THROUGH THE STATE.

PETERSBURG AND VICINITY.

The Close of the Canvass—Governor Cameron Confident of Evans's Election.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

PETERSBURG, November 3, 1884.

Governor Cameron arrived in this city yesterday afternoon, and took rooms at Jarratt's hotel. He will remain here until after the election, and to-morrow cast his vote for Busing, Logan, and Evans. He has practically assumed direction of the Evans canvass, and to-day has been in busy consultation with the leaders of that party. Your correspondent called upon the Governor last night and elicited his views in regard to the status in this district. He said he was not prepared to give details, but his judgment, founded upon the information he had received, is that Joseph P. Evans, the colored candidate, will not only receive a majority of the Republican votes in Petersburg, but that he will beat Colonel Brady by a handsome majority in the district. He feels no doubt on this point. When asked his opinion of Colonel Brady's estimates of his majorities, the Governor said they are wrong, and that the result will prove them so. The Governor smiled when reference was made to Colonel Brady's boast that, as between himself and the Governor, he (Colonel Brady) would receive two votes from Confederate soldiers to one for Cameron. "I am not running for office," said the Governor. His Excellency was asked what he thought would be the effect of the telegram from the National Republican Committee requesting Evans to withdraw in favor of Brady, and recognizing the latter as the regular Republican nominee. "It will have no material effect," said he; "there it has served to more firmly unite and solidify the colored people for Evans. Away off in the counties, the negroes who have never heard of "B. F. Jones," will look upon the telegram as a roseback and a campaign rose, against which they have been abundantly warned. And, moreover, there is no evidence that the telegram is official. This telegram was written here during Senator Chalfee's visit, and was sent to New York for signature. The Governor stated that on the 25th of October the National Committee unanimously voted not to interfere in the factional fight in this district, and yet, strange to say, on the day following the telegram to Evans was sent. It is, moreover, understood that the committee promised a number of Virginia Republicans who visited headquarters in New York that no side would be taken with either party. There is a secret history connected with this telegram which the Governor promises to unearth after the election.

THE NEGROES AROUSED.

The excitement among the negroes was increased yesterday by urgent appeals made from the pulpits of one or more of the colored churches in behalf of Evans. In one of the churches, it is said, the pastor appealed to race-pride; told his congregation it was their duty to support the candidate of their race, and that they would be cutting their own throats, in a crisis like this, not to vote for Evans. These remarks, it is said, caused much feeling and confusion in the church, and have given rise to a great deal of comment on the streets.

All day to-day a large crowd of negroes has been gathered about the Evans headquarters, where speeches of encouragement have been made. And all through the streets to-day colored men have been marching, displaying the red badges of Brady or the blue badges of Evans on their breasts. The fight is certainly a very interesting one, and both factions are confident of victory. There are many who think that while Evans may have the vote, Brady will get the returns.

It is estimated that over four thousand votes will be cast in this city to-morrow, notwithstanding the fact that many voters are absent at work in other places.

It is stated that Marshal Hughes had no other hand in the appointment of the large force of deputies for this city than the signing of his name to the blank commissions. These blanks were filled up by parties here.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

A twelve-year-old son of Mr. Jerome B. Brown met with a painful and serious accident yesterday. While running along the track of the Norfolk and Western railroad with an open knife in his hand he stumbled and fell, running the blade into his side.

All the political parties held their final rallies to-night.

Dr. George F. Rives was reported somewhat better this morning, but his condition is critical.

Several prominent Republican politicians from the North arrived here this afternoon. ROBIN ADAIR.

PROMINENT MINISTER DEAD.

Dr. C. C. Chaplin Breathes His Last in Texas—Sketch of His Career.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

DANVILLE, VA., November 3, 1884.

Information was received here this morning that Rev. Dr. C. C. Chaplin died at his home, in Brenham, Texas, last night about midnight. During his stay in Virginia last summer he was suffering from a complication of liver- and heart-disease, and his friends had no much hope of his recovery.

Dr. Chaplin was born here, and was fifty-two years old. He attended Richmond College in 1853, 1854, and 1855 as a student for the ministry. In 1856 he came to Danville as pastor of the Baptist church here, and remained in that position till 1879, greatly building the church and doing at the same time much preaching in the adjoining county and leading in the work of the Roanoke Association. After his resignation of the Danville pastorate he served as pastor of the Baptist church at Owensboro', Ky., and after about two years went to Paducah, Ky., and about two years later was called to Austin, Tex. Thence he went to Brenham, his last home. Dr. Chaplin married, when he was quite young, Miss Lucy Jane Exall, daughter of Mr. John Exall, of Richmond. He leaves six daughters and one son, all of whom are in Texas. Two of the daughters are married, and their husbands are gentlemen held in high esteem. His youngest child is a daughter of about thirteen years of age. Dr. Chaplin received the degree of D. D. while living in Kentucky. His eloquence as a preacher and lecturer is well known in Virginia and the other southern States.

ATHLETIC SPORTS.

Celebration Day at the Episcopal High School.

[Reported for the Dispatch.]

ALEXANDRIA, November 3, 1884.

On Saturday last the ninth annual athletic celebration at the Episcopal High School was carried out. The day was everything that could be desired, and the assembly consisted of the High School and Seminary teachers, officers, and scholars, with friends from Baltimore, Washington, Alexandria, and Richmond. The Marine Band from Washington furnished the music. Professor Nelson and Messrs. Castleman and Ambler were judges, and Mr. Robert A. Mayo was time-keeper.

The managers were Messrs. Despard, of West Virginia; Conner, of South Carolina; and Johnson, of Louisiana. The marshals were Messrs. Blair, of Richmond; Stires, of Norfolk; and Venable, of Petersburg.

The accomplished daughter of Bishop Dudley, of Kentucky—Miss Fannie Dudley—presented the prizes, and was most happy in her remarks to each of the victors.

The principal of the High School—L. M. Blackford, Esq.—with great hospitality made the visitors enjoy themselves, and by marked attention to all the details of the celebration caused everything to move like clock work.

The ladies of the High School, consisting of Mrs. L. M. Blackford (*née* Ambler), Mrs. McClelland, Mrs. Harton, and Miss Leper, added much to the success of the day by their presence and words of encouragement to the boys.

The first prize—throwing the ball—was won by Mr. Allen Potts, of Richmond. Prize, a pair of gold collar buttons. Distance of throw, 329 feet 4 inches.

The flat race of half a mile was won by W. M. Brown, of Virginia. Time, 2:25.

The running high jump was won by Master Cutlar. Height of jump, 4 feet 54 inches.

The La Crosse throwing was won by Mr. Allen Potts, of Richmond, Va. Prize, a box of candy. Distance thrown, 325 feet 9 inches.

The egg-and-ladle race of 100 yards was won by Master Dudley, of Kentucky, a son of Bishop Dudley. Time, 17 seconds. Prize, a fine pocket-knife.

The senior hurdle race—six hurdles in 140 yards—was won by Mr. Meredith, of Virginia. Time, 17 seconds. Prize, a pair of gold cuff-buttons.

The junior tug of war, commanded by Master George K. Lee, of Richmond, and Master Cutlar, of South Carolina, was won by Cutlar's company.

The first race of 440 yards was won by Mr. N. H. Lewis, son of Judge Lewis, of Virginia. Time, 1 minute and 15 seconds. Prize, a gold-plated cup.

The flat race of 100 yards was won by Mr. Allen Potts, of Richmond. Time, 10½ seconds. Prize, a fine pocket-book.

Those who attended this celebration will desire to see the next, as it was a sight to make glad the hearts of parents, teacher, and scholars.

The High School has over one hundred scholars, and all appear to be in good health. Master Allen Potts, of your city, carried off three out of seventeen prizes offered. OBSERVER.

The result of the election to-day will have a tremendous effect on the election which is to take place twelve months hence, and which will decide whether Virginia is to have a Democratic State Administration.

LYNCHBURG.

Grand Democratic Demonstration.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, VA., November 3, 1884.

The greatest political demonstration ever witnessed in this city took place to-night under the auspices of the Democratic campaign clubs here. A torch-light procession nearly a mile long, with 1,500 or 2,000 men in line, headed by a mounted division (200 strong) and a band of music, paraded the streets amid the encouraging shouts of a great multitude of spectators. Judge Staples, R. B. Munford, General Early, Captain Whitehead, and Thomas W. Williams addressed a tremendous crowd at Mooreman's warehouse. The greatest enthusiasm prevails here, and it would not be surprising if Dan'l's majority should reach 3,500.

Keep it before the people that the petition of the City Democratic Committee for the appointment of as many Democratic deputy marshals for each precinct here as there are Republicans appointed or to be appointed was ignored.

DINWIDDIE.

New Post-Offices—The Virginia and North Carolina Railroad.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

GUY'S HILL, November 1, 1884.

We have at last succeeded in getting a carrier for our new mail route from San Marino to Church road, on the Norfolk and Western railroad. We have three new offices—to wit, Burnt Quarter, Meridian, and Gum's Hill. This will be a great convenience to a large number of our people who have been heretofore deprived of mail privileges.

The commissioners appointed by our County Court at the October term to ascertain the damages to the farms of Mr. Beadle, C. W. Spicer, Dr. D. W. Lassiter, Mr. John McGill, Mr. Charles Gerecke, W. D. Falconer, Judge R. H. Jones, Jr., Messrs. J. C. Smith, and Buford, on account of the right of way of the Virginia and North Carolina railroad, finished their inspection of said farms on yesterday, and have been examining witnesses all this morning at the office of Judge R. H. Jones as to the actual values of said properties and the damages thereto on account of said right of way. The report of the commissioners will be acted upon by Judge Epes at the next term of the County Court.

The members of the Montrose Grays held their annual fair on the 30th of October. It was pronounced to be a success.

We had a light rainfall in our section on Tuesday night, and again on Thursday night of this week, but not enough to soften the land for ploughing or to raise the streams.

We expect to poll a full vote for Cleveland and Hendricks and Dr. George E. Rives on the 4th. FRANK.

Examine your ballot carefully. It is all important that the names on it should be spelled correctly.

NORFOLK AND VICINITY.

The Deputy-Marshal Mitchell Withdraws—A Farmer Murdered.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

NORFOLK, November 3, 1884.

Mr. H. B. Nichols, late postmaster in this city, is chief of the deputy marshals for Norfolk. The full list, however, has not been given to the public. There will be three or four for each precinct.

No trouble is anticipated here. Indications point to a full vote and an active canvass, but I do not believe that there will be any disturbance. Mitchell, the Independent Republican candidate, has withdrawn from the canvass, as everybody expected he would do, though some of the Independents will vote for him.

Intelligence has reached this city that Mr. Augustus Koran, a well-known farmer of the South Mills (N. C.) section, was murdered on his farm several days ago by a negro. Mr. Koran had posted his land and attempted to prevent the negro from passing through his farm. They got into a dispute, and the negro finally discharged a gun at his antagonist, with mortal effect.

Republican Bulldozing—A Democratic Negro Shot Down.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

WYTHEVILLE, November 3, 1884.

Information has just been received here of the shooting of Henry Newton, a colored Democrat, near Henry schoolhouse, in this county. The facts are these: Newton, whose duty it was to relieve another collier about midnight, was on his way for that purpose, when he was fired upon by parties concealed in the brush. The shot taking effect, he ran back home, and at daylight again started, when he was shot down by unknown parties, two of whom he saw. He says his life has been threatened by a number of Republicans on account of his Democratic politics.

The Philadelphia *Times* (Independent Republican) says the nation's great need is—

HONEST GOVERNMENT.
PROTECTED LABOR.
DETHRONED MONOPOLY.
REDUCED TAXATION.
REPEALED TREASURY SURPLUS.
JOBBERS AND GAMBLERS RETIRED.

The *Times* supports CLEVELAND because his election will secure all this.

Governor Cleveland at Home.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

BUFFALO, November 3.—Governor Cleveland arrived here this morning at 7:35 o'clock, accompanied by his friend, E. D. Tuthill, of the Tuft House, and Mr. Tuthill's nephew. The Governor declined the use of Mr. Tuthill's carriage, and quietly strolled to his usual breakfasting restaurant, when, after partaking of a hearty meal, he repaired to his rooms over his office, and later, at about 10 o'clock, he was at his desk in his law office. It was expected that the Governor would arrive this afternoon, and preparation had been made to give him a reception. About 11 o'clock he left his office and strolled leisurely up to the Tift House. He was attired in a handsome suit of black broad-cloth, and appeared to be in very good health. He was in excellent spirits, and frequently stopped on the sidewalk to chat familiarly for a moment or two with some friend. To an Associated Press reporter he said, "I am in excellent health, and more than pleased to be at my old home again." He states that the most cheering news had come to him from almost every quarter, and the prospects of the success of the Democratic ticket he considered quite bright. In answer to a question as to what he thought of the State of New York, he replied that he must decline to give an opinion, and referred the interviewer to Mr. McCaine, whom he said could better answer that question than himself. He will remain here until Tuesday, and will vote in his old district in the Ninth Ward.

Democrats of Richmond, you can render the deputy-marshal outrage of no effect by polling a full vote.

Blaine's "Religious Bureau."

A Washington special says: Some amusement, coupled with a good deal of indignation, has been aroused here by the publication of the fact that a certain Rev. Mr. McHurdy has been in charge of the "Religious Bureau" at the headquarters of the Republican National Committee. This reverend gentleman has been known here for two years as a persistent seeker after any sort of an office, with a preference for a consulship, his backer being the pachydermatous Keifer, of Ohio. He was one of the numerous witnesses summoned by Keifer to aid in the latter's attempt to destroy General Bownton last spring, but Keifer's case broke down too soon for McHurdy to be of any use. It is supposed that the Rev. Mr. McHurdy's zeal for the Blaine cause may be due to the receipt by him of some of the promises of fat offices so liberally bestowed by the tattooed man from Maine.

Buy B. H. Douglass & Sons' Capsicum Cough Drops for your children; they are harmless, pleasing to the taste, and will cure their colds. D. S. and Trade Mark on every drop.

THE NEW IBERIA TROUBLE.

Details of Saturday's Fight Between a Few Whites and a Negro Mob.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

NEW ORLEANS, November 3.—A special to the *Picayune* from New Iberia says: About 200 Republicans, principally negroes, entered Loreauville a little after 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon, cheering in the wildest manner and using profane and obscene language in the greatest profusion. The crowd was headed by ex-Sheriff Victor, and they abused the Democratic candidate in the vilest terms. The most reliable and impartial witnesses agree that a few of the citizens of Loreauville, not over fifteen, led by Joe Gilfoux, met this crowd of Kelloggites and remonstrated with them, when some unknown party fired on Gilfoux. The result was very unexpected on the part of the Democrats, and before they could rally Gilfoux and Captain Bell had fallen. The latter's revolver was taken from his body; it had not been discharged. As soon as the shooting commenced there was the greatest confusion and the negroes scattered in every direction. It is very probable that many of the balls of the Kelloggites found victims in their own ranks when the negroes stampeded. They left their wounded to care for themselves.

Firing was quite general, and many were wounded and some killed who were not aimed at. Eight horses were killed at the scene of the fight, and one was found dead a mile away. Some of the wounded negroes started to run, deserting their horses, and ran until they fell from exhaustion. It is reported that some of them ran into a bayou, where they were drowned. Others reached the opposite shore and continued their flight.

The panic among the negroes was terrible. They had been told so many wild stories about the Democrats that they verily believed the day of doom had come. The finding of fallen negroes at some distance from the battle-field caused the rumor that the negroes had been followed and shot down wherever found. It is positively stated by the participants that this is false. No shots were fired off the field, nor were any of the negroes pursued by any one. Several parties had balls extracted here, and they say their wounds were received in the engagement. It is stated that one man died five miles below here from wounds received in the fight. The Democrats surrounded the Republican leaders and took them prisoners.

Coroner Mayile went to Loreauville to view the remains of Gilfoux and Bell, but took no testimony. He will complete his task to-day. He says that as far as he can learn there must have been at least fourteen or sixteen negroes killed. Many were wounded. The Radicals have been waving the bloody shirt here for a long time, and at last they have got it stained. United States Deputy-Marshal Steel is very energetic in his efforts to get the prisoners out of jail, but so far he has failed. Judge Fontelieu held a meeting here last Wednesday when the Gay party were in Loreauville, and those who were present say the speeches were nothing but a series of vile slanders and abuse. The meeting, which was secret, lasted until very late at night. Very few whites were present.

Further Particulars.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

NEW ORLEANS, November 3.—A special to the *States* gives the number of citizens of Loreauville who went out to meet the Republicans and ask them to desist at seventeen. Louis Brown and Louis Trelot, colored Republicans, were among the killed. The additional wounded are St. Clair Dugas and A. F. Dugas, Democrats. The engagement lasted only four minutes, and in that time over 1,000 shots were fired. The negroes, as soon as they realized that there was really a fight and the Democrats were making a stand, fled in all directions, leaving their hats, shoes, horses, and everything. Many of them received fatal shots on the field, ran a great distance, and died in out-of-the-way places. Their bodies are being found now in the fields and woods. Between fifty and sixty of them rushed into Bayou Teche, where some sank from their wounds and exhaustion and were drowned in confusion and struggle; but many reached the other side and continued their wild flight. Three were reported as found dead in the field this side of the Bayou. One made his way five miles below here and died. The excitement at Loreauville was terrible. When the smoke cleared away and the citizens saw two of the noblest men of Frausee Pointee lying dead upon the field their rage was terrible. The leaders of the Republicans had exhausted their ammunition and retreated into a house near by, where they asked for quarter. Couriers had been dispatched to New Iberia, and a detachment of the Iberia Guards were sent to receive the prisoners.

A dispatch from New Iberia says: It is wonderful how the leading Republicans managed to escape, many of them having bullet-holes through their clothing. The following are the names of the prisoners now in the parish prison here as participants in the Loreauville riot: Judge Fontelieu, Albert Fontelieu, Eug. Dauterive (colored), Alphonse Mignez, Abe Patlelet (colored), Dorsey Gibson, Eug. Conway, Toutant Bienvenue, of St Martinville, Alf. Gonzalin, Dick Walker (colored), and T. B. Labeaux, of St. Mary. A preliminary examination of the prisoners was not had to-day as was expected, owing to the absence of the District-attorney; consequently the prisoners will have to remain in prison until after the election. They are leading white and colored Republicans of the parish. The coroner's inquest has been postponed until Wednesday.

Make it your duty to rebuke the deputy-marshal outrage by voting the first thing this morning.

Illegal Registrations in New York.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

NEW YORK, November 3.—It is said that Pinkerton's detectives have reported to the United States authorities that there are between 200 and 300 illegal registrations at Coney Island. In Brooklyn Supervisor-in-Chief Allen, and United States Assistant District Attorney Angell are going over the registry lists. About 5,000 warrants are said to have been issued for cases of illegal registration, including about fifty marines in the barracks and cab dock. It is said that according to the statute they are outside the city, and therefore have no right to register. Judge Moore, in the King's county Court of Sessions to-day, charged the grand jury that there would probably be some election frauds brought before them for consideration.

Knowledge was obtained to-day by the authorities in this city to the effect that fifty men registered from a single house in west Twenty-eight street in which not one of them resided. Detectives were this afternoon placed in possession of about a dozen bench-warrants, some of which they expect to execute during the day. The indications are that a very large number of arrests will be made to-morrow.

The object of appointing deputy marshals is to overawe the people.

Arrest of Repeaters in New Jersey.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

TRENTON, N. J., November 3.—Twenty-five men, charged with being repeaters, were arrested here this morning and sent to the county jail for five days. The country for miles around is flooded with tramps to-day, and each party bitterly charges the other with efforts to colonize voters. A number of false registrations have been discovered. Governor Abbett has telegraphed Prosecutor Beasley to remain in his office all day to-morrow.

The deputy-marshal outrage will return to plague the perpetrators thereof if every Democrat will do his duty.

Preparing Against Illegal Voting.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

BOSTON, November 3.—Chief-Supervisor Hallett is busy to-day issuing warrants for the arrest of illegal voters to be served if they cast ballots to-morrow. The supervisors in their canvass here have found a large number of disqualified persons upon the voting-lists in various places, including Boston, and if they vote many of them will be arrested at the polls and at once arraigned.

The issue is honesty against corruption; and that issue involves all others.

A South Carolina Marriage Scheme.

[Correspondence of the Charleston News.]

At a recent wedding reception in South Carolina a young lawyer begged leave to offer a new scheme of matrimony, which he believed would be beneficial. He proposed that "one man in the company should be selected as president; that this president should be duly sworn to keep entirely secret all communications that should be forwarded to him in his official department that night, and that each unmarried gentleman and lady should write his or her name on a piece of paper and under it the name of the person they wished to marry, then hand it to the president for inspection, and if any gentleman and lady had reciprocally chosen each other the president was to inform each of the result, and those who had not been reciprocal in their choice kept entirely secret." After the appointment of the president communications were accordingly handed up to the chair, and it was found that twelve young ladies and gentlemen had made reciprocal choices, but whom they had chosen remained a secret to all but themselves and the president. I was passing through the same place a few days ago, and was informed that eleven of the twelve matches had been solemnized, and that the young gentlemen of eight couples of the eleven had declared that their diffidence was so great that they certainly should not have addressed their respective wives if the above scheme had not been introduced.

Are you in favor of

"*The necessary reduction in taxation, and limitation thereof to the country's needs, should be effected without depriving American labor of the ability to compete successfully with foreign labor, and without injuring the interests of our laboring population.*"

If so, vote the Democratic ticket. That is what the Democratic party is pledged to. That is what CLEVELAND is pledged to.

The Reported Fall of Khartoum.

[By cable to the Dispatch.]

LONDON, November 3.—The *Times* considers the news reported from Cairo to the Paris *Morning News*, to the effect that Khartoum had fallen into the hands of the rebels, and that General Gordon had been taken prisoner, extremely doubtful. This view, it thinks, is especially reasonable in the absence of advices on the subject from General Wolseley. The *Times* traces the report to the *Bosphore Egyptien*, a dubious French organ, which may have given an Europeanized version of the Arab rumors which have recently gained some currency in Cairo.

Earl Granville, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, assured the Press Association to-day that the Government had received no confirmation of the news. Up to noon to-day nothing had been received at the Government offices in regard thereto.

A dispatch to-day from Dongola to the Reuters Telegram Company makes no mention of the reported fall of Khartoum. It says, however, that the Mahdi at last accounts was collecting his forces around Khartoum, and had summoned General Gordon to surrender. The troops of the Mahdi had intercepted two messengers dispatched by the British to Khartoum. The same dispatch declares that a large force of rebels was at Berber, and that the rebels had possession of the wells on the caravan route between Debbeh and Khartoum. After the crops are harvested the Mahdi's forces will be largely increased.

That friend with whom you have a business engagement will wait until you have voted.

New Railroad Opened.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

PHILADELPHIA, November 3.—The New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk railroad was opened its entire length, from Delmar to Cape Charles, to-day. The road affords a new and short connection for through southern business, being 120 miles shorter than the present line to New York, and making the trip in ten hours as against seventeen hours at present. It traverses a country rich in farm products, and will develop a large territory. A transfer boat will connect with trains at Norfolk about the middle of this month, when a through line of Pullman cars will be put on. The company has in course of construction a fine iron steamer, which will be finished in March, and which will transport cars across the Chesapeake bay to Norfolk.

Resist the deputy-marshal outrage in the most effective manner—that is, by piling up the Democratic votes.

The London "Times" on Our Election.

[By cable to the Dispatch.]

LONDON, November 3.—The *Times* of this morning devotes its leader to the political contest in America, in the course of which it says: "Although the number of votes polled to-morrow will probably exceed those polled at any previous contest, nevertheless it would not be rash to say that a vast majority of Americans regard the issue with indifference. Foreigners have still less reason to feel a keen interest. The campaign has been almost exclusively managed by experienced and adroit professional politicians. To them alone the result will bring exultation or disappointment. The most satisfactory feature of the whole campaign is the failure of all attempts to revive for party purposes the sectional jealousies of the North and South. Mr. Blaine's recent inflammatory speeches in the West will not really benefit his cause."

Democratic success will be the end of business unrest.

Brighton-Beach Races.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

NEW YORK, November 3.—First race—$250, three fourths of a mile—won by Robert Brewster; Miller second. Time, 1:21½.

Second race—purse $250, one and one eighth miles—Unknown won; Little Dan second. Time, 2:03½.

Third race—$400, all ages, one and one fourth miles—Little Fred won; Jim Carlisle second. ⁹⁸⁄₁₀₀, 2:18½.

Fourth race—purse $250, seven eighths of a mile—Blue Bell won; Pericles second. Time, 1:26.

Fifth race—purse $250, one mile—Little Minch won; Delilah second. Time, 1:48½.

Go to the polls before breakfast, if you can.

How it is in Florida.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

PENSACOLA, FLA., November 3.—The contest in this State will be more hotly fought than ever before. Both sides claim the State, but the Democrats have the best foundation. The vote will be large. Dougherty (Dem.) claims that he will defeat Bisbee, present Republican incumbent, for Congress by 500 majority. Davidson (Dem.) is conceded his reelection over Locke (Rep.). Perry (Dem.), for Governor, will run considerably ahead of Cleveland.

There is a prospect of rain to-morrow in the western part of the State.

Bear in mind that Republican success may mean despotism.

A Double Lynching in Arkansas.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., November 3.—A special to the *Gazette* from Texarkana, Ark., says: Charles Mitchell, a negro, who assaulted and killed Mrs. Waddell, a white woman, in Little Rock county, was arrested Sunday night in that county. He confessed the crime after a mob of two hundred persons had put a rope around his neck, and declared that the woman's husband hired him to commit the deed. Waddell was also arrested. The negro and Waddell were both lynched.

Bad weather will be no excuse for not voting in this crisis.

Spanish Steamer Damaged by Fire.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

NEW YORK, November 3.—The bark-rigged iron steamer Ramon de Herrera, of the Spanish-American line, lying at pier 18, East river, suffered damage by fire this evening to the extent of $25,000, and her cargo of general merchandise not less than $50,000. She has been taking in cargo for Havana for a week past and was to sail to-morrow.

No Democratic deputy marshals have been appointed.

Deputy Marshals in Philadelphia.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

PHILADELPHIA, November 3.—United States Marshal Kerns was busy to-day swearing United States deputy marshals for service to-morrow. There will be 723 deputy marshals in this city.

Rebuke the deputy-marshal outrage by rolling up a big Democratic majority.

ABSOLUTELY PURE.

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St. Kilda.

(London Society.)

The fog-horn is sounded and the ship's gun is fired, and the snow-clad island loses its whiteness, and the air is darkened with thousands of sea-birds, rising in screeching fright. This wonder of wild wings is one of the sensations of the voyage. There seems every variety—the swallow-like terns; the tysts, with their scarlet beaks and legs; the diving guillemots, with their "kurroo!" "kurroo!" the little "dookers," the long-necked skuts, the great gannets, the fluttering kittiwakes, the parrot-like puffins, the ponderous solan geese, and the fish-gorged fulmars. Some of the solan geese are too full of herrings to fly, and the gluttonous birds cannot rise above the water until the cargo they have on board has been displaced. Says Mr. Payne: "It has been calculated that these birds devour 214,000,000 herrings a year, which is equal to 355,715 barrels—more than the total average of herrings barreled on the whole of the northeast coast of Scotland." These haunts of the wild birds are two immense detached rocks, rising in precipitous masses and adjoining the small sheep island of Boreray, about five miles to the northeast of St. Kilda, which is soon reached. St. Kilda proper is two islands with a sound between them, the larger portion being the inhabited part. Surrounding it are attendant islets. St. Kilda is about three miles long and two broad. The shape of the island has been compared to a leg of mutton, and rises in stupendous cliffs, one called Conachan rising to a height of 1,300 feet, and reputed to be the highest crag in Great Britain. The firing of the ship's gun brings out the whole population of St. Kilda. Men and women hasten down the landing-place, and soon a boat is launched, and we run in at the little bay, above which the houses, thirteen in number, together with manse, church, and store-house, are built in the shape of a crescent, on ground sloping steeply to the sea. A stone wall incloses this little colony. Above the houses are austere heights. Each cottage has its cultivated patch of ground.

Guarding Against a Rescue.

[By cable to the Dispatch.]

BERLIN, November 3.—Eight Anarchists, who were charged with the blowing up of the Niederwalde monument, have been removed from prison at Elberfeld to the prison at Leipsic. A plot had been discovered to force the prison at Elberfeld and release the culprits. Several arrests have been made of persons implicated in the plot.

In voting the Democratic ticket you vote to return to constitutional methods.

Arrested in New Orleans.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

NEW ORLEANS, November 3.—Over 200 colored men have been arrested by the police in the First congressional district since yesterday noon, under ordinance 5346, as dangerous and suspicious characters and having no visible means of support. Many of them were committed to prison by the Recorder.

In voting the Democratic ticket you vote to stop corruption.

Floods in Spain.

[By cable to the Dispatch.]

MADRID, November 3.—The towns of Myas and Alicante have been inundated by flood, with great damage to property and the loss of several lives.

Two methods are in use in Philadelphia to prevent chemical obstructions in water-pipes. One is to coat the interior of the pipes with coal tar pitch, which does well enough for large mains and keeps the passage tolerably clear for more than a quarter of a century. The other method is the one called "bower-barff," which consists in subjecting the pipes at a high temperature to the action of steam or air, so that there is a film of magnetic oxide acquired by the metal, which insures a clean surface for a long time.

Next January there is to be held in the city of Edinburgh, Scotland, a conference of artisans, capitalists, and persons interested in the study of social problems, to discuss from every point of view the questions connected with the distribution of the results of labor between the actual workers and those supplying the capital. A "gentleman of Edinburgh" has given $5,000 toward carrying out the proposed programme.

Can any Democrat be lukewarm when he contemplates the deputy-marshal outrage?

May Blossom at the Theatre.

Although the weather was threatening last night, the Theatre was crowded to see the Madison-square Theatre Company in "May Blossom, the Fisherman's Daughter." The galleries were packed, and the standing room even was occupied.

The play is a delineation of the scenes in the life of a fisherman at Hampton, Va.; time, the commencement of the late war. The company, in portraying Virginia character, approached reality very closely; the expressions and behavior being very natural indeed.

Miss Georgie Cayvan took the title-role of May Blossom. She is a pretty brunette, of graceful figure and natural movements, and from first to last displayed great ability as an actress. Some of the scenes in the second act were somewhat overdrawn, but in the last the interest deepened and the audience was wrought to the highest point of appreciation. The applause was liberal, and May Blossom was called before the curtain in response to it.

Mr. Benjamin Maginly as Tom Blossom, Mr. W. H. Crompton as Uncle Bartlett, the village preacher, and Mr. J. H. Brown, as Eph, a negro, displayed excellent qualities as actors. The little children introduced in the last act deserves favorable mention, especially Bijou Fernandez, a pretty little miss, who, as Little May, attracted the surprise and attention of all. The play will be repeated to-night.

Owing to the cancellation of engagements by Mme. Janauschek and the Abbie Carrington Opera Troupe, the Theatre will be closed until November 13.

The slur attempted to be cast on the good name of Richmond by the wholesale appointment of deputy marshals demands that every Democrat cast his vote.

Late Weather Report.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

WASHINGTON, November 4—1:20 A. M.—For the Middle Atlantic States, increasing cloudiness and rain, slight rise in temperature, east to south winds, lower barometer.

For the South Atlantic States, light rains, partly cloudy weather, northeast to southeast winds, lower barometer, slight changes in temperature.

THE WEATHER YESTERDAY was clear in the morning, cloudy and slightly rainy at night.

THERMOMETER YESTERDAY: 6 A. M., 44; 9 A. M., 57; noon, 73; 3 P. M., 71; 6 P. M., 60; midnight, 60.

Mean temperature, 59 1-6.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, November 3.—The stock market to-day was quiet and generally firm, the announcement of further cuts in passenger rates having little or no effect on prices. At the opening the market was irregular, but soon became firm, and there was an advance of ¼ to 1½, Lackawanna leading. Near the close Grangers and trunk lines weakened, selling down ¼ to ½. The market closed irregular. Compared with Saturday's closing prices, Canada Pacific, Lake Shore, Kansas and Texas, New York Central, Omaha preferred, Erie, Northern Pacific, and Oregon Transcontinental are ¼ ½ lower, and Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, Northwest, St. Paul, Lackawanna, Missouri Pacific, Jersey Central, Pacific Mail, Texas Pacific, Union Pacific, and Western Union are ¼ ½ higher. Sales 94,000 shares. Holiday to-morrow.

Noon.—Stocks strong. Money, 1@2 per cent. Exchange—Long, 479@480; short, 483@485½. Governments dull. States firm.

Evening.—Exchange, 480½. Money, 1@1½ per cent. Sub-Treasury balances—Gold, $128,493; currency, $10,655. Government's strong; 4 per cents, 122½; 3 per cents, 100¼ bid. State bonds steady.

Alabama—Class "A," 2 to 5..... 79
"B," 5's, small..... 98
Georgia 6's.....(bid) 100
Georgia 7's, mortgage.....(bid) 102
North Carolina's.....(bid) 29
North Carolina's, new.....(bid) 18
North Carolina funding.....(bid) 10
South Carolina Brown consols...(bid) 105¼
Tennessee 6's.....(bid) 39
Virginia 6's.....(bid) 37
Virginia consols.....(bid) 36
Chesapeake and Ohio..... 6
Chicago and Northwestern..... 86½
Chicago and Northwestern pf'd..... 125
Denver and Rio Grande..... 8
Erie..... 12½
East Tennessee Railroad..... 4½
Lake Shore..... 65¼
Louisville and Nashville..... 57
Memphis and Charleston..... 26
Mobile and Ohio..... 6⅝
Nashville and Chattanooga..... 56
New Orleans Pacific 1st mort..... 50
New York Central..... 85¼
Norfolk and Western pref..... 21
Northern Pacific..... 18¾
Northern Pacific preferred..... 43¼
Pacific Mail..... 52¼
Reading..... 21½
Richmond and Allegheny..... 2
Richmond and Danville..... 92
Richmond and West Point Terminal.. 14
Rock Island..... 114¼
St. Paul..... 75½
St. Paul preferred..... 104
Texas Pacific..... 10
Union Pacific..... 54½
Wabash Pacific..... 5
Wabash Pacific preferred..... 10¼
Western Union..... 61

BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, November 3.—Virginia 6's, past-due coupons, 34; new 10-10's, 32½; new 6's, 51½. Bid to-day.

RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE.

MONDAY, November 3, 1884.

SALES—FIRST BOARD.—$200 Richmond city 8's at 132.

SECOND BOARD.—10 shares Petersburg Railroad at 24½; 3,000 Persburg Railroad (class B) at 80, 2,000 do. do. at 80½.

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