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THE CHICAGO CONVENTION.

Washington, February 23.—Representative

Horace Davis today introduced a bill

providing that from and after its enactment

a customs duty of one cent shall be

imposed and collected upon sugar and

arrowroot, and upon coffee, and upon

arrowroot, four, and upon a variety

of tobacco, such as cigars, and all

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Chicago 8, St. Louis 4, Washington, and

blank 1 each. The selection of Cincinnati was made

unanimously. A committee was appointed to confer with

the Cincinnati Committee on Arrangements.

There was some discussion about harmonizing

the New York factions, but no result

was reached. The committee will prepare a call to-mor-

row.

Grant's Return.

NEW ORLEANS, February 23.—General

Grant, replying to a letter from Acting-Me-

mor, in a letter today to report to the

City Council on his visit to the

State of Louisiana, says: "If there are good

reasons for my return to the Pacific coast I

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