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TELEGRAPHIC.

5 O'CLOCK P. M.

CASH GROCERY.

THE NEWS.

A Battle With the Nez Percés at Cow Island.

It is Supposed they are Endeavoring to Get into British Country.

Lt. Bullis With 100 Men Crosses the Mexican Frontier.

The Bankers and Business Men of New York Propose to Go Back on Part of the Action of the Republican Convention.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE U. P. ROBBERS.

Omaha, Sept. 29.—The gold taken from the bodies of Comings and Bass, Union Pacific train robbers, who were killed at Buffalo, Kansas, arrived here today. The amount is nineteen thousand five hundred dollars. It is probable that they had originally one third of the whole amount stolen.

SENATOR MORTON.
Cincinnati, Sept. 29.—Advices from Senator Morton this noon, states there has been no change since last night. The visit of Secretary Thompson and Senator McDonald yesterday, did him good rather than harm.

CROSSING THE FRONTIER.
New Orleans, Sept. 29.—A Galveston News special, says Lt. Bullis with one hundred men has crossed into Mexico, near Saragossa, in pursuit of horse thieves. No particulars received.

INDIAN NEWS.
Chicago, Sept. 29.—A telegram from Benton, Mont., says the Nez Percés attacked the rifle pits at Cow Island, at sundown on the 23d inst., making seven charges and fighting till 10 o'clock next morning when they left, probably for the Milk river. Sunday night they burned the freight pile, containing thirty tons of government and twenty tons of private freight. Citizens Weimer and Walker were wounded seriously in the fight. It is believed the hostiles are making their way to the British Possessions.

THE SITTING BULL COMMISSIONERS have arrived at Benton, but owing to the absence of troops necessary for an escort will not leave before the first prox.

ADMITTED TO JAIL.
Pittsburg, Sept. 29.—General Pearson arrested on the charge of murder in connection with the late riots, had a hearing in the criminal court this morning on application for his release on bail. Several witnesses were examined for the prosecution, all of whom testified they distinctly heard the order given to fire, but most of the witnesses would not swear positively that Pearson gave the order. The counsel for the defense said they would offer no evidence at present. The court directed Pearson to enter bail to the amount of \$10,000 for his appearance at the present term of court.

NEW YORK.

POLITICAL.

New York, Sept. 29.—The republican merchants and bankers propose to hold a mass meeting to make what is termed a public disavowal of the state convention stack on the administration of President Hayes and its republican supporters.

BOSS TWEED.
New York, Sept. 29.—Tweed was before the aldermanic committee today, promised to give in the statement submitted to Attorney General Fairchild, as soon as he is through testifying. He said that Abraham Dischecker, formerly police commissioner, and Apper, assistant secretary of state, was on his private pay roll. He reiterates the assertion that corrupt contracts were made with tradesmen, whereby the city was plundered. Suits the city had good cause of an action for damages against these, and that there was an organization in the legislature known as the "Black Horse Cavalry," which voted solid, any way for pay, that the Albany Evening Journal was subsidized by payments which were a constant dribble. He did not think there ever was an honest election in New York. Adjourned.

STATEMENT.
New York, Sept. 29.—Reserve decrease \$1,613,075.

FIRES.
IN GOLDSBORO.
Goldboro, Sept. 29.—Campbell & Co's hardware establishment, and Powell & Sons store burned. Loss \$40,000. Insured.

A SAW MILL.
Memphis, Sept. 29.—At three o'clock this morning a fire was discovered in the saw mill of R. L. Cochran & Co., destroying a large quantity of lumber, together with a box factory. Loss estimated at \$12,000, insurance \$7,000. It is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

CRIME.

FATALLY STABBED.

New York, Sept. 29.—Levi Jacobs, aged 17, was fatally stabbed by John Betz during a quarrel near their home in Brooklyn. MURDERED WITH A STILETTO.
Rocco Pelino and Luigi Percego quarreled about a debt of fifteen piastros, and Pelino killed Percego with a stiletto in the belly.

FOREIGN.

GEN. GRANT.

London, Sept. 29.—Gen. Grant was today presented with an address by the corporation of Leamington, and dined with the mayor. He spoke of the relations between England and America, and looked forward to their going hand in hand as honorable rivals in producing what is necessary for the comfort and support of man.

WAR ITEMS.
The Times, strongly pro-Russian, prints prominently, "It is said, that the Turkish soldiers have received strict orders not to fire at the Russian general, for fear that he should be killed or disabled and replaced."

The wounded from Plevna overcrowd the Russian hospitals, and suffer much in their transit to Russia.

The Times says the end of the campaign must be near, and it promises at present something like a drawn battle. The powers will then attempt to avert another campaign by diplomacy.

LATEST BY MAIL.

W. M. Woodcock has been appointed collector of internal revenue for the Nashville (Tenn.) district.

Lucius G. Northrop has been appointed United States district attorney for South Carolina, vice William Stone, removed.

The president has signed the commission of William M. Upton, of Oregon, to be second controller of the treasury, from the 1st of October.

Cardinal Riarisforza, who was believed by many to have the best chance of succeeding Pius IX, is dangerously ill and has received the last sacraments.

Bennett, Schenck & Earle, for 7 years in the tea business in New York, but now cigar manufacturers, have failed. Their liabilities are about \$150,000; assets unknown.

A telegram received from an official source in Yeddo, says the rebellion in Japan is ended. The chief of the rebels, Saigo, Murada, and Kirino committed suicide on the 24th inst.

Secretary Schurz has appointed a committee to make investigation into the cause of the late fire. The commissioner of patents thinks about 87,000 models were burned. Exclusive of about 17,000 models on which no patents had been granted.

Newspapers announce that in consequence of the large concentration of Russian troops and the difficulty of obtaining supplies on account of bad weather, Mehemet Ali on the 24th commenced retreating to his former positions on the Kora Lom.

Ex-Senator Boutwell, who was appointed last spring a commissioner to prepare a new edition of the revised statutes, has progressed much more rapidly in his work than was expected, and will have his copy complete in manuscript by the first of next January.

At Goraksha the Montenegrins took 300 regular prisoners and captured 3 cannons and 500 rifles. The Montenegrins have also occupied Piva, captured Fort Cerkvica and now hold the whole territory as far as Fatsha. They have lately burned Bielka and surrounding villages, after attending the sick, wounded and non-combatants to Treburgi.

Henry B. Payne made a campaign speech at Sandersky Thursday night. He appealed to the workmen and greenbackers to work with the democratic party in defense of legal tender notes. He related his knowledge of the electoral commission and its creation and functions. He said the democratic congressmen fully believed Judge Davis would be appointed the fifth man on the commission when they voted for the law, otherwise he affirmed, the electoral bill would never have been reported to the house.

Last winter Senator Merrimon introduced a resolution in the senate, which was passed, directing the librarian of congress to compile and index the journals, acts, and resolutions of the continental congress. At present in the edition that was printed thirty years ago, the proceedings fill thirteen large volumes, containing much matter that is of no value whatever. An abridgement has therefore been commenced by Librarian Spafford, and will fill about three octavo volumes.

Alexander H. Stephens in speaking of the president's policy and his reception in the south, said: "He has made grand strides in doing away with 'north and south' and putting aside the barriers between the two sections and in assuaging the bitter feelings engendered by the war. His course so far receives my entire support and approval. I think that Mr. Hayes has done more for the pacification of the country under the doctrine of home rule than Mr. Tilden could have done had he been inaugurated."

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Sioux City Journal, Sept. 28.

The daily receipts and the price of wheat keep at about the same figures—1,000 bushels at 90 cents.

We are gratified to be able to report that the cases of scarlet fever which have been giving some little alarm in different parts of town are disappearing, and there is no fear that the disease will spread beyond the limits it has already attained.

John O'Keefe, who was arrested at Newcastle, Neb., recently for attempted violence upon the person of Miss Martha Smith, has jumped the country and left for parts unknown. It is pretty generally acknowledged in that vicinity that he was guilty of all that was charged against him.

The blood on the sidewalk at the corner of Douglas and Second has been accounted for. A man who came down on the steamer Victory was last Tuesday night relieved of \$35 by some of the hangers-on in that locality while he was drunk. He afterwards applied to the watchman of the Sioux City and Pacific railroad for permission to sleep in a freight car, which was refused him. He then commenced talking about his adventure, and, jerking a dark knife swore that he would run it into the man who did the job for him—and he did, the flick taking effect in the cheek. He met him at the corner and split about what he thought was \$35 worth of blood. No arrests.

Springfield Times, Sept. 27th.

The Indians are sorely put out because under recent orders, no person is allowed to sell them ammunition. They beg like good fellows for a little powder and shot, but the fates are against them.

Hon. A. J. Mills brought into town the other day some of the richest and largest onions grown from the seed that we have seen this season. He raised about ninety bushels and intends shipping them up country soon.

Mr. Buschett, who lives on Snatch creek, threshed five hundred and twenty bushels of wheat, machine measure, raised from 23½ bushels of seed. We call that a pretty good return for the capital invested. Mr. Dunwoodie also threshed 32 bushels to the acre from his crop of about forty acres.

James Slater, stepson of Fred Wells, E. q., aged about 14 years, was kicked by a horse Saturday evening last, and quite seriously injured. He was in the act of stepping up on the front wheel of the wagon when the horse kicked, striking him in the forehead and stomach. We failed to learn the extent of the injuries sustained by the boy, but trust they may not be serious.

The people of Tabor and vicinity are rejoiced over the fact that they now have a resident pastor in the person of Rev. Josef Krizek. Peter Ulrich writes us as follows concerning the matter:

"The Rev. Krizek came from Bohemia lately and is missioned permanently to the diocese of Tabor by the bishop of St. Paul, Minn. The Catholics here are jubilant of having procured in Mr. K. a highly educated minister for their beautiful church, and will erect him a nice pastorate of brick immediately."

Hall's fire and burglar proof safes are the best in existence. Took the prize medal at the centennial. More Hall's safes in use than any other. W. B. Towne, special agent, has appointed W. H. Wasson & Co. agents for Yankton and Dakota. One of the finest of Hall's safes have been ordered by W. H. W. & Co., grocers, Capital street, Yankton.

WASHBURNE.

A Correspondent Has a Talk with the Ex-Minister on French Affairs.
Special Dispatch to the Chicago Tribune.

New York, Sept. 22.—Ex-Minister Washburne, accompanied by his wife and daughters, left this city to-night for his home in Galena. In regard to the recent manifesto of Marshal MacMahon, Mr. Washburne said to a representative of the World: "It must have intensified the feeling throughout France, and taken together with the imprisonment of Gambetta, I think it will add greatly to the excitement which was prevalent at the time I left. The position that I occupied towards the French government, where my relations have always been very friendly under all of the five forms of government, which existed during the eight years of my residence in France, disinclines me to make any special comments upon the political contest now so unhappily raging in that country."

As to the result of the impending election Mr. Washburne said: "It is impossible for me to give a judgment of my own, but in the last conversation I had with M. Thiers that great statesman, who knew France better than any man living, assured me that the republicans, instead of electing the 363 former deputies, would elect the whole 400. In a very recent conversation which I had with Gambetta he expressed the same opinion. On the other hand the government party expressed the hope of success, or at any rate they professed to believe that they could reduce the republican strength so much that the moderate left would hold the balance of power, which would curb any republican majority that might be elected."

In answer to the question, "What would be the effect of an overwhelming defeat of the republicans or of the government party?" Mr. Washburne replied: "No one can foretell. I have lived long enough in France to understand that it is extremely unsafe to venture any predictions as to future political events."

As to the effect of the confirmation of the higher court of the sentence on Gambetta, Mr. Washburne made the same answer, adding, "Let us hope that the effect will not be what many people in France will see can be feared."

Mr. Washburne is of opinion that M. Jules Grévy will assume the leadership of the republican party, and described him as an able and honest man, and an original and sincere republican, a man in whom the country has very justly great confidence.

Mr. Washburne said it was true that he had helped to dissuade Gen. Grant from visiting Paris, and he had done so because there the feeling against the government is extremely bitter, and it was feared that any such demonstration as Gen. Grant's visit would have given rise to what might be made the excuse for such an outbreak as is feared to be inevitable sooner or later. In his opinion the danger of the present crises has not been commonly exaggerated. The crisis exists, and will not end without a very severe settlement.

Mr. Washburne described the general condition of France prosperous in the extreme. The crops this year were usually abundant. This is especially true of the vine crop, which gives promise of a crop equal to that of 1865. The working classes, too, are generally well off. Commerce flourishes, and the only one cause of universal dread and anxiety is the black political shadow which darkens the otherwise cloudless horizon of the most beautiful of European lands.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Sept. 29.

WHEAT—irregular; cash higher; options lower; 1.18 for cash; 1.06 bid for October.

CORN—steady and easier; 42½ for cash or October.

OATS—firmer; 23½ for cash or October.

RYE—53½c.

BARLEY—easier; 60½c.

PORK—weak, easy; 13.00 for cash; 12.00 for the year.

LARD—weak, lower; 8.05 for cash; 8.30 for the year.

WHISKEY—8.

YANKTON PRODUCE MARKET.

BUYERS' GRAIN PRICES.

Wheat, 77¢
Oats, 25¢
Barley, 25¢
Rye, 50¢
Flax, per bushel, 85¢

RETAIL PRICES.

Corn, shelled, per 56 lbs., 50 cts.
Corn, ear, per 56 lbs., 50 cts.
Oats, new per 32 lbs., 30 cts.
Barley, per 48 lbs., 40 cts.
Rye, per 48 lbs., 40 cts.
Flour, patent, per 100 lbs., 4.40
Flour, Pearl White, per 100 lbs., 4.30
Flour, Le Seuer, per 100 lbs., 4.10
Flour, Rye, per 100 lbs., 3.60
Flour, Graham, per 100 lbs., 3.75
Butter, per lb., 20 cts.
Eggs, per doz., 12½ cts.
Potatoes, per bushel, 40 cts.
Onions per bushel, 25 cts.
Green Apples, per bu., 84½ cts.
Sweet Potatoes, per bu., 6 cts.

Special Notices.

TAKEN UP.

By the subscriber, on his premises, at the Summer Garden, near Yankton, two white dogs. The owner can have them by proving property and paying damages. AUGUST KUNZE, Yankton, D. T., Aug. 30, 1877.

NOTICE.

On and after this date the Scotland and Fire-steel stage will start from A. W. Lavender's store, 3rd street, Yankton. For express or passage, apply to A. W. Lavender.

TO REPUBLICANS.

The Yankton County Republican Committee will meet next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock p. m., at the Press and Dakotian office, in the city of Yankton. Every member is earnestly requested to be present. F. J. DEWITT, Chairman.

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

Three Horses Lost.
On the 19th of August, in Hutchinson county, 25 miles from Yankton, one light brown horse, medium size, 8 years old; one bay horse, 7 years old; one dark brown mare, 6 years old. Any person delivering the horses or giving information where they can be found, at the store of Jacob Max, Yankton, will receive fifty dollars reward. JOHN ELWEI.

YANKTON ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER NO. 1.
Will meet in stated communication in Masonic Hall, Wednesday, October 17th, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of constituting said chapter and installing the officers. Members of the Chapter will take due notice and govern themselves accordingly. All R. A. Masons not members are invited to attend.
By order of L. D. PARMER, Acting High Priest.

NOTICE TO CITY TAX-PAYERS.
CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, Yankton, D. T., Sept. 22, 1877.
Notice is hereby given, that the tax list of the city of Yankton, for the year of 1877, is now in my hands for collection, and that I will attend at my office, corner of Broadway and Third street, in the city of Yankton, during the hours from 10 to 12 o'clock a. m., and from 2 to 4 o'clock p. m., of each day, to receive such taxes.

All persons owing taxes for the year of 1877 are requested to call and pay the same without delay.
A. SCHLAEDEL, City Treasurer and Collector.

CITY COUNCIL'S RESOLUTION.
Be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Yankton:

Section 1. That it is, and is hereby declared to be necessary, that a sidewalk shall be constructed on the east side of Cedar street, in the city of Yankton, as follows: Commencing on Third street, on the northeast corner of Cedar street and Third street; thence along the east side of Cedar street to the south side of Fourth street, the same being in front of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 & 9, in block 25, Central Yankton.

Sec. 2. That said sidewalk shall be constructed of wood, of the width provided by ordinance, and be made of the material and in the manner provided by the ordinance of said city, except that the outer edge of said sidewalk shall be laid two feet from the curb line of said Cedar street.

Sec. 3. This resolution shall be published for four consecutive weeks in the Press and Dakotian newspaper, the official paper of said city of Yankton.

Passed September 17, 1877.
E. T. WHITE, City Clerk.
Approved September 18, 1877.
N. J. CRAMER, Mayor pro tem.

TAILORING.
CAVALIER has received his Fall and Winter Stock of Merchant Tailoring Goods.

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If you want Pure Coffee,

If you want Pure Spices,

If you want Good Flour

If you want 16 ozs. to the lb.

If you want stand'rd Goods

If you want full Measure

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From 30 to 40 per cent.

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amine our stock before throwing away your

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