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EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Republican National Convention will be held at Minneapolis.

PRESIDENT FONSECA's career as President of Brazil was brief and inglorious, for he was never more than a dictator.

PORK is better than politics; and the removal of the embargo on American pork in France, largely through the efforts of the American minister, will be welcomed by all Americans.

WALLACE C. ANDREWS, president of the New York Steam company has confiscated \$3,000,000 worth of the company's stock, and resigned his position.

DURING the coming winter and spring some twenty or thirty valuable silver mining properties will be opened in Montana. Two or three million dollars of capital will be invested in rich mines in Northern Mexico and Lower California.

It is to be sincerely regretted if the reports of unpleasantness and quarrelling between Stanley and his wife, pretty Dorothy Tennant, are true. The blame is all put upon Stanley. Has he perhaps been attempting wild African methods with a high spirited English woman?

The mechanical engineers are the busiest engineers at present, devising new machinery for steam and electric power. At no time has there been as much anxiety and necessity for power machinery for heavy work as now. The founders are turning out the heaviest castings ever made.

HON. LOCK MCDANIEL, of Grimes county, Texas, a stalwart republican in an interview with a Galveston News man expresses the opinion that Harrison will be renominated on the Republican ticket and Cleveland on the Democratic ticket. He further predicts that Harrison will snow Cleveland under on the tariff issue, but that's where he is not so wise as he seems.

When a Georgia editor gets ready to move he will move and the little matter of walking seventy-five miles will not deter him as will be seen by the following: A Georgia editor who had boycotted a railroad for refusing him a pass was not prevented from moving his paper to another town. He shipped his hand press by another road and walked the whole distance, a matter of seventy-five miles.

J. H. GIRARDEAN tells the readers of Farm and Ranch how to effectively protect trees from cattle, at small expense. He says: I took barbed wire, cut it into lengths of five feet, stapled one end to the tree about two feet from the ground, and taking the other end with claw of the hammer. I wound the wire firmly around the tree to a point about four and a half feet from the ground, fastening the upper end also with a staple.

The New York Daily Indicator very tersely and forcibly remarks: "We have stopped building useless railroads; ceased capitalizing property at the rate of \$5 to \$1 of value; ceased dealing frantically in holes in the ground; given up piling in the United States Treasury money that was required in circulation, and in a hundred ways improved our manners, methods and conditions."

The News of Fonseca's resignation as President of Brazil will be received with gratitude, as everybody knows that his reign has been that of a dictatorship, abruptly dissolving congress because he could not carry it all his own way. Fonseca's resignation would be a tardy recognition on his part of the fatal mistake he had made, as well as a happy termination of the trouble that his stupid ambition has brought on his country.

The Democratic legislature of Ohio found the state gerrymandered in the interest of the Republicans, and recast the districts so as to secure a majority of the members of congress at the election last fall. The incoming legislature is decisively Republican and it is reported that it will return to the former arrangement of the districts so as to secure as many Republican congressmen as possible. Thus an election for members of the legislature in that state is a matter of interest to the Ohio congressman.

STATE NEWS.

—Amarillo is to have a broom factory.

—Santa Anna is to have water works.

—There was a sleet at Paris Saturday night.

—Coleman county schools are well attended.

—Emigrants are pouring into Potter county.

—Quanah's broom factory is doing a good business.

—Sterling City has recently had a large hotel built there.

—The schools of Angelina county are reported flourishing.

—A successful religious meeting has just closed at Yoakum.

—Heavy rains are reported from all the dry western counties.

—The residence of Mrs. Clary burned at Henrietta Tuesday.

—Young Men's Christian association organized at San Marcos.

—The long drouth in Angelina county has at last been broken.

—The Quannah bank has declared a 13 per cent dividend this year.

—The Warren lumber company still guarding its track at Warren.

—The residence of Mrs. Isenhower, of Ft. Worth, was burned Sunday.

—Jno. E. Durkee's residence in Houston was burned Thursday night.

—A car loaded with eighteen bales of cotton was burned at Denison Wednesday.

—S. D. Bond and Tom Pagitt have been arrested in Dallas on a charge of arson.

—The loss on the Marx stock of groceries burned at Corsicana Monday was \$1500, and the barber shop \$800.

—Jack Davenport, formerly a justice of the peace in Fort Bend county has been charged with obtaining cotton on a forged order at Houston.

—A farmer named Swafford was held up and robbed of a small sum money two miles north of Weatherford Tuesday by two masked horsemen.

—A. Bert, a man about Texarkana shot and killed Deputy Sheriff Marney at Richmond in the next county last Saturday. The murderer was arrested.

—Some time since the court house and jail at Homer was burned and now the people of Lufkin propose to duplicate it if they are given the county seat.

—There is a general jubilant feeling at Mount Pleasant over the costly improvements of the springs there and the rising of the college for the Methodist church.

—Major Shaw, a negro 75 years of age, was called to his door near Terrell Tuesday and shot by Mindsey Ellis, a mulatto boy 20 years of age. He was sent to jail without bail.

—Frost Hutchcraft, tried at Sherman for assault to murder Marshal Blaine in the general shooting there last July when three persons were wounded, was given four months in jail and \$300 fine.

—Dr. J. L. Hawkins, an old and respected citizen, died at Navasota Tuesday from an overdose of chloroform, but whether taken accidentally or not is not known. After he took the drug he asked to be let alone and was found dead afterwards.

—Frauk Palmer, of Albany, is charged with filing false affidavits to the bounty on eight coyotes that were not killed by him. He was placed under \$300 to await the action of the grand jury. This is the first case of the kind growing out of the scalp law.

—George W. King, one of the LaSalle county stockmen who was indicted last May in Laredo for stealing cattle, died in Seguin. A telegram received there by G. W. Elhausen, his partner, who is a co-defendant, announced his death at the residence of his father.

—Five young men of Denton county, near Argyle, who formerly stood well in the community are charged with the serious offense of debauching Lula B. Cocksey, a fifteen year old girl, and John White, Earnest and Jake Clayton have been arrested and are in jail, the other two not having been arrested. It is charged that the young lady was induced by fraud to accompany the party at night to the house of a neighbor, where it was claimed there was to be a dance, she being accompanied by her two brothers, nearly grown. On their arrival at place it was found that no arrangement had been made for a dance at the place, and some of the party, it is charged, made the two brothers drunk, and taking charge of the girl, debauched her brutally on the way home. Statements, however, are conflicting in the matter, and the friends of the young men are fully confident that they can and will be vindicated upon an investigation of the case.

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