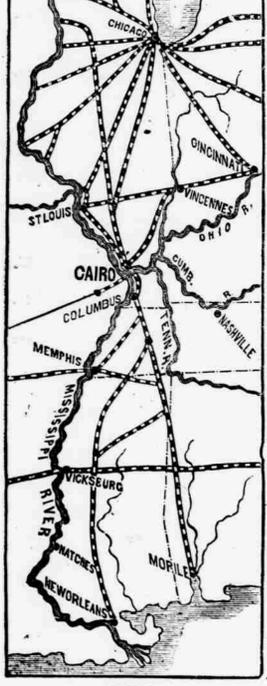


CAIRO TIMES. CAIRO, FRIDAY, NOV. 24, 1865.

Our Commercial Position.



TO OUR NEW YORK READERS.

The Cairo Times is the only paper ever published in Illinois which has a branch in New York and a place upon the file of every respectable hotel within the city.

THE NEWS.

Gen. Carl Schurz has his opinion that negro suffrage cannot be enforced at the South at present. He says the only way to establish the fact of officers inured to the idea of negro suffrage is to look out for a chopping of heads.

RECONSTRUCTION.

The work of reconstruction goes bravely on. South Carolina, the first State to usher into the Old Flag, has given a lesson to some of the rebellious States which floundered themselves upon their conservatism.

THE LATEST NIGHT DISPATCHES.

NEW YORK.

Muster Out of the Reserve Corps—Optimism of Gen. Carl Schurz—Abolition of Proprietary Revenue Stamp—Number of Applications for Pardon—Feeling in Washington Against England—New Military Commission—Another Decision.

NEW YORK.

Several reconstructed rebels filed claims at the Treasury Department for balance due before their participation in treason. Application was made at the Navy Department yesterday for the appointment of a young Virginian secessionist as midshipman.

NEWS ITEMS.

Many of the late Confederate civil and military officers that left for Mexico after the collapse of the rebellion have since returned to the United States. It is said that Gen. Logan was appointed Minister to Mexico at the request of General Grant, who does not hesitate to declare himself in favor of driving the French out of Mexico.

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Washington and Georgetown to be Consolidated—Thad. Stevens Arrived—Fort at Ohio not to be Resigned—Capt. Beckwith Restored to Rank and Pay—Important Decision.

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TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROPOSALS FOR RAISING SUNKEN VESSELS, &c., ON THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES.

THE SUPERVISING SPECIAL AGENT, U. S. ARMY, T. S. BOWLING, has received proposals for raising, wrecking, and recovering the remains of the following vessels: The 'Hesperus', 'The 'Hesperus', 'The 'Hesperus'.

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RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 23.—Breckford & Co's auction house on Broad street, near the theatre, and several adjacent houses were destroyed by fire to-night. Loss small.

LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 23.—The Executive Office of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals, at Frankfort, burned this morning. A portion of the new building being raised for military depot, and the offices of the Justices of the Court of Appeals, and Library, were also burned. The records and papers of the Court of Appeals were almost entirely destroyed.

NEW BEDFORD.

NEW BEDFORD, Nov. 23.—Sperm oil sold for export at 22 1/2 per gallon. Shell oil 22 1/2 per gallon for manufacturing at 22 1/2, the highest price ever reached. There is a good demand, but the stock being limited, holders are firm at 24 1/2 per gallon. Sales of 4000 barrels Northern whale oil at 24 per gallon.

MOBILE.

MOBILE, Nov. 23.—Cotton market dull at 4 1/2 per lb. Stock on hand 2,000 bales. The Memphis Avianline is to be received. It will support the President and oppose suffrage.

PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 23.—Hon. Schuyler Colfax will deliver a lecture before the Press Club this evening, at the Academy of Music, not next Monday evening, as before stated. His subject is 'Across the Continent, and the Duties of the next Congress.'

HALIFAX.

HALIFAX, Nov. 23.—In the case of the ship Hero, the cook of the vessel was today sentenced to be hung, and the sentence of the mate deferred.

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