

THE RALEIGH REGISTER.

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"Ours are the plans of fair delightful peace—unwarped by party rage to live like brothers."

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The Weekly Register.

THE LATEST NEWS.

The national debt was reduced during the month of August \$3,869,538.75.

Nearly nine million dollars were coined in the United States during last month.

An extradition treaty is to be concluded with Russia.

Senator Morton is doing as well as could be expected.

Brigham Young left an estate worth between six and seven millions.

The young boy recently carried to Philadelphia as the lost Charlie Ross was not identified by Mr. and Mrs. Ross.

Ex-President Lewis Adolphe Thiers of France, died in Paris of apoplexy on Monday last: aged 80 years.

It is regarded to be certain that Serbia will not participate in the war until Russia shows a more promising front.

The Chicago workmen have organized and adopted a platform similar to that adopted by the workmen of Louisville, Kentucky.

According to latest despatches the Russian official reports make casualties at Shipka Pass 1,200 killed and 3,000 wounded.

Of sixty-five cadets appointed to West Point only thirty-nine passed the examination required; among these was the colored boy Charles A. Minnie, of New York.

It is rumored that an attempt will be made to impeach Judge Bradley for his decision as one of the Electoral Commission. Congress will be asked to appoint a committee to investigate the matter.

According to latest despatches the Russians are providing material for winter quarters for 200,000 men and engineers are ordered to prepare for the regular siege of Rastchuk.

Mehemet Ali must have 160,000 men within and about the Turkish quadrilateral. Sixty thousand of these are required for the garrison and to guard the line toward Dobrudzha, which leaves him 100,000 for field operations.

A despatch was received at Constantinople on the 5th, announcing that Ahmed Pasha had repulsed a Russian attack at Kudikar, near Rastchuk. The Russians are stated to have lost 10,000 men.

According to intelligence from Suleiman Pasha's army, the Turks have obtained still further command of the Gabrova road to Shipka Pass. Cannonading was going on between hostile batteries in the Pass.

The London Times' correspondent at Shipka Pass says the Russians have made a fine road up the Pass, which would never have been done had they not intended to use it for the passage of a large army into Roumelia under a proper movement. New bridges and other improvements are being made, affording evidence that they adhere to their original intention.

The Pennsylvania Republican State Convention is in session at Harrisburg. J. P. Sterrett has been nominated as a candidate for Supreme Court Judge. With reference to the Southern policy the following resolution was adopted:

That while we recognize and respect the difference of opinion existing among us as to the course pursued by President Hayes towards the South, we are heartily in accord in honoring the patriotic motives which have guided him, and in hoping that the results of this policy will be peace, good will, and the complete recognition of the equal rights of all men in every section of the country; and to the efforts of his administration to carry into effect the principles of the platform upon which he was elected, we pledge our hearty and cordial support.

Despatches from Poreadin, dated August 31st, states that Osman Pasha's attack on the Russian positions at Pelesat and vicinity was one of the most hard-fought battles of the war. The Turks, early in the fight, captured a Russian redoubt one mile in front of Pelesat. In the course of an hour this redoubt was taken by the Turks, retaken by the Russians and taken again by the Turks. The Russian left wing was driven back on Pelesat, in front of which trenches had been dug, and were lined with troops. The Turks advanced as though determined to drive our left out of Pelesat and turn it. The Turks began to descend a hill in that direction—not with a rush; but leisurely and without firing; not in masses or lines, but scattered and diffused. They came down about half way, in this manner, the Russian artillery tearing up groups all the time in the most savage manner. The Russian infantry fire, which had for the last five minutes been very heavy about Seaglinee, now began to roll along the hill and crest in our direction, and the Turks, who were just coming into range, began to drop back rapidly. The Turkish advance now veered to the left and went at the Russian trenches on the crest of hills between Pelesat and Seaglinee with shouts and

opening a fire at the same time. The Turks descended into a little hollow and were lost to sight for the time, while the Russian trenches flamed and smoked and a storm of balls was poured into the advancing Turks. This must have lasted 15 or 20 minutes, during which time a fearful loss of life must have occurred; then we saw the Turks begin to withdraw, carrying off their wounded. The Turks had no sooner withdrawn from the Russian fire than they formed and advanced again. Many dead bodies of the Turks were found within ten feet of the Russian trenches. The little slope on the crest of which the trenches were situated was literally covered with dead. I counted seven in a space of not more than ten feet square.

The workmen throughout the country have declared for a national system of compulsory education. If the organization of workmen should only accomplish this object, they will entitle themselves to the gratitude of forty millions of people.

We cannot conceive how an editorial headed—"The need of organization"—which appeared in THE REGISTER of August 28th, could have been construed into an attack upon Col. Thomas B. Keogh, Chairman of the Republican State Committee. The article in question was written in the interest of the Republican party, and was not intended as an attack upon any Republican. The editor of this paper has shown by his acts that he is the friend of Col. Keogh. He has seen no reason why that friendship should be changed into hostility. We believe a vast majority of the party are eminently satisfied with Col. Keogh at the head of the party in this State, and that he will be endorsed and continued as Chairman of the State Committee by the next Republican State Convention.

Finally: We do not conceive it to be our duty as editor of the central organ of the party, to make war upon any Republican. We have not done so and shall not do so hereafter.

CITY OF RALEIGH.

REPORT OF THE EXAMINING COMMITTEE.
The following statements are taken from the report made by Messrs. Moore & Harris, for two years ending May 1, 1877:

On May 1, 1877, there were orders outstanding against the city to the amount of \$9,586 41. At the same date, for the years 1875 and 1876, there were taxes due and unpaid to the amount of \$8,827 29.

STATEMENT E.	
J. T. Parham, clerk market, in account with city of Raleigh.	
1875. Dr.	
Nov. To rent of market 1 month,	\$ 349 10
Dec. " " "	377 10
1876. Dr.	
Jan. " " "	476 57
Feb. " " "	444 97
Mar. " " "	387 41
Apr. " " "	314 42
May " " "	277 25
	\$2,566 82

STATEMENT F.	
J. W. Rogers, clerk market, in account with city of Raleigh.	
1875. Dr.	
May, To rent of market 1 month,	\$ 345 80
June, " " "	342 85
July, " " "	342 00
August, " " "	388 80
Sept. " " "	363 80
October, " " "	363 80
	\$2,117 05

STATEMENT G.	
B. C. Manly, Chief of Police, in account with city of Raleigh.	
1875. Dr.	
To amount from liquor license,	\$184 10
To amount from dry license,	218 50
To amount from billiards and peddlers,	86 00
To amount from eating houses,	62 48
To amount from rent of hall,	226 47
To amount from fines,	155 05
	\$882 50

STATEMENT H.	
J. T. Moore, City Treasurer, in account with city of Raleigh.	
1875. Cr.	
By amt paid Leo. D. Heardt,	838 45
City Treasurer,	44 10
By 5 per cent commissions,	
	\$882 55

STATEMENT I.	
Geo. H. Williams, Tax Collector, in account with city of Raleigh.	
1875 '6. To amt of list of taxes,	\$41,891 15
To amt of unlisted taxes,	441 34
	\$42,332 49
1876 '7. To amt of listed taxes,	37,280 35
To amt of unlisted taxes,	1,908 77
	\$39,189 12

STATEMENT J.		
J. C. L. Harris, City Treasurer, in account with city of Raleigh.		
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By reductions, see page 23,	548 66	
By unpaid taxes, see list,	1,430 95	
By 5 per cent commissions,	(on \$40,353.)	2,017 65
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By amt paid Com. Sinking Fund,	3,000 00
By unpaid taxes, see list,	7,098 31
By unpaid taxes not in list,	13 50
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