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THE REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republican county convention which met in this city yesterday to elect delegates to the State convention at Raleigh, was a representative body of the party, and its proceedings are significant, inasmuch as this is the home of Col. Johnston, the leader, on the "independent" side of the coalition move, and also the district in which Dr. McLean, the great manipulator of the Republican side, resides and is supposed to wield the most influence. The coalition element put in an appearance at the convention under the champion-ship of Mr. Norment but was completely snowed under by a vote of sixty to three and a straight set of anti-coalition delegates chosen to the State convention. The issue was squarely made, and the attempt to send a coalition delegation overwhelmingly defeated. If this be any indication of the strength of the coalition movement on the Republican side it is foredoomed to defeat, but whether or not it shows the amount of influence that Col. Johnston and his backers, if he has any, has been able to bring to bear upon the Republican organization of this county. He received small recognition or encouragement from them, and was given distinctly to understand that while the doors of the Republican party were open for recruits the recruits had to come in, take the oath of allegiance, and obey orders, and these substantially were the only conditions upon which they would be taken in. There was no middle line, no going out to meet the allies who were seeking co-operation; no alliances until they sought a coalition with Republicans put on the Republican uniform and placed themselves in the ranks under Republican banners and Republican leaders. This action was similar to that announced by the colored Republican convention some time ago, at Goldsboro, which while extending a cordial invitation to all dissatisfied Democrats to come into camp with them, at the same time took care to pronounce themselves Republicans in full faith and fellowship. The convention which met yesterday echoed this sentiment; and went on record squarely and unequivocally against any compromise of the party or surrender to the so-called liberal element. This is a bad send-off for Col. Johnston, the recognized leader of the Liberal move, and who hoped for, and no doubt, expected more encouraging results.

The Republicans straight, and the Independent Republicans in Pennsylvania have tickets in the field, ten candidates and all the ten lawyers. The bar seems to be on top in that State.

Stevens stock has fallen about seventy-five per cent. in Georgia, among the "Independents" since he has announced that he will accept only a Democratic nomination.

Senator John A. Logan has come back from the Hot Springs in an improved state of mind, towards General Fitz John Porter, and says he will no longer oppose the bill for his relief.

Augusta felt so good over the victory of her Hose Company winning the trumpet in the tournament here on the 20th, that she gave them a grand banquet Tuesday evening last.

The Chiantry divorce case in Washington still disgustingly drags its slow length along. The old man is now giving evidence in his own behalf and telling what a wayward woman his wife was.

The Philadelphia Record says that while the ticket nominated by the Independents is a very good one, it is not such a one as will inspire much enthusiasm among the people.

The balance of the Geneva award lying in the Treasury, inclusive of accrued interest is \$9,583,800. The claims of the uninsured owners of vessels destroyed by "exculpated" cruisers, which have just been allowed, amount to \$1,200,000. The claims of the ship-owners who paid war premiums amount to nearly \$9,000,000.

It is the observation of the editor of the Macon (Ga.) Telegraph that the Southern negro has an amazing appetite for rum, and can drink enormous quantities of liquor at all times with comparative impunity. This capacity is so marked that it has been given out that "no case of delirium tremens has ever been developed in a pure blooded negro."

The Atlanta Republican admits that the "new movement" in Georgia—comprehended a coalition of Independents and Republicans—has not proved a success. It says: "Apparently the Democrats are as solid now as they have ever been, while the Republicans who were to have been strengthened by the bolters from the other party, are themselves divided."

Philadelphia Record: The call for the recall of Minister Lowell is getting to be a loud one. He had not the spirit, readiness, resource and fidelity to American ideas that are demanded in his place and position. As between misgoverned Ireland and her English oppressors the sympathies of America are on one side, and the sympathies of Mr. Lowell, if he has any, appear to be on the other. The country cannot afford to put any longer in the attitude of holding a nosegay to the nostrils of the British lion. Let Mr. Lowell be sent for.

We never knew the reason why the Boston Pacific Bank, which suspended, and then under the manipulation of Mr. Best revived, finally concluded to close its doors for good until we found the following telegram from Mr. Best to Secretary Coddigan, published in the Goldsboro Messenger, and now it is plain enough: "Acting upon my advice the Directors of the Pacific National Bank, of Boston, voted last Saturday to discontinue business. The Midland will suffer no inconvenience from this change of policy. Since November last the liabilities have been reduced to \$25,000. By good management with the creditors and stockholders can be paid in full." W. J. Best.

THE LUTHERAN SYNOD.

SECOND DAY'S SESSION.

The Subjects of Evangelical and Mission Work Discussed.

At 9:30 a. m. Synod was opened with prayer by Rev. J. Austin. The minutes of yesterday were read and approved. A communication from Dr. Conrad in reference to German immigration was referred to the committee on letters.

Rev. Junius B. Fox, of the Tennessee Synod, Rev. J. B. Anthony, N. C., Rev. O. Gregory, Rev. J. T. Bagwell and Rev. J. W. Wheeler, of Charlotte, were invited to seats on the floor of the Synod.

The report of the committee on the report of the treasurer and of the Richmond mission and the report of the central committee of missions was received and considered by items and adopted.

Rev. J. G. Butler, D. D., delegate for the General Synod of the Evangelical church in the United States addressed the Synod bearing the fraternal greetings of his body, and alluding to the work of that body and of the Lutheran church at large in America, consequent upon the immense immigration to this country, to the Catholicity of the Lutheran church and expressing the hope that at some time far distant when the Lutheran church in America would be united, and her resources might be concentrated on the great work before the church.

His remarks were replied to by Rev. G. D. Bernheim, Rev. L. G. Miller and others, after which a resolution was passed fixing Monday evening next at 8 o'clock for the discussion of the whole matter by the General Synod. The following is the resolution referred to:

Resolved: That we set apart Monday night at 8 o'clock for a general discussion of the subject of union with other general bodies of our church, and that a committee consisting of one delegate from each synod represented be appointed to consider and report in what definite form the subject shall be presented for discussion.

In obedience to the resolution the president appointed the following committee: Rev. D. M. Gilbert, Dr. S. A. Repass, Rev. J. Hawkins, Rev. S. T. Hallman and Rev. W. A. Tigner.

Dr. S. A. Repass read the following paper which was received and referred to the committee on the state of the church, with instructions to report the next at three o'clock for discussion.

THE URGENT NEED OF OUR SOUTHERN CHURCH.

Amid the multiplied wants of the Lutheran church South, we recognize most of our pressing importance that a large increase in the number of ministers. This necessity has forced itself upon the attention of our more earnest men in every period of our past history. It never more importantly than at the present. A glance at our district synods, making no mention of outlying mission fields, reveals a state of destitution that demands most earnest consideration. Our very poverty has both increased this destitution and paralyzed our endeavors to supply it. The want of ministers has been one of the fruitful causes of the slow growth of the Lutheran church in these Southern States. While there has been some numerical increase, and most encouraging progress in Lutheran churchliness within most of our synods, there has been little advance made through real missionary activity. The ministry educated in our own seminaries, and coming to us from northern synods, has not only failed to supply the vacancies occurring in our established congregations. Therefore our struggle to hold the territory conquered by our fathers. Nor in the present outlook more encouraging. The number of candidates for the ministry within the Lutheran church South is both small as well as wholly inadequate to the demands of the church. A glance at the number is not only discouraging, but also calculated to excite genuine apprehension. Beginning with the synod of Southwestern Virginia, there are seven now in college and seminary; in the synod of Virginia, four; in that of North Carolina, five; South Carolina, five; in Georgia, none; in Mississippi, none.

Surely if the church has an eye to the perishing harvest she has forgotten the right use of the prayer given by her Lord: "Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he send forth laborers into his harvest." When we bear in mind the claims of our vacant congregations, our mission fields throughout this Southern land, and especially the millions in the heathen world, stretching out their hands to us for the "bread of life," what exclamation is more fitting than that of the disciples: "What are these among so many?" But if this question of surprise springs from as genuine sense of helplessness as when asked by them we are not far from the true answer. Our help in this extremity is in the same Lord Almighty.

Recognizing therefore this, our pressing need, we should above all give diligent attention to this urgent call of God, enjoining upon ourselves first the supreme importance of this subject, and then solemnly obligating ourselves by the Lord's help to direct to it the minds of our district synods, that the ministry may earnestly lay this vital matter upon the consciences of the congregations and families over which they are placed. God requires of us no more than he has given us, or will give us the ability to accomplish. The growth that prompts to the sincere discharge of this duty will call out men for the work and means for their preparation. God helping us we will to this work with "both hands earnestly."

In order to give the committees time to get up their reports the Synod adjourned to three o'clock, after prayer by Rev. J. Willis.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Synod was called to order at 3:20 p. m., the president in the chair. Prayer by Rev. V. R. Stickley. Minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

Rev. Mr. Tigner, chairman of the committee on minutes of last session, submitted a report during the consideration of which, and before its adoption, Synod adjourned till Monday morning at 9 o'clock, in order to allow a number of the ministers to leave the city on the 4:30 train to preach at other points to-day.

A meeting of the board of trustees of the theological seminary was held after adjournment of Synod, at which some business, not of a general nature, was transacted.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Rev. J. G. Butler, D. D., pastor of Memorial Lutheran church, Washington City, D. C., is one of the professors in Howard University.

Rev. S. A. Repass, D. D., is president of the Theological Seminary at Salem, Va.

Rev. T. W. Dosh, D. D., was at one time pastor of the Lutheran church at Salisbury, N. C. He organized the Lutheran church in the city of Wheeling, W. Va., which under the ministrations of

his first successor, Rev. Barnitz, succeeded in keeping up a Sunday school of 700 scholars, making it by far the largest Sunday school of any denomination in West Virginia.

Rev. W. C. Schaeffer has charge of the Richmond, Va., mission, and made the English Lutheran Mission church at Grafton, W. Va., succeed prior to his removing to Richmond. He is a regular missionary pastor.

Rev. G. W. Holland, professor in Newberry College, has been recently chosen supreme chaplain of the order of the Knights of Honor of the United States.

Rev. L. A. Bickle, D. D., was the last and Rev. G. D. Bernheim, D. D., is the present president of North Carolina College, Mt. Pleasant, Cabarrus county.

German-English preachers—Rev. J. W. Conrad, D. D., of Philadelphia; Rev. N. R. Rude, D. D., of Columbia, S. C.; Rev. G. D. Bernheim, D. D., of Mt. Pleasant, this State, Rev. F. W. E. Peschau, of Wilmington, N. C., and Rev. S. Rothrock, Gold Hill, N. C., besides being able to preach in English, can also preach in German.

Civil Service proceeds. The clerks in the Department have been informed that they will be expected to pay political assessments as usual.

A DEAD LOCK STILL.

The Democrats Still Hold the Fort, Prevent a Quorum and Defeat for the Seventh Day the Programme of the Republicans.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—HOUSE.—Immediately upon the reading of the journal, Reed, of Illinois, rose to make a privileged report from the committee on rules.

Pending which Kenna, of West Virginia, moved that the House take a recess, but the Clerk proceeded to read the report, whereupon Kenna rose to a point of order that his motion must first be submitted.

The Speaker overruled the point of order, and Kenna appealed from the decision. The Chair refused to entertain the appeal, and directed the Clerk to read the report of the committee on rules as follows: Amend paragraph 8 of rule 19, so as to read, "pending a motion to suspend the rules as on any question of consideration which may arise on a case involving constitutional right to a seat and pending a motion for the previous question, or after it shall have been ordered, on any such case the Speaker may entertain one motion to adjourn, but after the vote thereon is announced, he may not entertain any other motion until a vote is taken on the pending question, and pending the consideration of such a case, only a motion to adjourn or take a recess, but not both in succession, shall be in order, and such a motion shall not be repeated without further intervening consideration of the case for at least one hour."

Reed said he would call the report up at a suitable time. Randall demanded that it lie over one day. Three or four dilatory motions were submitted, pending which Calkins asked and obtained unanimous consent to submit a proposition adopted in the Republican caucus last evening.

Randall said the proposition was not satisfactory. Reed attempted to reply, but his remarks were rendered inaudible by cries for the regular order from the Democratic side.

Several roll calls followed on dilatory motions, which showed that the Republicans lacked two of a quorum. At one o'clock on a motion to adjourn the Republican force fell off to 136 and a call of the House was ordered. The House then settled down to a session of perfect rest and no attempt at a renewed contest was made for several hours. Shortly before four o'clock further proceedings under the call were on motion of Mr. Reed dispensed with.

Dunn, of Arkansas, introduced through the petition box a joint resolution appropriating \$25,000 to be expended by the secretary of war for the relief of persons rendered destitute by the recent overflow of the Mississippi river and its tributaries.

The House then at 4 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

MAY 27, 1882. PRODUCE.

WILMINGTON—Spirits Turpentine steady, at 40c. Rosin quiet, at \$1.05 for strainer, \$1.10 for strained. Tur seed, at \$1.60. Corn—dull; prime white \$1; mixed 98.

BALTIMORE—Wheat—dull and unchanged; Howard street, Western white \$2.02 1/2; extra \$4.75; family \$4.00; city \$4.10; No. 1 \$3.75; No. 2 \$3.50; No. 3 \$3.25; No. 4 \$3.00; No. 5 \$2.75; No. 6 \$2.50; No. 7 \$2.25; No. 8 \$2.00; No. 9 \$1.75; No. 10 \$1.50; No. 11 \$1.25; No. 12 \$1.00; No. 13 \$0.75; No. 14 \$0.50; No. 15 \$0.25.

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Table listing market prices for various goods including East Tennessee, Georgia, Lake Shore, Louisville and Nashville, Memphis and Charleston, Nashville and Chattanooga, New York Central, Pittsburg, Richmond and Allegheny, Richmond and Danville, Rock Island, The Carolina and Brown Consoles, Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific, Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific preferred, Western Union.

CITY COTTON MARKET. OFFICE OF THE OBSERVER, CHARLOTTE, May 28, 1882. The market yesterday closed dull at the following quotations: Good Middling 11 3/4, Strict middling 11 1/4, Middling 11, Strict low middling 10 3/4, Low middling 10 1/4, Tinges 10, Richmond and Allegheny 10 1/2, Richmond and Danville 10 1/4, Rock Island 10 1/4, The Carolina and Brown Consoles 10 1/4, Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific 10 1/4, Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific preferred 10 1/4, Western Union 10 1/4.

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Notice to Contractors. THE Board of County Commissioners of Marlboro county, N. C., are now ready to receive bids for building a new court house in Bennettsville, N. C., as authorized by Act of General Assembly. Plans and specifications furnished on application. Also plans and specifications solicited. Correspondence to be addressed to the collector aforesaid. Address: ALEX. McRAE, Chairman B. C. C., Bennettsville, N. C., may 24 1m.

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