



ALEXANDRIA. SATURDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 12.

Now that General Mahone—but bear it in mind, not the republican party—has been defeated and routed, and the dread of negro supremacy been happily dissipated, the democrats have complete rule of the State.

JUDGE SNEEL, of Washington, has fined a restaurant keeper there \$100 for charging a negro, who demanded to be served with food at his place, more for that food than the negro said was charged white people.

JUDGE STUART, it is understood, attributes his defeat in part to the dissatisfaction of some democratic voters with the civil service policy of the administration, and to that of others with certain sections of the State democratic platform.

THE QUIET of the President's happy political family at Washington has been sadly disturbed by an unseemly difference between his Secretary of the Interior and his Commissioner of the Land Office.

VIRGINIA HAVING resumed her place in the democratic column, if she would keep up with the national democratic procession, she must, as soon as possible, relieve herself of all such obnoxious elements of the Mahone blight as repudiation, high tariff, and free whiskey.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Mr. James Fisher, assistant postmaster of the U. S. House of Representatives, has just returned from that city. He says the four members of the legislature elected there last Tuesday are all in favor of Mr. Barbour for the U. S. Senate; that from what he learned there all the other democratic members of the legislature elected that day will also vote for Mr. Barbour; that he doesn't believe Mr. Barbour will have any opposition, and that death alone, in his opinion, is the only thing that can prevent Mr. Barbour's election.

Mr. Carlisle is expected here to-morrow. It is reported that there will be a conference of the tariff reformers here before the commencement of Congress, and that a bill to effect their desires on that subject will be ready for introduction at an early date of the session.

It seems hard for the President to get entirely rid of his long cherished mugwumpism. His latest appointment in the consular service is Mr. F. D. Hill, of Minnesota, a pretty good fellow, but a well known republican.

concerned, the statements that have appeared in some of the newspapers here, and to have been sent North by Southern press correspondents about their being opposition to Mr. Barbour for the U. S. Senate, are utterly incorrect; that he never had an idea of being a candidate for the place, and that at the Salem State democratic convention it was the general understanding that if the democrats should be successful, Mr. Barbour would be the next Senator, and that he believes he will be without opposition.

The chief topics of conversation among public men and newspaper correspondents here to-day is the public letter of Secretary Lamar to Commissioner Sparks of the Land Office, which appeared in this morning's newspapers. It is a very severe letter, though couched in mild mannered language. It is said it was submitted to the President before it was given to the press. As it is generally believed that Secretary Lamar will go on the Supreme Bench early next month, and that Postmaster General Vilas will take his place, it is supposed that Commissioner Sparks is as objectionable to Mr. Vilas as he is to Mr. Lamar, and that the letter referred to was published so as to drive him out of office.

Monday is the second Monday in the month, the day set by the U. S. Supreme Court for the argument in the Virginia habeas corpus cases. After the usual announcement of decisions, admissions to the bar, and motions, the argument in a case not concluded yesterday will be continued, and if it be not too long, there is nothing to prevent the commencement of the Virginia cases on the day set for them.

Lieutenant Colonel Charles A. Reynolds, Deputy Quartermaster General, was to-day placed on the retired list. His retirement will promote Major George E. Dundy to be Lieutenant Colonel, and Captain John V. Furey to be Major; and will leave a vacancy in the rank of Captain to be filled by appointment by the President.

An old member of the Virginia democratic association of this city, says he accounts for the recent democratic defeat in Alexandria by the fact that there were in this city one hundred and fifty legal Alexandria voters, who were so dissatisfied with the civil service policy of the administration, that they would not take the trouble to go there last Tuesday.

THE GOVERNOR REBUKED.—An exchange says: Col. Withers, of Wytheville, the American consul at Hong Kong, is a gray haired, imposing, courtly old gentleman, one of the "F. F. V.'s," and it was his adopted daughter, Miss Carrie Royall, a petite brunette of sixteen, who made for herself "a local habitation and a name" by her reply to Gov. Bowen, the English governor of Hong Kong. It was at a ball at the Government House, and Miss Royall, who was not supposed to be "out," made her appearance in a showy frock, with her hair braided down her back a la Chinese. Gov. Bowen, an elderly English gentleman, with a keen appreciation of feminine charms, paid marked attention to the little American, and carried her about the rooms on his arm half the evening. Finally he said that such a precious young woman ought to put up her back hair and lengthen her gowns, to which this contented little girl replied: "Look here, old man, when I want any advice from you on the subject of my clothes I'll ask you for it."

SAD DEATH.—The sad death of Mr. J. C. Mayhugh, jr., which occurred on Sunday evening last, shocked many of his warm friends and acquaintances and brought sorrow and pain to his father's family, who reside in this place. The wound from which came his death was received Saturday morning, he having fallen from a box car, breaking his spine, as he was going from the caboose to the engine which was pulling the local freight between Richmond and Charlottesville at full speed. He was taken to Richmond in an almost lifeless condition, and Sunday evening at 2:30 o'clock he breathed his last. His remains were brought to this place on Sunday night, and were interred in the Maplewood cemetery Monday evening at 4 o'clock, after his funeral services at the Catholic church.—Gordonville Gazette.

VIRGINIA BAPTISTS.—The Baptist General Association of Virginia continued its session in Lynchburg yesterday. Rev. Dr. Rylant, the treasurer, submitted his report, which shows the total receipts for the year to be \$42,387.72, with a balance in treasury after paying all expenses of \$4,446.08. The report of the committee on cooperation was presented and showed a large increase in the church membership, there being as many as \$2,000 new baptisms in Virginia. The report recommended the necessity of forming a Woman's Missionary Society, consisting of fifteen members, with full authority to appoint sub-committees and disburse funds. This proposition was referred to a committee for further consideration. The Board of Foreign and Home Missions submitted their reports, which exhibited a highly creditable state of affairs.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS. We, the students of the Theological Seminary of Virginia desire to express our thanks to the rectors of the several churches and to the people of Alexandria for the courtesy and hospitality shown to our invited guests, the delegates to the Inter-Seminary Missionary Alliance. C. F. SMITH, JNO. C. AMBLER, Committee W. C. LUDWIG.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Dr. John Thornley died at Charlottesville on Wednesday, age 71 years. The caulkers' strike at Norfolk has failed, and the men have resumed work at the old wages.

Joseph W. Johnson, a worthy and prominent citizen of Stafford county, died at his home, near Belmont, last Thursday morning.

The stock cattle market at Warrenton continues very active, and seven hundred have been already sold this week, with a shortage on arrivals.

Dr. George W. Dame, the venerable pastor of the Episcopal church at Danville, fell over a pile of stones on the street Thursday night and was badly hurt.

The trial of the seven men charged with liberating Senator Riddleberger from jail at Woodstock last August, has been postponed again until the December term, by the consent of all interested.

At Port Republic, Rockingham county, last Tuesday, John Morris shot his father-in-law, Richard Randall, in the hip. The quarrel grew out of family difficulties. Randall will recover.

The Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Virginia will meet in Petersburg in annual session on the 24th instant. At this session the different grand officers will be elected and other important business transacted.

Mr. Eugene Button, son of Mr. Charles W. Button, former owner and editor of the Lynchburg Virginian, died suddenly yesterday evening at his father's residence in that city. He was about twenty eight years of age and very popular.

Capt. William Ashton, of Lancashire, England, who came to Fauquier soon after the late civil war, died Thursday. The deceased was widely and agreeably known throughout this section as a genial gentleman, taking great delight in fox hunting.

The executive committee of Pickett's Division Association has decided to hold the reunion of the survivors of the division and unveil the monument to be erected on Gettysburg Hill, in Hollywood Cemetery, on the 3d day of July, 1888. Immediate steps will be taken looking to the erection of the monument.

Congressman George E. Bowden, arrested on election day in Norfolk for insulting and cursing the police, and R. G. Banks, republican candidate for House of Delegates, for interfering with the officers in the discharge of their duty at the same time, were arraigned yesterday, but the charge being dismissed the accused were discharged from custody.

Charles P. Ross, only son of John Ross, died at his country home near Warrenton, Thursday night. The deceased was widely known to gunners on account of his accomplishments in former days as a sportsman. In 1870, at the Washington carnival, he won the silver cup for the fastest runner in a large number of competitors, the distance being from the capitol to the treasury.

According to the provision of the Act of Assembly the new code will be operative on February 1, 1888, but it cannot be printed, bound, and distributed over the entire Commonwealth by that date. As it is now quite certain that it cannot be gotten out at the appointed time, the General Assembly will probably consider whether it will not be for the public interest to postpone the commencement until such time as will be necessary that it may reach every county before the laws it contains go into force.

The lighthouse board in its estimates of appropriations for the next fiscal year asks for a light on Sparks' Fia Shoal, Md., \$25,000; for a light at Cob Point Bar, Md., \$25,000; for a light at Greenbury Point, Md., \$25,000; for a light at Maryland Point, Potomac river, \$25,000; for completing lighthouse at Bushes, \$125,000; for a light at Newport News, \$50,000; for a light on Page's Rock, \$25,000; for additional land for Portsmouth lighthouse, \$10,000; for a light to mark the lower entrance to Targier sound, \$25,000.

GEN. JACKSON REPLIES TO MR. THURMAN.—Gen. Henry R. Jackson several days ago wrote a letter to ex-Senator Thurman, of Ohio, in regard to the attack of the latter upon him. He denies that he ever was an office-seeker; denies the charges concerning the Mexican mission; again explains his Macon speech, contending there was nothing wrong in it, and concludes as follows: "Simply because my having made a speech of such a character, upon such an occasion, to an audience of veteran soldiers called together for no political purpose whatever, and the swarm of insects which have been buzzing about my name, delighted, perhaps, in the thought that they were inflicting upon me the venom of their sting, have held me up to the world as the meanly vindictive enemy of the democratic party, prepared to burn it to the full extent of my malignant power. Is it possible that we of the South are thus to be welcomed back into the Union, even by the democratic party of the North? Are we to stand in perpetual terror of opening our mouths anywhere, or upon any occasion to say one word in commendation of our past or in honor of our dead, or in vindication of what we know to be the truth of history, lest we may say something to 'injure the democratic party'? Is it not sufficient that we have been stripped of our property and of many things far dearer to us than property can ever be? Must we also consent to sink into the abyss of silence our good name? Must we keep our peace unless we be prepared to kiss the hand that smites us and to place ourselves in the rank of truckling hypocrites? Must our children grow up around us hearing at the home fireside the story of the past and realizing that their fathers dare not repeat it in the face of the world? Will this be the school in which to train them for the manifold discharge of the grand duties imposed by American civilization upon the American citizen? From the time they begin to perceive and to think for themselves, thus to be crushed to the dust by the cruel consciousness that, however pure and patriotic in fact their sires may have been, in the opinion of the world they were guilty of an enormous historic crime, the shadow of which must rest forever like a black cloud of ignominy upon their posterity. Rather than this I would indeed secede not simply from the Union of my fathers, but from my own native State, so dear to my heart, and seek, if need be, a home in the depths of barbarism. Nay, rather than this I would long for that barbaric conscience which would enable me to sweep every drop of my blood in the descending generations from the face of the earth!"

COURT OF APPEALS YESTERDAY.—Coleman against the Commonwealth. Argued by F. W. Sims and R. L. Gordon, eq., for plaintiff in error, and Edward Peedleton, eq., for Commonwealth.

If your neighbor is selfish, hard, grasping and suffering from a cold, don't waste words on him, but heap coals of fire on his head, by sending him a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The business failures throughout the country during the last seven days number 195. The Crown Prince Frederick William's physicians still entertain a hope of his recovery.

It is reported in Paris that the Empress of Germany has been attacked with apoplexy. The bronze statue of Chief Justice Taney, presented to the city of Baltimore by Mr. William T. Walters, was unveiled this afternoon.

W. W. Tinsley was convicted in the U. S. District Court at Charleston, W. Va., yesterday, on the charge of forging a paper with the intention of defrauding the government.

A personal encounter occurred last evening in a Baltimore hotel between Dr. Julian F. Ward, medical examiner of the Baltimore and Ohio Relief Association, and Dr. James D. Iglehart, who is also in the employ of the railroad.

Secretary Lamar has written a letter to Commissioner Sparks, sharply replying to a communication from the latter relative to the adjustment of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railway land grants, and informs him, in conclusion, that either he or the secretary must forthwith retire from the Department.

Jesse Pomeroy, known as the boy murderer, but who is now a full-grown man, made another attempt to escape from State prison in Massachusetts Thursday morning by sawing through the bars of his cell with a piece of steel. In some manner not explained the gas in his cell exploded, rendering him unconscious, and officials found him in this condition, at the same time making the discovery that the bars were cut.

Mr. Barbour for Senator.

To the editor of the Alexandria Gazette: Now that the battle has been fought and the victory won the democratic mind is naturally concerned about who shall succeed Riddleberger in the U. S. Senate.

If I have rightly interpreted the signs of the times I believe it was agreed with one accord, when the Hon. J. S. Barbour, though a living illustration of the ingratitude of republics, with unselfish devotion to Virginia readily accepted the task of wiping out the democratic disgrace of last November and of once more saving Virginia from the dire evils of Mahoneism, that in the event of success he should receive the thrice won honor much too long deferred.

Under his matchless leadership success has again crowned our efforts, and as a born leader of men he has thrice shown he has no peer in Virginia. The man and the hour have at last met and the opportunity is now presented to their representatives elect to right in some measure the great wrong inflicted by their predecessors upon the noblest Roman of them all. To those who are absent of the times and familiar with the recent past in Virginia, no argument is necessary to show Mr. Barbour's transcendent claims to the high honor which the incoming legislature will confer. When our political sky was darkened and all involved in doubt and despair with all the powers of State and Federal, arrayed against him as our trusted leader, he brushed away the lowering clouds and caused the sun of democracy once more to rise on Virginia the brighter for the darkness from which he had emerged. He de-throned Mahone from his bad, proud eminence and caused all his mad schemes for the ruin and enslavement of Virginia to "gang a gleam." Once more the political hosts confronted each other, and before his victorious banner his enemy disappeared like the mist before the rising sun. After this tidal wave swept Virginia, and the order fully restored, many there were that thought themselves political giants in those days, and deemed themselves so strong as not only to be able to dispense with their leader but even went so far as to deny his right to any share in the laurels of victory, and conferred upon another which were so justly his own.

But mark well the sequel! Compelled by failing health resulting from overwork, and a most sad domestic affliction, to seek rest and quiet in a foreign land, the party during his absence once more joined battle. The shameful result is fresh in the mind of all! Mahone achieved a signal victory which inspired him with fresh courage and renewed hopes. In this new crisis the would-be political giants of two years ago were unwilling to assume the responsibility and gladly turned to their political Moses, who had so often by his cool head, unerring judgment and splendid talents, as an organizer, led them out of their difficulties. With saint-like forgiveness and Spartan self denial, he accepted once more the lead of the party, and on the 8th, Mahone met his Wellington and suffered his Waterloo. It was a crisis in the career of Mahone. His only hope of a political future was based on that success which would place him again in the Senate. He staked his all and lost. Overwhelmed in his own State his recent followers will fall away from him, and being no longer of any use to them his recent allies in Congress will give him the cold shoulder, and there will be none so poor as to do him reverence since the high place which knew him will know him no more forever. Glorious victory! Glorious result! But its crowning glory must and will be the election of Mr. Barbour to the U. S. Senate or the people will know the reason why.

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Riot in Pocomantas Co. LYNCHBURG, Va., Nov. 12.—A riot has broken out at Pocomantas. A riot has taken place between the natives and the Hungarian miners. Military force was sent to the scene of the disorder.

Heavy Frost. GARLAND, Tex., Nov. 12.—Specials from a number of points throughout North Texas report a heavy frost Thursday night, doing injury to the top crop cotton.

SUNNYSIDE, No. 2216 Charles-street Avenue, BALTIMORE, MD. A PRIVATE HOME for the treatment of DISEASES OF WOMEN. Located in one of the most desirable parts of the city. Terms reasonable and trained nurses. Address for particulars, J. H. SCLAFER, M. D., Cor. Charles and Centre sts., Baltimore, Md. nov5 6m

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

At a meeting of the Alexandria Medical Society held Friday, November 11th, 1887, the following resolutions were adopted: Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God in His inscrutable wisdom to remove from our midst our esteemed and honored associate, and while we bow to the Divine will we cannot but mourn his loss.

Resolved, That by the death of Doctor ALBERT FAIRBAX the Alexandria Medical Society has been deprived of one of its most valued, efficient and respected members—one whom in life it delighted to honor, and now that death has taken him from us we desire to express its appreciation of his high professional attainments and of his many noble traits of character.

Resolved, That as a physician he was noted for his zeal in the discharge of duty and for his skill in contending with disease and death; as a man and companion he has always exhibited the most amiable and admirable qualities of mind and heart, has been noted for his benevolence, affability and modesty, and by his death this society has lost a beloved and able associate, the community a useful citizen and the sick and all celestial kind sympathies forever bereaved. That the society tenders the bereaved family its heartfelt sympathy in this hour of gloom and sorrow.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE and published therein for publication. R. D. POWELL, M. D., Geo. T. KLUPISTEIN, M. D., Committee. T. MARSHALL JONES, M. D., WM. M. SMITH, M. D.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—The stock market opened heavy this morning, with first prices showing declines of from 1/8 to 3/8 per cent. from yesterday's final figures. The market was very active, however, and the weakness disappeared immediately and prices began to rise. The losses of the opening were soon wiped out and fractional gains established in most cases over the entire list. At 11 o'clock the market was active and strong at the best prices reached. Money easy at 3 1/2.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Reserve, decrease, \$1,199,150; Loans, decrease, 423,300; Specie, decrease, 2,285,000; Legal tenders, increase, 462,290; Deposits, decrease, 2,494,000; Undrawn deposits, increase, 12,400. The banks now hold in excess of the 25 per cent. rule, 8,557,400.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 12.—Virginia 6s consolidated 47; past due coupons 67; 10-40s 36 1/2; new 3s 62 1/2 bid to-day. ALEXANDRIA MARKET, November 11.—Flour is steady and without material change. The receipts of Wheat show but little increase and to improve whatever in quality; bright, sweet milling samples are rarely offered, and are about 1c higher, while speculative grades are stronger but unchanged; sales were made this morning at 75 1/2 to 79 for fair to good lots. Corn has advanced about 1c per bushel, and is in constant home demand. Rye and Oats are firm. Butter, Eggs, Potatoes, Apples and other produce, owing to very favorable weather, are generally sold at full prices.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 12.—Cotton firm and higher, middling 10 1/2, 10 3/4. Flour quiet at unchanged prices. Wheat—Southern quiet and steady; red 78 1/2; amber 81 1/2; Western dull and easy; No 2 winter red soft 80 1/2, 80 3/4; No 1 81 1/2, 81 3/4; No 3 83 1/2, 83 3/4. Corn—Southern firm; white 48 1/2, 48 3/4; yellow 47 1/2; Western quiet but firm; mixed soft 51 1/2 bid; year 50 1/2 to 51. Oats fairly active and steady; Southern and Pennsylvania 30 1/2; Western white 35 1/2; do mixed 33 1/2. Hogs—Common 10 1/2; Provisions quiet and firm. Coffee firm; Rio cargoes ordinary to fair 17 1/2, 18 1/4. Whiskey steady at \$1 14 1/2.

CHICAGO, Nov. 12. 11 a. m.—The grain markets opened a little stronger and more active this morning. Provisions were weaker, owing to liberal offers. The market for wheat opened at 73 1/4 and closed at 73 1/2. Corn started at 46 1/4 and sold to 46 1/4, 46 1/2. Jan Pork opened at \$13 07 1/2 and is now quoted at \$13. May Oct 29 1/2. Jan Lard \$6 57 1/2. Jan shorts \$6 55.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Cotton dull and easy, middling 10 1/2, Orleans 10 9 1/2; futures open and firm and closed steady. Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat better. Corn higher. Pork firm at \$14 00 1/2 to 14 1/2; old mess firm at \$23 50; lard dull at \$7 05.

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, NOVEMBER 12. Sun rises, 6:37; Sun sets, 4:51. ARRIVED. Schr Severn, Windsor, N. S., plaster to H Bryn at.

DIED.

On Friday, November 11th, 1887, at 8:30 o'clock p. m. JAMES W. MADDEY, in the 52nd year of his age. The funeral will take place on Sunday, the 13th instant, at 1:30 p. m. from his late residence, No. 106 south Columbia street. Friends are invited to attend.—[Washington and Baltimore papers please copy.]

In this city, November 12th, 1887, ANNIE J. wife of Samuel E. Jackson, in the 24th year of her age. Burial from her late residence, No. 309 North Alfred street, on Monday, Nov. 14th. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend.

On November 11, at 7:15 p. m. NATHANIEL CLARK, aged 79 years, died. Funeral Sunday at 10:30 a. m. from his late residence, No. 326 south Alfred street. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

SMOKED BLOATERS.

CLOVER LEAF BONELESS CODFISH and PRIME FAT MACKEREL just received by nov9 A. C. HARMON & CO. NEW CURRANTS. IMPERIAL CABINET and VALENCIA RAISINS. nov9 A. C. HARMON & CO. WE HAVE ON HAND A large stock of POTOMAC FARM, in barrels, containing CORN, and half barrels. J. T. & J. G. BECKHAM. NEW COPPER NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, extra fine quality, received to-day by J. C. MILBURN.

THOMAS'S LIQUID BLUE. IN PAPER BOTTLES. Entirely free from acids, and guaranteed pure. The greatest quantity for the least money of any pure goods on the market. Don't fail to try it. mh5 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON. GUNS, PISTOLS, PERCUSSION CAPS, WADS, &c., at a further reduction in price to close out. We have on hand the "Merino Belt Wads," Baltimore make, at manufacturer's prices. Call at 58 King corner of Royal street. nov9 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. DEPARTMENT TRADE, 1887. J. C. MILBURN. Offers a full line of FANCY and STAPLE GOODS, CELESTIALS at low prices. J. C. MILBURN, sep9 New No. 113 N. Royal st.

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CHOICE MALAGA GRAPES, Cape Cod Cranberries, 4 and 1/2 boxes London Layer Raisins, just received by nov9 J. C. MILBURN.