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THE LATEST NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

THE OHIO UNION STATE CONVENTION. LARGE AND ENTHUSIASTIC ASSEMBLY.

LIST OF NOMINATIONS MADE. The Delegates to the Baltimore Convention.

THE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED. PRESIDENT LINCOLN'S RE-NOMINATION RECOMMENDED.

FROM THE GRAND ARMY. LEE'S ARMY STILL ON THE RETREAT.

Rebels attack the 5th Corps. Warren, Hancock and Burnside after them.

THEY ARE HANDSOMELY REPULED. Rebels Calling out Boys 15 years old to Garrison Richmond.

REPORTS FROM LOUISIANA. Illinois Republican State Convention.

Gen. R. J. Oglesby Nominated for Governor, and Wm. Bross of the Chicago Tribune for Lieutenant Governor.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS FROM COLUMBUS.

FROM WASHINGTON. First Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Second Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Third Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Fourth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Fifth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Sixth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Seventh Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Eighth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Ninth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Tenth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Eleventh Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Twelfth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Thirteenth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Fourteenth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Fifteenth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Sixteenth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Seventeenth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Eighteenth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Nineteenth Dispatch.

FROM WASHINGTON. Twentieth Dispatch.

The following resolutions reported from the Committee by Hon. Benj. Stanton, Chairman, were adopted with immense cheers and without a dissenting voice.

Resolved, That the people of Ohio, in Convention assembled, solemnly renew the pledges heretofore made to the country, that they will, in the future, as they have in the past, maintain the Government with all the resources of men and money in suppressing this wicked, atrocious and unshakable rebellion against the Constitution and the laws.

Resolved, That the loyal, popular instinct of the people in demanding the re-election of Abraham Lincoln to the Presidency, illustrates the highest wisdom, and that in obedience to it this Convention cordially recommends to the National Union Convention his re-nomination.

Resolved, That we congratulate the country upon the brilliant successes of our arms and make acknowledgments of our gratitude to the Army and the Navy of the United States, for their past services, which we accept as guaranty that under Providence, final victory will speedily come and the rebellion be forever crushed.

Resolved, That with just pride we proclaim the fact, that in the Cabinet, in the field, and in Councils of the Nation, the ability, fidelity and patriotism of Ohio, have been proudly manifested.

Resolved, That this Convention hereby pledges the cordial support of the Union men of Ohio to the great measures which have marked the Administration of Abraham Lincoln, and especially do we approve the pending amendment to the Constitution to make the States of the Union all free, and all Republican, and, therefore forever one and indivisible.

The State Central Committee was announced as follows: 1st District, J. V. Guthrie, of Hamilton.

2d, H. G. Armstrong, of Hamilton. 3d, J. M. Millikin, of Butler.

4th, William Garvey, of Miami. 5th, John Walker, Anguaise.

6th, James Parrell, Fayette. 7th, A. B. Butler, Franklin.

8th, Thos. C. Jones, Delaware. 9th, F. W. Khan.

10th, D. Steels, Lucas. 11th, James Tripp, Jackson.

12th, D. H. Willard, Hocking. 13th, John A. Sinslet, Licking.

14th, S. S. Warner, Loring. 15th, D. C. Pinkerton, Morgan.

16th, H. Skinner, Guernsey. 17th, Josiah H. Hirst, Stark.

18th, Jno. C. Grannis, Cuyahoga. 19th, C. R. Hunt, Trumbull.

The Convention then adjourned with enthusiastic cheers for Grant and the army and navy.

This evening Governor Brough, Benjamin Stanton, Hon. John A. Bingham and others addressed a large crowd in front of the State House until a late hour.

The State Central Committee has selected the following Executive Committee: Dr. G. Volney Dorse, President; James Williams, Secretary and Treasurer; and Ex-Governor William Dennison, Henry Miller, Theodore Comstock, B. Gilmore, and A. B. Buttle.

FROM WASHINGTON. First Dispatch. REPORT OF TREASURY INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—The evidence before the Treasury Investigating Committee, in some cases of the most conflicting nature. A leading railroad man and another prominent citizen of New York, swear positively to an attempt on the part of a certain Bank Note Company, to bribe Mr. Clarke to abandon the effort to print Government notes and bonds in the Department. The President of the Bank Note Company swears directly and positively to the contrary.

The evidence about 'alleged immoralities in the private life of officials in the Printing Bureau, consists almost wholly of the admissions of prostitutes submitted to the Committee by the detective who worked up the case. The Committee has not decided whether to summon these women or not. But a single lady employed in the Department has been found to make any charge of the kind. She swears that on the occasion one of the subordinate Clerks in the Bureau walked at her, and that at another time he made an ambiguous remark to her, which was susceptible of an improper construction.

LETTER FROM GENERAL McCLELLAN. It is understood that Gen. McClellan has written to one of his friends that in his opinion unless Grant has undertaken Lee's strength the only contingency in which his campaign is likely to prove a failure is a failure to receive sufficient supplies.

DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE. Democratic leaders in Congress begin to agitate the propriety of postponing their nomination of a Presidential candidate, till the close of the summer campaign.

THE IRON CLADS. The House Naval Committee listened today to a majority report in favor of New London as site for Iron Clad Navy Yard, an exceedingly elaborate minority report in favor of League Island has been prepared.

The House Military Committee agreed this morning to squelch all propositions to increase the pay of army officers.

The administration members talk of holding a joint caucus from the two Houses to consider the questions raised by the application of Senators and Representatives from Arkansas for admission. The whole question of reconstruction is involved and the party is utterly without any fixed policy of the subject. The three Representatives were heard at length in support of their claims before the House Election Committee this morning. They made plausible statements and some of the Committee are inclined to receive their application with considerable favor.

A train loaded with five hundred of our wounded from the Fredericksburg hospital came in last night; these not

able to come by rail were placed on transports and sent around by water. The wounded are all removed from Fredericksburg.

Second Dispatch. WASHINGTON, May 25. The feeling over the news from the front as announced in an official bulletin, is hopeful but not enthusiastic.

Nothing is expected from Sherman till the fall of Atlanta.

There are rumors that the rebels are evacuating Richmond, but they are utterly unfounded.

The House Naval Committee took up the subject of the construction of the Naval Engines.

This morning Quinlan of New York, and Bushnell of New Haven, were examined at some length. The Committee expect to report upon the subject before Congress finally adjourns.

The tariff bill will not come before the House until Saturday, and probably not till Monday next. Large numbers of Pennsylvania men, were urging still higher duties upon steel and iron. It is said that the bill will, on an average, come fully up to the resolution temporarily adopted by the House.

Several more witnesses were examined by the Treasury Investigating Committee this morning.

The accusers begin to feel as though they were in a bad predicament. They have as yet utterly failed to substantiate or even give a reasonable show of probability to a single charge. This, too, in the face of the fact that so bitter an enemy of the administration, and so violent an accuser of the Department as James Brooks is a leading member of the committee.

A statement in a New York paper, purporting to give an account of a Cabinet meeting yesterday, at which certain members denounced the policy of the Government in the recent Spanish extradition case, and in suppression of newspapers, is utterly and absolutely unfounded.

The debate in the Senate today looks as if the gentleman having the assurance to claim a seat in that body from Arkansas stood a very slim chance, indeed, of getting it. Charges are made that he voted for the Secession Ordinance in Arkansas.

FROM LOUISIANA. (Special to the Cleveland Leader.) MOUTH OF THE RED RIVER, VIA CAIRO, May 25. The fleet of gunboats and transports are all out of the Red River.

General Smith's Corps are embarked on transports, and General Banks' army are marching across from Simmesport to Morganza.

Generals Canby and Banks are here. It is not known what will be the next movement.

NEW ORLEANS, 19TH, VIA CAIRO, May 25. All feel very gloomy here about the disaster on the Red River, the consequences of which are beginning to be felt throughout this department. Before Banks advances from Natchitoches, all was bright and cheerful. Now all is changed, and the rebels are threatening defeat at Franklin, Brashear City and land at this point.

They are persecuting the residents who have taken the Amnesty oath, and General Polk has sent a force to Mississippi to annoy us. The guerrillas have fired into our steamers in several instances below the Red River, but doing us as yet, but little damage.

Major-General McClellan is lying dangerously ill in this city, from some chronic disease. Fears are entertained for his recovery.

FROM CHICAGO. (Special Correspondence of Cleveland Leader.) CHICAGO, May 25. The Union State Convention which met at Springfield today, was very fully attended, and entirely harmonious. Major General R. J. Oglesby was nominated for Governor, and William Bross, of the Chicago Tribune, for Lieutenant Governor. Both on the first ballot.

CHICAGO, May 25—12:45 A. M. The following is the complete ticket nominated for State officers by the Union Convention at Springfield to-day: Governor, General Richard J. Oglesby, of Mason county.

Lieutenant Governor, William Bross, of Chicago. Secretary of State, Sharon Lyndale, of St. Clair.

Auditor, O. H. Miner, of Sangamon. State Treasurer, James L. Beveridge, of DeKalb.

Superintendent of Public Instruction, Newton Bateman, of McLean. Congressman at large, S. M. Meullon, of Shelby.

The first resolutions offered, which were somewhat qualified in their endorsement of President Lincoln, were tabled and a new set more emphatic in their endorsement of him will be offered.

CONGRESSIONAL. WASHINGTON, May 25. RESOLVE. A committee of Conference on the Bank Bill was ordered.

Mr. Trumbull, from the Judiciary committee reported favorably on the bill to provide for the taking of a census in 1865. A message was received from the House, announcing its non-concurrence in the Senate's amendments to the Bank Bill.

On motion of Mr. Sherman the Senate adhered to a committee of Conference which was ordered to be appointed by the chair to meet that of the House.

A motion of Mr. Lane, of Kansas, to have the oath administered to Mr. Fish as Senator from Arkansas, was debated at some length by Mr. Lane in favor, and Mr. Howard in opposition, without coming to any conclusion.

The Internal Revenue bill was then taken up. Mr. Harris offered an amendment to the Finance Committee amendment, the object of which is to make the tax on beer, and porter, &c., \$1 25 cts. for 64 gallons—adopted.

Mr. Morrill from the Conference committee reported in favor of fulfilling the

A dispatch from Grant, dated 11 o'clock last night, states that the army moved its position to North Anna, following closely on Lee's army. The 6th and 6th corps marched by the Harris' Store to Jerrie's Ford, and the 5th corps succeeded in effecting a crossing and getting into a position without much opposition. Shortly after, however, they were violently attacked and handily repulsed the attack without any loss of men. It was captured some prisoners. Everything looks exceedingly favorable.

Another dispatch giving a detail of the movements and speaking of the rebel assault on Warren's position, says he was attacked with great vehemence. He was not heard nor rapid firing either of artillery or musketry. The attack resulted in a destructive repulse to the enemy. At the position attacked by Hancock the rebels fought across the stream. It is also said that in these engagements the slaughter of the enemy was great. Our losses were inconsiderable. The rebels charged against our artillery and suffered, especially from snipers at Sumner's position.

A dispatch from Grant, dated 8 o'clock this morning, has also been received. It states that the enemy have fallen back from the North Anna and we are in pursuit. Warren has 400 prisoners. Hancock has some 300. Wright has picked up some 200. The whole number resulting from yesterday's operations, will not fall short of 1000. Warren has captured over 300 killed and wounded. The prisoners captured who are in a great part North Carolinians were much discouraged and say the lines has deceived them.

The pursuit is detested by the great figure of the men, still Hancock and Warren will reach the South Anna by nightfall.

Gen. Butler in a despatch dated headquarters 7 o'clock this morning, reports that Maj. Gen. Pitts High Lee, lately promoted, made with cavalry, infantry and artillery, an attack upon my p. at Wilson's Wharf, north side of James river, below Fort Mifflin, on the 22nd inst. Two regiments, all negro troops, Brig. Gen. Wild commanding, and was handsomely repulsed.

Before the attack, Lee sent a flag of truce stating that he had force enough to take the place and demand the surrender, and that in case the garrison should surrender they should be turned over to the authorities at Richmond as prisoners of war; but if that proposition was rejected, he would not be answerable for the consequences when he took the place.

General Wild, replied: "We will try shot." Reinforcements were at once sent, but the fight was over before their arrival. Our loss is not yet reported.

No other news of military operations have been received by the Department since my telegram at 2:30 last evening. R. M. STANTON.

UNION CONVENTION AT SPRINGFIELD. SPRINGFIELD, Mo., May 25. The Union Convention at Springfield met here to-day.

The following was adopted by acclamation, the Convention rising and cheering heartily: Resolved, That this convention, approving the administration of Abraham Lincoln, and recognizing his integrity and patriotic efforts to suppress the rebellion which he found in existence upon his inauguration, hereby expresses its preference for his re-nomination for the office of President of the United States.

FROM LOUISVILLE. LOUISVILLE, May 25. The Democratic Union State Convention met at ten o'clock at the Court House. Hon. James Guthrie, President, and Jas. S. Wallace, Secretary. Four delegates at large and two from each Congressional District were selected by acclamation. Kentucky in the Chicago Convention. It was also resolved that an electoral ticket be selected on the same basis. In the afternoon session electors and delegates were appointed to represent the Convention at the convention of the National Union Convention at Baltimore.

The convention at their evening session were occupied in the discussion of resolutions, the result of which has not yet transpired. The Republican Convention met at noon, at Mozart Hall. Fifty-eight names were represented, and delegates from twenty counties were present. Hon. G. W. Williams was appointed President and Colonel A. C. Hodges, Secretary. Among the prominent speakers were R. J. Breckinridge, S. F. Burton, Leslie Anderson and Judge Wilfong. Mr. Breckinridge told the Convention in his speech that if he was appointed a delegate he should vote for Lincoln and nobody else, and was rapturously applauded. Allusions to President Lincoln and to the prospect of universal freedom by the speakers never failed to bring down the house. Mr. Breckinridge was appointed one of the delegates who were appointed from the State at large, and two were appointed from each Congressional District to represent the Republicans at the Baltimore Convention. The Convention passed the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Union men of Kentucky, in Convention assembled, are for the preservation and maintenance of the Union, the supremacy of the constitution, and the destruction of the rebellion, without any regard to what these objects may cost.

The proceedings of the Convention were harmonious and enthusiastic.

RADICAL UNION CONVENTION. JEFFERSON CITY, May 25. A Radical-Union State Convention was organized this morning, with Colonel W. Bennett of Boone as President. Four hundred and fifty delegates were present, representing eighty-four counties. The following nominations have been made: For Governor, Thomas C. Fiecher, of Iron county.

Lieutenant Governor, George Smith, of Caldwell. Secretary of State, Francis Rodman, of Buchanan.

The Convention is still in session, and excels to complete the ticket to-night.

Yesterday Afternoon's Report. HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF POTOMAC. GENERAL STANTON, May 25. The advance of the army under Hancock arrived at Milford yesterday, and met the force of the enemy, which is said to be about 18,000 strong, and drove them through the town, pursuing them some distance. Our loss is uncertain. The attack made our headquarters train near Guinea's Station yesterday afternoon. The 11th Regiment Pennsylvania Reserves, with the 9th Pennsylvania Volunteers, formed the line and drove the rebels, consisting of the 9th Virginia Cavalry, across the bridge.

One man of the 9th Pennsylvania was killed and two of the 9th wounded. Several prisoners were taken. 10 P. M.—General Hancock is seven miles south of Bowling Green and occupies the bridge over the Mataponi. Our cavalry had a good deal of fighting, but drove the enemy all the time. Our position now is deemed an important one, and Richmond is in greater danger than ever.

FROM CUMBERLAND. NEW YORK, May 25. A special to the General from Cumberland Mt., 24th, says that Gen. Hunter assumed command of this Department on the 21st, with headquarters in the field.

FOREIGN ARRIVAL. NEW YORK, May 25. The Glasgow, from Liverpool the 12th has arrived.

The Asia, from Liverpool, May 14th, and Queenstown 6th, has arrived.

C. J. Greenleaf, May 14th—Governance has concluded on a trip for one month, commencing on the 12th inst.

The allies remain in possession of Jutland and the Danes of Alsen.

The auction sale of fine plated ware, watches, jewelry, fancy articles, etc., takes place this (Thursday) morning, at the auction room of O. Carter & Son, No. 134 Bank street, and is to commence at 10 o'clock a. m. MAY 26.