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JACKSON.

Special to THE WEEKLY HERALD.

Jackson, Miss., May 24.

Several bills were passed today:

An Act amending an Act, incorporating the Choctaw Collegiate Institution.

An Act authorizing the Secretary of State to administer oaths in certain cases.

The nominations reported yesterday, were confirmed.

No nominations to-day.

A bill to charter the Vicksburg Ferry, comes up Friday.

In the House the Revenue bill was considered in Committee of the Whole.

Hewson's advent in the Pilot, gives much dissatisfaction to the extremists.

In his leader to-day he announces that he will be assisted by Governor Alcorn himself in the editorial management.

A Governor of State and assistant editor of a newspaper at the same time, is rather at variance with good taste.

It has been raining all day.

JACKSON, May 25.—SENATE—Bills introduced.

To repeal a certain portion of the revised Code relating to free negroes and slaves, and an act for the arrest and delivery of fugitives.

The county officers of Oktibbeha and Lauderdale counties were confirmed.

Gallenger was also confirmed. Chancery Clerk of Yazoo county.

The matter of the payment of Stanton & McKenna was referred to the committee on contingent expenses.

Houss—All the day was consumed on the revenue bill.

A message was received from the Governor in reference to French subjects holding and conveying real estate.

The Governor has approved the following bills:

An Act to incorporate the Meridian Female College.

An Act for holding special elections to fill the vacancies in the Legislature.

The Governor, will, in a few days, send in his nomination for State Librarian.

A train from New Orleans, went through the bridge below Magnolia. Nobody hurt. The train was delayed two hours.

JACKSON, Miss., May 26.—SENATE—The following new bills were introduced.

An Act to amend the charter of the West Feliciana railroad.

An Act to amend the charter of the New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad.

A bill was introduced to incorporate Vicksburg Waterworks. Bill passed.

An Act in relation to Insurance companies.

An Act to amend an Act, incorporating Leves Commissioners in Washington county.

An Act to incorporate the town of Kossuth.

Houss—Revenue bill passed, 41 to 33. It now goes to the Senate where it will be overhauled and argued for another week.

The Governor sent a message urging the election of Commissioners of Emigration and Agriculture, and the passage of a law defining the duties of the officers.

H. P. Scott, negro, was nominated for Sheriff of Issaquena county.

T. P. Sears, assistant clerk of the House, was relieved to-day from duty, by E. J. Alcorn, clerk.

Ex-President Davis, Ex-Governor Brown and General Forrest were in town to-day.

Following the example set by the Legislators, two colored females had a pugilistic encounter in front of the Capitol to-day.

JEREMIAH.

Associated Press Report.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—Reports from Sanit St. Marie, Montpelier and Buffalo, report the presence and activity of strangers, supposed to be Fenians.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—SENATE—Terry asked leave to present memorials from citizens of the Dominican Republic protesting against annexation. Pomeroy objected and permission was refused on the ground that petitions, except by unanimous consent, can be received only from citizens of the United States.

Hansen spoke on the bill for the sale of the Omega Indian lands.

The Legislative Appropriation bill was taken up.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Revenue nearly half a million.

Schenck has returned.

Gen. Marston, of New Hampshire, was nominated for Governor of Idaho.

The Bureau Howard Corruption Committee examined Gen. Boyton, correspondent of the "Chicago and Gazette."

The Committee Conference on the bill to enforce the Fifteenth Amendment, have agreed upon the report which was signed by Sen-

ators Stewart and Edmunds. Representative Bingham and Davis, Senator Stockton and Representative Kerr declining to sign the report.

The principal amendments are in the 13th and 21st sections, and they do not alter the general sense of the bill, but is more explicit than that portion of the 13th section, authorizing the President to employ land and naval forces of the United States to prevent the violation, or to enforce the execution of this Act, is amended so as to authorize the use of such forces to aid the Judiciary authorities in enforcing the Act.

The phraseology of the 21st section is somewhat changed, but the general intention of the original section still remains.

This action pertains to the jurisdiction of courts in relation to the writs of quo warranto. New sections are added explanatory of and to simplify the bill.

The President has issued a proclamation setting forth that it has come to his knowledge that sundry illegal military enterprises and expeditions are on foot within the United States, with a view to carry on the same against the people and district of Canada within the dominions of Queen Victoria, with whom the United States are at peace.

The President, therefore, admonishes all good citizens of the United States, and all persons within the jurisdiction of the same, against aiding, countenancing, abetting or taking part in such unlawful proceedings, and warns all persons that by committing such acts, they forfeit all right to the protection of this government, or its interference in their behalf to screen them from the consequences of their own act; and he enjoins all officers of the United States to employ all lawful authorities to prevent and defeat the aforesaid unlawful proceedings, and to arrest and bring to justice all persons who may be engaged therein.

SENATE—Harian delivered a speech in support of the bill to sell the Osage Indians lands in Kansas, and defending the settlers on those lands from the accusations of Morrell, of Maine, that they were robbers and murderers.

The Appropriation Bill was resumed, and an amendment to appropriate \$450,000 in aid of the Louisville Canal was debated, but finally withdrawn.

An amendment to prohibit the admission of any pardon or amnesty as evidence in the Court of Claims, in support of loyalty of those amnestied, was debated.

The Conference Committee report on the bill to enforce the right of citizens to vote in the several States, was discussed. The report simply makes the bill more explicit.

HOUSE—The closing debate on Lynch's bill promoting American commerce, Mr. Peters, of Maine, proceeded to speak in support of the measure. Mr. Caborn opposed the bill as being in favor of ship building interests at the expense of commerce and navigation.

Mr. Brooks urged that if a reduction of duties was made for the ship builders, other mechanical and agricultural interests should receive the same benefits.

Mr. Cox, of New York, said he was willing to support the bill if the feature in relation to drawbacks was stricken out.

Mr. Schumaker, of New York, argued the necessity of something similar to the draft system to restore our prostrate commerce.

Mr. Banks then briefly addressed the House in favor of the bill.

Mr. Lynch then allowed a number of amendments to be offered and demanded the previous question.

The previous question was seconded. Yeas 77, nays 73.

The question was then taken up on ordering the main question and the House refused to order. Yeas 87, nays 75.

The bill then went over under the rule till to-morrow.

The Appropriation bill was resumed. Comes up again to-morrow.

The Pacific Railroad committee reported the Senate bill for the Northern Pacific Railroad without amendment. Its consideration is now progressing.

The bill giving Willbourn College (colored) \$25,000 from Freedman's Bureau funds passed.

The Conference report on enforcement of the 15th amendment was resumed. It will probably be talked over a day or two, but its ultimate passage is considered certain.

Committees doing nothing.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Revenue to-day \$700,000.

The bill incorporating Corcoran Artillery was signed.

The report of the Committee regarding trade between Mexico and Texas alleges that from four to five millions have been smuggled, and accuses the Mexican Government with favoring illicit trade, and asserts that Mexico was disloyal during the rebellion, by allowing contraband goods to reach the Confederates through the territory which he controlled.

To-day's Tribune says:

"Governor Bullock reads somewhat too literally. He has written us a letter for which, we regret, we have no place, which merely reiterates his objection to our remarks on his State communication relative to the Georgia troubles, and we are aware that he does not think that his term as Governor of Georgia will expire until 1872, no matter what Congress may do with the Bingham amendment to the Georgia bill, but we also know and he does too, that if that measure is adopted, and a new Legislature is elected this coming fall Gov. Bullock's official existence, as we intimated, will speedily terminate, and if there is any basis of truth in the revelations of fraud, and attempts at bribery, contained in the report of the investigation Committee, will Gov. Bullock have just reason to complain of his fate, or to charge us as does in the letter we have received, that we 'don't tote fair.'"

HOUSE—The bill to revive the navigation and commerce was taken

up, and after discussion, a substitute was agreed upon by the Committee which was offered by the Chairman.

The Northern Pacific Railroad bill was reported back without the amendments.

The amendments were offered to protect the rights and interests of actual settlers, and to exclude the conclusion of a guarantee of bonds of the Company by the United States. After a general discussion the main question was ordered. Yeas 107, nays 95.

Several amendments were voted on and rejected; without disposing of the amendments the House adjourned.

The Senate Conference Committee report on the Fifteenth Amendment bill as being adopted by a party vote, 48 to 11.

The Appropriation bill was resumed, and Drake's amendment regulating rules of evidence as to the loyalty of a claimant in Court of Claims, was debated. It prohibits the admission of a pardon or amnesty, as evidence in the Court of Claims to establish the loyalty of a claimant, and requires proof of loyalty specified in former acts of Congress to be adhered to irrespective of such pardon or amnesty, and directs all judgments heretofore rendered in favor of claimants upon any other proof, to be reversed by the Supreme Court, and pending suits based upon such pardons, to be dismissed.

A telegram reciting the particulars of the murder of State Senator Stevens, of North Carolina, was read.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—HOUSE—To-day virtually postponed action on postal telegraph until next session.

ROCHESTER, May 25.—To-day several car loads of Fenians, ticketed for Malone, passed through here from the West. One company of thirty men, under command of Captain O'Neal, left this city last night. More leave to-day.

All is excitement in Fenian circles.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 25.—Thirty Fenians under Capt. O'Neal departed to-day. More leave to-day.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 25.—The British steamer Norway departed this morning, fearing seizure.

NEW YORK, May 25.—The evening papers have special that O'Neal crossed at St. Albans, saying he would never re-cross the lines unless victorious or dead.

The troops move in two columns, one upon St. Johns, and one in the direction of Richmond.

The utmost constitution prevails in Canada owing to the utter lack of preparations for resistance.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 25.—Three hundred left to-day, three hundred left last night. Two hundred in squads departed previously.

ALBANY, May 25.—A report has been received here dated St. Albans at 4 p. m., that heavy fighting was going on near Franklin since noon, between the forces under General O'Neal and the Canada militia.

BUFFALO, May 25.—Gen. Starr, with one hundred men, arrived here from Cincinnati for the front.

LEWISTOWN, ME., May 25.—About 60 Irishmen, holding tickets for Island Pond, passed up Grand Trunk this morning, took possession of the car, allowing no others to enter.

BOSTON, May 25.—Fenian headquarters have advised from their advance guard, which crossed the border this afternoon and took possession of Pigeon Hill. The 60th Rifles withdrew without firing a gun. A raid was made on the Grand Trunk Railroad and thirty rails torn up.

The Herald has a special from Portland to the effect that the right wing of the Fenian forces on the Canada border numbers sixty men, mostly officers from Rhode Island, under command of Col. McNamara, accompanied by Col. S. Driscoll and Sennott of General O'Neal's staff, who arrived at Portland last night en route for Island Pond. Several volunteers joined them and Col. Driscoll for Island Pond, with seventy-five men from the West. It is thought St. Albans will be the base of operations. Clothing, equipments of these bands have proceeded there.

MEMPHIS, May 25.—Conference adopted the report of the Committee on Episcopacy in reference to the veto power of Bishops.

PHILADELPHIA, May 25.—James Gibbons, President Executive Council Fenian Brotherhood, says the present movement against Canada is an enterprise of irresponsible parties.

LOUISVILLE, May 25.—The Assembly had an interesting discussion upon allowing Lay Exhorters. Revs. Wilson, of Augusta, Ga., Lafeyre, of Baltimore, Hopkins, of Owensboro, Rice, of Franklin, Tenn., were nominated to the Chair Pastoral Theology, Columbia, S. C., Theological Seminary.

ST. LOUIS, May 25.—Republican office burned. Loss \$150,000. The Republican issued a small sheet to-day, but will hereafter issue the usual broad sheet.

NEW ORLEANS, May 25.—The Governor issued a proclamation quarantining vessels from Havana and other infected ports after June the 5th.

DETROIT, May 25.—It is reported that two barges towed by a tug departed last night.

CINCINNATI, May 25.—Gen. Starr, Col. Tounsey and Major O'Keefe departed north last night.

ODENSBURG, N. Y., May 25.—It is reported the Fenians will attack Cornwall.

PRESCOTT, May 25.—A large force of volunteers, including artillery, are under arms here.

TORONTO, May 25.—The Governor is advised of Fenian movements, and is prepared for attack or invasion.

MONTREAL, May 25.—Further news indicates that the Fenians are determined to make a movement on the east frontier. A large number of men are parading near the lines.

It is stated that the Fenians have cut the wires at White Hall.

The latest advice is that they have crossed the line in force.

Considerable force left here yesterday for the frontier.

ST. ALBANS, May 25.—O'Neal, Fenian Commander-in-Chief, was arrested here by U. S. Marshal Foster.

QUENEC, May 25.—The loss by fire was a half million dollars. Four hundred and nineteen houses, a foundry, a potato factory, two ships and a large quantity of lumber were burned.

OSWEGO, May 25.—A company of Federal artillery at Fort Ontario have orders to move immediately. No movements of Fenians reported here.

OTTAWA, CANADA, May 25.—The United States have 150 troops on their way to Ogdensburg.

Four hundred Fenians were left behind at Rome from want of transportation.

Fifty men of the garrison, with two guns of field artillery, leaves to-day for Prescott.

ODENSBURG, May 25.—Five hundred Fenians, with arms and between 75 and 100 wagons containing ammunition and military stores, passed Massena last night and this morning good north.

HOGANSBORO, May 25.—Four hundred Fenians arrived at Watertown this morning.

It is reported that Sherman with troops, will soon arrive.

Two hundred Fenians, who came from Rome via Central Railroad, got off at Potsdam, evidently old soldiers.

The Fenians at St. Albans are estimated at 1500 to 1800.

Col. Mosby, a noted ex-Confederate General, is there organizing a force of cavalry.

The Fenian plan is said to be, to send out small bodies of cavalry to harass the border at various points, thus attracting attention, while the main body will make a grand attack on some unexpected quarter.

Fifty men who arrived at Malone yesterday, fell into the military procession, and immediately marched northward.

MONTREAL, May 25.—The latest dispatches say the Fenians are at Trout river, in Huntington county, intending to cross.

Six hundred volunteers will leave at noon for the borders.

Fenians three thousand strong are at Pigeon Hill entrenched.

Lord Col. Russell and Prince consort's own rifles have gone to the front with the Montreal volunteers. They intend to attack the entrenchments. Prince Arthur goes with regiment, on the staff of Col. Russell. Col. Smith commanding the advance guard goes as the advance guard.

The Fenian movements will not interfere with the Red River movements.

Great satisfaction is expressed at Grant's Proclamation.

OTTAWA, CAN., May 25.—News received state that fighting has already commenced at Pigeon Hill.

TORONTO, CAN., May 25.—News received here state that Gen. O'Neal is arrested by the United States authorities.

The Fenians attacked the Home guards at Cook's Corners but were repulsed with several killed and wounded. No loss on the Canadian side.

ST. ALBANS, May 25.—Three o'clock, all quiet at this hour.

LONDON, May 25.—Dispatches announce that the brigands near Gibraltar have four English captives whom they will hold for ransom.

LONDON, May 25.—Grant's Fenian proclamation seems to give great satisfaction.

Commons had a secret debate last night on social evil.

Adoption of continental system for the prevention of disease was urged.

LISBON, May 25.—Saldanha manifestos say that he will maintain Portuguese independence.

Cortes dissolved after all the deputies had sworn to defend the independence of Portugal.

Cortes reassembles on the 29th of June.

PARIS, May 25.—Judges of English and American powers at Bourges, pronounce the English the best.

MADRID, May 25.—The opinion is general that Tauha desires the union of Portugal and Spain.

MADRID, May 25.—Prim says Spain took no part in recent events in Portugal.

Government has issued orders for the release of four Englishmen captured by Brigands near Gibraltar.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Fenian news shows the capture of O'Neal whom Marshal Foster and deputy fairly seized while the fight was progressing, and thrust into a back seat in a hack and carried from the ground, which demoralized the Fenians. O'Neal was committed in default of \$20,000 bail.

Fenians lost two killed and two wounded near St. Albans, by Canadian posted behind trees and rocks.

The Federal and British troops are advancing rapidly to the front, and unless speedily reinforced, the expedition in the vicinity of St. Albans will prove a fizzle.

Prince Arthur has gone to the front from Montreal, with troops.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—HOUSE—A bill repealing the law of New Mexico exempting real estate from execution, but exempting \$1000 homestead, passed.

River and harbor bill was reported and referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Pacific Railroad resumed.

Several amendments of the charter, crippling to the enterprise, were defeated.

The bill, as it came from the Senate, will undoubtedly pass without amendment.

SENATE—The application from Knights Templar for loans, reported in a joint resolution, meeting with objection went over.

Senate engaged all morning on private land claims.

Committees doing nothing.

Action on North Pacific Railroad, the result of a compromise which, it is said, secures a liberal railroad bill this session.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Revenue \$553,000.

Farragut addressed the graduating class of the Naval Academy.

It is supposed the Georgia's question will soon be resumed.

President is sick.

Boutwell orders the Custom Houses at Baltimore and Philadelphia closed on Monday at the hour of decoration.

The President nominated A. J. Larkin, Marshal North Alabama. Postmasters: F. Beaumont, Port Lavaca, Texas; Mr. M. C. Henry, Macon, Miss.; Thos. M. Higan, Columbus, Ga.; Geo. Lander, Fayetteville, N. C.

Major Luddington is assigned to duty connected with indebtedness of Southern Railroads to the Government.

The River and Harbor bill reported to-day gives upper Mississippi for dredging and removing snags, \$36,000; Rock Island rapids, \$50,000; Illinois river, \$100,000; mouth Mississippi river, \$300,000; mouth St. Johns river, \$50,000; Falls Ohio river, \$210,000; Mississippi, Missouri and Arkansas rivers, \$150,000; Ohio river, \$50,000; Mississippi, above Falls of St. Anthony, \$50,000; Tennessee river, \$40,000; Galveston harbor, \$25,000, and authorizes the Secretary of War to make many surveys in Southern waters.

SENATE—The bill to aid in carrying mails between the United States and the West Coast of South America, reported. It gives \$31,000 to North American Steamship Company for each round voyage between New York and Valparaiso via Panama.

A bill was also reported requiring the New Orleans, Mobile and Chattanooga Railroad to maintain drawbridge over the channel of the Great Algolates. It makes the width of draw 150 feet.

A naturalization bill was reported with amendments.

The appropriation bill was continued and an amendment adopted limiting newspaper publication of laws to important measures. It was agreed to dispose of the bill and amendments to-morrow, Friday.

HOUSE—The joint resolution granting additional subsidies and right to mortgage land and road to the Northern Pacific Railroad company, passed without amendment, yeas 107, nays 85.

The committee of Conference on the bill to enforce the 15th amendment reported after some debate. It was agreed to vote to-morrow.

Bill to revive Commerce resumed and the substitute discussed. A motion to lay the substitute on the table was rejected, yeas 61, nays 105, adjourned.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—A West Point special to the Sun says a negro cadet from Mississippi had arrived. He is creating great commotion. Taverns refuse to entertain him.

NEW ORLEANS, May 26.—Interim revenue receipts of the first Louisiana district, from 1st to 24th May inclusive, \$445,000; custom receipts same period \$400,000; customs over corresponding period last year \$130,000.

LOUISVILLE, May 26.—Rev. R. J. Nelson was elected Professor of Pastoral Theology of the Columbia, South Carolina College.

LOUISVILLE, May 26.—In the Presbyterian General Assembly yesterday, a subject of most intense interest was the reception from Northern Presbyterian Church, consisting of Rev. Dr. Backus of Baltimore, Rev. Dr. Van Dyke of Brooklyn, and Hon. W. E. Dodge of Ky. They presented resolutions of fraternal regard, and followed them with remarks in which it was stated they came not to ask for reunion, nor to ask the appointment of a committee to meet similar committees appointed by the Northern Assembly, and confer respecting varied matters and questions of jurisdiction and property rights between the two Assemblies, and to secure, if possible, the adjustment of all differences between the two bodies, on basis just and honorable to all parties and worthy of Christian men. While they were speaking, breathless interest and deep emotion formed a scene that will not be forgotten. The kind words of the speakers evidently found a lodgment in the hearts of those to whom they were addressed. Overtures were offered to common foreign correspondence, which was directed to prepare a well considered reply.

CINCINNATI, May 26.—Reformed Presbyterian Synod voted 10 for to 27 against the proposed basis of union. The proposition for a new Union committee defeated.

CHICAGO, May 26.—Fenian headquarters are crowded.

Several parties departed in different directions, some going to Minnesota.

Francis Train, arrived from Minnesota, report that a tribe of Indians have joined the Fenians in the Winnipeg expedition.

NEW YORK, May 26.—The Alaska has arrived. She was threatened with trouble between Peru and Bolivia. A squall at Aspinwall unroofed many houses; shipping uninjured.

NEW YORK, May 26.—Six persons were burned in the steamship Sunbeam at Valparaiso.

NEW YORK, May 26.—The Alaska brings advices from the Darien survey to May 16th. They had reached 12 miles inland, and the highest elevation reached was 112 feet.—Heavy rains retarded operations; 11 persons on the sick list with fever and ague. The expedition is expected to sail for home on the 24th May.

NEW YORK, May 26.—Judge Daley, of the Court of Common Pleas, decides that the custom of brokers and merchants must govern the transactions during the pasc of September.

MALONE, N. Y., May 26.—Four regiments of Fenians crossed Front river, and is now moving on Huntington. Colonel Cleary commands. Col. Smith, McWade, Thompson, and Campbell, commands the regiments.

BOSTON, May 26.—Troops from Forts Warren and Independence left for St. Albans by a special train.

PORTLAND, May 26.—Col. Orosby

of Sheridan's staff has returned from Fort Hays, and reports that the northern Indians have runners to all Tribes asking them to join in a general war.

ST. ALBANS, CAN., May 26.—Col. Spear, of past Fenian fame, has arrived.

The Fenians, arms and accoutrements are scattered about the country. There were three killed and fifteen wounded in an engagement. O'Neal is in jail in Burlington.

TORONTO, May 26.—The Fenians are retreating from Pigeon Hill, leaving everything behind. No loss of life on the Canadian side.

Huntington is now the point of interest. Every preparation is made.

HAVANA, May 26.—The steamer Columbia has arrived. The Spanish vessels are watching the Cuban coast closely to intercept filibusters.

LONDON, May 26.—The Times says the Canadian authorities must have no tenderness. The invaders must be treated as robbers, ruffians and murderers.

The Morning Post is confident the action of the President of the United States will place the Fenians before the world in the light of enemies to mankind.

Bullion has increased a half million.

LISBON, May 26.—Surprise was created by the omission of the Emperor to allude to the emancipation of the slaves in his address to the Brazilian Cortes.

BERLIN, May 26.—King William, closing the Reichstag, said: "Its action would go far to assure foreign people that the Confederation is a powerful agent for the preservation of universal peace."