from his late residence, 126 Bank street, on Wednesday afternoon, at one o'clock.

Beman.—On Sunday morning, December 4, Hester F., wife of Jefferson Beman, in the 61st year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited (without further invitation) to attend her funeral, on Tuesday afternoon, at one o'clock, from the residence of her son-in-law, John W. Thorne, No. 30 Bank street.

Edmonds.—On Saturday, December 3, Mrs. Esther Edmonds, relict of Henry F. Edmonds, aged 74 years.

The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Tuesday morning, at ten o'clock, from the residence of her son-in-law, Alfred Barnard, Esq., Throg's Neck, Westchester. Conveyances will be at Mott Haven depot on the arrival of the quarter past eight o'clock train from the city. The remains will be taken to Greenwood for interment.

Fitzgerald.—On Sunday, December 4, after a short and painful illness, Robert Fitzgerald, a native of Tullamore, King's county, Ireland.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Tuesday afternoon, at one o'clock, from his late residence, 199 East Thirty-fifth street.

Hoyt.—On Saturday morning, December 3, Maliscent Emmaret, daughter of the late Nelson W. Hoyt, aged 17 years and 11 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her mother, 217 Wayne street, Jersey City, on Tuesday afternoon, at one o'clock.

Hyde.—On Saturday, November 26, on board the United States steam frigate Wabash, at Hampton Roads, Va., of inflammation of the brain, William F. Hyde, youngest son of James M. Hyde, Jr., aged 15 years, 9 months and 24 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his parents, No. 6 St. Felix street, Brooklyn, on Tuesday, at twelve o'clock noon.

Hallock.—On Sunday, December 4, of scarlet fever, Ida E., daughter of Edward and Catharine Hallock, aged 4 years and 2 months.

Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services, at the Spring street Presbyterian church, near Varick street, this (Monday) afternoon, at two o'clock.

Chicago papers please copy.

Johnson.—On Friday evening, December 2, Mary Eliza, wife of John Johnson, in the 52d year of her age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Monday) afternoon, at one o'clock, from her late residence, No. 161 West Eleventh street.

Keating.—On Friday evening, December 2, Patrick Keating, the beloved son of Denis Keating, aged 19 years.

The relatives and friends of the family, and the Catharine Market Association are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 43 Madison street, this (Monday) afternoon, at one o'clock.

Larkin.—On Saturday, December 3, Mary, widow of Patrick Larkin, aged 66 years.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Mulligan, No. 257 South Second street, Williamsburg, on Tuesday afternoon, at one o'clock.

Livingston.—On Saturday evening, December 3, Katie Boniface, youngest child of James H. and Mary Jane Livingston, aged 2 years, 7 months and 11 days.

The funeral will take place this (Monday) afternoon, at one o'clock, from the residence of her parents, No. 230 Division street.

Mellon.—On Thursday, December 1, after a lingering illness, Thomas Mellon, a native of the city of Dublin, Ireland, aged 41 years. Was buried on Sunday, December 4.

Dublin, London, Liverpool and San Francisco papers please copy.

Merrick.—On Friday, December 2, Ann E. Merrick, relict of P. Merrick, Esq.

The relatives and friends of the family and those of her late husband are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her brother-in-law, Francis B. Arthur, 185 Bridge street, Brooklyn, this (Monday) morning, at half-past ten o'clock, to St. James' cathedral, where a solemn requiem mass will be offered for the repose of her soul, and from thence to Flatbush.

Limerick papers please copy.

Miller.—At St. Luke's Hospital, on Tuesday, November 29, of consumption, Lawrence Miller, youngest son of the late Richard and Jane Miller, in the 34th year of his age.

His remains were interred at Rye.

McCann.—On Saturday evening, December 3, of congestion of the lungs, Patrick McCann, in the 56th year of his age.

The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Monday) afternoon, at one o'clock, from his late residence, 97 Gold street, Brooklyn.

McHugh.—On Sunday, December 4, Bridget, wife of John McHugh, aged 28 years.

Funeral from her late residence, Ryerson street, first house southwest of Willoughby avenue, Brooklyn, at half-past one o'clock P. M.

O'Hara.—On Saturday, December 3, John B. O'Hara, in the 39th year of his age, son of the late Peter O'Hara.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his brother, Edward L. O'Hara, No. 42 Wyckoff street, Brooklyn, on Tuesday afternoon, at two o'clock.

Owens.—On Sunday morning, December 4, at the residence of his brother-in-law, No. 249 West Fifty-second street, James H. Owens, aged 32 years.

His relatives and friends, and those of his brother, Chas. P. Owens, and brother-in-law, Godfrey P. McLachlan; also those of Wm. L. Malone, and "The Young Men's Roman Catholic Benevolent Association," are invited to attend the funeral, on Tuesday morning, at ten o'clock, at St. Paul's church, Fifty-ninth street, corner of Ninth avenue, where a solemn mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul. His remains will be taken from thence to Calvary cemetery.

Pietsch.—On Sunday, December 4, of scarlet fever, John Pratt, son of Herman and Sarah J. Pietsch, aged 2 years and 4 months.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his parents, No. 184 Delancey street, this (Monday) afternoon, at two o'clock.

Phelan.—On Saturday evening, December 3, after a short illness, James Phelan, aged 50 years.

His relatives and friends, as well as those of his brother, Michael Phelan, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his brother, 26 Fifth street, this (Monday) morning, at ten o'clock.

Post.—On Friday, December 2, Jno. A. Post, in the 60th year of his age.

The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Monday) morning, at ten o'clock from the house, and at half-past ten from the Reformed Dutch church, Passaic, without further notice. The cars leave foot of Chambers street, New York, at fifteen minutes past eight A. M.

Quinlan.—On Sunday morning, December 4, after a short illness, Michael Quinlan, a native of the parish of [illegible], county Sligo, Ireland, aged 61 years.

The relatives and friends of the family, also his sons, James, John and Thomas Quinlan, also his son-in-law, John McGloin, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, 152 Leonard street, on Tuesday afternoon, at half-past one o'clock.

Rochester papers please copy.

Robinson.—On Saturday, December 3, of croup, George S., only son of George and Margaret Robinson, aged 11 months and 7 days.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his parents, No. 216 Atlantic street, Brooklyn, this (Monday) afternoon, at two o'clock.

Scofield.—On Saturday morning, December 3, of scarlet fever, Percy Andrews, only son of Samuel L. and Hannah Scofield, aged 9 months and 1 day.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his parents, 330 East Thirtieth street, this (Monday) afternoon, at one o'clock. The friends and relatives of the family are invited to attend without further notice.

Steele.—In this city, on Sunday, November 27, William P. Steele, in the 48th year of his age.

His remains were taken to Lancaster county, Pennsylvania, for interment.

Upton.—On Sunday, December 4, George R., infant son of Isaac H. and Mary A. Upton, aged 11 months and 6 days.

Vail.—In Plainfield, N. J., on Saturday, December 3, Jacob Vail, of the firm of Wilson & Vail.

The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his brother, at Plainfield, this (Monday) afternoon, at half-past one o'clock. The train leaves pier No. 2 North river at twelve M.

Von Aulefeld.—On Saturday afternoon, December 3, at half past twelve o'clock, Mrs. Elizabeth Von Aulefeld.

Funeral this (Monday) afternoon, at one o'clock, from her late residence, 190 Washington street, Hoboken.

St. Louis papers please copy.

Ward.—On Saturday evening, December 3, Mrs. Ann R., widow of Elijah F. Ward, in the 65th year of her age.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services this (Monday) afternoon, at three o'clock, from the residence of her brother-in-law, 71 South Fifth street, Williamsburg. Her remains will be taken to East Chester for interment, on Tuesday morning, at nine o'clock.

SHIPPING NEWS.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All letters and packages intended for the New York Herald *should be sealed.*

ALMANAC FOR NEW YORK—THIS DAY.

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Port of New York, December 4, 1864.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Edinburg (Br), Roskell, Liverpool Nov 16 and Queenstown 17th, with mdse and 537 passengers, to J G Dale. Had strong westerly gales the entire passage.

Steamship North Star, Jones, Aspinwall Nov 13, with passengers and treasure, to D B Allen. (See news columns.)

Steamship City of Port au Prince, Mulligan, Port au Prince, 8 days, with logwood, &c, to R Murray, Jr. Nov 27, off the island of Mariguana, spoke US gunboat Neptune, cruising; same day, saw an American herm brig ashore on the NW reef of Mariguana, had double topsail yard, the lower yard towering on the doubling of the mast; she had a red burgee flying with white letters, but could not make them out, no date, lat 30 30, lon 74 30, spoke schr Willie, of and from Baltimore for Sagua la Grande; 1st inst, lat 37, lon 74 30, spoke schr Lillie, from Sombrero for Philadelphia.

Steamship Merrimac (US transport), Sampson, New Orleans, Nov 27, with soldiers and passengers, to US Quartermaster. 27th ult, at noon, met the steamer Guiding Star in the river, at the quarantine station; outside the bar, passed the bark Genesee, and ship R C Winthrop—the latter aground. Nov 29, Evan Evans, of Waterville, belonging to Dagerell's Co of Scott's 900, died, and was buried at sea.

Steamship E L Clark (US transport), Holmes, New Orleans, Key West, via Port Royal, Nov 30, with 35 passengers, to US Quartermaster.

Steamship Fairbanks, Hunter, Washington, 50 hours, with mdse and passengers, to James Hand.

Ship Ashburton, Bradish, Liverpool, 44 days, with coal, to C Grinnell.

Bark Edith (of London), Sidney, Padang Aug 29, passed Cape of Good Hope Oct 5, St Helena Oct 19, with coffee, to order.

Bark Ibis, Hatch, Leghorn 58 days, passed Gibraltar Oct 16, with mdse, to Tupper & Beattie. Nov 25 lat 38, lon 70, spoke brig Jeremiah, from Portland for Sagua.

Bark Adelaide (of Portland), Prince, Pensacola, 12 days, in ballast, to Walsh & Carver.

Bark Blanche Marie (Brem), Haesloop, Boston, 4 days, in ballast, to Ruger Bros.

Brig Emma (Han), Stechmann, Rotterdam, 38 days, with mdse, to Ruger Bros. Nov 29, lat 34 20, lon 70 30, spoke schr Swallow, of Nassau, hence bound S, 7 days out.

Brig Arab (of Gibraltar), Bianna, Malaga, 43 days, with fruit, to Giro & Francia.

Brig Palma (of Pernambuco), Rogers, Pernambuco, 34 days, with cotton, hides, &c, to H H Swift & Co. 1st inst, lat 36 40, lon 72 20, passed brig Caroline, steering S; 3d, lat 39 15, lon 73 20, saw a US schooner, steering S.

Brig Emma Dean (of Nassau, NP), Mount, Matamoros, 16 days, with cotton, to Smith & Dunning.

Brig J W Johnson (of Liverpool, NS), Foster, Barbados, 19 days, with molasses, to T T Dwight.

Brig L W Eaton (of Cornwallis, NS), Nason, Montego Bay, Ja, 20 days, with logwood, &c, to D R DeWolf.

Brig Neva (of East Machias), Talbot, St Martins, 16 days, with salt, to Simpson & Clapp.

Brig Juliet C Clark, Brown, St Martins, 16 days, with molasses, &c, to Simpson & Clapp. 3d inst, lat 37, lon 73 20, spoke Br schr Racehorse, hence for Barbados.

Brig James T Abbott (of Turks Islands), Hathorn, Grand Turk, TI, 24 days, with salt, cotton, &c, to A Saiz & Co.

Brig Thos A Darrell, Thompson, Bangor, 10 days, with lumber, to master.

Brig Humboldt, Elizabethport for Boston.

Schr Atalanta (of Demerara), Carter, Demarara, 22 days, with old iron, to Jones & Lough. Nov 26, off Bermuda, in a heavy NE gale, was obliged to throw cargo overboard to ease the vessel.

Schr Col Lester, Perry, Port Morris for Elizabethport.

Schr Wm H Rowe, Harris, Providence for Philadelphia.

Steamer Peril, Delano, New Haven.

Returned—Steamship Bremen (Brem), Meier, hence 3d inst for Southampton and Bremen, returned in consequence of her screw working loose when she was seventy miles outside of the Hook. No part of it is broken. She will have to go onto dock to repair, and will sail again the latter part of the week.

BELOW.

Ship Galena, from New Orleans.
Bark Ellingwood, 8 days from Glace Bay.
Brig George Downes.
Brig Ponvert.
Also two ships and one bark.

SAILED.

3d—Ship John Bright; bark Gazelle.

4th—Steamers El Cid, City of Richmond, Caroline, Liberty, Ellen S Terry; ship Advance; barks Oldenburg, Sepherinas, Winthrop, Montezuma; brigs Handy, Kennebec, Reporter, Mary McRae, Frank Frederick, Henrietta, Nathl Sims, P H A Pitt, Julia, Jeanette Rountree, Carl Johan, J C Brooks, Alfaretta, Springbok; schrs C L Bayles, Helen Mar, J M Bayles, W P Phillips, Carolina, Rhode Island, Albert Thomas, Henry Finch, Alice C Hicks, D S Miller, H Brewster, Irvins, Palma, Rebecca, Sarah, Lavinia, J A Dailey, R Knight, Wave, W P Leggett, Jas Lawrence, O Ames, Cornelius, John Walker.

Wind at sunset W.

Miscellaneous.

We are indebted to purser Green, of steamship Merrimack, for favors.

Ship Elizabeth, from New York for San Juan del Sud, which put into Rio Janeiro in distress, resumed her voyage on the 23d Oct.

Bark Leighton, previously reported capsized and sunk at Rio Janeiro Oct 11, has been condemned and sold.

Brig Daniel Boone, Tucker, from Portland for Baltimore, before reported ashore on Smith's Point, Chesapeake Bay has been got off with slight damage, after lightering, and arrived at Baltimore 3d inst.

Brig Caledonia (Br), from Hillsboro NS, with coal, previously reported sunk, struck on the rocks in Broad Sound and partially filled with water, was got off and towed up to Boston 2d inst.

Schr Ida Della Torre, from Georgetown for Port Morris, put into Baltimore 2d inst, leaky.

Launched—From the yard of C P Carter & Co, Belfast, Me, 25th ult, ship Sardis, of 1160 tons, owned by Capt B McNear, of New York, and C G H Chapin, Esq, of Boston. The Sardis is built entirely of white oak, and will be commanded by Capt John O Cox, late of ship Ontario.

Notice to Mariners.

Notice is hereby given that the Can and Nun Buoys on Spring Point Ledge and Stanford's Ledge, in Portland harbor, have been removed, and their places supplied by Spar Buoys for the winter.

By order of the Lighthouse Board.
H K HINKLEY, Lighthouse Clerk, 1st dist.
Portland, Dec 1, 1864.

Spoken, &c.

Bark Golden Rule, Johnson, from Liverpool for St Thomas, Nov 16, lat 17 41, lon 56 53.

Foreign Ports.

Demarara, Nov 12—No vessels in port.

Halifax, Dec 1—Arr schrs C D Horton, Wallace, NYork; 2d, Pearl, Ogilvie, do.

Leghorn, Nov 15—In port barks Rebecca Goddard, Polleys, for Boston Nov 25; Mist, Lincoln, for do; Robt Leonard (Br), Hilton, for NYork early in December; brig Mary E Ladd (Br), Ellis, for Boston.

Montego Bay, Ja, Nov 14—In port brig Trio, for NYork few days.

Panama, Nov 16—In port steamships Golden City, Lapidge, from San Francisco, arr same day; Guatemala, Dow, from Central American ports, arr 14th; Uncle Sam, and Sonora, wtg. Sld 10th, steamships Salvador, Douglass, Central American ports; 14th, Sacramento, Bradbury, San Francisco.

Pernambuco, Oct 29—In port bark Wm M Dodge, from NYork, arr 24th. Sld 29th, bark John Gilpin, Cape of Good Hope.

Port au Prince, Nov 25—No Am vessel in port. Sld 23d, schr Carrie Rich, Boston.

Rio Janeiro, Oct 22—In port ships Alexander, from Cardiff, disg—captain washed overboard coming in the harbor; Trumbull, McCallum, from do, disg; barks P C Warwick (Br), Chichester, from NYork, do; Barnstable, Richardson, from do for San Juan, condemned; Leighton (Br), Blackford, from Pernambuco, capsized, condemned and sold; Augusta Aurora Schooneloew, capsized, and would be condemned; schr Eustace, Furlong, from Baltimore for San Francisco, to sail in a few days.

Sld Oct 18, brig Hermina (Belg), Clemens, St Thomas; 22d, ships Elizabeth, Stetson (from NYork), Sagua; White Mountain, Harnden, Akyab (before reported up for Callao).

St Martins, Nov 17—In port brigs Alice, for Boston 3 days; Bloomer, for do 4.

American Ports.

BOSTON, Dec 3, AM—Arr schrs Mountain Avenue, Lewis, Potomac River; W Freeman, Freeman, Tangier; Nellie Potter, Shepard, Georgetown, DC; Edwin Reed, Goodspeed, Philadelphia; Atreita, and E Bulwinkle, NYork; Denmark, Crosby, and Niger, Thompson, do. Cld steamship Norman, Baker, Philadelphia; ship Brewster, Clark, Rio Janeiro and Batavia; brigs P M Tinker, Collins, Havana; Lorenzo, Halpenny, Philadelphia; schrs Prince of Wales, McGinn, Surinam; Mary E Walker (Br), Kro on, Cape Haytien.

4th—Arr brig Gilbert, Carew.

BALTIMORE, Dec 2—Cld bark Isabella C Jones, Shaw, Rotterdam; brig Muscovado (Br), Steed, Demerara; schr Nautilus, Pillsbury, Boston.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov 26—Arr steamships Ariel, Russell, NYork via Havana; Oriental, Gardner, Boston; barks Dency, Menger, Bangor; Trinity, Sweetzer, Boston; schrs Empire State, Eaton, Bangor; Snow Squall, Sheppard, Camden. Below ship Confidence, Johnson, from NYork; schrs Angeline (Br), Auelo, from Ruatan Island; Sallie J Aiken, Godfrey, from Philadelphia.

FORT ROYAL, Nov 22—Arr schrs Alethea, Cassidy, New York; Pharos, Howland, Beaufort, NC; 26th, Franklin, Connary, Boston; 27th, brig Stephen Duncan, Tyler, New York; schrs Eliza S Downing, DeWaters, do; Daniel Brown, Pickens, do; 28th, bark Mary Bentley, Clarke, Philadelphia; schr Yankee Doodle, Martin, NYork; 29th, steamer California, Godfrey, NYork.

Cld 20th, steamer City of Bath, Bates, Pensacola; brig Abby Ellen, Gilmore, Ossabaw; 22d, schrs Sidney C Tyler, Steelman, Philadelphia; 27th, Franklin, Conary, Morris Island; 29th, E S Downing, DeWaters, do.

Sld 22d, barks Brilliant, and A C Norton; brig Jesse Rhynas; schrs J M Broomall, Queen of the South; 28th, bark Houston, Spates, NYork; brig A B Cook, Speed, do; 29th, schrs Elizabeth, Wright, Boston; N Tilton, Fitzinger, Philadelphia; B N Hawkins, McVey, NYork.

PORTLAND, Dec 2—Arr schr H Prescott, Upton, NYork; steamer Potomac, Sherwood, do.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A HOUSEHOLD CONVENIENCE.—PERRY'S JAPANESE BOOT AND SHOE POLISH for Ladies' Balmorals, &c. Ask your shoe dealers for it. Principal wholesale agency, 15 William street.

AT 134 SEVENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN TWENTY-first and Twenty-second streets, $5,000 worth of cast off Clothing, Carpets, Jewelry wanted, for New Orleans and Western markets. We guarantee to pay the Dresses $3 to $4; Coats, $4 to $35; Pants, $2 to $7, by calling on or addressing a note to Mr. or Mrs. H. HARRIS, 134 Seventh av.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FAIR.—THE FAIR FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE GERMAN Reformed Protestant Dutch church, in Norfolk street, between Stanton and Rivington (formerly the Asbury Methodist church), will be opened Tuesday, Dec. 6, and remain so until Friday evening. We cordially invite all our American brethren to favor us with their presence.
THE LADIES OF THE CHURCH.

NEW YORK LIQUOR DEALERS' SOCIETY.—A REGULAR monthly meeting of this society will be held on Tuesday evening, December 6, at 7½ o'clock, at the Metropolitan Rooms, No. 160 Hester street. By order,
P. W. ENGS, President.
John Rogers, Recording Secretary.

PROCLAMATION.

"Whereas, on the evenings of the 25th and 26th November, 1864, many of the hotels in this city and county were fired by incendiaries, and whereas the commission of so great and extraordinary a crime, endangering the lives and property of hundreds of the citizens of this county and their families, demands prompt action on the part of the county authorities to secure the arrest of the perpetrators; therefore

Resolved, That C. Godfrey Gunther, Esq., Mayor of the city and county of New York, be and he is hereby authorized and requested to offer a reward of $5,000, payable from the County Treasury, for the arrest and conviction of said incendiaries, or either of them, said amount to be paid upon the certificate of the District Attorney of such arrest and conviction."

In accordance with the above resolution, passed by the Board of Supervisors on the 29th inst., and by authority vested in me by law, I, C. Godfrey Gunther, Mayor of the city of New York, do hereby offer a reward of five thousand dollars for the discovery and conviction of the perpetrators of the late incendiary attempt to fire various hotels and public buildings of the city.

The above reward is offered not only to stimulate a disclosure of the incendiaries, but also that a fair and open trial may be secured, to the end that the dignity and laws of the State may be amply vindicated.
C. GODFREY GUNTHER, Mayor.

READ THE ADVERTISEMENT IN THE MILITARY column from 45 Fulton street, Brooklyn. Don't forget the number—45 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

THE COMING DRAFT.—IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL who are enrolled as liable to Draft.—The New York County Committee on Volunteering have reason to believe that a further call is likely soon to be made by the President for men.

Hitherto great complaint has been made that the quotas demanded of the county of New York have been excessive.

As all quotas are based upon the enrolment, it is evident that no relief can be expected except by a reduction of the enrolment to its proper standard.

Although appeals have hitherto been made to citizens to correct the enrolment, there has been little or no disposition shown by the public to discharge its duty in this particular.

It is evident that this duty must be performed by the public authorities, or it will not be performed at all.

By consent of the War Department and the advice of the Governor, the New York County Committee on Volunteering has determined to undertake the herculean labor of correcting the enrolment of the county.

No means will be spared to make this correction thorough and satisfactory both to the people and the government.

Our only object is to correct the enrolment and place it at a proper standard, and every citizen owes it alike to himself and his neighbor to assist in this work.

In addition to other means which will be brought into requisition for the accomplishment of this object, a complete copy of the existing enrolment of each ward or election district will be printed and furnished to every enrolled citizen of the ward or election district.

This will prevent the excuse which so many who are exempt have made that they did not know they were enrolled, and hence did not attend to having their names taken from the roll.

It will also afford the opportunity for every man enrolled to see whether or not his neighbor is enrolled, and enable him to secure that those liable and not enrolled shall be put down.

Every person enrolled is requested to aid in the gigantic labor which we have undertaken, by complying with the following conditions:—

I. Whenever a name appears of any person who is not enrolled but liable notice of the fact should be given to the Provost Marshal of the district by any person who may be cognizant of the fact, in order that the same may be recorded.

II. Whenever a name appears of any person who has removed, notice of the fact should be given at the Provost Marshal's office, that the name may be stricken from the roll of that district, and recorded where it properly belongs.

III. Whenever a name appear which is known to be fictitious or any one is aware that the person indicated is not a resident as described, notice should be given at the Provost Marshal's office, that the name may be stricken from the roll.

IV. Whenever cause of exemption exists for any reason, notice should be given to the Provost Marshal of the district by the exempt person himself, that the name may be stricken from the roll.

The following are the recognized causes of exemption:—

1. Over forty five years of age.
2. Under twenty years of age.
3. Being an alien, and never having voted.
4. Having furnished a substitute in anticipation of the draft.
5. Having been drafted and furnished a substitute.
6. Having been drafted and paid commutation.
7. Having been drafted and received a certificate of permanent physical disability.
8. Being permanently physically disqualified.
9. Having served two years in the army or navy during the present war and been honorably discharged.

In addition to this, so far as possible, every enrolled man will be waited upon personally by authorized agents, deputed to ascertain the liability of all enrolled men, to have those improperly enrolled taken off, and to add those not on but who should be enrolled.

As this is an effort to correct and not increase the enrolment, it is to the interest of every person to give correct and true answers to any and all questions which may be put to them, and all persons declining to answer, or giving false answers, render themselves liable to arrest and imprisonment.

This is probably the last attempt which will be made to secure a correct enrolment of the county of New York. To be successful the co-operation of every resident of this city and county is absolutely required.

The government officials have evinced a disposition to afford us every facility to attain the object in view. If, therefore, through the indisposition and apathy of the public, who are most concerned, this effort to correct the enrolment prove abortive, and further excessive quotas are demanded of us, because of the incorrectness of the enrolment, the people of this city and county will be themselves responsible, and they will have none but themselves to blame.

C. GODFREY GUNTHER, Mayor.
MATTHEW T. BRENNAN, Comptroller.
WILLIAM M. TWEED, Supervisor.
ORISON BLUNT, Supervisor.
ELIJAH F. PURDY, Supervisor.
WILLIAM R. STEWART, Supervisor.
CORNELIUS CORSON, Chief of Enrolling Bureau.
ORISON BLUNT, Chairman of Committee.
New York, Dec. 1, 1864.

THE NEW YORK YOUNG MEN'S ROMAN CATHOLIC Benevolent Association.—Brothers, a special meeting will be held this (Monday) evening, at 7½ o'clock to make arrangements to attend the funeral of our late brother, James H. Owens. By order.
JOHN S. SCULLY, President.
P. Tighe, Recording Secretary.

DANCING ACADEMIES.

BALLET MASTER DUMAR'S PRIVATE DANCING Academy, 35 Seventh avenue, on Thirteenth street.—Classes every day and night. Redowa Waltz and six dances taught perfectly in six private lessons.

BROOKES' DANCING ACADEMY, 361 BROOME ST.—LADIES meet Tuesdays and Fridays, 3 to 6 P. M. GENTLEMEN Tuesdays and Fridays, 7½ to 11½ P. M. CHILDREN Wednesdays and Saturdays, 3 to 6 P. M. LADIES' Primary Classes instructed by Mrs. Brookes. PRIVATE Lessons at separate hours.

C. H. RIVERS' DANCING ACADEMY, NO. 35 SCHERMERHORN street, Brooklyn. Classes for beginners are now forming. Send for a circular. Just published, a pamphlet containing a complete description of the fashionable quadrilles and 80 figures of the German Cotillon. Remit 25 cents for a copy.

J. H. SEARING'S PRIVATE DANCING ACADEMY, 292 Fourth avenue, near Twenty-third street.—A new class forming for Ladies and Masters, at 4 o'clock, and for Gentlemen at 8. Mr. S. continues to give private lessons every day and evening to those who wish to learn quickly.

TRENOR'S PRIVATE DANCING ACADEMIES, NO. 65 West Thirty-fourth street, N. Y.—Open Wednesdays and Saturdays; 90 South Eighth street, Brooklyn, E. D.—Mondays and Saturdays. These beautiful Rooms to let for soirees, balls, &c., at old prices.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

A NEWLY FITTED MEAT, FISH AND VEGETABLE Market, doing a cash trade, for sale low; three and a half years' lease; low rent. Inquire at 477 Seventh avenue, near Thirty-ninth street.

FIRST NEW YORK VOLUNTEER ENGINEERS. Commanded by Colonel E. W. Serrell.

This is the highest and positively the best arm of the service, with no picket duty, long marching or fighting to do.

Mechanics, artisans, and all good, intelligent men wishing to enlist in this magnificent corps can now have the opportunity.

BOUNTY, $600.
Apply to J. WARREN FLINN, Recruiting Officer, 266 Broadway, in the basement.

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

The nomination of Francis S. Tillou for Alderman of the Third district is not declined by him, as has been asserted; he is yet a candidate, and will continue so until after the election.

The Citizens' Association, Office 813 Broadway, New York, Dec. 3, 1864.

The Hon. F. S. Tillou, the regular and only candidate nominated by the nominating committee of the Third Aldermanic district, will receive the support and influence of the association. Very respectfully yours,
N. SANDS.

2D WARD.—TAMMANY HALL.

At a meeting held at Lovejoy's Hotel of the Young Men's Democratic Club of the Second ward, on motion of Mr. Jeremiah Coyne, it was unanimously resolved that we support Mr. John Moore for Alderman of the First Aldermanic district, and that we will do our best to elect him, he being honest, fit and capable for the position.
JOHN P. HUGGINS, Chairman.
James Sullivan, Secretary.

3D SCHOOL DISTRICT.
NINTH AND SIXTEENTH WARDS.
For School Commissioner,
ROBERT MACKIE,
Nominated by the
CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION and McKEON DEMOCRATIC ASSOCIATION.

16TH WARD ALDERMANIC RECOMMENDATIONS.—JAMES GREGORY is cordially recommended to the electors of the Ninth Aldermanic district. In soliciting the suffrages of the electors of the ward the undersigned may be allowed to say he is an old resident of the ward, honest, capable and efficient. In a word, he is a man of and for the people.

Geo. Stevenson,	J. H. Morrison,	F. Wade,
W. H. Smith,	J. C. Ham,	H. McGouldrich,
Geo. Devling,	E. Carpenter,	M. D. Buckin,
Arthur Devling,	J. Reddy,	R. R. Roe,
J. L. Clark,	B. B. Van Buren,	W. White,
Edward Smith,	G. T. Steinman,	M. Dorris,
F. Duffy,	B. Quinn,	R. Pearsons,
G. C. Peters,	J. Gerner,	M. Furey,
E. W. Spaulding,	W. Kavanagh,	C. D. Kelley,
J. Morris,	J. Foy,	H. Cooney, and

SIX HUNDRED OTHERS.

16TH WARD HONEST DEMOCRACY.
For Alderman, Ninth Aldermanic District.

The honest and industrious democracy of this ward will vote for James Gregory, believing him to be honest, capable and trustworthy, and, notwithstanding all the malicious reports that his opponents have attempted to place on him, he will receive the suffrage of the faithful and reliable democracy.

John Reilly,	John Rogers,
Patrick Early,	A. S. Conrow,
John Morris,	Thomas Bonnin,
James Connolly,	James Barker,
Daniel Kelly,	and

a thousand others.

16TH WARD, NINTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.—AT a meeting of the New York Democratic (McKeon) Aldermanic Convention, held at the corner of Twenty-fourth street and Eighth avenue, on Saturday evening, the 3d inst., Mr. [illegible] appeared before the Convention, and withdrew from the canvass, by consent of the Convention, for the purpose of saving the Aldermanic district and electing a democratic representative. The Convention, on motion, then unanimously nominated the regular democratic candidate, Mr. [illegible].
[illegible], Secretary. BERNARD SMITH, Chairman.