

By Telegraph.

Cable Despatches.

LONDON, November 21.—Parliament was opened to-day. The Queen hopes Napoleon will avoid complications, by an early withdrawal of the Roman expedition.

Affairs in Washington.

WASHINGTON, November 21.—Gen. Gregory has been mustered out, and only Howard now remains of the volunteer generals.

It is generally believed the cotton tax will be repealed. Hon. David A. Willis, Commissioner of Revenue, has prepared a report favoring its repeal.

Meeting of Congress.

WASHINGTON, November 21.—The Senate met at 12 m. Several petitions were received, including one from the District negroes, complaining of being discharged, on account of voting, and praying relief.

Mr. Sumner introduced a bill, striking the word "white" from the District laws and ordinances. Mr. Edmunds introduced a resolution, that debts, unless expressly otherwise stated, are payable in coin.

News Items.

CHARLESTON, November 21.—Returns from eight court houses, show 3,745 black votes, and 11 whites; this will be about the proportion throughout the State.

Arrived—schooners N. W. Smith and L. Q. C. Wishart, New York; steamer Sea Gull, Baltimore. A negro registrar, who, in August last, violently resisted a white citizen, and encouraged the negroes to violence, has been sentenced by the military commission, to imprisonment for six months, at hard labor.

MEMPHIS, November 21.—The Convention in Mississippi is doubtful. SAN FRANCISCO, November 21.—Tea shipments are in excess of last year fully 10,000,000 pounds.

RALEIGH, November 21.—Election returns show 619 majority for the radicals, in this city, and from meagre returns from the country, it is certain that the majority will be swelled.

MONTREAL, November 21.—Emily Pierce was burned to death by the explosion of a kerosene lamp.

The Alabama Convention.

MONTEGOMERY, ALA., November 21.

The following is the article on the elective franchise, as finally adopted by the Reconstruction Convention as a part of the new constitution:

Sec. 1. Every male person, born in the United States, and every male person who has been naturalized, or who has legally declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States, twenty-one years old, or upwards, who shall have resided in this State six months next preceding the election and three months in the County in which he offers to vote, except as hereinafter provided, shall be declared an elector. Provided, That no soldier, sailor or marine in the military or naval service of the United States, shall hereafter acquire a residence by reason of being stationed on duty in this State.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of the General Assembly to provide, from time to time, for the registration of all electors, but the following classes of persons shall not be permitted to register, vote or hold office: First—those who, during the late rebellion, inflicted, or caused to be inflicted, any cruel or unusual punishment upon any soldier, sailor or marine, employee or citizen of the United States, or who, in any other way, violated the rules of civilized warfare. Second—those who are, or may be, disfranchised by the proposed Constitutional Amendment, known as the fourteenth article, and the Act of Congress passed March 2, 1867, except such persons as have aided the plan of reconstruction proposed by Congress, and accepted the political equality of all men before the law. Provided, The General Assembly shall have power to remove the disabilities incurred under this last clause. Third—that those who shall have been convicted of treason, embezzlement of public funds, malfeasance in office, crime punishable by law with imprisonment in the penitentiary, or bribery. Fourth—no idiot or insane person shall be permitted to register or vote in this State.

Sec. 3. All persons, before registering, must take and subscribe the following oath: "I do solemnly swear, or affirm, that I will support and maintain the Constitution and laws of the United States, and the Constitution and laws of the State of Alabama; that I am not excluded from registering by any of the clauses in section 2 of this article; that I will never countenance or aid in the secession of this State from the United States; that I accept the civil and political equality of all men, and agree not to attempt to deprive any person or persons, on account of race, color or previous condition, of any political or civil right, privilege or immunity enjoyed by any other class of men; and, furthermore, that I will not, in any way, injure, or countenance in others any attempt to injure, any person or persons, on account of past or present support of the Government of the United States, the laws of the United States, or the principle of the political and civil equality of all men, or of affiliation with any political party."

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

COLUMBIA, November 21.—Sales of cotton to-day 120 bales—middling 15 1/2.

New York, November 21.—Noon.—Money active, at 7 per cent. Sterling 9 3/4; short 9 1/2. Gold 39 3/4-39 3/4. Flour 5@10c. lower. Wheat 1@2c. lower. Oats 1/2@1c. lower. Pork 20 1/2. Cotton steady, at 18.

BALTIMORE, November 21.—Cotton dull, at 17 1/2. Wheat advanced 5c.—choice red \$2.60; prime \$2.55.

NEW ORLEANS, November 21.—Sales of cotton 4,000 bales—largest of the season; demand active—middling Orleans 17; receipts 3,071. Sugar inactive and drooping; sales of prime at 12 1/2. Molasses quiet—common to choice 68@70. Corn declined 5@10c.; sales of yellow and white at 1.15@1.20. Bacon shoulders 12 1/2@12 3/4; clear 17. Gold 39 1/2.

CHARLESTON, November 21.—Cotton declined 1/4@1/2c.; sales 425 bales; receipts 870—middlings 16 3/4.

SAVANNAH, November 21.—Cotton dull and drooping—middling 16@16 1/2; sales 1,000 bales; receipts 3,202; of the week 26,774; stock on hand 3,902.

LIVERPOOL, November 20.—Evening. Sales of cotton 10,000 bales—uplands 8 3/4; Orleans 8 3/4.

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