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Eastern States.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—A congressional resolution directing inquiry into the effects of the 1870 Amendment on Indians was adopted.

Joint resolutions authorizing the Northern Pacific Railroad to issue Construction Bonds amounting to the same by Mortgage and Encumbrances covering the additional lands at \$2.50 per acre and reserving actual settlers, came up without disposing of the bill, the income tax bill taken up and finally passed in shape to construct what the income tax to be collected for 1870 in the manner now provided to be provided by law.

In the House Mr. West, introduced a bill providing that after the present Congress the House shall be composed of 275 members.

The Committee of Ways and Means today had finding bill under consideration but came to no conclusion.

The postal treaty with the North German Confederation goes into effect on July 1st.

New York, April 7.—The Fenian Senate issued official notification to brotherhood warning them not to obey any commands coming from Congress at Chicago on the 8th and the only limited representation of this Fenian organization.

General Sherman, Secretary of War, has resigned, being dissatisfied with General O'Neil's late proceedings.

New York, 8.—The Chamber of Commerce yesterday adopted a resolution praying Congress to find the national debt such as in the present bonds and replace them with others, bearing a low rate of interest.

Massachusetts, April 6.—Full returns show England's majority to be 310, decreased Republican vote over last year, 217; Democrats 954—Sanctuary Republican 11, Democrats 19; the Democrats gain 2 votes in Senate, and 4 in House, Rhode Island gives Hamilton, Republican, for Governor, about one thousand majority.

Chicago, April 6.—Disputes along the route of General Thomas's funeral were discontinued were of ingenuing character.

London, April 6.—House Committee on Women's Suffrage have reported in favor of resolution submitting to the people an Amendment striking this word out of the Constitution.

They April 7.—General Thomas's remains arrived this morning as they lie in state, in St. Paul's Church, the funeral will take place at noon to-morrow.

Chicago, April 8.—The War Gen. of the State of New York said to-day that the Pope had not issued any bull against the Fenians. He says, some Irish and English bishops presented a communication to the Holy Father and that his answer is not official, and would have been read in every pulpit, but it is optional with bishops.

New York, April 8.—1700 immigrants arrived here to-day, about one-half Germans.

Washington, April 9.—In the House Mr. Sherman presented a memorial from 137 colored citizens of Ohio stating that at the recent election in that state they were prevented from voting. Notwithstanding the 13th Amendment the officers whose duty it was to allow them to vote, declined to serve and their places were filled with irresponsible persons leaving practically no redress.

The Northern Pacific Railroad Bill came up. Mr. Harlan continued the argument against an extra donation of public land to Railroads.

Caracas, April 6.—The Tribune's special says the House will not agree to the Senate bill passed yesterday containing the present income tax of this and next year and that the House Committee considered the tax bill, but so far as can be learned they will agree to a three per cent with two thousand exemptions on the fifth of sixth.

New York, April 11.—The first reports that the Attorney General Hear will resign from the Cabinet, the President will resign.

The Stanton fund is \$146,000 on deposit drawing interest for his wife and children.

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New York, April 10.—Lina says that the House have discussed the city of Chicago, and about one hundred times. It has been made known for the present year. Total Chicago, 10th day this day will be 100,000.

The liquor shops were opened generally throughout the city yesterday. In the vicinity of Central Park, the police were driving drunk business. The prohibitory law has been broken.

San Jose, April 10.—The platform of Plymouth Church with Deacon at both morning and evening services.

Washington, April 11.—In the Senate today Sumner presented a resolution from the Massachusetts Legislature favoring postal telegraph.

London, April 7.—The Globe intimates that the early retirement of the present speaker in the House of Commons may be expected, and that the Right Hon. Herbert

Gardiner, the present Secretary of War, will probably be succeeded by Mr. Gladstone. It also intimates that changes are contemplated in the Ministry, among them are the following: Lord Northbrook for Lord Salisbury as Secretary of War. Ayerston, now Commissioner of Public Works to be President of the Board of Public Health. John Bright will resign in consequence of ill health. Sir Randall Baker is to succeed Lord Halden as Lord Chamberlain.

London, April 10.—The Observer reprints the rumor of the change in the British Ministry.

The press alluding to the quarrel of the British stockholders with the Chinese railroad managers, that owing to the ill health of the American journalist nothing can be known of the progress of the negotiations, except from private sources.

It is said that negotiations between the British Government and the Chinese Railway have failed. No reason is assigned.

Paris, April 10.—The Emperor having refused to make any concession relative to the platform, the Minister of Finance has resigned, but further changes are rumored.

The newspaper organs of the "Left" express dissatisfaction with the Ministry. It is said that their party in the Corps Legislatif won't support it. The refusal of the Emperor to yield to the demands of the "Left" and his friends is considered a victory for the "Right." The Deputies of the "Left" have decided to hold a meeting next Thursday. The editors of the "Left" and official opposition journals are invited. As matters will be submitted to this meeting which, if adopted, will settle the policy of the opposition party in regard to the platform.

Paris is now perfectly tranquil. The strike of Frenchmen shows no signs of ending. Twenty-five workmen who participated in the disturbances have been sentenced to imprisonment for terms varying from one month to three years.

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