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LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 6.—In the Senate, Mr. Hays presented a petition from the residents of New Jersey, calling the attention of the Legislature to the condition of the ferries plying between New York and New Jersey, asking for the passage of an act requiring all ferry companies, special attention to the Hoboken ferries to have at least one boat capable of breaking through the ice. The petition calls and asks for a committee to examine said ferries. Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation. Ludlam presented a memorial from the banks of the State in regard to taxes. Referred to Committee on Finance. An act to validate certain agreements made by the railroad companies running a line between New York and Philadelphia was reported. Clark introduced further supplement to charter of Elizabeth and Newark Horse Car Railroad company; to incorporate the Coal Railroad company. Ludlam moved that the Senate take up the veto of his Excellency, the Governor, to a further supplement to an act for the punishment of crime (allowing a person accused of bribery to testify in his own behalf). The motion was agreed to and the message was read. The question shall this bill pass notwithstanding the objections was put by the President. Messrs. Wurts, Richey and Little spoke in favor of the veto, and Mr. Winfield opposed it, and the bill was passed over the veto by a vote of 12 to 9. An act to regulate the rates of transportation of coal and other articles on the railroads of the State; to incorporate Ocean, Cranberry county; further supplement to act to encourage societies for the promotion of learning; supplement to act to provide for the government of this State, and to fix the salaries of officers were ordered third reading. An act to incorporate New Brunswick City Railroad company; supplement to act to regulate the Court of Chancery; further supplement to act concerning landlords and tenants (repealing the law which makes the length of notice to quit the same as the period between the payment of rents), were passed.

In the House Mr. A. P. Condit presented a petition relating to the condition of the ferry [illegible] between New Jersey and New York. W. M. Hill offered a resolution that Senate bills not amended by the House may, after their second reading, on the same day, be taken up on suspension of the rules, on their third readings—Agreed to.—Pickel introduced an act to ascertain the [illegible] entitled to the right of suffrage. Vail moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the bill authorizing the borrowers and lenders of money in Union county to make contract for the payment of taxes on mortgage loans, was passed. He said that he had known a large number of the people of Union county, both borrowers and lenders, were in favor of a law of this kind. On motion of Mr. Runyon, the bill was laid on the table. An act to authorize School District No. 1, of Plainfield, to raise money to build a new school house [illegible] the bonds to be issued from taxation was ordered third reading. Morris, Ward and Moses, reported a further supplement to the act concerning taxes. A supplement to the act to revise the charter of the city of Rahway; to facilitate judicial proceedings in Union county were passed.

MONDAY, Feb. 11.—The President laid before the Senate the report of the Soldiers Childrens' Home of New Jersey. The receipts up to January 1, were $21,304 26. Expenditures, $7,011 00. Balance in money, goods and real estate $14,293 26. Report was received and referred to the committee on Printing.—Clark, a statement of the affairs of Rahway Savings Institution. "An act for the preservation of cruelty to animals was taken up on its second reading. The bill was opposed by Senators Clark, Wurts and Richey and was postponed. An act to incorporate a society for the relief of respectable aged women; an act to apprehend, convict and punish disorderly persons, were ordered third reading.

In the House Nixon, Judiciary, reported the act amendatory to the act to regulate sales of real estate, requiring notices of sales to be inserted in two of the newspapers published nearest to the place in the county in which the lands are situated. Morris, Education, reported that the Committee on Education had conferred with the Senate Committee and the Board of Education in reference to the revision of the School laws, and had agreed to report the bill now before the Senate.—Bail introduced an act to amend the charter of Elizabeth; Morris, further supplement to act concerning taxes.

TUESDAY, Feb. 12, 1867.—In the Senate a bill to facilitate judicial proceedings in Union county; to incorporate the American and European News company; supplement to the charter of Rahway; to change the name of the Baptist Church and Congregation of Plainfield; supplement to encourage societies for the promotion of learning, were reported.—Ludlam introduced a further supplement to act concerning taxes (taxing the stock of National Banks at the rate of 1-2 of 1 per cent for the benefit of the School Fund); a further supplement to act respecting the office of State Treasurer (authorizing the employment of a clerk at the salary of $1,000 per annum.) An act to incorporate the Dime Savings institution and after being amended was ordered to a third reading. To incorporate Elizabeth Steam Agricultural Manufacturing company; an act to validate, certain agreements made between the railroad companies running a line between New York and Philadelphia. (The bill was amended by adding a provision to the second section, that the exclusive privileges granted to the Camden and Amboy Railroad company shall not be extended by this act,) were ordered third reading. A further supplement to act to incorporate societies for the promotion of learning; a further supplement to act to provide for the support of the government of this State and to fix the salaries of the officers of the State were passed.

In the House the bill to enable the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank of Rahway to close business was reported. The greater part of the morning session was occupied in the presentation of the portrait of Abraham Lincoln. Runyon introduced a bill to incorporate the Plainfield Quarry company.

Considerable discussion was had on the bill to allow borrowers of money in Union county to pay taxes as well as the [illegible]. The bill was indefinitely postponed. An act to appoint commissioners to lay out streets, avenues and squares in Elizabeth, and to incorporate the Workingmen's Union Protective Society of Elizabethport, were passed. The supplement to the act to [illegible] the county of Union was made a special order for tomorrow (Wednesday).

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UNION COUNTY SURROGATES Office, December 27th, 1866.—John B. Edgar and Cornelius H. Edgar, Executors of William Edgar, deceased. [illegible] ROBERTS GREEN, Surrogate.
January 17, 1867-2m.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.—All persons concerned may take notice that the subscribers, administrators with the will annexed, of the estate of Moses Ritter, deceased, will exhibit their final account to the judges of the Orphans' Court for the county of Union, in the term of April next ensuing, for settlement and allowance, the same being first stated by the Surrogate.
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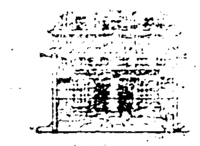

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UNION COUNTY SURROGATES Office, December 27th, 1866.—Thomas M. Martin, Administrator of Robert Martin, deceased. Surrogate's order to limit Creditors. On application of the above named Administrator, it is ordered that said Administrator give Public Notice to the Creditors of the estate of said decedent, to bring in their debts, demands or claims against the same, under oath, within nine months from this date, by setting up a copy of this Order, within twenty days hereafter, in five of the most public places in the County of Union, for two months, and also within the said twenty days, by advertising the same in the Rahway National Democrat for the same space of time; and if any Creditor shall neglect to exhibit his or her debt, demand or claim, within the said period of nine months, public notice being given as aforesaid, such Creditor shall forever be barred of his or her action therefor against the said Administrator.
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NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.
The persons concerned are hereby notified that I shall present for settlement the estate of Timothy Pierson, Jr., late of Rahway, deceased, to the Surrogate of Union County, for the county of Union, at his office in Elizabeth, on the second day of April next, when and where all persons interested in said estate may attend if they think proper.
WILLIAM TAPPEN,
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Dated January 19th, 1867-5th. 3w.

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