

Legislative.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 22

We condense the following from the proceedings of our legislature.

SENATE.—After the morning business was through, Mr. Gosby gave notice of the introduction of the following bills:

An act to appropriate money for the suppression of Indian hostilities on the northern frontier of the State.

An act to appropriate money for the construction of a wagon road from the Sacramento Valley to Shasta.

Jan. 23d.—The Assembly informed the Senate that they had yesterday passed a Joint Resolution to go into Joint Convention, on Saturday next at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of electing a United States Senator. Mr. Hawks moved to take up the message.

Mr. Lipponcott introduced the following substitute:

Whereas The Senate deem the election of a U. S. Senator during the present session of the Legislature, inexpedient and contrary to the wishes of a majority of the people of the State of California, and further agitation of the question as not only unnecessary but calculated to divert the time and attention of the Senate from useful legislation, therefore *Be it resolved*, that the consideration of the whole subject matter of a Joint Convention by the two Houses of this Legislature, the election of a U. S. Senator, to succeed the Hon. Wm. M. Gwin, whose term of office expired on the 3d of March, 1855, and all bills of any character relating to said convention, which have already passed, or may pass hereafter, which may originate in this body or the Assembly, be postponed till January 1st, 1857.

A lengthy discussion ensued and the substitute adopted, by a vote of 19 to 17, and finally passed by a vote of 18 to 15, several opposed voting in the affirmative in order to move a reconsideration.

The motion to reconsider was indefinitely postponed by a vote of 19 to 14.

Jan. 25th. Mr. Hutzler gave notice

