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**TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.**  
**WASHINGTON.**

**Everybody Gone to the Races—The Spofford Contest—The Colorado Question—Official News from the Sitting Bull Commission.**

**Personal and Political Notes.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—The contest between the two Baxters of Tennessee, will probably give the Circuit Judgeship of the Sixth District to Michigan. Everybody of any account has gone to the Fimbleco races, except this paragraphist, who is sorry for himself. Revs Jno V Given and J F Lyons, of the African M. E. Church, had an interview with Secretary Everts to-day in behalf of Gen Chester, and urged his appointment to the Liberian mission. They also filed a document from Bishop T M B Ward, of the same denomination, endorsing Chester. Mr Spofford has been at the Privileges and Elections committee to-day argued that according to the constitution of Louisiana the returning board has nothing whatever to do with the question of who were elected Governor and Lieut. Governor of the State of Louisiana, as the Louisiana law requires all election returns to be delivered to the Secretary of State, and not to the returning board. He claimed a seat on those grounds. Most of the time was consumed in referring to the past records and reading the journals, &c., of the Louisiana Legislature.

House—The Colorado question occupied the day. Randall will name the committees Monday.

SENATE—No session.

The Star says Representative Stephens and Harris are at the State Department to-day in the interest of Hilliard's confirmation as minister to Brazil, against which there is some opposition.

Wheeler has given the Senate restaurant to Oscar Barron, proprietor of the Twin Mountain House, New Hampshire.

Senator Stanley Matthews has requested Senator Dorsey, chairman of the Senate District of Columbia committee, to remove his clerk, W E Curtis, a correspondent of the Chicago Inter-Ocean, on account of a bitter reflection on him (Matthews) written by Curtis.

The official report of the mission to Sitting Bull, after many words, says:—"Sitting Bull and his tribe declined the proposals. The Canadian commissioner had, subsequently, an interview with Sitting Bull and his chiefs, from which we were excluded." In communication to the United States the Canadian commissioner says, in conclusion: "I do not think there need be the least anxiety about any of these Indians crossing the line—at any rate not for some time to come."

**THE TURF.**  
**New Market—Parole Wins the Great Baltimore Race.**

LONDON, Oct 24.—At the New Market Houghton meeting, to-day, the race for the second class stakes was won by Mr Sandford's horse, Mate, beating Rossini, his only rival.

FRANCO, Oct 24.—In the mile race for all ages, Idalia won; First Chance second, Madge third; time 1.45. In the one and three quarter mile race Viceroy won; Mary second, Keryn third; time 3.11. In the two and a half mile race Parole won; Ten Broeck second, Ochiltree third; time 4.37.

BALTIMORE, October 24.—When the horses came up to weigh after the race, Parole was received with cheers, and the people gathered around him. As soon as his jockey was weighed the crowd raised him on their shoulders and carried him about the track with cheer upon cheer until it became a perfect ovation. Such excitement was never before witnessed in Baltimore on any previous racing occasion. In the French pool an investment of \$50 on Parole realized one hundred and thirty.

**FROM NEW YORK.**  
**Striking Cigar Makers—Heavy Shipments of Grain.**

New York, October 24.—The striking cigar makers have organized for a prolonged struggle. Yesterday they opened a provision kitchen and distributed food to nearly five hundred men and women, comprising one hundred and fifty families. The hands of two more shops have struck. Yesterday one firm seceded from the manufacturers' union and acceded to the demands of the workmen and consented to employ none but union men.

A dispatch from Buffalo, dated the 23d, says there have been immense arrivals of grain there within the last twenty-four hours. Eighty-seven lake vessels, bringing over two millions five hundred thousand bushels, destined for tide water, have come into that port since 8 o'clock last night.

**THE WAR.**  
**The Russians Recruiting.**

LONDON, October 24.—On dit, Russia orders the mobilization of all Cossacks which will give her ninety-one additional regiments—21,000 men.

Montenegro is famine-stricken. Monkhtar Pasha is safe. Ismail Pasha's retreat and junction with Monkhtar Pasha, however, is seriously menaced.

A Reuter from Erzeroum, says: "The following intelligence is received from Kars: On the 19th inst., the Russians attacked Fort Alienz before Kars, but were repulsed. Ismail Pasha arrived at Zudekan on the 23rd inst. He is expected to join Ghazi Monkhtar Pasha at Zevin. General Terkowskoff is pursuing Ismail Pasha. A Russian detachment is in Saghani Dagh."

**Telegraphic Briefs.**  
 Billy Pastor is dead.  
 A fancy cassimere mill of Providence R. I., employing 250 hands has been burned; loss \$100,000.

**THE EPISCOPALIANS.**  
**The English Lectorian Rejected—The Special Lessons for Lent Adopted.**

BOSTON, Oct 24.—The bishops non-concur in the use of the English Lectorian until the next general convention. The subject was referred to joint committee of conference. The bishops concur in the use of the special table of lessons in the Lectorian for Lent.

**The Railroads and the Florida Travel.**

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., October 24.—A convention of the Western and Southern railway lines met here to-day, with C P Atmore president. It was decided to put excursion tickets on sale to Pensacola, Florida, on the basis of \$39 from Louisville to Pensacola and return, \$46 from St Louis, \$28 from Nashville. General interest is centred on Pensacola as the Florida point for the coming season.

**EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.**

BOSTON, October 24.—At the evening session of the Episcopal Convention a discussion of the canon, relating to the organization of a board of missions, was continued, and finally the canon was adopted. It provides that the institution be denominated a "Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States."

**Louisiana's Finances & Schools.**

NEW ORLEANS, October 24.—An injunction forbidding the school board establishing separate schools for whites and blacks, has been dissolved.

An European syndicate proposes to loan Louisiana nearly \$13,000,000 to ease her finances.

The question as to the duration of the present session of Congress is just now agitating the Washington mind. When the members first arrived there was a general disposition to dispose of the public business for which the extra session was called, and then adjourn. While there is no doubt a desire now thus to limit the session, it will hardly be possible to do so, and the present will probably merge into the general session, while the holiday recess will be longer than usual.

**FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.**  
**TELEGRAPHIC MARKETS.**  
 OCTOBER 24, 1877.

**PRODUCE.**  
 Baltimore—Oats dull; southern, 34a59. Rye dull. Provisions and coffee unchanged. Whiskey firmer at 1 1/4. Sugar steady.

Louisville—Flour in fair demand. Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn active; white, 54; mixed, 52 in store. Oats dull; white, 31; mixed, 30. Rye dull and nominal. Pork dull at 13 50a13 75. Bulk meats firmer and unchanged. Bacon steady; 7 1/2, 8 1/2 and 9 1/2 for shoulders, clear ribs and clear sides—all loose. Sugar-cured hams in fair demand at 14. Lard firm; choice leaf in tierce, 11. Whiskey dull at 1 07. Bagging quiet at 12a 12 1/2. Tobacco quiet and unchanged.

Cincinnati—Flour quiet and steady. Wheat dull; red, 1 20a1 30. Corn heavy at 45. Oats in fair demand and firm at 27a 31. Rye stronger at 50a60. Barley dull at 14. Lard firm; current make, 8 35; kettle, 9a9 25. Bulk meats scarce and nominally unchanged. Bacon firm; clear ribs, 9; clear sides, 9 1/2a9 75. Whiskey steady, in fair demand at 1 07. Butter quiet. Sugar steady and unchanged. Hogs steady; receipts, 3,94; shipments, 1,725.

St. Louis—Flour dull and easier on low grades; extra fall, 5a5 25; double extra, 5 50a 5 60. Wheat firmer; No. 2 red fall, 1 33 bid; No. 3, do., 1 26a1 26 1/2; No. 2 spring, 1 12. Corn firm; No. 2 mixed, 43 1/2. Oats dull; No. 2, 28. Rye quiet at 54a54 1/2. Barley quiet. Whiskey quiet at 1 08. Pork firmer at 13 62 1/2a13 75. Lard dull and nominally 84. Bulk meats quiet and weak with only a jobbing trade. Bacon firmer for sides sales; 7 1/2, 9 and 9 1/2 for shoulders, clear ribs and clear sides. Hogs steady and unchanged. Cattle better feeling for natives; others, slow.

New York—Flour, less doing without any material change in price; market in favor of buyers and closing quiet; southern flour in buyers' favor; common to fair extra, 5 75a6 25; good to choice, do., 6 30a6 50. Wheat fair better with a fair trade, mainly speculative. Corn a shade easier; 63 for yellow on dock. Oats a shade lower at 35a38. Coffee, Rio, quiet and unchanged. Sugar quiet; 8 1/2a8 75 for fair to good refining; refined lower and in moderate demand; 9 1/2a9 75 for standard A. Molasses quiet and unchanged. Rice steady with a fair inquiry. Pork firmer; mess, 14 85. Lard firmer and quiet; prime steam, 8 95. Whiskey dull and lower at 1 11. Freights with decided change.

**COTTON.**

NOFOLK—Quiet; middlings, 10 1/2a10 75; net receipts, 3,163; exports coastwise, 3,113; sales, 350.

BALTIMORE—Easier; middlings, 11 1/2; net receipts, 7; gross, 442; sales, 150; spinners, 100; exports coastwise, 40.

BOSTON—Steady; middlings, 11 1/2; net receipts, 136; gross, 1,225.

WILMINGTON—Quiet; middlings, 10 1/2; net receipts, 1,083; sales, 132.

PHILADELPHIA—Steady; middlings, 11 1/2; net receipts, 53; gross, 1,429; sales, 422; spinners, 245.

NEW ORLEANS—Firm; middlings, 10 1/2; low middlings, 10 1/4; good ordinary, 10c; net receipts, 9,029; gross, 11,549; sales, 5,000; exports coastwise, 2,778.

Augusta—Quiet; middlings, 10 1/2; receipts, 1,278; sales, 977.

**CHARLESTON—Dull; middlings, 10 1/2; net receipts, 4,192; sales, 1,000.**

NEW YORK—Steady; uplands, 11 5-16c; Orleans, 11 7-16c; sales, 574; consolidated net receipts, 106,109; exports to Great Britain, 29,800; to France, 3,186; to the Continent, 577; to the Channel, 800.

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**FUTURES.**

NEW YORK—Futures closed steady. Sales, 42,000.

October, 11 22c.  
 November, 11 05a08c.  
 December, 10 98a99c.  
 January, 11 04a05c.  
 February, 11 16a17c.  
 March, 11 29a30c.  
 April, 11 42a43c.  
 May, 11 55a56c.  
 June, 11 69a70c.

**FINANCIAL.**

NEW YORK—Money active at 6. Sterling firm at 1. Gold dull at 24. Governments dull. New 5's 61. States quiet.

**The Cotton Market.**  
**OBSERVER OFFICE.**  
 CHARLOTTE, N. C., October 25, 1877.

The following are the quotations of the market for yesterday, the closing being weak:

The following quotations are averaged from prices given by a majority of the cotton buyers:

Stained ..... 6 1/2  
 Tinged ..... 9  
 Ordinary ..... 9 1/2  
 Good Ordinary ..... 9 1/2  
 Low Middling ..... 10 1/2  
 Middling ..... 10 1/2  
 Good Middling ..... 10 7-16  
 Receipts for the day, ..... 440 bales.  
 Receipts in all ports, ..... 106,109 "  
 Exports to Great Britain, ..... 29,800 "  
 Exports to France, ..... 3,186 "  
 Exports to the Continent, ..... 579 "  
 Exports to the Channel, ..... 800 "  
 Stock, ..... 338,964 "

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 600 cases of CLOTHING, about 3,000 suits.  
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