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LATEST WASHINGTON NEWS.

(From the Correspondence of the Baltimore Gazette and Sun.)

TERMS OF OFFICE AGY.

The terms of office are not yet reported, but will not be touched until the "coming man" has entered into bond with approved security upon these vitally important points.

PARLIAMENTARY SERVICE.

Undoubtedly leading radicals have become decidedly more cheerful within a day or two past. I stated the other day that the "state" had been divulged to some of them. It is now confidently stated that the difficulty receives the approbation of such distinguished men as Sumner and Stanton on the one hand, and Bingham and Trumbull on the other. Indeed, it is predicted, with more than usual audacity, that at least two of these worthies will themselves occupy conspicuous positions, although heretofore regarded as antagonistic to each other in the classification of "wings."

THE CURRENT RE-DIVISION BILL.

The new tax bill cannot possibly become a law this session. Probably the bill providing, in effect, for additional currency for the South and West may get through, as it is understood it will receive the signature of the present Executive.

THE XV AMENDMENT.

The constitutional amendment, known as the fifteenth, it is thought, will also be adopted, in some form—probably in that recommended by the Judiciary Committee of the Senate and already passed by that body. It seems to be conceded, at least in Radical quarters, that it will not be necessary to submit this joint resolution to the entire body for approval. The only difficulty between the views of the House and Senate is upon the point of negro eligibility to office, as well as the right to vote.

THE SUFFRAGE QUESTION.

The House Judiciary Committee have agreed to adhere to the House joint resolution to amend the Constitution on suffrage, as heretofore reported by Mr. Boutwell, and the House will insist on the resolution. The Senate is equally determined on its own proposition, and there is a dead lock between the two Houses on the suffrage amendment, the difference being that the House gives the negro the right to vote upon the same footing as the white citizen, leaving to the States the right of fixing the qualifications of voters; whilst the Senate insists on giving the negro the right to hold office and to hold property and religious qualifications. The Senate proposition can not receive the requisite two-thirds vote in the House.

The House proposition cannot receive a two-thirds vote in the Senate; neither house is inclined to give way or compromise, and so the suffrage amendment is regarded as a failure at this season.

INCREASE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

It is proposed to increase the number of members of the House to three hundred. The estimate is that of an increase in the number of representatives to be made, New York will lose five members, Massachusetts two, Vermont, New Hampshire and Rhode Island each one. The Western States will nearly all gain.

XII CONGRESS.

It is a mistake to suppose that it will be necessary for General Grant to call Congress together in order to insure legislation after the 4th of March. According to law the Forty-first Congress will assemble in regular session at 12 o'clock on that day, and it will receive the vote of both Houses at once. The session will probably be a somewhat protracted one, and all the matters left over will, it is thought, be revived. Much has already.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS.—The "World," under "Items about Women," quotes from the "Hundred Code," a book published in 1775, the following directions for the regulation of women, the reading of which suggests the idea that the book should be at once republished by some of our enterprising firms:

"When a woman's husband is absent on a journey, she expended all the money he gives her to support her in victuals and clothes during his absence, or if her husband meet on a journey without having anything with her to support her expenses, she shall support herself by painting, by spinning, or some other employment. If a man goes on a journey, his wife shall not divert herself by plays, nor shall she play any show, nor shall she laugh, nor dress herself in fine jewels and fine clothes, nor shall she dance, nor play music, nor shall she sit in the window, nor shall she ride, nor shall she behold anything choice and rare; but shall fasten well the house door, and remain private, and shall not eat any dainty victuals, and shall not blacken her eyes with eye powder, and shall not view her face in a mirror; she shall never receive her husband in any such agreeable enjoyment during the absence of her husband. So long as we women remain unmarried her father shall take care of her; and in her old age, before she shall take care of her; and if, before a woman's marriage, her father should die, the brother or brother's son, or such other relations of the father shall take care of her, and after marriage, her husband should do, and the wife not be brought forth a son, the brother and brother's sons, or such other relations of her husband, the brother or sons of the brother of her father shall take care of her. If there are none of these, the magistrate shall take care of her, and, in every stage of her life, if the person who have been allotted to take care of a woman, do not take care of her, each in his respective stage, so dutifully, the magistrate shall take care of her."

A TRUTH THAT OUGHT TO BE HEARD.—The Huntsville (Texas) Times says:

"If the worthless carpet baggers and railroads who are here for the purpose of getting their about orms and a region, are daily in the country, our State not only at large would soon be a laughing stock and properly."

SAD ACCIDENT.—We regret to learn that Lucy, daughter of Daniel Clodfelder, of Wroughton, spent about 7 years, was a very early married woman, and was communicating to her clothes, as to cross her death at noon next day.—Salem Press.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS.

SUPERIOR COTTON SEED!

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS!!

VICK COTTON SEED!

PEEBLES COTTON SEED!

MONTEREY COTTON SEED!

HAVING PERFECTED ARRANGEMENTS

THE FAR SOUTH,

DOUGLAS BELL,

COD FISH! IRISH POTATOES! ONIONS!

TWO HUNDRED BUSHELS CORN.

200 BUSHELS MEAL.

NICE BUCKWHEAT FLOUR!

PRIME WHITE MEAL!

COFFEES! SUGARS!

FLOUR! FLOUR! FLOUR!

BACON, LARD, SUGARS, of all grades.

OLD DOMINION SALT, assorted numbers.

RAISINS! RAISINS!

SUGAR! SUGAR! SUGAR!

CANDY! CANDY!

RAISINS! RAISINS!

BACON AND LARD.

COTTON YARNS AND SHEETINGS.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

SNUFF! SNUFF! SNUFF!

DIP, DIP, DIP.

FRESH SNUFF, FRESH SNUFF.

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LIFE INSURANCE.

THE KNICKERBOCKER

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF NEW YORK.

Southern Branch, SAVANNAH, Ga.

A. WILBUR, Manager.

H. D. ARNOLD, Consulting Physician.

THE ONLY BRANCH OFFICE OF LIFE INSURANCE IN THIS SECTION WHERE POLICIES ARE ISSUED AND LOSSES PAID.

ASSETS NEARLY

\$5,000,000.

ANNUAL INCOME NEARLY

\$3,000,000.

Annual Dividends nearly 50% per cent.

\$75,000 LOSSES PAID BY THE SOUTHERN BRANCH IN TWO YEARS.

THE KNICKERBOCKER IS AN OLD, WELL-KNOWN COMPANY, and offers great inducements to insurers as every solvent Company can. Issue Policies on every desirable plan. Loans one-third of Premium to Policy-Holder.

All Policies non-forfeitable, as the insured can at any time, on demand, get its surrender value.

NO EXTRA CHARGE FOR OFFICERS OF THE ARMY OR NAVY, Officers of first-class Steam or Rail Yards, or Railroad Conductors, &c.

The "KNICKERBOCKER" is ONE OF THE TWO Northern Companies whose Policies in the South were kept intact during the entire Rebellion, whose Dividends were accreted to Policy Holders as though Premiums were paid.

And is THE Company that paid all losses after the war, thus proving its integrity, the honorable method of conducting its business, and its indisputable solvency.

The KNICKERBOCKER will pay all losses, never disputes a just claim, and is as liberal and SAFE as any Company in America.

W. S. BELDEN,

General Agent for N. C.,

Geo. H. SNOW, Agent, Raleigh,

Jan. 31-3m

Importance of Life Insurance.

Read another forcible illustration of how the KNICKERBOCKER MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY pays its losses—

"Deceased, at Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 29th, 1869, of S. D. WAIT, General Agent of the North Carolina Land Co., two thousand five hundred and forty-five dollars, in full payment of Policy No. 1234, and directed on the life of my late husband, and I hereby surrender all my right, title, and interest in the same to said Company."

We refrain from publishing the names of the parties, because we do not think it advisable to publish one's private business, but will state that although the party had not been insured only five months, yet received a 50 per cent. dividend of \$5 on the premium paid. The dividends of this Company have been larger than those of any other, averaging over 50 per cent. annually, from the beginning of the present dividend (Feb. 1st, 1868,) except the average. On this month's annual dividend the Directors have, besides declaring a 50 per cent. dividend upon the premium paid, declared a per centage dividend on the surplus reserve arising from interest, which increases the policy holder's dividend, annually, and on some policies pays over 75 per cent. this year. They have also adopted a dividend of cash premiums paid, with immediate annual dividends. This company is purely managed, and the stockholders to absorb its earnings. It offers abundant security in a large accumulated fund of over twenty million dollars, derived from the proceeds of its business, and has \$150,000,000 security invested for every \$100,000 of the policy of business companies. All the desirable terms of insurance. S. D. WAIT, Feb. 9th Gen. Agent, Raleigh, N. C.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE NORTH CAROLINA LAND COMPANY.

FOR THE TRANSPORTATION AND LOCATION OF Northern and European Settlers.

THE BELLE AND LEAH: A OF REAL ESTATE.

THE PURPOSE AND SALE OF AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, MACHINERY, &c., ALSO, NEGOTIATE LOANS, ON MORTGAGE OF OTHER SECURITIES.

OFFICES: Gen. LITTLE, Pres. R. W. BAY, Sec. & Treas.

AGENTS AND DIRECTORS AT RALEIGH: Hon. R. W. BAY, Col. Geo. Little, Geo. W. Swain, R. King, ad.

AGENTS AND DIRECTORS IN NEW YORK AND BOSTON: A. J. BROADBENT, Sen. & Co., Feb. 24-3m

The North Carolina Land Co.

HAVE FOR SALE A 1/2 story frame House in the City of Raleigh, with a fine lot, for sale in cash.

THE W. O. BIRD COMPANY have applications for three or four Dwelling Houses in the City.

JAMES DAVIS, F. M. HOGAN, T. B. HERRICK, DUNCAN, N. C. LAWYERS, N. C. H. Y.

HYMAN & DANCY, General Commission Merchants,

No. 41 Wide Water St., (near of Custom House,) NEW YORK.

DANCY, HYMAN & CO., General Commission Merchants,

No. 41 Water Street, New York.

Other and other produce sold at wholesale prices, in Norfolk or New York, charging only one commission.

Feb. 13-4

LIFE INSURANCE.

ETNA

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Hon. E. A. BULKELEY, President,

AUSTIN BUSHAM, Vice,

T. O. ENDERS, Secretary,

H. W. S. JOHN, Actuary.

SUMMARY OF BUSINESS FOR 1867

Total Assets, over \$10,000,000

Policies Insured in '67, 15,351

Am't Insured, nearly \$45,000,000

Policies Average " 3,000

Receipts for 1867, 5,129,447

Surplus for Dividends, 2,000,000

Dividend Fifty per cent.

Receipts for Interest Nearly Paid His Losses.

It has \$130 Assets for every \$100 Liability.

Its premium receipts at the present time are nearly HALF A MILLION DOLLARS per month and are rapidly increasing.

The growth of the Etna has never been equaled by any other Company whatsoever, in Europe or America.

Particular attention is called to the fact that while its business is increasing unprecedentedly, its rate of expenses is comparatively small.

ECONOMY of management, CARE in the selection of risks, promptness in the payment of death claims, and liberality in the investment of its Insurance Trust Funds, are rigidly adhered to, and have ever characterized this Company.

THE Etna insures all the favorite kinds of Policies at the most favorable rates.

The Etna insured last year more Endowment Insurances than any other Company.

THE Etna's ratio of expenses, or cost of its business is less than any other Company whatsoever, and less than three-fourths of the average.

THE Etna is as liberal in promise to invest, in all parts of the world, as a sound discretion will warrant, and is much more liberal than any other prominent Company.

ANNUAL INCOME over \$6,000,000.

The only Company that has the Low Participating Non-forfeitable Term Insurance with privilege of renewal, Six. of rate at age 20 \$14.67, which is nearly 10 per cent. lower than any other leading Company. Also

Non-forfeitable cash rates with dividends on contribution plan and payable at the end of the first year.

Description of Policies.

First—Whole Life Policies.

Second—Endowment Policies, for terms of ten, fifteen, twenty, twenty-five, thirty, and thirty-five years.

AGES.

Insurance will be granted at all ages from fifteen to sixty years.

PREMIUMS.

Premiums are payable annually during the continuance of the insurance, or annually during a period of five, ten, fifteen, or twenty years, within the insurance term, or by single payment.

DIVIDENDS.

All Whole Life and Endowment Policies issued at the rates published herewith will participate in the surplus from the date of issue.

The dividends will be declared and paid annually upon the expiration plan, and may be applied at the option of the policy holder, either to reduce future premiums, or to increase the Cash Value of the Policy.

If no election be made the dividends will be added to the Cash Values.

When, by adding the dividends to the Cash Value, the accumulation on any Policy shall have become sufficient to keep the same in force for its full amount, without further payment, the insured may, at his option, either continue payment of premiums, and thereby increase the annual additions to the Cash Value—or discontinue them; and in either case, when the accumulation shall have become equal to the sum insured, the annual dividends on the Policy will be declared as a per centage of said sum, and paid in cash, and upon surrender of said Policy the sum insured thereby will be paid in full, without regard to the time that elapses for its payment.

The system of applying the dividends is peculiarly advantageous to the insured, securing, as it does, a per centage of said sum, and paid in cash, and upon surrender of said Policy the sum insured thereby will be paid in full, without regard to the time that elapses for its payment.

NON-FORFEITURE RULES.

No whole Life or Endowment Policy, on which two or more annual cash premiums have been paid, shall be forfeited by failure to make further payment as stipulated therein, but will continue in force for the full amount which the Cash Value and dividends, then accumulated, will purchase, taken as a single net premium, upon the "Actuarial" rate of mortality and four per cent. interest; and the amount contained in force will generally exceed the aggregate of the payments actually made, extra charges excepted.

W. H. CROW,

General Agent

and Manager for Raleigh, Savannah, the James, and the State of North Carolina.

Dec. 15-4

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO.,

OF NEW YORK.

ORGANIZED 1843.

CASH ACCUMULATIONS OVER \$30,000,000, AND EXCLUSIVELY THE PROPERTY OF THE POLICY HOLDERS.

DIVIDENDS ANNUALLY IN CASH, WHICH CAN BE USED EITHER TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF POLICY OR TO DECREASE THE ANNUAL PREMIUMS.

Over \$300,000 returned to Southern Policy Holders, after the War, as the Surrender Value of their Policies.

Policies issued on all approved plans, and particular attention called to the ENDOWMENT POLICIES of this Company, as a safe and profitable investment. For further particulars, apply to

O. P. BEESE, Gen. Agt., BALTIMORE, Md.

C. C. CROW, Agent, Raleigh, N. C.

JACOB PARKER, Warrington, Va.

22 Other Agents of the Company will be announced in due time.

THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY,

OF NEW YORK.

THE rapid advancement of "THE EQUITABLE," to the very front rank of American Life Insurance Companies, the unprecedented amount of its new business for the year, ending September 30th, 1868, being over

FIFTY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

the large accumulation of EIGHT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, together with an annual income of FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, afford the very best evidence of its popularity, success and solvency.

A brief comparison of the Society's business for the first nine years of its organization, will best illustrate its remarkable progress.

PROGRESS OF THE SOCIETY.

Year. No. Policies Issued. Assets.

1859 271 1,378,000 00

1860 616 1,900,500 00

1861 675 2,261,750 00

1862 1,220 2,538,450 00

1863 1,029 4,501,900 00

1864 2,011 4,708,500 00

1865 3,440 12,740,000 00

1866 7,241 20,772,450 00

1867 10,512 25,700,000 00

1868 *11,000 41,000,000 00

*Year ending September 30th, 1868.

MEMBERS OF THE EQUITABLE SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION.—In 1850, it was the sixth. In 1861, the eighth. In 1862 and 1863, the seventh. In 1864 and '65, the sixth. In 1866, the fourth. In 1867, third the 2nd.

AGENTS WISHING TO REPRESENT THE SOCIETY, OR PERSONS WISHING INFORMATION IN REGARD TO LIFE ASSURANCE, WILL PLEASE ADDRESS SPECIAL AGENTS,

HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO., General Agents,

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