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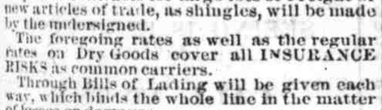

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GORILLA-BAYONET CONVENTION.

Called by Act of the Congress of the Northern States to Frame a Radical Constitution for the State of North Carolina.

TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

THURSDAY, Feb. 14, 1868.

A communication from the Freedmen's Bureau "Head Centre" was received, in reply to a resolution of thanks tendered to him by this body, for the efficient manner, &c., &c.

Also a General Order from District Head quarters, enforcing the tax ordinance of the Convention.

Mr. Congleton, a resolution abolishing the State Senate. Referred.

Mr. McDonald, of Chatham, an ordinance making all contracts and debts, made prior to May 1865, null and void. Referred.

CALENDAR.

Mr. Welker called up his ordinance, prohibiting the distillation of grain, and moved that the ordinance be so amended, as to provide that it go into effect immediately after passage. Adopted.

Mr. McCubbins moved to strike out "June" and insert "January 1st., 1869," in the 3d line

Mr. McDonald, of Chatham, moved the indefinite postponement of the subject.

This motion created a good deal of discussion. Some thought such a prohibition would injure the chances of the Constitution before the people. Others thought differently, and, pending the discussion, the Chair announced the

SPECIAL ORDER,

viz; The report of the Committee on Preamble and Bill of Rights.

Mr. Heaton asked the Secretary to read sections 4 and 5 in conjunction, as he wished to make some remarks upon the doctrines contained in them.

The sections were read, when.

Mr. H. said that the important and vital questions involved should receive a most careful consideration at the hands of this Convention.—They involve the greatest issues that have ever agitated the minds of the American people. Let us, in the Constitution which we are now about to frame, settle forever, so far as the people of this State are concerned, that the odious doctrine of State sovereignty was incompatible with the true meaning and intent of the Constitution framed by the fathers of the country, ratified by the voice of the people and venerated and beloved on account of the principles of liberty which it inculeates.

In regard to the 6th. section, which declares against repudiation, Mr. H. said he would oppose every attempt. He would never support any measure that tended to violate any honest obligation, in debt, contracted before the war or since.

This touched roughly upon Mr. Tourgee's ideas of the *new* and the *old* State, and "up arose he" and said, that if we recognized the principle that the new State, which goes into existence when the Constitution which we are framing is ratified by the people and approved by Congress, is responsible for all the obligations of the old State, we at once admit that Congress is an usurper and that we are an unconstitutional body. This is only a conquered province. The Congress had treated it as other countries do provinces that they have conquered. A new government had been given. Military commanders had been placed over the various districts.—At the end of the war the State lost every particle of existence as a State, and degenerated into a conquered province; and, therrefore, the new State is not liable for one cent of the debt of the defunct State.

The *new* State, which we are creating, has no faith pledged, no debt, and cannot assume that of a State that has ceased to exist. We can only have such debts, such obligations, as we may in future contract. Half of the citizens of this new State are strangers to the old, and yet we are asked to shoulder the debt of the defunct State. It was simply encouraging treason. Northern Copperheads loaned money to Southern traitors to carry on the war, because they saw a chance to make grand speculations. Wall Street could have checked the rebellion—not in 30 days—not in 90 days—not in six months—but in 20 minutes; but no, they saw a chance to buy bonds of this section of the country far below their par value, and, looking forward to the time when Uncle Sam would, in his might and strength, put down the rebellion, they would come to this impoverished country and say fork over the principal and accrued interest.

Mr. T. continued in the same strain for some time—in sum and substance advocating the utter repudiation of all debts contracted before, during and after the war.

Harris, of Wake, (negro), was exceedingly *amazed* (!!) by the remarks of Mr. Tourgee. It was a conglomeration of empty sounds. He (Harris, negro) was opposed to anything tending to repudiating honest debts.

Mr. Abbott said that the record made by Mr. Tourgee, to-day, *was infamous*, and if he were a native citizen of the State, as he was by adoption, he would blush to hear such a doctrine enunciated in the Capitol of the State. It was the same line of argument *that a rascal would use in reference to his private debts.* Mr. A. spoke in opposition to the policy advanced by Mr. Tourgee, at some length.

Mr. Rodman thought Mr. Tourgee's argument, that none but a fool would emigrate here, if the people were to be taxed to pay the debt of the old State, *was best set aside by the gentleman's presence amongst us.* He was sure Mr. Tourgee was no fool. Mr. R. also participated in the debate, and entered into a lengthy and able argument concerning the political existence of the States.

Mr. Nicholson felt sorry for Mr. Tourgee. Everybody had a fling at him. He thought the gentleman hardly dealt with, but he could not sit quietly and hear propositions made to tarnish the honor of the State.

Mr. Pool was also opposed to repudiation, in any shape or form, as regards the honorable debts of the State, and said, in his remarks, that it was strange that he had not heard a proposition from certain gentlemen on this floor to change the name of the State. It was anti republican; it was named after an English Queen.

Here Mr. French, of Bladen, moved to adjourn, but withdrew it, in order to allow Mr. Tourgee to make an explanation.

Mr. T. resumed, when

Harris, of Wake, (negro,) arose to a point of order, in stating that the gentleman was making a speech. He (Harris, negro,) said that Mr. T. was forever for tearing down everything, and building up nothing.

Mr. Tourgee, however, finished his remarks.

The following is the Committee on the resolution of Harris, (negro,) in regard to the seat of Mr. Durham, viz: Harris, of Wake, (negro,) Messrs. Gahagan and Pool.

The motion to adjourn was renewed, and carried, and the House adjourned until 7½ o'clock this evening.

Destitution in Nashville.

[From the Nashville Despatch.]

There has perhaps never been a time of greater suffering and distress in the city of Nashville than the present. Many persons are out of employment who would, if the opportunity presented, earn an honest livelihood. Hundreds and thousands of lazy negroes who droned off the summer and fall months, are now so many pestiferous paupers upon the city. An accumulation of evils have afflicted our people. Trade, business and the mechanical arts have been comparatively stagnant. Those who have to live as the saying is, from hand to mouth, are now utterly destitute, and without any means of support. Our poor are suffering for food, fuel and raiment. The weather is severe, and the ill-clad, homeless, shivering sufferers are real objects of sympathy. The establishment of the soup-house affords some relief—it at least alleviates partially the cravings of hunger—but the pinchings of cold for the want of shelter, fire and raiment are severely felt. Some three hundred persons daily eat at the soup-house, and a full hundred of these are negroes of every size, age color and sex. What a rebuke is this to those who deprived these poor creatures of good homes and good masters and mistresses who fed and clothed them, and did it well. With a continuation of the present cold weather, much suffering may be expected, and while we sympathize with the sufferers, we confess our inability to suggest a plan of effective relief.

Glad Tidings.

Recent news from the manufacturing regions is somewhat encouraging, to say the least of it. The cotton mills at Waltham, Massachusetts, are again running on full time; and several other mills and factories in the same state are doing more work now than they did a month ago. The clock works of Thomaston, Connecticut, are run with a full set of hands in every department. In the West also there are hopeful signs. A large rolling mill is to be established in Dayton, Ohio. An extensive pail and tub factory is to be erected in Erie; and in various quarters there is news of manufacturing enterprise indicative of coming prosperity.—*N. Y. Star.*

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