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BY TELEGRAPH.

MISSISSIPPI.

RIOT IN ISSAQUEUNA COUNTY.

More Negroes Troubled—A White Boy Set Upon and Beaten—Whites and Negroes Organizing, &c.

BABCOCK.

Grant's Secretary Bailed in \$7,000—Comments on the Trials—The Dismissal of Mr. Henderson, &c.

NEWS IN GENERAL.

The Balloting for U. S. Senator in Virginia—Heavy Fire—Terrorful Explosion—Defaulter—Blackmail.

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BY TELEGRAPH TO THIS JOURNAL.

MISSISSIPPI.

VICKSBURG, Dec. 11.—A riot is reported to have taken place at Rolling Fork, thirty-five miles above here, growing out of an attempt of the negroes to rescue one that was arrested. Seven negroes, including two of the leaders, were killed.

The origin of the riot at Rolling Fork, Issaquena county on Saturday night, Nov. 27, by a party of negroes who were assembled at the village and were drinking and dancing, when one of them pushed against a youth whom he met on the street, using rough language at the same time. The youth drew a knife and inflicted a scalp wound on the negro and then fled to a store for safety. The negroes became very much exasperated and avowed vengeance. To prevent this, a warrant was obtained for the youth, charging him with assault with intent to kill, but before it could be served, the negroes broke into the store and the whites had begun to assemble, and fearing a general riot, pursued and captured ten of them, put them in the station house and placed a guard over them during the night. One of the guards was not upon duty and the negroes broke into his apartment and was ordered away from the apartment and was injured, his gun which was cocked, struck against the window and was discharged. The negro prisoners thinking that they were being fired upon stampeded and the guard opened up an indiscriminate firing, wounding two of their own number and two negroes, all slightly, but the prisoners escaped. On Sunday the most intense excitement prevailed there, as it was learned that Noah Parker and Hiram Brock, two notorious negroes, were trying to organize the negroes for an assault on the place and the whites were organized under Rev. Mr. Ball, a Baptist minister, who arrested Brock and Parker, and in the attempt to rescue them, the scene reported last night, occurred.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Mr. Glover declines acting for the Government, vice the resignation of Hon. Jos. L. Smith assumed charge of the Indian Bureau.

The bill introduced in the Senate Thursday by Mr. Coaling to repeal the fifth section of the act organizing the Court to distribute the General award so as to allow the insurance companies to participate in that award is not intended to allow the claims of foreign companies when the bill organizing the Court was being perfected by the Senate Judiciary Committee two years ago. One of the reasons urged for inserting the 12th section was that the stockholders in many of our companies were foreigners and it would not be proper to allow them the benefit of the award.

The statement made is as follows: The insurance companies were present at the conversations with the cabinet officers and the President only on an official view of the circumstances recently happening in connection with the case of the *Franklin*.

In a very late hour this afternoon no appointment of a special counsel to fill the vacancy occasioned by the removal of Gen. Henderson, had been suggested by the Government. The United States Attorney at St. Louis, an eminent lawyer for the position and his designation awaits the approval of the department, which cannot be obtained until the conference between the President and the Secretary of the Treasury, and the Attorney General. The bill probably will be promptly re-passed to St. Louis, while according to the telegram of yesterday from the Attorney General, the Government Attorney at St. Louis, the selection of a special counsel was referred to him. The nomination of Mr. Hooper was suggested on account of the high estimate of the ability of that gentleman held in the Department of Justice and there are some disappointed parties who are anxious to present the case to the Attorney General.

The following are the appointments of the Department of Justice are but to one point and that is the selection of a counsel who shall

be equally fair and fearless in the discharge of his official functions and in the expression of views, the President, Secretary Bristow and the Attorney General entirely accord with the additional inclination that should two lawyers of equal professional eminence be presented for appointment to the responsible office, they would rather have a gentleman of different political opinions from the administration, than one politically in accord with the President.

Attorney General Pierpont in a statement this evening upon the subject of these prosecutions said the President was ardent in his demand for a counsel who should be absolutely fearless in the discharge of the duties attending his office and would not be satisfied with anything short of the most rigorous and impartial prosecution of the work entrusted by the Government to his hands.

Upon the topic of the determination reached in the cabinet yesterday to dispense with the services of Mr. Henderson, there is a free and unassess expression of opinion in the highest official quarters and a member of the cabinet says that the rigor that counsel in pressing to the utmost his prosecution of offenders, receives nothing but endorsement.

The construction of certain parts of the language of his speech in the latter part of the trial is personally offensive to the President and unwarranted by any circumstance arising in the trial. This opinion is declared to be general among the cabinet officers and Secretary Bristow, who it has been intimated might not be disposed to thoroughly acquiesce in the determination to dispense with Gen. Henderson's services, did so as to be in any other member of the cabinet. The statement may be made upon proper authority that when the Attorney General presented at the outset of these trials the name of Gen. H. as a special counsel to assist the United States Attorney in the conduct of the cases in behalf of the Government, Judge Pierpont was not aware of any difference of past origin that remained between the President and ex-Senator Henderson, and when at a late period in the trial, the Attorney General interrogated the President as to the way he had conciliated the fact of any possible existing.

The President replied that he had but one object in the selection of any party to represent the Government in the matter, and that was fearless attention to the duties requisite to the office. There is very little comment upon the action of the Court of Inquiry in not at present pursuing the investigation for which it was organized. This is the highest judicial circles is considered perfectly proper, and the feeling here is in entire harmony with the action of the Court of Inquiry, which will be acquiesced in by the War Department. There is here, as elsewhere, general and animated conversation upon the latest results of the trials, with various comments upon the discharge of the special counsel.

The Attorney General has intimatedly given his opinion in regard to the dismissal of Mr. Henderson from further conduct of the cases, and says that Mr. Bristow is, in this respect, entirely in accord with the action taken by the Government.

Several joint telegrams signed by Pierpont and Bristow have been recently sent to St. Louis, referring to the pending trials.

The subject of the indictment of Babcock has had little attention here to-day, in comparison with the change of counsel at St. Louis.

It is admitted in high official circles, in response to inquiries, that it is possible that the House may be disposed to investigate the circumstances attending the trials, that every act on the part of the Government will bear the fullest investigation.

There is now the hardest comment upon the trials in all sections, and outside of high official circles, a great diversity of opinion regarding the removal of Mr. Henderson.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Messrs. Oelrich & Co., Agents of the North German Lloyd's line, in this city, have received the following telegram from the Company's office in Bremen: "A great explosion has occurred at Bremen on the quay belonging to a passenger's baggage. Many lives were lost. The steamer *Nassau* is slightly damaged, but we expect to sail her to-morrow. It is not yet known whether the *Nassau* and *Wendlandt* were passengers by the steamer."

Tomorrow's Times will contain the following: "FRANK AVENUE HOTEL, New York, December 11, 1875. The Republican National Committee will meet on Thursday, January 13th at 10 A. M., at the Arlington Hotel, Washington, for the purpose of fixing the time and place for holding the next Republican National Convention for the nomination of President and Vice-President."

(Signed) E. D. MORGAN, Ch'm'n. WM. E. CHANDLER, Secretary. (Signed) J. H. BROWN, Sec'y. Messrs. Menz has suddenly disappeared from Baltimore and it is thought that he has fled.

MASSACHUSETTS, Boston, Dec. 11.—A remarkable attempt to blackmail F. Seidowky, one of the largest furniture dealers here, has culminated in the exposure of the plot and arrest of Ezra Goodwin, a private detective. Goodwin induced a former employe of Seidowky's to swear that the latter hired him to set fire to his (Seidowky's) factory in 71 in order to defraud the insurance companies. Goodwin admitted to represent the companies, and armed with a false affidavit, demanded \$20,000 of Seidowky of expense and reward. The latter secured the services of detectives, and ultimately succeeded in paying a portion of the blackmail, outwitted Goodwin in a room at the hotel where he was arrested. He is now in jail.

VIRGINIA.

RICHMOND, Dec. 11.—On the sixth ballot Johnson received 42, Goode 47, Stewart 47. Adjourned to 9 o'clock this morning.

Four ineffectual ballots, with Goode leading in each trial. There will be another session to-night.

There were two more ballots this afternoon, being fourteen in all. In the last ballot Goode received 44, Johnston 48 and J. B. Tucker 36. Adjourned to Monday morning. This filibustering will probably be continued until to-day, when a direct vote for United States Senator will be taken in the joint session of the General Assembly as required by law. The name of State Senator John W. D. will be presented to the caucus to-day, but is immediately withdrawn. It is evidently the intention of his friends to keep him back for the closing contest. He is very strong and will make a good run.

CONNECTICUT, Bridgeport, Dec. 11.—The copper mill at Ansonia of the Brass and Copper Company was burned this morning. Loss \$20,000.

ILLINOIS, Chicago, Dec. 11.—Babcock has given \$7,000 bail for the appearance at St. Louis.

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