

NEWS OF THE DAY.

"To show the very age and body of the Tomes."

One of the largest claims for cotton now before the Treasury Department is that of a former President of a New York bank, who went South at the beginning of the late war.

A dispatch from George Francis Train, is dated at the end of the track of the Union Pacific railroad, "481 miles from civilization," where, on Saturday last, the company of Western editors, whose departure on a trip to the Rocky Mountains was recently announced, were having a grand picnic in the open air.

The fever is abating in Memphis, and the excitement is subsiding. Many persons have already left town; but many others who had made preparations to leave have abandoned the idea.

It is now said that Eastern capitalists have made propositions to take the Southwest Pacific railroad on the terms of Fremont's contract, and build it at once.

The steamer Tonawanda, coming up to Savannah yesterday, came in collision with the pilot boat Young America, and the latter sunk in fifteen minutes.

Secretary McCulloch gives notice that the Department is prepared to exchange Five-Twenty bonds of 1867 for Seven-and-Thirty bonds, interest to be charged on the notes up to the time of conversion.

Intelligence from Montana states that two companies of State mounted militia have deserted, and it is supposed intend committing depredations on the road from Montana to Colorado.

A man has been arrested in Buffalo, N. Y., for passing a counterfeit \$50 National Bank note. He is implicated in passing \$1,000 counterfeit seven-thirtieths on a prominent Buffalo banker.

A riot occurred at a circus in Eaton, Ohio, on Monday night, when one of the rioters fired at the ring master, missing him, but killing a young lady in the audience.

The New York Tribune of yesterday, in an article evidently from Mr. Greeley's pen, avows its preference for Chief Justice Chase as the Radical candidate for the Presidency.

The New York Evening Post (Radical) in recent articles treats some of the Radical views in a proper spirit. It has exhibited the un-constitutionality of the proposed suspension of the President from his official duties, as well as the evils resulting from it.

Colonel Gilbert (in the 4th Military District,) who allowed the soldiers to burn and destroy a printing office and newspaper establishment, without rebuke, and then wrote an impudent letter declaring that army officers and soldiers "were the masters not the servants of the people," having been court-martialed by General Ord, has been found guilty, sentenced to pay a fine of \$1,000, to be reduced to the rank and pay of a captain, and put at the foot of the list of the captains.

The "terrible Maryland Melish" paraded in Baltimore yesterday. There were in line about for thousands men, in handsome uniforms. The parade was a fine show, and was highly creditable. N. B.—Not the slightest symptom of "rebellion" was exhibited! No attempt was made to march on to Washington, or to stop the trains, or commence war upon the government!!

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LETTER FROM LOUDOUN COUNTY.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.) LEESBURG, VA., October 14.—Do you remember that this is the 27th anniversary of the great Harrison festival in 1840, when the surging masses of Loudoun assembled to hear Gov. Call, of Florida, and J. S. Penleton, and other orators?

It has again been made memorable, by a reunion of the Whigs and Democrats in a county Convention assembled to nominate Conservative candidates for the Convention.

That old and true and tried man, Benjamin F. Taylor, was called to the Chair, and W. R. Lynch, of the Washingtonian, and B. F. Sheetz, of the Mirror, were appointed Secretaries.

On motion of Col. Chancellor, a Committee of two from each precinct was appointed to select candidates to be submitted to the meeting, and they nominated Norborne Berkeley and Dr. George E. Plaster, who were unanimously approved by the meeting.

A resolution was offered to commit the Conservatives as a body against the Convention, but after debate it was withdrawn. In the course of the discussion, Mr. J. R. Tucker made one of his fine electrical speeches, waking up the meeting to great enthusiasm; and upon repeated calls, Mr. John Janney arose, and said in substance—"Mr. President, I am not a voter, but I have one thousand votes I should cast them all against a Convention. What does this Convention have to do? Its programme is chinked out for it; selected by many who have never had a vote, and with a large number of the best men of the State disfranchised, it is obliged to adopt negro suffrage, and what is more, it is obliged to adopt what is called the 14th Article amended."

"This permanently disfranchises the class of men spoken of; but it also provides, that Congress shall be clothed with power to pass all laws necessary for carrying into effect said Article."

"I remember, sir, that the amendment abolishing slavery contained just such a clause, and under it they claimed the right to pass the Civil Rights bill. I warn you to oppose by all means in your power this amendment, and I call your attention to this act in the megal."

"I HAD FELT IT IN MY BONES, I HAD FELT IT IN MY HEART OF HEARTS, THAT THE CONVENTION SUCCESS OF THE RADICAL PARTY WOULD HAVE MADE THIS A GOD SEND, TAKEN COUNTRY; BUT I THINK I SEE THE DAWNING OF THE DAY; I think I see a streak of light in the East betokening the rising of the sun of better days. I hope that the elections in Ohio and Pennsylvania, followed as I believe they are to be by those of New York and New Jersey on the same side, indicate better times; BUT IF THEY DO NOT, IF RADICALISM IS STILL TO RULE, I BELIEVE THE LAST REMNANT OF LIBERTY WILL BE DESTROYED IN OUR COUNTRY."

These remarks, given with the solemn earnestness so characteristic of the man, made a deep impression on the audience, and will tell in a very large vote against the Convention. If our vote is a full one, I think the Conservative majority will be several hundred; but this is an occasion on which Virginia expects every man to do his duty.

FOREIGN NEWS.—The news from Italy is important. The revolutionary bands which entered the Papal States had succeeded in concentrating at Frosone, under the command of General Menotti Garibaldi. The Papal troops having vainly attempted to prevent the concentration, then attacked the position held by young Garibaldi, and after a desperate fight were defeated. The news had been received in Florence with great rejoicing. Garibaldi had sent out another address from Caperna, urging the Italian nation to arms. Mazzini has also addressed a manifesto to the Roman people to rise and proclaim a republic. The belief was increasing at Florence that General Manrova, who commands the Italian troops on the Papal frontier, will soon cross the line and march on Rome. It is reported at Paris that the Pope will take refuge in Bavaria. A dispatch from Paris reports great activity in the French naval arsenals at Rome.

SLAVERY IN A NEW GUISE.—HOW THE COLORED PEOPLE ARE STILL "IN BONDS"—The Lynchburg Republican has the following article: "On yesterday morning, a party of thirty-six colored men, who had hired themselves to work on the Chesapeake Bay Railroad, congregated at the Orange and Alexandria Depot, to take their departure for the scene of their expected labors, under the care and control of Mr. Orlando Brown. Just before the train left, the negro Sam Kelsow, who appears to control the Loyal League at this point, and is a Radical candidate for the Convention, made a speech to the crowd, in which he threatened them that if they went away before the election, they would be visited with the displeasure and vengeance of the League! All but eight or nine of the men at once and positively declined to leave, and the crowd that had gathered at the depot in the full expectation of departure, dispersed at the mere intimation of the League's objection! Mr. Brown offered to bring the whole party back to town in time for the election, but this assurance did not satisfy Kelsow, and the men were mere passive puppets in his hands.

"No comments are necessary upon this remarkable exhibition. It is evident that these people are the slaves and serfs of the League, obeying with fear and trembling the behests of its officers. No master ever issued an order to his servants with more imperious and insolent authority than Kelsow to his willing subjects.—No reason was assigned why they should not go, except the necessity for their votes on the day of election, and to serve this purpose they were made to neglect their work and give up the opportunity of earning an honest living.—Dreaded about town, these people must live on the fruits of plunder and cheating, and are useful for no purpose except as "loyal" voters. We warn them that this course of living cannot long be pursued without bringing them to shame and sorrow. They had better attend to their business, abandon the League, and slunk like poison these pestilent politicians among them, who do nothing but breed mischief and enjoy the fruits of honest men's labor."

The Rev. Mr. Du Hamel, sends in the following list of dead Confederate soldiers, to whom, in the name of our people, we return grateful thanks for his attention: Names of Southern prisoners who died at Fort Delaware, during the late war, and were interred in "Christ Church Yard, Delaware City, Delaware," with the inscription on the head-board of each as far as the facts could be ascertained at the time of interment: L. B. Green, Texas; J. H. Aldridge, Texas, died April 17th, 1863; J. V. Walls, 3rd Confederate Cavalry; Sylvanus Logan, Arkansas, died April 16th, 1863; S. W. Council, died 12th; W. S. Barr, 5th Virginia regiment, died Oct. 24th, 1863; John Wallcut, Co. K, 6th La. regiment, died May 19th, 1863; James P. Paxon, Rockbridge, 21st Artillery, died June 14th, 1864; W. T. Thomas, 24th Miss. Cavalry; Lindsay Morgan, died May 22d, 1863; R. M. Brooks, died August 5th 1862; L. P. Hallows, died April 9th, 1862; Selby Hamtraine, died June 9th, 1862.

The above list is published in the hope that it may meet the eye of some relative or friend of the deceased, who may derive at least a morsel of comfort in knowing where their lost dead are buried. JOHN P. DU HAMEL, Rector of Christ Church, Delaware City.

601D. NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Gold to-day, 143 1/2.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Table with columns for commodity names and prices. Includes items like FLOUR, WHEAT, CORN, OATS, RYE, APPLES, IRISH POTATOES, SEED, TIMOTHY, SUGAR, COAL OIL, and REMARKS.

REMARKS.—The market this morning was very buoyant, and prices show an advance. Flour is firm, and Super, which is scarcely marketed at \$11 50/12—the latter price for favorite brands. Extra is steady at \$12 50/12 75, and Family \$14 1/2 to \$15—the latter for Welch's and Janney's brands. Wheat is more active, at a further advance, and we note sales of 200 bushels white at 20c 2/3, and 20c 2/5 for fair—no price offered. Sales of 600 bushels red at 27c for prime, and 26c 2/3 for good—receipts light. The advance in Corn is maintained, and the tendency is still upward. Sales of 500 bushels, white at 13c 1/2, and 45c mixed at 14c. Sales of Corn Meal at 13c. Oats are in fair demand, with sales of 600 bushels at 65c 1/2. There is some enquiry for Rye, with small sales at 14c. New Corn is enquired for, and 12c offered.

MARINE LIST. PORT OF ALEXANDRIA—OCT. 16. ARRIVED. Schrs. Margaret, Nickle, Gardner, Mer, by M. Eldridge & Co. SAILED. Steamer Columbia, Harper, Baltimore, by B. Wheat. Steamer Kennebec, Talbot, Baltimore, by J. Broders & Co.

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AUCTION SALES.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE. The undersigned, as Executor of Peter Skinner, dec'd., will sell, at public sale, on TUESDAY, October 22d, 1867, in front of the Court House, Leesburg, the following described REAL ESTATE, belonging to said decedent: THE HOME FARM, containing 217 acres of land, in good condition, under good fencing and well watered. The improvements on this tract consist of a good and comfortable STONE DWELLING, and several other buildings and improvements.

Also, at the same time and place, a FARM, in Prince William, containing about 172 acres, and has on it excellent timber, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Fanny Roseca, James S. Oden, and others. Also, at the same time and place, a TRACT OF LAND, containing about 100 acres, lying below Aldie, a short distance south of the Little River Turnpike road, containing about 100 acres; has on it a log house, is well watered, adjoining the lands of Harrison Cross, John Batic, and others. Also, at the same time and place, a FARM on Horse Pen, about four miles below Gram Spring, the land on which Mr. Alexander G. Skinner and Garret Walker now reside, containing nearly 400 acres, the land in moderate condition—improvements comfortable and in good condition. It adjoins the lands of Benj. B. Beard, John L. Coleman, and others. There is also a place, a LAW MILL, in the same time and place, a TRACT OF LAND, in Aldie, now in the occupancy of Wm. McCarty.

TERMS.—One-third of the purchase money will be required in cash on the day of sale, and the remainder in two equal annual payments, to be made before the first day of January, 1868. The purchaser will be required to give approved bond, and a deed of trust on the land, for the deferred payments. A good and unquestionable title will be given when the purchase-money is all paid.

AG. SHERMAN, Executor of Peter Skinner, dec'd., Lot 20—lawt.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—By authority of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, at the June term, 1867, in the suit of Hendricks, Executor, vs. Amos Barden and others, I shall, as Commissioner, named in said decree, sell, to the highest bidder, before me, before the Court House of Fairfax County, on MONDAY, the 21st day of October, 1867, (that being Court day) a TRACT OF LAND, containing 128 acres and 156 poles.—This land lies on the road leading from the Court House to Hunter's Mill, about 3 miles from the former, has an abundance of good timber, and is well watered, and has on it a comfortable dwelling and other improvements.

TERMS OF SALE, as directed by the Court: One-fourth of the purchase money in hand as a deposit, liable to be forfeited should the purchaser fail to complete the purchase on the day of sale; the residue in three equal instalments, at six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, and a retention of the title until the last payment is made.—Costs of conveyance to be paid by the purchaser.

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BY J. H. PARROTT—AUCTIONER. COMMISSIONER'S SALE.—In execution of a decree of the County Court of Alexandria county, rendered at July term, 1867, in the suit of Burke & Barber, vs. Fairfax and others, the undersigned will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the premises, on THURSDAY, the 24th day of October next, at 12 o'clock in the forenoon, that VALUABLE LOT OF GROUND, with the large THREE-STORY HOUSE thereon, situated on the corner of King street, between Water and Fairfax sts., fronting on King street 31 feet 6 inches, and running back 82 feet to an alley 12 feet wide, extending through the square from Water to Fairfax street. The house was formerly occupied as a dwelling, and may be used for that purpose, or as a first class building, converted into a large and commodious store-room, being in the immediate vicinity of the centre of business and trade, and within a square and a half of the river.

Also one other LOT, in the rear of the one so described, situated and fronting on the said alley 23 feet, and in depth 30 feet.

TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money must be paid as a deposit on the day of sale; the residue in three equal instalments, at 6, 12 and 18 months from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with a good endorser, and retention of the title until the whole of the purchase money is paid, and the property liable to be sold at the risk of the purchaser, and the each payment forfeited upon the failure to comply with the terms of sale.

LAW & TAYLOR, WM. H. DULANY, W. F. CAINE, Commissioners, sep 19—60ts

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.—Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Fairfax, in the suits of T. A. Brewster and others against John H. Carper, et al., rendered at the Court House of Fairfax County, on MONDAY, the 16th day of September next, (that being Court day) TWO TRACTS OF LAND, one containing 124 acres, lying at Annandale, in the County of Fairfax, on the paved road leading from Alexandria to Fairfax Court House, and the other containing 100 acres, lying on the road from Washington city. It is in several lots, each of which will be sold separately, if deemed best by the Commissioners of Sale. This property is admirably located for a dairy or market farm. The other tract, containing 10 acres and 22 poles, lies on the road between the Court House and the Fauquier road.

TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money will be required in hand as a deposit, the residue in 12, 18 and 24 months, with interest from the day of sale, the title to the land to be retained, and the land liable to be sold for default in either of the deferred instalments. Sale to take place between 12 and 2 o'clock.

WM. H. DULANY, R. H. COCKERILLE, THOS. R. LOVE, Comm'rs. of Sale, Fairfax county, aug 17—60ts

The above sale is postponed until MONDAY, the 21st day of October, sep 19—60ts

SANDY POINT FISHERY, &c., FOR SALE. In execution of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at the November term, 1860, in the suit of Susan Allison and others, vs. John B. Reardon's heirs, &c., the undersigned will offer for sale, to the highest bidder, on MONDAY, the 21st day of October, next (Court day) in front of the Court House of said county, a TRACT OF LAND, adjoining the "High Point" tract, and the land belonging to John Allison's heirs, lying upon "Belmont Bay" and containing 150 acres; the tract which by J. B. Reardon was assigned to the heirs of Marshall Manly.

At the same time and place, we will also offer for sale the "SANDY POINT" FISHERY SHORE, and appurtenances.

TERMS.—A deposit of ten per cent to be paid on the day of sale; the residue in three equal instalments, at 12, 18 and 24 months, with interest from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with sufficient security, and bearing interest from day of sale; the title to be retained until all the purchase money is paid, and the deposit to be forfeited, and the property liable to be sold for default in either of the deferred instalments, should the purchaser fail to complete his purchase upon the sale being confirmed by the Court.

WM. L. EDWARDS, LAW & TAYLOR, GEO. W. BRENT, WM. H. DULANY, Comm'rs. Fairfax co., sep 19—60ts

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF FAIRFAX COUNTY LAND.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at its August term, 1867, in the case of Garrison Beach, &c., vs. J. J. Hoff, the undersigned, as Commissioner, will sell, at public auction, on MONDAY, the 21st day of October, 1867, (Court day) in front of the Court House of said county, a TRACT OF LAND, containing 100 acres, the property of J. J. Hoff, lying on and adjoining the lands of Garrison Beach and others, and situated on the road from the Court House to the Fauquier road, and containing 100 acres; the tract which by J. B. Reardon was assigned to the heirs of Marshall Manly.

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No. 2, containing 6 acres and 102 poles, and situated near Falls Church and a Vienna station.

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No. 4, containing 15 acres, formerly the property of Edmund J. Lee, near said railroad, and located contiguous to Lots Nos. 2 and 3. The proceeds of the sale of the above lands, and of Lots Nos. 2, 3