

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

RESOLUTIONS OF HENRY.—A number of merchants assembled in the Secretary's office at the Commercial Exchange this morning to take some action in relation to the proposed bill...

Philip H. Mingle, Esq., was called to the chair, and Mr. Stephen T. Souther appointed Secretary.

The following resolutions, submitted by Mr. E. G. Cattell, were unanimously adopted:—

Resolved, That the telegraph announces to us the sad intelligence of the death of Mr. Edward G. James.

Resolved, That the members of the Commercial Exchange have learned with deep sorrow that a tax may be levied upon the business of our city.

Resolved, That a committee of five merchants be appointed to tender to the Governor, as a memorial to the Legislature in this day of their affliction.

Resolved, That the committee be requested to telegraph to Chicago the proceedings of this meeting.

The Chair appointed the following committee:—Messrs. E. G. Cattell, D. N. Wetzer, Charles Knecht, Samuel L. Ward, and E. A. Souder.

HESTER YERGAN.—This unfortunate woman, who is well remembered, was sent back to England last year by the Governor, having arrived in this country, and has written to her friends here stating that she is in great destitution, and asking them for assistance.

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DOMESTIC AFFAIRS.

Indian Hostilities—News from the Plains—Deaths from Yellow Fever in New York.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Advices from the Plains. Despatch in the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, June 23.—The following was received at the Indian Bureau this morning:—

OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, LAWRENCE, KANSAS, 6th month, 19th day.—Hon. E. S. Parker.—A party from General Hazen arrived at Ellsworth on the 12th instant, and will return to-morrow, taking down Agent Darlington to the Cheyenne reservation.

They report that there is no danger from hostile Indians, as none were seen in coming up. Two men were killed twenty miles north of Salina, at Minneapolis, near the Solomon, on the 13th, and several Indians were seen south of the railroad on the 14th instant. There are no other reports of note.

ENOSH HOAG, Superintendent.

Secretary Boutwell's Appointments. Secretary Boutwell was besieged with visitors on his return to the Treasury Department this morning, and his office presented a scene of more activity than has been shown for some weeks.

There is a great anxiety to know who will be appointed Assistant Treasurer in place of Van Dyck, but up to 1 o'clock no announcement had been made. The Secretary will have an interview with the President during the afternoon, when the appointment will be determined.

Removals. A number of female clerks were removed from the office of the Comptroller of the Currency this morning.

Interviews with the President. General James Watson Webb, Thomas Adamson, Jr., United States Consul at Honolulu, Senator Cole, and several members of the House of Representatives, had interviews with the President this morning.

Fractional Currency. It is not yet certain that the new fractional currency notes will be ready by the 1st of July, some doubts being expressed at the department that it can be issued so soon.

FROM NEW YORK.

The Yellow Fever. NEW YORK, June 23.—Arrived, barque M. V. Hugg, from Matanzas. There are two cases of yellow fever on board.

Two more deaths occurred in the Saratoga crew.

Fatal Airway-Fire. NORFOLK, June 23.—At Franklin, Va., a station on the Seaboard and Roanoke Railroad, an affray occurred last evening, in which a negro was mortally shot by a white man named Holland.

At midnight the negroes collected, and attempted to force an entrance into Holland's house, but were driven off. A few hours later the negroes fired and totally destroyed the sawmill and lumber yard of Neely Brothers, whose loss is estimated at \$20,000.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Clippings from our Transatlantic Exchanges. We make the following extracts from a bulget of foreign exchanges:—

BRITISH PRESS. The London Advertiser asks what will be the result if Mr. Gladstone should create a new peerage.

The immediate effect, we know, will be to carry the Irish Church bill. But there can be no doubt that the translation of a man of wealth out of the general mass into the peculiar members of the House of Lords has a tendency to make him a "conservative."

Lord Grey began to make liberal peers. Lord Melbourne followed him, then Lord John Russell and Lord Palmerston. These four Whigs created 123 peers in the course of the last thirty-five years.

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FRENCH NEWS. On the person of a prisoner lately taken to Dublin we find the following account:—

He is a Frenchman, calling upon his countryman to join the Irish army. The following paper was also found upon him:—

Soldiers of the R. Catholic, your services are required in order to carry out the duties of the army. You must obey your countrymen—take arms, and enter into the ranks. You must be ready to march at all times, and to fight when called upon.

FRANCE AND PRUSSIA. The Paris Presse says that several papers, in enumerating the artillery force of Prussia, have declared that it consists of 8000 guns, and that that of France is numerically inferior.

Without entering now into the comparative merits of the two countries, it may, perhaps, be allowed to remark that France possesses a total of 8400 guns, the bulk of which are new rifles, and of the pieces which have been altered, and that our artillery enjoys a very high reputation in Europe.

THE ITALIAN ARMY. A scheme has just been laid before the Italian Chamber by the Minister for War for the reorganization of the Italian army.

There will be an active army and a reserve. The yearly contingent will consist of three divisions, the first to serve twelve years, the second and third to serve five years in reserve; and the second and third to serve three years only.

The cavalry will serve five years in the active army, and the third the reserve. The privilege of pointing substitutes is abolished, but exemption by payment is still to be allowed in exceptional cases.

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General John W. Geary Renominated for Governor of Pennsylvania.

Henry W. Williams for Judge of the Supreme Court.

Continued from the First Edition. At 2 o'clock the delegates began assembling, and at 20 minutes thereafter the convention was again called to order.

The report of the Committee on Credentials was first in order.

The chairman of this committee being absent called on for his report, the committee awaited his return.

Pending his appearance, the delegate from Westmoreland sent the following resolution to the Chairman:—

Resolved, That Hon. Galusha A. Grow, in the discharge of his duties as Chairman of the State Central Committee, and for his labors in behalf of Republican ideas and principles, is entitled to the gratitude of the Republican party.

After some discussion, the resolution was allowed to be read, and was unanimously agreed to.

Mr. Grow replied to it in a few words of thanks.

At this point the report of the Committee on Organization was called for, when Mr. John Dickinson, its Chairman, read the name of James L. Graham, of Allegheny county, for Chairman of the Convention.

The announcement was hailed with applause. The remainder of the officers were then read, as follows:—

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SECRETARIES. 1. Thomas Noble. 16.