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FORTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—SENATE.—In No. 36 Mr. Windom, of Minnesota, introduced the following:

Resolved, That with a view to the peaceful adjustment of all questions relating to suffrage and the effectual enforcement of constitutional and national rights and to the promotion of the best interests of the Union...

Mr. Blaine reported favorably on Mr. Thurman's resolution to admit Hon. Geo. B. Bunker to the privileges of the floor, and it was unanimously agreed to.

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Foreign Matters.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—McOmras & Co., merchants, have failed. Liabilities, £30,000.

A Berlin dispatch says that it is reported that Bavaria is the firmest opponent of the Reichstag Discipline Bill in the Federal Council...

The political situation from France is the leading topic discussed by the morning papers.

A special from Paris to the Daily News says that the ministerial situation is full of difficulties, but I need not repeat the conflicting rumors...

The Daily Telegraph's Paris despatch says that Greeley's republicanism is not denied, and I do not think that Englishmen will approve the action of the liberals in opposing the appointment of a man whose only fault is that he is not a twister of their choice...

Mr. Dorsay, of Arkansas, submitted a resolution calling upon the Secretary of the Treasury for a statement of all appropriations and expenditures from the National Treasury for the purpose of paying the expenses of Indian Department from July 1st, 1870, to June 30, 1878.

Mr. Thurman, from the Committee on the Judiciary, reported, with amendment, the Senate bill to extend the operation of the act of February 27th, 1875, to provide for settlements with certain railway companies for one year.

The Senate during the morning hour on motion of Mr. Logan's took up the House bill providing for the payment of arrears of pension.

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1878. THE 1879. HIGGS HOUSE. ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN. Corner Salisbury and Hargett Streets, (Just back of A. CREECH'S STORE), RALEIGH, N. C.

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COAL and LUMBER. Coal of Best Quality Always on Hand.

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OWING TO THE INCONVENIENCE OF THE weather we had to postpone our sale of TOYS, BASKETS AND FANCY GOODS at auction, but will have the sale on SATURDAY, at our old stand, opposite John G. Williams' Bank, sale to begin about 11 o'clock.

WE would call the attention of our patrons and the public generally, to our fine stock of Fancy Confections and Groceries.

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And can offer inducements in many kinds of goods. We have beautiful COFFEE at 15 cents per pound, and the prettiest in the city at 25 cents.

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MAIL TRAIN. Leave Raleigh at 8:00 A. M. Arrive at Weldon at 11:40 P. M. Leave Weldon at 5:40 P. M. Arrive at Raleigh at 8:35 " " ACCOMMODATION TRAIN. Leave Raleigh at 1:30 P. M. Arrive at Weldon at 4:40 A. M. Leave Weldon at 10:00 P. M. Arrive at Raleigh at 6:30 A. M. The regular train makes connections at Weldon with Portsmouth and via Weldon to all principal points South, Southwest, West, North and East. For freight rates to points in Arkansas and Texas, address C. E. MACURDO, Gen. Passenger Agent, Richmond, Va. 109-11