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BY TELEGRAPH.

STATE CONVENTIONS.

North Carolina—All Officers Democratic—New York—Pennsylvania—Wisconsin.

REIGN OF TERROR IN MISSISSIPPI.

Turbulent Condition of the State—A Sheriff Driven from His County—Unauthorized Armed Bands.

NEWS IN GENERAL.

Arrest of Counterfeiters—Large Quantity of "Quer" Captured—Jeff. Davis Enroute to Missouri.

GOLD 15-14.

TELEGRAPH TO THE JOURNAL.

THE CONVENTION.

RALPH, Sept. 8.—The Convention completed its organization to-day. All the officers elected are Democrats. After the organization, Mr. Toussaint (Rep.) offered a motion to adjourn sine die, which was defeated by a strict party vote. One Republican, Mr. Woodfin, and the Independent, Mr. Wilcox, voted the motion. An ordinance was introduced by Badger, of Wake, providing for the relief of ex-Gov. Holden from political disabilities, was referred.

A resolution by Judge Buxton, to seat Republican claimants for admission from Robeson county, lies over.

The death of Hon. W. A. Graham was announced by his colleagues, Mr. Turner and suitable resolutions were adopted pending the envoys.

The Convention adjourned till to-morrow.

WASHINGTON.

Gov. Ames Appealing for Aid.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The following dispatch was received at the Executive Mansion last night, from Gov. Ames, of Mississippi:

JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 7, 1875.

To His Excellency U. S. Grant, President of the United States:

Sir.—Domestic violence in its most aggravated form exists in certain parts of this State. On the evening of the 1st inst., unauthorized and illegal armed bodies overthrew the civil authorities of Yazoo county, and took forcible possession of said county, from which the sheriff, the peace officer of the county, was compelled to flee for safety; and is still a refugee. The sheriff of Hinds county reports that since the 4th inst., he has been unable to maintain the peace. He reports various murders by unauthorized armed bodies. Warren county is also reported as being in a state of terrorism, from the remonstrances of still other unauthorized armed bodies, and a feeling of insecurity prevails in other counties of the State. After careful examination of all reports, I find myself compelled to appeal to the General Government for the means of giving that protection to which every American citizen is entitled. I do not now make a formal demand under the provisions of the Constitution of the United States, but telegraph you to know if you can and will regard the proclamation issued by you in December last, on application of the Legislature of this State, as still in force. The necessity of immediate action cannot be overestimated. If your proclamation is not in force, I will at once make a formal application in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution of the United States.

(Signed) ALBERT AMES.

Mr. Luckey, Private Secretary to the President, immediately sent the above dispatch to the President at Long Branch, and privately received directing him to submit the dispatch to the Attorney-General, ask his advice, and answer Gov. Ames as to whether the proclamation of last year could be construed as now in force. The telegrams were handed to the Attorney-General last night, and this morning that order submitted to the President his decision—that the proclamation cannot be construed as now in force. This opinion was communicated to Gov. Ames as directed by the President.

NEW YORK.

Counterfeiting in Limbo—New York State Convention.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Two Italians were arrested yesterday at the Grand Central Depot, having in their possession a large quantity of \$10 counterfeit on the First National Bank of Philadelphia and the City Bank of Poughkeepsie. The plate from which the bills were printed was cut by the notorious counterfeiter, Tom Ballard, now in the Albany penitentiary, and during the past nine years has been altered to print counterfeits on twenty-nine National Banks.

SARATOGA, Sept. 8.—The Republican State Convention called to order, Hon. E. D. Morgan making a brief speech. B. Carruth was elected temporary chairman. A resolution declaring opposition to a third term was referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

Geo. W. Curtis elected permanent chairman. The platform adopted was as follows:

1st. The National Government should remain in the hands of those who sustain the guarantees of the amended

constitution, and in pursuance of past actions of the Republican party, and its good results, the welfare of the country requires a rest; generous and forbearing National policy in the Southern States; a firm refusal to use military power except for purposes clearly defined in the Constitution.

2d. Demands honesty in every branch of State and National government, and prompt punishment for malfeasance in office.

3d. Farther inflation of the currency, under any pretense, would be a public calamity, as the interests of honesty, industry, and the common welfare of the people demand a speedy possible return to specie payment.

4th. Recognizing as conclusive the President's public declaration that he is not a candidate for renomination.

WISCONSIN.

Democratic Reform Convention. MILWAUKEE, Sept. 8.—The Democratic Reform Convention has assembled, D. W. Moreau, temporary chairman.

TENNESSEE.

Jefferson Davis. MEMPHIS, Sept. 8.—Mr. Davis met with cordial receptions all along the route to De Soto, Mo.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Pennsylvania State Convention. ERIE, Sept. 8.—Reports agree that the platform will be about the same as Ohio. Probably more strongly greenback and anti-national bank.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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