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Special Notices.

TO MEMBERS OF THE NEW YORK REPUBLICAN ASSOCIATION.—All members of this association desiring room rotation tickets to New York city during the month of September will notify me by the 2d of September, with the date that they will want them. H. M. CLAPP, Chairman Transportation Com.

OFFICE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COLORED SCHOOLS OF WASHINGTON AND GEORGETOWN, August 19, 1872.—The teachers connected with the Colored Schools of Washington and Georgetown are hereby notified to be present at the meeting, for assignment to positions, at the Sumner school hall, at 1 p. m., August 29, 1872. By order of the Board. J. H. RICHARDSON.

CHARLES SUMNER.

Prof. A. M. GREEN will vindicate Chas Sumner at Union League Hall, THIS EVENING at 8 o'clock.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE FIRST District will issue tickets of admission to pupils on TUESDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, the 27th, 30th and 31st instant, from 5 to 7 p. m., at the Franklin Building, corner of Thirteenth and K streets. No tickets will be issued at the private residence or place of business of the trustees. For the Sub-Board First District. A. HART, Chairman.

MY NEW STOCK OF SCHOOL BOOKS for the coming season is now ready and complete. By special arrangement with the publishers books for introduction will be sold at introduction prices at No. 1020 Seventh street, near New York avenue. RICHARD GORMLEY.

DR. FLODDARDO HOWARD HAS removed from his late residence to No. 617 F street northwest. Office hours 7:30 to 9:30 a. m., 1 and 3:30 to 4:30 p. m.

ASSOCIATED SURVIVORS WAR OF 1812, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. Every member is earnestly requested to meet at the Ma L on Ninth street, between D and E at 8 o'clock p. m., THIS EVENING, to make final arrangements for the visit to Baltimore. The flag will designate the place. Applications for membership can be tendered to this meeting. JAMES LAWRENSON, Secretary.

DR. THEODORE HUSMANN RETURNED from Rock Enon and Hanby Springs, Va., last night. August 28, 1872.

GO WEST CLUB.—THERE WILL be a regular meeting of the GO WEST CLUB at Clark's Hall, No. 479 Pennsylvania avenue, THIS (Thursday) EVENING, at 7:30. Rolls are still open for membership to go to Pittsburg. Band will begin to play at 7 o'clock. N. B. FITHIAN, President.

THE GERMANIA GUARDS WILL assemble at their Armory, 607 D street, MONDAY, September 2, at 7:30 p. m., by order of J. S. GROSCH, Jr., Captain, Commanding.

FOURTH DISTRICT PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—The Fourth District Public Schools will not be opened until MONDAY, September 9, owing to delay in the completion of the Jefferson School Building. No tickets of admission will be granted prior to TUESDAY, 10th instant, when they can be procured at the office of the Sub-board, in J. Ryan's Building, at 5 o'clock. [Star, Chronicle, Patriot.]

FINAL NOTICE TO DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS. COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, COLUMBIA LAW BUILDING, FOURTEEN-AND-A-HALF STREET NORTHWEST, WASHINGTON, August 24, 1872. Notice is hereby given that the list of all property which is in arrears for taxes has been furnished to the printer for publication. An opportunity will be given to all persons interested to redeem the same from sale by payment of the amount due at this office, on or before the first day of August, after which time the list will be published. W. H. SLATER, Collector.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS, SECOND DISTRICT.—The schools will open on MONDAY, September 2. Tickets of admission may be obtained from August 26 to 31st inclusive, at the Mitchell Building, between Sixth and Seventh streets, from 9:30 to 9:30 a. m., and at the Design Building, between Second and Third streets, from 3:30 to 6:30 p. m. It is desirable that the children for whom tickets are required appear in person. Tickets will not be issued by the Trustees at their places of residence or business. The teachers will meet at the Mitchell Building SATURDAY, August 31, at 10 o'clock, a. m. By order of the SUB-BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

PERSONS RESIDING AT MOUNT PLEASANT and in vicinity can have the PATRIOTIC left at their residences promptly every morning by leaving their name and address at the Cigar Stand of J. H. Rinder, No. 309 Seventh street, between Virginia avenue and D street southeast.

DR. KING HAS REMOVED FROM his old place on Pennsylvania avenue to No. 1146 Eighth street, one door south of Penna. avenue.

HOSTETTER'S SOMMONI STAR TONIC, GUACOMOLA, GUACAMA PLANTON, VINEGAR, BIGELER'S and other BITTERS. Bitter Wine of Iron, Parsons Syrup, Elixir of Calisaya and other fine Tonics. The largest stock and the lowest prices, at COUGHLIN'S TEMPLE DRUG STORE, Under Masonic Temple, Corner of Fifth and Ninth streets. SODA and MINERAL WATERS in their highest perfection on draught and cold as ice.

TO MANUFACTURERS, PAINTERS, VINEGAR-BROWERS AND OTHERS. I desire to sell the PATENT RIGHT FOR AN IMPROVED BELLOWS, which is adapted to the use of painters in sending light materials to any distance, as well as economical, than any other one in operating at least one half the time and expense, and is the most perfect instrument for transport of the Grape disease by means of the Sulphur Dire. Parties desiring to purchase State or the universal right will please address JOHN W. HENDLEY, Washington, D. C.

CIRCULATING LIBRARY IN Y. M. C. A. BUILDING, Corner of Ninth and D streets. THE WASHINGTON LIBRARY COMPANY would call attention to the fact that this is the only large Circulating Library in town. It contains over 12,000 Volumes, embracing works of History, Travels, Biography, Fiction and general Literature. The revenue, beyond incidental expenses, are devoted to the purchase of new books. Open from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. Terms, with right to take books home, $3 per annum. Visitors are respectfully invited to call and examine the catalogue. The Librarian will be in attendance at all times to give desired information.

THE COLUMBIAN COLLEGE, WASHINGTON, D. C. The Preparatory Department opens September 11, 1872. The College opens September 16, 1872. The Medical Department opens October 7, 1872. The Law Department opens October 2, 1872. For Catalogues, containing full information in regard to the several departments, address the president, JAS. C. WELLING.

ALEXANDRIA.—COMPLETE ARRANGEMENTS have long made for an early and prompt delivery of the DAILY NATIONAL REPUBLICAN throughout the city. Persons desiring to subscribe will please leave their names and address at the Dining Saloon of J. H. SIMPSON, No. 428 King street, and they will be promptly served. Only 45 cents per week. HENRY SIMPSON, Agent.

Single copies can be obtained every morning at the News Depots of J. P. COX, 315 King street, and GEORGE E. FRENCH, 95 King street.

DR. A. PRATT, GRADUATE OF OHIO College of Dental Surgery, 411 Seventh street, between D and E, a few doors south of Odd Fellows' Hall, Washington. Half prices to laboring persons. Refers to Dr. R. A. Hanon and Rev. W. H. Evans. sept-tf

GEORGETOWN.—PERSONS DESIRING the NATIONAL REPUBLICAN can have it delivered regularly for FIFTY CENTS per month, by leaving their names at the Cigar Store of James P. Stake, rumsmeer to H. G. Ritter, 136 Bridge street.

SOUTH WASHINGTON.—PERSONS residing in South Washington can have the REPUBLICAN left at their residences promptly every morning by leaving their name and address at the Cigar Stand of J. H. Rinder, No. 309 Seventh street, between Virginia avenue and D street southeast.

BOOK AND JOB PRINTING NEATLY AND PROMPTLY EXECUTED at the REPUBLICAN JOB OFFICE, northwest corner Tenth and D streets, over Green & Williams' auction store.

A REPUBLICAN OF THE FIFTH District—for the President of the United States all the while—ALFRED JONES is a candidate for the House of Delegates in behalf of laboring men and tax-payers. MANY VOTERS.

OFFICIAL. WAR DEPARTMENT, ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 26, 1872. General Orders No. 48: The following is an extract from section 1 of the "Act making appropriations for the support of the Army for the year ending June 30, 1873, and for other purposes," approved June 6, 1872. "For manufacture of arms at the national armory, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars: Provided, That no part of this appropriation shall be expended until a breech-loading system for muskets and carbines shall have been adopted for the military service upon the recommendation of the board to be appointed by the Secretary of War, which board shall consist of not less than five officers, as follows: one general officer, one cavalry officer, and three officers of the line—one to be taken from the cavalry, one from the infantry, and one from the artillery: Provided further, That the system, when so adopted, shall be the only one to be used by the ordnance Department in the manufacture of muskets and carbines for the military service; and no royalty shall be paid by the Government of the United States for the use of said patent to any of its officers or employees, or for any patent in which said officers or employees may be directly or indirectly interested." In conformity with the above provisions, a board will assemble in the city of New York on the 3d day of September, 1872, with authority to adjourn to Springfield armory in order to avail itself of the resources of that establishment, and has been placed at its disposal, to consider and recommend for adoption a breech-loading system for muskets and carbines for the military service. DETAIL FOR THE BOARD. Brigadier General A. H. Terry, U. S. Army. Colonel F. V. Hagner, Ordnance Department. Colonel H. H. Otis, 5th Infantry. Major M. A. Reno, 7th Cavalry. Captain L. L. Livingston, 3d Artillery. Second Lieutenant Henry Metcalf, Ordnance Department, to detailed a recorder of the board. All persons interested in small arms are invited to submit samples and appear in person, under such rules as may be adopted by the board. The Ordnance Bureau will supply such information bearing on the matters under investigation as may be called for by the board. By order of the Secretary of War: E. D. TOWNSEND, Adjutant General.

NOTICE OF OPENING A PUBLIC ROAD IN THE COUNTY OF WASHINGTON. BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS, OFFICE OF DISTRICT DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., August 26, 1872. Whereas an application in writing has been made to the undersigned for the opening of a road in the county of Washington from a point east of and near the residence of R. T. Hewitt, esq., on the north side of the Military Road, thence northwardly through the lands of R. T. Hewitt, Wm. Moreland, Joseph Daniels, and part of the land of Garrett's heirs, in said county, and whereas the undersigned believes the route so proposed to be the most direct and feasible route, and that the opening of said road is demanded by the public interest to enable a road to be opened as above described and laid out: And whereas the route so proposed has been by the director of the underground, duly surveyed and a plat thereof prepared and filed in our office: Notice is hereby given of the application aforesaid, as well as of the opening of the proposed road, and all persons having objections thereto are requested to make them known to the undersigned on SEPTEMBER 13, at noon, at the office of the Vice President of the Board of Public Works of the District of Columbia, Room No. 19, Morrison's Building, Four-and-a-half street, Washington, D. C., where any objections which may be made will be heard and considered. H. D. COOKE, A. S. SHEPHERD, JAMES A. MARSHALL, A. R. MULLETT, S. P. BROWN, Board of Public Works of the District of Columbia. By order of the Board. CHAS. JOHNSON, Assistant Secretary.

FOREIGN.

THE ELECTIONS IN SPAIN.

Death of Cardinal Quaglia—Affairs in Mexico—Diaz Disbands His Forces.

SPAIN.

Complete Returns of the Election.

MADRID, Aug. 28.—Complete returns of the election for members of the Cortes have been received. They show that 11 Alphonsistas, 1 Montpensierist, 10 Unionists-dynastists, 8 Sagastaists, 80 Republicans, and 200 Radicals were chosen. Emelio Castelar and Admiral Malcampo were among the successful candidates. Senor Rios Rosas was defeated.

RAILROAD STATION SCORED BY CARLISTS.

MADRID, Aug. 28.—A dispatch to the *Gaceta* reports that a band of Carlists attacked and robbed a railway station in the province of Verona, and cut the telegraph wires. Troops have been dispatched to the place, but at last accounts had not encountered the insurgents.

GREAT BRITAIN.

A Loan to Secure the Independence of Cuba.

LONDON, August 28.—The evening papers mention a rumor that a colonel of the insurgent army in Cuba has arrived here, with instructions from the provisional government to negotiate a loan of £20,000,000, the amount to be tendered to Spain for the independence of Cuba, and that although the provisional government have little hope that Spain will consent, they believe the offer will strengthen the insurgent cause among the foreign powers.

THIRTY PERSONS DROWNED.

The steamship Perseverance went ashore during the fog at the entrance of the harbor of Oporto, and became a total loss. Thirty persons were drowned.

GERMANY.

The War Indemnity.

LONDON, August 28.—Berlin journals state that the French Government will commence the payment of another installment of the war indemnity next week.

ITALY.

Death of a Cardinal.

ROME, August 28.—Cardinal Angelo Quaglia died suddenly to-day. He was 79 years old.

MEXICO.

Diaz Disbands His Forces—The Governor of Sinaloa Kidnapped.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—The steamer Montana brings later advices from Western Mexico. Diaz has disbanded his forces and gone toward Chihuahua. His object is unknown.

Flores, the Federal Governor of Sinaloa, while riding in the suburbs of Mazatlan, was seized by a gang of kidnappers, composed of late retired soldiers, and carried into the mountains. A large ransom is demanded for his release.

CANADA.

Cricket Matches.

OTTAWA, ONTARIO, August 28.—The second match of the series of games of cricket between the English Gentlemen's eleven and 22 picked men of the Canadian clubs was played to-day. The English were the first to bat, and made 201, of whom Grace, although suffering from sickness, made 72. The Canadians, in their first innings, scored 47 and went in again and were dispersed for 49.

NEW YORK.

A Baltimore Bank Robber Arrested.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—William Saunders, colored, was arrested to-day, at Jersey, at the instance of a detective, with him was found $5,300 in United States bills and Maryland bonds. He is supposed to be one of the perpetrators of the Maryland bank robbery. A dispatch received from Baltimore says Saunders is wanted for other crimes.

THE SCRANTON COAL SALE.

One hundred thousand tons of Scranton coal were sold at auction to-day as follows: Lump, 7,500 tons, at $2.15@2.25; steamboat, 7,500 tons, at $2.20@2.22½; grate, 22,000 tons, at $2.40; egg, 18,000 tons, at $2.42½@2.45; stove, 30,000 tons, at $2.75@2.80; chestnut, 15,000 tons, at $2.20@2.22½.

SAILED.

Mayor Vaux, of Jersey, sails to-day for Europe. He was *feted* by Mayor Hall yesterday.

HORACE GREELEY

left here for New Haven last night.

THE STATEN ISLAND FERRY PROPERTY.

Judge McMahon to-day granted a release of the attachment of Madden & Sanders on the property of the Staten Island Ferry Company, in order that a transfer of the property can be made to a purchaser, the company furnishing sureties for $20,000.

BONDS PURCHASED.

The United States sub-treasury to-day bought $1,000,000 bonds at 112.24 to 112.45.

CONVENTION OF AMERICAN CHEMISTS.

In the convention of amateur chemists to-day the committee on credentials reported delegates from Detroit, Saginaw, Boston, Rochester, Jersey City, Philadelphia, Newark, Brooklyn and New York. James M. Ferguson, of Philadelphia, was chosen permanent president, and A. F. Dexter, of Narragansett, vice president. The convention then adjourned.

FOR A CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR.

Henry C. Murphy, in a letter to the county clerk of Brooklyn, declines to be a candidate before the Democratic State convention at Syracuse for Governor.

MASSACHUSETTS.

The Republican State Convention.

WORCESTER, MASS., August 28.—The Republican State convention met here to-day. Hon. Thomas Talbot, of Billerica, a new candidate, was nominated for Lieutenant Governor. With this exception, the old State ticket, headed by Governor Wm. B. Washburne, was nominated. Judge E. R. Hoar, of Concord, and John M. Forbes, of Milton, were nominated for electors-at-large. There were 900 delegates.

Dr. Geo. E. Loring presided and spoke for an hour with great effect in behalf of Grant and Wilson and the Republican party.

On a ballot for Governor 96 votes were cast for Gen. Butler.

THE PROHIBITORY CONVENTION.

BOSTON, August 28.—The Prohibitory convention here to-day voted, 40 to 23, against nominating a temperance State ticket.

GENERAL JACOB ZEILIN,

chief officer of the Marine Corps, officially visited the Charlestown navy yard to-day, and will visit Portsmouth to-morrow.

TWO MARINES SENTENCED TO IMPRISONMENT.

Two marines, named Welsh and Donnelly, were taken to-day from the United States navy gate Worcester, now in the stream, and sent to the State prison at Weatherefield, Connecticut. They were tried at sea for using disrespectful language to an officer, and one account states that they struck the fleet marine officer, Major Butler. They were sentenced to seven years imprisonment, but the sentence was commuted at Washington to four years.

SERVANTS DROWNED IN A FOG.

A large party of roughs left Boston this morning, said to be bound for Camp Bello Island, off Eastport, Maine, to witness a prize fight between Timony, of Providence, and Kelly, of Boston. It is reported that the fight will take place Friday morning.

MISSOURI.

Two Murderers Killed—Hill-Posters in Convention.

ST. LOUIS, August 28.—Some days ago two desperadoes named McUlliand and Wright got into a quarrel at Hayes City, Kansas, in which Wright was killed and McUlland badly wounded. McUlland was placed in jail and chained to a post with "Pony" Donovan, a noted horse thief. On the second night of the murder a band of citizens visited the jail and killed both McUlland and Donovan.

The weather is much cooler since the storm of last night. Forty-eight fatal cases of sunstroke have occurred this summer of prostrations by the heat have occurred in this city within a week past.

At a meeting of Union soldiers last night it was decided to hold a State convention of soldiers and sailors on the 4th of September, when delegates will be elected to the Pittsburg convention.

A meeting of bill posters from different parts of the Union was held here yesterday for the purpose of organizing a national association. Representatives were present from several states. A committee was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws, and the association will be formally organized to-day.

HARRISBURG.

Convention of Democratic Soldiers.

HARRISBURG, Aug. 28.—A convention of Democratic soldiers and sailors opposed to the Pittsburg convention met at noon to-day.

The convention was called to order by Gen. Mulholland, who stated the object of the meeting. General Wm. H. McClandless was selected as president, and made an address, which was received with applause. He stated that the convention was preliminary to a call for a convention to be held in Philadelphia to enter a protest in opposition to the Pittsburg convention, and suggested organization throughout the State by counties and the selection of an executive committee.

The convention then adjourned to the Helton house at 2:30 to await the arrival of expected delegates in the noon train.

HARRISBURG, PA., Aug. 28.—The following were elected officers by the Democratic Soldiers' and Sailors' Convention to-day: President, Gen. Wm. McClandless; vice presidents, W. W. Hammersly, of Lehigh county; Col. Levi Marsh, of York county; Capt. Osmer, of Philadelphia; Maj. Gen. Jos. T. Kihlps, of Dauphin county, and R. O. Thompson, of Indiana county; secretaries, Miles Zeottmyer, of Huntingdon; John E. Scanlod, of Camoria, and Geo. S. Ewing, of Cumberland.

The afternoon session began at 2:30 o'clock. There were large accessions by the trains arriving at noon.

Capt. Miller, of Cumberland, read a letter from soldiers of Carlisle and vicinity protesting against the nomination of Grant and Hartranft, and declaring themselves in favor of Greeley and Buckalew. [Loud applause.]

It was agreed that the Chair appoint an executive committee of nine, who shall appoint one from each county to act in conjunction with them. Also, that the executive committee prepare an address to counteract the address issued in behalf of the Pittsburg convention. A lengthy protest was read in reply to the call issued by Gen. Burnside, in which the objects of the present convention were fully explained. It was agreed that this protest be referred to the committee of nine to make amendments, and that copies be printed and circulated among the soldiers of the State.

Col. Malsh delivered a few remarks; after which a motion was made that the convention meet on the 1st of October, to take whatever action may be necessary to counteract the influence of the Pittsburg convention. Adjourned.

UTAH.

The Diamond Excitement.

SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 28.—There is much excitement here to-day in consequence of the receipts of gems from the diamond mines of New Mexico. The rubies, emeralds, opals, garnets and sapphires received by the Savage company are pronounced genuine. The question of the genuineness of the diamonds is to be submitted to New York lapidaries for decision. Another expedition is organizing here to search for gems in New Mexico. Specimens of gold-bearing quartz received from Tintic to-day assay over $40,000 per ton.

THE LOUISVILLE CONVENTION.

Letter of Charles O'Conor.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—The *Inter-Ocean* to-morrow will publish the following letter from Charles O'Conor:

NEW YORK, August 27.

MY DEAR SIR: I was sick am in favor of the Louisville movement. Even the mere profession of adhesion to Democratic ideas must soon disappear if, without our marked dissent, the party can be transferred to its deadliest foe. (Signed) CHARLES O'CONOR.

LOUISIANA.

The Democratic and Liberal State Ticket.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 28.—The Democratic, Reform and Liberal conferees have agreed upon the following State ticket: For Governor, John McEnry; Lieutenant Governor, D. B. Penn; Attorney General, H. N. Ogden; Auditor, James Graham; Superintendent of Education, R. M. Lusher; Secretary of State, Samuel R. Olmstead, colored; Congressman at Large, B. F. Jones. This agreement is subject to the decision of the Democratic State central committee.

THE PACIFIC COAST.

Bitterness in the Stokes Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 28.—It is rumored that some of the witnesses in the Edward Stokes case are in California.

GEN. MCLELLAN.

Preparations are being made to give Gen. McClellan a grand reception on his arrival here this evening. The entire National Guard will escort him to his hotel.

Nominations for Congress.

ST. LOUIS, August 28.—The Republicans of the Seventeenth district yesterday unanimously nominated John B. Hay for re-election to Congress.

The Democrats of the Fourth district of Missouri have nominated R. H. Hatcher for Congress.

SYRACUSE, August 28.—The Republicans of the Twenty-fourth district to day nominated R. Holland Duell for re-election to Congress by acclamation.

HELLTOWN, PA., August 28.—The Republican County convention, in session here to-day, nominated ex-Governor Carter for Congress by acclamation.

UTICA, August 28.—The Oneida County Republican convention to-day, by acclamation, renominated Ellis H. Roberts for Congress.

ST. LOUIS, August 28.—The Liberals and Democrats of the Sixth district to-day nominated J. H. McGehee for Congress.

CHICAGO, August 28.—The Liberals of the Fifth district to-day nominated James Bunsmore for Congress.

JACKSON, MICH., August 28.—Chauncey Wisner, of East Saginaw, has been nominated by the Democrats and Liberals of the Sixth district for Congress.

Charles O'Conor to be Nominated for Governor.

ALBANY, August 28.—It is authoritatively stated that the leading candidates heretofore named for Governor at the Louisville convention and their friends have agreed to nominate by acclamation Charles O'Conor as the only person on whom all factions can be harmonized, and as the only absolute exponent of reform acceptable to the proposed coalition in this State.

It is also authoritatively stated that Gov. Hoffman has agreed to attend the convention in person and present the name of Charles O'Conor as the nominee. The point will be made by Judge Church and Gov. Hoffman, it is understood, had this basis; and it is also authoritatively stated that the friends of O'Conor have given assurances of their ability to secure his acceptance of the responsibility in the interests of reform.

The West Virginia Election.

GREENBRIER WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. VA., Aug. 28.—From the returns received the main issues of the State election are no longer in doubt. The new constitution has been ratified by from 1,000 to 2,000 majority, and the entire Democratic State ticket is elected except Chamlen. Jacob, the present Governor of the State, (Independent Democratic candidate,) is thought to be re-elected.

The Missouri Navigable Beyond Fort Benton.

HELENA, MONTANA, Aug. 28.—A reconnaissance just completed by competent engineers demonstrates that the Missouri river is navigable above the falls for a good class of steamers, two hundred and seventy-five miles beyond Fort Benton, the present head of navigation. A line of steamers is to be immediately placed on the upper Missouri to run in connection with the finished portion of the Northern Pacific railroad, making a direct eastern outlet for the entire trade of Montana.

Cotton Crop in Arkansas.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 28.—Accounts from Indian bay, Arkansas, say that no rain has fallen in that section for seven weeks. The cotton crop will not yield more than one third the usual average. Planters from West Tennessee and northern Mississippi state that the drought is causing the cotton to rust and shed, and that unless they have rain very soon the crop will be a failure.

New Trial of Dr. Schoppe.

CARLISLE, PA., August 28.—The new trial of Dr. Paul Schoppe for the murder of Miss Steinroke, three years since, commenced this morning. Much difficulty in procuring a jury is anticipated.

CARLISLE, August 28.—A jury in the Schoppe case was empanneled at 5 o'clock this evening. The court adjourned until 9 o'clock morning, when the case will be opened by the commonwealth.

The Crew of a Schooner Rescued.

PORTLAND, ME., August 28.—The steamer Franconia, from New York, reports that last evening, seven miles from Cape Cod, between that point and Nauset, she encountered the schooner F. A. Falsom, with Capt. Rose, the mate and crew, four in number, clinging to the bottom of the vessel, which left Boston yesterday forenoon, and at 1 p. m. was struck by a whirlwind and capsized.

Killed by a Boiler Explosion.

CLEVELAND, August 28.—The boiler in the rolling mill of Brown, Bonnell & Co., in Youngstown, Ohio, exploded this morning, and a fireman named Garahty was instantly killed. A large piece of the boiler fell on the house of Wm. Quingley, and instantly killed Mrs. Q. and child, and fatally injured Mr. Quingley.

Fires.

AUGUSTA, ME., August 28.—The saw-mills at Somerset Mills were burned last night, with a large quantity of lumber. They were owned by Lawrence Bros. and Wing & Butler. Loss, $50,000; insurance, $18,000.

WOODSTOCK, ILL., August 28.—The Exchange hotel and block of business houses were burned last night. Loss, $50,000. Incendiary.

The Cuban War Vessel Pioneer.

PROVIDENCE, August 28.—In the United States district court to-day, Judge Knowles sustained the Cuban war vessel, Pioneer, forfeited to the United States, and ordered a warrant of sale.

Whisky War in Dakota.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—A Jamestown, Dakota, dispatch states that Government troops surrounded that town yesterday, seized and destroyed all the liquor in the place, and imprisoned half a dozen whisky dealers.

Boiler Explosion at Gallipolis.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 28.—The boiler of a steam saw mill in Gallipolis, Ohio, exploded yesterday, killing John Jones, the proprietor, and two men named Clark and Webb, and wounding two others.

Chicago Delegates to the Pittsburg Convention.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—A large meeting of soldiers and sailors held here last evening selected fifty delegates to attend the national convention at Pittsburg. General John A. Logan heads the list.

Accident to Senator Wilson.

PORTLAND, ME., August 28.—Senator Wilson was knocked down by a runaway team last night, but escaped with a few slight scratches.

Michigan Delegates to Louisville.

JACKSON, MICH., Aug. 28.—The straight Democratic State convention to-day appointed C. C. Burland and Owen Green delegates to the Louisville convention.

"A MERCENARY HESSIAN" is what the Indianapolis *Sentinel* (it takes Greeley) called Carl Schurz. All because the orator charges $200 a night for telling Democrats their party is dead. —*St. Louis Globe.*

POLITICAL NOTES.

HENRY W. LONGFELLOW is an advocate of the re-election of President Grant.

EX-SENATOR GRAHAM N. FITCH, of Indiana, is spoken of as the possible candidate of the Louisville convention for Vice President.

OVER one thousand tanners were in procession at the Republican rally in Des Moines on the evening of the 21st instant.

THE Springfield *Republican* insists that Gratz Brown shall be dropped. That would be taking all the spirit out of the ticket.—*Toledo Blade.*

IT is estimated in Barry county, Mo., one out of every four Democrats will not support Greeley and Brown.

MISSOURI has to-day more than twice as many clubs that will work for Grant and Wilson than it ever had before in the history of the State.—*St. Louis Globe.*

AMONG the ridiculous bets of the campaign is one made by two men in Salt Lake City, in which the loser agrees to wear a Chinese suit of clothes for ninety days.

THE most completely dried up stumper in the nation is Doolittle. Since the publication of his "dear friend" letters to Connatty, he hasn't so much as been heard of.—*New York Commercial Advertiser.*

THE New York *Herald* warns the coalitionists of that State that they "cannot afford to trifle with their opportunity." It speaks of "the strong State ticket put in the field by the Republicans, headed by the popular name of General Dix for Governor."

THE Philadelphia *Press* says Horace Greeley "is no leader in any sense, and never was designed by nature to rule. Greeley has better qualities to make a first-rate servant than to constitute him a commander of men."

FRANK BLAIR secured Greeley's nomination at Cincinnati. Was it revenge upon him for having said, about a year ago, in the *Tribune*: "Whenever a stupendous political blunder is possible, we can depend upon Frank Blair to make it?"

A SINGLE issue of the *Tribune* last week contained bitter articles against Richard H. Dana, jr., William Lloyd Garrison, Wendell Phillips, Frederick Douglass, Gen. Dix and President Grant. What a change from the *Tribune* of a year ago!

CHARLES O'CONOR said recently: "The country is in a prosperous condition—teeming with plenty, in fact—and there is no cause for any kind of apprehension." The Madison *Journal* declares that to be the best speech yet delivered in favor of General Grant.

A CORRESPONDENT of the New York *Times*, writing from Pennsylvania, says: "For the last four weeks the prospect has been steadily improving, and to-day the tidings from every quarter of the State justify the statement that General Hartranft's success is certain."

THE *Rocky Mountain News* says: "The Congressional conflict in Wyoming is to be a three-cornered one. The Liberals have nominated I. W. Cook, the Democrats W. R. Steele, and the Republicans Judge Jones. Reviewing the field, it is pretty evident that the Republicans have a clear road to success."

IN Indiana the Republican campaign clubs are mustered by regiments, uniformed and mounted, and are doing splendid service in animating and rousing all loyal men and friends of good government to a sense of their duty. All these organizations are composed of young men, most of whom served in the war and helped to save the Union once before.

TRAIN'S *repertoire* of zoological illustrations is not yet exhausted. He observes apropos of the Liberal Democratic fusion, that "whenever a crocodile swallows a polecat there is always a large sized funeral shortly after." The advantage which Mr. Train evidently hints at here is, that the friends of the polecat will be spared the expense of a coffin.

WHEN Greeley wrote his American Conflict, he said that General Dix's order, "If any person attempts to haul down the American flag, shoot him on the spot," sent an electric thrill through the loyal heart of the country." Greeley had forgotten for the moment that at the same time his language was discouraging the loyal heart and aiding the rebels to fire the South.

THE Illinois *State Journal* declares it is too late to say that Mr. Greeley was nominated as a Republican at Cincinnati, and as a Republican candidate only consented to receive Democratic votes when tendered at Baltimore; for it is proven, and his friends have ceased to deny, that long before the Cincinnati nomination he had perfected a secret bargain to become the Democratic candidate.

A CORRESPONDENT writes to the New York *Times* from Cleveland: "We shall give an old-fashioned majority for Grant in Ohio, and I do not believe Greeley will carry a State west of us. Joseph W. Carson, chairman of the Democratic Central Committee, has just renounced the Greeley party and come out for Grant. The old Democratic German paper has bolted Grant. Does this look as though we would not get the German vote?"

SANGAMON county, Illinois, reports fifteen Republicans who have gone over to Greeley, and four hundred Democrats who have declared against him. Nearly every town in Illinois gives similar encouraging news. The Liberals in Springfield have adopted a curious manner of proceeding, namely: that of sending out threatening letters to old leading Democrats, scolding them because they do not declare in favor of the *Tribune* philosopher.

A ST. PAUL (Minnesota) merchant writes: "Greeley's election would bring changes all over the country, a scramble for office everywhere, a temporary and perhaps lasting derangement of values and productions; with at least a prospect of such a management of foreign affairs and the treasury as would seriously affect us in business. Grant's re-election would cause no changes; we could buy and make investments with practical certainty of another quiet and prosperous term of four years. Therefore I shall vote for Grant."

A DISPATCH from St. Louis says: The Irishmen in this city are feeling very sore over the result of the Democratic State convention. They expected to get one of their countrymen on the State ticket, but the convention not only gave the State Library office they sought for, but ignored them entirely; nor have they anything to expect from Congressional conventions; and the probabilities are county ticket will show the same absence of Irish on the State ticket. This studied and repeated ill treatment of the Irish has aroused a good deal of indignation, and there is a movement making among them which is likely to result in loss to the Democrats of a good many Irish votes.

FOR the introduction of Fourierism into this country, says the New York *Evening Post*, and for the course of experiments in practical association which followed, Mr. Greeley is more responsible than any other man save Albert Brisbane. He opened the *Tribune* to the Fourier propagandists; he wrote and lectured on Fourierism; he visited various associations; he attended Fourieristic conventions; he became the treasurer to one association, and offered to lend $12,000 to another; he pledged his property to the cause of association; he carried on in the *Tribune* a six months' controversy with Henry J. Raymond, editor of the New York *Times*, on the subject of Fourierism, in which he defended the principles of the French philosopher; and in a thousand other ways he expressed his great interest in the cause of socialism.

THIS is what Mr. Greeley said of the Democratic party only last year, and since then it has changed in nothing excepting in tactics: "It is rebel at the core to-day, hardly able to reconcile the defeats of Lee, Johnston, Bragg, Hood and Price, and the consequent downfall of its beloved Confederacy, with its traditional faith in Divine Providence. It would hail the election of a Democratic President in 1872 as a virtual reversal of the Appomattox surrender. It would come into power with the hate, the chagrin, the wrath, the mortification of ten bitter years to impel and guide its steps. It would devote itself to taking off or reducing tax after tax, until the Treasury was deprived of the means of paying interest on the national debt, and would hail the tidings of national bankruptcy with unalloyed gladness and concealed exultation. Whatever chastisement may be deserved by our national sins, we must hope that this disgrace and humiliation will be spared us."

THE Portland *Press* relates the following of a Greeley man at a Republican meeting: When the band began to play in front of the hall in the evening he said to himself, 'Hallo! our friends are going to have a meeting, I guess!' and he followed the people in and took a seat in the rear of the hall. 'Pooty good crowd,' said he to a sentimate, who was a stranger, 'first-rate meeting; glad to see our folks turn out so well; will give them Radicals fits this fall!' Then he settled down to hear Governor Noyes. He applauded when the rest did, and seemed to enjoy the speaking. After the meeting was over his neighbor asked him how he liked the speech. 'Fust rate, fust rate; he's a little hard on the Loons, but they've been pooty crooked, and need a little touching' up; but I liked it; 'twas the most sensible speech I've heard. 'Twas true; all true; every word of it;' and he was lost in the crowd, a very well satisfied man, apparently.

THE CITY AND DEPARTMENTS

Army Orders.

Captain Milton B. Adams, engineer corps, has been ordered to Louisville, Ky., to report to Major Godfrey Weitzel for duty.

Resignation Tendered.

It is understood that Mr. Jas. M. Ray, Third Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue, has tendered his resignation, to take effect on the appointment of his successor.

Quick Work

A dispatch containing sixty-nine words was sent by Mr. Mullett yesterday to St. Louis, with order to repeat. In ten minutes from the time of filing the message had been repeated back to Washington, and the copy ready for Mr. Mullett's inspection.

Patents to Washingtonians.

The following patents to Washingtonians were announced at the Patent Office yesterday: Edward W. Woodruff, for combined blacking-box, brush and holder, and M. Galody, for method of preserving animal and vegetable substances.

Treasury Decision.

Acting Secretary Richardson has decided not to exact the bond required of importers of material to be manufactured into articles for shipbuilding, which was prescribed by the recent circular, dated August 2, the Department relying for its lien upon the vessel for payment of duties.

Naval Matters

Master George W. Tyler and Ensign Edward A. Field have been ordered to torpedo duty. The United States steamer Wyoming arrived at Key West, Tuesday, from Aspinwall, and has been ordered to New Bedford, Mass., to recruit the health of the officers and crew. The Shawmut has been ordered to take the place of the Wyoming.

Consuls Recognized.

The President has recognized the following consuls: Teodoro Lommen Meyer, consul general of Costa Rica for the State of California; Francisco Iserrera, consul of Costa Rica at San Francisco; Washington Booth, consul of Chili at Baltimore; Edward Shippen, consul of Chili at Philadelphia.

Appointments.

The President has appointed the following postmasters: Charles C. Gagon, Lacon, Ill.; Luther S. Platt, Naugatuck, Conn; Francis C. Delming, Virginia City, Nevada; Alex. McDonell, Hanseta, Cal.; Ambrose E. Gorton, Chittenango, N. Y.; John R. Beaty, Eaton, Ohio, and L. D. F. Four, receiver of public moneys at Springfield, Dakota.

The Geneva Board.

The State Department has received official dispatches from Geneva, reporting the progress of the board of arbitration. While it is not proper, at this time, to make public the purport of these dispatches, it may be said that they are entirely satisfactory to the Administration, and will, it is believed, be commended by the country as soon as published.

Resigned.

Mr. James C. Rankin, for some time the Assistant Supervising Architect of the Treasury Department, has accepted the position of superintendent of the proposed custom-house building in Chicago, and will leave for that place in a few days. The position vacated will not be filled, Mr. Mullett assuming the entire duties of the bureau. Mr. Rankin will carry with him the best wishes of a legion of friends for his future prosperity and success in the city that is hereafter to enjoy the benefit of his talent and energy.

St. Louis Post Office.

The acting Secretary of the Treasury yesterday decided to purchase, under certain conditions, block 129, in St. Louis, for the site of the new post office and custom house in that city. This site received the favorable consideration of all the members of the commission, but the price exceeding $100,000, the amount appropriated, they did not feel at liberty to recommend its purchase. Secretary Boutwell is in favor of purchasing this lot, provided the merchants of St. Louis are willing to make up the deficiency. Otherwise the Crow lot, square 195, will be accepted.

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