The Oregon Statesman.

then, I find the mainspring, without which the watch would always be motionless, and its hands, and the tawach Besolutions of the Turritory of Oregon, by authority.

Hon, Jos. C. McKibirix and hij Brother Robert, on the bersburg, Pa, on the 27th of October, between Hon, J. C. McKibben, M. C. from California, and his brother Robert, on the other. It seems that some years since Mr. Craig's wife, (who is sister of the McKibbens) being in poor health, made a trip away from her home in Pittsbergh. During her absence, a deaf and dumb sister, some twenty years of age, went to her residence on a visit, and remained in Craig's house several weeks. During that visit, it is alleged, and the allegation is supported by the affidavit of the victim herself, that her own brother-in-law, Mr. Isaac Craig, seduced her,. She returned home to Philadelphia, and for months seem ed to be entirely ignorant that any wrong had been done her; but in due time she gave unmistakeable indications that she would soon become a mother, and not until then did her family suspect anything of the kind, nor did she seem, even when the truth had forced itself upon her heart broken friends, to realize that she had suffered any wrrone. Not until she understood that she wroned and the suffered any wrrone. Not until she understood that she had forced itself upon her heart broken in friends, to realize that she had suffered any wrong. Not until she understood that she samething that Never Falls Do you D had thrown a sad shadow over her parents

immediately took her children and left his roof, and has ever since remained with her father and base ever since remained with has ever since remained with her consistent therewith. And to make the laws of the Territory confund from the consequences of their own evil appetites?—

The possibilities of the consistent therewith. And to make the laws of the Territory confund from the consistent therewith. And the constitution, can only be sistent with the constitution of the Governor made to farm with the constitution of the Governor was allusion to it in his message.

Mr. CRANOR said be well on the Governor was allusion to it in his message.

Mr. CRANOR said be well on the constitution of the Governor was a and entered. As he did this he heard a shot from his brother's pistol, which was which have defied the treatment of the medical to aim at.) The latter in order to prevent Craig from taking deliberate aim was compelled to fire rapfully and almost at random. Robert and Joseph, having exhausted their shots, proceeded towards town to reload; but before they returned, the conductor of the cars ordered the train to proceed, leaving many passengers behind. The Mc-Kibbens were arrested and entered into bonds for their appearance at Court. It was subsequently ascertained that Craig received a bail in the right groin and another in the back, over the right hip. Upon hearing this, his wife felt it her duty to go to his assistance. While unwilling to reproach her brothers for attempting to to aim at.) The latter in order to prevent cines never fail.

of a numerous congregation. The young lady who assumed the position of Postniant is a resident of Sacramento, and in her new vocation has received from the Church the name of Sister Mary de Sales. The ecromony was quite interesting throughout, and was attentively observed by the immense congregation present. Bishop Alemany was attended by Archishop Blanchet, of Oregon, also, Rev. Father Quin and Rev. Fa thers Cassin, Slattery, Carroll and King. The introductory services and sermon were somewhat lengthy, but interesting, the Postnalant being meanwhile near the altar, survey and the production of the of a numerous congregation. The young day Courier. to witness the event. The assuming, thus publicly, the Holy Habit of Religion, could not but cause an air of solemnity to pervade the sanctuary, and, up to the moment of the in New York held a conference on Sunday, retiring of the Postulant with the Sisters, when they decided to pack up their movables the most eager attention was bestowed by and leave the city of the ungodly Gentiles

(second section, U. S. States at Large, vol. 7, page 619,) the entry in such cases shall be in favor of "the heirs" of the deceased pre-emptor, and a patent thereon shall cause the title to inure to said heirs as if their lunatic aslyum. We wish them a pleasant the provisions of the law of March, 1843, Mormonism won't pay in this latitude. It is only men of large means and unbounded of forming the State belongs exclusively to of forming the State belongs exclusively to of forming the State government, they will exist in their political body, either as a the title to inure to said heirs as if their lunatic aslyum. We wish them a pleasant State within, or without the Union. The power of forming the State belongs exclusively to of forming the State government, they will exist in their political body, either as a State government, they will exist in their political body, either as a State within, or without the Union. The power of forming the State belongs exclusively to of forming the people, and when they (as we have done in Oregon,) create a State government, they will exist in their political body, either as a State within, or without the Union. names had been specially mentioned. The journey to Salt Lake. interest of the widow in an entry thus made

had thrown a sad shadow over her parents and brothers, and sisters, did she appreciate the villainy of her seducer.

When the heartless conduct of her husband became known to Mrs. Craig, she immediately took her children and left his

LEFT US IN OUR INIQUITY.-The Mormons A Widow's Rights.—The question has been raised before the General Land Office, "whether, if an administrator of a deceased person shall establish the right of deceased to pre-empt a lot of land in Kansas Territory, the widow will be entitled to one-third in fee." The decision is that, "under the provisions of the law of March, 1843, Mormonism won't nay in this latitude. It the provisions of the law of March, 1843, Mormonism won't pay in this latitude. It

OREGON LEGISLATURE.

SATURDAY P. M., Dec. 19th, 1857. IN THE HOUSE .- Mr. JEFFERS called

up the following:

Resolved. That the legislation of this body
be made to conform as far as possible, to
the provisions of the constitution just accapted by the people.

He said that we were about to enter upon
a State government, and by making the
laws and acts of this session conform as near as might be, to our State constitution, would save a vast amount of legislation, to our State Legislatures—for example; if the action of the committee on corporations conformed to the constitution, it would avoid the necessity of special acts by the State Legislature legalizing the acts of this session; so to, we might say, of roads and

highways, &c.

Mr. SHUCK.—I will cast my vote agin
the resolution, because this it not a joint
session, and them is the reasons why I am
going to vote agin the constitution—or

Mr. DRYER opposed the resolution, and said that it would lead to endless discussions; every time a bill was brought up, some member would see that it did not conform to the constitution, and because the laws enacted by the Legislative Assembly would be in full force and effect under the State. Why should we bring this up? It will open discussion for weeks, and we have only to do with local laws. I am opposed to this resolution. It will lead us everywhere.

Mr. WOODSIDES-This is a matter of importance, since it contemplates the pas-sage of laws that are to be permanent, and can be incorporated into the code under the gon at his earliest convenience, State government ; hence it requires more than ordinary examination. And this is assemble, the people having organized a of the war; State and adopted the constitution which recognizes the validity of the laws of the Territory only when they are consistent ceived, and by whom; therewith. The mere passage of a law by the Territorial Legislature, will not of necessity, render it of full force and effect each per diem; the whole amount expended, cessity, render it of full force and effect and for what purpose; under the State government, because the He said the object is to obtain information the difference of the di they must be consistent therewith. And

people an immense expense and rendering session conform to the State government, I I do not conceive that it would avoid the the war.

of death seems to be surely set—shall the distracted husband, and the terrified and inconsolable to avenge the wrongs of herself and her deaf and dumb sister, she felt it to be her duty to attend him in the hour of danger, and soften his pillow, even when suffering under the terrible retribution of a crime, which, when viewed in all its revolting aspects, has searcely a parallel in the criminal annals of our State.

Taking the White Veil.—The ceremony of reception, Archbishop Alemany officiating, was performed yesterday, at the Catholic Church in this city, in the presence of a numerous congregation. The young lady who assumed the position of Postulant.

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man from Washington and Multnomah can Governor surrendered his power of commisman from Washington and Multnomah can make a "speech;" he is very, very eloquent, (in a horn.) What he lacks in sense, he supplies in sound. There is but one thing needful; if his constituents had sent some needful; if his constituents had sent some Mr. WOODSIDES. We have already needful; if his constituents had sent some Mr. WOODSIDES. We have already needful; if his constituents had sent some form Washington and Multnomah can with the board of the days after the county commissioners three days after the county commissioners th gentleman to arrange facts and ideas, and have given them to Mr. Dryer to report, of forming the State belongs exclusively to more than fair that you should listen to my of the widow in an entry thus made will be determined by the law regulating the distribution of real estate of the State of Territory in which the land lies.

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IN THE COUNCIL.—Mr. BERRY presented the petition of Elizabeth R. Hines, praying a divorce from her bushand, Oren F. Hines. Referred to the committee on Ways

River Bridge Company.
On motion of Mr. DRAIN the bill to Incorporate the Youth's Lycum, at Montville Institute, was ordered to be engrossed.

AFFERNOON SESSION—Mr. SHEIL presented the reports of the ambitor and treas, urer, which were received, and 1,000 copies of each were ordered to be printed.

IN THE HOUSE.—Mr. KING offered a me-morial petitioning for the allowance of his claim against the penitentiary, &c. Refer-red to committee on claims

work on penitentiary.

Mr. COLE gave notice that he would present a bill allowing the citizens of Dougas county lying between Calapooia (the line between Douglas and Umpqun) and the North Umpqua, not including the citizens higher up said Umpqua than John's mills to vote at the next June election at the proper or regular place of voting in said district, to ascertain whether they wish to become a

part of Umpqua county.
Mr. DRYER offered the following: Resolved, That the Governor be requested to report to the Legislative Assembly of Ore-

lst, The amount of property purchased by the several departments for the public the last time the Territorial Legislature will service during and since the commencement

several departments; the amount paid to counties. Adjourned,

tion. A call was made last year to the dif-

responsibilities of self government. We not amenable to this body. The Legislature information he may think proper relative to act entitled "an act to amend an act relatby her brother. Jos. C. McKibben and his Do you doubt that any disease, whatever its are in fact a State. We cannot recede with had no power to call for a report from an the prices of supplies, the hostilities of the ing to estrays, and to property lost and unbrother hearing that their sister's seducer origin, may be cured by following the advice of the was in town, proceeded to the railroad train, that most skillful of physicians, and that perfect that we are a State, and it being our right of the U.S. In case there was a report, in 1854.

The content of the search of the sear honor from our position. Knowing then officer who was acting under the authority Indians, and protection of the immigrants claimed."

form to the constitution, thus saving the Mr. GATES. In order to arrive at a a shot from his brother's pistol, which was fired through one of the windows. Craig and Joseph simultaneously fired at each other, and exchanged some twelve or thirteen shots altogether. Craig was armed with two good self-cocking revolvers, and therefore had much advantage over Joseph (who was the only party he seemed to aim at.) The latter in order to arrive at a schools and colleges, both of the old and the new defield the treatment of the medical and the new defield the treatment of the medical and the new defield the treatment of the medical and colleges, both of the old and the new defield the treatment of the medical and colleges, both of the old and the new defield the treatment of the medical and colleges, both of the old and the new defield the treatment of the medical and colleges, both of the old and the new defield the treatment of the medical and colleges, both of the old and the new defield the treatment of the medical and colleges, both of the old and the new defield the treatment of the medical and colleges, both of the old and the new defield the treatment of the medical and colleges, both of the old and the new defield the treatment of the medical and colleges, both of the old and the new defield the treatment of the medical and colleges, both of the old and the new defield the treatment of the medical and the new defield the treatment of the defield and the new defield the treatment of the defield and the new defield the treatment of the defield and the new defield the treatment of the defield and the new defield the treatment of the defield and the new defield the treatment of the defield and the new defield the treatment of the defield and the new defield the treatment of the defield the treatment of the defield the treatment of the defield and the new defield the treatment of the defield th know what practical good will be obtained. Oswego. fested towards the officers having charge of

> Mr. COX I conceive the resolution to be unnecessary, since there has been no so-licitude manifested by the people to have a report; if there had been such a desire, we would have been instructed and memorialized; petitions would have been before us, but

> Mr. HAYDEN. This House has no control over this matter, no means of redress. The war was not made on the faith of the Territory. The Governor is the representative of the general government, and he is to report to the war department, not to us.

Mr. KING. We are now arrayed against

Mr. WOODSIDES. We have already ritorial officers was called up. consumed more time in consideration of this resolution than it was worthy of. I came they would have been ably represented.
Sirs, it is not treason to say that the State
Legislature will go on to enact laws irrespective of the will of Congress; for the
Territories are held in trust by the General
Territories are held in trust by the General Government, until the people shall form ed him by saying he did not wish any ad-States. Congress does not form States—it vice.] Mr. Woodsides resumed. I came here to listen to your advice. It is nothing

> Mr. REES did not think the Governor responsible to us, and that was the only

gave the vote on this resolution last week.] strenuous opposition to us in Congress.

Mayray A. M. Dec. 14, 1857. Mr. JEFFERS did not like to undertake anything he had no right to do, and could

not see where we obtained authority to trouble the Governor, without any object.

Yeas and nays resulted as follows:

Yeas—Allen, Cole, Dryer, Hill, Shuck,

Mays—Able, Brown of Linn, Brown of Jackson, Cox, Cranor, Cooley, Collard, Cilliand, Gates, Hayden, Hughes, Jeffries, King, Mack, Matthews, Rees, Spear, White-aker, Woodsides, Mr. Speaker—20.

IN THE HOUSE-On motion of Mr. Brown of Jackson, the bill for the relief of Thomas Pyle was referred to committee on claims. The bill relocating a part of the Territo-rial road leading from Salem by the way of Matheny's ferry and Weston to Dayton was

Mr. DRYER presented two memorials of
A. B. Roberts, and Jacob F. Shartle, petitioning for the allowance of their claims for

Auditor and Treasurer; 1,000 copies of the cach were ordered to be printed. Mr. SLATER gave notice that he would

ntroduce a bill to amend an act entitled an act to regulate proceedings in actions at law Mr. MACK introduced a bill to amend at act entitled an act for the sale of school

Mr. CRANOR introduced a bill to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the sale

of school lands. Mr. MACK offered a resolution relative to the distribution of documents.

Mr. MACK introduced a bill to amend in act concerning marriage and divorce. Mr. MATTHEWS gave notice of the introduction of a bill legalizing certain acts of school district No. 4, in Douglas Co.

Mr. ABLE gave notice that he would in troduce a bill to amend the law concerning roads and ferries; to give the county com missioners some discretionary power to pay or not to pay damages assessed on the loca-3d, The number of clerks employed in the tion of Territorial roads through their

TUESDAY, A. M., Dec. 15, 1857. Youth's Lyceum at Montville was passed. the Governor, and the Governor made no cellency the Governor be requested to fur- On motion of Mr. WOODSIDES, the

Mr. WAIT introduced a bill to incorpose schine county.

Mr. DRYER offered the following: Recorrect conclusion in this matter, we must rate the Trustees of Trinity School, at

> corporate the Siskiyou Wagon Road Com- lain. pany, was referred to committee on roads and highways. Adjourned.

On motion of Mr. COLLARD, Messrs. Collard, Cox and Slater were appointed a in their nature, and we should keep them so select committee, to whom was referred the here.

netition of Josiah Suttle. Mr. JEFFERS introduced a bill for the committee on claims.

The committee on claims by Mr. BROWN of Linn, reported back the petition of Thos.

Pyle, recommending that it be not allowed.

Mr. Brown said the reasons why they opposed the bill was, that there was no law allowing indemnity for rewards paid by officers, and that the criminal was in the hands

On motion of Mr. DRYER, the report and bill were laid on the table. Mr. WOODSIDES introduced a bill to

incorporate the city of Salem.

Mr. WOODSIDES gave notice that he would introduce a bill authorizing the voters

an act to amend an act to regulate proceedings in actions at law in the supreme and

Mr. BROWN of Jackson gave notice that he would introduce a bill regulating and authorizing a system of rewards for the apprehension of criminals and fingitives from and authorizing a system of rewards for the apprehension of criminals and fugitives from

Mr. JEFFERS was opposed to the

Mr. CRANOR opposed the amendment. The amendment was lost.
Mr. SLATER offered another ame

January 8 After a short discussion, the

Council. - Mr. SHEIL from the special to be adjusted, here is the proper place for them to present their claims, and make their ington Territories, reported joint preamble and resolutions, requesting our delegate in Congress to urge upon that body to have the report by Dr. John Evans, of his geological survey of Oregon and Washington Territories published for the benefit of the

people on this coast.

The bill relocating a part of the Territorial road from Salem to Dayton, was referred to the committee on incorporations. Mr. DRAIN introduced a bill entitled

an act to provide for restraining stud-horses, jackasses, mules and ridgelings from running at large. Adjourned. House .- On motion of Mr. GATES, the previous question was reconsidered. On motion of Mr. DRYER, the word Thursday, the 17th, were inserted.

Mr. SLATER moved to lay the resolution on the table-lost. Mr. SHUCK. I'll move for an indefinite

postponement of that ar resolution-lost. Mr. WOODSIDES moved previous question-carried. The vote on the original resolution was as follows:

Yeas-Able, Brown of Linn, Brown of Jackson, Cox, Craner, Cooley, Cole, Dryer, Gates, Hayden, Hughes, Jeffers, Mack, Matthews, Rees, Spear, Whiteaker, Woodsides, Mr. Speaker—19.

Nays—Alien, Collard, Gilliland,
King, Shuck, Slater—7.

Mr. BUTLER presented the report of the superintendent of the Penitentiary .-Council.-The bill incorporating the From this report it is evident that either crime is on the increase, or that our officers ferent departments, but they referred us to ing was adopted: Resolved, That his Ex-

Council bill incorporating the Youth's

solved, That the clergymen of this city be On motion of Mr. DRAIN, the bill to in- invited by the Speaker to officiate as chap-

Mr. BROWN, of Jackson. I wish to make a few remarks on this resolution, not House.—Mr. King presented the petition of J. L. Hensley, praying relief, and indemnity for expenses incurred in pursuit of a not promote the legislation of my constituents, and they desired me to legislate. Religious exercises and legislation are distinct

Mr. DRYER said, I have preached to the people here without effect; now I wish relief of the Airgoose office-referred to the to bring others here to pray for the lost, and see if they cannot be converted.

Mr. MACK. As long as the gentlemen

wish to pray, I shall favor the resolution.

Mr. WOODSIDES. Some gentlemen are past praying for. There are a few hard nuts here, but the majority are virtuous and

will be saved. Mr. BROWN, of Jackson. I wish to be of a county officer, so that if the loss must be sustained, the county ought to bear it. understood in opposing this resolution as casting no reflection on religion, but from casting no reflection on religion, but from the political principle that church and state should be kept separate. Mr. SPEAR thought it was mockery, and

opposed the resolution. On motion of Mr. COLLARD, the reso lution was laid on the table.

Mr. DRYER offered the following resoluof road district No. 9, Marion county, to elect their own supervisor.

Mr. DK I ER onered the total of five be suppointed by this House, to whom shall be appointed by this House, to the Penis referred all matters pertaining to the Peni- ports hed been made, and every member of tentiary; said committee to proceed to Portland during the recess for the holidays; and the Council could see them before this elecdistrict courts. This bill proposes to allow the judgment debtor 12 months to redeem Penitentiary; said committee shall have

Mr. SHUCK moved to mend by strikin

out five and inserting three. Mr. COLE introduced the bill allowing a portion of the inhabitants of Donglas county to vote at the next election whether or not they will be suited with Land and inserting the most the walldity of claims in this matter, taking any one who follows the high seas from holding the office. Adjourned.

In the House.—Mr. WOODSIDES preing.

Mr. WHITEAKER introduced a bill to change the time allowed by law for making election returns. This bill proposes that the poll-books shall be returned to the board of county commissioners three days after the

Mr. WOODSIDES desired to withdraw his amendment changing the time of electing the officers to the 15th of January, stating that he was convinced by the reasons assigned by the mover of the resolution, that they ought to be elected forthwith.—
Withdrawal refused.

Mr. BROWN, of Jackson. I shall favor the original resolution, provided the powers are somewhat limited as to the amount to be spent in the employment of counsel. It has been decided by the Supreme court of the United States that Congressing the officers to the 15th of January, stating that he was convinced by the reasons are somewhat limited as to the amount to be spent in the employment of counsel. It has been decided by the Supreme court of the United States that Congressing the officers to the 15th of January, stating the officers to the 25th of January, stating the officers to the 25th of January, stating the officers to the 15th of January, stating the officers to the 25th of January, stating the officers to the 25th of January, stating the officers to the 15th of January, stating the officers to the amount to be spent in the employment of counsel. It has been decided by the Supreme court of the United States that Congress has no power to "prohibit" the "introduction" of slavery into the Territories, and whereas, slavery is tolerated by the Constitution of the United States, therefore, Resolved, That the "chair" appoint a "constitution of the United States that Congress has no power to "prohibit" the "introduction" of slavery into the Territories, and whereas, it has been decided by the Supreme court of the United States that Congress has no power to "prohibit" the "introduction" of slavery into the Territories, and the congress has no power to "prohibit" the "introduction" of slavery into the Territories, and the congress has no power to "prohibit" the "introduction" of slavery into the Territories, and the congre Mr. BROWN of Jackson said that he and intricacy of Penitentiary claims, I think necessary to protect the rights of persons favored the laying of the resolution on the it proper that this select committee should holding slaves in this "Territory. (Literal

Mr. BROWN of Jackson, moved to amend by a limitation of the usual mileage, and one dollar per diem extra for every day in actual session for the committee, and not over one

hundred dollars expenses for counsel.

Mr. WOODSIDES favored the appoint nent of the committee, with limitations.

Mr. CRANOR. If it be true that com mittees have been heretofore sent to Portland for this purpose, and have accomplished nothing, what would be the use of sending another? If claimants desire their accounts

proofs. I am opposed to the resolution as Mr. SPEAR. As I know of nothing of more interest to the people of my county than a report concerning the penitentiary, I shall vote for a resolution, especially as we intend to send more criminals there.

Mr. GATES. I have listened to the de bates, hoping to learn something, but have failed. It would be proper, I think, to apare necessary, but I will not vote to give a committee authority to employ counsel, and consider claims.

With the consent of the House, Mr. Dry er withdrew the resolution

Mr. HILL offered the following: Resolv ed that the Speaker appoint a committee of three to visit the penitentiary during the holidays, with a view to the establishing some system of management, and also to suggest some place to enlarge the penitentiary and also to make it a self-sustaining estabishment, and that the committee report as

oon as practicable.

Mr. GATES offered the following amond ment: The Council concurring, that there be a committee of two on the part of the House to act with a like committee of the

Mr. COLLARD introduced a bill ! amend the road law. Adjourned. WEDNESDAY, A. M., Dec. 16th, 1857 IN THE COUNCIL.—Mr. DRAIN offered a bill for the relief of W. L. White—refered

to committee on claims. Mr. DRAIN, from the committee on corporations, reported the bill to incorporate Sublimity Lodge, and recommended if any Passed, yeas 7, nays 1.

The bill to punish arson, highway ro berg and burglary with death, was referred to the Mr. WAIT introduced a bill to incorporate the Grand Lodge of Masons of Ore-

Mr. SHEIL introduced a bill for the relief of school district No. 32, Marion Co. The bill to change the Territorial road from Dayton to Salem, was read third time

bill. He knew nothing about it. Was there a petition? Mr. Scott thought there Mr. WAIT moved to read bill increasing the penalties for crimes a second time-

ing the law against chastity and decency be read a second time-adopted. Referred to

judiciary committee. On motion of Mr. WAIT the bills to extend the death penalty, increase other penalties, &c., were referred to committee of the whole, and made the special order for this afternoon.

The House resolution providing for a special committee on penitentiary was read. Mr. DRAIN moved to amend, so that the two houses should elect their committee instead of having it appointed by the pre-siding officer. He preferred but one on the part of the Conneil. It was expensive .-Mr. Cornelius preferred the appointment.— On motion of Mr. Wait, the resolution was

laid on the table. The House resolution providing for the election of officers on the 17th, was read .-Mr. Cornelius moved to amend by inserting 8th of January. Mr. Ford was not prepar-ed to vote on the 17th. He had not seen

the report of the penitentiary committee.

Mr. DRAIN said the report of that offier was before the house. Mr. Cornelius hadn't saw the report. Mr. WAIT saw no objection to the election on the 17th. The most important re-

vote for the resolution. The amendment of 8th was lost, yeas—Messrs. Cornelius, Ford, Scott—3. Nays, Messrs. Berry, Sheil, Drain, Wait, Mr.

Mr. SCOTT introduced a bill defining the qualifications of pilot commissioners—pro-hibiting any one who follows the high seas

not they will be united with Umpqua Co. it out of the hands of the standing commit- sented the report of the commissioners ap-Mr. HUGHES gave notice that he would tee. It is there that claimants should assert pointed to superintend the erection of a introduce a bill for the suppression of gam- their rights. I should favor a committee monument in memory of the Hon. S. R.

Mr. BROWN, of Jackson. I shall favor Whereas, It has been decided by the Su-

favored the laying of the resolution on the table, on the ground that he was not acquainted with the candidates, but since then he had heard the reports of the officers, and was satisfied that they were competent, and now he would support the original resolution, and vote against the amendment.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. SLATER offered to amend the resolution by inserting January 14th for the indications processory for the increased page.

It is proper that this select committee should be appointed, and that counsel, if necessary ly as presented.—Ref. Mr. WOODSIDES. I call upon the gen their judgment, should be employed.

Mr. ABLE. From the number of claims respecting the penitentiary, it is apparent there would be much business referred to them. The indications justify me in believing the people of the Territory. (Literally as presented.—Ref.)

Mr. WOODSIDES. I call upon the gen the decision of the supreme court there would be much business referred to them. The indications justify me in believing that it is necessary for a committee to prohibits Congress from legislating on the prohibits. The gentleman need not expect to make the grounds and see what improvement are necessary for the increased page.