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It did more, but no more noble work, in foiling the wicked effort to divide this great nation into opposing factions; and if Jackson's shade revisits the earth, he feels a great satisfaction at the downfall of secession, as when he struggled nullification. Emancipated millions of bondmen, were not only made free from their chains, but led up into the glorious sunburst of liberty; and given the freeman's weapon of defence—the ballot—with which to protect their rights and assert their manhood. The commerce of the country, crippled by foreign sympathizers who dreaded our growing power, is being fostered into its old proportions; home industry was never more active and flourishing, and laborers or mechanics more generally employed, or better paid. Burdened with debt, the infliction of secession, public obligations are met, and yet the requisite taxation is not more than the people are willing to pay as the ransom of their country.

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Choose some other key note, we say to the *Why*, one indicating love of peace, and recognition of facts. There is work for all, and if you and your party will not unite with us in our labors for the reformation of existing evils, and perfecting results of accomplished revolution, work in that direction yourselves, and we will bid you "God speed."

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LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK ITEMS.

More Victims of the Westfield Disaster!

DEATHS FROM YELLOW FEVER!

NO CHOLERA IN NEW YORK!

The Louisiana Republican Convention!

Trial of the Communists!

A HEAVY INSURANCE CASE DECIDED!

A FATAL GUNPOWDER EXPLOSION!

Another Railroad Accident!

IMPORTANT VICTORIES FOR CUBANS!

The Montana Elections!

U. S. GRANT.

THE LOUISIANA REPUBLICAN CONVENTION ORGANIZED—ATTEMPT AT A "BOLTING" CONVENTION.

New Orleans, August 9.—The Republican State Convention was well organized this morning with Barch as temporary chairman.

Warrenton led his forces out of the Convention, and is attempting to hold a "bolting" Convention. He took with him a delegation from only three or four parishes that were regularly elected. Most of his adherents entitled to seats remained.

A guard of soldiers was in the building to protect public property and prevent a riot by a mob that desired admission.

THE "BOLTERS" ORGANIZE.

New Orleans, Aug. 9.—At an early hour this morning a large crowd of whites and blacks assembled around the customhouse, where the Republican convention convened. About 9 o'clock two companies of the Nineteenth United States Infantry, with two Gatling guns, under Captain Jewett, arrived. The troops marched in and stacked arms in the hall, at the head of the steps, on Canal street. Large numbers of deputy United States marshals closely guarded every entrance. No one was permitted to enter without a ticket from Marshal Packard.

At half-past 10 o'clock Governor Warmouth, accompanied by Senators Pinchback and about eighty followers, some with and some without tickets, entered the building and endeavored to pass to the hall. They were stopped by the deputy marshals and informed that no one would be permitted to pass in until the hour arrived for opening the convention. The Governor expressed indignation, and mounting a chair said: "Having been refused admittance to the hall designated by the central committee for holding a convention, I propose we now adjourn to Turner's Hall and hold a convention there."

His speech was received with cheers and a few hisses.

Governor Warmouth descended from his chair, proceeded to enter his carriage. The crowd took out his horses and dragged the vehicle triumphantly through the streets to Turner's Hall.

At 12 o'clock the convention was called to order, and Mr. Master, of Carroll parish, elected temporary chairman.

Governor Warmouth, Senator Pinchback, General Campbell, and Judge Dibley were in full interference of the United States authorities.

The last named characterized the customhouse convention as a body of administration favorites, guarded by bayonets and lawless tyranny.

Senator Pinchback said: "It is possible we are to be pulled down by the government we have sustained? If that be the case, the sooner this government is torn down and a monarchy built upon its ruins, the better."

A permanent organization was then had, with Senator Pinchback as president.

The convention then adjourned until 7 o'clock this evening, to meet again at Turner's Hall.

Marshal Packard called the customhouse convention to order at 12 o'clock. J. Henry Burch, colored, of Baton Rouge, was elected temporary chairman.

A temporary organization followed with Lieutenant-Governor Dunn as chairman.

FINAL ADJOURNMENT.

New Orleans, Aug. 9.—In the customhouse convention, the committee on credentials reported for Warmouth, delegates in several parishes, and five out of fifteen of the city ward speeches were delivered by Postmaster Lowell, Dunn, Carter, Ingraham, Hardey, and others. All were exceedingly bitter on Warmouth, and the majority pronounced him recreant to every trust and an enemy to the Republican party.

The committee reported resolutions guaranteeing a place in free schools to every child; approving the limitation of the State debt to twenty-five millions; calling upon the Governor to preserve peace; declaring that Governor Henry C. Warmouth no longer enjoys the confidence of the Republican party; instructing delegates to vote for U. S. Grant for nomination at the next national Republican convention; declaring the New Orleans Republican no longer the organ of the Republican party, and asking the administration to withdraw from it the Federal printing; thanking President Grant for his promptness in protecting them.

All the federal officials were reelected on the central committee. The convention then adjourned sine die.

JOHN W. WOLTZ, News and City Editor.

LOCAL MATTERS.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Advertisements of Lost, Wants, Found, For Rent, not exceeding four lines, for one insertion 25 cents; two insertions 40 cents; three insertions 50 cents. Cash in advance.

City Subscribers.—Persons wishing the STATE JOURNAL left early and regularly at their places of business, or residences, by responsible carriers, will please leave their orders with JONESTON & SELDEN, Newsdealers, 918 Main Street, and at the News Depot of W. A. EDWARDS, 301 East Broad Street.

TO MEMBERS OF THE STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY OF VIRGINIA.

A meeting of the members of the State Central Committee of the Republican Party of the State will be held on TUESDAY, the 15th of August, at 12 o'clock M.

It is earnestly desired that every member be present. Any questions proper to refer to the meeting may be addressed to SAMUEL F. MADDOX, Secretary, Richmond, Va.

In a Box.—Many of our Democratic friends are grievously disappointed, and hence considerably worried, by the announcement in our columns of yesterday, that the officers of the Attucks Guard (colored), had successfully passed the examination by the military board of examiners. First hope was that the officers, charged with this, would refuse to give them certificates, however satisfactory the examination might be. This sweet draught having been thus rudely dashed from their lips, they have still another to which they cling, as drowning men catch at straws. They now predict the company will be unable to provide its own uniforms, and the regulation uniform. Should they fail to secure them, they see a prospect of getting rid of the thorn.

To the grumblers we say, you need no longer hush this phantom to your bosoms; the company is composed of respectable and worthy colored men, who are able, willing, and determined to comply with all the requirements of law. Having done this, the question of where it will go, whether in the First Virginia Regiment, or not, will be determined. The devil and Tom Walker! Haven't you accepted the "New Departure?" Too late to kick up a fuss about colored militia! "Won't do!" "Won't do!"

The Memphis Distribution.—By reference to our advertising columns, the advertisement of the Real Estate Distribution, of Memphis, Tenn., will be found—Messrs. Passmore & Ruffin, the managers, and their enterprise come to us with the Memphis Appeal's indorsement to the public. We are certain that the Appeal would not give support or countenance to it if every thing was not all right. Call on Messrs. Johnston & Selden, of this city, for circulars, and for all particulars. A handsome photograph of the property selected for distribution is in possession of Messrs. Johnston & Selden, also one in our office, which may be seen at any time. The individual who is lucky enough to secure either of the fine residences or the theatre, will indeed be a happy man the rest of his life.

Entertainment by the Actor Club.—A social entertainment was given last night at the Central school-house by the "Astor Club." A magnificent supper was prepared, to which all did ample justice. The festivities were kept up until a late hour, when the company dispersed. Much credit is due the committee of arrangements for the admirable manner in which they performed the duties assigned them.

The grand contract, recently awarded to Colonel Ordway, will be the means of employing in this city at least four or five hundred stone masons, as it is all to be dressed at the quarry, previous to being shipped to its destination.—Washington.

Released.—James H. Shaw, who was sent to jail, in May last, for assaulting Captain Callahan, was given his ticket of leave on last Tuesday. Shaw is a good citizen when not under the influence of man's worst enemy—whiskey; and it is to be hoped that from this time forth he will steer clear of the tempting glass.

Revenue Collections.—The following is a list of collections made by the collector of internal revenue for this (Third) district, for the month of July: spirits, \$3,515.51; tobacco, \$185,368.57; fermented liquors, \$226.00; banks and bankers, \$3,079.59; gas, \$746.47; income, \$9,624.01; not otherwise provided for, \$1,026.31; penalties, \$399. Total, \$203,961.58.

For South America.—The British barque Wavelet, 306 tons, Capt. J. D. Broughton, cleared for Rio de Janeiro, on Monday last, by Gallego Mills manufacturing company with 3,033 whole barrels, and 200 half-barrels of flour, equal to 3,133 barrels.

Pardon for Parson of Chatham.—The Governor left yesterday for the White Sulphur. No action had been taken on the petition for the pardon of Ex-Mayor Chatham, which was presented on Tuesday by his counsel, Judge W. W. Crump.

Returned.—Detectives Craddock & Parker, who have been absent in North Carolina on professional business in reference to the troubles at Goldsboro', have returned.

A Nuisance.—The attention of the Board of Health is called to the pool of stagnant water on the vacant lot on Main, between First and Second streets. This nuisance has been the cause of frequent complaint by the residents of that neighborhood, and should be removed at once.

Discharged.—Joseph Kersey, convicted as one of the principals in the late prize-fight in the county, paid his fine and costs yesterday, amounting to \$57, and was discharged.

Painful Accident.—A young son of Mr. Eysinger, residing on Main street, near Sydney, fell on the pavement on Tuesday last, while playing with a number of companions, which resulted in a fracture of his left arm. The injured lad was removed to his home, where he received the necessary medical attendance.

Dead Infant Found.—The body of a female white child, about a week old, was found on the sand bank in James river, near the dock toll-gate, on yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. Coroner Trent was called to view the body, but deemed an inquest unnecessary. The body was buried at the expense of the city in Oakwood cemetery.

THE TROOPS ON DUTY WERE PROCURED FROM GEN. REYNOLDS, COMMANDING IN TEXAS, ON A REQUISITION FROM THE U. S. MARSHAL.

WARMOUTH'S CONVENTION IS NOW IN SESSION AT TURNER'S HALL.

HEAVY INSURANCE CASE DECIDED.

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 10.—The Bennett insurance case, involving thirty-three suits, aggregating \$120,000, has been decided in favor of the companies; it having been proved that the configuration was procured by fraudulent contrivances.

Montana Elections.

Helena, Montana, Aug. 10.—Returns vindicate the election of Claggett, as delegate to Congress.

Fatal Casualty from Gunpowder.

Cincinnati, August 10.—Two kegs of powder exploded in a burning house at Vienna, Ohio, killing four persons and injuring twenty-seven.

Cuban News.

New York, August 10.—The Sun says that authentic news from Cuba, through Spanish sources, shows that the Cubans have achieved two important victories in the Eastern district.

Railroad Accident.

Bemler, Mo., Aug. 10.—The express approaching town last morning, went through a rotten bridge, killing several and wounding a great many.

Foreign News.

THE TRIAL OF THE COMMUNISTS.

Paris, Aug. 9.—At the sitting of the court-martial to-day, witnesses testified that they saw Ferri release convicts and give them arms.

Abbe Derchy said that he had served 25 years as a missionary among savages and never had he witnessed atrocities equal to those perpetrated by the Communists.—He said that among the members of the court-martial held by the insurgents in Rochette prison, there were boys of the age of seventeen.

Assi boldly admitted the start he had taken in the execution of captives, and defended himself on the ground that they were justified by the law of retaliation, resorted to by all civilized nations in time of war.

The extraordinary statements of the witnesses and audacity of the accused, caused frequent scenes of excitement in the court room, which was crowded to suffocation. The president of the court was obliged to call on the officers several times to enforce order during the session.

LAST NIGHTS DISPATCHES.

From London.

UNITED STATES FIVE PER CENTS.

London, August 9.—Assistant Secretary of the United States Treasury, Richardson, has completed the negotiation for the balance of the new American five per cent. bonds with the London house of Jay Cook, McCulloch & Co.

The announcement of the arrangement has occasioned a considerable advance in the prices of all United States bonds in this market.

From Scotland.

THE SCOTT CENTENNIAL.

Edinburgh, August 9.—A gathering of a million of people attended the Scott centennial.

From Spain.

Madrid, Aug. 9.—An impartial newspaper denies, on authority, that there is any intention on the part of the Government to impose a tax upon Spanish bonds held by persons outside of the Kingdom.

The National Labor Congress—Woman's Rights Recognized.

St. Louis, Mo., August 9.—In the National Labor convention to-day the following resolution was adopted: "That every effort be made to secure for women of all professions, trades or occupations which they may desire, and that for any certain amount of work they should receive the same pay as men."

Georgia State Agricultural Convention.

Rome, Ga., August 9.—The State Agricultural convention met in this city yesterday. From three to four hundred delegates and many distinguished persons from Georgia, Alabama and South Carolina are in attendance.

THE "WESTFIELD" DISASTER INVESTIGATION—MORE VICTIMS DEAD—THE CORNER'S INQUEST COMMENCED.

New York, Aug. 9.—Before the regular investigation into the Westfield disaster to-day, ex-inspector of boilers Beryman made some serious charges against Inspector Matlock, one of which accuses the latter of forging the former's signature to the certificate of the steamship No. 10, America. This, on examination, proved unfounded.

Four more victims of the disaster have died.

The coroner's inquest on the disaster commenced to-day. Julius Raymond was the first witness. He testified that his father was killed by the explosion. He said that he stood beside the engine watching its motion when the explosion took place, and was certain that no one but himself was in the engine-room for about ten minutes before the explosion. He observed the steam gage just before the boiler exploded, but did not notice the figures presented.

Still They Come!

Read what the People say of the Remedies sold at the Pain Point Office:

The box and contents arrived safely in due time. I tried the ANTI-DOLY and experienced relief from the first application. I think it will make a final cure of my catarrh. I return many thanks for the PAIN POINT.

Yours, with much respect, JOHN MOORE, Ochs, Orange county, N. C.

\$1,000 Give credit for rheumatism across my back. I have been a great sufferer for 12 years. I have been in King's College, London, and never could get any relief until I used Dr. Wolcott's PAIN POINT. At the first application of this wonderful remedy to my back, I was entirely relieved of all pain and stiffness, and could move as nimbly as a boy. Those who doubt the merits of PAIN POINT can call the name and satisfy them, selves of its great value.

Eight Dogs with Neurolysis.—I had a fearful pain in my jaw and head, for eight days; tried all sorts of things; finally went to Dr. Wolcott's PAIN POINT, 207 Fifth street, between Grace and Broad, and was entirely cured by him in five minutes. His remedies are articles of great merit. A proper test will be sufficient to satisfy every one.

EDWIN F. SMITH.

All can test it free at PAIN POINT office, 207 Fifth street, between Grace and Broad. Small bottles sold at drug stores. Sent by express on receipt of the money.

Do Not Despair.—We don't agree to cure you, but from a careful analysis of DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER, we can safely recommend it as producing nutritious, light, healthy bread, biscuits, rolls, &c., which can be eaten with impunity and relished by the most sensitive invalid.—These facts we can substantiate, from practical observations, and with the knowledge that no injurious substances whatever enter into the composition of DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER. Grocers everywhere keep it. DOOLEY & BROTHER, Manufacturers, 69 New Street, New York.

On the Wrong Scent.—Our Democratic city cotemporaries are quite inquisitive, we know, as to the business of the Republican party and its State Central Committee. We had thought the business of prying into our affairs was left alone to the Dispatch, but in these we were mistaken, as we find the Enquirer of this morning has its "put in" in relation to the proposed action of the State Central Committee. We don't propose to tell it what the committee will do, because we don't know; but the Enquirer's assertion that the Hon. James H. Platt will succeed Mr. Wells as chairman, without foundation, Governor Wells has not agreed to give up his position as chairman of the State Central Committee. So your truthful hit is a mistaken!

We have such confidence in the excellent judgment of Mr. Wells, to be satisfied he will do whatever may seem best to strengthen the Republican party and to weaken Democracy.

We have no idea that the State Central Committee would agree that it is to the interest of the party, should Mr. Wells resign his position, to fill it by the election of any member of Congress. Their time is sufficiently occupied with other matters (if faithful representatives), without shouldering the responsibility and arduous duties attending the position of chairman, &c.

Democracy has much to fear from the next meeting (on the 15th) of this body, for it will be sure to accomplish work which will tell upon the ribs of the old Democratic hulk.

We propose to encourage our friends by again repeating that many of the wrongs perpetrated upon the people and the interests of the party in Virginia, will be corrected, and the causes of complaint removed by the action of your State Central Committee.

Heavy Shipment of Tobacco.—1,107,376 pounds of chewing tobacco, and 54 pounds of smoking tobacco were shipped in bond from this internal revenue district during the month of July.

Police Court.—This court was engaged for a short time this morning in the disposal of a number of civil cases, after which the Sergeant called the case of Sarah Gordon, charged with threatening to kill Mary B. Flanagan, who wanted the "Jesties" to understand that she was "afraid" of this woman, and that justice must be had. Sarah is a poor, sickly-looking female, and looks as though she could easily place this delicate creature hors de combat. After hearing the evidence, the Justice decided that, in order to preserve the peace, Sarah must give security for her good behavior for the next six months.

Following this, came the case of Jim Minor, a colored youth, charged with beating the infant daughter of W. W. Frost. The evidence, clearly proved "Jeems" guilty of the charge, and the Justice accordingly fined him \$1, and warned him not to engage in such sport again.

William Burns, a most crest-fallen looking white man, was the next subject, called to answer for cutting York James with a knife. From the evidence it seems that York in the store of James Connor in Rockwell, charged James with a pocket-knife in the left side, inflicting an ugly, though not dangerous wound; that he was very drunk at the time, and had been so for some time past. After a full hearing, he was sent on for indictment by the grand jury, and bailed in the sum of \$1,000.—James, it will be remembered, was shot some weeks since by one Richard Brown, from which he has not yet fully recovered.

Police Court.—Want of space compels us to make only brief mention of the cases before the police justice this morning:

George and Sarah Lewis, colored, charged with entering the store of Dean & Carrington in the night, were sent to jail in default of security.

Morris Robison, colored, struck Mark the Quarles over the head with a stick. Case continued till next Thursday.

Tim Goff was sent to jail for five days for stealing a four cent muskmelon.

Mary Callahan, charged with beating Margaret Whalen, proved that she did not whip her, and was discharged.

A little girl, named Maria Smith, who is an idiot, was ordered to be kept at the station-house until she could be sent to the almshouse.

Mary Sullivan, Mary Shay, Jennie Edwards, white, and Julia Williams, colored, for keeping an ill-governed house, were sent to jail to await an indictment of the grand jury.

Agnes Washington and Catherine Bray, colored, were each fined \$2 50 for threatening to kill each other.

Richard Stokely, charged with stealing a feather bed, was discharged.

Susan Simpkins, colored, for stealing \$2 50, was sent to jail for three months.

Old Tidings for the Republican Party of Virginia.—We rejoice to be able to inform our friends throughout the State that John W. Douglass has been appointed by the President to the highly important and responsible position of commissioner of internal revenue. For some time Mr. Douglass has held that of deputy commissioner, which qualifies him in every respect for the position to which he has been transferred. Besides his official qualifications he is a thorough and earnest member of the Republican party, from whom the people of the State, in the distribution of the patronage of his department, may expect a careful consideration of their wishes.

Manchester News and Gossip.

MIDDLE DISTRICT ASSOCIATION.

August 10th—Morning Session.—The Middle District Association met this morning at 9 o'clock, and after religious exercises for half an hour, the business of the body commenced.

The first business in order was the report on Temperance, which was offered and read by Mr. E. Morrisett, of Manchester, which was discussed at length and adopted.

Rev. R. Dugby offered a resolution to call a convention to be composed of ministers, deacons, and Sabbath school superintendents, to convene on the next fifth Sabbath. After some discussion on the merits of the resolution it was adopted, and a committee appointed to make all necessary arrangements.

There will be preaching to-night at 8 o'clock.