

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Yesterday's Proceedings in the Senate and House.

Members of the Latter Protesting Against the Apportionment Bill.

Particularly to Add to the Representation of the Larger States.

Miscellaneous Notes of a National Character.

CONGRESS.

National Associated Press.

PROCEEDINGS IN THE SENATE.

WASHINGTON, February 7.—Mr. Coke was awarded the floor for a speech on the tariff, the Morrill commission bill being taken up to allow him to speak.

Mr. Cameron (Wis.) called up the bill authorizing the secretary of the interior to ascertain and provide for the payment of amounts due citizens for supplies furnished the Sioux or Dakota Indians of Minnesota, subsequent to August, 1868, and prior to the massacre in 1862.

Mr. Dawes urged the measure should be referred to the committee on Indian affairs. No conclusion had been reached when at 4:45 p. m. the senate adjourned.

PROCEEDINGS IN THE HOUSE.

Mr. Prescott spoke 45 minutes on the apportionment bill as reported from the census committee of which he is chairman, and said the new method recommended by Chief Clerk Seaton had been adopted and was more nearly just than the old.

Mr. Robinson (Mass.) said when he examined the result of the two systems and found that by the new Florida, California and Rhode Island must give up a member each to Illinois, New York and Pennsylvania, he began to suspect the proposed new method not to be a just one.

Mr. Miller denounced the so-called system of apportionment as unjust, unconstitutional and an outrage on the people. His remarks were warmly applauded.

Mr. Horner said it was outrageous. Common sense favored the old system, but the number of representatives for 321.

Mr. Prescott said that the wealth of New York should be quoted when the question of representation is being considered. [Applause.]

Mr. Chase also spoke against the new method. Adjourned at 5 p. m.

CAPITAL NOTES.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WASHINGTON, February 7.—The movement is growing to make Robert Lincoln a candidate for United States senator from Illinois, against Jesse Spaulding.

The treasurer will to-day call in \$20,000,000 more of the extended sixes.

S. P. Rounds, of Chicago, will, it is to-day reported, be nominated within 48 hours for public printer.

Assistant Secretary French, who has been ill for some time, is much worse to-day.

J. N. Wells and Wm. Todley have been appointed storekeepers and J. S. Preister gauger for the fifth Kentucky district.

The house committee on post offices have agreed to report to the house Morrison's bill establishing postal savings banks. Several modifications have been made in the matter of details without changing the bill.

The ways and means committee this afternoon agreed to report Kaason's bill for a tariff commission, with certain amendments, the principal of which is by striking out the clause including investigation into the existing system of internal revenue laws, leaving to the committee the right to consider tariff questions.

The star route cases were called in the police court at 1:30 p. m. Col. Cook represented the government. The prosecution produced in court 25,000 papers, filling four large clothes baskets. Wilson proposed to show by these papers that other contractors pursued the same practices as Cabell, who was, in fact, following in a cheater's path. He submitted that there was no intent to defraud. Cook objected to all papers and argued against their admission. Col. Totten, for the defense, held that the papers were admissible as evidence. The court excluded the papers on the ground that they were not competent evidence. At 2:40 the court adjourned until Thursday, when final arguments in the case will be presented. It is generally considered, even by the defense, that the case will be sent to the grand jury.

Railroad Collision. National Associated Press. LOS ANGELES, February 7.—A collision between a freight and an emi-

CRIMINAL NEWS.

Attempt to Rob a Chicago & Northwestern Express Car.

There Being No Money in the Safe the Robber Went Off Disgusted.

Officers in Search of One of the Dakota County Bond Swindlers.

Miscellaneous News of Crimes and Criminals.

THE IOWA SENATE.

DES MOINES, February 7.—In the senate the memorial to congress in favor of the Hennepin canal was adopted.

GUSTAV CHEERFUL.

WASHINGTON, February 7.—John W. Gustav visited his brother at the jail and found him cheerful, not restless, and with a good appetite.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATED PRESS.

NEW YORK, February 7.—Sailed—The Wyoming for Liverpool.

ROTTERDAM, February 7.—Sailed—On the 5th, the Olan for New York. Arrived—The Rotterdam from New York.

LIVERPOOL, February 7.—Arrived—The City of Berlin from New York.

HAMBURG, February 7.—The Gellert from New York.

SMALL POX.

CHICAGO, February 7.—Andrew Oleson, a Swede, concluded that he had the small pox and drank five pints of whisky in an hour or two to effect a cure. He experienced no further trouble from small pox, but the whisky killed him in a short time.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., February 7.—Small pox has appeared at Danforth and it is feared will spread considerably.

All the schools, churches and public buildings have been ordered suspended at Adrian, Hancock county.

LAND PURCHASE IN DAKOTA.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATED PRESS.

CHICAGO, February 7.—Mr. Richard Sykes, of Edgeley, England, has just concluded a big purchase from the Northern Pacific railroad company of 45,000 acres of land lying northwest and southwest of Jamestown, D. T. Mr. Sykes intends to take out in the spring a number of English emigrants to settle on the land he purchased, the terms offered being unusually attractive.

HANCOCK IN ARKANSAS.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATED PRESS.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., February 7.—Gen. W. S. Hancock arrived this morning. He visited the United States arsenal, where he was received with a salute of thirteen guns. Later he held an informal reception at the residence of Major Adams. He leaves this evening for Friar Point, Miss., whether he goes to visit Russell, who is engaged in planting. During the firing of a cannon took place, blowing off the arm of Metz, a member of the fourth artillery.

RAILROAD MATTERS.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATED PRESS.

CHICAGO, February 7.—The New York, Chicago & St. Louis railway company has filed with the secretary of state a certificate of increase of capital stock of \$15,000,000, \$4,000,000 of which is to be common and \$11,000,000 preferred.

THAT AWFUL CREEK.

To the Editor of The Bee:

I notice that the people of North Omaha have, for the past few weeks, been considerably agitated upon the subject of sewerage, and have been discussing the most available points at which the construction of the sewer shall be commenced.

Our party advocated its commencement at the outlet (the river), and another party urged its commencement at Fifteenth street, and thence running westward. The latter party I find are also quoting ordinance 455 upon the subject, and I must say misquoting the same. Below I give that part of the ordinance on the subject, "The sum of \$50,000 shall be applied and expended in the vicinity of North Omaha Creek. This certainly is plain enough upon the subject and no one of ordinary intelligence should say that the money is to be expended in the creek as recommended by those who advocate the policy of beginning the work at 15th street. If the people of Omaha are ever to attain to a system of perfect drainage let the work be commenced at the river and completed to the western limits. The true object of sewerage should be the improving of the sanitary condition of the city, and not the consideration of personal profit in the improvements of the lots of A and B. Again it is a truth well known that parties on the creek west of Sixteenth street, allow all the filth of the back yards, gutters, etc., to find way into the creek from where the same is carried on the bottom lands and then pollutes the atmosphere all over the city. In justice to all, let the work be begun where the ordinance clearly contemplated at the river, and pushed speedily to completion. Let us have the bottom drained by a suitable open sewer according to the plans of the city engineer, and thus save the lives of the people.

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Mr. Chas. Sloan, route agent of the American Express company at Cedar Rapids, arrived in Chicago to-day and tells of an unsuccessful attempt made on Monday to rob an express car on the newly opened Tama branch of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad. The express car was in charge of Messenger Russell. While the conductor and depot agent were engaged in switching at Bancroft, the robber knocked on the door of the car, and, on being opened, compelled Russell to turn out the light. He then presented a revolver and ordered the messenger to step aside. He then with the aid of a dark lantern ransacked the safe, the messenger opening the latter while the revolver was pointed directly at his head. Owing to the fact that this run has just been opened very little money was carried at any time and on this occasion the safe was empty. The robber took his leave in disgust, keeping Russell covered until he had mounted a horse, which stood a few rods from the train. The messenger described the fellow as slight built, medium height, sandy complexion, has a moustache, but very little beard, about 30 years of age.

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SULLIVAN THE SLUGGER.

He Punished Paddy Ryan Beautifully in Nine Rounds.

Disfiguring His Nose and Otherwise Damaging His Countenance.

Rumor That Ryan Has Died From His Wounds and Sullivan Was Arrested.

Boston Wild and New York Disjected.

THE FIGHT.

READY FOR A START.

MISSISSIPPI CITY, February 7.—A train load of sporting men left New Orleans at daylight, but did not reach this place until 1:20 p. m. Sullivan and Ryan both arrived yesterday and were in the best of spirits and confident of victory. The conditions of the agreement were that the fight should be for \$2,500 a side, within a 24-foot ring. Harry Hill, of New York, was stake holder and witnessed the fight. Mr. Fox, proprietor of the Police Gazette, New York, telegraphed Ryan \$1,000 to bet on him yesterday. Ryan's friends in New Orleans put up \$3,000 on Ryan, and betting all around was in Sullivan's favor 100 to 70. Ryan bet Sullivan \$1,000 just before the fight, which was promptly taken. The proclamation of Governor Lowery, of Mississippi, ordering the sheriffs of the southeast counties to stop the prize fighters at all hazards and to organize an armed posse to break up the fight created some excitement here, and some persons who intended going remained behind, fearing a row.

NO SHERIFF APPEARED.

however, and the ring was pitched in front of Barnes' hotel in a grove of live oak. About 5,000 people were present, representing all portions of the country; about 1,000 of these were natives. Sullivan announced as seconds Madden and Goss; Ryan, John Shanley, of Cincinnati; Ryan named as seconds John Roche, of New York, and Tom Kelly, of St. Louis; umpire, James Shannon, of New York. The dispute over referee was settled by choosing Alex. Brewster, of New Orleans, and Jack Hardy, of Vicksburg, jointly. Sullivan cast his hat into the ring at 11:15 by the judge's time, amidst great enthusiasm.

FIRST ROUND.

Ryan entered the ring at 11:57 amid enthusiastic cheers, accompanied by Kelly and Johnny Roche. Ryan won the choice of corners and took the southwest corner. Sullivan had the sun in his face. At exactly ten minutes of 12 the men took the scratch and shook hands for the first round. Both men sparred cautiously for an opening. Ryan led with his right, fell short, catching one from Sullivan on the forehead. The exchange became short and quick. Sullivan finally knocked him down with a severe right-hander on the cheek. Time, 3 seconds.

SECOND ROUND.

Sullivan at once rushed to his man and let go his left hand, which caught Ryan in the jaw. Ryan closed and they wrestled for a fall, in which Ryan fell heavily on his opponent. Time, 25 seconds.

THIRD ROUND.

The men came together with a rush and Sullivan, after making three passes, knocked Ryan down with a terrible right-hander on the chest. Time, 4 seconds.

FOURTH ROUND.

The men sparred for purpose a second or two, both fenced and Sullivan went for Ryan's face, putting in a swinging blow square on the nose before they closed; slugging then commenced and continued until Ryan was forced into and on the ropes. When he went to grasp. Time, 20 seconds.

FIFTH ROUND.

This was a repetition of the above, both closing and fighting on their feet, the attacks of both being counter to the face. Ryan succeeded in bringing Sullivan to his knees at the close.

SIXTH ROUND.

Sullivan came up smiling, but it was evident Ryan was not only suffering but somewhat afraid of his antagonist. Sullivan lost motion, but went in to win. Ryan, however, closed and downed him.

SEVENTH ROUND.

This round was a short one. The men closed and the struggling continued for a few seconds, when Ryan went to grasp a wreck. Sullivan came to his corner smiling. Ryan, however, had the grit to come up for another round.

EIGHTH ROUND.

The men on the call of time came up promptly. Ryan was decidedly beaten but made a gallant struggle. Sullivan fought him all over the ring and into the umpire's corner and over the ropes. Getting off the ropes, he rallied, but went down on his knees and hands. A foul was looked for, but though Sullivan had his hand raised to strike he restrained himself as Ryan rose. Both men were retiring to their corners when the seconds of each cried "Go for him," and the men responding came together. They closed and clinched and after a short struggle both went down.

NINTH AND LAST ROUND.

Ryan came up joggling and Sullivan at once forced him into his corner, delivering one heavy blow. Ryan recovered and drove Sullivan out, and just beyond the middle of the ring Sullivan got in a right hand under the left eye and Ryan went down senseless. When time was called Ryan did not respond and the fight

BRADLAUGH AGAIN.

Trying to Take His Seat in the House of Commons.

The Right to Which the Government Party is Trying to Deny Him.

The Peers Discussing the Queen's Speech For Its Obscurity on the Land Bill.

Dynamite and the Car, and Other Foreign News.

LONDON, FEBRUARY 7.

The speaker being in his chair and the ordinary formalities of the opening session having been performed, Mr. Bradlaugh, who had entered the house by the member's door without molestation advanced alone to the clerk's table and asked to take the oath. Sir Stafford Northcote, leader of the lower side of the house and who led the opposition against Mr. Bradlaugh's admission at the last session, arose and moved a resolution to the effect that in accordance with the rules of the house Mr. Bradlaugh should be prevented from taking the oath. The speaker courteously informed Mr. Bradlaugh that the resolution would be discussed and requested him to withdraw during the discussion. Mr. Bradlaugh retired, but before doing so asked that the house would hear him before deciding the case. Immediately upon his retirement debate on Sir Stafford Northcote's motion began. Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt opposed the motion in a strong speech. He contended that the question of the legality of the oath was one to be decided by law.

The Prince of Wales was present in the peers' gallery during the debate. Bradlaugh, in asking to take his seat, claimed that he was unimpeachable and hoped the house would act with fairness and justice. He declared if he took the oath he would consider it as binding on his conscience as any member of the house, but if he refused to administer it he was willing to wait six weeks for passing a bill entitling members to either affirm or take the oath. Then he should stand for re-election in his district and would only accept dismissal at the hands of his constituents. Gladstone, replying, defended the action of the government in the matter and said it would be best to leave the whole matter to the law court. In his opinion the house should have no right to consider a question regarding the conscience of a member.

LONDON, February 8.—In the house of commons last evening on passing Sir Stafford Northcote's motion, Bradlaugh again came up to take the oath, refusing to withdraw, amid calls for Gladstone, who stated he could offer no opposition, whereupon Bradlaugh retired.

Mr. Gray moved for a committee of inquiry into the arrest of Bradlaugh and other members of the house. The motion was rejected—104 to 25.

Debate on the address was adjourned with the understanding it would be concluded on Friday next.

The opposition decided not to divide the house at present.

In the house of lords last evening Lord Salisbury, speaking on the queen's speech, complained of its obscurity and the total absence of any reference being made by her majesty to any compensation being made to Irish landlords for losses entailed on them in carrying out the provisions of the land court act.

Sr. PETERSBURG, February 7.—A number of logs of wood intended for use in lighting the stove in the czar's study were found to have been scopped out and the cavities filled with dynamite. A number of members of the household have been arrested.

The German ambassador threatens to leave St. Petersburg unless the government puts a stop to the anti-Austrian movement now being carried on in Russian newspapers.

Suiteide.

ELGIN, Ill., February 7.—Adam Mangie, at the Northern Illinois asylum for the insane here, suicided last night by hanging by his suspenders to the grating of his cell.

Riddleberger Bill in Virginia.

RICHMOND, Va., February 7.—The Riddleberger debt bill was passed today by the house—yeas 56, nays 30. The bill having already passed the senate, it now goes to the governor for approval.

Thanks.

Thos. Howard, Bradford, Pa., writes: "I enclose money for Spring Blossom, as I said I would if it cured me; my dyspepsia has 'snaked' with all its symptoms, many thanks I shall never be without it in the house." Price 50 cents, trial bottles 30 cents. 1w-ood.

A Card.

In answer to the many inquiries in regard to my connection with the so-called "Lutheran mission," lately conveyed in this city, I feel called upon to make the following statement: Said "mission" is an entirely different society, from, and in no wise connected with, the church for which I have labored, and for whose new church edifice I have been soliciting contributions.

E. A. FOELSTROM.

Pastor Swedish Lutheran church.

SKINNY MEN.

"Wells' Health Renewer," greatest remedy on earth for impotence, leanness, sexual debility, &c. One dollar at druggist's. Depot, C. F. Goodman. (5)