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up to the date of discontinuance.

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# The Morning Star.

By WILLIAM H. BERNARD. WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY EVENING, OCT. 9, 1884.

## EVENING EDITION

ANOTHER CHAPTER IN THE BLAINE HISTORY.

Trying to write up Blaine's wicked course and to help expose his innumerable rascalities are becoming a little bit monotonous. We have for some months tried to have our readers informed of his vile political life but it is hard work to keep up with the exposures. In all the world the equal of Blaine cannot be found in vicious ways and short turns and deliberate prevarications. It does look as if he will not tell the truth even when it would be helpful to himself. The sinuous ways of rascality are so familiar to him that he does not know the straight way when he sees it. "There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof is death." Blaine's way will dump him at last into that slough of ignominy and obloquy where no hand of political resurrection will ever reach him.

The latest of his villainies is to be found in Ward Beecher's letter concerning Jas. F. Joy, of Detroit, and what he said of Blaine. Mr. Beecher, of date of Oct. 6, 1884, has addressed a letter to Gen. R. A. Alger, Republican candidate for Governor o Michigan. He was forced to write this defence because of a report that was in circulation without "his knowledge or privity." It seems that at a dining on the 29th of September, 1877, Mr. Joy indulged himself in some very free talk. Here is his statement according to Mr. Beecher, who was present:

"When a difficulty occurred in regard to certain lands in the Southwest in which I was interested, a committee was about to be appointed by Congress to examine the matter, Blaine being Speaker of the House. Through a friend I asked Mr. Blaine to have one sound lawyer appointed on that committee, I did not care of which party. I simply wanted a sound lawyer. In a day or two Mr. Blaine sent me word through a friend that he had certain depreciated bonds, and that if I would enable him to place them at par 'I could have my commit-tee as I wanted it.' I cannot forget with what cutting scorn Mr. Joy leaned back in his chair and said: 'That is the man Blaine is,' and he added, 'I refused the offer, and as the courts soon settled the matter no committee was appointed."

Joy afterwards became Blaine's him in 1880, in the Chicago Convention. Joy has a denial of the story. Here it is:

LONDON, Sept. 20, 1884. R. A. Alger, Detroit, Mich .:

Blaine never made me any offer to appoint a committee to suit me in any manner or form or for any consideration of any J. F. Joy.

Now Mr. Beecher is not the only witness. In his letter he says there were "several gentlemen who were present" when Joy unbosomed himself. He says further that there are "other witnesses, not a few" who have heard "the same substantial have heard "the same substantial statements." This fellow Joy opposed Blaine most bitterly in 1876. What placated him in 1880, is not positively known. The following is given in the New York Times, Rep.,

as the history of the Joy-Blaine

"Mr. Joy, it was said, was interested in 1869 and 1870 in the Leavanworth, Law-rence and Galveston Railroad, to which a grant of land had been given. The most valuable part of this grant was claimed by the Osage Indians, who held that it had been given to them by treaty. The conflicting claims of the Indians and the company were to engage the attention of a committee of the House of Representatives. That committee had not been appointed and its members were to be name the Speaker, Mr. Blaine. Mr. believed that a thorough and impartial investigation by men learned in the law would result in a confirmation of the railroad company's scheme. He desired that the inquiry should be made by competent legal authority. He sent word to Mr. Blaine asking him to put upon the committee one lawyer of high reputation. Mr. Blaine did not then promise that he would do so, it is said, but on the following day one of his intimate friends came to Mr. Joy and told him that if he would buy from Mr. Blaine \$25,000 in bonds of the Little Rock and Fort Smith Railroad at par Mr. Blaine would make up the committee as far as possible just as Mr. Joy de sired to have it made up. Mr. Joy de clined to buy the bonds. He believed that his case was a good one."

No one need to be surprised at this revelation of official turpitude. After seeing his course against the Catholics; after seeing his disgraceful conduct in bringing out the most scandalous charges against his competitor, Mr. Cleveland; after his disgraceful conduct in Maine before he entered the National halls of legislation; after his speculations in Spencer rifles and other frauds upon the Government in the midst of the great war; after his disgusting and disgraceful conduct while Speaker as is revealed in the Mulligan letters, when he bartered his office for pelf; after his bribery in the Kemble case when he blackmailed him for \$2,500 after bargaining to do his work for \$5,000; after his lying as to the Hocking Valley mines and the way the miners have been treated; after his very bad conduct in his early life in Kentucky; after all this and more, the public may not feel any astonishment at the shameful story of Joy about Blaine, nor hesitate a second to believe it.

This is the infamous fellow who is hippodroming in the West as the choice of the Republican party for the Presidency-a man of no moral character whatever; a dishonest knave who is incapable of telling the truth. Mr. Beecher knows the man and thus paints his portrait in living

"Yet I cannot allow myself to be misled by sympathy with his undoubted kindartedness, courage and audacity.

"Unsound in statesmanlike judgment unscrupulous in political methods, dim-eyed in perceiving the distinction between truth and untruth, absorbingly ambitious, but shortsighted as to the methods of gratifying his ambition, but, with a genial so-cial dispesition and a brilliant rhetorical capacity, Mr. Blaine makes an alluring candidate, but would make a dangerous

Mr. Beecher is not without con firmation. Other witnesses will speak Already one has spoken, and it is known, as a Detroit, Michigan, dispatch to the New York Herald says, that Joy "unquestionably made" a similar statement as that reported by Beecher, "to several intimate friends and at various times."

The following from an editorial in the New York Times is conclusive: 'The same dispatch (to the Herald) at-tributes to ex Mayor William G. Thompson of Detroit, who is now opposing Mr. Blaine, the following remarks made to exsentor Baldwin, also of Detroit, and quoted in the Free Press of Sept. 26: 'You know the particulars of James F. Foy's going down to Washington when Mr. Blaine was Speaker of the House to consult him about putting a certain man on the Rullroad Committee. You know that Mr. Blaine made a financial proposition to denounced Bisine in a leading bank here as a dishonest man."

BLAINE AFTER NORTH CAROLINA The Republicans in Washington are organizing for a raid upon the States of North Carolina and Florida. That much is certain. They intend to do all that the free use of "soap" capture these States. Forewarned. forearmed. Let Democrats buckle on their armor. Let them shake off all apathy and go to work in earnest.

The Republican managers are so doubtful as to three or four hitherto Republican Western States that they are forced to try to capture West Virginia, North Carolina and Flofugleman and actually nominated rids. There is no doubt of this. It is well understood in Washington. A Bureau to have charge of these States has been established there, and the lying documents about the Blair bill that we exposed, is one of the means adopted to deceive the ignorant and to make votes. The Washington correspondent of the Charleston News and Courier writes on the

3d of October as follows: "North Carolina and Florida are the two Southern States the Blaine managers have their eyes upon. The Secretary of the Republican Congressional Committee, Edward McPherson, excelerk of the House of Representatives, openly declares that by the judicious use of campaign 'soap' North

fitted up for carrying on campaign work, and a circular addressed to the people of North Carolina has been published."

Let us work the harder. Let the white men stand by good, honest government. Let us help bury York and Blaine so deep that their stench can never pollute again the atmosphere that honest freemen breathe.

Here is another fact: In 1884 the United States have imported more cotton goods from England than they did in 1858, when the Low Walker Tariff was in operation. How is that for high? It is true also that cotton goods are now selling below the cost of production. Why this? Is it not because there is too much bounty and consequently too much production? Again: steel rails, as we showed the other day, are now selling for \$1 less than the tax on foreign rails was before the reduction. The duty is now about \$17 a ton. The price now is \$26 per ton. In England the price is \$24.50. The explanation of this reduction is thus given in an exchange, the name of which we did not note when we clipped the paragraph:

"But the American reduction has been reached through the closure of all the mills except two or three of the richest monopolies in the East, while not one employe in ten is now at work in that branch of man-

Blaine's effort to buy the Mulligan letters was as big a failure as was his effort to induce Mr. Fisher to sign that fabulous and lying indorsement of character he was anxious to obtain in order that a black character might be whitewashed. Mulligan would not listen to the Blaine Syren though the tune was \$10,000. Nor would Fisher and Mulhgan agree to expatriate themselves even for a short season that no witnesses of his wickedness and villainy might confront him. Poor Jeems!

The Republicans in Congress are responsible for the postponement of the Blair Education bill. Turn to the Congressional Record, page 3,348, and read as follows:

"Mr. Aiken-I am instructed by the Committee on Eduction to ask unanimous consent of the House to take from the Speaker's table Senate bill No. 398, for reference to that committe. 'Mr. Hiscock-I object.'

Mr. Aiken is a Democrat from South Carolina. Mr. Hiscock is a Republican from New York. So the lying document sent out from Washington is not to be trusted.

A small boys' base ball club at Milledge ville is named for Senator Brown. The Senator sent them \$5.-Atlanta Constitu-

We can show that for some fifteen hundred years "is named for," was never written by any man who understood correct writing. The late Rev. Dr. William Hooper, the best possible authority, once wrote us a letter of thanks for protesting against the substitution of "for" for "after." In one of the Greek Father's of the third century we recently saw for used and correctly.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

- Protectionist organs have presented to their readers lists of articles of iron and steel and comparative prices of clothing to show these articles cost less in the United States than in England. It is evident, then, that the high duties on these articles are wholly unnecessary, and that the 15 and 20 per cent. reductions upon him, and that when Mr. Joy returned he them in the Morrison bill would have been without any effect. Since they are made and sold for less in this country, foreign competition is out of the question It is incumbent, then, upon the tariff organs to name the manufactures of iron and steel and textile fabrics that would be injured by the reductions of the Morrison bill, in order to justify their clamor against that measure. and free lying can accomplish to The friends of tariff reform have urged them to specify, and they still refuse. They have admitted that the tariff contains "irregularities," and irrregularities are iniquities enabling some portions of the people to profit at the expense of the rest. But the protective organs cannot be persuaded to name the "irregularities" in the tariff to which they make confession.—Phil. Record, Ind.

-- The Plumed Knight is not noted for accuracy of statement, but he got so far off from the facts in his eech at Bellaire that it has been found necessary to call him back. In the official report of the speech furnished by the Associated Press and printed in most of the papers yesterday we read: The original material that enters into any fabric constitutes a very small element in the costs of that fabric. If you take a steamship that costs \$500,000 when she is launched, the material in her costs \$5,000, the labor \$495,000. This was a little too wild a guess even for the able tariff editor of the Press and the speech was altered in that paper to read: If you take a steamship that cost \$500,000 when she is launched, the material in her costs

THE STATE EXPOSITION.

Maris, Fertilizers and Precious Stones Raleigh News-Observer. The display of marls is made from

over thirty counties and the great extent of the beds of this valuable fertilizer are shown. The Navassa Guano Company, of

Wilmington, makes in conjunction with the department, a special display of its fertilizers, which are admirably prepared. The recently discovered phosphates are shown in extenso, this being the finest presentation of them yet made. The nodules are of immense size in some cases, and form hudge pyramids. There are specimens from about fourteen counties.

The collection of precious stones, under the charge of Prof. William Earl Hidden, is shown specially in the "gem parlor." This is a bower covered with cotton and mica, and bordered by show cases, in which about \$100,000 worth of precious stones are shown, from diamonds to rubies. The list embraces about

### POWERFUL ALLIES.

N. Y. World.

There has been a steady effort on the part of the Blaine people to be-little the strength of the "Independent" movement. The result of the election will prove the folly of this

The ablest newspapers which supported Garfield in 1880 in this city and Brooklyn, and which now support Cleveland, have a circulation about as follows:

Daily Times . . . . . . . . . . . 50,000 Herald and Telegram . . . . . 160,000 Harper's Weekly . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 125,000 Evening Post...... 20,000 Brooklyn Union..... 15,000

It is absurd to pretend that seven journals with a combined circulation of about 500,000 have no influence and can make no impression on the canvass. Only the madness of desperation could prompt such a ridicu-

#### Gov. Cleveland Described. Cincinnati Enquirer.

The man for whom Tennyson longed many years ago seems to have been found in Gov. Cleveland. The description could not well be more

"Ab, God! for a man with heart, head, Like some of the simple great ones gone

For ever and ever by One still strong man in a blatant land; Whatever they call him, what care I?-Aristocrat, democrat, autocrat-one Who can rule, and dare not lie ?"

## OUR STATE CONTEMPORARIES.

Will our editors leave off bragging s heavily on North Carolina? It doesn' sound well, and besides it is not in good taste. Nor is it the thing to raise the State -if the intention be such-in the estimation of people elsewhere. The facts do not warrant anything more than a modest reference to our advancement with the other States of the South since the war, leaving much yet to be done in the reformation of manners and in the diffusion of intelligence. Let us have less boasting and more work. - Greensboro Workman.

Senator Edmunds' bill now pending in Congress nullifies every State law making any distinction between whites and blacks. It nullifies the State law forbidding miscegenation. It nullifies the State law providing for separate schools for the races.

—Raleigh News-Observer.

At one swoop the whole educationa fund was swept into their (Republican) pockets, the schools were closed, and the education of hundreds of thousands of our children arrested for a long term. - Raleigh

## POLITICAL POINTS.

- It is about time for some inhuman Democrat to cut the bell rope on Bro-ther Blaine's train.—Chicago Herald.

- We suggest a motto for the Republican business men's parade: "Eighty cents a day for workingmen. Vote for Blaine and a protective tariff."—Cleveland

- The old Republican, party to which we belonged was the party of right and righteousness and of priciple; but now the Democratic party is become the party of liberty, of right, and of justice and good government. — Edward Atkinson.

- The damning charge against Mr. Blaine is that he used his official position—the high and responsible office of Speaker—for private gain. The falsehoods which he uttered to wriggle out of the corper in which he found himself in reference to that charge-black as the are-are only of secondary consideration. - Boston Herald, Ind. Rep.

- The New York correspondent of the Portland Eastern Argus writes: Cleveland is another Monroe. He has good sense and honesty, and therein lies his great strength. Had he been a little dishonest, only just a little dishonest, he would certainly have been elected. Had he yielded to Kelly a little, and to Dana a little, and to Grady a little, and to other members of the gang a little, every one of those worthies would doubtless have

## BETTING.

- At Nashville \$1,000 to \$700 is bet that Cleveland will carry New York. - At Buffalo, Cleveland's home, the betting is even, with Cleveland as the favorite. Between \$15,000 and \$20,000 has been wagered.

- At St. Louis the betting is \$1,000 to \$800 that Cleveland will carry New York. He also has the call on the general result.

- At Kansas City Blaine was the favorite in the early past of the campaign, but the betting is now about even. In large bets about \$25,000 has been wagered. - Several parties in Boston who had large sums wagered on Blaine, after a visit to New York last month, succeeded in withdrawing their bets.

## The Sunny Side of It.

Let us be sunshiny if we can. But if we have dyspepsia and liver complaint and rheumatism and several other ailments, how can we? First get rid of the ailments. Get a bottle of Brown's Iron Bitters and put them to flight. Mrs. Silver, of Centralia, Mo., says, "I took Brown's Iron Bitters for dyspepsia and it has acted like a charm." Mr. Seth Adams, Walworth, Wis., "took Brown's Iron Bitters for severe rheumatism, and is greatly improv-

## THE LATEST NEWS.

FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD FOREIGN

Chinese-Harrowing Reports of the Cyclone in Sictly-A Russian University Closed on Account of Nihilism of Students-England Taking Measures Against the Hoors in Africa, &c. (By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Paris, Oct. 9 .- Gen. Briene De L'Isec has telegraphed to government confirming the report announced in the dispatch from Hanar, yesterday, of an engagement be-tween the French and Chinese in the valley of Loo Chuan river, Tonquin. The en-counter took place on Monday last. The Chinese were attempting to execute an offensive movement on the upper Loo-Chuan river. They lost one thousand men. Capt. Devnet, of the French Foreign Legion, was killed, and Lieut. Bakille wounded. Gen. Negrier's column has gone up Phulang river to cut off the retreat of the Chinese.

ROME, Oct. 9 .- Harrowing details of the cyclone which prevailed at Catania, on the island of Sicily, yesterday, have been re-ceived here. Twenty seven persons were killed and one hundred wounded. There is great distress among the poor. dreds of houses were demolished in the Bergo, Fondo and Gioeni quarters. At Ciball and Ognina, suburbs of the city, many summer mansions are in ruins. damage will amount to 2,000,000 lire.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 9 .- The University at Kieff has been closed by the authorities, and will not reopen until January. One hundred and sixty eight students have been arrested for alleged connection with the Nihilists.

The Socialist journals, which were suspended some time ago, are about to reappear. They will be printed in St. Peters

VIENNA, Oct. 9.-Herr Vulterei, Com missioner of Police at Kuttenberg, in Bohe mia, has received a letter from the Nihilists, containing his sentence of death for arresting two members of that party.

LONDON, Oct. 9.- The Times' Dongola correspondent complains, on behalf of himself and his brother correspondents, that all telegrams to and from England are subjected to military vise, which renders

their telegrams practically worthless. The Times understands that the English Cabinet Council on Monday concluded to adopt measures forthwith to stop the audaclous encroachments of the Boers in Africa. This decision, the Times says, received with satisfaction by the people of England, who have watched with growing impatience the insults that have been heaped upon the English flag by a people whose insignificance is their best protec-

### KENTNCKY.

Destructive Fire in Richmond-Aggregate Loss \$125,000. (By Telegraph to the Morning Star.)

CINCINNATI, Oct. 9.-The Commercial Gazette's special from Richmond, Kentucky, says: A fire broke out in the planing mill of C. Zafford, last night, and aided by heavy winds the flames proved very destructive. Engines were sent for from Lapsing, and the fire was under control after burning two hours. The following are the losers: C. Zafford, planing mill, \$35,000; W. W. Potts, flour mills, \$66, 500; city gas works, \$15,000; W. F. Francis, marble works, \$2,000. Smaller losses make an aggregate loss of \$125,000; total insurance \$18,000.

#### THE HEATHEN CHINEE. He Denies that he Offered a Penny for the Mulligan Letters.

[By Telegraph to the Morning Star.] CANTON, OHIO, October 9.-Mr. Blaine said yesterday, in answer to an inquiring newspaper reporter, that the assertion of Warren Fisher, that he (Blaine) has offered a sum of money for the "Mulligan letters," was utterly untrue. It was a mere malicious invention. Mr. Blaine added, there was never a time when he would have paid a single penny for the letters, though he always maintained that it was a gross invasion on his private rights that the letters should be hawked about and published.

## FINANCIAL.

New York Stock Market-Strong and

(By Telegraph to the Morning Star.) NEW YORK, Wall Street, October 9, 11 P. M .- The interest in the stock market thus far to-day has centred almost entirely in three stocks, which have been strong and higher. Pacific Mail rose 3 to 55%; Louisville & Nashville 7 to 294, and Union Pagific 2 to 561. Manitoba is still affected by the reduction of dividends, and the stock has declined 14 to 854.

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### COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 9, 4 P. M. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-The market was quoted firm at 27 cents per gallon, with sales reported of 100 casks at that

ROSIN-The market was quoted dull at 921 cents for Strained and 971 cents for Good Strained, with no sales reported

TAR-The market was quoted firm at \$1 50 per bbl. of 280 lbs., with sales at quotations. CRUDE TURPENTINE-The market was steady, with sales reported at \$1 00

for Hard and \$1 60 for Virgin and Yellow COTTON-The market was quoted firm. Sales reported of 350 bales on a basis of 91 cents per to for Middling. The following were the official quotations: Ordinary...... 72 cents # 1b.

## Middling...... 91 Good Middling...... 9 11-16

Good Ordinary..... 84

Low Middling..... 91

RECEIPTS. Spirits Turpentine..... Rosin..... 152 bbls Tar..... Crude Turpentine.....

### DOMESTIC MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. Financial.

NEW YORK, October 9, Noon.-Money strong at 1@2 per cent. Sterling exchange 4811@4811 and 4841@4841. State bonds dull. Governments firm.

Cotton quiet; sales to-day of 371 bales; aiddling uplands 10c; Orleans 104c. Futures easy, with sales to-day at the following quotations; October 9.99c; November 10.03c; December 10.04c; January 10.12c; February 10.25c; March 10.39c. Flour quiet and steady. Wheat better and quiet. Corn heavy and lower. Pork firm at \$17 00@17 25. Lard firm at \$8 00. Spirits turpentine steady at 30@301c. Rosin steady at \$1 271@1 30. Freights firm.

BALTIMORE, October 9. - Flour fairly active. Wheat-southern easier, with a moderate inquiry; western steady and dull southern red 84@87c; do amber 90@94c; No. 1 Maryland 90@904c; No. 2 western winter red on spot 834@834c. Corn—southern nominal; western dull; southern white 57@60c for old and 54@56c for new; yel-

### FOREIGN MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL October 9, Noon.-Cotton has a fair business at unchanged prices middling uplands 5 11-16d; do Orleans 5 13-16d; sales of 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and expert: receipts 2,000 bales, no American. Futures steady at a decline; uplands, 1 m c, October delivery 540-64d; October and November delivery 5 39-64d; November and December delivery 5 39-64d; December and January delivery 5 39-64d; January and February delivery 5 42-64, 5 41-64@5 42-64d; February and March delivery 5 45-64d; March

and April delivery 5 48-64d.

Breadstuffs dull, but not quotably lower. Bacon—long clear middles 52s 6d; short clear middles nominal. Lard—prime western 39s 9d. · Corn-new mixed 5s 21d. 2 P. M.—Uplands, 1 m c, October delivery 5 41-64d, buyers' option; October and November delivery 5 40-64d, sellers' option; November and December delivery 5 40-64d sellers' option; December and January de-livery 5 40-64d, buyers' option; January and February delivery 5 42-64d, buyers' option; February and March delivery 5 46-64d, sellers' option; March and April delivery 5 40-64d, value; April and May delivery 5 53-64d, value. Futures steady. 2.30 P.M.—Good uplands 5 13-16d; mid dling uplands 5 11-16d; low middling 51d good ordinary 5 5-16d; ordinary 5d. Good middling Texas 5 15-16d; middling Texas 5 18-16d; low middling 5 11-16d; good ordinary 5\frac{1}{2}d; ordinary 5d. Good middling Orleans 5 13-16d; low middling 5 11-16d;

good ordinary 51d; ordinary 5d.
5 P. M.—Uplands, l m c, October delivery 5 40-64d, value; October and November delivery 5 39-64d, value; November and December delivery 5 39-64d, buyers' option; December and January delivery 5 39-64d, buyers' option; January and February delivery 5 41-64d, value; February and March delivery 5 44-64d, buyers' option; March and April delivery 5 48-64d, sellers' option; April and May delivery 5 52-64d, sellers' option; May and June de-livery 5 55-64d, value. Futures closed dull.

#### New York Rice Market. N. Y. Journal of Commerce, Oct. 8.

We note an improving condition in this market as regards volume and tone. Weak-ness has given place to strength, and although there can hardly be warrant for expecting any advance the outlook favors a firm market. Prices at the South are strong and holders are disposed to contend against any lower basis of values by withholding stock. The quotations are reported as follows: Carolina and Louisiana trash to fair at 4@5½c; good to prime at 5½@5½c; choice at 6@6½c; extra (brand) at 6½@6½c; East India, ordinary graded, at 4½ @5c; fine sorts at 5½@5½c; extra at 5c. Rice meal at 85c@\$1 10 per 100. Tierces. Bbls

Exports for the week...... 10 Exports from January 1 .... 61 Exports same time last year. 43 16,020 Messrs. Dan Talmage's Sons & Co., Charleston, S C, telegraph crop movements to date: Receipts 4,219 bbls; sales 3,713 bbls; stock 506 bbls, with scanty offerings and prices firm.

> Savannah Rice Market. Savannah News, Oct. 8.

The market was dull and prices easier. The sales for the day were 81 bbls. Below are the official quotations of the Board of Trade: Fair 5½c; Good 5½@5½c; Prime Rough rice-Country lots 90c@\$1 20; tide water \$1 25@1 40.

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